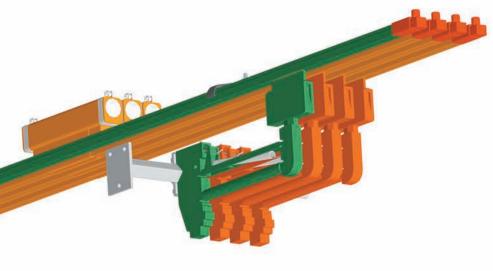


# SAFELEC

INSULATED CONDUCTOR BARS
60 up to 400 Amp



- Finger safe up to IP2
- 60 to 400 Amp conductors in Standard or Medium Heat cover
- Cover shaped to shed water and dust
- Horizontal conductors with contact from underside
- Bar length: 4.5 metres
- Systems up to 150 metres without expansion sections
- Reduced and simple maintenance





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# SAFELEC INSULATED CONDUCTOR BARS

**INSUL 8** supplies electrical power feed systems for moving machinery. Easy to install and maintain, **the SAFELEC range** ensures a high level of reliability. It has been designed to meet the safety standards demanded in industry.

#### Advantages of conductor bars:

- Ability to feed several moving machines from the same conductor system
  - Suitable for high amperage
  - Feed points can be placed at any location
    - Compactness
    - Long system length possible
  - Suitable for both indoor and outdoor use

#### Range of application:

Workshop cranes, iron and steel industry, railways, leisure industry, mines etc.

#### **SAFELEC features:**

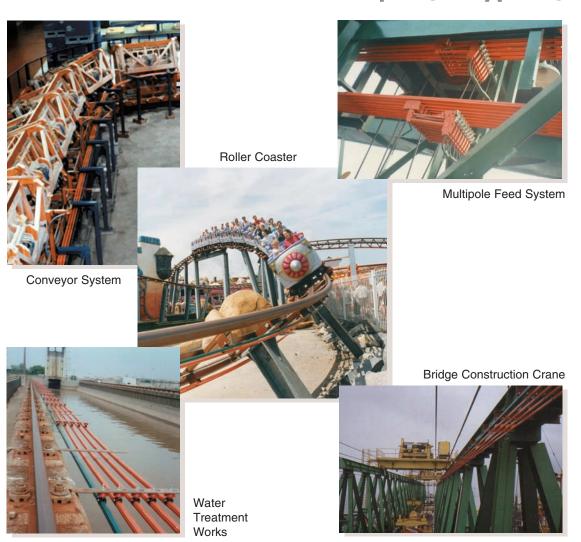
- Easy installation, reduced and simple maintenance
  - Protection degree IP2, finger safe
- Insulating covers shaped to shed water and dust
  - Standard PVC cover for normal temperatures
- Medium Heat cover available for high ambient temperatures
- Expansion sections not required for runs less than 150 m
  - Max travel speed: 200 m/min

SAFELEC complies with the following international standards:

NFC 20-010, NFC 63-010, NFC 32-070, VDE 0470,

BSEN 60529, DIN 53438

#### TYPICAL APPLICATIONS



#### SELECTION OF CONDUCTORS

#### Volt drop calculation <sup>3</sup>U:

3-Phase AC  $^{3}U = 3 \times 1 \times D \times Z$ Single Phase AC  $^{3}U = 2 \times I \times D \times Z$ Continuous current DC  $^{3}U = 2 \times I \times D \times R$ 

 $^{3}U\% = (^{3}U \times 100) / U_{n}$ 

#### Where:

<sup>3</sup>U: volt drop in Volts

<sup>3</sup>U%: volt drop in % of nominal voltage

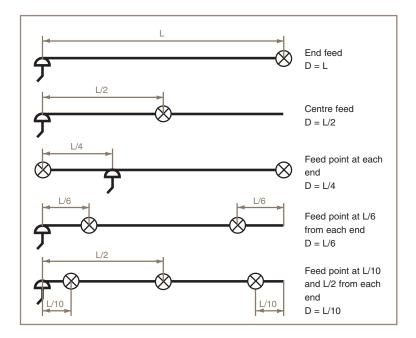
Un: nominal supply voltage in Volts

I: maximum current in Amps

D: see opposite diagram

R: resistance in Ohms per metre

Z: impedance in Ohms per metre



#### TECHNICAL DATA

FACTOR "K"							
	Duty	100%	80%	60%	40%	20%	
	25°C	1.000	1.118	1.291	1.581	2.236	
Standard	35°C	0.905	1.011	1.168	1.430	2.023	
cover	45°C	0.798	0.892	1.030	1.261	1.784	
	55°C	0.674	0.754	0.870	1.066	1.508	
M. P H	65°C	0.775	0.866	1.000	1.225	1.732	
Medium Heat cover	75°C	0.707	0.791	0.913	1.118	1.581	
	85°C	0.632	0.707	0.816	1.000	1.414	

The maximum permissible continuous current rating of the conductor bar depends on the duty factor of the cranes and the maximum ambient temperature Ta. It can be established using the following formula:

I allowable = nominal current x K





### SAFELEC 2 TECHNICAL DATA

CONDUCTOR BAR COVER	STANDARD	MEDIUM HEAT
Material	PVC	BAYBLEND
Dielectric strength	180 KV/cm	240 KV/cm
Surface resistivity	10¹¹ž	>10¹⁴ž
Volume resistivity	>10¹⁵ž/cm	>10¹6ž/cm
Vicat softening temperature (never expose PVC cover to temperatures in excess of 80°C)	84ºC	120°C
Flame-test	Self extinguishing	Self extinguishing
Oxygen index	54%	24%
Specific density	1.5 g/cm <sup>3</sup>	1.15 g/cm <sup>3</sup>

CONDUCTOR BAR	GALV	ANISED S	STEEL		COPPER			LUMINIUN NLESS S	
Nominal current	60A	100A	125A	160A	250A	400A	200A	315A	400A
Cross sectional area	50mm²	63mm <sup>2</sup>	93mm²	50mm <sup>2</sup>	63mm <sup>2</sup>	93mm²	104mm <sup>2</sup>	120mm <sup>2</sup>	156mm <sup>2</sup>
Maximum system voltage									
(AC) (contact Insul-8 for other voltages)	1000V	1000V	1000V	1000V	1000V	1000V	1000V	1000V	1000V
(DC) (contact Insul-8 for other voltages)	1000V	1000V	1000V	1000V	1000V	1000V	1000V	1000V	1000V
Resistance R (for DC) at 20°C (ž/m)	0.003584	0.002867	0.001933	0.000342	0.000274	0.000184	0.000301	0.000261	0.000199
Impedance Z (for AC) at 20°C (ž/m)	0.003604	0.002891	0.001968	0.000364	0.000300	0.000221	0.000325	0.000288	0.000234
Maximum allowable ambient temperature for 100% duty cycle	25°C	25°C	25°C	25°C	25ºC	25°C	25°C	25°C	25°C
Bar length	4.5m	4.5m	4.5m	4.5m	4.5m	4.5m	4.5m	4.5m	4.5m
Support pitch Standard	1500mm	1500mm	1500mm	1500mm	1500mm	1500mm	1500mm	1500mm	1500mm
Lateral	1125mm	1125mm	1125mm	1125mm	1125mm	1125mm	1125mm	1125mm	1125mm
Minimum pitch centres Standard	43mm	43mm	43mm	43mm	43mm	43mm	43mm	43mm	43mm
Lateral	60mm	60mm	60mm	60mm	60mm	60mm	60mm	60mm	60mm
Expansion sections: not required for runs less than	150m	150m	150m	150m	150m	150m	150m	150m	150m
Minimum bending radius: (horizontal only)	1.5m	1.5m	1.5m	1.5m	1.5m	1.5m	1.5m	1.5m	1.5m

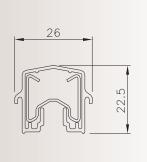
An accurate choice of conductors can be made when all the following information is known:

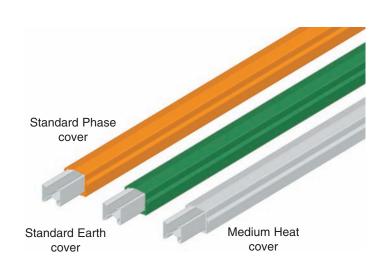
- The type of current: single or three phase AC; continuous (DC)
- The maximum current power and duty cycle
- The allowable volt drop for the machines being supplied
- The ambient temperature
- Environment (dusty, coastal, humid, acidic etc.)



### GALVANISED STEEL CONDUCTOR BARS

CURRENT RATING	60A	100A	125A
Standard Phase cover (orange)	310001	310101	310201
Standard Earth cover (green)	310002	310102	310202
Medium Heat cover Phase (grey) Earth	310003 310056	310103 310156	310203 310256
Weight (Kg)	2.34	2.76	3.76





#### **EXPANSION SECTIONS**

CURRENT RATING	60A	100A	125A
Standard Phase cover (orange)	310007	310107	310207
Standard Earth cover (green)	310008	310108	310208
Medium Heat cover Phase (grey) Earth	310009 310058	310109 310158	310209 310258
Weight (Kg)	3.06	3.32	4.20

Expansion sections are required on all systems over 150m long.

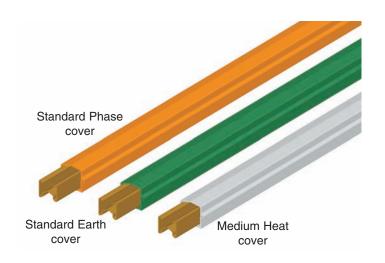
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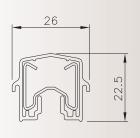
The expansion section is 4.5m long and is installed in place of one length of conductor bar.



### COPPER CONDUCTOR BARS

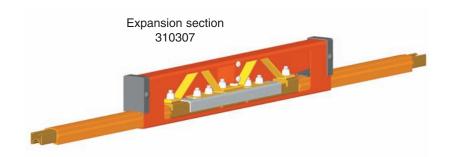
CURRENT RATING	160A	250A	400A
Standard Phase cover (orange)	310301	310401	310501
Standard Earth cover (green)	310302	310402	310502
Medium Heat cover Phase (grey) Earth	310303 310356	310403 310456	310503 310556
Weight (Kg)	2.76	3.04	4.40





### **EXPANSION SECTIONS**

CURRENT RATING	160A	250A	400A
Standard Phase cover (orange)	310307	310407	310507
Standard Earth cover (green)	310308	310408	310508
Medium Heat cover Phase (grey) Earth	310309 310358	310409 310458	310509 310558
Weight (Kg)	3.28	3.86	4.74



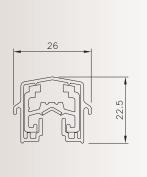
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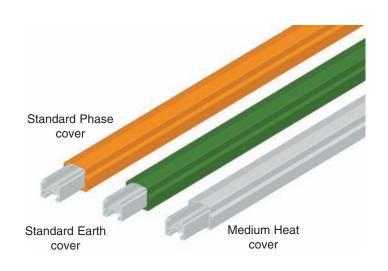
The maximum gap of the expansion section is 50mm.

The expansion section is 4.5m long and is installed in place of one length of conductor bar.

### ALUMINIUM / STAINLESS STEEL CONDUCTOR BARS

CURRENT RATING	200A	315A	400A
Standard Phase cover (orange)	310601	310701	399101
Standard Earth cover (green)	310602	310702	399102
Medium Heat cover Phase (grey) Earth	310603 310656	310703 310756	399103 399156
Weight (Kg)	2.12	2.18	2.50





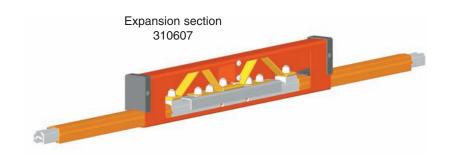
#### **EXPANSION SECTIONS**

CURRENT RATING	200A	315A	400A
Standard Phase cover (orange)	310607	310707	399107
Standard Earth cover (green)	310608	310708	399108
Medium Heat cover Phase (grey) Earth	310609 310658	310709 310758	399109 399158
Weight (Kg)	3.23	3.43	3.80

Expansion sections are required on all systems over 150m long.

The maximum gap of the expansion section is 50mm.

The expansion section is 4.5m long and is installed in place of one length of conductor bar.

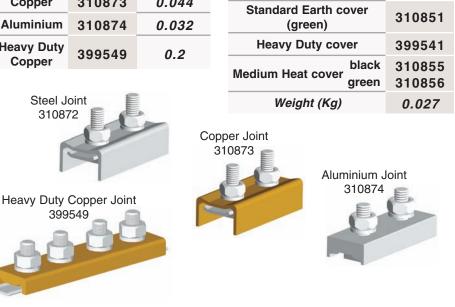


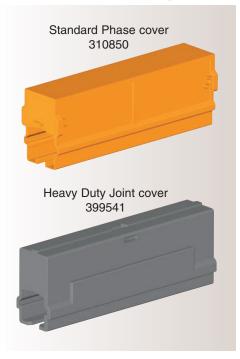
#### **JOINTS**

JOINT		Weight (Kg)
Steel	310872	0.049
Copper	310873	0.044
Aluminium	310874	0.032
Heavy Duty Copper	399549	0.2

JOINT COVER	
Standard Phase cover (orange)	310850
Standard Earth cover (green)	310851
Heavy Duty cover	399541
Medium Heat cover black green	310855 310856
Weight (Kg)	0.027





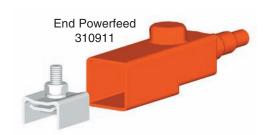


#### JOINTING COMPOUND Weight (Kg) 310932 0.225

### JOINTING COMPOUND

Jointing compound should be applied to the contact surfaces of the joint and bar at every joint on copper and aluminium systems. One tube is sufficient for over 300 connections.

#### **POWERFEEDS: END POWERFEED**



UP TO 100A	Weight (Kg)
310911	0.037

Powerfeed installed in place of an end

Maximum cable connection size: 16mm<sup>2</sup>

#### **POWERFEEDS: JOINT POWERFEED**

CURRENT RATING	UP TO 60A	UP TO 250A	UP TO 400A
Standard cover (orange)	310034	310910	310912
Medium Heat cover (red)	310066	310913	310915
Weight (Kg)	0.028	0.25	0.30

Powerfeed for connection of one or two flexible cables.

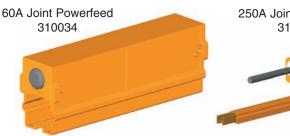
310910 has single cable connection.

310912 has double cable connection.

Powerfeed is usually installed in place of a joint.

Maximum cable connection size:

- 10mm<sup>2</sup> 250A - 95mm<sup>2</sup> 400A - 150mm<sup>2</sup>





#### HANGER CLAMPS: STANDARD MOUNT

	STANDARD (BLACK)	POLYCARBONATE (RED)	WEIGHT (Kg)
Single pole	310824	310829	0.03
Two pole	310882	310899	0.04
Three pole	310861	310871	0.05
Four pole	310821	310857	0.057

Two pole hanger 310882

Single pole hanger 310821

Three pole hanger 310861

Standard hangers are acetyl.

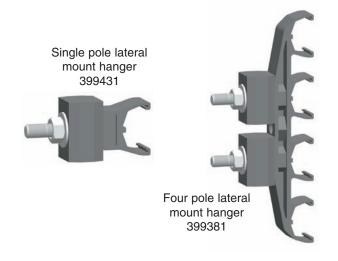
Maximum support spacing is 1.5m.

#### HANGER CLAMPS: LATERAL MOUNT

	STANDARD (BLACK)	POLYCARBONATE (RED)	WEIGHT (Kg)
Single pole	399431	399434	0.05
Two pole	399432	399435	0.06
Three pole	399433	399436	0.07
Four pole	399381	399382	0.12
Four pole (without spacer)	310835	310859	0.08

Lateral mount hangers are supplied with 20mm spacers to provide clearance for joint covers.

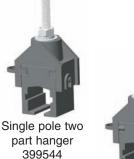
Maximum support spacing is 1.125m.



#### HANGER CLAMPS: WITH INSULATOR

			WEIGHT (Kg)
Single pole	(Black)	310918	0.10
Single pole	(Red)	310834	0.10
Single pole	Stainless steel	310827	0.106
Single pole	Two part	399544	0.08
Two pole	Two part	399627	0.174







In particularly dusty or humid environments, hangers with insulator should be used.

### ANCHOR CLAMPS

#### WEIGHT (Kg) Standard 310832 0.06 With insulator 310969 0.12 Lateral mount 399383 0.10 Without top bolt 310831 0.05 (two required per anchor point)



		WEIGHT (Kg)
Heavy duty anchor	399546	0.48
Heavy duty anchor clamp 399546		

Anchor points are usually situated in the middle of a conductor system.

Additional anchor points are required for systems with expansion sections.

#### END CAPS

 WEIGHT (Kg)

 Steel / copper bar
 310892
 0.04

 Aluminium bar
 310893
 0.02

 Transfer cap
 310951
 0.10





Transfer caps are suitable for air gaps up to 10mm.

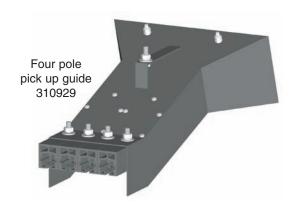
Vertical tolerance ± 5mm

Horizontal tolerance ± 2mm

### PICK UP GUIDES

		WEIGHT (Kg)
Single pole	310920	1.27
Two pole	399532	1.72
Three pole	399502	2.16
Four pole	310929	2.54

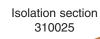
Special collectors are required for systems where pick up guides are fitted.



# ISOLATION SECTIONS

#### GALVANISED STEEL BAR

CURRENT RATING	60A	100A	125A
Standard Phase cover (orange)	310025	310125	310225
Standard Earth cover (green)	310026	310126	310226
Medium Heat cover phase (grey) earth	310027 310064	310127 310164	310227 310264
Weight (Kg)	2.71	3.16	4.19



Isolation sections provide electrical separation between adjacent sections of conductor bar.

Only for use in dry, clean conditions.

The Isolation section is 4.5m long and is installed in place of one length of conductor bar.

It is recommended that Isolation sections are not fitted in earth conductors.

#### COPPER BAR

CURRENT RATING	160A	250A	400A
Standard Phase cover (orange)	310325	310425	310525
Standard Earth cover (green)	310326	310426	310526
Medium Heat cover phase (grey) earth	310327 310364	310427 310464	310527 310564
Weight (Kg)	2.97	3.42	4.68



#### ALUMINIUM / STAINLESS STEEL

CURRENT RATING	200A	315A	400A
Standard Phase cover (orange)	310625	310725	399125
Standard Earth cover (green)	310626	310726	399126
Medium Heat cover phase (grey) earth	310627 310664	310727 310764	399127 399128
Weight (Kg)	2.4	2.6	2.9

Isolation section 310625

#### **COLLECTORS**

CURRENT RATING	50A	100A	250A
Phase	399360	310990	34956
Earth - without deflector	399380	399355	
Earth - right hand	399373	399340	
Earth - left hand	399372	399352	
Weight (Kg)	0.38	0.8	2.00





50A and 100A collectors are supplied without cable.

Stranded cable terminal clamps are included.

250A collectors are supplied with 2 x 1m 35mm<sup>2</sup> cable.





### COLLECTOR SHOE + HOLDER

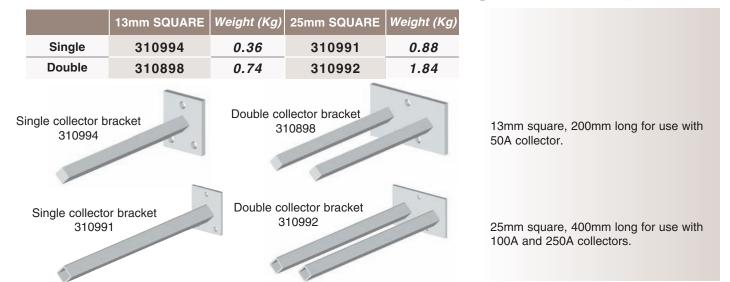
CURRENT RATING	50A + 100A Phase - red	50A + 100A Earth - green	250A
Code	310993	399357	35289
Weight (Kg)	0.06	0.06	0.28

The copper graphite shoe ensures electrical continuity, a smooth contact with the conductor bar and a good resistance to wear.





#### COLLECTOR BRACKET



#### BRACKETS: SINGLE SIDED BRACKET

	WEIGHT (Kg)	310980	
310980	0.66		310980 - to suit beam flange 80-155mm.
310982	0.86		310982 - to suit beam flange 155-305mm.
	4	310982	

#### BRACKETS: DOUBLE SIDED BRACKET

	WEIGHT (K	310981	
310981	0.		310981 - to suit beam flange 80-185mm.
310983	1.	ASS ASS	310983 - to suit beam flange 185-305mm.
	4	310983	

#### BRACKETS: WEB BRACKET

	WEIGHT (Kg)		
310984	0.62	310984	
		310904	

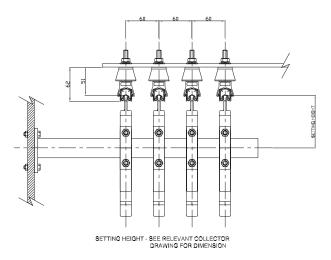
#### BRACKETS: GIRDER CLAMP

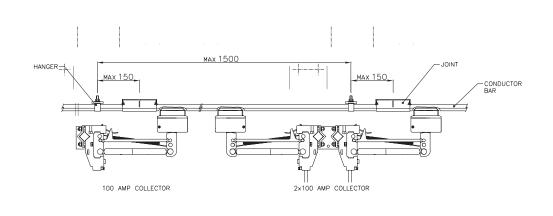
	WEIGHT (Kg)		
310985	0.08		
		310985	

#### SYSTEM DIMENSIONS

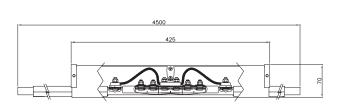
# STANDARD HANGER CLAMPS SETTING HEIGHT - SEE RELEVANT COLLECTOR DRAWING FOR DIMENSION

#### HANGER CLAMPS WITH INSULATOR

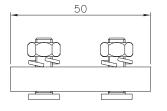


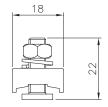


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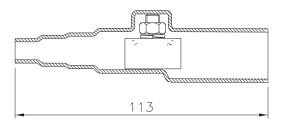


60A STANDARD PHASE COVER - Expansion Section (310007)

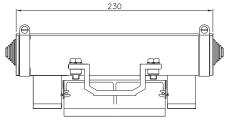




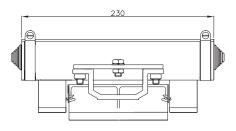
ALUMINIUM JOINT (310874)



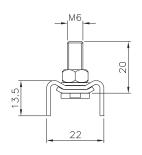
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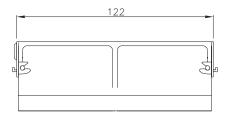
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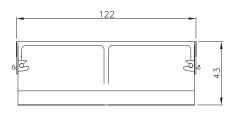
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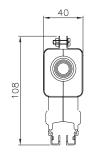
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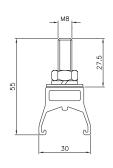
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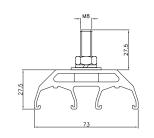


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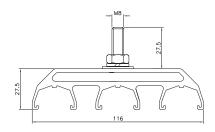


SINGLE POLE HANGER CLAMP Standard Mount (310824)

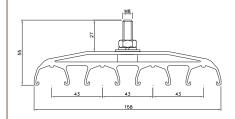
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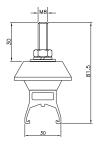
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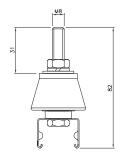
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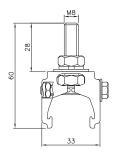
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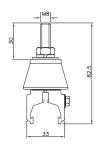
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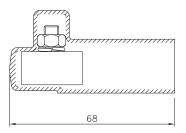
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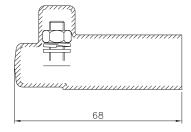
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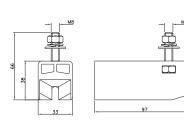
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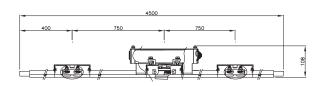


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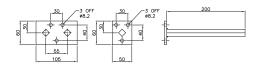


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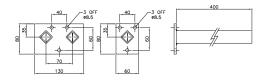
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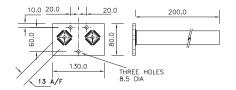
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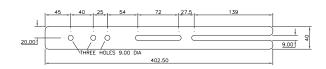
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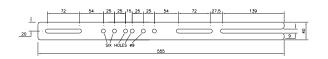
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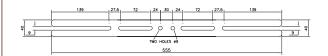
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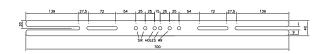
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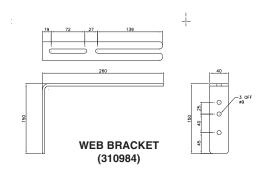
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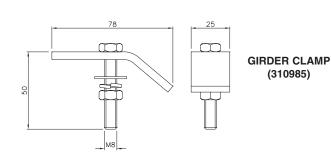


DOUBLE SIDED BRACKET (310981)



DOUBLE SIDED BRACKET (310983)







# SAFELEC 3 TECHNICAL DATA

CONDUCTOR BAR COVER	STANDARD	MEDIUM HEAT	
Material	PVC	BAYBLEND	
Dielectric strength	180 KV/cm	240 KV/cm	
Surface resistivity	10¹¹ž	>10¹⁴ž	
Volume resistivity	>10¹⁵ž/cm	>1016ž/cm	
Vicat softening temperature (never expose PVC cover to temperatures in excess of 80°C)	84ºC	120°C	
Flame-test	Self extinguishing	Self extinguishing	
Oxygen index	54%	24%	
Specific density	1.5 g/cm <sup>3</sup>	1.15 g/cm <sup>3</sup>	

CONDUCTOR BAR	COPPER			ALUMINIUM / STAINLESS STEEL
Nominal current	500A	800A	1150A	630A
Cross sectional area	115mm²	171mm²	339mm²	277mm <sup>2</sup>
Maximum system voltage (AC) (contact Insul-8 for other voltages) (DC) (contact Insul-8 for other voltages)	1000V 1000V	1000V 1000V	1000V 1000V	1000V 1000V
Resistance R (for DC) at 20°C (ž/m)	0.000149	0.000100	0.000051	0.000113
Impedance Z (for AC) at 20°C (ž/m)	0.000189	0.000154	0.000127	0.000162
Maximum allowable ambient temperature for 100% duty cycle	25°C	25°C	25°C	25°C
Bar length	4.5m	4.5m	4.5m	4.5m
Support pitch Standard	1500mm	1500mm	1500mm	1500mm
Lateral	1125mm	1125mm	1125mm	1125mm
Minimum pitch centres Standard	60mm	60mm	60mm	60mm
Lateral	60mm	60mm	60mm	60mm
Expansion sections: not required for runs less than	150m	150m	150m	150m
Minimum bending radius: (horizontal only)	1.5m	1.5m	1.5m	1.5m

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