XLPE INSULATED HEAVY DUTY CABLES (50/1100 V.

powers

ISO 9001:2000

IS : 69 4



Product range

- L.T. Pvc & xLPe Power cabLes wiTh coPPer/ aLuminium conducTor (650 / 1100 v. uPTo 4 core x 630 sq. mm., 1 core x 1000 sq. mm.)
- L.T. Pvc & xLPe conTroL cabLes (650 / 1100 v. uPTo 61 core x 1.5 & 2.5 sq. mm.)
- h.T. xLPe cabLes uPTo 19/33 Kv.
- insTrumenTaTion cabLes screened /
 unscreened TyPe in Pvc / LdPe
- ⁺ Thermo-couPLe comPensaTing & exTension cabLes
- frLs / fr / hr / hffr / hofr / rubber / LdPe -Power, conTroL & insTrumenTaTion cabLes
- fLexibLes & housewires (singLe & muLTicore)
- raiLway signaLLing cabLes
- fire survivaL, Zero haLogen cabLes
- TeLePhone cabLes dry & jeLLy fiLLed
- auTomobiLe cabLes & harnesses
- i mining / weLding rubber cabLes
- ePr/siLicone / high TemP. cabLes
- submersibLe cabLes / winding wires
- sTrucTured cabLes / co-axieL cabLes
- aeriaL bunched cabLes
- Lan caT-5/5e cabLes
- oPTicaL fibre cabLes*

(*under development)



Polycab 650/1100 Volts XIPE cablEs

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INTRO DUCTION

POLYCAB has established its name in India and abroad for its quality and commitment to customer satisfaction.

To meet ever increasing demand of POLYCAB cables, POLYCAB has put up a new state of the art manufacturing unit at Daman (U.T.). The manufacturing of XLPE insulated heavy duty cables is by adoptation of latest technology. The XLPE cables are manufactured as per IS-7098 Part-1 & Part-2 and can be manufactured to meet the requirements of any international standards like BS -5467, IEC-60502, DIN etc.

The XLPE compound used is obtained from reputed international sources meeting all required parameters. The cables are manufactured in highly quality conscious environment with testing and inspection done from raw-materials to finished cable stage. The assurance to the quality is further ensured by ISI certification on cables and ISO-9002 certification by UL, USA.

XLPE CabLEs

The XLPE insulated heavy duty cables were introduced worldwide in mid sixties. These cables have overcome the limitations of PVC Insulated Cables, such as thermal degradation, poor moisture resistant and thermoplastic in nature.

The advantages of XLPE Insulated cables in comparision to those of PVC insulated cables are as under :-

(A) teCHnICAL ADVAntAges :

- Higher current rating, higher short Circuit Rating. Approx. 1.2 times that of PVC.
- Thermosetting in nature.
- Higher insulation resistance 1000 times more than PVC cables.
- Better Resistance to surge currents.
- Low Dielectric Losses.
- Better resistance to chemicals and corrosion.
- Longer service life.
- Comparatively higher cable operating temperature 90 C and short circuit temperature 250 C.

(B) CommerCIAL ADVAntAges

- Lower laying cost because of comparatively smaller diameter of cable and lighter weight.*
- Requiring less size of cable trays / supports.
- One size lower cables can be used as compared to PVC insulated cable. **

*Density of XLPE is lower than PVC **For longer cable length voltage drop shall be considered.

sELECTION Of POwER CabLEs

Power cables are generally selected considering the application. However following factors are important for selection of suitable cable construction required to transport electrical energy from one end to the other.

- Maximum operating voltage.
- Insulation level.
- Frequency.
- Load to be carried.
- Possible overloading duration & magnitude.
- Route length and voltage drop.

• Mode of in sulation c onsidering installation e nviron ment such as ambient & ground temperature chemical & physical properties of soil.

- Flame retardant properties.
- Plant safety requirements.

All sizes of POLYCAB XLPE cables are designed to standard operating conditions in India and abroad The standards adopted are considering the geographic / climatic conditions and general applications of power for utilities, distribution and general purposes.

The cables are manufactured conforming to Indian & International specification for X LPE Insulated cables. Customer specific requirements can also be met.

Polycab manufacturers cables. therefore important that while is wide range of it is enquiripsacing orders, *much information as* possible should be furnished, so that the as en ordersand are dealt quickly and efficiently.

PaRamETERs REqUIRED aRE as UNDER

- Voltage Grade 1100 Volts.
- Relevant Indian Standard IS 7098 (Part-1) 1988 or International standard – IEC - 60502 & BS - 5467, DIN.
- Number of cores Single, Two, Three, Three & Half or Four Cores.
- Conductor Size, wherever applicable size of reduced neutral conductor.
- Conductor Material Copper/Aluminium.
- Type of Insulation XLPE.
- Type of Inner Sheathing PVC Wrapped/PVC Extruded.
- Type of Armour Unarmoured/Strip Armoured/Wire Armoured/ Tape Armoured.
- Type of Outer Sheath PVC/Flame Retardant/Flame Retardant Low Smoke/Zero Halogen (LSOH).
- Length of cable required and drum lengths.

TabLE – 1

** Conductor Technical Information for Single Core and Multicore cables conforming to IS-8130/'1984 (Stranded – Class-2) Copper & Aluminium Conductors.

Nominal Minimum no. of wires Max. D.C. Resistance A.C. Resistance at 90 size of at 20 $^{\circ}$ C
Conductor Non Compacted Plain Aluminium Plain Aluminium Compacted Round/Shaped Copper Copper
Sq.mm CU. ALU. CU. ALU. Ohm/Km Ohm/Km Ohm/Km Ohm/Km
1.5 * 3 3 12.1 18.10 15.5 23.17
2.5 * 3 3 7.41 12.10 9.48 15.50
4 * 7 3 4.61 7.41 5.90 9.48
6 * 7 3 3.08 4.61 3.94 5.90
10 * 7 7 6 - 1.83 3.08 2.34 3.94
16 7 7 6 6 1.15 1.91 1.47 2.44
25 7 7 6 6 0.727 1.20 0.930 1.54
35 7 7 6 6 0.524 0.868 0.671 1.11
50 19 19 6 6 0.387 0.641 0.495 0.82
70 19 19 12 12 0.268 0.443 0.343 0.567
95 19 19 15 15 0.193 0.320 0.247 0.410
120 37 37 18 15 0.153 0.253 0.196 0.324
150 37 37 18 15 0.124 0.206 0.159 0.264
185 37 37 30 30 0.0991 0.164 0.127 0.210
240 61 37 34 30 0.0754 0.125 0.0965 0.160
300 61 61 34 30 0.0601 0.100 0.0769 0.128
400 61 61 53 53 0.0470 0.0778 0.0602 0.100
500 61 61 53 53 0.0366 0.0605 0.0468 0.0774
630 91 91 53 53 0.0283 0.0469 0.0362 0.0600
800 91 91 53 53 0.0221 0.0367 0.0283 0.0470
1000 91 91 53 53 0.0176 0.0291 0.0225 0.0372

• C

These sizes can be manufactured with solid conductor having single strand.
 Conductor meeting requirements of IEC-228 and BS 6360 can also be manufactured.

TabLE – 2

Comparative Current Ratings of 650/1100 Volts Multicore heavy duty PVC Insulated Cables & XLPE Insulated Cables. (3, 3.5 & 4 Core Unarmoured / Armoured PVC Sheathed Cables with Aluminium Conductor.

Nominal 3, 3.5 & 4 Core PVC Insulated & Sheathed 3, 3.5 & 4 Core XLPE Insulated & Sheathed Size of Cables as per IS - 1554 (Part-1) 1988 Cables as per IS - 7098 (Part-1) 1988 of cable In Ground In Air Approx Inground In Air Approx Voltage Drop Voltage Drop Sq.mm Amp Amp Mv/amp/mtr Amp Amp Mv/amp/mtr 16 60 51 4.0 73 70 4.20 25 76 70 2.5 94 96 2.70 35 92 86 1.8 113 117 1.90 50 110 105 1.3 133 142 1.40 135 130 0.93 164 179 0.99 70 165 155 0.68 196 221 0.72 95 120 185 180 0.54 223 257 0.58 150 210 205 0.46 249 292 0.48 185 235 240 0.38 282 337 0.39 240 275 280 0.28 326 399 0.31 300 305 315 0.25 367 455 0.26

400 335 375 0.20 420 530 0.21

TabLE – 3

Comparison of Short Circuit Rating for 1 Second duration for * PVC & XLPE Insulated Cables ** with Copper and Aluminium Conductors. (Current in kAmps)

Nominal Size PVC Insulated XLPE Insulated Sq.mm Copper Aluminium Copper Aluminium $1.5 \quad 0.173 \quad - \quad 0.21 \quad 2.5 \quad 0.283 \quad - \quad 0.36 \quad -$ 4 0.46 0.303 0.57 0.38 6 0.690 0.455 0.86 0.57 1.15 0.758 1.40 0.94 10 1.84 1.21 2.30 1.50 16 * PVC Type 'A' Insulation as per IS-5831 '84. 2.88 1.90 3.60 2.40 25 ** PVC Cables as per IS-1554 (Part-1)-1988. 35 4.03 2.65 5.00 3.30 ** XLPE Cables as per IS-7098 (Part-1)-1988. 5.75 3.79 7.10 4.70 50 8.05 5.31 10.00 6.60 70 1) Max. Conductor Temperature during 95 10.90 7.20 13.60 9.00 operation PVC XLPE 70 _° C 90 $_{\circ} C$ 120 13.80 9.10 17.10 11.30 150 17.30 11.40 21.40 14.20 2) Max. Conductor Temperature During 185 21.30 14.02 26.40 17.50 Short circuit. 160 _o C 250 • C 240 27.60 18.20 34.30 22.60 Formula relating Short Circuit Rating with duration 300 34.50 22.80 42.90 28.30 400 46.00 30.40 57.10 37.70 It = I shWhere 500 57.50 38.00 71.40 47.20

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vt It = Short Circuit Rating for t Seconds.

- t = duration in seconds
- Ish = Short Circuit rating for 1 second.

TabLE – 4

CAPACItAnCe

APProXImAte CAPACItAnCe (microfarads/km) 1.1 kV **XLPe**

Three, Three & Nominal Area Single Core of Conductor Unarmoured Armoured Two Core Half and Four Core in sq. mm - 0.051 0.15 1.5 0.19 2.5 0.24 - 0.058 0.18 4 0.29 - 0.065 0.22 6 0.34 - 0.071 0.25 10 0.43 0.32 0.081 0.31 16 0.51 0.38 0.088 0.36 25 0.49 0.38 0.089 0.41 35 0.57 0.44 0.096 0.47 50 0.58 0.46 0.098 0.50 70 0.63 0.51 0.10 0.53 95 0.73 0.59 0.11 0.61 120 0.74 0.61 0.11 0.63 150 0.73 0.61 0.11 0.64 185 0.69 0.59 0.11 0.65 240 0.74 0.64 0.11 0.66 300 0.80 0.69 0.12 0.67 0.70 0.12 0.67 400 0.83 500 0.83 0.71 0.12 0.69 630 0.87 0.75 0.11 0.73 800 0.92 0.78 - -1000 0.94 0.81 - -

TabLE – 5

reACtAnCe

APProXImAte reACtAnCe **50** Hz (ohm/km) 1.1 kV XLPe CABLes. At

Nominal Area Single Core of Conductor Unarmoured Armoured Multi Core in sq. mm 1.5 0.155 - 0.107 2.5 0.142 - 0.0985 4 0.132 - 0.0927 - 0.0884 6 0.123 10 0.114 0.134 0.0837 16 0.108 0.125 0.0808 25 0.103 0.120 0.0805 35 0.0986 0.114 0.0783 50 0.0937 0.108 0.0750 70 0.0900 0.102 0.0740 95 0.0865 0.100 0.0724 120 0.0841 0.0968 0.0712 150 0.0839 0.0941 0.0716 0.0932 0.0718 185 0.0836 0.0900 0.0710 240 0.0813 300 0.0795 0.0881 0.0705 0.0873 0.0704 400 0.0787

CABLes.

500 0.0779 0.0859 0.0702 0.0843 0.0698 630 0.0785 800 0.0755 0.0826 – 1000 0.0752 0.0825 -

CUR RENT Ra TINGs

POLYCab RECOMMENDATIONS FOR CURRENT RATINGS:

The current rating of power cable is defined by the maximum intensity of current (amperes) which can flow continuously through the cable, under permanent loading conditions, without any risk of damaging the cable or deterioration of its electrical properties.

The value given in the tables are valid for one circuit in a three phase system under conditions specified. For grouping cables rating factors must be used.

The current carrying capacities mentioned in **PoLYCAB**technical data are intended as a guide, to assist operating engineers in selecting cables for safety and reliability.

Basic assumptions and conditions of installation :-

- Ambient Ground Temperature : 30° C.
- Ambient Air Temperature : 40° C.
- Depth of cable burial : 750 mm.
- Thermal resistivity of soil : 150° C. Cm/W
- Max. conductor Temperature for Continuous Operation : 90° C.
- Max. Conductor Temperature for Short Circuit : 250° C.

Single core cables are installed as indicated in the table. Spacing between cables in flat formation is as indicated.

For three and four core cables, it is usual to assume the same current carrying capacity for four cores cables as for three core cables. Our calculated values are based actually on three cores cables. These values are suitable with enough accuracy also for four core cables in most cases. Only for large four core cables in air the values may be found to be too conservative, due to the large cable surface and consequent high heat dissipation factor.

To obtain the maximum current carrying capacity of a cable operating at different conditions from the standard. Various rating factors are to be multiplied, as follows :-

 $Ia = K \times Is$ in amperes

Where :

: Current rating at actual operating conditions (amperes) I a

- Is : Current rating at standard operating conditions (amperes)
- : Rating factor as, applicable. Κ

Wires & Cables

Ra TING faCTORs

1) For AIr AnD grounD temPerAture.

variation in ambient Α. rating factors for air temperature Ambient Temp (°C) 25 30 35 40 45 50 Rating Factors 1.14 1.10 1.04 1.00 0.95 0.90 B. factors for variation in ground temperature rating Ground Temp (°C) 15 20 25 30 35 40

Rating Factors 1.12 1.08 1.03 1.00 0.96 0.91

LAYIng (CABLes LAID 2) For DePtH **DIreCt** tHe grounD). oF In Depth of laying Size Above 25 mm 2 Upto 300 mm 2 Cm Upto 25 mm Above 300 mm 2 2 75 1.0 1.00 1.00 90 0.99 0.98 0.97 105 0.98 0.97 0.96 120 0.97 0.96 0.95 150 0.96 0.94 0.92 180 or more 0.95 0.93 0.91

3) For VArIAtIonIn tHermAL resIstIVIt Y oF soIL (t WoAnD tHree AnD muLt ICore CABLes LAID DIreCt In tHe grounD).

Nominal area of Two cables touching for values of Thermal Resistivity of soil in °C conductor mm $_{2}$ cm / W 100 120 150 200 250 300 1.5 1.10 1.05 1.00 0.92 0.86 0.81 2.5 1.10 1.05 1.00 0.92 0.86 0.81 4 1.10 1.05 1.00 0.92 0.86 0.81 $6 \quad 1.10 \quad 1.05 \quad 1.00 \quad 0.92 \quad 0.86 \quad 0.81$ 10 1.10 1.06 1.00 0.92 0.85 0.80 16 1.12 1.06 1.00 0.91 0.84 0.79 25 1.14 1.08 1.00 0.91 0.84 0.78 35 1.15 1.08 1.00 0.91 0.84 0.77 50 1.15 1.08 1.00 0.91 0.84 0.77 70 1.15 1.08 1.00 0.90 0.83 0.76 95 1.15 1.08 1.00 0.90 0.83 0.76 120 1.17 1.09 1.00 0.90 0.82 0.76 150 1.17 1.09 1.00 0.90 0.82 0.75 185 1.18 1.09 1.00 0.89 0.81 0.75

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GR OUP R aTING faC TOR s

fOR sINGLE CORE CabLEs

A) Cables laid direct in the ground in horizontal formation.

 No. of Trefoils in
 Distance between Trefoils

 Group
 Touching
 15 cm
 30 cm
 45 cm

 2
 0.78
 0.81
 0.85
 0.88

 3
 0.68
 0.71
 0.77
 0.81

 4
 0.61
 0.65
 0.72
 0.76

 5
 0.56
 0.61
 0.68
 0.73

B) Cables laid in ducts in horizontal formation.

 No. of Trefoils in
 Distance between Trefoils

 Group
 Touching
 45 cm
 60 cm

 2
 0.87
 0.90
 0.91

 3
 0.79
 0.83
 0.86

 4
 0.74
 0.79
 0.82

 5
 0.71
 0.76
 0.80

with having **C**) Cables laid on racks/ trays in covered trench restricted air circulat two cable diameter horizontally trefoils separated by and the trays are in tiers having are 30 distance. cm

 No. racks / trays
 in
 No. of Trefoils
 in Horizontal Formation

 tiers
 1
 2
 3
 3

 1
 0.95
 0.90
 0.88

 2
 0.90
 0.85
 0.83

 3
 0.88
 0.83
 0.81

 6
 0.86
 0.81
 0.79

D) as above C. but cables lad in open air.

No. racks / trays inNo. of Trefoils in Horizontal Formationtiers12110.980.96210.950.93

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fOR mULTI CORE CabLEs

cables one cable diame **A**) Cables cable trays exposed laid on to air, the spaced by clearanc trays are in tiers spaced 30 the wall and the cable is by cm. the between mm.

No. of cables trays in Distance between Trefoils

tier 1 2 3 6 9

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B) Cables laid inside concrete trench with removable covers on cable trays having tiers spaced circulation. the cables one cable diameter and trays are in spaced by clearance. the the cable from the wall is 25 mm.

 No. of cables trays in
 No. of cables

 tier
 1
 2
 3
 6
 9

 1
 0.95
 0.90
 0.88
 0.85
 0.84

 2
 0.90
 0.85
 0.83
 0.81
 0.80

 3
 0.88
 0.83
 0.81
 0.79
 0.78

 6
 0.86
 0.81
 0.79
 0.77
 0.76

C) Cables laid on cable trays exposed to air, the cable touching and trays are in tiers s
 30 byn. the clearance between the wall and the cable is 25 mm.

 No. of cables trays
 No. of cables per tray

 1
 2
 3
 6
 9

 1
 1
 0.84
 0.80
 0.75
 0.73

 2
 1
 0.80
 0.76
 0.71
 0.69

 3
 1
 0.76
 0.72
 0.68
 0.66

D) Cables laid direct in ground in horizontal formation.

No. of cables in Distance of cables

Group Touching 15 cm 30 cm 45 cm 2 0.79 0.82 0.87 0.90

 3
 0.69
 0.75
 0.79
 0.83

 4
 0.62
 0.69
 0.74
 0.79

5 0.58 0.65 0.72 0.76

6 0.54 0.61 0.69 0.75

e) Cables laid in single way ducts/ pipes in horizontal formation.

No. of cables in Distance of cables

Group Touching 30 cm 45 cm 60 cm

 $2 \quad 0.88 \quad 0.90 \quad 0.92 \quad 0.94$

 $3 \quad 0.82 \quad 0.84 \quad 0.87 \quad 0.89$

4 0.77 0.80 0.84 0.87 5 0.74 0.78 0.82 0.85

6 0.71 0.76 0.81 0.84

HaNDLING sTORaGE aND LaYING OF POLYCab XLPE CabLEs

- A) HAnDLIng 1) The cable with or without drum shall not be thrown or dropped on the ground from the carriers such as trucks or railway wagons, during unloading.
- 2) The cable drum shall be unloaded with the help of cranes or fork lifts or using a proper ramp having inclination 1:3 to 1:4 in order to avoid mechanical damage to the outer layers of cables.
- 3) The cable drums shall be lifted or stored with its flanges always vertical.
- 4) The cable drum shall be rolled in the direction of arrow only, in order to avoid loosening of cable winding. The drum shall not be rolled on rocky, uneven surface and for longer distances, it may damage the drum and cable.
- **B**) **storAge** : 1) The cables shall be stored in dry covered places having concrete / firm surface capable of bearing the load of drum.
- 2) The cable ends shall be sealed properly in order to prevent moisture ingress.
- 3) Antirodent / termite repulsion treatment shall be applied to the site where the drum are stored for very long period of time.
- C) LAYING : 1) Polycab recommends the laying and installation of cables as per IS:1255/84.
- 2) Care shall be taken during laying to avoid sharp bending, and twisting .
- 3) Cable shall be un wound from the drum by lifting the drum on the center shaft supported both ends with suitable jacks / stands.
- 4) Under no circumstances the cable winding shall be lifted off a coil or drum lying flat at the flanges. This would cause serious twist and damages.
- 5) Suitable protection shall be provided to the cables against mechanical damages, it includes covers, pipes etc.
- D) recommended minimum bending radius for 1100 volts heavy duty cables :
 - Single Core $15 \times D$ Where D= Diameter of cable in mm

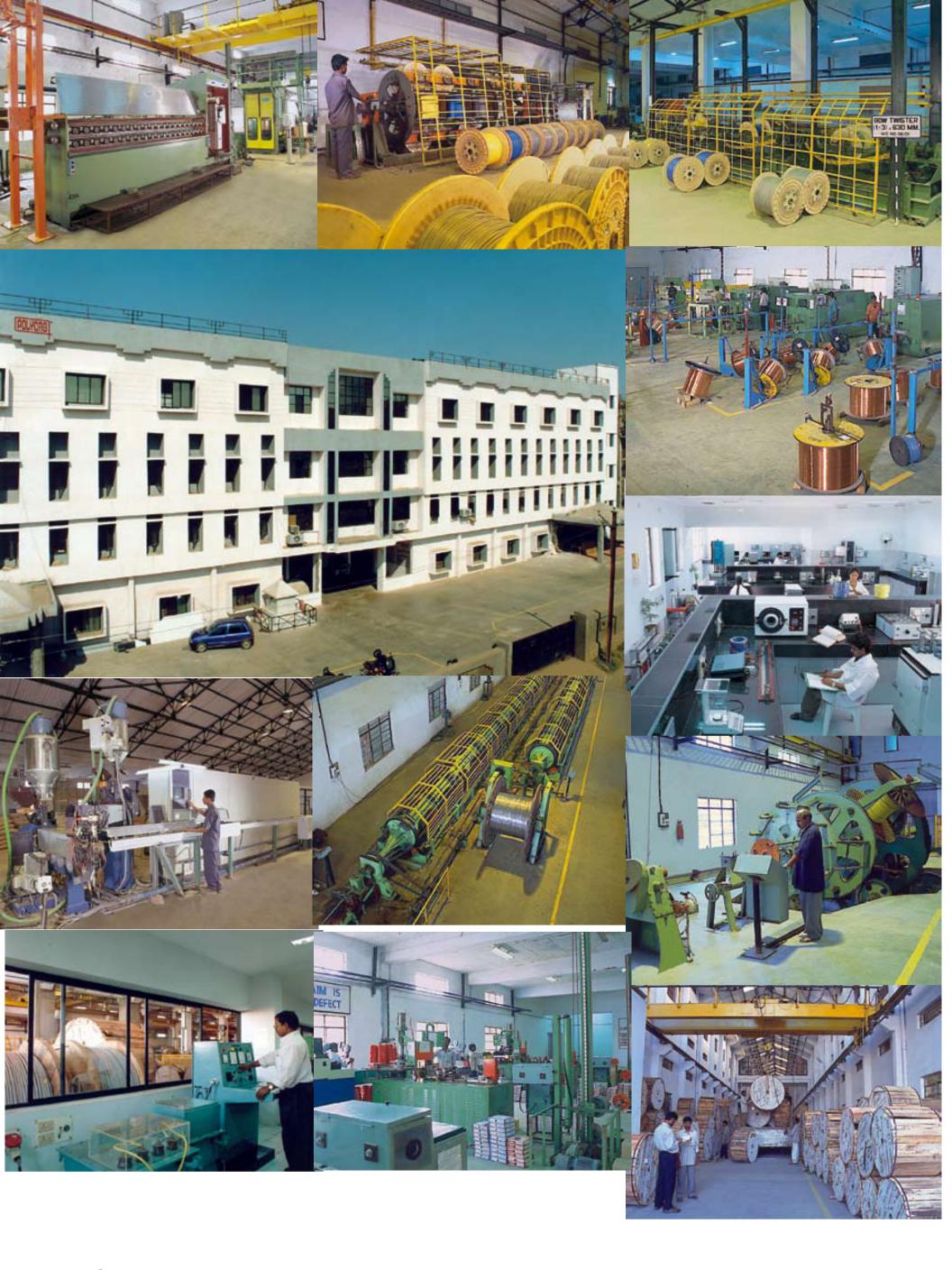
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MultiCore - 12 x D

e)	recommended	safe Pu	lling	force with stockings	:				
a)	For Unarmoured	Cable :	P = 5 D)	² Where	P=Pı	ulling Fo	orce	
b) For Armoured Cable : $P = 9 D$					² D= Diameter of cable in mm				
F)	recommended	safe pu	lling	force when pulled	with pu	lling	eye	:	
a) For Aluminium Conductors : 30 N/mm ²									
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b) For Copper Condxuctor : 50 N/mm

Note : All figures given in various tables are indicative only.



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