



Key Features

- IEEE-1394 data speeds up to 393 Mbps.
- Ideal for heavy-load connections, including digital and video cameras and highspeed computer peripherals.
- Compatible with a wide range of IEEE-1394 equipment.
- Self-configuring for plug-and-play installation.
- No terminators needed.
- Daisychain up to 63 devices.

FireWire, also known as IEEE 1394, is a hardware and software standard for transporting data at 100, 200, or 400 Mbps. It is a highperformance serial bus that was conceived to be a global interconnect similar to the Universal Serial Bus (USB) but with higher data speeds.

Major advantages of FireWire technology over other interconnect technologies are its strong multimedia orientation, plug-and-play functionality, hotswappable connections, and ability to deliver multiple data streams via isochronous (realtime) data support. FireWire Cable provides an easy and economical means of connecting IEEE-1394 devices. These include electronic devices (such as digital and video cameras, video/audio editing systems, and home entertainment systems) and computer peripherals (such as hard disk drives, removable floppy and CD/DVD drives, high-speed scanners, and colour printers).

The 4-Pin to 4-Pin Cable connects two IEEE-1394 devices that don't require source power, like two digital cameras. The 6-Pin to 4-Pin Cable serves as an adapter from a host or hub, like your PC, to equipment that doesn't require source power, such as a digital camera. For connections from your PC (a host or hub) to a peripheral that may require source power, like an external drive, use the 6-Pin to 6-Pin Cable.

FireWire Cable has two shielded twisted pairs for data signaling and two power conductors. Hot-swapping is possible because the powercontact pins in the connectors mate before the signal-contact pins do. Also, the entire cable is shielded.

IEEE-1394 connectors are flexible yet durable due to their fully-molded heads, and they have no terminators or manual IDs to set. Plus, the cable's PVC construction makes it superflexible.

FireWire Cable has the ability to transfer either compressed or uncompressed digital video signals as well as other highbandwidth signals.

Specifications

Conductors — (2) twisted pairs, 28 AWG; (2) power (on 6-pin cables only), 22 AWG Shielding — Aluminum foil and TC braid on each twisted pair and overall cable

Jacket — PVC

overall cable **Power** — 8 to 40 V, 1.5 A max to remote devices

CODE

Ordering Information

ITEM

FireWire Cable, PVC, Male/Male	
4-Pin to 4-Pin	
2-m.(6.5-ft.)	BC001396-002M
3-m.(9.8-ft.)	BC001396-003M
4.5-m (14.7-ft.)	BC001396-005M
6-Pin to 4-Pin	
2-m.(6.5-ft.)	BC001395-002M
3-m.(9.8-ft.)	BC001395-003M
4.5-m (14.7-ft.)	BC001395-005M
6-Pin to 6-Pin	
1-m.(3.3-ft.)	BC001394-001M
2-m.(6.5-ft.)	BC001394-002M
3-m.(9.8-ft.)	BC001394-003M
4.5-m (14.7-ft.)	BC001394-005M