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ENGLISH MEASUREMENT VERSION



121872A Multi-Conductor - Category 6 DataTuff® Twisted Pair Cable



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General Description:

23 AWG Bonded-Pairs solid bare copper conductors, polyolefin insulation, PVC inner jacket, aluminum interlocked armor, industrial grade PVC jacket. Sequential marking at one meter intervals.

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Usage (Overall)

Suitable Applications:

Industrial Ethernet Cable, Harsh Environments, 350 MHz Enhanced Category 6, Gigabit Ethernet, 100BaseTX, 100BaseTX and 155ATM, 622ATM, NTSC/PAL Component or Composite Video, AES/EBU Digital Audio, AES51, RS-422, RJ-45 Compatible, Armored

Physical Characteristics (Overall)

Conductor

AWG:

# Pairs	AWG	Stranding	Conductor Material	Dia. (in.)
4	23	Solid	BC - Bare Copper	.022

Total Number of Conductors:

Insulation

Insulation Material:

Insulation Material	Wall Thickness (in.)	Dia. (in.)
PO - Polyolefin	.009	.038

Inner Jacket

Inner Jacket Material:

Inner Jacket Material	Nom. Dia. (in.)
PVC - Polyvinyl Chloride	.365 x .165

Outer Shield

Outer Shield Material:



Outer Jacket

Outer Jacket Material:

Outer Jacket Material	Nom. Wall Thickness (in.)
Industrial Grade PVC - Polyvinyl Chloride	0.050

Outer Jacket over Armor (y/n): Yes

Armor

Armor Type:	Interlocked			
Armor Material:	Aluminum			
Diameter over Armor:	.625			
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Overall Nominal Diameter: 0.725 in.

Pair

Pair Color Code Chart:

Number	Color	
1	White/Blue Stripe & Blue	
2 White/Orange Stripe & Ora		
3	White/Green Stripe & Green	
4	White/Brown Stripe & Brown	

Mechanical Characteristics (Overall)

Storage Temperature Range:	-40°C To +85°C
Installation Temperature Range:	-25°C To +75°C
Operating Temperature Range:	-40°C To +75°C
Bulk Cable Weight:	154 lbs/1000 ft.

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May Decomposed Dulling Tanglan	200 lba
Max. Recommended Pulling Tension:	200 lbs.
Min. Bend Radius/Minor Axis:	8.250 in.
Applicable Specifications and Agency Compliance	(Overall)
Applicable Standards & Environmental Programs NEC/(UL) Specification:	СМ
CEC/C(UL) Specification:	CMG, HL
EU Directive 2011/65/EU (ROHS II):	Yes
Other Standards:	ISO/IEC 11801 ed 2.1 (2008) Class E
	Yes
EU Directive 2000/53/EC (ELV):	
EU Directive 2002/95/EC (RoHS):	Yes
EU RoHS Compliance Date (mm/dd/yyyyy):	01/01/2006
EU Directive 2002/96/EC (WEEE):	Yes
EU Directive 2003/11/EC (BFR):	Yes
CA Prop 65 (CJ for Wire & Cable):	Yes
MII Order #39 (China RoHS):	Yes
Telecommunications Standards: Applicable Patents:	Category 6 - TIA 568.C.2
Country www.belden.com/p	
Flame Test UL Flame Test:	III 1995 III Loodina
	UL1685 UL Loading FT4
CSA Flame Test: Suitability	F14
Sunlight Resistance:	Yes
Oil Resistance:	Yes
Plenum/Non-Plenum	
Plenum (Y/N):	No
Electrical Characteristics (Overall)	
Nom. Mutual Capacitance: Capacitance (pF/ft) 15.0	
Maximum Capacitance Unbalance (pF/100 m):	49.2
Nominal Velocity of Propagation: VP (%) 70	
Maximum Delay: Delay (ns/100 m) 510 @ 100MHz	
Max. Delay Skew: Delay Skew (ns/100 m) 25	
Maximum Conductor DC Resistance: DCR @ 20°C (Ohm/100 m) 9	
Max. Operating Voltage - UL:	
Voltage 300 V RMS	
Maximum DCR Unbalanced: DCR Unbalance @ 20°C (%) 3	
Electrical Characteristics-Premise (Overall)	

Premise Cable Electrical Table 1:

Freq. (MHz) Max. Attenuation (dB/100 m) Min. NEXT (dB) Min. PSNEXT (dB) Min. ACR (dB) Min. PSACR (dB) Min RL (dB)

1 1900 74 3 72 3 72 4 70 4 20 000

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4	3.700	65.3	63.3	61.6	59.6	23.000
8	5.300	60.3	58.8	55.5	53.5	24.500
10	5.900	59.3	57.3	53.4	51.4	25.000
16	7.500	56.3	54.3	48.7	46.7	25.000
20	8.400	54.8	52.8	46.4	44.4	25.000
25	9.500	53.4	51.4	43.9	41.9	24.300
31.25	10.600	51.9	49.9	41.2	39.2	23.600
62.5	15.400	47.4	45.4	32.0	30	21.500
100	19.800	44.3	42.3	24.5	22.5	21.000
155	25.100	41.5	39.5	16.3	14.3	21.000
200	29.000	39.9	37.9	10.8	10	21.000
250	32.800	38.3	36.3	5.5	3.5	18.000
300	35.200	37.2	34.2	0.7	0	18.000
310	37.100	36.9	34.9	0		18.000
350	39.800	36.2	34.2			17.000
400	43.000	35.3	33.3			14.000
500	49.000	33.8	31.8			14.000

Premise Cable Electrical Table 2:

Freq. (MHz)	Input (Unfitted) Imp. (Ohms)	Fitted Impedance	Min. ELFEXT (dB)	Min. PSELFEXT (dB)
1	100 ± 12	100 ± 15	67.8	64.8
4	100 ± 12	100 ± 15	55.7	52.7
8	100 ± 12	100 ± 15	49.7	46.7
10	100 ± 12	100 ± 15	47.8	44.8
16	100 ± 12	100 ± 8	43.7	40.7
20	100 ± 12	100 ± 8	41.7	38.7
25	100 ± 15	100 ± 8	39.8	36.8
31.25	100 ± 15	100 ± 8	37.9	34.9
62.5	100 ± 15	100 ± 8	31.8	28.8
100	100 ± 15	100 ± 8	27.8	24.8
155	100 ± 15	100 ± 8	23.9	20.9
200	100 ± 15	100 ± 8	21.7	18.7
250	100 ± 20	100 ± 8	19.8	16.8
300	100 ± 20	100 ± 8	18.2	15.2
310	100 ± 20	100 ± 8	17.9	14.9
350	100 ± 22	100 ± 8	16.9	13.9
400	100 ± 32	100 ± 8	15.7	12.7
500	100 ± 32	100 ± 8	13.8	10.8

Notes (Overall)

Notes: **Values above 350 MHz are information only. Operating temperatures are subject to length de-rating. Cable passes -40C Cold Bend per UL 1581.

Notes (Cont'd.): T568A Plug Compatible Part Number: R301603 T568B Plug Compatible Part Number: R301604

Put Ups and Colors:

Item #	Putup	Ship Weight	Color	Notes	Item Desc
121872A J221000	1,000 FT	237.000 LB	BLUE, STRONG		1872A ALUM ARMOR PVC
121872A 0081000	1,000 FT	237.000 LB	GRAY	CZ	4 PR 24 ARM PVC CABLE
121872A 0101000	1,000 FT	237.000 LB	BLACK	CZ	4 PR 24 ARM PVC CABLE

Notes: C = CRATE REEL PUT-UP.

Z = FINAL PUT-UP LENGTH MAY VARY (+ OR -) 10% FOR SPOOLS OR REELS AND(+ OR -) 5% FOR UNREEL CARTONS FROM LENGTH SHOWN.

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