UNDERGROUND SERVICE CABLES

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B-22-03	1 – 1	SECONDAR	RY USC-75 VOLT	AGE DROP			Α	-
B-22-05	1 – 2	SECONDAF	RY CONDUCTOR	SELECTION			в	-
B-22-10	1 – 1	SINGLE PH	ASE SECONDAR	Y VOLTAGE DRO	OPS AT 4% FOR RUD	ONLY	Α	-
B-22-11	1 – 1	SECONDAF	RY M-302 CABLE	AMPACITIES			0	-
B-22-15	1 – 3	OILFIELD S	ECONDARY MO	TOR STARTS			0	-
B-22-16	1 – 1	VOLTAGE I	DROP (1%) CHAR	RT 240V SINGLE F	PHASE		0	-
B-22-17	1 – 1	VOLTAGE I	DROP (1%) CHAR	RT 480V SINGLE F	PHASE		0	-
B-22-18	1 – 1	VOLTAGE I	DROP (1%) CHAR	RT 208V THREE P	HASE		0	-
B-22-19	1 – 1	VOLTAGE I	DROP (1%) CHAR	RT 240V THREE P	HASE		0	-
B-22-20	1 – 1	VOLTAGE I	DROP (1%) CHAR	RT 480V THREE P	HASE		0	-
B-22-21	1 – 1	VOLTAGE I	DROP (1%) CHAR	RT 600V THREE P	HASE		0	-
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DISTANCE FOR NEW % VD = (DISTANCE FOR 1% VD) × (NEW % VD)

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EXAMPLES

EXAMPLE #1

120/240V 1ph 3W SERVICE USING 1/0 AL, 24kV.A LOAD. WHAT MAXIMUM DISTANCE CAN THE RUN BE IF 3.5% VOLTAGE DROP IS ACCEPTABLE?

SOLUTION: USING DRAWING B-22-16 MOVE ALONG THE HORIZONTAL AXIS FINDING 100A (24kV.A). MOVE UP THE CURVE FOR THE 1/0 AL. READ TO THE LEFT TO FIND 18.5 METRES FOR 1% VD.

DISTANCE FOR 3.5% VD = $(18.5M) \times (3.5) = 65M$

A 65 METRE RUN WOULD RESULT IN A 3.5% LINE TO LINE VOLTAGE DROP.

EXAMPLE #2

120/240V 1ph 3W SERVICE USING 1/0 AL, 25 METRES LONG. WHAT MAXIMUM DISTANCE CAN THE RUN BE IF 3.5% VOLTAGE DROP IS ACCEPTABLE?

SOLUTION: USING DRAWING B-22-16 MOVE ALONG THE VERTICAL

AXIS FINDING 25 METRES. MOVE HORIZONTALLY TO INTERCEPT THE CURVE FOR 1/0 AL. READ DOWN TO FIND 75A LOAD FOR 1% VD.

LOAD FOR 3.5% VD = $(75A) \times (3.5) = 263A$

NOTE THAT 263A IS BEYOND THE CURRENT RATING OF 1/0 AL AS SHOWN BY THE VERTICAL LINE AT 235A. THEREFORE THE ANSWER IN THE THIS CASE IS 235A LIMITED BY THE THERMAL LIMIT, NOT VOLTAGE DROP.

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VOLTAGE DROP TABLE FOR USC-75 UNDERGROUND CABLE

		VOLTAGE DROP (VOLTS) PER 1000A.m						
	SINGLE PHASE LINE TO NEUTRAL OR LINE TO LINE			THREE PHASE LINE TO LINE				
CABLE	80% P.F.	90% P.F.	100% P.F.	80% P.F.	90% P.F.	100% P.F.		
#4 AL	2.9584	3.2634	3.4946					
#2 AL	1.8117	1.9846	2.0966	1.5780	1.7252	1.8157		
1/0 AL	1.1815	1.2785	1.3180	1.0322	1.1138	1.1414		
4/0 AL	0.6462	0.6794	0.6584	0.7982	0.5949	0.5702		
350 AL	0.4325	0.4415	0.3992	0.3847	0.3897	0.3457		
500 AL	0.3346	0.3325	0.2804	0.2988	0.2945	0.2428		

SOURCE: CANADA WIRE AND CABLE

TO DETERMINE VOLTAGE DROP, TAKE THE CIRCUIT LENGTH (IN METRES), MULTIPLY IT BY THE EXPECTED MAXIMUM CURRENT (IN AMPERES), DIVIDE BY 1000, THEN MULTIPLY THIS BY THE APPROPRIATE FACTOR IN THE ABOVE TABLE. THE RESULT WILL BE THE EXPECTED VOLTAGE DROP (IN VOLTS). TO DETERMINE THE % VOLTAGE DROP, DIVIDE THE VOLTAGE DROP BY THE APPROPRIATE VOLTAGE. (SEE EXAMPLES)

THIS TABLE IS BASED ON ALUMINUM CONDUCTOR IMPEDANCES AT A TEMPERATURE OF 75 DEG. C.

EXAMPLES

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1. 120/240V RESIDENTIAL SERVICE, 100 AMP MAIN, 50M OF 1/0 AL 1 PH WHAT IS THE % VOLTAGE DROP FOR 240V?

ASSUME 90% P.F. FOR RESIDENTIAL SERVICES. THEREFORE 100 x 50/1000 = 5.0 FROM THE TABLE FOR SINGLE PHASE 1/0 AL 90% P.F., THE FACTOR IS 1.2785. THE VOLTAGE DROP = $5.0 \times 1.2785 = 6.4$ VOLTS. THE PERCENT VOLTAGE DROP = 6.4V/240V = 2.7%

2. 347/600V THREE PHASE COMMERCIAL SERVICE, EXPECTED PEAK CURRENT 300 AMP, 80% P.F., BALANCED LOAD, 75M OF 500 KCMIL AL 3PH. WHAT IS % VOLTAGE DROP FOR 600V?

 $300 \times 75/1000 = 22.5$. FROM TABLE FOR THREE PHASE 500 KCMIL AL 80% P.F. THE FACTOR IS 0.2988. THE VOLTAGE DROP = $22.5 \times 0.2988 = 6.7$ VOLTS (LINE TO LINE). THE PERCENTAGE VOLTAGE DROP = 6.7V/600V = 1.1%.

3. 347/600 V THREE PHASE TRANSFORMER SUPPLYING A 347 V SINGLE PHASE (LINE TO NEUTRAL) LOAD, EXPECTED CURRENT 200 AMP AT 100% P.F., 200M OF 350KCMIL AL 1PH. WHAT IS % VOLTAGE DROP?

200 x 200/1000 = 40. FROM THE TABLE FOR SINGLE PHASE 350 KCMIL AL AT 100% P.F., THE FACTOR IS 0.3992. THE VOLTAGE DROP IS 40 x 0.3992 = 16 VOLTS (LINE TO NEUTRAL). THE PERCENTAGE VOLTAGE DROP IS 6.7V/347V = 4.6%

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MAXIMUM UNDERGROUND SERVICE DISTANCE

SINGLE PHASE SERVICE								
ENTRANCE SIZE	WIRE SIZE	AMPACITY (A)	120/240V (m)	240/480V (m)				
	#2 AL	150	60	121				
	1/0 AL	200	94	188				
100A	4/0 AL	305	177	353				
	350 MCM *	420	272	543				
	500 MCM *	520	361	722				
	1/0 AL	200	47	94				
200 4	4/0 AL	305	88	176				
200A	350 MCM *	420	136	271				
	500 MCM *	520	181	361				
	350 MCM	420	68	136				
400A	2 x 4/0 AL	488	88	176				
	500 MCM	520	90	180				
600 4	2 x 350 MCM	672	91	181				
AUUO	2 x 500 MCM	832	120	241				
800 A	2 x 500 MCM	832	90	180				
8008	3 x 500 MCM	1092	135	271				

THREE PHASE SERVICE

ENTRANCE SIZE	WIRE SIZE	AMPACITY (A)	120/208V (m)	277/480V (m)	347/600V (m)
	#2 AL	135	60	139	174
	1/0 AL	180	96	216	269
100A	4/0 AL	265	175	403	504
	350 MCM	365	267	616	770
	500 MCM	445	353	815	1019
	4/0 AL	265	87	202	252
200A	350 MCM	365	133	308	385
	500 MCM	445	177	408	509
400A	500 MCM	445	88	204	255
600 4	2 x 350 MCM	584	89	205	257
600A	2 x 500 MCM	712	118	272	340
800A	3 x 500 MCM	935	132	306	382
640A (SEE NOTE 3)	2 x 500 MCM	712	110	255	318

BOTH TABLES BASED ON:

5% VOLTAGE DROP, 75°C MAXIMUM CONDUCTOR TEMPERATURE, CABLES TOUCHING, BALANCED LOAD, DEPTH OF BURIAL 0.6m. SOIL THERMAL RESISTIVITY 90°C-cm/W. DIRECT BURIED. 100% LF (LOAD FACTOR) BASED ON 8 TO 24 HOUR CONTINUOUS LOAD, 90% POWER FACTOR, ENTRANCE LOADED TO 100% OF RATED ENTRANCE SIZE. SERVICE DISTANCE IS FROM TRANSFORMER TERMINALS TO CUSTOMER. CONNECTION POINT.

NOTE:

- 1. *- REQUIRES A LARGER SPLITTER ON CUSTOMERS ENTRANCE.
- 2. FOR OIL FIELD INSTALLATIONS, OR OTHER CABLE COMBINATIONS, CONTACT DISTRIBUTION ENGINEERING.
- 3. WHERE CABLE AMPACITY IS LESS THAN THE ENTRANCE SIZE, THE BREAKER SHALL BE SIZED AT OR BELOW THE ALLOWABLE CABLE AMPACITY TO AVOID DAMAGING THE CABLES. (FOR EXAMPLE: AN 800A SERVICE ENTRANCE WITH AN 80% RATED BREAKER HAS A TRIP SETTING OF 640A. IN THIS SCENARIO, 2 RUNS OF 500MCM MAY BE CHOSEN.)

FOR EASE OF CALCULATIONS, THE ENTRANCE SIZE AMPACITY IS USED TO DETERMINE THE MINIMUM CONDUCTOR SIZE AND MAXIMUM RUN LENGTHS IN THE TABLES, WHICH WOULD BE WORST CASE. WHERE POSSIBLE, THE CONDUCTOR SIZES LISTED IN THE TABLES SHALL BE USED. 4. FOR CABLE AMPACITIES IN DUCT, REFER TO B-22-11.

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UNDERGROUND SECONDARY CONDUCTOR SELECTION

DESCRIPTION

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	600V SERVICE EN	TRANCE CONCEN	ITRIC NEUTRAL	OVERALL JACKET		
	1 x #8 Cu - 1 x 2 x #2 Cu - 1 x 2 x 1/0 AL - 1 2 x 1/0 Cu - 1 2 x 1/0 Cu - 1	#8 Cu NEUTRA #4 Cu NEUTRA x #4 Cu NEUTR x #4 Cu NEUTR x #4 Cu NEUTR	L L AL AL		2-92-78 2-92-86 2-92-87 2-92-93	
	600V TWU SINGLE	CONDUCTOR				
	#6 CU #4 CU #2 CU 1/0 CU 3/0 CU 4/0 CU				2-95-XX 2-95-XX 2-95-XX 2-96-XX 2-96-39 2-96-41	
	600V SINGLE CON	IDUCTOR WITH P	VC JACKET			
	350 kcmil AL (US 500 kcmil AL (US	SE WITH 2-96-4 SE WITH 2-96-4	H6 FOR 3Ø) H8 FOR 3Ø)		2-93-35 2-93-50	
	600V TRIPLEX CA	BLE				
	2 x 4/0 AL – 1 2 x 350 kcmil AL 2 x 500 kcmil AL	x 2/0 AL 1 x 3/0 AL 1 x 4/0 AL			2-96-44 2-96-46 2-96-48	
	1000 V XLPE Cu	CONCENTRIC NE	UTRAL PVC JAC	<ΕT		
	3 x 1/0 AL 2 x 3/0 AL 3 x 3/0 AL 2 x 500 kcmil AL 3 x 500 kcmil AL	-			2-92-79 2-92-80 2-92-81 2-92-82 2-92-83	
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SECONDARY USC-75 CONDUCTOR SELECTION

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ALL SECONDARY CONDUCTORS NOW IN USE ARE TO BE ELECTRIC UTILITY GRADE USC-75 CABLES WHICH ARE 600 VOLT, COMPACT ALUMINUM CONDUCTORS, RATED 75 DEGREE C, WITH FULL SIZE NEUTRALS.

INSULATION IS POLYETHYLENE (PE), CROSS-LINKED PLOYETHYLENE (XLPE), OR ETHYLENE RUBBER (EP), WITH A JACKET OF POLYVINYL CHLORIDE (PVC) OVER EACH INDIVIDUALLY INSULATED CONDUCTOR.

THE JACKETS ARE COLOURED WHITE, BLACK, RED, AND BLUE IN THIS SEQUENCE DEPENDING WHETHER IT IS A 2, 3, OR 4 CONDUCTOR CABLE ASSEMBLY.

APPLICATION	DESCRIPTION	CODE
STREET LIGHTS	2 × #4	2-94-51
RESIDENTIAL &	3 x 1/0	2-94-64
FARM SERVICES	3 x 4/0	2-94-66
OILFIELD SERVICES	3 x #2	2-94-62
	3 x 1/0	2-94-64
	3 x 4/0	2-94-66
	4 × #2	2-94-82
	4 x 1/0	2-94-84
	4 x 4/0	2-94-86
	3 x 4/0	2-94-66
(INCLUDES GENERAL & LONG SERVICES)	3 x 350 kcmil	2-94-67
	3 x 500 kcmil	2-94-68
	4 x 4/0	2-94-86
	4 x 350 kcmil	2-94-87
	4 x 500 kcmil	2-94-88

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MAXIMUM SECONDARY CABLE LENGTHS



SECONDARY M-302 CABLE AMPACITIES							
CONDUCTOR		DIRECT BURIE	⊃** (10°C Am	bient)	DUCT BURIED)** (10°	C Ambient)
CODE	DESCRIPTION	Residential	Comm 100% I	ercial	Residential	1(Commercial
2-94-51	2 x #4		100 /0 L	5			
2-94-62	3 x #2	175	1:	50	140		130
2-94-64	3 x 1/0	235	20	0	185		175
2-94-66	3 x 4/0	360	30	5	285		270
2-94-67	3 x 350	510	42	20	415		380
2-94-68	3 x 500	640	52	20	500		435
2-94-82	4 x #2	160	13	5	110		105
2-94-84	4 x 1/0	210	18	0	150		145
2-94-86	4 x 4/0	320	26	5	230		220
2-94-87	4 x 350	450	36	5	335		315
2-94-88	4 x 500	555	44	5	440		410
CONDUCTOR		DUCT IN AIR	(30°C Ambie	nt)	DUCT IN AIR*	** (40°	C Ambient)
CODE	DESCRIPTION		Comm 100% I	ercial F Amps		1(Commercial
2-94-51	2 x #4		-	- -			
2-94-62	3 x #2		11	0			95
2-94-64	3 x 1/0		14	5			130
2-94-66	3 x 4/0		22	25			200
2-94-67	3 x 350		32	20			280
2-94-68	3 x 500		40	5			355
2-94-82	4 x #2		8	5			75
2-94-84	4 x 1/0		11	5*			100*
2-94-86	4 x 4/0		17	5*			155*
2-94-87	4 x 350		25	5*			225*
2-94-88	4 x 500		32	0*			280*
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