

## SPECIFICATION FOR ALUMINUM 4-CORE PVC INSULATED, STEELWIRE ARMOURED CABLE

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appropriate and the smallest of the measured values shall not fall below the nominal value by more than ( 20%+0.2mm ).

#### 4.2.6. Armour

#### 4.2.6.1 General

Armour for the four core cable shall comprise a single layer of circular galvanized steel wires. The armour wires shall be applied helically with a left hand lay and shall fully comply with the requirements of BS 6346 and IEC 60502-1.

### 4.2.6.2 Wire diameter

The nominal diameter of the wires shall be as specified in clause 4.3 table 1.

### 4.2.6.3 Electrical Resistance

When measured and corrected to 20° C, the electrical resistance of the armour of the completed cable shall not exceed the appropriate value given in clause 4.3 table 1.

# 4.2.7. Outer Sheath

## 4.2.7.1 **General**

The outer sheath of the cable shall comprise an extruded layer of BLACK PVC in accordance with the requirements of BS 6346. The PVC shall be of type ST1 with maximum conductor temperatures in normal operations of 80°C as per the requirements of IEC 60502-1.

# 4.2.7.2 Thickness

The average thickness of the outer sheath, when determined in accordance with IEC 60811-1-1, shall be not less than the nominal value given in table 1 of clause 4.3 as appropriate and the smallest of the measured values shall not fall below the nominal value by more than (20%+0.2mm).

## 4.2.7.3 Marking

The external surface of the cable shall be legibly embossed with the following information on two lines running parallel to the length of the cable, approximately equally spaced around the circumference of the cable.

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