

2170003	DATA SHEET	
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Application

RG-188 A/U are coaxial cables for radio and computer systems, as well as applications related to commercial radio-frequency (high frequency) technology and electronics. They allow distortion-free and low-attenuation transmission of signals with a high bandwidth over shorter distances and were designed for operating frequencies up to 3 GHz. The cable is intended for limited movements and for fixed installation in dry and damp interiors and outdoors. It meets the requirements concerning high ambient temperatures and chemical stress.

Design

Design	Cable design and electrical properties of RG-188 A/U to MIL-C-17. Designation in accordance with MIL-DTL-17 H: M17/138-00001
Conductor	Inner conductor: steel wire, copper plated silver 7x0.17 mm (26AWG/0.16 mm ²) Ø: ca. 0.51 mm
Insulation	PTFE, 1.52 mm Ø
Screen	Outer conductor: braid silvered copper wires coverage 92 % (nominal value)
Outer sheath	PTFE, white Outer diameter: 2.7 ± 0.1 mm

Electrical properties at 20°C

Conductor resistance	Inner conductor: max. 317 Ω/km
Insulation resistance	min. 10 GΩ x km
Mutual capacitance	max. 95 pF/m (1 kHz)
Characteristic impedance	50 ± 2 Ω
Attenuation	max. 40 dB/100 m (100 MHz) max. 54 dB/100 m (400 MHz) max. 100 dB/100 m (1000 MHz) max. 195 dB/100 m (3000 MHz)
Velocity of propagation	0,70 c
Peak operating voltage	max. 1,2 kV (HF voltage)
Rated voltage	max. 0,9 kV (RMS)
Test voltage	2 kV

Mechanical and thermal properties

Minimum bending radius	occasional flexing: 10 x cable Ø fixed installation: 6 x cable Ø
Temperature range	fixed installation: -55 °C up to 230 °C
General requirements	This cable is conform to the EU-Directive 2011/65/EU (RoHS, Restriction of the use of certain hazardous substances).
Environmental information	These cables meet the substance-specific requirements of the EU Directive 2011/65/EU (RoHS).

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