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SPECIFICATIONS FOR PARTICULAR TYPES OF WINDING WIRES –

Part 38: Polyester or polyesterimide overcoated with polyamide-imide, enamelled round copper wire, class 200, with a bonding layer

1 Scope

This part of IEC 60317 specifies the requirements of enamelled round copper winding wire of class 200 with a triple coating. The underlying coating is based on polyester or polyesterimide resin, which may be modified providing it retains the chemical identity of the original resin and meets all specified wire requirements. The secondary coating is based on polyamide-imide resin. The third coating is a bonding layer based on a thermoplastic or thermosetting resin.

NOTE A modified resin is a resin that has undergone a chemical change, or contains one or more additives to enhance certain performance or application characteristics.

The range of nominal conductor diameters covered by this part is:

- Grade 1B: 0,050 mm up to and including 1,600 mm;
- Grade 2B: 0,050 mm up to and including 1,600 mm.

The nominal conductor diameters are specified in Clause 4 of IEC 60317-0-1:2013.

2 Normative references

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IEC 60317-0-1¹:2013, *Specifications for particular types of winding wires – Part 0-1: General requirements – Enamelled round copper wire*.
IEC 60317-0-1:2013/AMD1:2019

3 Terms, definitions, general notes and appearance

3.1 Terms and definitions

~~Subclause 3.1 of IEC 60317-0-1:2013 applies.~~

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3.2 General notes

3.2.1 Methods of test

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3.2.2 Winding wire

Class 200 is a thermal class that requires a minimum temperature index of 200 and a heat shock temperature of at least 220 °C.

The temperature in degrees Celsius corresponding to the temperature index is not necessarily that at which it is recommended that the wire be operated and this will depend on many factors, including the type of equipment involved.

3.3 Appearance

Subclause 3.3 of IEC 60317-0-1:2013 applies.

4 Dimensions

Clause 4 of IEC 60317-0-1:2013 applies.

5 Electrical resistance

Clause 5 of IEC 60317-0-1:2013 and IEC 60317-0-1:2013/AMD1:2019 applies.

6 Elongation

Clause 6 of IEC 60317-0-1:2013 applies.

7 Springiness

Clause 7 of IEC 60317-0-1:2013 applies.

8 Flexibility and adherence

Clause 8 of IEC 60317-0-1:2013 applies. For 8.4, the constant K used for the calculation of the number of revolutions for the peel test shall be 110 mm.

9 Heat shock

Clause 9 of IEC 60317-0-1:2013 applies. The minimum heat shock temperature shall be 220 °C.

10 Cut-through

No failure shall occur within 2 min at 320 °C.

11 Resistance to abrasion (nominal conductor diameters from 0,250 mm up to and including 1,600 mm)

The wire shall meet the requirements given in Table 1.

For intermediate nominal conductor diameters, the value of the next larger nominal conductor diameter shall be taken.

Table 1 – Resistance to abrasion

Nominal conductor diameter mm	Grade 1B		Grade 2B	
	Minimum average force to failure N	Minimum force to failure of each measurement N	Minimum average force to failure N	Minimum force to failure of each measurement N
0,250	3,00	2,55	4,90	4,15
0,280	3,25	2,75	5,25	4,45
0,315	3,50	2,95	5,65	4,80
0,355	3,75	3,20	6,05	5,15
0,400	4,05	3,45	6,50	5,50
0,450	4,35	3,70	7,00	5,90
0,500	4,65	3,95	7,50	6,35
0,560	5,00	4,25	8,00	6,80
0,630	5,35	4,55	8,60	7,30
0,710	5,70	4,85	9,20	7,80
0,800	6,10	5,15	9,90	8,40
0,900	6,55	5,55	10,6	9,00
1,000	7,05	5,95	11,3	9,60
1,120	7,60	6,45	12,1	10,2
1,250	8,20	6,95	12,9	11,0
1,400	8,80	7,45	13,9	11,8
1,600	9,45	8,00	14,9	12,6

12 Resistance to solvents

Test inappropriate.

13 Breakdown voltage

Clause 13 of IEC 60317-0-1:2013 applies. The elevated temperature shall be 200 °C.

14 Continuity of insulation

Clause 14 of IEC 60317-0-1:2013 applies.

15 Temperature index

Clause 15 of IEC 60317-0-1:2013 applies. The minimum temperature index shall be 200.

16 Resistance to refrigerants

Test inappropriate.

17 Solderability

Test inappropriate.

18 Heat or solvent bonding

18.1 Heat bonding

18.1.1 Heat bonding strength of a helical coil

18.1.1.1 At room temperature

The specimens shall be prepared according to the test method, and the temperature of the oven for bonding shall be fixed as agreed between purchaser and supplier for the different types of bonding enamels. The suggested temperature for polyamide bonding enamel is $(200 \pm 2)^\circ\text{C}$ and the suggested temperature for aromatic polyamide bonding enamel is $(230 \pm 2)^\circ\text{C}$.

Results: when testing the specimens according to the test method, under the action of load specified in Table 2, no turns (other than possibly the first and the last) shall separate.

18.1.1.2 At elevated temperature

The specimens shall be prepared and shall be conditioned as described in the test method.

The elevated temperature shall be fixed as agreed between purchaser and supplier for the different types of bonding enamels. The suggested temperature for polyamide bonding enamel is $(155 \pm 2)^\circ\text{C}$ and the suggested temperature for aromatic polyamide bonding enamel is $(170 \pm 2)^\circ\text{C}$.

Results: when testing the specimens according to the test method, under the action of load specified in Table 2, no turns (other than possibly the first and the last) shall separate.

Table 2 – Loads

Nominal conductor diameter mm		Load N	
Over	Up to and including	Room temperature	Elevated temperature
—	0,050	^a	^a
0,050	0,071	0,05	0,04
0,071	0,100	0,08	0,06
0,100	0,160	0,12	0,08
0,160	0,200	0,25	0,19
0,200	0,315	0,35	0,25
0,315	0,400	0,70	0,55
0,400	0,500	1,10	0,80
0,500	0,630	1,60	1,20
0,630	0,710	2,20	1,70
0,710	0,800	2,80	2,10
0,800	0,900	3,40	2,60
0,900	1,000	4,20	3,20
1,000	1,120	5,00	3,80
1,120	1,250	5,80	4,40
1,250	1,400	6,50	4,90
1,400	1,600	8,50	6,40

^a For nominal conductor diameters up to and including 0,050 mm, the test method and requirements shall be agreed between purchaser and supplier.

18.1.2 Bond strength on a twisted coil

18.1.2.1 General

This test shall be considered only as a special test and is applicable to the diameter 0,315 mm.

18.1.2.2 At room temperature

When preparing a test sample of diameter 0,315 mm according to the test method, the time shall be 30 s and the current shall be fixed as agreed between purchaser and supplier. The suggested value for polyamide bonding enamel is $(2,7 \pm 0,1)$ A and the suggested value for aromatic polyamide bonding enamel is $(3,0 \pm 0,1)$ A.

Results: when testing the samples according to the test method, under the action of the deflection force of 100 N, the sample shall not break.

18.1.2.3 At elevated temperature

The samples of diameter 0,315 mm shall be prepared according to the test method using the parameters listed in 18.1.2.2 and shall then be conditioned as described in the test method.

The elevated temperature shall be fixed as agreed between purchaser and supplier. The suggested temperature for polyamide bonding enamel is (155 ± 2) °C and the suggested temperature for aromatic polyamide bonding enamel is (170 ± 2) °C.

Results: when testing the samples according to the test method, under the action of the deflection force of 10 N, the sample shall not break.

18.2 Solvent bonding

~~Test required but not yet under consideration.~~

No requirements apply.

19 Dielectric dissipation factor

Test inappropriate.

20 Resistance to transformer oil

Test inappropriate.

21 Loss of mass

Test inappropriate.

23 Pin hole test

Test requirements under consideration.

30 Packaging

Clause 30 of IEC 60317-0-1:2013 applies.

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3.2.2 Winding wire

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3.3 Appearance

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4 Dimensions

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No failure shall occur within 2 min at 320 °C.

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The wire shall meet the requirements given in Table 1.

For intermediate nominal conductor diameters, the value of the next larger nominal conductor diameter shall be taken.

Table 1 – Resistance to abrasion

Nominal conductor diameter	Grade 1B		Grade 2B	
	Minimum average force to failure	Minimum force to failure of each measurement	Minimum average force to failure	Minimum force to failure of each measurement
mm	N	N	N	N
0,250	3,00	2,55	4,90	4,15
0,280	3,25	2,75	5,25	4,45
0,315	3,50	2,95	5,65	4,80
0,355	3,75	3,20	6,05	5,15
0,400	4,05	3,45	6,50	5,50
0,450	4,35	3,70	7,00	5,90
0,500	4,65	3,95	7,50	6,35
0,560	5,00	4,25	8,00	6,80
0,630	5,35	4,55	8,60	7,30
0,710	5,70	4,85	9,20	7,80
0,800	6,10	5,15	9,90	8,40
0,900	6,55	5,55	10,6	9,00
1,000	7,05	5,95	11,3	9,60
1,120	7,60	6,45	12,1	10,2
1,250	8,20	6,95	12,9	11,0
1,400	8,80	7,45	13,9	11,8
1,600	9,45	8,00	14,9	12,6

12 Resistance to solvents

Test inappropriate.

13 Breakdown voltage

Clause 13 of IEC 60317-0-1:2013 applies. The elevated temperature shall be 200 °C.

14 Continuity of insulation

Clause 14 of IEC 60317-0-1:2013 applies.

15 Temperature index

Clause 15 of IEC 60317-0-1:2013 applies. The minimum temperature index shall be 200.