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General information



Axon' Cable is a world leader in specialist interconnect systems. The company excels in the design and manufacture of wires, cables, terminated harnesses, connectors and integrated systems for high tehnology applications including aeronautics, military, space, oil and gas exploration, medical electronics, research centres, automotive and consumer electronics. Flexible Wires (FW) are designed for applications with restricted space and challenging routing. With their optimized construction, Long Flexible Wires (LFW) are particularly suitable for dynamic applications including surveillance system, radar detection, gimbals and moving optronic systems (see pages 10 to 12).

Expert in cabling engineering

Axon' Cable is able to design the whole cabling network. Axon' engineers assist customers with the most appropriate tools including simulation software (INVENTOR, CATIA, SEE ELECTRICAL HARNESS) and co-design in all the development stages: idea, concept, prototypes, industrialisation, volume ramp-up and mass production. Axon' will bring you cost-effective solutions based on Lean Engineering and Lean Manufacturing principles.

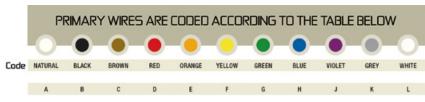
Technical solutions for assemblies

When designing ruggedised systems for harsh or demanding environments, commonly with severe or extreme operating conditions, the available space is often very limited. This in turn makes for challenging routing for the system interconnect, making very small bend radii a pre-requesite for the wires or cables. Where this is the case, **highly flexible wires and cables** can greatly ease mechanical installation and resulting interconnect life. To meet these requirements AXON' can build complete interconnect systems using a proprietary range of highly flexible multi-conductor wires and cables called **Flexible Wires (FW)**. AXON's in-house conductor design and manufacture makes it possible to produce, as standard, FW conductors with up to 119 strands. As a comparison, typical equipment wires are made with 7 or 19-strand conductors. Silver plated copper or high strength copper alloy conductors ensure that the AXON' FW cables are able to consistently meet high performance standards in applications where flexibility and flexlife are critical.

FW cables are available in various configurations including singles, twisted pairs and shielded composite versions, all of them made with high quality conductors and insulating materials in compliance with RoHS requirements.

The AXON' FW cables can also be integrated inside larger bundles of different wires and cables including signal, power, RF and optical fibres. **Long flexlife versions** have been designed for improved flexlife thanks to a thicker FEP insulation.

Colour code



FURTHER INFORMATION: as the cable insulation is thin, the jacket colour is quite transparent. In that case, the colours may be close to each other (ex: red, orange).

High flexible multistranded single wires

TYPE FW xx/xx

Insulation: FEP

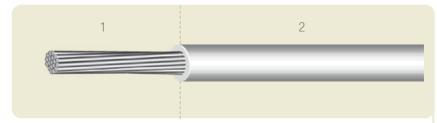
Operating temperature: -60°C to +150°C

Voltage rating: 200 Vac

Standard colours (Stock): white for FW 22/41 to FW 34/50,

black or white for FW 26/44.

Other colours on request, see colour code page 3.



Construction

PRIMARY WIRE

- 1 Conductor: silver plated copper (SPC) or silver plated copper alloy (SHT)
- 2 Insulation: thin wall extruded FEP

Physical characteristics

			INSULATED WIRE					
AXON' REFERENCE	MATERIAL	AWG	STRAND NUMBER	STRAND Ø (mm)	NOMINAL AREA (mm²)	NOMINAL RESISTANCE (Ω/100 m)	NOMINAL Ø (mm)	APPROX. WEIGHT (g/m)
FW 22/41	SPC	22	72	0.07	0.277	6.25	0.85	2.90
FW 24/44	SPC	24	105	0.05	0.206	9	0.73	2.10
FW 26/44	SPC	26	63	0.05	0.124	14.5	0.62	1.30
FW 28/48	SHT	28	119	0.031	0.090	26.2	0.52	0.90
FW 30/50	SHT	30	105	0.025	0.052	42.7	0.42	0.60
FW 32/50	SHT	32	70	0.025	0.034	64	0.38	0.40
FW 34/50	SHT	34	42	0.025	0.021	106.8	0.32	0.30

Identification code

FW xx / xx
Flexible wire Conductor size (AWG) Strand size (AWG)

SPC: SILVER PLATED COPPER - SHT: SILVER HARD TIN



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High flexible twisted pairs

TYPE 2 FW xx/xx

Insulation: FEP

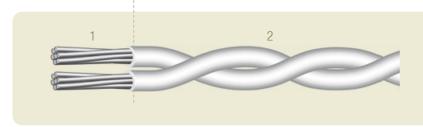
Operating temperature: -60°C to +150°C

Voltage rating: 200 Vac

Standard colours (Stock): white for FW 22/41 to FW 34/50,

black or white for FW 26/44.

Other colours on request, see colour code page 3.



Construction

PRIMARY WIRE

- 1 Conductor: silver plated copper (SPC) or silver plated copper alloy (SHT)
- 2 Insulation: thin wall extruded FEP

Physical characteristics

			COND	UCTOR	INSULATED WIRE	TWISTED PAIRS				
AXON' REFERENCE	MATERIAL	AWG	STRAND NUMBER	STRAND Ø (mm)	NOMINAL AREA (mm²)	NOMINAL RESISTANCE (Ω/100 m)	NOMINAL Ø (mm)	NOMINAL Ø (mm)	APPROX. WEIGHT (g/m)	APPROX. LAY LENGTH (mm)
2 FW 22/41	SPC	22	72	0.07	0.277	6.25	0.85	1.70	5.9	20
2 FW 24/44	SPC	24	105	0.05	0.206	9	0.73	1.46	4.2	18
2 FW 26/44	SPC	26	63	0.05	0.124	14.5	0.62	1.24	2.7	15
2 FW 28/48	SHT	28	119	0.031	0.090	26.2	0.52	1.03	2.0	12
2 FW 30/50	SHT	30	105	0.025	0.052	42.7	0.42	0.84	1.2	10
2 FW 32/50	SHT	32	70	0.025	0.034	64	0.38	0.76	0.85	9
2 FW 34/50	SHT	34	42	0.025	0.021	106.8	0.32	0.64	0.5	8

Identification code

Number of wires Flexible wire Conductor size (AWG) Strand size (AWG)



High flexible twisted triples

TYPE 3 FW xx/xx

Insulation: FEP

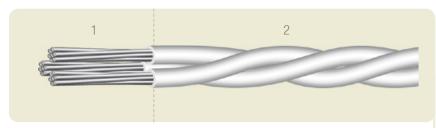
Operating temperature: -60°C to +150°C

Voltage rating: 200 Vac

Standard colours (Stock): white for FW 22/41 to FW 34/50,

black or white for FW 26/44.

Other colours on request, see colour code page 3.



Construction

PRIMARY WIRE

1 - Conductor: silver plated copper (SPC) or silver plated copper alloy (SHT)

2 - Insulation: thin wall extruded FEP

Physical characteristics

			CONDL	JCTOR	INSULATED WIRE	TWISTED TRIPLES				
AXON' REFERENCE	MATERIAL	AWG	STRAND NUMBER	STRAND Ø (mm)	NOMINAL AREA (mm²)	NOMINAL RESISTANCE (Ω/100 m)	NOMINAL Ø (mm)	NDMINAL ∅ (mm)	APPROX. WEIGHT (g/m)	APPROX. LAY LENGTH (mm)
3 FW 22/41	SPC	22	72	0.07	0.277	6.25	0.85	1.83	8.9	22
3 FW 24/44	SPC	24	105	0.05	0.206	9	0.73	1.57	6.4	19
3 FW 26/44	SPC	26	63	0.05	0.124	14.5	0.62	1.33	4.0	16
3 FW 28/48	SHT	28	119	0.031	0.090	26.2	0.515	1.11	3.0	13
3 FW 30/50	SHT	30	105	0.025	0.052	42.7	0.42	0.90	1.8	11
3 FW 32/50	SHT	32	70	0.025	0.034	64	0.38	0.82	1.3	10
3 FW 34/50	SHT	34	42	0.025	0.021	106.8	0.32	0.69	0.8	8

Identification code

Number of wires Flexible wire Conductor size (AWG) Strand size (AWG)



High flexible twisted quads

TYPE 4 FW xx/xx

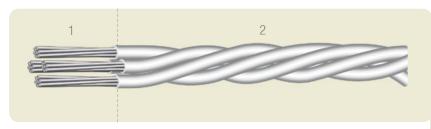
Insulation: FEP

Operating temperature: -60°C to +150°C

Voltage rating: 200 Vac

Standard colours (Stock): white for FW 22/41 to FW 34/50, black or white for FW 26/44.

Other colours on request, see colour code page 3.



Construction

PRIMARY WIRE

- 1 Conductor: silver plated copper (SPC) or silver plated copper alloy (SHT)
- 2 Insulation: thin wall extruded FEP

Physical characteristics

			COND	UCTOR	INSULATED WIRE	TWISTED QUADS				
AXON' REFERENCE	MATERIAL	AWG	STRAND NUMBER	STRAND Ø (mm)	NOMINAL AREA (mm²)	NOMINAL RESISTANCE (Ω/100 m)	NOMINAL Ø (mm)	NOMINAL Ø (mm)	APPROX. WEIGHT (g/m)	APPROX. LAY LENGTH (mm)
4 FW 22/41	SPC	22	72	0.07	0.277	6.25	0.85	2.05	11.9	25
4 FW 24/44	SPC	24	105	0.05	0.206	9	0.73	1.76	8.5	21
4 FW 26/44	SPC	26	63	0.05	0.124	14.5	0.62	1.49	5.4	18
4 FW 28/48	SHT	28	119	0.031	0.090	26.2	0.515	1.24	4.0	15
4 FW 30/50	SHT	30	105	0.025	0.052	42.7	0.42	1.01	2.4	12
4 FW 32/50	SHT	32	70	0.025	0.034	64	0.38	0.92	1.7	11
4 FW 34/50	SHT	34	42	0.025	0.021	106.8	0.32	0.77	1.1	9

Identification code

4 FW xx / xx
Number of wires Flexible wire Conductor size (AWG) Strand size (AWG)



High flexible shielded and jacketed single core cables

TYPE FW xx/xx STK1

Insulation: FEP

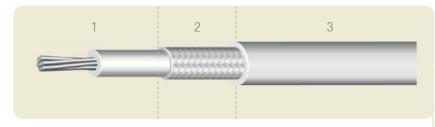
Operating temperature: -60°C to +150°C

Voltage rating: 200 Vac

Standard colours (Stock): white for FW 22/41 to FW 34/50,

black or white for FW 26/44.

Other colours on request, see colour code page 3.



Construction

PRIMARY WIRE

- 1 Conductor: silver plated copper (SPC) or silver plated copper alloy (SHT)
 - Insulation: thin wall extruded FEP

SHIELDING

2 - Material: silver plated copper (SPC) or silver plated copper alloy (SHT)

OUTER JACKET

3 - Thin wall extruded FEP

Physical characteristics

	PRIMAR	RY WIRE	BRAIDED	SHIELD	JACKET		
AXON' REFERENCE	REFERENCE	NOMINAL ∅ (mm)	CONSTRUCTION	MIN. COVERAGE (%)	NOMINAL OUTER Ø (mm)	APPROX. WEIGHT (g/m)	
FW 22/41 STK1	FW 22/41	0.85	16 x 4 x 0.05	80	1.17	4.60	
FW 24/44 STK1	FW 24/44	0.73	16 x 4 x 0.05	80	1.05	3.75	
FW 26/44 STK1	FW 26/44	0.62	16 x 3 x 0.05	80	0.94	2.60	
FW 28/48 STK1	FW 28/48	0.52	16 x 3 x 0.05	80	0.84	2.25	
FW 30/50 STK1	FW 30/50	0.42	16 x 3 x 0.05	80	0.74	1.84	
FW 32/50 STK1	FW 32/50	0.38	16 x 2 x 0.05	80	0.70	1.30	
FW 34/50 STK1	FW 34/50	0.32	16 x 2 x 0.05	80	0.64	1.15	

Identification code

FW XX / XX ST K 1

Flexible wire Conductor size (AWG) Standard FEP Number of wire (AWG)



High flexible shielded and jacketed twisted pairs with drain

TYPE FW xx/xx STK2 + DW

Insulation: FEP

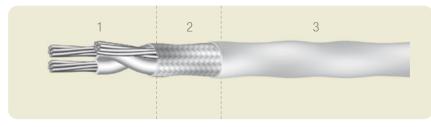
Operating temperature: -60°C to +150°C

Voltage rating: 200 Vac

Standard colours (Stock): white for FW 22/41 to FW 34/50,

black or white for FW 26/44.

Other colours on request, see colour code page 3.



Construction

PRIMARY WIRE

- 1 Conductor: silver plated copper (SPC) or silver plated copper alloy (SHT)
 - Insulation: thin wall extruded FEP
- Drain wire: silver plated copper (SPC) or silver plated copper alloy (SHT)

SHIELDING

2 - Material: silver plated copper (SPC) or silver plated copper alloy (SHT)

OUTER JACKET

3 - Thin wall extruded FEP

Physical characteristics

	PRIMAI	RY WIRE	DRAIN V	VIRE	BRAIDED S	HIELD	JACKET	
AXON' REFERENCE	REFERENCE	NOMINAL Ø (mm)	MATERIAL	AWG	CONSTRUCTION	MIN. COVERAGE (%)	NOMINAL OUTER Ø (mm)	APPROX. WEIGHT (g/m)
FW 22/41 STK2 + DW	FW 22/41	0.85	SPC	22	16 x 8 x 0.05	80	2.02	12
FW 24/44 STK2 + DW	FW 24/44	0.73	SPC	24	16 x 7 x 0.05	80	1.78	9.2
FW 26/44 STK2 + DW	FW 26/44	0.62	SPC	26	16 x 6 x 0.05	80	1.59	6.4
FW 28/48 STK2 + DW	FW 28/48	0.52	SHT	28	16 x 5 x 0.05	80	1.36	4.96
FW 30/50 STK2 + DW	FW 30/50	0.42	SHT	30	16 x 5 x 0.05	80	1.22	3.8
FW 32/50 STK2 + DW	FW 32/50	0.38	SHT	32	16 x 4 x 0.05	80	1.08	2.9
FW 34/50 STK2 + DW	FW 34/50	0.32	SHT	34	16 x 4 x 0.05	80	1.02	2.43

Identification code

FW xx / xx ST K 2 + DW

Flexible wire Conductor size (AWG) Standard braid FEP Number of wires

Orain wire

Long flexlife single wires

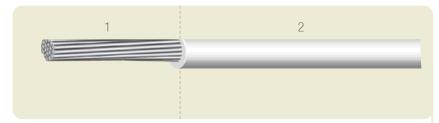
TYPE LFW xx/xx

Insulation: FEP

Operating temperature: -60°C to +150°C

Voltage rating: 200 Vac

Standard colours: see colour code page 3.



Construction

PRIMARY WIRE

- 1 Conductor: silver plated copper (SPC) or silver plated copper alloy (SHT)
- 2 Insulation: thin wall extruded FEP

Physical characteristics

			CC	NDUCTOR			INSULATED WIRE		
AXON' REFERENCE	MATERIAL	AWG	STRAND NUMBER	STRAND Ø (mm)	NOMINAL AREA (mm²)	NOMINAL RESISTANCE (Ω/100 m)	NOMINAL Ø (mm)	APPROX. WEIGHT (g/m)	
LFW 22/41	SPC	22	72	0.07	0.277	6.25	0.91	3.05	
LFW 24/44	SPC	24	105	0.05	0.206	9	0.78	2.30	
LFW 26/44	SPC	26	63	0.05	0.124	14.5	0.66	1.39	
LFW 28/48	SHT	28	119	0.031	0.090	26.2	0.56	1.04	
LFW 30/50	SHT	30	105	0.025	0.052	42.7	0.46	0.65	
LFW 32/50	SHT	32	70	0.025	0.034	64	0.41	0.47	
LFW 34/50	SHT	34	42	0.025	0.021	106.8	0.36	0.32	

Identification code

LFW XX / XX
Long Flexlife Wire Conductor size (AWG) Strand size (AWG)



Long flexlife twisted pairs

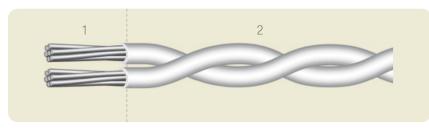
TYPE 2 LFW xx/xx

Insulation: FEP

Operating temperature: -60°C to +150°C

Voltage rating: 200 Vac

Standard colours: see colour code page 3.



Construction

PRIMARY WIRE

- 1 Conductor: silver plated copper (SPC) or silver plated copper alloy (SHT)
- 2 Insulation: thin wall extruded FEP

Physical characteristics

			COND	UCTOR	INSULATED WIRE	TWISTED PAIRS				
AXON' REFERENCE	MATERIAL	AWG	STRAND NUMBER	STRAND Ø (mm)	NOMINAL AREA (mm²)	NOMINAL RESISTANCE (Ω/100 m)	NOMINAL Ø (mm)	NOMINAL Ø (mm)	APPROX. WEIGHT (g/m)	APPROX. LAY LENGTH (mm)
2 LFW 22/41	SPC	22	72	0.07	0.277	6.25	0.91	1.82	6.41	20
2 LFW 24/44	SPC	24	105	0.05	0.206	9	0.78	1.56	4.83	18
2 LFW 26/44	SPC	26	63	0.05	0.124	14.5	0.66	1.32	2.92	16
2 LFW 28/48	SHT	28	119	0.031	0.090	26.2	0.56	1.12	2.18	12
2 LFW 30/50	SHT	30	105	0.025	0.052	42.7	0.46	0.92	1.37	10
2 LFW 32/50	SHT	32	70	0.025	0.034	64	0.41	0.82	0.99	9
2 LFW 34/50	SHT	34	42	0.025	0.021	106.8	0.36	0.72	0.67	8

Identification code

2 LFW xx / xx

Number of wires Long Flexlife Wire Conductor size (AWG) Strand size (AWG)



Long flexlife shielded and jacketed pairs

TYPE LFW xx/xx STK2

Insulation: FEP

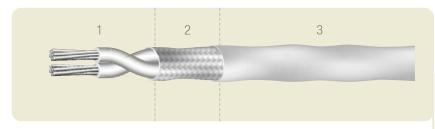
Operating temperature: -60°C to +150°C

Voltage rating: 200 Vac

Standard colours (Stock): white for FW 22/41 to FW 34/50,

black or white for FW 26/44.

Other colours on request, see colour code page 3.



Construction

PRIMARY WIRE

- 1 Conductor: silver plated copper (SPC) or silver plated copper alloy (SHT)
 - Insulation: thin wall extruded FEP

SHIELDING

2 - Material: silver plated copper & copper alloy

OUTER JACKET

3 - Thin wall extruded FEP

Physical characteristics

	PRIMAR'	Y WIRE	BRAIDED SI	HIELD	JACK	ET
AXON' REFERENCE	REFERENCE	NOMINAL Ø (mm)	CONSTRUCTION	MIN. COVERAGE (%)	NOMINAL OUTER Ø (mm)	APPROX. WEIGHT (g/m)
LFW 22/41 STK2	LFW 22/41	0.91	16 x 8 x 0.05	80	2.20	10.30
LFW 24/44 STK2	LFW 24/44	0.78	16 x 7 x 0.05	80	1.94	8.24
LFW 26/44 STK2	LFW 26/44	0.66	16 x 6 x 0.05	80	1.68	5.74
LFW 28/48 STK2	LFW 28/48	0.56	16 x 5 x 0.05	80	1.48	4.57
LFW 30/50 STK2	LFW 30/50	0.46	16 x 4 x 0.05	80	1.28	3.31
LFW 32/50 STK2	LFW 32/50	0.41	16 x 4 x 0.05	80	1.18	2.89
LFW 34/50 STK2	LFW 34/50	0.36	16 x 3 x 0.05	80	1.08	2.18

Identification code

Long Flexlife Wire Conductor size Strand size (AWG) **FEP** Standard Number of (AWG) braid wires



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