TECHNICAL DATA SHEET	Lite	HVCRC® Lite (AL1) 160 - 18 Epsilon Advanced Conductors	EPSILON CABLE
International size	**BERN**		
ASTM Size	-		
Technical designation	ECRC® 160-AL1/18-L0		



Governing Units: Metric

CONDUCTOR PROPERTIES		
Cross Sectional Area - Aluminium	159.4	mm²
Cross Sectional Area - HVCRC Core	17.9	mm²
Total Area of Conductor Cross Section	177.4	mm²
Overall Diameter of Conductor	15.5	mm
No. & Diameter of the core	1 x 4.78	mm
Mass per unit length - Annealed Aluminium	441.0	kg/km
Mass per unit length - Core	33.7	kg/km
Mass per unit length - Conductor	474.7	kg/km
Ultimate Tensile Strength of Conductor	45.6	kN
Core Rated Tensile Strength	20.1	kN
Coefficient of Linear Expansion **Above** Thermal Kneepoint	1.6	10^{-6} K^{-1}
Coefficient of Linear Expansion **Below** Thermal Kneepoint	19.01	10^{-6} K^{-1}
Final Modulus of Elasticity **Above** Thermal Kneepoint	112	GPa
Final Modulus of Elasticity **Below** Thermal Kneepoint	61	GPa
THERMAL SPECIFICATIONS		
Maximum Continuous Operating Temperature (surface temperature)	90	°C
Thermal Heat Capacity for Annealed Aluminium Layers	421.2	W.s/m.°C
Thermal Heat Capacity for Composite Core	27.0	W.s/m.°C
ELECTRICAL SPECIFICATIONS		
Maximum DC Electrical Resistance at 20°C	0.1820	$\Omega.km^{-1}$
Temperature Coefficient of Resistance	4.03	10^{-3} K^{-1}
AC Nominal Resistance at 25°C (surface temperature)	0.1861	$\Omega.km^{-1}$
AC Nominal Resistance at 75°C (surface temperature)	0.2227	$\Omega.km^{-1}$
AC Nominal Resistance at 90°C (surface temperature)	0.2337	$\Omega.km^{-1}$
AC Current Rating at 90°C (surface temperature)[1]	562	A
Geometric Mean Radius (GMR)	-	mm

(1) Ampacity calculations based on IEEE Standard 738-2012, according to the following data:

25 °C ambient temperature, — *0.61 m/s wind velocity with an angle of 90 °,*

1000 W/m² solar radiation, — *0.5 solar absorption coefficient,*

0.6 emissivity coefficient, — *Resistance AC at 50 Hz current frequency.*

Conductor continuous operating temperature can be changed in accordance with country specification for hard aluminium.

Core properties tested as per methods of ASTM B987/IEC 62818-1

Reference standards for electrical specifications: IEC 62219.

Reference standards for stranding parameters: ASTM B779/IEC 62219.

Depending on conductor manufacturer rated specifications may slightly change.

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