



AL 600/1000V XLPE Insulation AIA PVC Jacket XHHW-2. CT Rated - Sunlight Resistant - For Direct Burial - Silicone Free

Type MC Power Cable 600Volt Three Conductor Aluminum, Cross Linked Polyethylene (XLPE) insulation XHHW-2 Aluminum Interlocked Armor (AIA), Polyvinyl Chloride (PVC) Jacket with 1 Bare AL Ground. Silicone Free.



Image not to scale. See Table 1 for dimensions.

CONSTRUCTION:

- Conductor:** Class B compact stranded 8000 Series aluminum per ASTM B800 and ASTM B836
- Insulation:** Cross Linked Polyethylene (XLPE) Type XHHW-2
- Grounding Conductor:** Class B compact stranded 8000 Series aluminum per ASTM B800 and ASTM B836
- Filler:** Paper filler (cable size 8 & 6 uses Polypropylene filler)
- Binder:** Polypropylene tape
- Armor:** Aluminum Interlocked Armor (AIA)
- Overall Jacket:** Polyvinyl Chloride (PVC) Jacket

APPLICATIONS AND FEATURES:

Southwire's 600 Volt Type MC power cables are suited for use in wet and dry areas, conduits, ducts, troughs, trays, direct burial, aerial supported by a messenger, and where superior electrical properties are desired. These cables are capable of operating continuously at the conductor temperature not in excess of 90°C for normal operation in wet and dry locations, 130°C for emergency overload, and 250°C for short circuit conditions. For uses in Class I, II, and III, Division 2 hazardous locations per NEC Article 501 and 502. Silicone Free.

SPECIFICATIONS:

- ASTM B801 Concentric-Lay-Stranded Conductors of 8000 Series Aluminum Alloy
- ASTM B836 Compact Rounded Stranded Aluminum Conductors
- UL 44 Thermoset-Insulated Wires and Cables
- UL 1569 Metal-Clad Cables
- UL 1685 Vertical-Tray Fire Propagation and Smoke Release Test
- ICEA S-58-679 Control Cable Conductor Identification Method 3 (1-BLACK, 2-RED, 3-BLUE)
- ICEA S-95-658 (NEMA WC70) Power Cables Rated 2000 Volts or Less for the Distribution of Electrical Energy

SAMPLE PRINT LEGEND:

{SQFTG_DUAL} SOUTHWIRE {UL} E96627 3/C XXX KCMIL COMPACT AL.--- {ALUMAFLEX}® AA8176 XX MILS XLP 600 VOLTS GW 1 X X AWG 3E AL TYPE MC FOR CT USE SUN. RES. DIRECT BURIAL 90°C USA





Table 1 – Weights and Measurements

| Cond. Size | Cond. Number | Strand Count | Diameter Over Conductor | Insul. Thickness | Ground | Dia. Over Armor | Jacket Thickness | Approx. OD | Aluminum Weight | Approx. Weight |
|---------------|--------------|----------------|-------------------------|------------------|-----------|-----------------|------------------|------------|-----------------|----------------|
| AWG/ Kcmil | | No. of Strands | inch | mil | No. x AWG | inch | mil | inch | lb/1000ft | lb/1000ft |
| 3/0 | 3 | 19 | 0.422 | 55 | 1 x 4 | 1.361 | 50 | 1.461 | 697 | 1036 |

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 | Cond. Number | Min Bending Radius | Max Pull Tension | DC Resistance @ 25°C | AC Resistance @ 75°C | Capacitive Reactance @ 60Hz | Inductive Reactance @ 60Hz | Allowable Ampacity At 75°C | Allowable Ampacity At 90°C |
|---------------|--------------|--------------------|------------------|----------------------|----------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|
| AWG/ Kcmil | | inch | lb | Ω/1000ft | Ω/1000ft | MΩ*1000ft | Ω/1000ft | Amp | Amp |
| 3/0 | 3 | 10.2 | 3020 | 0.105 | 0.126 | 0.015 | 0.042 | 155 | 175 |

* Ampacities based upon 2023 NEC Table 310.16. See NEC sections 310.15 and 110.14(C) for additional requirements.

