



- 2.1 TELEPHONE WIRE
- .1 Heavy duty drop wire: No. 14 AWG solid hard drawn copper, lead coated, brass plated conductors with styrene butadiene rubber insulation, neoprene jacket twisted, designed to connect open wire line to cable terminals.
  - .2 Service wire: 4 No. 22 AWG solid annealed copper conductors with polyethylene insulation, spiral four lay-up, inner jacket polyvinyl chloride, close serving of flat galvanized steel wire armour, outer jacket of polyvinyl chloride designed for buried service connections.
  - .3 Underground wire: 2 No.19 AWG solid annealed copper conductors laid parallel, polyethylene insulation, close serving of flat galvanized steel wire armour, jacket of polyvinyl chloride designed for buried service connections.
  - .4 Ground wire: 1 No. 6 AWG solid stranded annealed copper conductor with polyvinyl chloride insulation designed for ground connections to protect cable terminals and protectors.

**Part 3 Execution**

- 3.1 EXAMINATION
- .1 Verification of Conditions: verify that conditions of substrate previously installed under other Sections or Contracts are acceptable for communications equipment installation in accordance with manufacturer's written instructions.
    - .1 Visually inspect substrate in presence of Departmental Representative.
    - .2 Inform Departmental Representative of unacceptable conditions immediately upon discovery.
    - .3 Proceed with installation only after unacceptable conditions have been remedied.
- 3.2 INSTALLATION
- .1 Install communications services in communications duct bank.

- 3.3 CLEANING
- .1 Progress Cleaning: clean in accordance with Section 01 74 11 - Cleaning.
    - .1 Leave Work area clean at end of each day.
  - .2 Final Cleaning: upon completion remove surplus materials, rubbish, tools and equipment in accordance with Section 01 74 11 - Cleaning.
  - .3 Waste Management: separate waste materials for reuse and recycling in accordance with Section 01 74 21 - Construction/Demolition Waste Management and Disposal.
    - .1 Remove recycling containers and bins from site and dispose of materials at appropriate facility.
- 3.4 PROTECTION
- .1 Protect installed products and components from damage during construction.
  - .2 Repair damage to adjacent materials caused by communications equipment installation.

**END OF SECTION**

**Part 1 General**

1.1 RELATED  
REQUIREMENTS

- .1 Section 26 05 00 - Common Work Results for Electrical.
- .2 Section 26 05 31 - Splitters, Junction, Pull Boxes and Cabinets.
- .3 Section 26 05 34 - Conduits, Conduit Fastenings and Conduit Fittings.

1.2 ACTION AND  
INFORMATIONAL  
SUBMITTALS

- .1 Submit in accordance with Section 01 33 00 - Submittal Procedures.
- .2 Product Data:
  - .1 Submit manufacturer's instructions, printed product literature and data sheets for communication raceway systems and include product characteristics, performance criteria, physical size, finish and limitations.

1.3 DELIVERY,  
STORAGE AND  
HANDLING

- .1 Deliver, store and handle materials in accordance with Section 01 61 00 - Common Product Requirements and with manufacturer's written instructions.
- .2 Delivery and Acceptance Requirements: deliver materials to site in original factory packaging, labelled with manufacturer's name and address.
- .3 Storage and Handling Requirements:
  - .1 Store materials indoors and in accordance with manufacturer's recommendations in clean, dry, well-ventilated area.
  - .2 Store and protect communication raceway systems from nicks, scratches, and blemishes.
  - .3 Replace defective or damaged materials with new.
- .4 Packaging Waste Management: remove for reuse and return of packaging materials as specified in accordance with Section 01 74 21 - Construction/Demolition Waste Management and Disposal.

**Part 2 Products**

2.1 SYSTEM DESCRIPTION .1 Empty telecommunications raceways system consists of outlet boxes, cover plates, conduits, pull boxes, sleeves and caps, and fish wires.

2.2 MATERIAL .1 Conduits: EMT type, in accordance with Section 26 05 34 - Conduits, Conduit Fastenings and Conduit Fittings.  
.2 Junction boxes in accordance with Section 26 05 31 - Splitters, Junction, Pull Boxes and Cabinets.  
.3 Outlet boxes galvanized type, conduit boxes and fittings: in accordance with Section 26 05 31 - Splitters, Junction, Pull Boxes and Cabinets.  
.4 Fish wire: polypropylene type.

**Part 3 Execution**

3.1 EXAMINATION .1 Verification of Conditions: verify that conditions of substrate previously installed under other Sections or Contracts are acceptable for communication raceway systems installation in accordance with manufacturer's written instructions.  
.1 Visually inspect substrate in presence of Departmental Representative.  
.2 Inform Departmental Representative of unacceptable conditions immediately upon discovery.  
.3 Proceed with installation only after unacceptable conditions have been remedied.

3.2 INSTALLATION .1 Install empty raceway system, including distribution system, fish wire, outlet boxes, floor boxes, pull boxes, cover plates, conduit, sleeves and caps, miscellaneous and positioning material to constitute complete system.

- 3.3 CLEANING
- .1 Progress Cleaning: clean in accordance with Section 01 74 11 - Cleaning.
    - .1 Leave Work area clean at end of each day.
  - .2 Final Cleaning: upon completion remove surplus materials, rubbish, tools and equipment in accordance with Section 01 74 11 - Cleaning.
  - .3 Waste Management: separate waste materials for reuse and recycling in accordance with Section 01 74 21 - Construction/Demolition Waste Management and Disposal.
    - .1 Remove recycling containers and bins from site and dispose of materials at appropriate facility.
- 3.4 PROTECTION
- .1 Protect installed products and components from damage during construction.
  - .2 Repair damage to adjacent materials caused by pathways for communications systems installation.

**END OF SECTION**

**Part 1 General**

- 1.1 RELATED REQUIREMENTS
- .1 Section 26 05 00 - Common Work Results for Electrical.
- 1.2 REFERENCES
- .1 Canadian Standards Association (CSA International)
- .1 CSA-C22.2 No. 214-08(R2013), Communications Cables (Bi-National standard with UL 444).
- .2 Telecommunications Industry Association (TIA)/Electronic Industries Alliance (EIA)
- .1 TIA/EIA-568-B.1-(2001), Commercial Building Telecommunications Cabling Standard, Part 1: General Requirements.
- .2 TIA/EIA-568-B.2-(2001), Commercial Building Telecommunications Cabling Standard, Part 2: Balanced Twisted-Pair Cabling Components.
- .3 TIA/EIA-606-A-(2002), Administration Standard for the Commercial Telecommunications Infrastructure.
- 1.3 SYSTEM DESCRIPTION
- .1 Structured telecommunications wiring system consist of unshielded-twisted-pair and optical fiber cables, terminations, connectors, cross-connection hardware and related equipment installed inside building for occupant's telecommunications systems, including voice (telephone), data, and image.
- .2 Installed in physical star configuration with separate horizontal and backbone sub-systems.
- .1 Horizontal cables link work areas to telecommunications rooms located on same floor.
- 1.4 ACTION AND INFORMATIONAL SUBMITTALS
- .1 Provide submittals in accordance with Section 01 33 00 - Submittal Procedures.
- .2 As-built Records and Drawings:
- .1 Provide Microsoft Access database reflecting cable installation and cross-connections.

- .2 Provide electronic drawings in AutoCAD 2000 format depicting all construction.
- .3 Provide two (2) bound complete hard-copy sets of as-built records to the Departmental Representative.
  - .1 Provide and place one hard copy of as-built records for each telecommunications room in plan holder in each telecommunications room.

1.5 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- .1 Health and Safety Requirements: do construction occupational health and safety in accordance with Section 01 35 29.06 - Health and Safety Requirements.

1.6 DELIVERY, STORAGE AND HANDLING

- .1 Waste Management and Disposal: separate waste materials for reuse and recycling in accordance with Section 01 74 21 - Construction/Demolition Waste Management and Disposal.

**Part 2 Products**

2.1 FOUR-PAIR 100 Ω BALANCED TWISTED PAIR CABLE

- .1 Four-pair, 100 ohm balanced unshielded-twisted-pair (UTP) cable, flame test classification FT4 or MPG or CMG to: CSA-C22.2 No. 214, Category 6 (Cat 6) to: TIA/EIA-568-B.2.

2.2 WORK AREA UTP 4-PAIR MODULAR JACK

- .1 Eight-position modular jack ("RJ-45"), type Category 6 to: TIA/EIA-568-B.2:
  - .1 In self-contained surface-mount box, 2 jacks per box.
  - .2 Mounted in compatible single gang faceplate, flush entry, 4 jack positions per faceplate.

**Part 3 Execution**

3.1 INSTALLATION OF TERMINATION

- .1 Install termination and cross-connect hardware as indicated and according to

AND CROSS-CONNECT  
HARDWARE

manufacturers' instructions. Identify and label as indicated to: TIA/EIA-606-A.

- .2 Install consolidation points, as indicated according to manufacturer's instructions. Identify and label as indicated to: TIA/EIA-606-A.

3.2 INSTALLATION  
OF HORIZONTAL  
DISTRIBUTION  
CABLES

- .1 Install horizontal cables as indicated in conduits from telecommunication rooms to individual work-area jacks. Identify and label as indicated to: TIA/EIA-606-A.
- .2 Install horizontal cables from consolidation point to individual work-area jacks.
  - .1 Identify and label as indicated to: TIA/EIA-606-A.
- .3 Terminate horizontal cables in telecommunications room and at individual work-area jacks.
  - .1 Identify and label as indicated to: TIA/EIA-606-A.
- .4 Coil spare cables and store in ceiling space in zone.
- .5 Harness slack cable in cabinets, racks, and wall-mounted termination and cross-connection hardware.

3.3 FIELD  
QUALITY CONTROL

- .1 Test horizontal UTP cables as specified below and correct deficiencies provide record of results as electronic record on CD.
  - .1 Perform tests for Permanent Link on installed cables, including spares:
    - .1 Category 6 using certified level III tester to: TIA/EIA-568-B.2.
  - .2 Perform tests for Channel on 20% of cross-connected data horizontal cabling installed from each telecommunications room, including shortest and longest drops from each telecommunications room: should more than 5% of tested cables fail, test remaining cross-connected data cables.
    - .1 Category 6 using certified level III tester to: TIA/EIA-568-B.2.

- .2 Provide record of results as hard copy  
electronic record on CD to: TIA/TSB-140.

**END OF SECTION**