

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

Type TC-ER Power Cable 600Volt Four Conductor Aluminum, Cross Linked Polyethylene (XLPE) insulation XHHW-2 Polyvinyl Chloride (PVC) Jacket with 1 Bare AL Ground. Silicone Free.



Image not to scale. See Table 1 for dimensions.

CONSTRUCTION:

1. **Conductor:** Class B compact stranded 8000 Series aluminum per ASTM B800 and ASTM B836
2. **Insulation:** Cross Linked Polyethylene (XLPE) Type XHHW-2
3. **Grounding Conductor:** Class B compact stranded 8000 Series aluminum per ASTM B800 and ASTM B836
4. **Filler:** Paper filler (cable size 8 & 6 uses Polypropylene filler)
5. **Binder:** Polyester flat thread binder tape for cable sizes larger than 2 AWG
6. **Overall Jacket:** Polyvinyl Chloride (PVC) Jacket

APPLICATIONS AND FEATURES:

Southwire's 600 Volt Type TC-ER 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. Constructions with 3 or more conductors are listed for exposed runs (TC-ER) per NEC 336.10. 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 1277 Electrical Power and Control Tray 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} SOUTHWIRE® {UL} XXX AWG (XX{mm²}) 3E AL 4/C TYPE TC-ER XHHW-2 CDRS GW 1 X X AWG 3E AL 90°C JACKET SUNLIGHT RESISTANT DIRECT BURIAL 600V or 1000V {NOM}-ANCE



Table 1 – Weights and Measurements

Stock Number	Cond. Size	Cond. Number	Strand Count	Diameter Over Conductor	Insul. Thickness	Ground	Jacket Thickness	Approx. OD	Aluminum Weight	Approx. Weight
	AWG/ Kcmil		No. of Strands	inch	mil	No. x AWG	mil	inch	lb/1000ft	lb/1000ft
596549	500	4	35	0.735	65	1 x 3/0	110	2.434	2062	3210

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

Stock Number	Cond. Size	Cond. Number	Min Bending Radius	Max Pull Tension	DC Resistance @ 25°C	AC Resistance @ 75°C	Inductive Reactance @ 60Hz	Allowable Ampacity At 60°C	Allowable Ampacity At 75°C	Allowable Ampacity At 90°C
	AWG/ Kcmil		inch	lb	Ω/1000ft	Ω/1000ft	Ω/1000ft	Amp	Amp	Amp
596549	500	4	14.6	9600	0.035	0.044	0.039	208	248	280

* 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.

