

# **Lightning Protection Equipments**

## **Product Application Guide**

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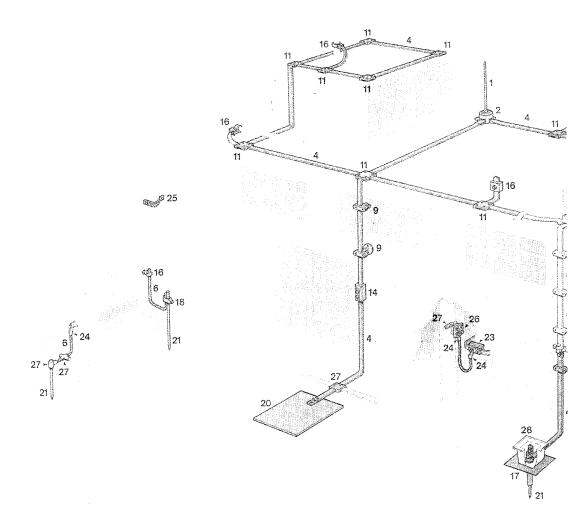
- Air Terminals
- Air Terminal Fixings for Tape
- Holdfast
- Copper Tape
- Aluminium Tape
- Copper Strand
- Copper Solid Circular Conductor

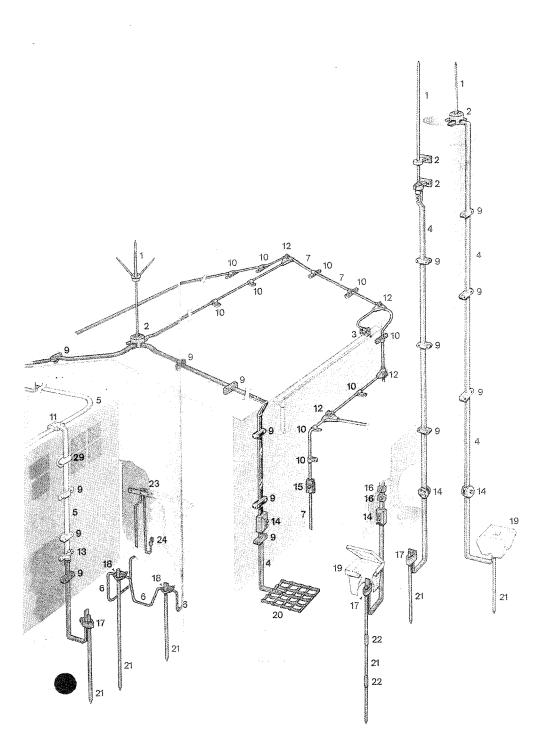
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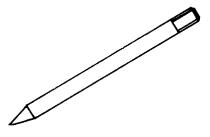




• Lightning Rod Rod Material: Copper

\*Other sizes available on request

Type 'JA'



| Catalog<br>Number | Size<br>(mm) |
|-------------------|--------------|
| JWEL 1001         | ø 14 X 485   |
| JWEL 1002         | ø 14 X 600   |
| JWEL 1003         | ø14 X 1000   |
| JWEL 1004         | ø 16 X 485   |
| JWEL 1005         | ø 16 X 600   |
| JWEL 1006         | ø 16 X 1000  |
| JWEL 1007         | ø20 X 2000   |

Type 'JB'



| Catalog<br>Number | Size<br>(mm) |
|-------------------|--------------|
| JWEL 1011         | ø 14 X 440   |
| JWEL 1012         | ø14 X 495    |

Type 'JC'



| Catalog   | Size      |
|-----------|-----------|
| Number    | (mm)      |
| JWEL 1021 | ø25 X 460 |

Type 'JD'

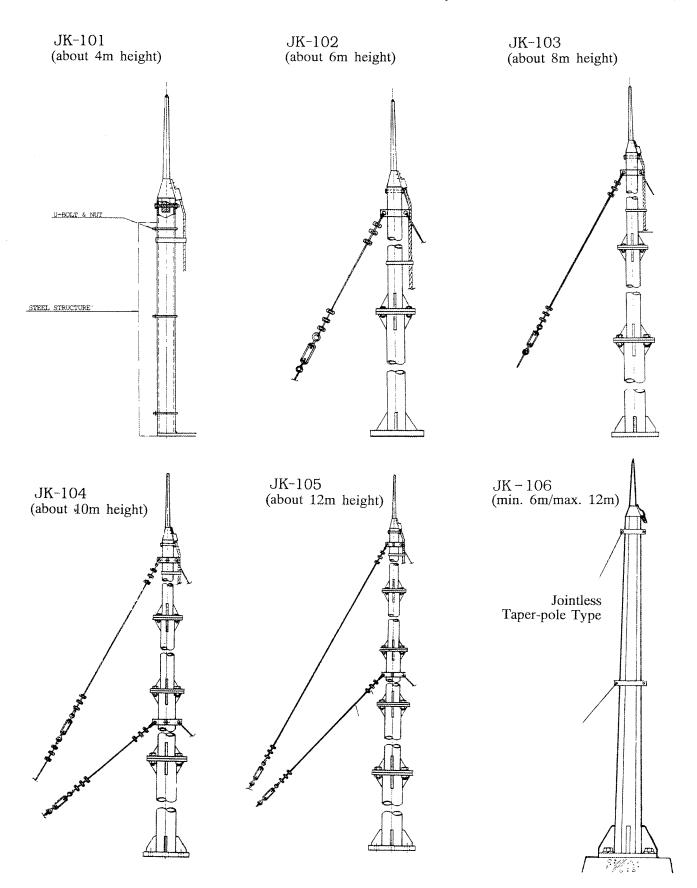


| Catalog<br>Number | Size<br>(mm) |
|-------------------|--------------|
| JWEL 1031         | ø 16 X 605   |
| JWEL 1032         | ø 16 X 705   |



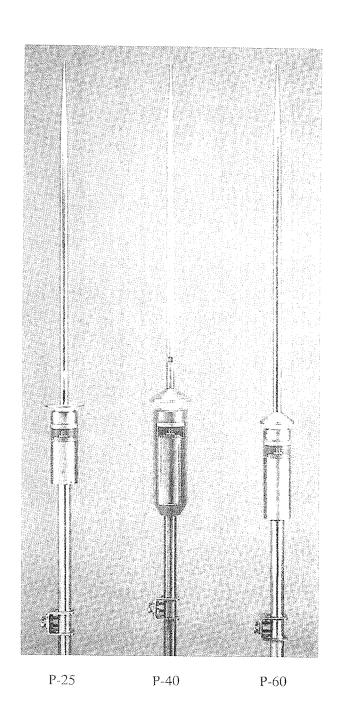
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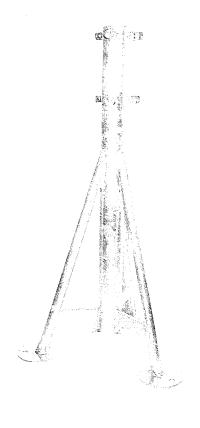
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## • Hight Voltage Pulse Lightning Conductor





Support & Base

\* If you want, we have pleasure sending you detailed catalog.



## • Adjustable Point Base Material: Bronze or Brass

Type APBA





Type APBC



| Catalan   | Conductor |
|-----------|-----------|
| Catalog   | Size      |
| Number    | (mm²)     |
| JWEL 1041 | 25~50     |
| JWEL 1042 | 70~95     |

| Catalog<br>Number | Conductor<br>Size<br>(mm²) |
|-------------------|----------------------------|
| JWEL 1051         | 25~50                      |
| JWEL 1052         | 70~95                      |

 
 Catalog Number
 Conductor Size (mm²)

 JWEL 1061
 25~50

 JWEL 1062
 70~95

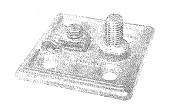
## • Point Base Material: Bronze or Brass

Type PBA

Type PBD



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Conductor

Size

(mm²)

25~50 70~95

| Catalog   | Conductor<br>Size |
|-----------|-------------------|
| Number    | (mm²)             |
| JWEL 1071 | 25~50             |
| JWEL 1072 | 70~95             |

 Number
 Size (mm²)

 JWEL 1081
 25~50

 JWEL 1082
 70~95

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Type PBF

Catalog

Number

JWEL 1091

JWEL 1092



| Catalog<br>Number | Conductor<br>Size<br>(mm²) |
|-------------------|----------------------------|
| JWEL 1101         | 25~50                      |
| JWEL 1102         | 70~95                      |

| Catalog<br>Number | Conductor<br>Size<br>(mm²) |
|-------------------|----------------------------|
| JWEL 1111         | 25~50                      |
| JWEL 1112         | 70~95                      |

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| JWEL 1121         | 25~50                      |
| JWEL 1122         | 70~95                      |



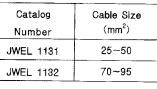
## • Conductor Support Material: Bronze or Brass

Type COSS



| Catalog   | Cable Size |
|-----------|------------|
| Number    | (mm²)      |
| JWFI 1131 | 25~50      |

Type COSD







| Catalog<br>Number | Cable Size<br>(mm²) |
|-------------------|---------------------|
| JWEL 1161         | 25~50               |
| JWEL 1162         | 70~95               |





| Catalog<br>Number | Cable Size<br>(mm²) |
|-------------------|---------------------|
| JWEL 1141         | 25~50               |
| JWEL 1142         | 70~95               |



| Catalog   | Cable Size |
|-----------|------------|
| Number    | (mm²)      |
| JWEL 1171 | 25~50      |
| JWEL 1172 | 70~95      |

Type COSC



| Catalog   | Tape Size |
|-----------|-----------|
| Number    | (mm)      |
| JWEL 1151 | 20 X 3    |
| JWEL 1152 | 25 X 3    |
| JWEL 1153 | 25 X 4    |
| JWEL 1154 | 30 X 4    |
| JWEL 1155 | 40 X 5    |

Type COSPI



| Catalog<br>Number | Cable Size<br>(mm²) |
|-------------------|---------------------|
| JWEL 1181         | 25~50               |
| JWEL 1182         | 70~95               |

• Tape Clip Material: Bronze or Brass

Type TCLA



| Catalog   | Tape Size |
|-----------|-----------|
| Number    | (mm)      |
| JWEL 1191 | 20 X 3    |
| JWEL 1192 | 25 X 3    |
| JWEL 1193 | 25 X 4    |
| JWEL 1194 | 30 X 4    |
| JWEL 1195 | 40 X 5    |
| JWEL 1196 | 50 X 4    |
|           |           |

Type TCEI



| Catalog   | Tape Size |
|-----------|-----------|
| Number    | (mm)      |
| JWEL 1201 | 20 X 3    |
| JWEL 1202 | 25 X 3    |
| JWEL 1203 | 25 X 4    |
| JWEL 1204 | 30 X 4    |
| JWEL 1205 | 40 X 5    |
| JWEL 1206 | 50 X 4    |
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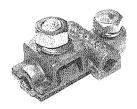


| Catalog   | Tape Size |
|-----------|-----------|
| Number    | (mm)      |
| JWEL 1211 | 20 X 3    |
| JWEL 1212 | 25 X 3    |
| JWEL 1213 | 25 X 4    |
| JWEL 1214 | 30 X 4    |
| JWEL 1215 | 40 X 5    |
| JWEL 1216 | 50 X 4    |



• Cable Splicer Material: Bronze or Brass

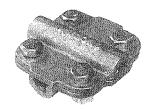
Type CSPA



| Catalog<br>Number | Cable Size (mm²) |
|-------------------|------------------|
| JWEL 1221         | 25~50            |
| JWEL 1222         | 70~95            |

• Square Clamp Material: Bronze or Brass

Type SCLA



| Catalog<br>Number | Cable Size<br>(mm²) |
|-------------------|---------------------|
| JWEL 1241         | 25~50               |
| JWEL 1242         | 70~95               |

• Junction Connector Material: Bronze or Brass

Type JCOA



| Catalog<br>Number | Tape Size<br>(mm) |
|-------------------|-------------------|
| JWEL 1261         | 20 X 6            |
| JWEL 1262         | 25 X 6            |
| JWEL 1263         | 25 X 8            |
| JWEL 1264         | 30 X 8            |
| JWEL 1265         | 40 X 10           |
| JWEL 1266         | 50 X 8            |

• Cable Clip Material: Bronze or Brass

Type CCLA



| Catalog<br>Number | Cable Size<br>(mm²) |
|-------------------|---------------------|
| JWEL 1231         | 25~50               |
| JWEL 1232         | 70 <b>~95</b>       |

● Cable to Tape Clamp Material: Bronze or Brass
Type CTCA



| Catalog<br>Number | Cable Size<br>(mm²) | Tape Size<br>(mm) |
|-------------------|---------------------|-------------------|
| JWEL 1251         | 50                  | 20 X 3            |
| JWEL 1252         | 70                  | 25 X 3            |
| JWEL 1253         | 95                  | 25 X 4            |
| JWEL 1254         | 120                 | 30 X 4            |
| JWEL 1255         | 185                 | 40 X 4            |
| JWEL 1256         | 185                 | 50 X 4            |

• Tape Clamp Material: Bronze or Brass

Type TCLA



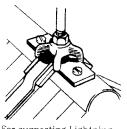
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|-------------------|-------------------|
| JWEL 1271         | 20 X 3            |
| JWEL 1272         | 25 X 3            |
| JWEL 1273         | 25 X 4            |
| JWEL 1274         | 30 X 4            |
| JWEL 1275         | 40 X 5            |
| JWEL 1276         | 50 X 4            |



## • Rigid Saddle

Type RSAR





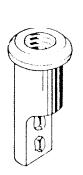
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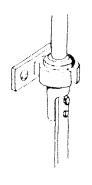
| Catalog<br>Number | Cable Size (mm²) |
|-------------------|------------------|
| JWEL 1281         | 25~50            |
| JWEL 1282         | 70~95            |

• Rod to Tape Coupling Material: Bronze

• Cable Support Material: Bronze

Type RTCA





| Catalog   | Air Rod |
|-----------|---------|
| Number    | Dia(mm) |
| JWEL 1291 | ø 14    |
| JWEL 1292 | ø 16    |
| JWEL 1293 | ø 20    |

Type CSUA

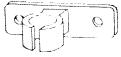


| Catalog   | Cable Size |
|-----------|------------|
| Number    | (mm²)      |
| JWEL 1301 | 25~50      |
| JWEL 1302 | 70~95      |

• Rod Bracket Material: Bronze

Type RBA





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Type RTCU



• Rod to Tape Clamp Material: Bronze

| Catalog | JWFI 1321 |
|---------|-----------|
| Number  | JVEL 1321 |

Rod & Tape sizes are user's option

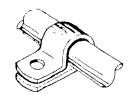
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● One Hole Cabble Clip Material: Tinned Copper ● Cable Saddle Material: Bronze or Brass

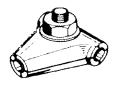
Type OCCA





| Catalog<br>Number | Cable Size<br>(mm²) |
|-------------------|---------------------|
| JWEL 1331         | 25~50               |
| JWEL 1332         | 70~95               |

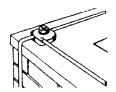
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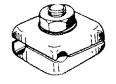




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| JWEL 1351         | 25~50               |
| JWEL 1352         | 70~95               |

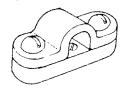
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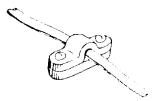




| Catalog   | Cable Size |
|-----------|------------|
| Number    | (mm²)      |
| JWEL 1371 | 25~50      |
| JWEL 1372 | 70~95      |

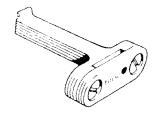
Type CSAA





| Catalog<br>Number | Cable Size<br>(mm²) |
|-------------------|---------------------|
| JWEL 1341         | 25~50               |
| JWEL 1342         | 70~95               |

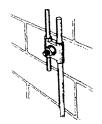
• Build in Tape Hodlfast Material: Bronze or Brass

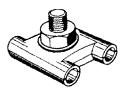




| Catalog   | Tape Size |  |
|-----------|-----------|--|
| Number    | (mm)      |  |
| JWEL 1361 | 20 X 2    |  |
| JWEL 1362 | 25 X 3    |  |
| JWEL 1363 | 25 X 4    |  |
| JWEL 1364 | 30 X 4    |  |

• Jointing Clamp Material: Bronze or Brass

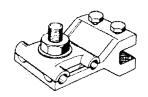


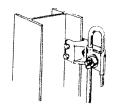


| Catalog   | Cable Size     |  |
|-----------|----------------|--|
| Number    | (m <b>m</b> ²) |  |
| JWEL 1381 | 25~50          |  |
| JWEL 1382 | 70~95          |  |



## • Metalwork Bond

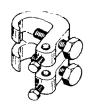




For connecting to all types of metal structures up to 13mm thickness

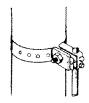
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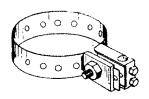




For bonding to re-inforcing bars, steam pipes, handrails, etc.

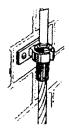
## • Pipe Bond





For bonding to ducts and large diameter pipework.

## • Rod to Calble Coupling





## • Oxide-Inhibiting Joint Compounds

# PENETROX® HOW TO INSTALL CONNECTORS:

## 1. Select the right connector.

Always use an aluminum connector for aluminum or copper conductor. And choose a connector that's marked for the wire size you're using. Never use a copper connector on aluminum conductor.

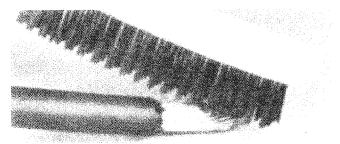
## 2. Strip carefully.

Hemove the insulation without nicking the wire.

## 3. Brush thoroughly.

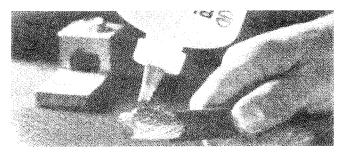
Always wire-brush the stripped portion of the wire. An unplated terminal pad, and the surface to which the terminal will be attached should also be wire-brushed.





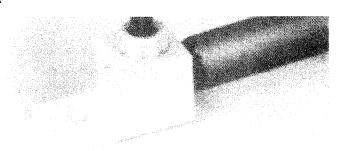
## 4. Apply PENETROX®

For mechanical connectors, apply PENETROX joint compound liberally to the conductor to prevent the formation of surface oxides once the connection is made. Also apply PENETROX to any terminal pad.



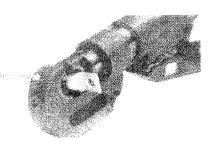
## 5. Tighten completely.

For mechanical connectors, use wrench or screwdriver to securely tighten the aluminum connectors, as recommended by Burndy.



#### 6. Crimp.

For compression connectors, choose the right die and the right tool. Insert the wire completely and make the recommended number of crimps. Burndy takes the guesswork out of aluminum connections because the connectors and crimp dies are color coded. Crimps can be easily located between marks.



# TYPES PENETROX® A, A-13 AND E OXIDE-INHIBITING JOINT COMPOUNDS



PENETROX® oxide-inhibiting compounds produce low initial contact resistance, seal out air and moisture, prevent oxidation or corrosion, exhibit superior weathering characteristics, are usable over wide temperature ranges, and provide a high conductivity "gas-tight" joint. All PENETROX® compounds contain homogeneously suspended metal particles. The suspended metal particles assist in penetrating thin oxide films, act as electrical "bridges" between conductor strands, aid in gripping the

conductor, improve electrical conductivity and enhance the integrity of the connection.

The specially formulated PENETROX compounds are for use with compression and bolted connectors providing an improved service life for both copper and aluminum connections. Additionally, the non-toxic compounds are an excellent lubricant for threaded applications reducing galling and seizing.

## PENA-1 LB

PENA-1 LB is a 1 lb. cartridge filled with PENETROX-A. It's designed to fit standard caulking guns for easy insertion into transmission and distribution connectors. Additionally, this packaging design provides a convenient method for applying PENETROX to many different applications.



#### PENETROX A-13

PENETROX A-13 is a synthetic base compound with evenly suspended zinc particles. It is recommended for aluminum to aluminum, aluminum to copper connection plus aluminum conduit threads. It is compatible with rubber, polyethylene and other insulating materials. UL listed for all voltages.



## PENETROX A

PENETROX A is a natural (petroleum) base compound with evenly suspended zinc particles. It is recommended for aluminum to aluminum, aluminum to copper connections and aluminum conduit threads. It is not recommended for use with rubber or polyethylene insulated conductors. UL listed to 600V.



## PENETROX E

PENETROX E is a synthetic base compound with evenly suspended copper particles. It is recommended for copperto copper, copper threads and all grounding applications. UL listed.





## PENETROX A, A-13 AND E

## **TECHNICAL INFORMATION**



#### **PENETROX A**

PENETROX A consists of a natural (petroleum) base vehicle in which zinc particles are suspended. For Aluminum to Aluminum, Aluminum to Copper applications and Aluminum conduit threads. It is not recommended for use with rubber or polyethylene insulated conductors. UL listed to 600 volts.

## PENETROX A-13

PENETROX A-13 consists of a non-petroleum base vehicle in which zinc particles are suspended. Recommended for Aluminum to Aluminum, Aluminum to Copper applications and Aluminum conduit threads. Compatible with insulating materials such as rubber, or polyethylene. UL listed and recommended for all voltages.

\*MSDS sheets available through customer service.

#### PENETROX E

PENETROX E consists of a non-petroleum base vehicle in which copper granules are suspended. Recommended for Copper to Copper applications, grounding and for use on Copper conduit threads. UL listed.

## Easy to apply.

- 1. Scratch brush the conductor surfaces until bright and clean.
- 2. Immediately apply PENETROX to the conductive surfaces.
- 3. For EHV applications, remove all excess PENETROX after installation is complete.

#### SHELF LIFE

When stored in its original container in cool (under 100°F) dry environment, PENETROX oxide inhibiting compound will remain workable and functional for (5) years from the date marked on the container provided it is mixed per instructions prior to use.

## PROPERTIES OF PENETROX®

|   |   | VALUE                |             |
|---|---|----------------------|-------------|
| PROPERTY  | DEFINITION  | PENETROX®<br>E & A13 | PENETROX® A |
| PENETRATION<br>(UNWORKED)   | The value in accordance to ASTM D217 indicates the consistency of a grease. The higher the number, the softer the grease. | 250                  | 230         |
| DROPPING<br>POINT (MIN)   | The temperature at which the grease passes from the semi-solid to a liquid state under test conditions.                   | 500°F                | 230°F       |
| POUR POINT (MAX.)  The lowest temperature at which the compound will flow. Pour point is the lubricant's ability to perform in cold conditions. |   | -10°F                | -15°F       |

## ORDERING INFORMATION

| CATALOG NUMBER |                | CONTAINER   | CONTAINER      |            |
|----------------|----------------|-------------|----------------|------------|
| PENETROX® A    | PENETROX® A-13 | PENETROX® E | TYPE           | SIZE       |
|                | PEN A13-3      | •           | TUBE           | 3 oz.      |
| PEN A-4        | PEN A13-4      | PEN E-4     | SQUEEZE BOTTLE | 4 oz.      |
| P8A            | PEN A13-8      | PEN E-8     | SQUEEZE BOTTLE | 8 oz.      |
| PEN A-1LB      | PENA13-1LB     | -           | CARTRIDGE      | 1 lb.*     |
| PEN A-PT       | PEN A13-PT     | PEN E-PT    | PLASTIC TUB    | 1 PINT     |
| PEN A-QT       | PEN A13-QT     | PEN E-QT    | PLASTIC TUB    | 1 QUART    |
| PEN A-GAL      | PEN A13-GAL    | PEN E-GAL   | CAN            | 1 GALLON   |
| PEN A-5GAL     | PEN A13-5GAL   | PEN E-5GAL  | PAIL           | 5 GALLONS  |
| PEN A-55GAL    | PEN A13-55GAL  | PEN E-55GAL | DRUM           | 55 GALLONS |

<sup>\*1</sup> lb. cartridge will fit standard caulking guns.

## Lightning Protection System Design

Jiwoong offer a free advisory service including assistance in determining if a structure requires protection or indeed help with any aspect of lightning protection scheme design or equipment specification.

## The Need for Protection

Before proceeding to design a detailed lightning protection system, first carefully consider if the structure needs protection.

In many cases, it is obvious that some form of protection is required. High risk structures ie explosives factories, oil refineries, etc, will require the highest possible class of lightning protection to be provided. In many other cases the need for protection is not so evident.

BS6651 provides a simple mathematical overall risk factor analysis for assessing whether a structure needs protection.

It suggests that an acceptable lightning strike risk factor is 10 <sup>5</sup> per year ie 1 in 100,000 per year. Therefore, having applied the mathematical analysis to a particular set of parameters, the scheme designer will achieve a numerical solution. If the risk factor is less than 10 <sup>5</sup> (1 in 100,000), for example 10 <sup>6</sup> (1 in 1,000,000) then in the absence of other over-riding considerations, protection is deemed unnecessary. If however, the risk factor is greater than 10 <sup>5</sup> (1 in 100,000) for example 10 <sup>4</sup> (1 in 10,000) then protection would seem necessary.

## **Major Components**

The principle components of a lightning protection system should comprise the following:

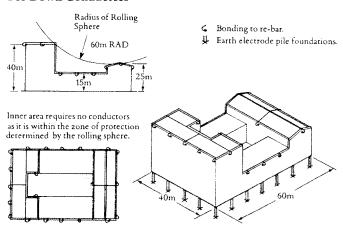
- Air termination networks
- Down conductors
- Earth termination networks
- Bonding to prevent side flashing

## Air Termination Networks

It is now accepted that lightning can strike the upper part of tall structures. BS6651 now introduces the concept of air termination networks on all sides of tall buildings (ie, vertical air termination networks). No part of the roof within the air termination network should be more than 5m from a conductor. For large flat roofs this will be achieved typically by a network mesh of  $10m \times 20m$ . For high risk structures, ie, explosive factories, etc, the air termination mesh is reduced to  $5m \times 10m$ .

If a building's metal reinforcing bars are to be used as down conductors, these should be connected to the air termination network in the correct number of positions (see illustration below). Furse can supply purpose designed clamps (see illustration below) for this connection.

## Lightning Protection Scheme To BS6651 Using The Re-Inforced Concrete Within The Structure For Down Conductors



BS6651 advises the use of a rolling sphere to determine zones of protection. To minimise the likelihood of a lightning strike damaging the side of a building, it is suggested that the rolling sphere method be applied to identify those areas where an extension of the air termination network should be considered.

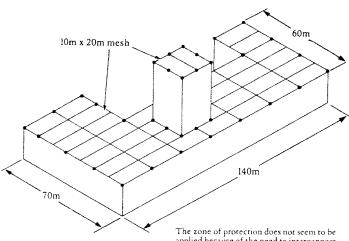
This recommendation could be summarised as follows:Where there is a risk that a lightning strike to the side

Where there is a risk that a lightning strike to the sides of a structure may cause masonry to be dislodged, then an extension of the air termination network should be considered.

To ensure complete continuity of the lightning protection system BS6651 recommends that.

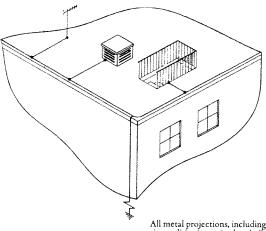
Where structures vary in height and have more than one roof termination network, (see illustration below) the lower roof network should not only be joined to its down conductors, but also joined to the down conductors of the taller portions of the structure. This will ensure that a lightning strike to a lower portion of the structure will not lead to side-flashing to other 'remote' down conductors and will provide a multi down conductor path for the lightning current to disperse.

## Air Termination For Tall Conducting Structures



applied because of the need to interconnect the down conductors of the tall block to the air termination of the lower block. In such cases it is necessary to connect the lower air termination up to the lower down conductors to facilitate this inter connection, even though this extension is within the zone of protection of the lower.

#### **Bonding To Air Termination Network**



All metal projections, including masts, aerials, air conditioning units, handrails, etc. need to be correctly bonded to the air termination network.

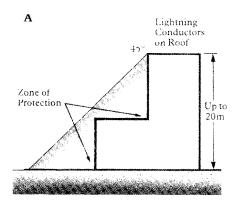
## **Zones of Protection**

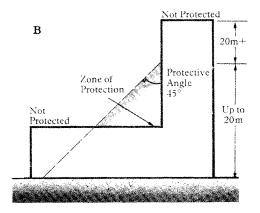
BS6651 qualifies, in detail, the meaning of 'Zones of Protection' and the 'Protective Angle.' It is sufficient to say that the 'Zone of Protection' is simply that volume within which a lightning conductor provides protection against a direct lightning strike by attracting the strike itself (see illustration below).

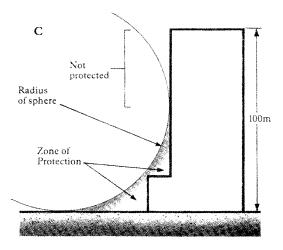
As can be seen in Figure A structures below 20m are regarded as offering a 45° protection angle. For structures greater than 20m in height (Figure B) the protection angle of any installed lightning protection conductors up to the height of 20m would be similar to the structures in Figure A.

For tall structures above 20m in height (Figure C), BS6651 recommends the use of the Rolling Sphere for determining the areas where lightning protection may be advisable.

#### Zones of Protection







## **Down Conductors**

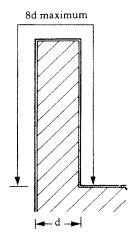
The function of a down conductor is to provide a low impedance path from the air termination network to the earth termination network, to allow the lightning current to be safely conducted to earth.

BS6651 advocates the use of various types of down conductors. A combination of strip and rod conductors, reinforcing bats, structural steel stanchions, etc, can be used as all or part of the down conductor system providing they are appropriately connected to the air and earth termination networks, and are known to offer good electrical conductivity.

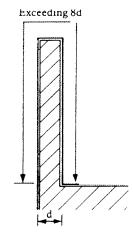
Down conductor systems should, where possible, take the most direct route from the air termination network to the earth termination network. Ideally they should be symmetrically installed around the outside walls of the structure starting from the corners. Routing to avoid side-flashing should always be given particular attention in designing any installation.

Down conductors should be positioned no more than 20m apart around the perimeter at roof or ground level, whichever is the greater. If the structure is over 20m in height, then the spacing is reduced to every 10m or part thereof.

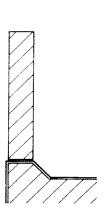
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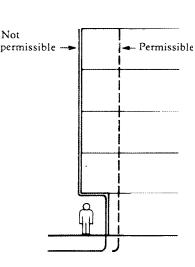
(a) Permissible arrangement



(b) Arrangement that is not permissible



(c) Permissible method of taking conductor through a parapet wall



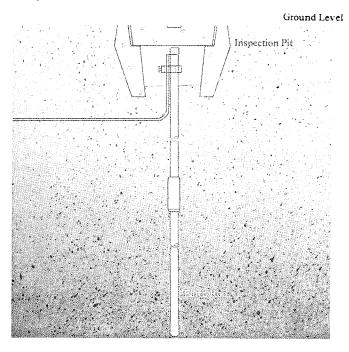
(d) Routes for down conductors in a building with cantilevered upper floors

## Types of Earth Termination Networks

## Deep Driven Earth Electrodes

A soil resistivity survey indicating lower resistivity at greater depths will make the deep driven earth electrode a logical choice. Deep driven earth electrodes are more likely to reach permanent moisture unaffected by seasonal changes.

## Deep Driven Earth Electrode



## BS6651 - Materials Specification

The materials specification section of BS6651 is of vital importance to everyone wishing to design and install a reliable lightning protection system.

The correct choice of materials and the installation method adopted should ensure a satisfactory life span of at least 30 years.

To ensure an effective system and a satisfactory long term performance all fittings need to be mechanically robust and provide good corrosion resistance qualities in widely differing environments.

In addition, the system should provide a low electrical resistance path to earth and have the ability to carry high currents repeatedly over the life time of the installation. It must be remembered that the integrity of a complete system can be jeopardised by even one faulty or inadequate component.

All Jiwoong Lightning Protection equipment fully complies with BS6651 materials requirements.