



# CSA 3/C CU 25KV Type SHD-GC RHINOSHIELD™ CPE Mining Cable 90°C. MSHA Approved

Flexible Copper conductors, EPR 100% Insulation Level, Cu/Nylon Braid Shield, Extra Heavy Duty Two Layer Chlorinated Polyethylene (CPE) Jacket with Optional Reflective Stripes



Image not to scale. See Table 1 for dimensions.

## CONSTRUCTION:

1. **Conductor:** Tin coated, soft drawn, annealed, flexible, rope-lay stranded copper per ASTM B33/B172
2. **Separator Tape:** Semi-conducting tape applied between the conductor and insulation to facilitate stripping
3. **Conductor Shield:** Semi-conducting cross-linked copolymer
4. **Insulation:** Ethylene Propylene Rubber (EPR) 100% Insulation Level
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6. **Shield Separator:** Semi-conducting SBR tape applied to the phase insulation with a 50% overlap, adhesive side up
7. **Braid Shield:** Tin coated, soft drawn, annealed, copper braid shield (60% minimum coverage), combined with color coded nylon (black, white, red) with a 40% maximum coverage
8. **Ground Check Conductor:** Tin coated, soft drawn, annealed, rope stranded, flexible lay copper per ASTM B33/B172 with yellow, high strength, polypropylene insulation
9. **Ground Conductors:** Two uninsulated, tin coated, soft drawn, annealed, rope stranded, flexible lay copper per ASTM B33/B172
10. **Tape:** SBR tape applied over the cabled core for improved mechanical integrity and ease of stripping
11. **Inner Jacket:** Black, mold cured, extra heavy-duty modified integral fill flame resistant, thermosetting Chlorinated Polyethylene
12. **Reinforcement:** Reinforcing twine applied between the two jacket layers
13. **Outer Jacket:** Black, mold cured, extra heavy-duty, flame resistant, thermosetting Chlorinated Polyethylene (CPE). Other colors available
14. **Reflective Stripe:** Highly visible reflective stripe embedded into the outer jacket to increase safety and help prevent cable runover (optional, contact your sales representative for part number)

## APPLICATIONS AND FEATURES:

RHINOSHIELD™ Type SHD-GC is a heavy-duty trailing cable where flexibility and maximum protection is required. For use with mobile, reeling, or stationary mining equipment, continuous mining machines, longwall mining systems, and blast hole drillers. It is also an excellent choice for shovels, draglines, dredges, cranes and marine shore-to-ship power supplies, and anytime extra-durable, flexible cable is required. Suitable for continuous submersion in water. Ground check conductor provides fail-safe ground monitoring. Embossed print legend for easy cable identification. Cold Bend and Impact Tested to -50°C.


**SPECIFICATIONS:**

- ASTM B33 Standard Specification for Tin-Coated Soft or Annealed Copper Wire
- ASTM B172 Standard Specification for Rope-Lay-Stranded Copper Conductors Having Bunch-Stranded Copper Conductors
- ICEA S-75-381 Portable and Power Feeder Cables for Use in Mines
- MSHA Approved

**SAMPLE PRINT LEGEND:**

SOUTHWIRE® RHINO{TM} BRAND CABLE XXX AWG CU 3/C EPR TYPE SHD-GC 25000V TC-ER -50°C 90°C SUN RES {CSA}  
 LL90458 FT1 FT4 FT5 P-07-KA-140005-MSHA

**Table 1 – Weights and Measurements**

Cond. Size	Cond. Number	Cond. Strands	Diameter Over Conductor	Insul. Thickness	Diameter Over Insulation	Ground	Ground Check Size	Ground Check Strands	Ground Check Insulation Thickness	Jacket Thickness	Approx. OD	Approx. Weight	Jacket Color
AWG/Kcmil	No.	No.	inch	mil	inch	No. x AWG	AWG	No.	mil	mil	inch	lb/1000ft	
1	3	385	0.355	260	0.941	2 x 5	8	168	45	265	2.950	5,000	BK
1/0	3	273	0.385	260	0.971	2 x 4	8	168	45	265	3.050	5,530	BK
2/0	3	324	0.420	260	1.006	2 x 3	8	168	45	280	3.200	6,280	BK
3/0	3	418	0.506	260	1.092	2 x 2	8	168	45	280	3.330	7,000	BK
4/0	3	532	0.577	260	1.163	2 x 1	8	168	60	165	3.500	6450	BK
250	3	608	0.610	260	1.196	2 x 1/0	8	168	60	295	3.540	8,630	BK
350	3	855	0.720	260	1.306	2 x 2/0	8	168	60	295	3.850	10,710	BK
500	3	1221	0.900	260	1.486	2 x 4/0	8	168	60	310	4.250	13,800	BK

All dimensions are nominal and subject to normal manufacturing tolerances

◊ Cable marked with this symbol is a standard stock item

TBA stock codes are estimations only and actual product may vary. Please wait until a stock code is assigned to purchase connectors and/or fittings.

**Table 2 – Electrical and Engineering Data**

Cond. Size	DC Resistance @ 25°C	AC Resistance @ 90°C	Capacitive Reactance	Inductive Reactance	Working Tension	Min Bending Radius	Allowable Ampacity In Air 90°C
AWG/Kcmil	Ω/1000ft	Ω/1000ft	MΩ*1000ft	Ω/1000ft	lb	inch	Amp
1	0.133	0.166	0.046	0.053	572	23.6	191
1/0	0.111	0.139	0.044	0.050	722	24.4	218
2/0	0.085	0.106	0.043	0.047	910	25.6	249
3/0	0.067	0.084	0.041	0.042	1147	26.6	286
4/0	0.053	0.066	0.039	0.038	1446	28.0	327
250	0.045	0.056	0.038	0.036	1709	28.3	360
350	0.032	0.040	0.036	0.032	2393	30.8	438
500	0.023	0.029	0.034	0.027	3418	34.0	481

\* Inductive impedance is based on non-ferrous conduit with one diameter spacing center-to-center.