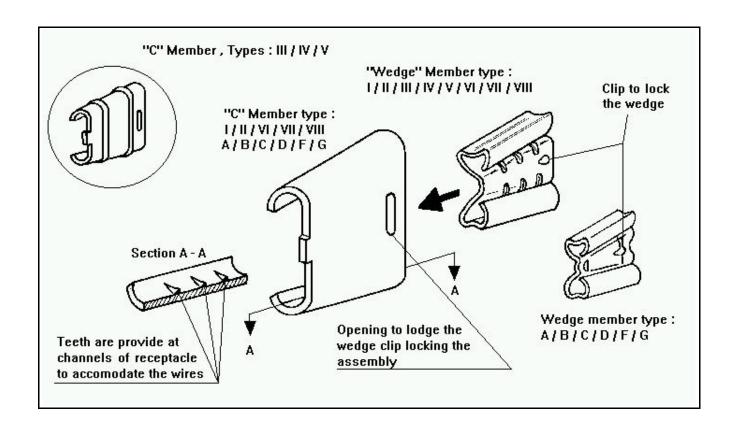


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Application of Universal Distribution Connector, Reinforced



1. SCOPE

The U.D.Connector Reinforced are composed of two components : a "C" Member and a "Wedge", both made of a tin plated copper alloy, in a configuration that exerts a spring action .

The "C" Member and "Wedge" components are supplied impregnated with anti-oxide compound.

2. UTILIZATION

Specially developed for connecting conductor of aluminum , copper and their alloys , regardless of the combination (Al $\,$ x Al $\,$, Cu $\,$ x Cu $\,$, Al $\,$ x Cu) $\,$.

The connector model suitable for each conductor combination should be selected based on the chart below :

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Part	UL Listed	Sum		Top Groove		Bottom Groove	
Number	(Y/N)	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.
Type I	Y	.552	.417	.320	.125	.292	.125
(P/N 881781-1)		(14,01)	(10,60)	(8,12)	(3,17)	(7,42)	(3,17)
Type II	Y	.440	.347	.320	.125	.209	.125
(P/N 881783-1)		(11,18)	(8,82)	(8,12)	(3,17)	(5,30)	(3,17)
Type III	Y	.374	.291	.258	.100	.183	.050
(P/N 881785-1)		(9,50)	(7,40)	(6,55)	(2,54)	(4,65)	(1,27)
Type IV	Υ	.302	.236	.258	.100	.183	.050
(P/N 881787-1)	1	(7,67)	(5,99)	(6,55)	(2,54)	(4,65)	(1,27)
Type V	Υ	.244	.180	.194	.100	.183	.050
(P/N 881789-1)		(6,20)	(4,58)	(4,93)	(2,54)	(4,65)	(1,27)
Type VI	Y	.737	.661	.417	.315	.368	.257
(P/N 444031-1)		(18,72)	(16,79)	(10,61)	(8,01)	(9,36)	(6,54)
Type VI	N	.737	.661	.417	3.15	.368	.257
(P/N 444031-2)		(18,72)	(16,79)	(10,61)	(8,01)	(9,36)	(6,54)
Type VII	Y	.660	.552	.398	.183	.327	.183
(P/N 444033-1)	1	(16,78)	(14,02)	(10,11)	(4,66)	(8,30)	(4,66)
Type VII	N	.660	.552	.398	.183	.327	.183
(P/N 444033-2)		(16,78)	(14,02)	(10,11)	(4,66)	(8,30)	(4,66)
Type VIII	Y	.796	.738	.398	.315	.398	.315
(P/N 444385-1)		(20,22)	(18,73)	(10,11)	(8,01)	(10,11)	(8,01)
Type VIII	N	.796	.738	.398	.315	.398	.315
(P/N 444385-2)		(20,22)	(18,73)	(10,11)	(8,01)	(10,11)	(8,01)
Type A	Y	.431	.358	.368	.220	.201	.068
(P/N 688652-1)		(10,95)	(9,10)	(9,36)	(5,60)	(5,10)	(1,74)
Type B	Y	.516	.431	.369	.244	.201	.068
(P/N 688653-1)		(13,11)	(10,95)	(9,36)	(6,20)	(5,10)	1,74)
Type C	Y	.581	.516	.501	.323	.201	.068
(P/N 688654-1)		(14,75)	(13,11)	(12,74)	(8,20)	(5,10)	(1,74)
Type D	Y	.669	.581	.502	.374	.201	.068
(P/N 688655-1)		(17,00)	(14,75)	(12,74)	(9,50)	(5,10)	(1,74)
Type F	Υ	.358	.283	.328	.220	.201	.068
(P/N 688656-1)		(9,10)	(7,20)	(8,33)	(5,60)	(5,10)	(1,74)
Type G	Υ	.358	.283	.328	.220	.068	.054
(P/N 688657-1)	<u> </u>	(9,10)	(7,20)	(8,33)	(5,60)	(1,73)	(1,36)

Example: To make a service of a 4 AWG Al cable for a 10 AWG Cu wire, we must do:

Diameter of main (4 AWG AI) = 0.232 in. (5,89 mm) Diameter of service entrance (10 AWG Cu wire) = 0.096 in. (2,44 mm)

Total Diameter Sum = 0.328 in. (8,33 mm)

Conclusion: The recommended connector is TYPE III, with the red color plastic bag.

3. APPLICATION

3.1 Wire Preparation

Thoroughly clean conductors with a wire brush to eliminate existing oxide layer from conductor surface .

Insulated conductors must be stripped with sufficient length to accommodate the connector . If wire need to be performed it should be done before application . See Figure 1 .

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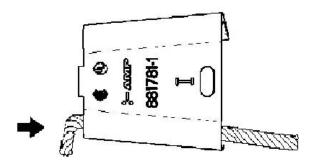


Figure 1

3.2 Connector Application

- **3.2.1** Be aware that the selected connector is correct for the sizes and types of conductors been used .
- **3.2.2** Install the main and tap conductors to the connector, using the following steps:
 - a) Place the service entrance conductor in the lower channel of the "C" component . See Figure 2 .

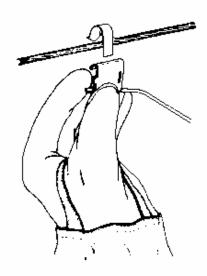


Figure 2

b) Hook "C" component along with the service entrance conductor over the main conductor with the open side of "C" facing away from operator . See Figure 3 .

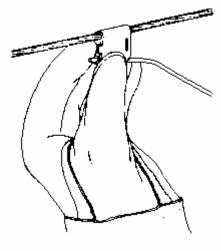


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c) Adjust and push the "Wedge" component between the conductors with the fingers making sure the clip is facing the right way . See Figure 4 .

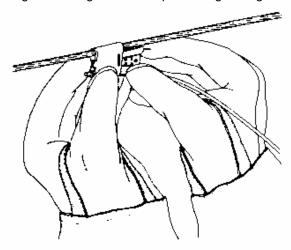
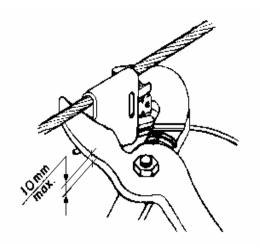


Figure 4

d) No special tool is needed to install the connector . Only a conventional "parallel jaw" pliers (12" or 14" length) . AMP Part Number for reference : 626158-1

Complete the connection using the pliers until the wedge be fully introduced in the "C" component . See Figure 5 .



Note 1 : After connector application , mainly when using solid conductors , they could rotate over the conductor without any restriction for termination and tensile strength requirements .

Note 2 : Set the connector as shown , to decrease the application effort , mainly on large size types .

Note 3 : If possible , use pliers with a maximum width of 10mm for the jaw (as shown) .

Figure 5

e) Be sure that installation is correct by checking to see that the clip on the "wedge" component is protruding through the opening on the "C" component . See Figure 6 .

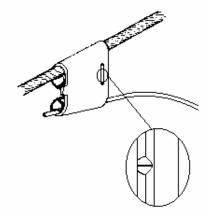


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Note: If necessary push the clip against the opening on the "C" component by the using of pliers as shown on Figure 7.

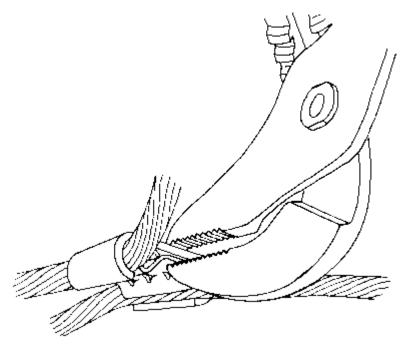


Figure 7

3.3 U.D.Connector Extraction

The use of extraction tools is mandatory for the re-utilization of the connector . The extractor was developed so that not to deform the "C" and "Wedge" components .

3.3.1 Extraction steps for U.D.Connector Reinforced Symmetrical

Reference extractor P/N 572882-1 for Types I , II , III , IV , V , VI and VII . See Figure 8 .

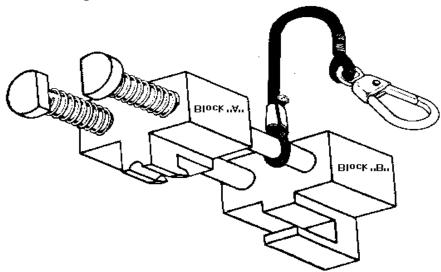


Figure 8

Step 1 Position the extractor on the connector manually to certify that the Block "A" be positioned at he clip / opening side of the components .

The "U" side of the Block "A" must be positioned between "C" and "Wedge" components . See Figure 9 .

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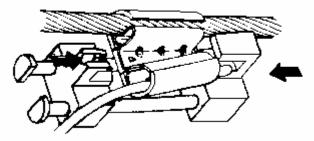
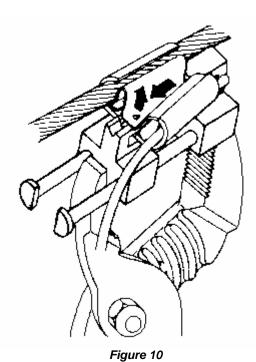


Figure 9

Step 2 After positioned the "U" side to the correct place, press the Block "A" and "B" against themselves with the pliers. At this moment, in a simultaneous movement the security clip is released and the "Wedge" moves in the opposite direction of the application. See Figure 10.



Step 3 With a small manual movement the operation is completed, removing the connection and conductors. See Figure 11.

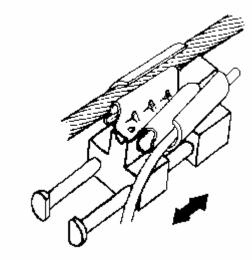


Figure 11

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3.3.2 Extraction step for U.D.Connector Reinforced Asymmetrical

Reference Extractor P/N 357486-1 for Type A , B , C , D, F and G . See Figure 12 .

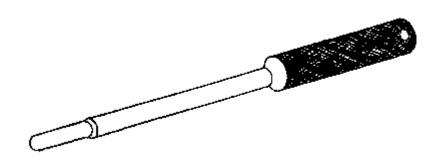


Figure 12

Step 1 Position the extractor on the applied connector in order to introduce the end of the extractor in the opening profile of the wedge near the clip . See Figure 13 .

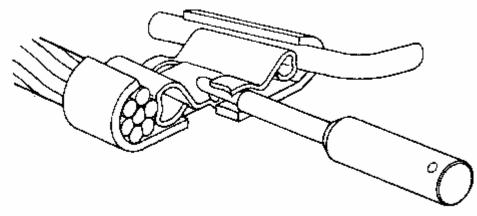
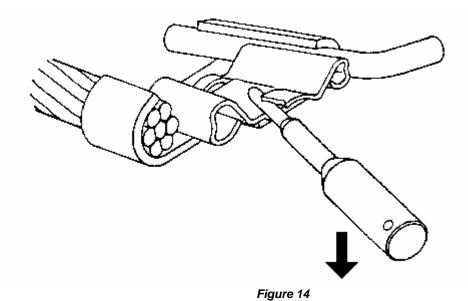


Figure 13

Step 2 Moving the extractor as a lever in the direction of the locking clip the connector is released. See Figure 14.



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