

B CABLE SPLICE WRAP
DESCRIPTION AND USE

1. GENERAL

- 1.01 This section covers the description and use of the B cable splice wrap.
- 1.02 Whenever this section is reissued, the reasons for reissue will be listed in this paragraph.
- 1.03 The B cable splice wrap is a fire retardant cable wrap for use in splices where this type of protection is necessary.

2. DESCRIPTION

- 2.01 The B cable splice wrap is made of a nonwoven PVC material and is used in the same manner as the muslin splice wrap (AT-6727).
- 2.02 The B cable splice wrap is available in rolls 2 inches wide by 4 yards long and 4 inches wide by 8 yards long.
- 2.03 The B cable splice wrap is for use in building and cable entrance facility splices. The B cable splice wrap is not recommended for use where lead sleeves will be applied because of the possibility of the molten lead contacting the splice wrap. The splice wrap will melt when touched by hot lead or an open flame. If a wiping operation is necessary, the splice wrap must be shielded from possible contact with molten lead. Place a piece of 4-inch wide B aluminum tape lengthwise over the top of the splice bundle to cover the splice wrap material. This will catch or deflect any drops of molten lead.
- 2.04 The B cable splice wrap may be used where heat shrinkable material is used because the temperatures normally generated in the splice will not be high enough to cause softening of the splice wrap.
- 2.05 The B cable splice wrap may be used in all cases where no heat is applied.