

Re: How much current safe for 30m extension?

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In article <420f812d\$0\$8751\$db0fef9@news.zen.co.uk>,

Andy Wade <spambucket@ajwade.clara.co.uk> wrote:

> > *Dunno where you'd get 4mm flex,*

> *RS for one, see stock no. 250-1410.*

> > *but you'd never get it to fit a 13 amp plug. 2.5mm is the limit, and*

> > *not all plugs will have a cord grip suitable.*

> *Actually 1.25 mm² is the limit – in the sense that it's the largest*

> *size that BS 1363 requires a plug to accept. Nevertheless _most_ plugs*

> *will accept 1.5 mm² without too much difficulty and _some_ will accept*

> *2.5 mm².*

Right. Didn't know chapter and verse.

Our location sparks use 2.5mm TRS for most uses – and as many things may have to plug into a house supply at some point, use 13 amp adaptor leads to feed theirs. Think the 13 amp plugs they use are Duraplugs

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A chicken crossing the road is poultry in motion.

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