

nVent ERICO Cu-Bond Round Conductor

Power Utilities

For decades, nVent ERICO has provided the market with high quality copper-bonded ground rods. nVent ERICO has taken that same concept in ground rods and made this into a revolutionary new grounding conductor. The core of the nVent ERICO Cu-Bond Round Conductor is a low carbon steel grade for improved flexibility in the field. The steel core is plated with nickel then electro-plated with a coating of copper. This electro-plating process helps ensure a long-lasting molecular bond between the copper layer and the steel.

The steel core of the conductor provides theft-deterrent benefits, making the conductor difficult to cut with hand tools. With this steel core, nVent ERICO Cu-Bond Round Conductor is a cost-effective alternative to 100% copper conductor. The copper surface of the conductor provides high conductivity and corrosion resistance properties.

Above grade, the unique properties of nVent ERICO Cu-Bond Round Conductor make it ideal for both horizontal and vertical placement. The conductor is well-suited as a lightning protection conductor when applied in accordance with the IEC 62305-3 Edition 2.0 standard.

In the utility industry, the product can be used as a distribution down-lead conductor or as part of a bonding kit for substation fences or equipment ground risers back to the grid. In telecom applications, the product can be used to connect an equipment ground to the ground grid, as a riser (down-lead) for towers, or as a grounding conductor for datacenter mesh bonding. They are also well suited for rail applications such as trackside bonding conductors and stray current conductors, grounding kits for trackside equipment, electrical traction power, as well as in substation, wayside shelters, and communication antenna equipment.

Below grade, nVent ERICO Cu-Bond Round Conductors are ideal as earthing and bonding conductors where copper theft may occur. They may be used as a buried ground grid conductor or electrode for wireless telecom towers, power distribution and transmission grounding in utility substations, large scale ground mount solar farms, petrochemical and mining infrastructure in industrial facilities,



and railway applications. The conductor also can be used as an interconnecting grounding conductor between wind towers or as a grounding grid at the base of a wind tower.

CERTIFICAZIONI



CARATTERISTICHE

Theft-deterrent; steel core is hard to cut with hand tools

Cost-effective; copper bonded to a steel core minimizes the amount of copper in the cable

Superior corrosion resistance; application life of typically 30-40 years in most soil conditions

Copper-bonded coating will not crack or tear when the conductor is bent

High resistance to corrosion and provides a low-resistance path to ground

nVent ERICO Cu-Bond Round Conductor is marked every meter (3.28') for easy measurement in the field

Meets the requirements of IEC® 62305-3 Edition 2 and IEC/EN 62561-2 for lightning protection applications

nVent ERICO Cu-Bond Round Conductors are UL certified to IEC® 62561-2

SPECIFICHE

Table 1/1

Codice a catalogo	Spessore placcatura	Equivalenza capacità di fusione	Codice conduttore nVent ERICO Cadweld	Peso unità	Dettagli della certificazione
CBSC8	254 µm	25 mm ²	T1	39 kg	IEC® 62561-2

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Resistance per unit length measurements made in mΩ/m, CBSC compared with respect to AWG/Metric.

The IEEE® 837 standard (Annex C) provides a method of calculating the fusing current for conductors. This chart is a reference of the calculations for copper-bonded steel conductor according to the IEEE 837 standard. This information is for reference only.

Confronto dimensioni fisiche dei conduttori		
Dimensioni conduttore	Diametro approssimativo	Sezione trasversale
25 mm ²	6,76 mm	-
35 mm ²	7,65 mm	-
CBSC8	8,00 mm	50,27 mm ²
50 mm ²	8,89 mm	-
CBSC10	10,00 mm	78,52 mm ²
70 mm ²	10,69 mm	-
95 mm ²	12,47 mm	-
CBSC13	13,20 mm	138,07 mm ²
CBSC14	14,20 mm	158,90 mm ²
120 mm ²	14,22 mm	-
CBSC16	15,70 mm	199,84 mm ²
150 mm ²	15,75 mm	-
185 mm ²	17,65 mm	-
CBSC18	17,70 mm	243,27 mm ²

Confronto della conduttività				
Codice articolo	AWG (Ω/km)	Resistenza CBSC per Confronto della lunghezza	mm ² (Ω/km)	Resistenza CBSC per Confronto della lunghezza
CBSC18	1/0 AWG	118,52%	50 mm ²	110,82%
	2 AWG	74,54%	35 mm ²	77,57%
CBSC16	2 AWG	102,20%	35 mm ²	106,36%
	4 AWG	64,27%	25 mm ²	75,97%
CBSC14	2 AWG	137,78%	25 mm ²	102,42%
	4 AWG	86,65%	16 mm ²	65,55%
CBSC13	2 AWG	134,46%	25 mm ²	99,95%
	4 AWG	84,56%	16 mm ²	63,97%
CBSC10	4 AWG	132,25%	16 mm ²	100,05%
	6 AWG	83,17%	10 mm ²	62,53%
CBSC8	6 AWG	107,85%	16 mm ²	129,73%
	8 AWG	67,83%	10 mm ²	81,08%

Corrente di fusione I_{rms} (kA) - IEEE® 837 Allegato C							
Tipo di conduttore Legato a rame, nucleo in acciaio, barra filettata		CBSC8	CBSC10	CBSC13	CBSC14	CBSC16	CBSC18
Sezione trasversale del conduttore in mm ²	A	50.265	78.52	138.07	158.903	199.84	243.27
Temperatura iniziale del conduttore in °C	Ta	40	40	40	40	40	40
Durata del flusso di corrente in secondi	tc	2	2	2	2	2	2
Temperatura massima consentita °C	Tm	1084	1084	1084	1084	1084	1084
Coefficiente termico di resistività alla temperatura di riferimento Tr	ar	0.00378	0.00378	0.00378	0.00378	0.00378	0.00378
Resistività del conduttore di terra alla temperatura di riferimento Tr in mΩ-cm	rr	8.621	8.621	8.621	8.621	8.621	8.621
1/a0 oppure (1/ar) – Tr in °C	K0	245	245	245	245	245	245
Fattore di capacità termica in Joules/cm ³ /°C	TCAP	3.846	3.846	3.846	3.846	3.846	3.846
Conducibilità del materiale	%	24.5	20.4	18.8	15.9	16.3	17.7
Calcolo della corrente di fusione	β	84.73	84.73	84.73	84.73	84.73	84.73
	I	4.79	7.48	13.16	15.15	19.05	23.19
	I90%	4.31	6.74	11.84	13.63	17.14	20.87
	I80%	3.83	5.99	10.53	12.12	15.24	18.55

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