Armorlite® Type MC XHHW-2 Copper Conductor Feeder Cable

Copper XHHW-2 Insulated Singles. Bare Copper Grounding Conductor. UL Listed 600/1000 Volts. Rated VW-1. Lightweight Aluminum Interlocked Armor.

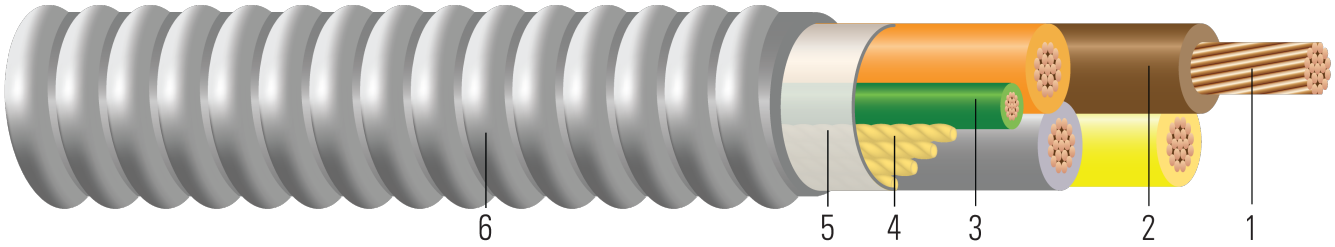


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CONSTRUCTION:

1. **Conductor:** Class B compressed copper per ASTM B3 and ASTM B8
2. **Insulation:** All phases are insulated with Cross-linked Polyethylene Type XHHW-2
3. **Ground:** Insulated or bare stranded copper ground
4. **Filler:** Fillers as needed
5. **Binder:** Mylar tape
6. **Armor:** Aluminum Interlocked Armor

APPLICATIONS AND FEATURES:

Southwire Armorlite® Type MC Feeder Cable is suitable for use as follows:

- Feeder and service power distribution in commercial, industrial, institutional, and multi-residential buildings.
- Fished or embedded in plaster.
- Concealed or exposed installations.
- Environmental air-handling spaces per NEC 300.22 (C).
- Places of Assembly per NEC 518.4 and theaters per NEC 520.5.
- Installation in cable tray and approved raceways.
- Under raised floors for information technology equipment conductors and cables per NEC 645.5(D) & 645.5(E)
- Class I Div. 2, Class II Div 2, & Class III Div. 1 Hazardous Locations.
- Binder tape with print legend wrapped around assembly.
- Type XHHW-2 rated 90ºC Wet or Dry.

Southwire Armorlite® Type MC Cable - meets or exceeds the following requirements:

- UL Online Product Guide Info - Metal-Clad Cable (PJAZ) (www.ul.com)
- Federal Specification A-A59544 (formerly J-C-30B)
- NFPA 70 (National Electrical Code), Article 330
- Listed for use in UL 1, 2 and 3 Hour Through Penetration Firestop Systems

SPECIFICATIONS:

- ASTM B3 Soft or Annealed Copper Wire
- ASTM B8 Concentric-Lay-Stranded Copper Conductors
- UL 44 Thermoset-Insulated Wires and Cables
- UL 1569 Metal-Clad Cables

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- UL 1479 Standard for Safety Fire Tests of Penetration Firestops
- UL 1685 FT4 Vertical-Tray Fire Propagation and Smoke Release Test
- IEEE 1202 FT4 Flame Test (70,000) BTU/hr Vertical Tray Test
- RoHS-2 (European Directive 2011/65/EU)
- Buy American: Compliant with Buy American Requirements, found in 49 U.S.C. § 5323(j); specify "Made in the USA Only!" when ordering to ensure your project receives American made products.

Table 1 – Weights and Measurements

Stock Number	Cond. Size	Conductor Number	Color	Diameter Over Conductor	Conductor Stranding	Insulation Thickness	Ground Size	Diameter Over Armor	Copper Weight	Overall Weight
	AWG/ Kcmil			inch		mils	No. x AWG	inch	lbs/1000ft	lbs/1000ft
669298◊	250	4	PE,TN,PK,GY/ OE	0.558	37	65	1x2	1.984	3325	3932
653710◊	600	4	BK,RD,BE,WE	0.866	61	80	1x350	2.911	8576	9659

All dimensions are nominal and subject to normal manufacturing tolerances
◊ Cable marked with this symbol is a standard stock item
Note:
1) Conductor number = number of phase conductors. Does not include ground
2) GG = Green insulated ground

Table 2 – Electrical and Engineering Data

Cond. Size	Conductor Number	Min. Bend Radius	Max Pull Tension	DC Resistance at 25°C	AC Resistance at 75°C	Inductive Reactance @ 60Hz	Allowable Ampacity Raceway 75°C	Allowable Ampacity Raceway 90°C
AWG/ Kcmil		Inches	Lbs	Ω/1000ft	Ω/1000ft	Ω/1000ft	Amp	Amp
250	4	13.9	8000	0.043	0.053	0.041	204	232
600	4	20.4	19200	0.018	0.024	0.039	336	380

***** Ampacities based upon 2023 NEC Table 310.16. See NEC sections 310.15 and 110.14(C) for additional requirements.
***** Ampacities have been adjusted for more than Three Current-Carrying Conductors.

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