

General Characteristics

Application Examples

- Electronic machinery
- Robots
- Control equipment
- Power connections
- Control and signal circuits
- · Packaging machinery
- Theatrical applications
- Industrial equipment
- · Electrical panels

Inserts

ZIPport multi-wire connectors require one male and one female insert. The inserts are available in multiple pole configurations from 3 poles plus ground up to 144 poles plus ground and with termination sizes ranging from 26 to 12 AWG, 10 to 80 Amps.

ZIPport inserts are made of UL 94 V-0 rated self-extinguishing thermoplastic resin rated at a maximum temperature of 125°C (257°F). The inserts are available in screw terminal and crimp style contact block connections. The contacts are copper alloy with a hard silver or gold plating. The plastic insulators are numbered on both sides by laser printing or molding in accordance with EN 60068-2-70.

- Suitable for use with alternating (AC) or direct current (DC)
- Leading protective ground
- · Polarized for correct mating
- Interchangeable for male and female inserts in hoods and bases
- Captive screws
- Can be used with hoods and bases, or with rack and panel applications

Housings

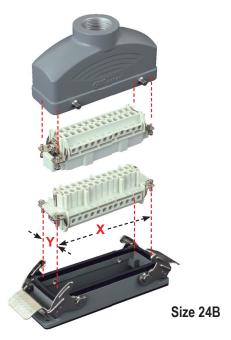
The housings for the ZIPport multi-wire connectors consist of a hood that mates with a base or a coupler.

They are made of die-cast aluminum with a polyester powder finish or from self-extinguishing thermoplastic and are suitable for use in industrial applications.

All housings are available in a standard profile. Several are offered with a high construction (HC) profile that allows more room for wiring the higher density inserts.

A single or double lever locking system assures coupling stability and protection against accidental opening. The locking system is comprised of stainless steel or glass filled thermoplastic levers, with compatible interlocking pegs.

Size and Identification



The size of each type of connector is determined by the distance between the center points of the four installation screws. These four points are common to both the insert and the housing. This is indicated by "X"-"Y" in the illustration above.

The table below lists the size identification and the actual X-Y distance for each type of connector offered.

Size	Distance X-Y
3A	21 x 21 mm* [0.83 x 0.83 in]
10A	49.5 x 16 mm [1.95 x 0.63 in]
16A	66 x 16 mm [2.60 x 0.63 in]
6B	44 x 27 mm [1.73 x 1.06 in]
10B	57 x 27 mm [2.24 x 1.06 in]
16B	77.5 x 27 mm [3.05 x 1.06 in]
24B	104 x 27 mm [4.09 x 1.06 in]
32B	77.5 x 62 mm [3.05 x 2.44 in]
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