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BARE WIRE

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**Reels and wooden drums for bare wire,
stranded conductors and trolley wire,
for use in the United Kingdom**

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