

# CU Compact 15kV NLEPR Insulation 100% IL Black SIM-PVC Jacket. MV 105 - Tray Rated - Sunlight Resistant - For Direct Burial

Type MV-105 Single Conductor Compact Copper, 175 Mils No Lead Ethylene Propylene Rubber (NL-EPR) 100% Insulation Level, Tape Shield, SIMpull® Polyvinyl Chloride (PVC) Jacket, Dual Rated UL/CSA



Image not to scale. See Table 1 for dimensions.

## CONSTRUCTION:

1. **Conductor:** Class B compact stranded per ASTM B496
2. **Conductor Shield:** Semi-conducting cross-linked copolymer
3. **Insulation:** 175 Mils No Lead Ethylene Propylene Rubber (NL-EPR) 100% Insulation Level,
4. **Insulation Shield:** Strippable semi-conducting cross-linked copolymer
5. **Copper Tape Shield:** Helically wrapped 5 mil copper tape with 25% overlap
6. **Overall Jacket:** Polyvinyl Chloride (PVC)

## APPLICATIONS AND FEATURES:

Southwire's 15KV cables are suited for use in wet and dry areas, conduits, ducts, troughs, trays, direct burial when installed with a grounding conductor in close proximity that conforms to NEC section 311.36 and 250.4(A)(5), and where superior electrical properties are desired. These cables are capable of operating continuously at the conductor temperature not in excess of 105°C for normal operation, 140°C for emergency overload, and 250°C for short circuit conditions. Rated at -35°C for cold bend when UL listed. Rated at -25°C for cold bend and cold impact and marked with "LTDD" when CSA listed or dual UL/CSA listed. ST1 (low smoke) Rated for sizes 1/0 and larger. PVC jacket is made with SIM technology and has a coefficient of friction COF of 0.2. Cable can be installed in conduit without the aid of lubrication. Rated for 1000 lbs./FT maximum sidewall pressure.

## SPECIFICATIONS:

- ASTM B33 Standard Specification for Tin-Coated Soft or Annealed Copper Wire
- ASTM B496 Compact Round Concentric-lay-standard copper
- UL 1072 Medium-Voltage Power Cables
- UL 1685 FT4 Vertical-Tray Fire Propagation and Smoke Release Test (1/0 and Larger)
- UL 1685 Vertical-Tray Fire Propagation and Smoke Release Test
- CSA C22.2 No.230 Tray Cables - Rated TC-ER (1/0 AWG and Larger)
- CSA C22.2 No. 2556 / UL 2556 Cable Test Methods
- CSA C68.10 Shielded Power Cables for Commercial and Industrial Applications - 5 to 46 KV
- ICEA S-93-639 (NEMA WC 74) 5-46 KV Shielded Power Cable
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- IEEE 1202 FT4 Flame Test (70,000) BTU/hr Vertical Tray Test (1/0 and Larger)



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Services

- AEIC CS-8 Specification for extruded dielectric shielded power cables rated for 5 through 46KV (Qualification Test Requirements)
- Made in America: Compliant with both Buy American and Buy America Act (BAA) requirements per 49 U.S.C. § 5323(j) and the Federal Transit Administration Buy America requirements per 49 C.F.R. part 661

**SAMPLE PRINT LEGEND:**

{SQFTG\_DUAL} SOUTHWIRE SIMpull{R} POWER CABLE MASTER-DESIGN {UL} XXX KCMIL CPT CU 175 MILS NL-EPR 15KV 100% INS LEVEL 25%TS MV-105 SUN. RES. {NESC} PAT www.patentSW.com

**Table 1 – Weights and Measurements**

Cond. Size	Strand Count	Diameter Over Conductor	Diameter Over Insulation	Diameter Over Insulation Shield	Jacket Thickness	Approx. OD	Approx. Weight	Max Pull Tension	Min Bending Radius	Conduit Size*
AWG/Kcmil	No. of Strands	inch	inch	inch	mil	inch	lb/1000ft	lb	inch	inch
3/0	19	0.422	0.810	0.870	80	1.050	922	1342	12.6	3.0

All dimensions are nominal and subject to normal manufacturing tolerances

◊ Cable marked with this symbol is a standard stock item

\* Strand count meets minimum number per ASTM

**Table 2 – Electrical and Engineering Data**

Cond. Size	DC Resistance @ 25°C	AC Resistance @ 90°C	Capacitive Reactance @ 60Hz	Inductive Reactance @ 60Hz	Zero Sequence Impedance*	Positive Sequence Impedance*	Shield Short Circuit Current 6 Cycles	Allowable Ampacity In Duct 90/105°C	Allowable Ampacity In Air 90/105°C
AWG/Kcmil	Ω/1000ft	Ω/1000ft	MΩ*1000ft	Ω/1000ft	Ω/1000ft	Ω/1000ft	Amp	Amp	Amp
3/0	0.064	0.081	0.033	0.043	0.450 + j0.390	0.081 + j0.041	2726	260/275	345/385

\* Ampacities are based on:

\* For Duct: Table 310.60(C)(77) Detail 1.

\* For Free Air: Table 310.60(C)(69).

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

\* Sequence Impedance values are based on Rho Earth Resistivity: 100 Ohm-Meter/1000ft.

\* Capacitive Reactance is between Phase-to-Shield.

