



Flexible EMC LSZH screened cable for Variable Frequency Drive cables (VFD cables)

Application

EMC VFD cable has been specially designed for Variable Frequency Drive Motors and installations where it is necessary to limit the effects of electromagnetic interference (EMI).



Cable Design

Conductor Electrolytic copper, class 5 (flexible),

based on EN/IEC 60228

Grounding Conductor The grounding conductor is divided into three

conductors; the equivalent cross section is approximately

50% of the section of the phase conductor.

Insulation Cross-linked polyethylene (XLPE)

4G grey + brown + black + Yellow/Green (up to 10 mm²)
3x + 3G grey + brown + black + Yellow/Green (3G) (from 16 mm²)

Screen Aluminium-polyester tape screen, helically placed over

the insulated conductors. Over the tape there is a tinned copper braid screen. The tape and the braid act as a double screen to cut out all of the the electromagnetic interference. The screen has a cover of 100% and its total section is approximately 10% of one of the conductors.

Outer Jacket Polyolefin LSZH outer sheath with ripcord to allows for

ease of stripping of the outer jacket.









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Electrical performance LOW VOLTAGE 0.6/1 KV

Standard IEC 60502-1 / IEC 60092-353

Approval CE

DNV-GL

ABS (in progress)

RoHS

Thermal performance Maximum service temperature: 90°C.

Maximum short-circuit temperature: 250°C (max. 5 s).

Minimum service temperature: -40°C (fixed and protected installations).

Fire performance

Flame non-propagation based on UNE-EN 60332-1 and IEC 60332-1. Fire non-propagation based on UNE-EN 60332-3 and IEC 60332-3. LSZH (Low Smoke Zero Halogen) based on UNE-EN 60754-1 and IEC 60754-1.

Low smoke emission based on UNE-EN 61034 and IEC 61034.: Light transmittance > 60%

Low corrosive gases emission based on UNE-EN 60754-2 and IEC 60754-2.

Mechanical performance

Minimum bending radius: x 10 cable diameter.

Impact resistance: AG2 Medium severity.

Chemical performance Chemical & Oil resistance: Good.

Water performance Water resistance: AD5 Jets.

Installation conditions Open Air.

Buried. In conduit.

Applications Industrial use.

Variable Frequency Drive (VFD)

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Current-carrying capacities

Nominal current-carrying capacities

Table 1 shows the current-carrying capacities and voltage drop detailed for every cable. Current-carrying capacities, in amperes, are calculated according to IEC 60364-5-523 and for the following conditions:

- Open air installation: one cable with adequate ventilation and ambient temperature of 30 °C, supported by cleats
 and hangers or on perforated tray (reference method E).
- Buried installation: one cable in a duct buried at depth of 0,7 m, with soil thermal resistivity of 2,5 °K·m/W, and 20 °C of ground temperature (reference method D).
- It is supposed a three-phase circuit.

For conditions other than this apply the adequate correction factors (point 6.3). The electrical resistance of conductor is indicated according to IEC 60228 for copper conductor class 5. Voltage drop is the maximum that may occur. It is calculated for the maximum service

temperature and for $\cos \varphi = 1$, supposed a three-phase circuit.

Table 1

n° x Section (mm²)	Open Air Inst. (A)	Buried Inst. (A)	Conductor Resistant (Ω/Km)	Voltage drop (V/A·km)
4 G 1,5	23	22	13,3	29,4
4 G 2,5	32	29	7,98	17,6
4 G 4	42	37	4,95	10,9
4 G 6	54	46	3,30	7,29
4 G 10	75	61	1,91	4,22
3 x 16 + 3 G 2,5	100	79	1,21	2,67
3 x 25 + 3 G 4	127	101	0,780	1,72
3 x 35 + 3 G 6	158	122	0,554	1,22
3 x 50 + 3 G 10	192	144	0,386	0,852
3 x 70 + 3 G 10	246	178	0,272	0,601
3 x 95 + 3 G 16	298	211	0,206	0,455







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3 x 120 + 3 G 16	346	240	0,161	0,356
3 × 150 + 3 G 25	399	271	0,129	0,285
3 × 185 + 3 G 35	456	304	0,106	0,234
3 × 240 + 3 G 50	538	351	0,0801	0,177
3 × 300 + 3 G 50	621	396	0,0641	0,142

Short-circuit current-carrying capacities

The maximum short-circuit current that a cable can withstand depend on the time of reaction of the protection elements installed in the line. The maximum current-carrying capacity in a shortcircuit accident, for a specific type of cable, is the result of multiplying the cross section of the cable for the values shown in table 2. These values are taken from IEC 949 with initial temperature 90°C and end temperature 250°C.

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Time (s)	0,1	0,2	0,3	0,5	1	1,5	2	2,5	3
A/mm ²	449	318	259	201	142	116	100	90	82

Correction factors

The current-carrying capacities must be multiplied with the adequate correction factor when the installation conditions differs from point 6.1

Correction factors for air temperature other than 30°C.

Table 3

Air T. (°C)	20	25	30	35	40	45	50	55	60
Factor	1,08	1,04	1	0,96	0,91	0,87	0,82	0,76	0,71

Correction factors for ground temperature other than 20°C.

Table 4

Ground T. (°C)	10	15	20	25	30	35	40	45	50
Factor	1,07	1,04	1	0,96	0,93	0,89	0,85	0,80	0,76







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Dimensions

Table 5 shows diameter and weight detailed for every cable.

	Тар	le 5	
n° x Section (mm²)	Diameter under the braid (mm)	Overall Diameter (mm)	Weight (kg/km)
4 G 1,5	7,0	10,4	155
4 G 2,5	7,9	11,3	195
4 G 4	9,2	12,4	260
4 G 6	10,6	14,0	345
4 G 10	12,9	17,2	595
3 x 16 + 3 G 2,5	13,5	17,2	670
3 x 25 + 3 G 4	16,8	21,4	1085
3 x 35 + 3 G 6	19,4	24,1	1455
3 x 50 + 3 G 10	22,8	28,0	2025
3 x 70 + 3 G 10	27,1	32,5	2650
3 x 95 + 3 G 16	30,5	36,1	3455
3 x 120 + 3 G 16	34,6	41,0	4345
3 × 150 + 3 G 25	38,9	45,5	5450
3 x 185 + 3 G 35	43,4	50,4	6755
3 x 240 + 3 G 50	49,2	56,6	8680
3 × 300 + 3 G 50	55,3	63,0	10695

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