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**Electric cables—Lead and lead alloy
sheaths—Composition**



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PREFACE

This Standard was prepared by the Joint Standards Australia/Standards New Zealand Committee EL-003, Electric Wires and Cables to supersede AS 2893—1986 and NZS/AS 2893.

The objective of this Standard is to specify the chemical composition of metallic sheathing for electric and telecommunication cables. Guidance is provided on the types of cables and service conditions for which the different compositions are primarily intended.

This Standard is technically identical to BS 801, *Composition of lead and lead alloy sheaths of electric cables*.

This Standard differs from the previous edition in the following significant ways:

- (a) This Standard has been published as a Joint Australian/New Zealand Standard.
- (b) The list of Standards, in which this Standard is specified, has been deleted.
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