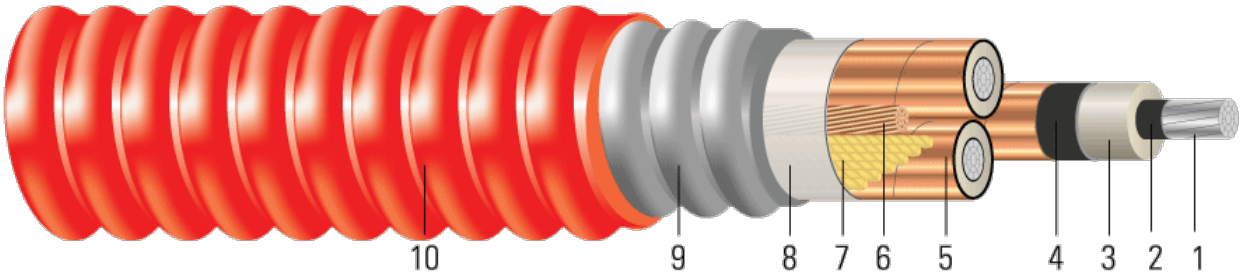
AL Compact 15kV NLEPR Insulation 133% IL AIA Red PVC Jacket. MV 105 - Tray Rated - Sunlight Resistant - For Direct Burial

Type MV-105 Three Conductor Aluminum, 220 Mils No Lead Ethylene Propylene Rubber (NL-EPR) 133% Insulation Level, Tape Shield, Aluminum Interlocked Armor (AIA), Polyvinyl Chloride (PVC) Jacket. Silicone Free



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CONSTRUCTION:

1. **Conductor:** Class B compact stranded 8000 Series aluminum per ASTM B800 and ASTM B836
2. **Conductor Shield:** Semi-conducting cross-linked copolymer; A conductor separator is used for cable size larger than or equal to 500 Kcmil
3. **Insulation:** 220 Mils No Lead Ethylene Propylene Rubber (NL-EPR) 133% 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. **Grounding Conductor:** Class B compressed stranded bare copper ground per ASTM B3 and ASTM B8
7. **Filler:** Wax paper filler
8. **Binder:** Polypropylene tape
9. **Armor:** Aluminum Interlocked Armor (AIA)
10. **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, 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 -40°C for cold bend and cold impact and marked with "LTGG" when CSA listed or dual UL/CSA listed. For uses in Class I and II, Division 2 hazardous locations per NEC Article 501 and 502.Rated for 1000 lbs./FT maximum sidewall pressure.

SPECIFICATIONS:

- ASTM B801 Concentric-Lay-Stranded Conductors of 8000 Series Aluminum Alloy
- ASTM B836 Compact Rounded Stranded Aluminum Conductors
- UL 1072 Medium-Voltage Power Cables
- UL 1685 Vertical-Tray Fire Propagation and Smoke Release Test
- ICEA S-58-679 Cable Conductor Identification Method 3 (1-BLACK, 2-RED, 3-BLUE)
- ICEA S-93-639 (NEMA WC 74) 5-46 KV Shielded Power Cable
- AEIC CS-8 Specification for extruded dielectric shielded power cables rated for 5 through 46KV (Qualification Test Requirements)

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- 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® POWER CABLE {UL} 3/C XXX KCMIL COMPACT AL.--- {ALUMAFLEX}® AA8176 220 MILS NL-EPR 15KV 133% INS LEVEL 25%TS GW 1 X 1 AWG CU MV-105 FOR CT USE SUN. RES. FOR DIRECT BURIAL {NESC}

Table 1 – Weights and Measurements

Stock Number	Cond. Size	Strand Count	Diameter Over Conductor	Diameter Over Insulation	Diameter Over Insulation Shield	Ground	Diameter Over armor	Jacket Thickness	Approx. OD	Copper Weight	Aluminum Weight	Approx. Weight	Max Pull Tension	Min Bending Radius	Conduit Size
	AWG/ Kcmil	No. of Strands	inch	inch	inch	No. x AWG	inch	mil	inch	lb/ 1000ft	lb/1000ft	lb/ 1000ft	lb	inch	inch
577687	500	34	0.736	1.246	1.306	1x1	3.192	90	3.38	595	1929	4722	9000	23.7	4.5

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
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 @ 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
500	0.036	0.05	0.024	0.019	0.400+j0.295	0.050+j0.034	4077	355/385	425/475

***** NEC ampacities are based on:
***** For Duct: Table 310.60(C)(14) Detail 1.
***** For Free Air: Table 310.60(C)(6).
***** Inductive impedance is based on non-ferrous conduit with one diameter spacing center-to-center.
***** Sequence Impedance values are based on Rho Earth Resistivity: 100 Ohm-Meter/1000ft.
***** Capacitive Reactance is between Phase-to-Shield.

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