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Flexible Cables and Cords

PVC Insulated and Sheathed Flexible Cords H05VV-F*

70°C 300/500 V 318*Y



Application

For external supply connection of portable appliances for medium duties in domestic or office environments.
* denotes number of cores.

Specifications

- In accordance with BS EN 50525-2-11 and Cenelec code H05VV-F
- **Conductors:** Flexible Class 5 conductors to BS EN 60228
- **Insulation:** PVC insulation Type TI.2 to BS EN 50363-3
- **Core Identification:**
 - 2 core - blue, brown
 - 3 core - green/yellow, blue, brown
 - 4 core - green/yellow, brown, black, grey
 - 5 core - green/yellow, brown, black, grey, blue
- **Sheath:** PVC sheath Type TM.2 to BS EN 50363-4-1 (black or white)
- Flame retardant to BS EN 60332-1-2
- **Temperature Rating:** 70°C maximum conductor operating temperature
- **Voltage Rating:** 300/500 V

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Anixter Number	Cenelec Code	Nominal Conductor Area	Nominal Conductor Stranding	Insulation Thickness	Minimum O/D	Maximum O/D	Approximate Cable Weight
		mm ²	#/mm	mm	mm	mm	kg/km
Twin Core Type 3182Y							
3182Y-0007-##	H05W-F2	0.75	24/0.20	0.6	5.7	7.2	63
3182Y-0010-##	H05W-F2	1.0	32/0.20	0.6	5.9	7.5	73
3182Y-0012*-##	-	1.25	40/0.20	0.7	6.3	8.0	84
3182Y-0015-##	H05W-F2	1.5	30/0.25	0.7	6.8	8.6	95
3182Y-0025-##	H05W-F2	2.5	50/0.25	0.8	8.4	10.6	145
3182Y-0040-##	H05W-F2	4.0	56/0.30	0.8	9.7	12.1	200
Three Core Type 3183Y							
3183Y-0007-##	H05W-F3	0.75	24/0.20	0.6	6.0	7.6	74
3183Y-0010-##	H05W-F3	1.0	32/0.20	0.6	6.3	8.0	86
3183Y-0012*-##	-	1.25	40/0.20	0.7	6.9	8.7	104
3183Y-0015-##	H05W-F3	1.5	30/0.25	0.7	7.4	9.4	120
3183Y-0025-##	H05W-F3	2.5	50/0.25	0.8	9.2	11.4	180
3183Y-0040-##	H05W-F3	4.0	56/0.30	0.8	10.5	13.1	250
Four Core Type 3184Y							
3184Y-0007-##	H05W-F4	0.75	24/0.20	0.6	6.6	8.3	78
3184Y-0010-##	H05W-F4	1.0	32/0.20	0.6	7.1	9.0	110
3184Y-0015-##	H05W-F4	1.5	30/0.25	0.7	8.4	10.5	150
3184Y-0025-##	H05W-F4	2.5	50/0.25	0.8	10.1	12.5	220
3184Y-0040-##	H05W-F4	4.0	56/0.30	0.8	11.5	14.3	305
Five Core Type 3185Y							
3185Y-0007-##	H05W-F5	0.75	24/0.20	0.6	7.4	9.3	98
3185Y-0010-##	H05W-F5	1.0	32/0.20	0.6	7.8	9.8	118
3185Y-0015-##	H05W-F5	1.5	30/0.25	0.7	9.3	11.6	180
3185Y-0025-##	H05W-F5	2.5	50/0.25	0.8	11.2	13.9	265
3185Y-0040-##	H05W-F5	4.0	56/0.30	0.8	13.0	16.1	380

= sheath colour, -01 = white, -02 = black.

Other colours available upon request.

* Not a harmonised type (National Type).

For further technical information see page 2:44.

Arctic grades also available. Details upon request.

Technical Specifications for Flexible Cords

Applicable to: 2491X, 218*Y, 318*Y, 309*Y, 318*B, 318*P, 318*TQ, 398*P
H05V-K, H03V-F, H05VV-F, H05V2V2-F, H05Z1Z1-F, H05RN-F, H05BN4-F, H07RN-F

CORRECTION FACTOR FOR AMBIENT TEMPERATURE

60°C rubber and PVC cords:

Ambient air temp °C	35	40	45	50	55
Rating factor	0.91	0.82	0.71	0.58	0.41

90°C rubber cords having a HOFR sheath or a heat-resisting PVC sheath and for 90°C heat-resisting PVC cords:

Ambient air temp °C	35 - 50	55	60	65	70
Rating factor	1.0	0.96	0.83	0.67	0.47

180°C rubber cords:

Ambient air temp °C	35 - 150	155	160	165	170	175
Rating factor	1.0	0.92	0.82	0.71	0.57	0.40

For cables where four or more cores or loaded, the following factors should be applied:

No. of cores loaded	4	5	6	7	10	12	14	19	24
Rating factor	0.78	0.72	0.67	0.63	0.56	0.53	0.51	0.45	0.42
No. of cores loaded	27	30	37	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rating factor	0.40	0.39	0.36	-	-	-	-	-	-

These factors need not be applied if the number of cores loaded does not exceed the square root of the total number of cores in the cable.

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H05V-K, H03VV-F, H05VV-F, H05V2V2-F, H05Z1Z1-F, H05RN-F, H05BN4-F, H07RN-F

CURRENT CARRYING CAPACITY (Amperes):

Conductor Cross Sectional Area 1	Current Carrying Capacity	
	Single Phase a.c. 2	Three Phase a.c. 3
mm ²	A	A
0.5	3	3
0.75	6	6
1	10	10
1.25	13	-
1.5	16	16
2.5	25	20
4	32	25

VOLTAGE DROP (per Ampere per metre):

Conductor operating temperature: 60°C*

Conductor Cross Sectional Area 1	d.c. or Single Phase a.c. 2	Three Phase a.c. 3
mm ²	mV	mV
0.5	93	80
0.75	62	54
1	46	40
1.25	37	-
1.5	32	27
2.5	19	16
4	12	10

*NOTE: The tabulated values above are for 60°C rubber insulated and PVC-insulated flexible cords and for other types of flexible cords they are to be multiplied by the following factors:

For 90°C rubber or PVC insulated 1.09.

180°C rubber insulated 1.31.

GUIDE TO MINIMUM BENDING RADII ON FLEXIBLE CORDS AND CABLES

Cable Type	Cable Diameter (mm)			
	$\leq 8 \leq$	$> 8 \leq 12$	$> 12 \leq 20$	> 20
	M.B.R. (Minimum Bending Radius)			
Flexible Cable Thermoplastic (e.g. PVC)				
Fixed installation	3D	3D	4D	4D
Free movement*	5D	5D	6D	6D
Flexible Cable Elastomeric (e.g. rubber)				
Fixed installation	3D	3D	4D	4D
Free movement*	4D	4D	5D	6D

Where D = cable diameter.

The above values are based on recommendations given in BS7540 "Use of cables with a rated voltage not exceeding 450/750 V".

*These values do not apply to cables used on festoon, reeling drum, cranes, robotics, etc., where repetitive flexing and/or twisting is anticipated.

For further details refer to BS7540.