

WIRE LUBRICANTS

SELECTION GUIDE

Application Selection

	Commercial	Utility
Temperature Range	40°F - 120°F (4°C - 49°C)	-28°F - 120°F (-33°C - 49°C)
Length of Run	Up to 75 ft. (finished construction) Up to 1,200 ft. (new construction)	Up to 250 ft.
Installation Time	8 hrs.	24 hrs.
Best Choice	ClearGlide® (finished construction) Yellow 77® and Yellow 77® Plus (new construction)	Aqua-Gel® II & Velocity™ (indoors, outdoors) Aqua-Gel® CW & IIP (outdoors)

Product Selection

	Yellow 77®	Yellow 77® Plus	ClearGlide®	Aqua-Gel® II	Aqua-Gel® IIP	Aqua-Gel® CW	Velocity™
Color	Yellow	Yellow	Clear	Blue	Blue	Pink	Cream
Base	Wax	Wax	Polymer	Polymer	Polymer	Polymer	Polymer
Average Coefficient of Friction*	.17	.16	.23	.19	.19	.19	.16
Stability Range	32°F - 130°F (0°C - 54°C)	32°F - 190°F (0°C - 88°C)	32°F - 180°F (0°C - 82°C)	28°F - 180°F (-2°C - 82°C)	28°F - 180°F (-2°C - 82°C)	-28°F - 190°F (-33°C - 82°C)	25°F - 140°F (-3.9°C - 60°C)
Application Temperature Range	40°F - 100°F (4°C - 38°C)	40°F - 100°F (4°C - 38°C)	40°F - 100°F (4°C - 38°C)	40°F - 100°F (4°C - 38°C)	40°F - 100°F (4°C - 38°C)	-28°F - 40°F (-33°C - 4°C)	40°F - 140°F (4°C - 82°C)
Compatibility (Cable Types):							
Rubber	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
Neoprene	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
Nylon	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
PVC	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
High-density or cross-linked polyethylene	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
Low-density polyethylene		•	•	•	•	•	•
Semi-conducting jacket		•	•	•	•	•	•
Hypalon	•	•	•	•	•	•	•

*Results from NEETRAC, an independent testing laboratory affiliated with The Georgia Institute of Technology.

Recommended Qty. of Lubricant Formula

$$Q = .0015 \times L \times D$$

Q = Quantity of recommended lube in gallons

L = Length of pull in feet

D = Nominal ID of conduit in inches



This formula may be used as a guideline for estimating the quantity of lubricant needed for various jobs. Many additional factors may impact quantity needed. Increase quantities if any of the following apply:

- Stiff or heavy cable
- Rough, old, or dirty conduit
- High percent conduit fill
- Pull with several bends
- High temperatures

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