

ELECTRICAL INSPECTION BULLETIN

B-04-038

Colour of Insulated Bonding Conductors



(Effective 2015/11/15)

Insulated bonding conductors and insulated bonding jumpers shall have a continuous outer finish that is either solid green or green with yellow strips. Bonding conductors/jumpers larger than No. 2 AWG may be labelled or marked in a permanent manner with a green or green-yellow strip marking. This marking shall be placed at each end and at each point where the conductor is accessible. Such markings are not required to be continuous.

Rule 4-038(1) and (2) shall also apply to separate “isolated” bonding conductors as permitted by CEC rule 10-904 (8) and (9).

It is recommended that where unique identification of “isolated” bonding conductors is required, that they have a green with yellow stripe finish or marking and “normal” bonding conductors to have a solid green finish or marking.

Conductors having a finish other than green or green with yellow strips may not be used as bonding or grounding conductors and conductors with a green or green-yellow finish may only be used as grounding or bonding conductors.

Note:

1) This bulletin replaces former NSPI bulletin B-4-036.