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Introduction

The EN 50264 series covers cables, based upon halogen free materials, for use in railway rolling stock. It is divided into 5 parts under the generic title "*Railway applications - Railway rolling stock power and control cables having special fire performance*".

- Part 1 General requirements
- Part 2-1 Cables with crosslinked elastomeric insulation – Single core cables
- Part 2-2 Cables with crosslinked elastomeric insulation – Multicore cables
- Part 3-1 Cables with crosslinked elastomeric insulation with reduced dimensions – Single core cables
- Part 3-2 Cables with crosslinked elastomeric insulation with reduced dimensions – Multicore cables

Information regarding selection and installation of cables, including current ratings can be found in EN 50355 and EN 50343. The procedure for selection of cable cross-sectional area, including reduction factors for ambient temperature and installation type, is described in EN 50343.

Special test methods referred to in EN 50264 are given in EN 50305.

Part 1, "General requirements", contains a more extensive introduction to EN 50264, and should be read in conjunction with this Part 3-2.

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1 Scope

EN 50264-3-2 specifies requirements for, and constructions and dimensions of, multicore cables of the following types and voltage ratings:

- 300/500 V screened or unscreened (1 mm^2 , $1,5 \text{ mm}^2$ and $2,5 \text{ mm}^2$, number of cores from 2 to 40);
- 0,6/1 kV screened or unscreened, ($1,5 \text{ mm}^2$ to 50 mm^2 , 2, 3 and 4 cores).

NOTE Not all conductor sizes or number of cores are specified for every type.

All cables have class 5 tinned copper conductors to EN 60228, halogen-free insulation and halogen-free sheath. They are for use in railway rolling stock as fixed wiring, or wiring where limited flexing in operation is encountered. The requirements provide for a continuous conductor temperature not exceeding 90°C and a maximum temperature for short circuit conditions of 200°C based on a duration of 5 s.

Under fire conditions the cables exhibit special performance characteristics in respect of maximum permissible flame propagation (flame spread) and maximum permissible emission of smoke and toxic gases.

EN 50264-3-2 should be read in conjunction with Part 1 “*General requirements*”.

2 Normative references

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The following referenced documents are indispensable for the application of this document. For dated references, only the edition cited applies. For undated references, the latest edition of the referenced document (including any amendments) applies.

EN 10002-1	SIST EN 50264-3-2:2008 https://standards.iteharcatalog.standards.iitc.itch.ai/800460cc-2e69-4a73-8324-d0ebd0626c06/sist-en-50264-3-2-2008
EN 50264-1:2008	Railway applications – Railway rolling stock power and control cables having special fire performance – Part 1: General requirements
EN 50266-2-4	Common test methods for cables under fire conditions – Test for vertical flame spread of vertically-mounted bunched wires or cables – Part 2-4: Procedures – Category C
EN 50266-2-5	Common test methods for cables under fire conditions – Test for vertical flame spread of vertically-mounted bunched wires or cables – Part 2-5: Procedures – Small cables – Category D
EN 50305:2002	Railway applications – Railway rolling stock cables having special fire performance – Test methods
EN 50334	Marking by inscription for the identification of cores of electric cables
EN 60228	Conductors of insulated cables (IEC 60228)
EN 60332-1-2	Tests on electric and optical fibre cables under fire conditions – Part 1-2: Test for vertical flame propagation for a single insulated wire or cable – Procedure for 1 kW pre-mixed flame (IEC 60332-1-2)

EN 60811-1-1:1995	Insulating and sheathing materials of electric and optical cables – Common test methods – Part 1-1: General application – Measurement of thickness and overall dimensions – Tests for determining the mechanical properties (IEC 60811-1-1:1993)
EN 60811-1-2:1995	Insulating and sheathing materials of electric cables – Common test methods – Part 1-2: General application – Thermal ageing methods (IEC 60811-1-2:1985 + A1:1989 + corr. May 1986)
EN 60811-1-3:1995	Insulating and sheathing materials of electric and optical cables – Common test methods – Part 1-3: General application – Methods for determining the density – Water absorption tests – Shrinkage test (IEC 60811-1-3:1993)
EN 60811-1-4:1995	Insulating and sheathing materials of electric and optical cables – Common test methods – Part 1-4: General application – Tests at low temperature (IEC 60811-1-4:1985 + A1:1993 + corr. May 1986)
EN 60811-2-1:1998	Insulating and sheathing materials of electric and optical cables – Common test methods – Part 2-1: Methods specific to elastomeric compounds – Ozone resistance, hot set and mineral oil immersion tests (IEC 60811-2-1:1998)
EN 61034-2	Measurement of smoke density of cables burning under defined conditions – Part 2: Procedure and requirements (IEC 61034-2)

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3 Definitions

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For the purposes of this document, the terms and definitions given in EN 50264-1 apply.

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4 Rated voltage

The rated voltage for multicore cables shall be as follows:

- a) 300/500 V (1 mm² to 2,5 mm²) control cables;
- b) 0,6/1 kV (1,5 mm² to 50 mm²) power cables.

5 Marking and identification

5.1 Marking of cable

Cables shall be marked with the following:

- manufacturer's name;
- EN reference;
- voltage rating (U_0);
- number of cores and conductor size;
- a code designation according to Annex A.

If a cable is screened, an additional letter, S, shall be added.

An example of a complete mark is:

XYZ EN 50264-3-2 300 V 37 x 1,5 FF S

The marking shall conform to the requirements of EN 50264-1, Clause 5.

5.2 Core identification

The cores of all cables, except the earthing conductor, shall be black unless otherwise specified.

The identification of the individual core in a cable, except the earthing conductor, shall be by printed number or colour. The number shall be printed in a colour, which contrasts with the core colour. If a colour other than black is specified it shall be a clearly identifiable colour in accordance with HD 308 and shall be durable. The colour shall be throughout the whole of the insulation or on its surface. Durability shall be checked by the test given in EN 50305, 10.1.

The marking by numbers shall conform to EN 50334, unless otherwise specified, and conformity shall be checked by visual examination and measurement.

5.3 Sheath

The sheath shall be black unless otherwise agreed between the manufacturer and purchaser.

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Cores complying with this part or EN 50264-3-1 may be used as components of multicore cables
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The control cable dimensions shall be as given in Tables 1 or 2 as appropriate to the cable type.

The power cable core dimensions shall be as given in Table 3 and the other cable dimensions as given in Tables 4 to 9 as appropriate to the cable type.

If agreed between the purchaser and manufacturer, cables may be made with a number of cores not specified in Tables 1 and 2. In such cases the thickness of the sheath and diameter of the braid wire (if any) shall be those specified in the relevant table for the cable containing the next higher number of cores.

6.2 Conductor

Conductors shall be tin-coated annealed copper, class 5, according to EN 60228.

When tested in accordance with EN 10002-1 the minimum average elongation of the wires from the conductor shall be 15 %, with a minimum value of 10 % for any individual wire.

NOTE It is not necessary to test all individual wires. 5 % of wires or 10 wires, whichever is the least number, should be selected at random.

6.3 Insulation system

The insulation shall be one or more extruded materials as defined in EN 50264-1 applied so as to meet the requirements of compound type EI 106 to EI 110:

- EI 106 low temperature resistant, oil resistant;
- EI 107 extra low temperature resistant, oil resistant;
- EI 108 low temperature resistant, extra oil and fuel resistant;
- EI 109 extra low temperature resistant, extra oil and fuel resistant;
- EI 110 extra low temperature resistant, non oil resistant.

To claim extra low temperature performance both insulation and sheaths shall be extra low temperature resistant.

The insulation shall be applied to meet the requirements of EN 50264-1, 6.2.

The insulation thickness shall conform to the specified value given in Tables 1 to 3.

6.4 Laying up of cores and fillers

The cores shall be twisted together with either a continuous right or left-hand direction of lay.

The pitch or lay for primary cores shall not be greater than 20 times the diameter of the bunch of cores in the cable.

NOTE Non-hygroscopic fillers may be applied as given in EN 50264-1, 6.3. A synthetic binder tape may be used over the laid-up assembly at the manufacturer's discretion.

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6.5 Metallic screen

Where screens are applied over cores a tape shall be used between cores and screens. The metallic screening braid shall meet the requirements of EN 50264-1, 6.4.

6.6 Sheath

Sheath shall be an extruded material as defined in EN 50264-1 applied so as to meet the requirements of compound type EM 101 to EM 104:

- EM 101 low temperature resistant, oil resistant;
- EM 102 extra low temperature resistant, oil resistant;
- EM 103 low temperature resistant, extra oil and fuel resistant;
- EM 104 extra low temperature resistant, extra oil and fuel resistant.

The sheath shall consist of one or more extruded layers of the same type.

The sheath shall be applied to meet the requirements of EN 50264-1, 6.6.

The sheath thickness shall conform to the specified value given in Tables 1, 2 and 4 to 9.

6.7 Construction

Power and control cables of all types shall be composed of the following components in the order given:

- conductor flexible tin coated annealed copper, class 5;
- separator optional;
- insulation a compound or compounds as given in 6.3;
- laying up and fillers as given in 6.4;
- metallic screen (where required) as given in 6.5 and specified in Tables 2, 5, 7, 9;
- separator optional;
- sheath compound as given in 6.6.

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