

3/C AL 600V PVC THHN PVC Power Cable With Ground

Type TC-ER Power Cable 600Volt Three Conductor Aluminum, Polyvinyl Chloride (PVC) with nylon layer insulation THHN Polyvinyl Chloride (PVC) Jacket with 1 Bare AL Ground



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:** Polyvinyl Chloride (PVC) with nylon layer Type THHN/THWN
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 75°C in wet locations and 90°C in dry locations, 105°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.

SPECIFICATIONS:

- ASTM B800 8000 Series Aluminum Alloy Wire
- ASTM B836 Compact Rounded Stranded Aluminum Conductors
- UL 83 Thermoplastic 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{R} MASTER-DESIGN {UL} XXX AWG AL 3 CDRS TYPE TC-ER THHN OR THWN-2 CDRS AL GW 1 X 3 AWG 90{D}C JACKET SUNLIGHT RESISTANT DIRECT BURIAL 600 VOLTS {YYYY}



Table 1 – Weights and Measurements

Stock Number	Cond. Size	Diameter Over Conductor	Insul. Thickness	Diameter Over Insulation	Ground	Jacket Thickness	Approx. OD	Aluminum Weight	Approx. Weight
	AWG/ Kcmil	inch	mil	inch	No. x AWG	mil	inch	lb/1000ft	lb/1000ft
TBA	300	0.570	68	0.690	1 x 2	80	1.685	918	1528

All dimensions are nominal and subject to normal manufacturing tolerances

◊ Cable marked with this symbol is a standard stock item

^ M4 identification

Table 2 – Electrical and Engineering Data

Stock Number	Cond. Size	Min Bending Radius	Max Pull Tension	DC Resistance @ 25°C	AC Resistance @ 90°C	Inductive Reactance @ 60Hz	Shield Short Circuit Current 6 Cycles	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	Amp
TBA	300	8.4	5400	0.059	0.075	0.026	68775	195	230	260

† Ampacities are based on Table 310.15 (B)(16) of the NEC, 2017 Edition. Ampacities of insulated conductors rated up to and including 2000 Volts, based on ambient temperature of 30°C (86°F)

