Meß-, Regel- und Kryotechnik

Coax cable for low temperature applications

Type 1: Brass central conductor

Number and type of conductors:

This cable is available with:

- one single central conductor, varnish insulated, with no outer insulation

- one central conductor, two strands, uninsulated, with no outer insulation

- one central conductor, two strands, uninsulated, low noise PE sleeve, with no outer insulation

- two central conductors, varnish insulated, in twisted pair, with no outer insulation

- two central conductors, varnish insulated, each in Teflon sleeve, in twisted pair, no outer insul.

- two central conductors, bare, each in a Teflon sleeve, in twisted pair, with no outer insulation

- two central conductors, varnish insulated, in twisted pair, with outer insulation

- four central conductors, varnish insulated, with four twisted wires, with no outer insulation

Single wire, single strand GVLZ036

Dimensions:

outer diameter: $\phi 0.65mm$

Typical composition:

central wire: brass Ms63, ϕ 0.1mm, varnish insulated

core insulation: Teflon

outer shielding: CuNi (55% Cu, 44% Ni, 1% Mn)

outer insulation: none

Electrical properties at room temperature:

Central wire resistance: $8.1\Omega/m$

Shielding resistance: 5.5 Ω/m

Capacity between central wire and shielding (single wire): 63 pF/m

Bandwidth: [±3dB, 50Ω Termination]: 0 - 300MHz

Single wire, double strand GVLZ034

Dimensions:

outer diameter: $\phi 0.8mm$

Typical composition:

central wire: brass Ms63, 2x \u00f60.1mm, uninsulated

core insulation: Teflon

outer shielding: CuNi (55% Cu, 44% Ni, 1% Mn)

outer insulation: none

Electrical properties at room temperature:

Central wire resistance: $4\Omega/m$

Shielding resistance: 5.5 Ω/m

Capacity between central wire and shielding (single wire): 70 pF/m Bandwidth: $[\pm 3dB, 50\Omega$ Termination]: 0 - 300MHz

Single wire, double strand, low noise GVLZ189

<u>Dimensions:</u> outer diameter: $\phi 0.8$ mm <u>Typical composition</u>: central wire: brass Ms63, 2x $\phi 0.1$ mm, uninsulated core insulation: Polyethylene (PE) outer shielding: CuNi (55% Cu, 44% Ni, 1% Mn) outer insulation: none <u>Electrical properties at room temperature</u>: Central wire resistance: $4\Omega/m$ Shielding resistance: $5.5 \Omega/m$ Capacity between central wire and shielding (single wire): 84 pF/m Bandwidth: [±3dB, 50 Ω Termination]: 0 – 300MHz

Double wire - twisted pair GVLZ033

Dimensions: outer diameter: ϕ 0.8mm Typical composition: central wires: brass Ms63, 2x ϕ 0.1mm, varnish insulated core insulation: Teflon outer shielding: CuNi (55% Cu, 44% Ni, 1% Mn) outer insulation: none Electrical properties at room temperature: Central wire resistance: 8.1Ω/m Shielding resistance: 5.5 Ω/m (some batches present 4.4 Ω/m) Capacity between one central wire and shielding: 70 pF/m Capacity between both central wires: 145 pF/m

Double wire - twisted pair with individual insulation GVLZ141

Dimensions: outer diameter: ϕ 0.8mm <u>Typical composition</u>: central wires: brass Ms63, 2x ϕ 0.1mm, varnish insulated core insulation for each wire separately: Teflon outer shielding: CuNi (55% Cu, 44% Ni, 1% Mn) outer insulation: none <u>Electrical properties at room temperature</u>: Central wire resistance: 8.1Ω/m Shielding resistance: 5.5 Ω/m Capacity between one central wire and shielding: 62 pF/m Capacity between both central wires: 36 pF/m

Double wire - twisted pair with individual insulation GVLZ286

Dimensions: outer diameter: ϕ 0.85mm <u>Typical composition</u>: central wires: brass Ms63, 2x ϕ 0.13mm, uninsulated core insulation for each wire separately: Teflon outer shielding: CuNi (55% Cu, 44% Ni, 1% Mn) outer insulation: none <u>Electrical properties at room temperature (tentative)</u>: Central wire resistance: 5.2Ω/m Shielding resistance: 5.5 Ω/m Capacity between one central wire and shielding: 62 pF/m Capacity between both central wires: 36 pF/m

Double wire - twisted pair with outer insulation GVLZ282

Dimensions: outer diameter: ϕ 1.1mm <u>Typical composition</u>: central wires: brass Ms63, 2x ϕ 0.1mm, varnish insulated core insulation: Teflon outer shielding: CuNi (55% Cu, 44% Ni, 1% Mn) outer insulation: Teflon <u>Electrical properties at room temperature</u>: Central wire resistance: 8.8Ω/m Shielding resistance: 6.0 Ω/m Capacity between one central wire and shielding: 70 pF/m Capacity between both central wires: 145 pF/m

Quad wire – double twisted pair high coverage GVLZ224

<u>Dimensions:</u> outer diameter: approx. ϕ 0.9mm <u>Typical composition</u>: central wires: $4x \ \phi$ 0.1mm metal, polyimid insulated to ϕ 0.13mm core insulation: Teflon, approx. ϕ 0.65mm od outer shielding: Constantan (55% Cu, 44% Ni, 1% Mn) braid made of 50µm bare wires outer insulation: none <u>Electrical properties at room temperature</u>: Central wire resistance: $8.4\Omega/m$ Shielding resistance: $4.3 \ \Omega/m$ Capacity between central wire and shielding: 127 pF/m

Capacity between two central wires: 151 pF/m

Type 2: Superconducting central conductor

Number and type of conductors:

This cable with no outer insulation is available with:

- one single central conductor NbTi/CuNi, varnish insulated
- one single central conductor NbTi/CuNi, uninsulated
- two central conductors NbTi/CuNi in twisted pair, varnish insulated
- two central conductors NbTi in twisted pair, varnish insulated
- two central conductors NbTi in twisted pair, high coverage, varnish insulated
- two central conductors, NbTi/CuNi bare, each in a Teflon sleeve, in twisted pair
- two central conductors, NbTi/Cu varnish insulated, each in Teflon sleeve, in twisted pair
- three central conductors, twisted together, varnish insulated

Single wire GVLZ032

Dimensions: outer diameter: ϕ 0.65mm <u>Typical composition</u>: central wire: superconducting NbTi in CuNi matrix (90% Cu, 10% Ni), ratio NbTi/CuNi : 1/1.5, ϕ 0.1mm, varnish insulated core insulation: Teflon outer shielding: CuNi (55% Cu, 44% Ni, 1% Mn) outer insulation: none <u>Electrical properties at room temperature</u>: Central wire resistance: 39 Ω/m Shielding resistance: 5.5 Ω/m Capacity between central wire and shielding (single wire): 61 pF/m

Single wire GVLZ137

Dimensions: outer diameter: ϕ 0.65mm <u>Typical composition</u>: central wire: superconducting NbTi in CuNi matrix (90% Cu, 10% Ni), ratio NbTi/CuNi : 1/1.5, ϕ 0.1mm, uninsulated core insulation: Teflon outer shielding: CuNi (55% Cu, 44% Ni, 1% Mn) outer insulation: none <u>Electrical properties at room temperature</u>: Central wire resistance: 40 Ω /m Shielding resistance: 5.5 Ω /m Capacity between central wire and shielding (single wire): 61 pF/m

Double wire - twisted pair GVLZ031

Dimensions: outer diameter: ϕ 0.8mm <u>Typical composition</u>: central wire: superconducting NbTi in CuNi matrix (90% Cu, 10% Ni), ratio NbTi/CuNi : 1/1.5, 2x ϕ 0.1mm, varnish insulated core insulation: Teflon outer shielding: CuNi (55% Cu, 44% Ni, 1% Mn) outer insulation: none <u>Electrical properties at room temperature</u>: Central wire resistance: 41 Ω/m Shielding resistance: 5.5 Ω/m Capacity between central wire and shielding (double wire): 60 pF/m Capacity between both central wires (double wire): 90 pF/m

Triple wire - twisted triplet GVLZ030

Dimensions: outer diameter: ϕ 0.85mm <u>Typical composition</u>: central wire: superconducting NbTi in CuNi matrix (90% Cu, 10% Ni), ratio NbTi/CuNi : 1/1.5, 3x ϕ 0.1mm, varnish insulated core insulation: Teflon outer shielding: CuNi (55% Cu, 44% Ni, 1% Mn) outer insulation: none <u>Electrical properties at room temperature</u>: Central wire resistance: 67 Ω/m Shielding resistance: 5.5 Ω/m Capacity between central wire and shielding (triple wire): 60 pF/m Capacity between two central wires (triple wire): 90 pF/m

Double wire - twisted pair GVLZ217

Dimensions: outer diameter: $\phi 0.8$ mm <u>Typical composition</u>: central wire: superconducting NbTi without matrix, varnish insulated core insulation: Teflon outer shielding: CuNi (55% Cu, 44% Ni, 1% Mn) outer insulation: none <u>Electrical properties at room temperature (tentative)</u>: Central wire resistance: 85 Ω /m Shielding resistance: 5.5 Ω /m Capacity between central wire and shielding (double wire): 60 pF/m Capacity between both central wires (double wire): 90 pF/m

Double wire - twisted pair - high coverage shielding GVLZ223

<u>Dimensions</u>: outer diameter: ϕ 0.8mm <u>Typical composition</u>: central wire: superconducting NbTi without matrix, varnish insulated core insulation: Teflon outer shielding: CuNi (55% Cu, 44% Ni, 1% Mn) high coverage braid made of 50µm bare wires outer insulation: none <u>Electrical properties at room temperature (tentative)</u>: Central wire resistance: 87 Ω/m Shielding resistance: 6.3 Ω/m Capacity between central wire and shielding (double wire): 64 pF/m Capacity between both central wires (double wire): 93 pF/m

Double wire - twisted pair - high coverage shielding GVLZ241

<u>Dimensions</u>: outer diameter: $\phi 0.8$ mm <u>Typical composition</u>: central wire: superconducting NbTi with **thin CuNi matrix**, varnish insulated, ratio NbTi/CuNi : 1/.23, core insulation: Teflon outer shielding: CuNi (55% Cu, 44% Ni, 1% Mn) high coverage braid made of 50µm bare wires outer insulation: none <u>Electrical properties at room temperature (tentative)</u>: Central wire resistance: 87 Ω/m Shielding resistance: 6.3 Ω/m Capacity between central wire and shielding (double wire): 64 pF/m Capacity between both central wires (double wire): 93 pF/m

Double wire - twisted pair GVLZ289

<u>Dimensions</u>: outer diameter: ϕ 0.85mm <u>Typical composition</u>: central wire: superconducting NbTi in thin CuNi matrix (90% Cu, 10% Ni), ratio NbTi/CuNi : 1/.23, 2x ϕ 0.13mm, uninsulated core insulation for each wire separately: Teflon outer shielding: CuNi (55% Cu, 44% Ni, 1% Mn) outer insulation: none <u>Electrical properties at room temperature (tentative)</u>: Central wire resistance: 41 Ω /m Shielding resistance: 5.5 Ω /m Capacity between one central wire and shielding: 62 pF/m Capacity between both central wires: 36 pF/m

Double wire - twisted pair GVLZ291

Dimensions:

outer diameter: $\phi 0.85$ mm

<u>Typical composition</u>:

central wire: superconducting NbTi in Cu matrix,

ratio NbTi/Cu : 1/1.5, 2x ϕ 0.13mm, varnish insulated

core insulation: Teflon

outer shielding: CuNi (55% Cu, 44% Ni, 1% Mn)

outer insulation: none

Electrical properties at room temperature (tentative):

Central wire resistance: 2.5 Ω/m

Shielding resistance: 5.5 Ω/m

Capacity between central wire and shielding (double wire): 60 pF/m

Capacity between both central wires (double wire): 90 pF/m

Type 3: Copper central conductor

<u>Number and type of conductors</u>: This cable with outer insulation is available with: - two central conductors in twisted pair, varnish insulated

Double wire - twisted pair GVLZ081

Dimensions: outer diameter: ϕ 1.2mm <u>Typical composition</u>: central wires: Copper, 2x ϕ 0.15mm, varnish insulated core insulation: Teflon outer shielding: CuNi (55% Cu, 44% Ni, 1% Mn) outer insulation: Teflon <u>Electrical properties at room temperature</u>: Central wire resistance: 1.1Ω/m Shielding resistance: 5.5 Ω/m Capacity between central wire and shielding (double wire): 70 pF/m Capacity between both central wires (double wire): 130 pF/m

Type 4: Non-magnetic, brass central conductor

<u>Number and type of conductors</u>: This cable with no outer insulation is available with: - two central conductors in twisted pair, varnish insulated

Double wire - twisted pair GVLZ169

Dimensions: outer diameter: ϕ 0.8mm <u>Typical composition</u>: central wires: brass Ms63, 2x ϕ 0.1mm, varnish insulated core insulation: Teflon outer shielding: brass Ms63 outer insulation: none <u>Electrical properties at room temperature</u>: Central wire resistance: 8.1Ω/m Shielding resistance: 0.56 Ω/m Capacity between central wire and shielding (double wire): 70 pF/m Capacity between both central wires (double wire): 145 pF/m

Type 5: Low-noise, CuNi central conductor

Number and type of conductors: This cable with no outer insulation is available with: - one central conductor *This cable is made with a special process leading to differences in batch properties. We have it currently in two versions, indicated B2 and B3.*

Single wire, single strand GVLZ185

Dimensions: outer diameter: ϕ 0.60mm <u>Typical composition</u>: central wire: CuNi (70% Cu, 30% Ni) ϕ 0.09mm (B2) or ϕ 0.12mm (B3) core insulation: Graphite loaded outer shielding: CuNi (55% Cu, 44% Ni, 1% Mn) high coverage outer insulation: none <u>Electrical properties at room temperature</u>: Central wire resistance: 60Ω/m (B2) or 32Ω/m (B3) Shielding resistance: 2.8 Ω/m Capacity between central wire and shielding: 105 pF/m (B2) or 81 pF/m (B3)

Type 6: Manganin central conductor

<u>Number and type of conductors</u>: This cable with no outer insulation is available with: - two central conductors in twisted pair, varnish insulated

Double wire - twisted pair low noise GVLZ215

Dimensions: outer diameter: ϕ 0.8mm <u>Typical composition</u>: central wires: Manganin, 2x ϕ 0.127mm, varnish insulated core insulation: Polyethylene (PE) outer shielding: CuNi (55% Cu, 44% Ni, 1% Mn) outer insulation: none <u>Electrical properties at room temperature (tentative)</u>: Central wire resistance: 34Ω/m Shielding resistance: 5.5 Ω/m Capacity between central wire and shielding (double wire): 84 pF/m Capacity between both central wires (double wire): 148 pF/m

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