

TYPE TEST CERTIFICATE OF COMPLETE TYPE TEST

OBJECT 3-core, XLPE insulated power cable

DESIGNATION 3x240 mm² CU/XLPE/LAT/SWA/PE

Rated voltage U_0/U (U_m) 6,35/11 (12) kV Rated frequency 50 Hz

MANUFACTURER NATIONAL CABLES INDUSTRY
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P.O. Box 27472 - Sharjah - United Arab Emirates

DATE OF TESTS 1 September 2003 up to and including 30 September 2003

TESTED BY KEMA HIGH-VOLTAGE LABORATORY
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The object, constructed in accordance with the description, drawings and photographs incorporated in this Certificate, has been subjected to the series of proving tests in accordance with

IEC 60502-2

This Type Test Certification has been issued by KEMA following exclusively the STL Guides.

The results are shown in the record of Proving Tests and the oscillograms attached hereto. The values obtained and the general performance are considered to comply with the above Standard and to justify the ratings assigned by the manufacturer as listed on page 1.

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KEMA Nederland B.V.



S.A.M. Verhoeven
Arnhem, 7 October 2003



**RATINGS ASSIGNED BY THE MANUFACTURER AND PROVED BY TESTS**

Rated voltage U_0/U (U_m)	6,35/11 (12) kV
Rated frequency	50 Hz
Maximum rated conductor temperature for XLPE	90 °C
Rated cross-section	240 mm ²

TEST PROGRAMME**1 Electrical type tests**

- 1.1 Bending test followed by partial discharge test in accordance with IEC 60502-2 clause 18.1.4 and DEWA Technical Specifications for 11 kV cables
- 1.2 Tan δ measurement in accordance with IEC 60502-2 clause 18.1.5 and DEWA Technical Specifications for 11 kV cables
- 1.3 Heating cycle test followed by partial discharge test in accordance with IEC 60502-2 clause 18.1.6 and DEWA Technical Specifications for 11 kV cables
- 1.4 Impulse test followed by a voltage test in accordance with IEC 60502-2 clause 18.1.7 and DEWA Technical Specifications for 11 kV cables
- 1.5 Voltage test for 4 h in accordance with IEC 60502-2 clause 18.1.8 and DEWA Technical Specifications for 11 kV cables
- 1.6 Resistivity of semi-conducting screens in accordance with IEC 60502-2 clause 18.1.9 and DEWA Technical Specifications for 11 kV cables

2 Non-electrical type tests

- 2.1 Measurement of thickness of insulation in accordance with IEC 60502-2 clause 19.1 and DEWA Technical Specifications for 11 kV cables
- 2.2 Measurement of thickness of non-metallic layers (including extruded separation sheaths, but excluding inner coverings) in accordance with IEC 60502-2 clause 19.2 and DEWA Technical Specifications for 11 kV cables
- 2.3 Tests for determining the mechanical properties of insulation before and after ageing in accordance with IEC 60502-2 clause 19.3 and DEWA Technical Specifications for 11 kV cables
- 2.4 Tests for determining the mechanical properties of non-metallic sheaths before and after ageing in accordance with IEC 60502-2 clause 19.4 and DEWA Technical Specifications for 11 kV cables
- 2.5 Additional ageing test on pieces of completed cables in accordance with IEC 60502-2 clause 19.5 and DEWA Technical Specifications for 11 kV cables
- 2.6 Loss of mass test on PVC sheaths of type ST₂ in accordance with IEC 60502-2 clause 19.6 and DEWA Technical Specifications for 11 kV cables
- 2.7 Pressure test at high temperature on insulations and non-metallic sheaths in accordance with IEC 60502-2 clause 19.7 and DEWA Technical Specifications for 11 kV cables



- 2.8 Test on PVC insulation and sheaths at low temperatures in accordance with IEC 60502-2 clause 19.8 and DEWA Technical Specifications for 11 kV cables
 - 2.9 Test for resistance of PVC insulation and sheaths to cracking (heat shock test) in accordance with IEC 60502-2 clause 19.9 and DEWA Technical Specifications for 11 kV cables
 - 2.10 Hot set test for XLPE insulation in accordance with IEC 60502-2 clause 19.11 and DEWA Technical Specifications for 11 kV cables
 - 2.11 Water absorption test on insulation in accordance with IEC 60502-2 clause 19.13 and DEWA Technical Specifications for 11 kV cables
 - 2.12 Carbon black test in accordance with IEC 60502-2 clause 19.15 and DEWA Technical Specifications for 11 kV cables
 - 2.13 Shrinkage test for XLPE insulation in accordance with IEC 60502-2 clause 19.16 and DEWA Technical Specifications for 11 kV cables
 - 2.14 Shrinkage test for PE oversheath in accordance with IEC 60502-2 clause 19.20 and DEWA Technical Specifications for 11 kV cables
 - 2.15 Strippability test for insulation screen in accordance with IEC 60502-2 clause 19.21 and DEWA Technical Specifications for 11 kV cables
 - 2.16 Water penetration test in accordance with IEC 60502-2 clause 19.22 and DEWA Technical Specifications for 11 kV cables
- 3 Verification of cable construction in accordance with IEC 60502-2 and DEWA Technical Specifications for 11 kV cables**

MATERIAL DATA

Manufacturer	National Cables Industry, Sharjah, United Arab Emirates
Type	6,35/11 kV 3x240 mm ² Cu/XLPE/LAT/SWA/PE
Rated voltage U_0/U (U_m)	6,35/11 (12) kV
Rated frequency	50 Hz
Year of manufacture	2003
Quantity submitted	approx. 45m
No. of cores	3
Insulation	XLPE
Conductor material	copper
Conductor cross-section	240 mm ²
Screening material	copper
Sheath material	PE, ST ₇
Sheath colour	black
Standards	IEC 60502-2 (1997) DEWA Technical Specifications for 11 kV XLPE cables no.: 1.5.1.3.4.01-Rev. 5

The manufacturer has guaranteed that the object submitted for tests has been manufactured in accordance with the drawing as shown in appendix A of this report.

KEMA has verified that these drawings adequately represent the equipment tested.

**SUBCONTRACTING**

The following tests, as mentioned in the Test Programme, were subcontracted to KEMA Quality B.V.:
Tests 1.6, 2 and 3.

PERSONS ATTENDING THE TEST

Neither the manufacturer nor the purchaser were represented during the tests.

THE TESTS WERE CARRIED OUT BY

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PURPOSE OF THE TESTS

Purpose of the tests was to verify whether the material complies with the specified requirements.



DESCRIPTION AND RESULTS OF THE TESTS

MEASUREMENT UNCERTAINTY

The last page of this report contains a table with measurement uncertainties. Unless otherwise indicated in the report, the measurement uncertainties of the results presented are as indicated in this table.

1 ELECTRICAL TYPE TESTS

1.1 Bending test followed by partial discharge test

1.1.1 BENDING TEST

The test object was subjected to a bending test in accordance with clause 18.1.4 of IEC 60502-2 (1997) and DEWA Technical Specifications for 11 kV cables.

The test object was bent around a test cylinder. The diameter of the cylinder was 1750 mm. The test consisted of three cycles of wind, unwind, reverse winding direction, wind and unwind.

During the test the temperature of the test object was approximately 22 °C.

The results are presented in appendix 1 page 1.

Result

The test was carried out successfully.

1.1.2 MEASUREMENT OF THE PARTIAL DISCHARGES

The test object was subjected to a partial discharge test in accordance with clause 18.1.3 of IEC 60502-2 (1997) and DEWA Technical Specifications for 11 kV cables.

The partial discharges were measured between the conductor and core screen. The measurement was carried out in a balanced circuit. For this purpose a partial discharge-free coupling capacitor was used. Special precautions were taken in order to avoid external discharges of the test object. The partial discharges were detected by means of a wide-band amplifier, a high-pass filter and an oscilloscope. The measuring circuit was calibrated by means of an impulse generator giving a repeating pulse of a known pC-value. The noise level amounted to 2 pC. The voltage was raised up to 12,6 kV, 50 Hz and maintained at this level for



1 minute. Subsequently the voltage was lowered down to 11 kV, 50 Hz. At this level the partial discharge level was determined.

The results are presented in appendix 1 page 1.

Result

The test was passed.

1.2 Tan δ measurement

The test object was subjected to a tan δ measurement in accordance with clause 18.1.5 of IEC 60502-2 (1997) and DEWA Technical Specifications for 11 kV cables.

The measurement of the dielectric loss factor was carried out by using a Schering bridge and a loss-free standard capacitor. The measurement was carried out at 5 kV. The loss-factor of the insulation was measured between the conductor and core screen.

During the measurement the temperature of the test object was 97 °C.

The results are presented in appendix 1 page 2.

Result

The test was passed.

1.3 Heating cycle test followed by partial discharge test

1.3.1 HEATING CYCLE TEST

The test object was subjected to a heating cycle voltage test in accordance with clause 18.1.6 of IEC 60502-2 (1997) and DEWA Technical Specifications for 11 kV cables.

One heat cycle consists of applying heating current for 5 hours followed by at least 3 hours of natural cooling. The test object was heated up to a conductor temperature of 97 °C within the first 3 hours of the heating period and was kept steady at 97 °C for 2 hours. This temperature was achieved by inducing current in the cable. In total 20 such heating cycles were carried out.

The results are presented in appendix 1 page 3.

Result

The test was carried out successfully.



1.3.2 PARTIAL DISCHARGE TEST

After cooling down to ambient temperature, after the last heat cycle, the test object was subjected to a partial discharge test in accordance with clause 18.3 of IEC 60502-2 (1997) and DEWA Technical Specifications for 11 kV cables.

The measurements were carried out as mentioned above under item 1.1. The measurement was carried out in a direct circuit. The noise level amounted to 2 pC.

The results are presented in appendix 1 page 3.

Result

The test was passed.

1.4 Impulse test followed by a voltage test

1.4.1 IMPULSE TEST

The test object was subjected to an impulse test in accordance with clause 18.1.7 of IEC 60502-2 (1997) and DEWA Technical Specifications for 11 kV cables.

The waveform of the impulse voltage was determined at approximately 50 percent of the specified test value. The waveform complied with the specified requirements. The test consisted of 10 positive and 10 negative impulses with crest values of 75 kV. The voltage was applied between the conductor and core screen. The voltage measurement was carried out by means of an RC-voltage divider and a digitiser. During the test the temperature of the test object was 97 °C. In order to achieve this temperature, current was induced in the cable. Two hours after thermal equilibrium was established the impulse test was performed. During the test the atmospheric conditions were not taken into account.

The results are presented in appendix 1 pages 4 up to and including 7.

Result

The test was passed.

1.4.2 VOLTAGE TEST

The test object was subjected to a voltage test in accordance with clause 18.1.7 of IEC 60502-2 (1997) and DEWA Technical Specifications for 11 kV cables.

Upon completion of the impulse test, and cooling down to ambient temperature, the test object was subjected to a voltage test of 22,2 kV, 50 Hz for 15 minutes.

The results are presented in appendix 1 page 4.

Result

The test was passed.



1.5 Voltage test for 4 hours

The test object was subjected to a voltage test for 4 h in accordance with clause 18.1.8 of IEC 60502-2 (1997) and DEWA Technical Specifications for 11 kV cables.

The test was carried out with a power-frequency voltage of 25,4 kV, 50 Hz, for 4 hours. The voltage was applied between the conductor and core screen. During the test the temperature of the test object was 22 °C. During the test the atmospheric conditions were not taken into account.

The results are presented in appendix 1 page 8.

Result

The test was passed.

1.6 Resistivity of semi-conducting screens

The measurement of the resistivity of the semi-conducting layers was carried out in accordance with clause 18.1.9 of IEC 60502-2 (1997) and DEWA Technical Specifications for 11 kV cables.

The results are presented in appendix 1 page 9.

Result

The test was passed.



2 NON-ELECTRICAL TYPE TESTS

2.1 Measurement of thickness of insulation

The measurement of thickness of insulation was carried out in accordance with clause 19.1 of IEC 60502-2 (1997) and DEWA Technical Specifications for 11 kV cables.

The results are presented in appendix 2 page 1.

Result

The test was passed.

2.2 Measurement of thickness of non-metallic sheaths (including extruded separation sheaths, but excluding inner coverings)

The measurement of thickness of non-metallic sheaths was carried out in accordance with clause 19.2 of IEC 60502-2 (1997) and DEWA Technical Specifications for 11 kV cables.

The results are presented in appendix 2 page 2.

Result

The test was passed.

2.3 Tests for determining the mechanical properties of insulation before and after ageing

The mechanical properties of insulation before and after ageing were determined in accordance with clause 19.3 of IEC 60502-2 (1997) and DEWA Technical Specifications for 11 kV cables.

The results are presented in appendix 2 page 3.

Result

The test was passed.



2.4 Tests for determining the mechanical properties of non-metallic sheaths before and after ageing

The mechanical properties of non-metallic sheaths before and after ageing were determined in accordance with clause 19.4 of IEC 60502-2 (1997) and DEWA Technical Specifications for 11 kV cables.

The results are presented in appendix 2 pages 4 and 5.

Result

The test was passed.

2.5 Additional ageing test on pieces of completed cable

An additional ageing test on pieces of completed cable was carried out in accordance with clause 19.5 of IEC 60502-2 (1997) and DEWA Technical Specifications for 11 kV cables.

The results are presented in appendix 2 page 6.

Result

The test was passed.

2.6 Loss of mass test on PVC sheaths of type ST₂

A loss of mass test on PVC sheaths of type ST₂ was carried out in accordance with clause 19.6 of IEC 60502-2 (1997) and DEWA Technical Specifications for 11 kV cables.

The results are presented in appendix 2 page 7.

Result

The test was passed.

2.7 Pressure test at high temperature on insulations and non-metallic sheaths

A pressure test at high temperature on the insulation and non-metallic sheaths was carried out in accordance with clause 19.7 of IEC 60502-2 (1997) and DEWA Technical Specifications for 11 kV cables.

The results are presented in appendix 2 page 8.

Result

The test was passed.

2.8 Test on PVC insulation and sheaths at low temperatures

A test on PVC sheaths at low temperatures was carried out in accordance with clause 19.8 of IEC 60502-2 (1997) and DEWA Technical Specifications for 11 kV cables.

The results are presented in appendix 2 page 9.

Result

The test was passed.

2.9 Test for resistance of PVC insulation and sheaths to cracking (heat shock test)

A test for resistance of PVC insulations and sheaths to cracking (heat shock test) was carried out in accordance with clause 19.9 of IEC 60502-2 (1997) and DEWA Technical Specifications for 11 kV cables.

The results are presented in appendix 2 page 10.

Result

The test was passed.

2.10 Hot set test for XLPE insulation

A hot set test for XLPE insulation was carried out in accordance with clause 19.11 of IEC 60502-2 (1997) and DEWA Technical Specifications for 11 kV cables.

The results are presented in appendix 2 page 11.

Result

The test was passed.

2.11 Water absorption test on insulation

A water absorption test on insulation was carried out in accordance with clause 19.13 of IEC 60502-2 (1997) and DEWA Technical Specifications for 11 kV cables.

The results are presented in appendix 2 page 12.

Result

The test was passed.



2.12 Carbon black test

A carbon black test was carried out in accordance with clause 19.15 of IEC 60502-2 (1997) and DEWA Technical Specifications for 11 kV cables.

The results are presented in appendix 2 page 13.

Result

The test was passed.

2.13 Shrinkage test for XLPE insulation

A shrinkage test for the insulation was carried out in accordance with clause 19.16 of IEC 60502-2 (1997) and DEWA Technical Specifications for 11 kV cables.

The results are presented in appendix 2 page 14.

Result

The test was passed.

2.14 Shrinkage test for PE oversheath

A shrinkage test for the PE oversheath was carried out in accordance with clause 19.20 of IEC 60502-2 (1997) and DEWA Technical Specifications for 11 kV cables.

The results are presented in appendix 2 page 15.

Result

The test was passed.

2.15 Strippability test for insulation screen

A strippability test for insulation screen was carried out in accordance with clause 19.21 of IEC 60502-2 (1997) and DEWA Technical Specifications for 11 kV cables.

The results are presented in appendix 2 page 16.

Result

The test was passed.



2.16 Water penetration test

The test object was subjected to an additional water penetration test in accordance with IEC 60502-2 clause 19.22 and DEWA Technical Specifications for 11 kV cables.

The sample was placed in a tube filled with water, so that the height of the water in the tube is 1 m above the cable centre. The sample was subjected to 10 heating cycles. One heating cycle consists of applying heating current for 5 hours followed by at least 3 hours of natural cooling.

The test object was heated up to a conductor temperature of 97 °C and was kept steady at 97 °C for 2 hours. This temperature was achieved by inducing a current of 900 A into the cable. The results are presented in appendix 2 page 17.

Result

The test was passed.



3 VERIFICATION OF CABLE CONSTRUCTION IN ACCORDANCE WITH IEC 60502-2

3.1 Check of construction and dimensions

The conductor was checked in accordance with clause 5 of IEC 60502-2 (1997) and DEWA Technical Specifications for 11 kV cables. The remaining cable dimensions and construction were checked according IEC 60502-2 (1997) and the manufacturer's specifications. The results obtained are presented in appendix 3 pages 1 and 2.

Result

The specified requirements were met.



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Appendix 1 page 1

Client National Cables Industry, Sharjah, United Arab Emirates
 Test object power cable 6,35/11 kV 3x240 mm² Cu/XLPE/LAT/SWA/PE
 Requirements IEC 60502-2 (1997) clause 18.1.4 and
 DEWA Technical Specifications for 11 kV cables
 Test dates 1st September 2003 and 10 September 2003

1.1 RESULTS OF THE BENDING TEST

1.1.1 Bending test

Atmospheric conditions

Ambient temperature 22 °C

Test object

Temperature 22 °C

outer diameter of cable D (mm)	diameter of conductor d (mm)	required bending diameter $15(D+d) \pm 5\%$ (mm)	hub diameter of drum (mm)	observations
93	18,4	$1671 \pm 83,55$	1750	3 cycles (wind/unwind and wind/unwind in opposite direction)

1.1.2 Partial discharge test

Atmospheric conditions

Ambient temperature 20 °C Ambient air pressure 1008 hPa
 Humidity 13 g (H₂O)/m³

Test object

Temperature 20 °C Rated voltage (U₀) 6,35 kV

Circuit parameters

Power frequency 50 Hz Calibration 5 pC
 Bandwidth 40-400 kHz Noise level 2 pC
 Coupling capacitor 2600 pF Circuit balanced

phase	voltage	duration (min)	partial discharge level (pC)	max. allowable pd-level (pC)	inception		extinction		result
	(kV)				(kV)	(pC)	(kV)	(pC)	
red	12,6	1	≤ 2	5	-	-	-	-	passed
	11								
yellow	12,6	1	≤ 2	5	-	-	-	-	passed
	11								
blue	12,6	1	≤ 2	5	-	-	-	-	passed
	11								



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DEWA Technical Specifications for 11 kV cables
Test date 11 September 2003

1.2 RESULTS OF THE TAN δ MEASUREMENT

Atmospheric conditions

Ambient temperature 20 °C Ambient air pressure 1014 hPa
Humidity 12 g (H₂O)/m³

Test object

Length (approx.) 16,3 m Temperature 97 °C
Rated voltage (U₀) 6,35 kV

Circuit parameters

Power frequency 50 Hz
Standard capacitor 99,94 pF

phase	applied voltage (kV)	core capacity* (μ F/km)	tan δ ($\times 10^{-4}$)	max. allowable value for tan δ ($\times 10^{-4}$)	result
R,Y,B	5	1,293	1,61	80	passed

* for information only



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 Requirements IEC 60502-2 (1997) clauses 18.1.6 and 18.1.3 and
 DEWA Technical Specifications for 11 kV cables
 Test dates 12 September 2003 up to and 19 September including 2003

1.3 RESULTS OF THE HEATING CYCLE TEST

1.3.1 Heating cycle test

Atmospheric conditions

Ambient temperature
 (min/max) 20/22 °C

Test object

Temperature ambient/97 °C

no. of heat-cycles	required conductor temperature (°C)	applied heating current (A)	heating		cooling	result
			total heating time (h)	duration of conductor at 97 °C (h)	cooling time (h)	
20	95-100	720	5	2	3	passed

1.3.2 Partial discharge test

Atmospheric conditions

Ambient temperature 21 °C Ambient air pressure 1015 hPa
 Humidity 14 g (H₂O)/m³

Test object

Temperature 21 °C Rated voltage (U₀) 6,35 kV

Circuit parameters

Power frequency 50 Hz Calibration 5 pC
 Bandwidth 40-400 kHz Noise level 2 pC
 Coupling capacitor 2600 pF Circuit balanced

phase	voltage	duration	partial discharge level (pC)	max. allowable pd-level (pC)	inception		extinction		result
	(kV)	(min)			(kV)	(pC)	(kV)	(pC)	
red	12,6	1	≤ 2	5	-	-	-	-	passed
	11								
yellow	12,6	1	≤ 2	5	-	-	-	-	passed
	11								
blue	12,6	1	≤ 2	5	-	-	-	-	passed
	11								



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Client National Cables Industry, Sharjah, United Arab Emirates
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 Requirements IEC 60502-2 (1997) clause 18.1.7 and
 DEWA Technical Specifications for 11 kV cables
 Test dates 19 September 2003 and 22 September 2003

1.4 RESULTS OF THE IMPULSE TEST FOLLOWED BY A VOLTAGE TEST

1.4.1 Impulse test

Atmospheric conditions

Ambient temperature 23 °C Ambient air pressure 1015 hPa
 Humidity 15 g (H₂O)/m³

Test object

Temperature 97 °C

voltage and polarity (kV)	description	oscillogram		result
		appendix 1 page	fig. no.	
	waveshape: 4,31/56,60 μs	5	1	passed
+ 37,5	1 impulse at 50% of the test voltage		2	
+ 48,75	1 impulse at 65 % of the test voltage		3	
+ 60	1 impulse at 80 % of the test voltage		4	
+ 75	5 impulses at 100 % of the test voltage	6	5	
+ 75	5 impulses at 100 % of the test voltage		6	
- 37,5	1 impulse at 50% of the test voltage		7	
- 48,75	1 impulse at 65 % of the test voltage		8	
- 60	1 impulse at 80 % of the test voltage	7	9	
- 75	5 impulses at 100 % of the test voltage		10	
- 75	5 impulses at 100 % of the test voltage		11	

1.4.2 Voltage test

Atmospheric conditions

Ambient temperature 21 °C Ambient air pressure 1015 hPa
 Humidity 14 g (H₂O)/m³

Test object

Temperature 21 °C

applied voltage (kV)	frequency (Hz)	duration (min)	observations	result
22,2	50	15	no breakdown	passed

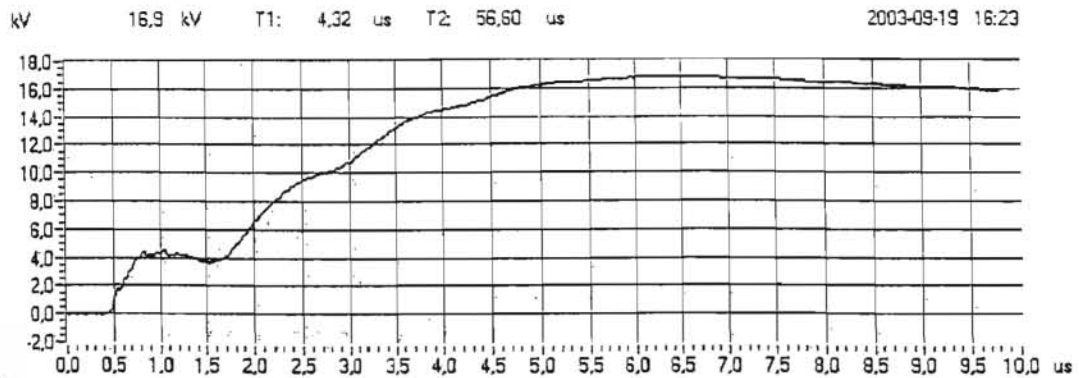


Fig. 1: Waveshape 70370048 NCI

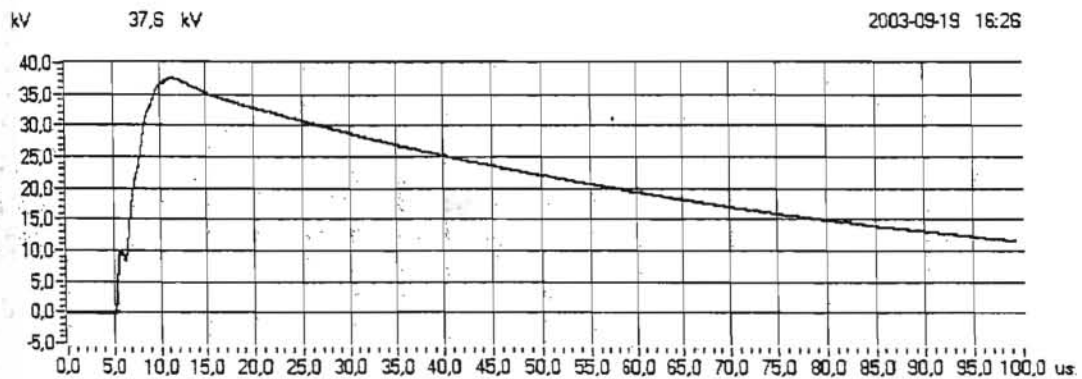


Fig. 2: 70370048 NCI, +50%

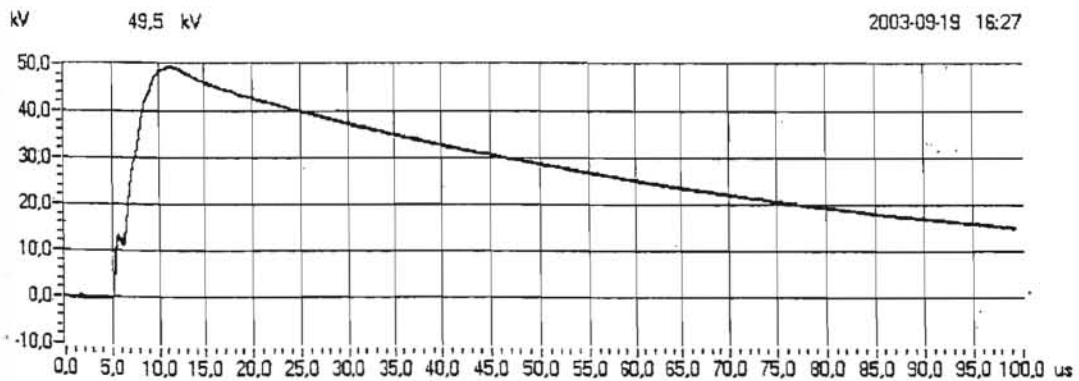


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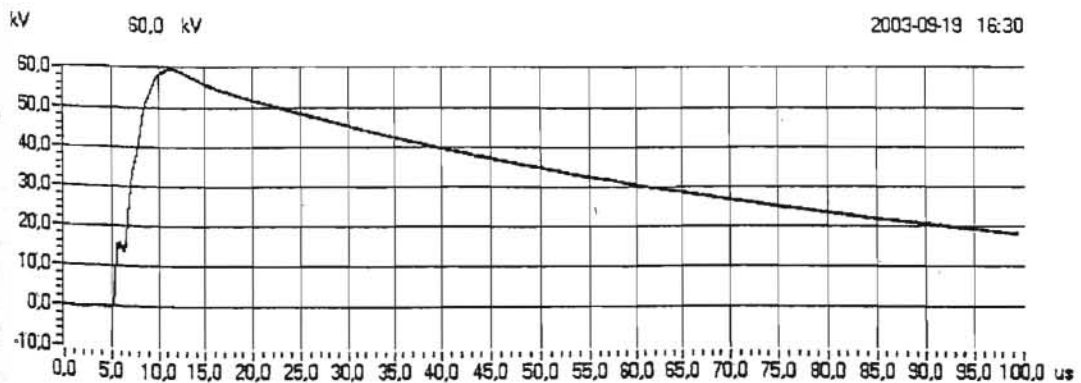


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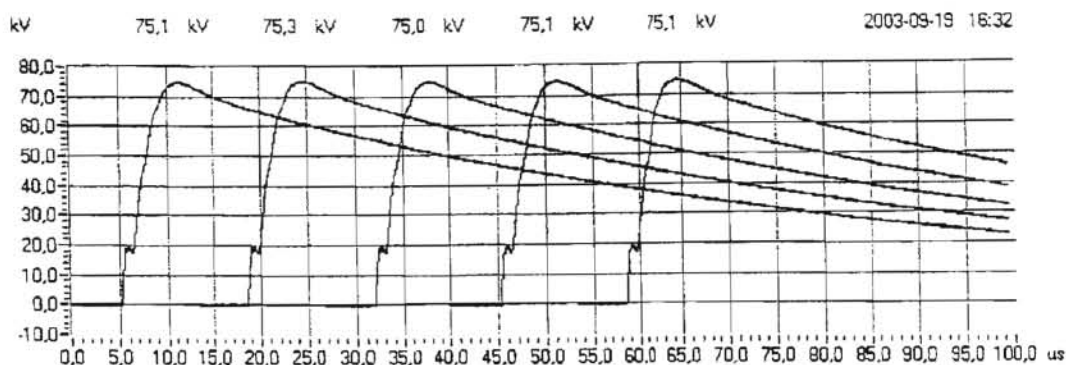


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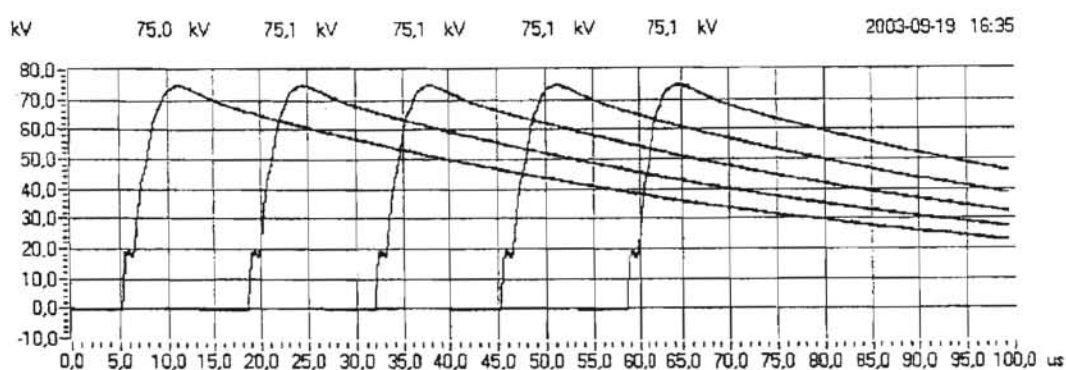


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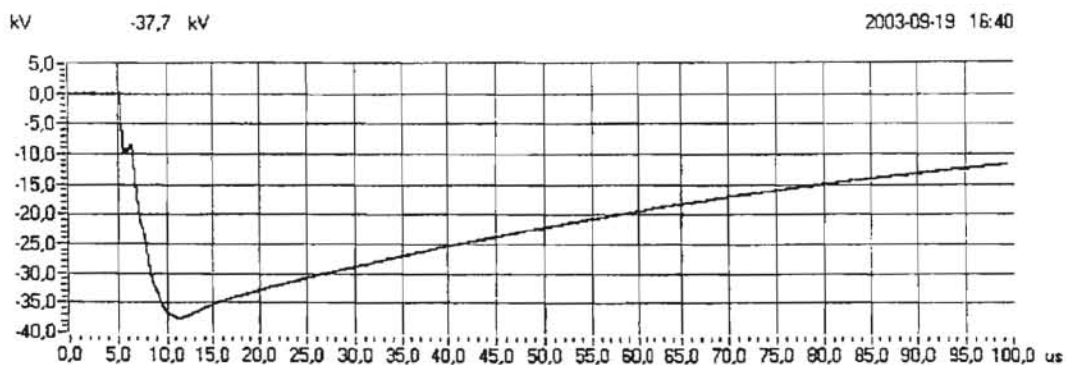


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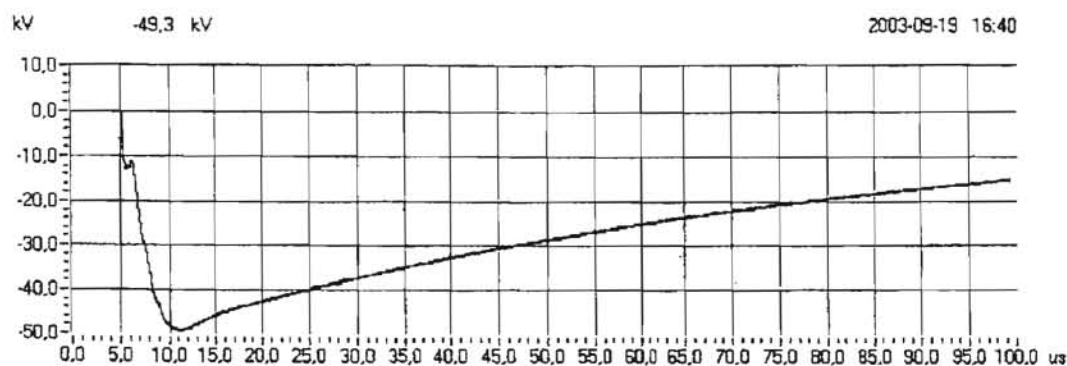


Fig. 8: 70370048 NCI, -65%



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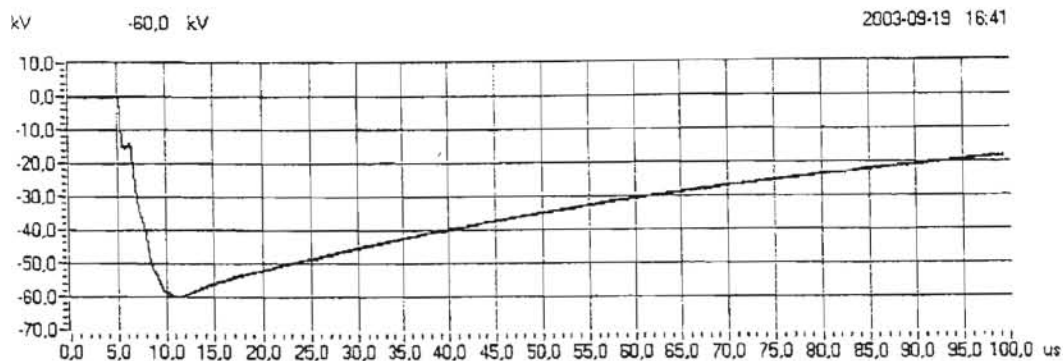


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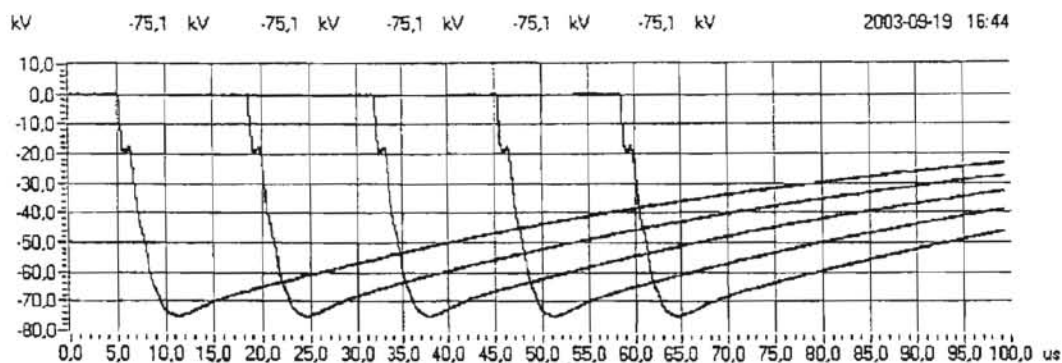


Fig. 10: 70370048 NCL -100%

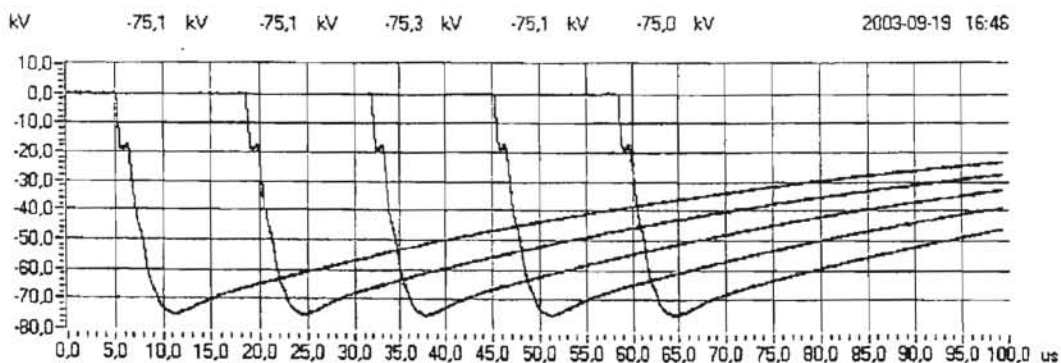


Fig. 11: 70370048 NCL -100%



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DEWA Technical Specifications for 11 kV cables
Test dates 22 September 2003

1.5 RESULTS OF THE VOLTAGE TEST FOR 4 H

Atmospheric conditions

Ambient temperature 21 °C Ambient air pressure 1015 hPa
Humidity 14 g (H₂O)/m³

Test object

Temperature 21 °C

applied voltage	frequency	duration	observations	result
(kV)	(Hz)	(h)		
25,4	50	4	no breakdown	passed



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DEWA Technical Specifications for 11 kV cables
Test date 8 September 2003 up to and including 29 September 2003

1.6 RESULTS OF THE MEASUREMENT OF THE RESISTIVITY OF SEMI-CONDUCTING SCREENS

item	unit	requirement	measured/determined			result
conductor screen			Red	Yellow	Blue	
- without ageing	Ωm	≤ 1000	4,0	3,5	6,5	passed
- after ageing	Ωm	≤ 1000	1,7	0,8	1,9	passed
insulation screen						
- without ageing	Ωm	≤ 500	0,6	0,2	0,9	passed
- after ageing	Ωm	≤ 500	0,9	0,4	0,5	passed



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Requirements IEC 60502-2 (1997) clause 19.1 and
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2.1 RESULTS OF THE MEASUREMENT OF THICKNESS OF INSULATION

item	unit	requirement	measured/determined			result
			Red	Yellow	Blue	
- nominal (average)	mm	$\geq 3,4$	3,4	3,4	3,4	passed
- minimum	mm	$\geq 2,96$	3,22	3,26	3,17	passed



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Test object	power cable 6,35/11 kV 3x240 mm ² Cu/XLPE/LAT/SWA/PE
Requirements	IEC 60502-2 (1997) clause 19.2 and DEWA Technical Specifications for 11 kV cables
Test date	8 September 2003 up to and including 29 September 2003

2.2.1 RESULTS OF THE MEASUREMENT OF THICKNESS OF INNER SHEATH PE ST₇

item	unit	requirement	measured/determined			result
			Red	Yellow	Blue	
- specified (average)	mm	≥ 1,0	1,7	1,7	1,5	passed
- minimum	mm	≥ 0,6	1,23	1,38	1,20	passed

2.2.2 RESULTS OF THE MEASUREMENT OF THICKNESS OF BEDDING PVC ST₂

item	unit	requirement	measured/determined	result
- specified (average)	mm	≥ 1,4	2,4	passed
- minimum	mm	≥ 0,92	2,15	passed

2.2.3 RESULTS OF THE MEASUREMENT OF THICKNESS OF OUTER SHEATH PE ST₇

item	unit	requirement	measured/determined	result
- specified (average)	mm	≥ 3,4	4,5	passed
- minimum	mm	≥ 2,52	4,14	passed



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Requirements	IEC 60502-2 (1997) clause 19.3 and DEWA Technical Specifications for 11 kV cables
Test date	8 September 2003 up to and including 29 September 2003

2.3 RESULTS OF THE TESTS FOR DETERMINING THE MECHANICAL PROPERTIES OF INSULATION BEFORE AND AFTER AGEING

item	unit	requirement	measured/determined			result
			Red	Yellow	Blue	
without ageing						
- tensile strength	N/mm ²	≥ 12,5	29,1	28,7	28,8	passed
- elongation	%	≥ 200	584	585	570	passed
after ageing (135°C/7d)						
- tensile strength	N/mm ²	-	28,3	29,7	30,3	
variation with samples without ageing	%	± 25 max.	-3	3	5	passed
- elongation	%	-	585	598	604	
variation with samples without ageing	%	± 25 max.	1	2	6	passed



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 Requirements IEC 60502-2 (1997) clause 19.4 and
 DEWA Technical Specifications for 11 kV cables
 Test date 8 September 2003 up to and including 29 September 2003

2.4 RESULTS OF THE TESTS FOR DETERMINING THE MECHANICAL PROPERTIES OF NON-METALLIC SHEATHS BEFORE AND AFTER AGEING

Inner sheath PE ST ST₇

Item	unit	requirement	measured/determined			result
without ageing			Red	Yellow	Blue	
- tensile strength	N/mm ²	≥ 12,5	26,1	25,6	26,2	passed
- elongation	%	≥ 300	947	935	944	passed
after ageing (100°C/10d)						
- tensile strength	N/mm ²	-	23,4	22,0	23,5	
variation with samples without ageing	%	-	-10	-14	-10	
- elongation	%	≥ 300	964	843	845	passed
variation with samples without ageing	%	-	2	-10	-10	

Outer sheath PE ST₇

Item	unit	requirement	measured/determined			result
without ageing						
- tensile strength	N/mm ²	≥ 12,5	31,7			passed
- elongation	%	≥ 300	856			passed
after ageing (110°C/10d)						
- tensile strength	N/mm ²	-	21,9			
variation with samples without ageing	%	-	-31			
- elongation	%	≥ 300	646			passed
variation with samples without ageing	%	-	-25			



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Requirements	IEC 60502-2 (1997) clause 19.4 and DEWA Technical Specifications for 11 kV cables
Test date	8 September 2003 up to and including 29 September 2003

2.4 RESULTS OF THE TESTS FOR DETERMINING THE MECHANICAL PROPERTIES OF NON-METALLIC SHEATHS BEFORE AND AFTER AGEING (continued)

Bedding PVC ST₂

Item	unit	requirement	measured/determined	result
without ageing				
- tensile strength	N/mm ²	≥ 12,5	20,3	passed
- elongation	%	≥ 150	281	passed
after ageing (100°C/7d)				
- tensile strength	N/mm ²	≥ 12,5	21,3	passed
variation with samples without ageing	%	± 25 max.	5	passed
- elongation	%	≥ 150	283	passed
variation with samples without ageing	%	± 25 max.	1	passed



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Client	National Cables Industry, Sharjah, United Arab Emirates
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Requirements	IEC 60502-2 (1997) clause 19.5 and DEWA Technical Specifications for 11 kV cables
Test date	8 September 2003 up to and including 29 September 2003

2.5 RESULTS OF THE ADDITIONAL AGEING TESTS ON PIECES OF COMPLETED CABLES

item	unit	requirement	measured/determined			result
insulation (100°C/7D)			Red	Yellow	Blue	
- tensile strength	N/mm ²	-	24,4	24,5	27,7	
variation with samples without ageing	%	± 25 max	-16	-15	-4	passed
- elongation	%	-	532	572	584	
variation with samples without ageing	%	± 25 max	-9	-2	2	passed
inner sheath PE ST₇ (100°C/7D)						
- tensile strength	N/mm ²	-	24,1	24,8	264	
variation with samples without ageing	%	-	-8	-3	1	
- elongation	%	≥ 300	914	945	977	passed
variation with samples without ageing	%	-	-3	1	3	
bedding PVC ST₂(100°C/7D)						
- tensile strength	N/mm ²	-		21,1		
variation with samples without ageing	%	± 25 max		4		passed
- elongation	%	-		293		
variation with samples without ageing	%	± 25 max		4		passed
outer sheath PE ST₇(100°C/7D)						
- tensile strength	N/mm ²	-		30,6		
variation with samples without ageing	%	-		-3		
- elongation	%	≥ 300		841		passed
variation with samples without ageing	%	-		-2		



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 Requirements IEC 60502-2 (1997) clause 19.6 and
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2.6 RESULTS OF LOSS OF MASS TEST ON BEDDING OF TYPE PVC ST₂

item	unit	requirement	measured	result
- temperature	°C	100		
- duration	d	7		
- loss of mass	mg/cm ²	≤ 1,5	0,8	passed



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 Requirements IEC 60502-2 (1997) clause 19.7 and
 DEWA Technical Specifications for 11 kV cables
 Test date 8 September 2003 up to and including 29 September 2003

2.7.1 RESULTS OF THE PRESSURE TEST AT HIGH TEMPERATURE OUTER SHEATH PE ST₇

item	unit	requirement	measured	result
- temperature	°C	110		
- duration	h	6		
- load	N	20,1		
- depth of indentation	%	≤ 50	2	passed

2.7.2 RESULTS OF THE PRESSURE TEST AT HIGH TEMPERATURE INNER SHEATH PE ST₇

item	unit	requirement	measured			result
			Red	Yellow	Blue	
- temperature	°C	110				
- duration	h	6				
- load	N	7,7				
- depth of indentation	%	≤ 50	29	28	27	passed

2.7.3 RESULTS OF THE PRESSURE TEST AT HIGH TEMPERATURE OF BEDDING PVC ST₂

item	unit	requirement	measured	result
- temperature	°C	90		
- duration	h	6		
- load	N	16,4		
- depth of indentation	%	≤ 50	23	passed



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Requirements IEC 60502-2 (1997) clause 19.8 and
DEWA Technical Specifications for 11 kV cables
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2.8 RESULTS OF THE TESTS ON BEDDING PVC ST₂ AT LOW TEMPERATURES

item	unit	requirement	measured	result
- temperature	°C	- 15		
- elongation	%	≥ 20	254	passed
- temperature	°C	- 15		
- cold impact test		no cracks	no cracks	passed



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Requirements IEC 60502-2 (1997) clause 19.9 and
DEWA Technical Specifications for 11 kV cables
Test date 8 September 2003 up to and including 29 September 2003

**2.9 RESULT OF THE TEST FOR RESISTANCE TO CRACKING OF BEDDING PVC ST₂
(HEAT SHOCK TEST)**

item	unit	requirement	measured	result
- temperature	°C	150		
- duration	h	1		
- soundness		no cracks	no cracks	passed



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Requirements IEC 60502-2 (1997) clause 19.11 and
DEWA Technical Specifications for 11 kV cables
Test date 8 September 2003 up to and including 29 September 2003

2.10 RESULTS OF THE HOT SET TEST FOR XLPE INSULATION

item	unit	requirement	measured			result
			Red	Yellow	Blue	
- temperature	°C	200				
- elongation under load	%	≤ 175	100	170	170	passed
- permanent elongation	%	≤ 15	15	15	15	passed



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Requirements IEC 60502-2 (1997) clause 19.13 and
DEWA Technical Specifications for 11 kV cables
Test date 8 September 2003 up to and including 29 September 2003

2.11 RESULTS OF THE WATER ABSORPTION TEST ON INSULATION

item	unit	requirement	measured			result
			Red	Yellow	Blue	
- temperature	°C	85				
- duration	d	14				
- variation of mass	mg/cm ²	≤ 1	0,25	0,23	0,19	passed



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Requirements IEC 60502-2 (1997) clause 19.15 and
DEWA Technical Specifications for 11 kV cables
Test date 8 September 2003 up to and including 29 September 2003

**2.12 RESULTS OF THE MEASUREMENT OF CARBON BLACK CONTENT OF BLACK
OVERSHEATH PE ST₇**

item	unit	requirement	measured	result
- carbon black content	%	2,5 ± 0,5	2,4	passed



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Requirements IEC 60502-2 (1997) clause 19.16 and
DEWA Technical Specifications for 11 kV cables
Test date 8 September 2003 up to and including 29 September 2003

2.13 RESULTS OF THE SHRINKAGE TEST FOR XLPE INSULATION

item	unit	requirement	measured			result
			Red	Yellow	Blue	
- temperature	°C	130				
- duration	h	1				
- shrinkage	%	≤ 4	2	2	2	passed



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Requirements IEC 60502-2 (1997) clause 19.20 and
DEWA Technical Specifications for 11 kV cables
Test date 8 September 2003 up to and including 29 September 2003

2.14 RESULTS OF THE SHRINKAGE TEST FOR OVERSHEATH PE ST₇

item	unit	requirement	measured	result
- temperature	°C	80		
- duration	h	5		
- cycles		5		
- shrinkage	%	≤ 3	1	passed



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 Requirements IEC 60502-2 (1997) clause 19.21 and
 DEWA Technical Specifications for 11 kV cables
 Test date 8 September 2003 up to and including 29 September 2003

2.15 RESULTS OF THE STRIPPABILITY TEST

item	unit	requirement	measured			result
			Red	Yellow	Blue	
- before ageing	N	$4 \leq F \leq 45$	18, 20, 21	18, 21, 24	20, 17, 19	passed
- after ageing	N	$4 \leq F \leq 45$	22, 21, 21	20, 21, 21	21, 18, 23	passed
		The insulation surface shall not be damaged and no trace of the insulation screen shall remain on the insulation.	ok	ok	ok	passed



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Test object power cable 6,35/11 kV 3x240 mm² Cu/XLPE/LAT/SWA/PE
Requirements IEC 60502-2 (1997) clause 19.22 and
DEWA Technical Specifications for 11 kV cables
Test date 26 September 2003 up to and including 29 September 2003

2.16 RESULTS OF THE WATER PENETRATION TEST

Atmospheric conditions

Ambient temperature
(min/max) 20/24 °C

Test object

Temperature 22/97 °C

no. of heat-cycles	required conductor temperature (°C)	applied heating current (A)	heating		cooling
			total heating time (h)	duration of conductor at 97 °C (h)	cooling time (h)
10	95-100	900	5	2	3

Result

During the period of testing no water emerged from the ends of the test piece.
The test was passed.



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Requirements	IEC 60502-2 (1997) clauses 5-14
Test date	8 September 2003 up to and including 29 September 2003

3.1 RESULTS OF THE VERIFICATION OF CABLE CONSTRUCTION

See also manufacturer's drawing in appendix A.

item	required/specified	measured/determined			result
		Red	Yellow	Blue	
conductor (IEC 60228 Class 2) material: stranded copper wires (circular compacted)	see results of non-electrical type tests above	see results of non-electrical type tests above			
- resistance at 20 °C (Ω/km)	≤ 0,0754/-	0,0730/0,0753/0,0739			passed
- no. of wires	≥ 61/-	61			passed
- diameter (mm)	≤ 20,6/18,4	18,7/18,7/18,7			passed
screening <u>conductor screening</u>	yes/yes	present extruded semi-conductive compounded			passed
<u>core screening</u> non-metallic part	yes/yes	present			passed
- thickness, minimum (mm)	-/1,0	extruded semi-conductive compounded			
metallic part	yes/yes	present, copper tape and wires (39x Ø 0,6mm)			passed
insulation material: extruded XLPE	see result of non-electrical type tests above	see results of non-electrical type tests above			passed
binder tape 1 material:	-/yes	present water swellable semiconducting tape			-
- thickness, average (mm)	-/0,15	-			-
binder tape 2 material:	-/yes	present aluminium tape			-
- thickness, average (mm)	-/0,2	-			-



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 Requirements IEC 60502-2 (1997) clauses 5-14
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3.1 RESULTS OF THE VERIFICATION OF CABLE CONSTRUCTION (continued)

item	required/specified	measured/determined Red Yellow Blue	result
inner sheath material:	-/yes	present PE ST ₇ inner sheath around each core	-
- thickness, average (mm)	-/1,0	-	-
filler material:	yes/yes	present synthetic fibre filling	passed
binder tape material:	-/-	Synthetic tape-	-
bedding/Inner sheath material:	-/yes	present PVC	-
- thickness, average (mm)	-/1,4	-	-
armouring material:	yes/yes	present	passed
- thickness, average	-/ Ø 3,15mm	steel galvanized wires 76x Ø 3,2 mm	
outer sheath material: PE ST7	see results of non-electrical type tests above	see results of non-electrical type tests above	
marking of the cable		DEWA ELECTRIC CABLE 11000v NATIONAL CABLES U.A.E. 2003 3x240MM2 CU/XLPE/LAT/SWA/PE	
colour of the core		black	
colour of the outer sheath		black	
outer diameter of the cable average (mm)	-/93	94,9	
outer diameter of the core average (mm)	-/-	30,5/30,4/30,5	



The measurement uncertainties in the results presented are as specified below unless otherwise indicated.

measurement	measurement uncertainty
dielectric tests and impulse current tests	peak value: $\leq 3\%$ time parameters: $\leq 10\%$
capacitance measurement	0,3%
tan δ measurement	$\pm 0,5\% \pm 5 \cdot 10^{-5}$
partial discharge measurement	$< 10 \text{ pC} : 2 \text{ pC}$ $10 - 100 \text{ pC} : 5 \text{ pC}$ $> 100 \text{ pC} : 20 \%$
measurement of impedance a.c.-resistance measurement	$\leq 1\%$
measurement of losses	$\leq 1\%$
measurement of insulation resistance	$\leq 10\%$
measurement of dc resistance	$1 \mu\Omega - 5 \mu\Omega : 1\%$ $5 \mu\Omega - 10 \mu\Omega : 0,5\%$ $10 \mu\Omega - 200 \mu\Omega : 0,2\%$
radio interference test	2 dB
calibration of current transformers	$2,2 \times 10^{-4} \text{ I/I}_u$ and $290 \mu\text{rad}$
calibration of voltage transformers	$1,6 \times 10^{-4} \text{ U}_i/\text{U}_u$ en $510 \mu\text{rad}$
measurement of conductivity	5%
measurement of temperature	$-50 \text{ }^\circ\text{C} - -40 \text{ }^\circ\text{C} : 3 \text{ K}$ $-40 \text{ }^\circ\text{C} - 125 \text{ }^\circ\text{C} : 2 \text{ K}$ $125 \text{ }^\circ\text{C} - 150 \text{ }^\circ\text{C} : 3 \text{ K}$
tensile test	1%
sound level measurement	type 1 meter as per IEC 60651 and ANSI S1.4.1971
measurement of voltage ratio	0,1%

Appendix A

Drawing

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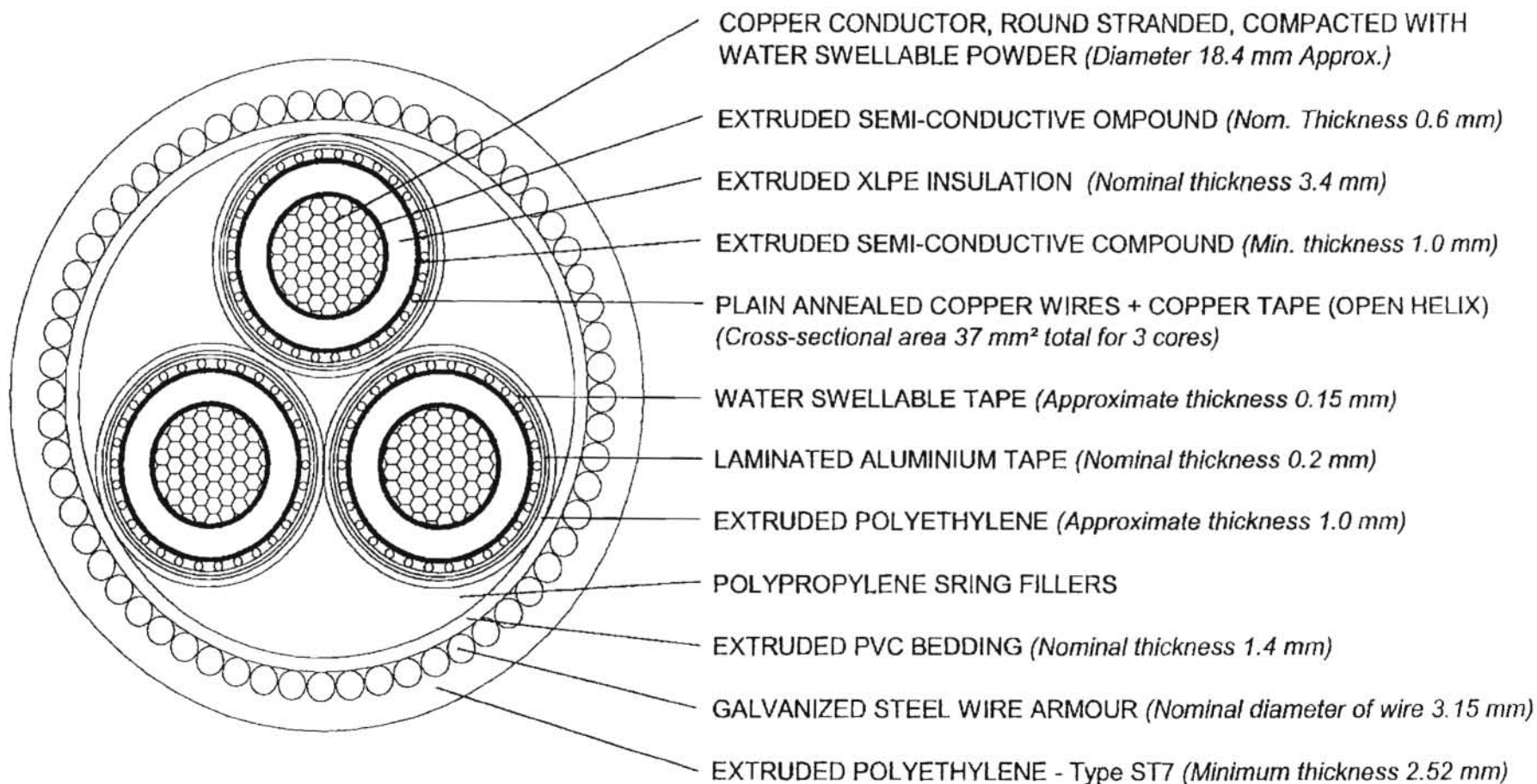
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-	2003-10-10	3x240/37 mm ²
-	2003-10-10	dimensional data



3x240/37 mm² CU/XLPE/LAT/SWA/PE 11 kV WATERTIGHT CABLE




The Outer Surface of Cable Outer sheath shall be coated with Graphite

KEMA 	
Verification	PJH
Date	2003-10-10

DIMENSIONAL DATA FOR 11 kV**3x240/37 mm² - CU/XLPE/LALT/SWA/PE**

DESCRIPTION	UNIT	DETAILS
Reference Standard		IEC 60502-2
Rated voltage of cable	KV	11
Number of cores	No.	3
Nominal Cross sectional area	mm ²	240
Form of stranding	Stranded, circular compacted	
Conductor material	Copper	
Diameter of conductor (Approx.)	mm	18.4
Nominal thickness of conductor shield	mm	0.6
Nominal thickness of XLPE Insulation	mm	3.4
Diameter over insulation (Approx.)	mm	27.3
Minimum thickness of extruded insulation shield	mm	1.0
Type of metallic screen	Cu wires + cu tape open helix	
Area of metallic screen on each core	mm ²	12.5
Semi-conductive water swellable tape	mm	0.15
Nominal thickness of Laminated Aluminium Tape	mm	0.2
Thickness of PE sheath (Approx.)	mm	1.0
Diameter over assembled cores (Approx.)	mm	76.8
Nominal thickness of PVC Bedding	mm	1.4
Nominal diameter of steel wire armour	mm	3.15
Nominal thickness of Black PE outer sheath (ST-7)	mm	3.4
Minimum thickness of PE outer sheath	mm	2.52
Overall diameter of cable (Approx.)	mm	93

Note: PE outer sheath shall be coated with graphite

KEMA 	
Verification	PJH
Date	2003-10-10