

## 1/C CU 5kV 90 TRXLPE 100% PVC MV-105

Type MV-105 Single Conductor Copper, 90 Mils Tree Retardant Cross Linked Polyethylene (TRXLPE) 100% Insulation Level, Tape Shield, Polyvinyl Chloride (PVC) Jacket, Rated UL. Silicone Free



Image not to scale. See Table 1 for dimensions.

### CONSTRUCTION:

1. **Conductor:** Class B compressed stranded bare copper per ASTM B3 and ASTM B8 (Tinned Copper per ASTM B33 optional)
2. **Conductor Shield:** Semi-conducting cross-linked copolymer
3. **Insulation:** 90 Mils Tree Retardant Cross Linked Polyethylene (TRXLPE) 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 5KV 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. ST1 (low smoke) Rated for sizes 1/0 and larger. Rated for 1000 lbs./FT maximum sidewall pressure.

### SPECIFICATIONS:

- ASTM B3 Standard Specification for Soft or Annealed Copper Wire
- ASTM B8 Concentric-Lay-Stranded Copper Conductors
- 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-ST1 Vertical-Tray Fire Propagation and Smoke Release Test (1/0 and Larger)
- UL 1685 Vertical-Tray Fire Propagation and Smoke Release Test
- ICEA S-93-639 (NEMA WC 74) 5-46 KV Shielded Power Cable
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- ICEA S-97-682 Standard for Shielded Utility Cable Rated for 5 - 46kV
- IEEE 1202 FT4 Flame Test (70,000) BTU/hr Vertical Tray Test (1/0 and Larger)
- AEIC CS-8 Specification for extruded dielectric shielded power cables rated for 5 through 46KV



**SAMPLE PRINT LEGEND:**

SOUTHWIRE (UL) 1/C [#AWG or #kcmil] CU 90 TR-XLPE 5KV 100% INS LEVEL 25%TS MV-105 SUN RES -40{D}C  
[SEQUENTIAL FEET MARKS]

**Table 1 – Weights and Measurements**

Stock Number	Cond. Size	Diameter Over Conductor	Diameter Over Insulation	Diameter Over Insulation Shield	Jacket Thickness <sup>1</sup>	Approx. OD	Approx. Weight	Max Pull Tension	Min Bending Radius	Conduit Size*
	AWG/ Kcmil	inch	inch	inch	mil	inch	lb/1000ft	lb	inch	inch
TBA	500	0.789	1.015	1.075	80	1.255	1988	4000	15.1	3.5

All dimensions are nominal and subject to normal manufacturing tolerances

◇ Cable marked with this symbol is a standard stock item

\* Conduit size based on 3 phase 40% fill-factor without ground

<sup>1</sup> Comply with ICEA S-93-639 Appendix C for jacket thickness determination

**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 <sup>†</sup>	Allowable Ampacity In Air 90/105°C <sup>‡</sup>
AWG/ Kcmil	Ω/1000ft	Ω/1000ft	MΩ*1000ft	Ω/1000ft	Ω/1000ft	Ω/1000ft	Amp	Amp	Amp
500	0.022	0.028	0.017	0.032	0.385 + j0.309	0.029 + j0.032	3530	470/505	695/775

\* Calculations are based on three cables triplexed / 5 mil 25 % over lapping copper tape shield / Conductor temperature of 90°C / Shield temperature of 45°C / Earth resistivity of 100 ohms-meter

<sup>†</sup> Ampacities are based on TABLE 310.60(C)(77) Detail 1. of the 2020 National Electrical Code (20°C Ambient Earth Temperature, Thermal Resistance ROH of 90)

<sup>‡</sup> Ampacities are based on TABLE 310.60(C)(69) of the 2020 National Electrical Code (40°C Ambient Air Temperature)

