

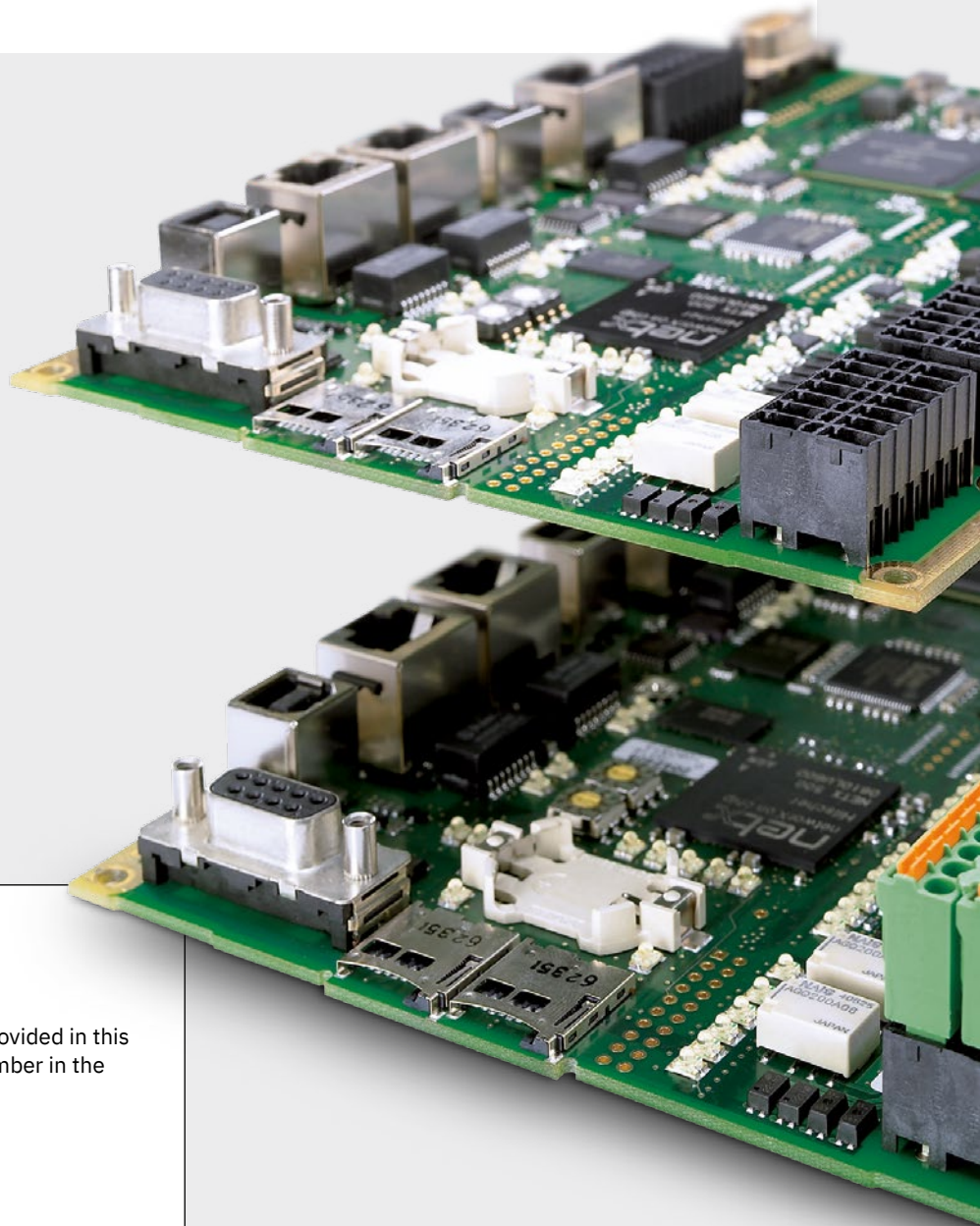
Connectors for SMT production

Basic principles and product overview

Surface mounting technology – SMT

A modern production process

Modern module manufacturing is characterized by high functional and component density with growing demand for miniaturization and reduced surface requirements of the components on the PCB. At the same time, the focus is also on cost-optimized manufacturing. Over the last few years this has had a significant influence on the increasing integration of components and connectors that were previously conventionally assembled using wave soldering technology.

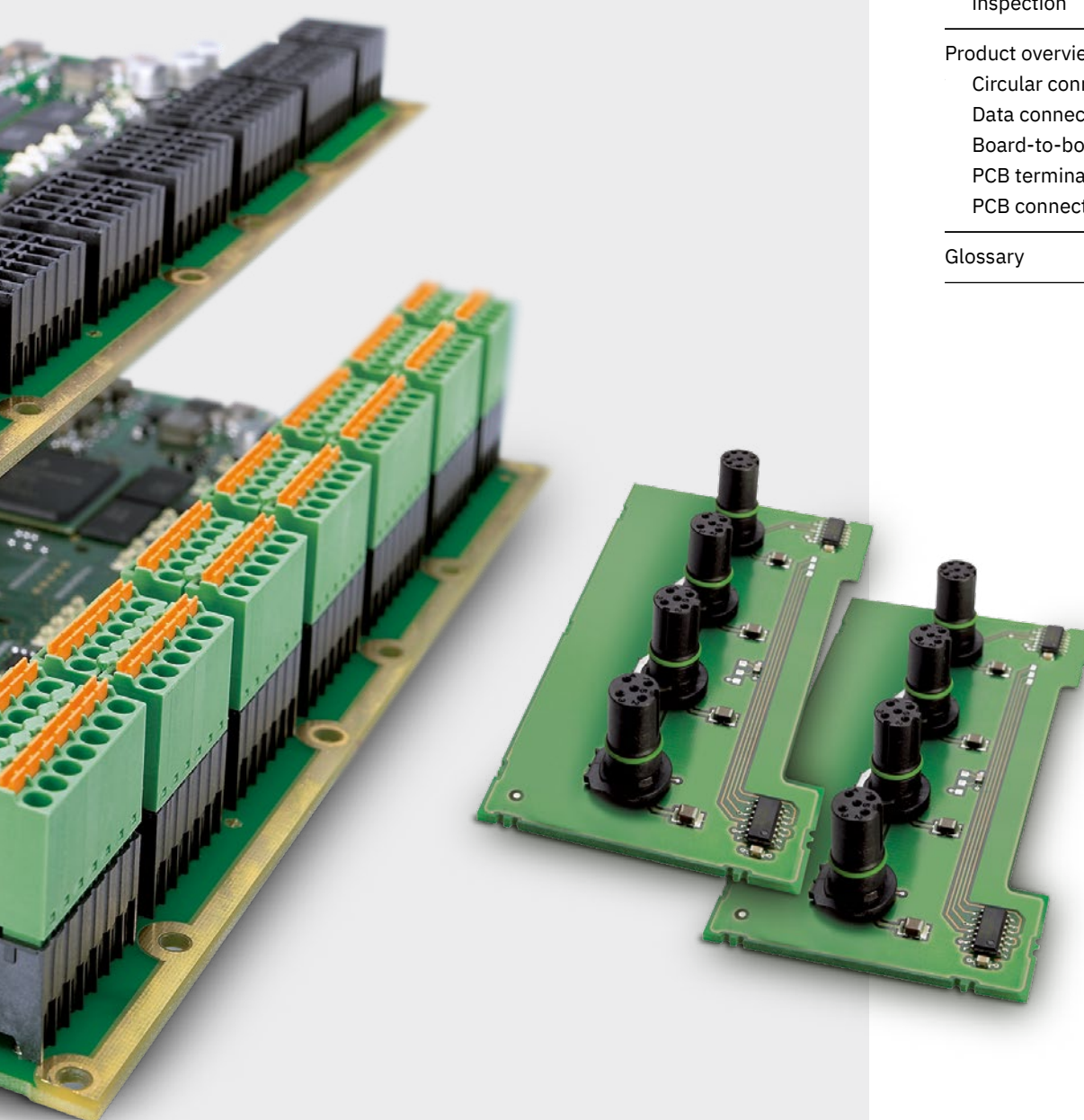


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Surface mounting – the basis for module manufacturing

Surface mounting technology is the basis for modern module manufacturing and is the result of decades of optimization in the module manufacturing process. Module manufacturing can be optimized and transformed into a cost-effective, high-quality, and less error-prone production process by switching from wired components that are mostly assembled by hand to surface-mounted components that support automated assembly.

In contrast to the through-hole assembly of wired components, SMD components have solderable connection surfaces that are soldered directly onto the top side of the PCB. In this process, the contact surfaces of the PCB are printed with solder paste, a mixture of solder particles and flux. The solder contacts on the SMD components are set into the paste and then soldered in the reflow oven (Fig. 1).

A driving factor in the development of SMD components is miniaturization and the associated increase in contact density and functionality on the PCB. The focus was therefore on the optimization of components with an electronic function (resistors, diodes, or ICs). With the increasing availability of components, interface components such as connectors also came under the spotlight. Connectors with low current loads and low requirements in terms of mechanical strain are already used in SMDs. There are currently two ways of integrating connectors with high requirements in terms of current carrying capacity and mechanical functions:

1. The connectors are treated as standard components and wave soldered in a second process step
2. The connectors are integrated into the SMD process using THR technology

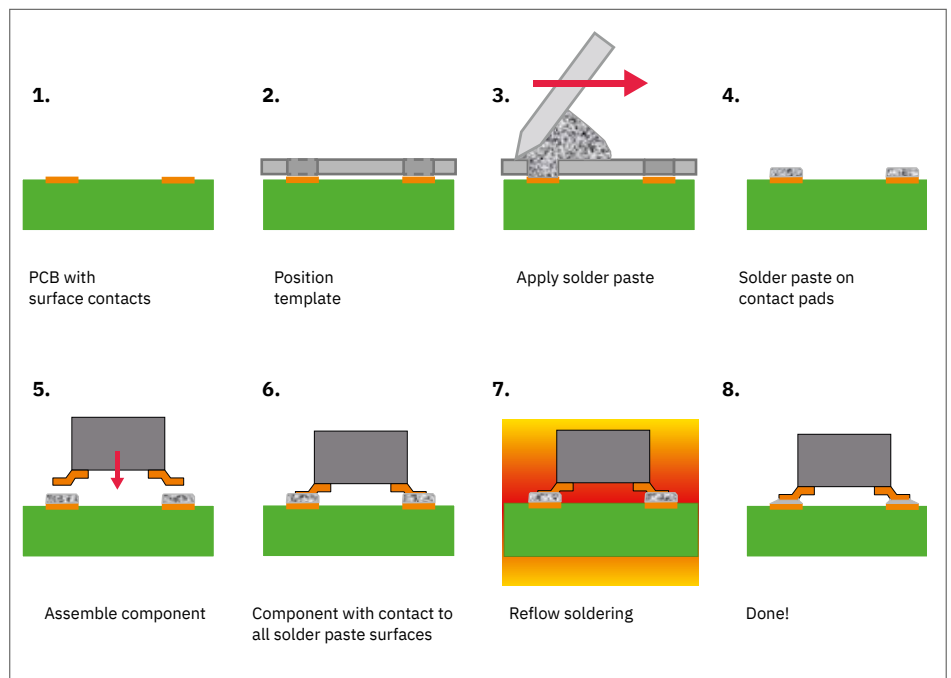


Fig. 1: Sequence for the surface mounting process

Basic principles of through-hole reflow technology

The through-hole reflow soldering process applies the process steps of SMT manufacturing to a PCB with through-contacted holes and to components with through-hole contacts. The functional principle of this method is today regarded as being established and has been accounted for in a separate standard, DIN EN 61760-3. The results of the soldering process satisfy the respective requirements of IPC A -610.

The THR process makes it possible to combine the mechanical stability of wired components with the efficiency of SMT. In the THR process, the solder paste is pressed into the through-contacted holes using the same process equipment. The amount of solder paste pressed into the holes must be balanced with the volume necessary for the final soldering spot.

Once the solder paste has been applied, the THR component is assembled in the holes. During this process, some of the solder is pushed through the bottom of the hole by the pin tip, but remains adhered to the pin tip. In the melting process in the reflow oven, this solder draws back into the hole and forms corresponding solder menisci on both sides. The mechanical stability of THR soldering spots is comparable with that of wave-soldered spots (Fig. 2).

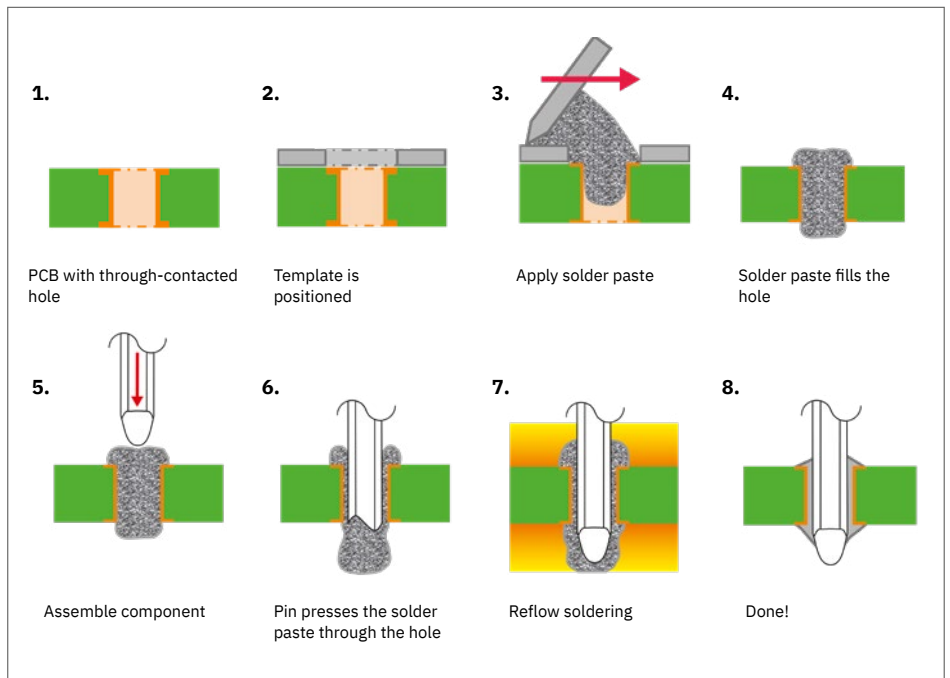


Fig. 2: Sequence for the through-hole reflow process

SMD and THR connectors for the reflow process

The use of components for different soldering technologies often necessitates the provision of several systems (wave/reflow soldering system) and the PCB being assembled in stages. The concurrent use of SMD and THR PCB connection technology is aimed at reducing the number of production steps and manufacturing the module using just one soldering process. Adjustments to existing production equipment or to the process control system are to be avoided wherever possible here. Regardless of which mounting type is used – SMD or THR – the components must be developed for the individual process steps of SMT mounting and the respective requirements.

Alongside the requirements on the components themselves, the components and the processing of these must be integrated into the process chain accordingly. The fundamental steps in the chain are: application of the solder paste via printing (Fig. 3), component assembly (Fig. 4), reflow soldering (Fig. 5), and finally inspection with a qualitative assessment of the soldering spots (Fig. 6).

The aim of this integration is to be able to concurrently process wired through-hole THR components and surface-mountable SMT components – using the same equipment, in the same process, and under the same conditions. Only then is a reduction of the number of process steps (e.g., no additional wave soldering) and the more cost-effective manufacture of the modules achieved.

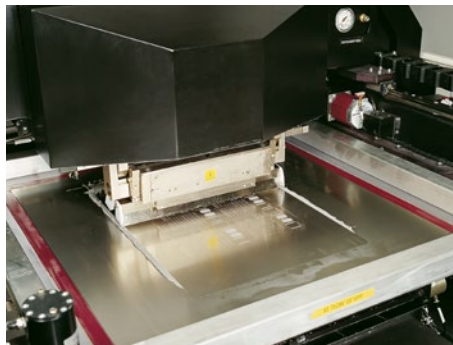


Fig. 3: Printing

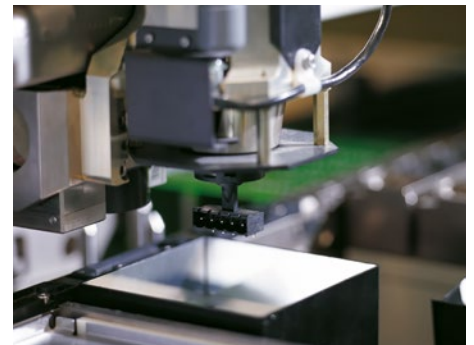


Fig. 4: Assembly

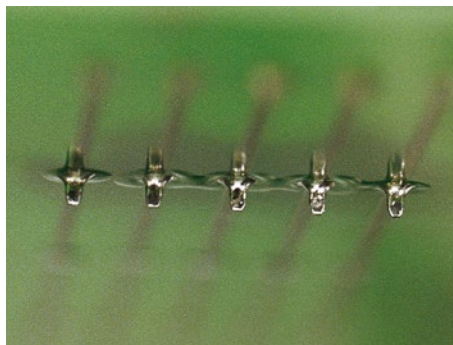


Fig. 5: Reflow soldering



Fig. 6: Inspection

Requirements on connectors for the reflow process

For use in the SMT process, the components must satisfy certain requirements regarding their geometry, the materials and surfaces used, and the packaging. Additional adjustments are necessary, especially for connectors.

4.1 Universally applicable requirements

The following requirements apply both to connectors solely intended for SMDs and to THR connectors.

High temperature plastics – HT

Short-term high temperature resistance is the foremost consideration in the requirements profile for a plastic intended for use in SMD or THR components. At the same time, however, the performance spectrum of the component should deviate as little as possible from that of a wave-solderable version. The insulation data of HT plastics lies in part significantly below that of standard plastics. Therefore, lower rated data/rated voltages are to be expected.

Today, depending on the requirements, polyamides (e.g., PA 4.6), LCPs (liquid crystal polymers) and PCTs are used.

Decisive factors in the selection are, amongst other things, the planned geometry of the component, the envisaged process window (temperature load) in the reflow oven, the planned expenditure for packaging and, associated with this, ultimately the price.

The processability of a component made of a particular high-temperature plastic is generally qualified in accordance with the standard IPC/JEDEC J-STD-020.

Suction surfaces for optimum assembly

Automatic assembly is a prerequisite for SMD mounting. Alongside the appropriate delivery methods, such as a tape or tray form, the focus is on removal from the packaging. Components must have smooth suction surfaces in order that they can,

wherever possible, be picked up by the mounting head of the machine without the use of any special grippers or special pipettes (Fig. 7/8). It is then possible to suck them up and move them using standard vacuum pipettes. If appropriate surfaces are not available or are too small, the component must be fitted with additional pick-and-place pads (Fig. 9).

Ideally, a component capable of automated assembly will not have an additional pad.

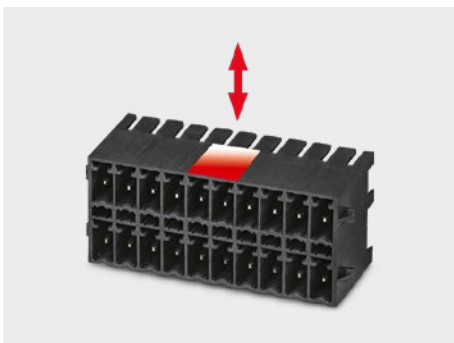


Fig. 7: Component shape-supporting suction surface

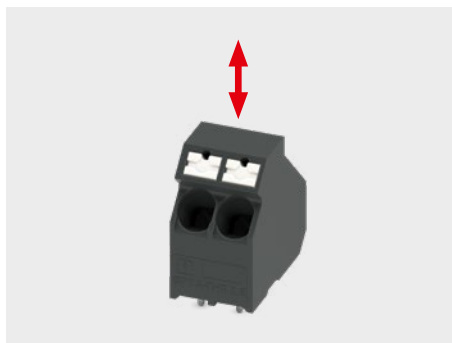


Fig. 8: Integrated raised suction surface



Fig. 9: Additional pick-and-place pad

Clearances on the bottom of the component

The contact of solder paste on plastic parts and the undefined melting-on can lead to residual solder balls or solder bridges which, at worst, cause short circuits in the module. Where possible, the components should have large clearances (Fig. 10) around the solder pin or the surface contact and be equipped with spacers known as standoffs. Furthermore, it must also be ensured through the layout of contact pads (Fig. 11) or residual rings that there is no contact between the insulating body of the component and the solder paste.

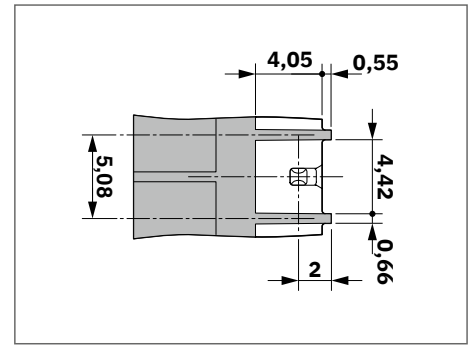
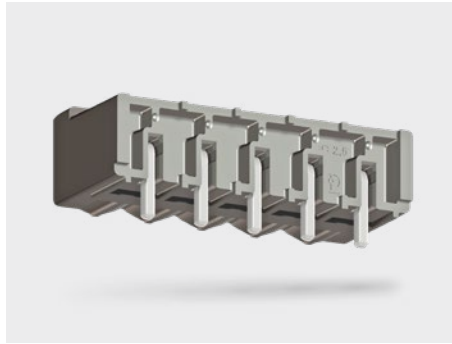


Fig. 10: Example of documentation for the possible clearance below a THR connector

Colored SMD/THR components

Components for the reflow soldering process should ideally be black – this ensures very clear demarcation between the contacts and the housing and facilitates image capture via camera systems for the assembly process.

Colored components (Fig. 12) can only be made available if the thermal stability of their color pigments is sufficient and, for certain applications, if the pigments are UV stable (Fig. 13). The color palette available today is limited and dependent on the base material (polyamide or polymer). Thanks to improved exposure and contrast imaging, modern camera systems are capable of capturing the necessary details despite the poor contrast of the metals against the colored housings.

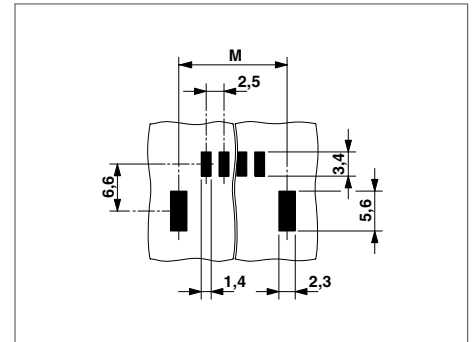


Fig. 11: Example of a recommended layout for an SMD connector



Fig. 12: Color versions

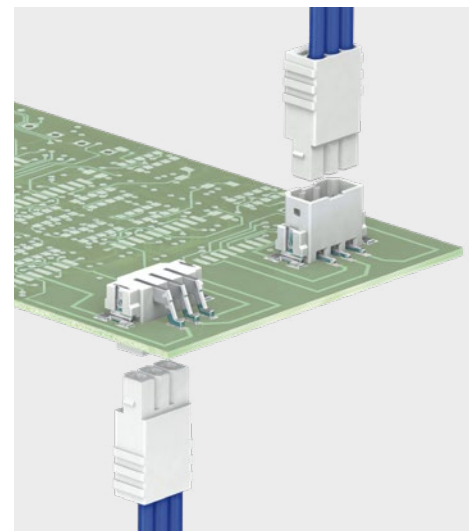


Fig. 13: SMD connectors in white for light connections are also UV-resistant

Gold-plated contacts

The use of gold-plated contact systems, especially in the solder area, is generally categorized as critical because tin-gold structures are formed which become brittle over time, potentially damaging the soldering spot. In contrast to wave soldering, a certain amount of gold remains in the soldering spot of THR and SMD components due to the limited amount of solder paste or solder. In many cases,

this risk can be avoided. For example, Phoenix Contact provides pins that are partially gold plated (Fig. 14). The contact side is gold-plated as normal, the solder side is tin-plated (Fig. 15).

If, due to the manufacturing process or the specific application, fully gold-plated contacts are nevertheless used (Fig. 16), the amount of gold remaining in the soldering spot must be determined. In accordance with EN 61191, this may not exceed 1.4%.

All Phoenix Contact SMD/THR contact systems are calculated on this basis.



Fig. 14: Partially gold-plated pins



Fig. 15: THR pin strip with partially gold-plated pins

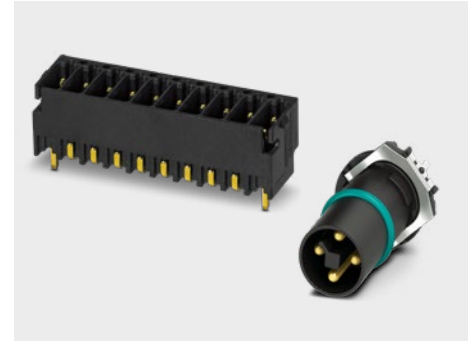


Fig. 16: Connectors with fully gold-plated SMD contacts – EN-61191 compliant

4.2 Specific requirements for THR components

Area of application of THR technology

The process window of the pin-in-paste method is determined by the relationship between the pin cross-section, hole diameter, and PCB thickness. In addition, there are also certain special requirements, primarily concerning the pin length and the position tolerance of the pins.

Area of application of pin-in-paste technology

The process window in which the pin-in-paste method can be used is determined by the solder paste and the relationship between the hole diameter and the PCB thickness. The smaller the hole diameter, the more difficult it is to generate sufficient through-print and therefore to fill the hole 100%.

The lower diameter limit for a 1.6 mm PCB is approximately 1.0 mm. The upper limiting diameter of approximately 2.0 mm is defined by the risk of paste discharge directly during screen printing, that is, the paste cannot maintain its position in the hole.

Examples of common combinations are shown in the table (Fig. 17). The purpose of correlating the hole dimensions and pin

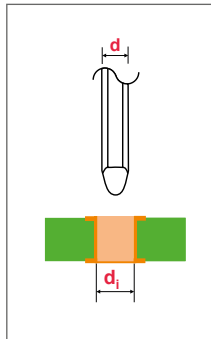


Fig. 17: Relationship between pin diagonals and the recommended hole diameter, based on a PCB thickness of 1.6 mm

	Pin diagonal (d)	Recommended hole diameter (di)
Pin solder flange	1.58 mm 1.2 x 1.2 square pin	1.9 mm
CC-COMBICON	1.23 mm 1 x 1 square pin	1.6 mm
MC-COMBICON	1.15 mm 0.8 x 0.8 square pin	1.4 mm
Micro-COMBICON	0.9 mm 0.64 x 0.64 square pin	1.2 mm

diameter is to ensure that the pin strips can be processed without difficulty. Ultimately, it must be possible for the operators to produce soldering spots that satisfy the requirements of class 3 of IPC-A-610.

Pad design/residual ring

With regard to dimensioning the residual ring, the same requirements as those for wave-soldered pads largely apply. Taking into consideration the air clearances and creepage distances and the clearance below

the component around the pin, the ring width should be between 0.2 and 0.5 mm. The potentially larger volume of paste on wider rings can have a positive effect on the soldering quality (meniscus formation).

Hole diameter

The use of THR technology requires modifications to the PCB layout. Selecting the correct hole diameter is important here. On the one hand, selecting a suitable hole diameter is important for ensuring the reflow of the solder in the reflow process; on the other hand, the hole size affects the ability to use automated assembly. Through the use of a suitable hole size, production tolerances are compensated and reliable assembly is possible.

In practice, the longer the component the greater the production tolerances. To increase the assembly reliability of large, high-position components, it may be necessary to increase the internal diameter even further by up to 0.1 mm. For Phoenix Contact THR components, the recommended hole diameters for the individual series are documented based on the number of positions (e.g., see table for M12 THR connectors (Fig. 18)).

Position tolerance – swash circumference

The position tolerance of pins in through-hole pin strips indicates the permissible positional deviation of the pin tip from the zero position in the x or y direction. More illustrative is the swash circumference concept, which describes a circle with corresponding diameter for the deviation of the pin tip around the zero position. For example, in this case, a position tolerance of ± 0.2 mm describes a circle with a diameter of 0.4 mm, the center of which is the ideal zero position of the pin tip. The current THR standard, DIN EN 61760-3, specifies ± 0.2 mm as the maximum permissible position tolerance. This corresponds to a swash circumference with diameter 0.4 mm. The position tolerance of the

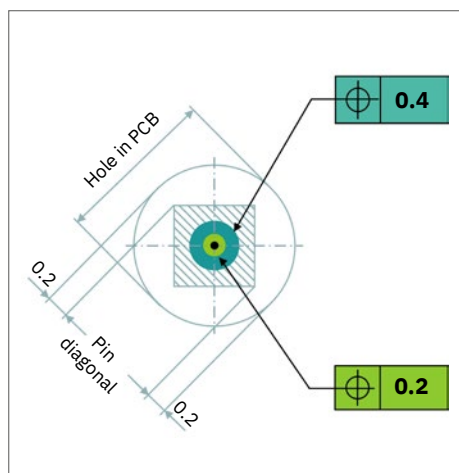


Fig. 19: Position tolerance of the pin tip in the hole – the tolerance of possible swash circumferences in accordance with standard requirements is a diameter of max 0.4 mm

THR product family (straight)				Recommended layout ¹⁾		
Number of pos.	Coding	Design [male/female]	Pin Ø [mm]	Hole	Residual ring	Template
4	A, D	Male/female	1	1.3	2	1.9
4	T	Male/female	1.3	1.6	2.6	2.4
4	S (cross)	Male/female	1.3	1.6	2	1.9
4/5	L	Male	1.3	1.6	2.6	2.4
4/5	L (FE)	Male	1.15	1.6	2.6	2.4
4/5	L	Female	1.15	1.6	2.6	2.4
4/5	L (FE)	Female	1.3	1.6	2.6	2.4
4/5	K	Male	1.3	1.4	2	1.9
4/5	K (PE)	Male	1.15	1.3	2	1.9
4/5	K	Female	1.15	1.3	2	1.9
4/5	K (PE)	Female	1.3	1.4	2	1.9
5	A, B	Male/female	1	1.3	2	1.9
6	M	Male/female	0.75	1.1	1.6	1.5
8	A	Male/female	0.8	1.1	2.1	1.9
8	X	Female	0.8	1.1	1.75	1.65
8	Y	Female	0.8/0.8	1.1	1.8	1.7
12	A	Male/female	0.6	1	1.7	1.6
17	A	Male/female	0.6	1	1.45	1.35

THR product family (angled)				Recommended layout ¹⁾		
Number of pos.	Coding	Design [male/female]	Pin Ø [mm]	Hole	Residual ring	Template
4	A, D	Male/female	0.8	1.25	2	1.9
5	A, B	Male/female	0.8	1.25	2	1.9
8	A	Male/female	0.8	1.25	2	1.9

THR/wave product family (angled)				Recommended layout ¹⁾		
Number of pos.	Coding	Design [male/female]	Pin Ø [mm]	Hole	Residual ring	Template
4	A, D	Male/female	1	1.3	1.9	1.8
5	A, B	Male/female	1	1.3	2	1.9
8	A	Male/female	0.8	1.1	1.9	1.8
8	X	Female	0.8	1.1	1.75	1.65
8	Y	Female	0.8	1.1	1.8	1.7
12	A	Male/female	0.8	1.1	1.5	1.4
17	A	Male/female	0.8	1.1	1.5	1.4

SMD M12 product family				Recommended layout ¹⁾	
Number of pos.	Coding	Design [male/female]	Pin Ø [mm]	Residual ring	Template
4	A, D	Male/female	0.9 ²⁾ / 1.05 x 0.85 ³⁾	1.9	1.7
4	T	Male/female	1.3	2.3	2.1
5	A, B	Male/female	0.9 ²⁾ / 1.05 x 0.85 ³⁾	1.9	1.7
8	A	Male/female	0.9 ²⁾ / 1.05 x 0.85 ³⁾	1.9	1.7
8	X	Female	0.7	1.7	1.5
8	Y	Female	0.7 / 0.9	1.7 / 1.9	1.5 / 1.7
12	A	Male/female	0.7	1.7	1.5
17	A	Male/female	0.7	1.45	1.35

SMD M8 product family				Recommended layout ¹⁾	
Number of pos.	Coding	Design [male/female]	Pin Ø [mm]	Residual ring	Template
3	A	Male/female	0.9 ²⁾ / 1.05 x 0.85 ³⁾	1.8	1.7
4	A	Male/female	0.9 ²⁾ / 1.05 x 0.85 ³⁾	1.5	1.4
4	D	Female	0.9 ²⁾ / 1.05 x 0.85 ³⁾	1.7	1.6
5	B	Female	0.9 ²⁾ / 1.05 x 0.85 ³⁾	1.5	1.4
6	A	Female	0.8	1.4	1.3
8	A	Female	0.7	1.1	1

Fig. 18: M12 PCB design

¹⁾ For a PCB thickness of 1.6 mm

²⁾ Turned contacts

³⁾ Punched contacts

pin tip in the hole is indicated by the swash circumference (Fig. 19).

All Phoenix Contact THR components satisfy the requirements of the standard. Furthermore, a corresponding product portfolio is available for applications that require a position tolerance of ± 0.1 mm.

Solder pin length

The soldering method and the type of soldering process (convection or vapor phase) should also be taken into consideration when selecting the right solder pin length. Pin protrusions between 0.4 and 1.0 mm are generally recommended these days. For a 1.6 mm thick PCB, this means a pin length of 2 mm to 2.6 mm from the bottom of the component in order to minimize the risk of paste loss (solder paste dropping). This applies in particular to the vapor phase process, because here, regardless of the solder applied, the condensate adds additional load to the solder ball at the pin tip and can lead to solder paste dropping. However, very good soldering spots can be created with



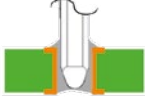

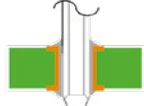
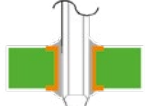


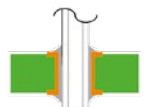
Pin length (standards)	THR convection	THR vapor phase
1.4 mm countersunk pin 	Limited inspection 	Limited inspection 
2.0 mm standard 	Ideal 	Ideal 
2.6 mm standard 	Ideal 	Ideal 

Fig. 20: Pin lengths for use in standard PCBs with a thickness of 1.6 mm

extremely short pins countersunk in the PCB. With regard to IPC inspection, specific qualification criteria have not as yet been defined, meaning that the risk must be assessed on an individual basis (Fig. 20).

4.3 Specific requirements for SMD components

The connection contacts of SMD components are also subject to tolerance specifications. In addition, they require fixing elements to hold their position during the reflow process.

Coplanarity and paste coating thickness

The coplanarity of the surface contacts of SMD connectors should be within 0.1 mm and 0.15 mm in accordance with DIN EN 61760-1. A clean contact of the connections with the paste is, however, fundamentally dependent on the paste coating thickness. These days, this is normally between 100 and 150 μm . Accordingly, the coplanarity must therefore be 0.08 mm to 0.1 mm. The possible coating thickness of the solder paste that can be applied depends here on the particle diameter of the tin particles in the paste.

Solder pastes are classified by type according to the particle size.

A coplanarity of 100 μm means that all contact areas in one plane must be within a tolerance of $0+0.1$ mm (ideally $0+0.08$ mm), otherwise contact with the solder paste may not be ensured in certain cases. In this case, the coating thickness of the solder paste must be at least 120 μm to ensure reliable contact (Fig. 21).

Position tolerance

The requirements on the position tolerance of SMD connection/solder contacts are comparable to those for THR pins. In this case, however, the position tolerance in the x and y direction is specified rather than the swash circumference. Depending on pitch, however, it should be in the range of ± 0.1 mm, as per the SMD layout tolerance.

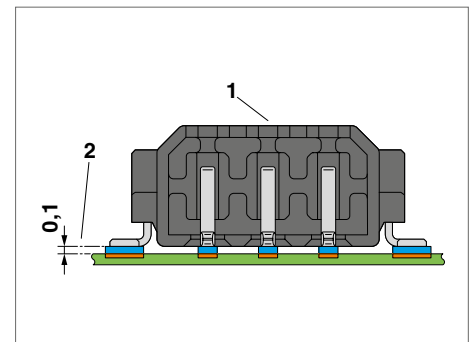


Fig. 21: Coplanarity of all component contacts of 0.1 mm

Mounting bosses

Mounting bosses are plastic pins that are integrated into the housing of the component, positioned in holes without surface coating. They prevent the component twisting in the event of floating during the soldering process and therefore prevent an impermissible lateral offset to the layout. Whether mounting bosses are necessary or not depends on the weight of the component. As a general rule, the same position tolerances also apply to the mounting boss holes (Fig. 22).

Armatures

SMD armatures for connectors primarily have two functions. First, to increase the secure positioning on the PCB and the mechanical stability when the connector is being plugged in and unplugged. Second, the additional armature surface can generate the necessary additional adhesion for overhead soldering during assembly on both sides (Fig. 23).

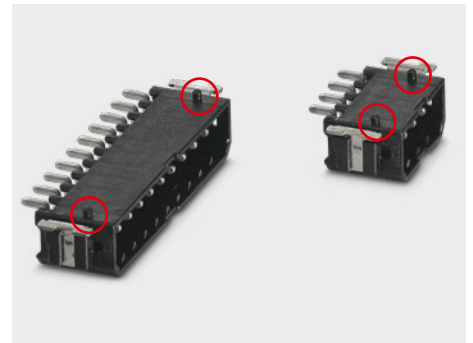


Fig. 22: Connectors with positioning pins (mounting bosses)



Fig. 23: PCB terminal block with lateral SMD armature

4.4 Specific requirements on combination SMD/THR components

SMD contacts and THR armature metals

Connectors solely intended for SMDs are used in device connection technology primarily within the device as board-to-board connections or wire-to-board connections, and less as direct external device connections.

For external device connections and for end user operation, the same high mechanical load values are required as for those of wave-soldered or THR-soldered through-hole connections. These are difficult to achieve with a pure SMD connector with similar connector dimensions. The use of connectors with SMD contacts and THR armature metals is ideal in this case (Fig. 24).

This type of connector must also satisfy the aforementioned requirements for SMD and THR connectors. At the same time, this combination provides clear advantages.

Double function for THR armature pins

In addition to the necessary mechanical stability, the THR armatures additionally perform the function of the mounting bosses and secure the connector against movement during the soldering process. In the area of the SMD contacts, the space on the secondary side of the PCB can be used for the layout.

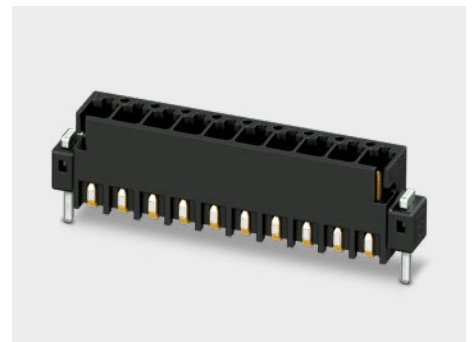


Fig. 24: Combination connector with SMD contacts and THR armature

Qualification of components for the reflow process

Connectors for use in the SMT process are primarily tested in accordance with the latest version of qualification standard IPC/JEDEC J-STD-020. The focus is the basic moisture absorption in plastics, which under the influence of the temperature load during soldering can lead to the destruction of the component through blistering, delamination, or deformation.

Depending on the component dimensions and geometry as well as the choice of plastic, a level is qualified which clearly determines the treatment of the component from manufacture through to its use in the SMT process.

5.1 Peak and classification temperatures for reflow components

In a basic sequence of tests, efforts are made to subject the component to the maximum optimized peak temperature (measured on the top of the component) within a simulated reflow soldering over a period of up to 30 seconds. These days, the desired peak temperature is approximately +260°C.

The standard, however, only demands these high temperatures in practice for small components with comparatively low housing or wall thicknesses. As the housing or wall thickness increases or the housing volume grows, lower temperature values

apply. This does not mean that efforts should not continue to be made to test at as high a peak temperature as possible, merely that this is not required.

This is due to the fact that THR/SMD connectors are often among the largest components on the board. All other components heat up much more quickly due to their lower thermal masses, and must therefore withstand significantly higher peak temperatures over a longer period. Balanced thermal management should therefore conserve the smaller components and securely solder the larger components

despite lower heating temperatures.

A classification temperature T_c is defined so that manufacturers and operators have an equal understanding of the maximum permissible peak temperatures. Furthermore, by stating $T_c +5^\circ\text{C}$ for qualification and $T_c -5^\circ\text{C}$ for soldering, a temperature safety buffer is provided in order that the destruction of a component can be ruled out as far as possible (Fig. 25).

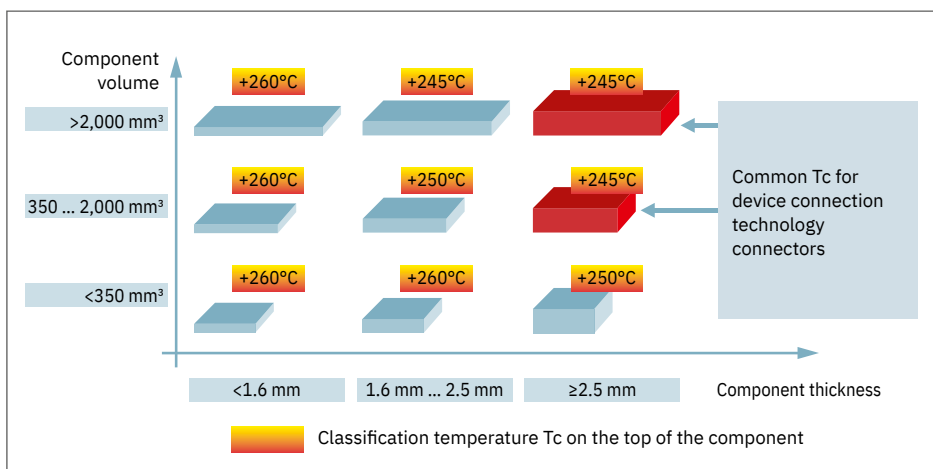


Fig. 25: Determination of the classification temperature based on housing volume and thickness for lead-free soldering processes

5.2 Moisture sensitivity level for reflow components

Along with the classification temperature, the moisture sensitivity level (MSL) is the parameter which precisely describes the treatment of the component during the reflow process. Levels 1 to 6 are assigned depending on the capacity of the component to absorb moisture (Fig. 26).

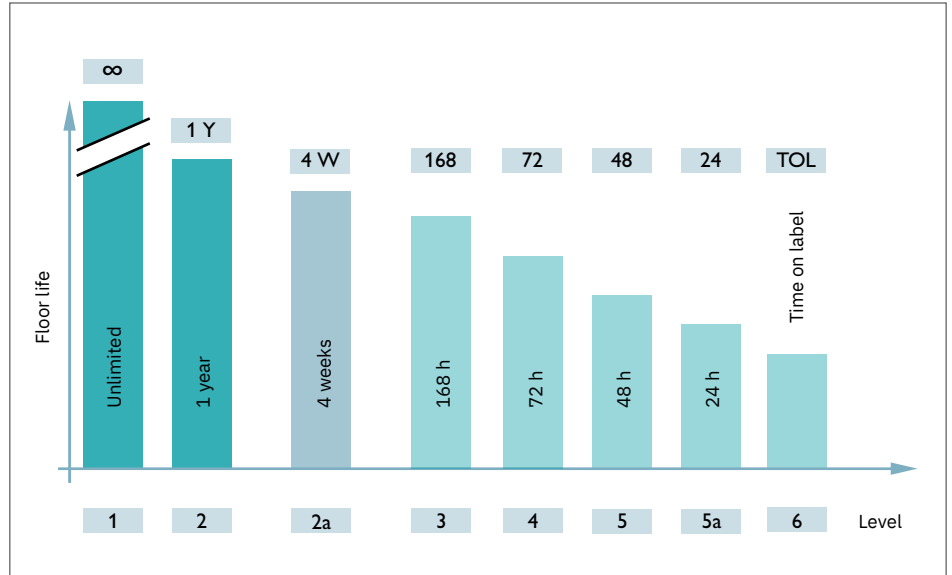


Fig. 26: MSLs and their associated floor life

5.3 Maximum permissible floor life = safe processing without damage in the reflow process

Exposed processing means the removal of the previously defined dry component from its air-tight packaging and the processing of this component within the time specified by the level. During this time, the component can absorb moisture without suffering damage in the reflow process.

Components that can not absorb moisture or only little amounts are therefore candidates for level 1, “unlimited”, without additional dry packaging (dry bag). These can be stored in the open and have an unlimited floor life for the process.

Components that absorb moisture are classified with floor lives from 1 year (level 2) down to just a few hours (level 3 – 6). These components need dry bag packaging. The floor life begins when the bag is opened and ends on expiry of the time specified by the level. The risk of component damage increases significantly upon expiry of the floor time (Fig. 27). In order to be used again, the components must be dried (re-baked) and returned to their initial state.

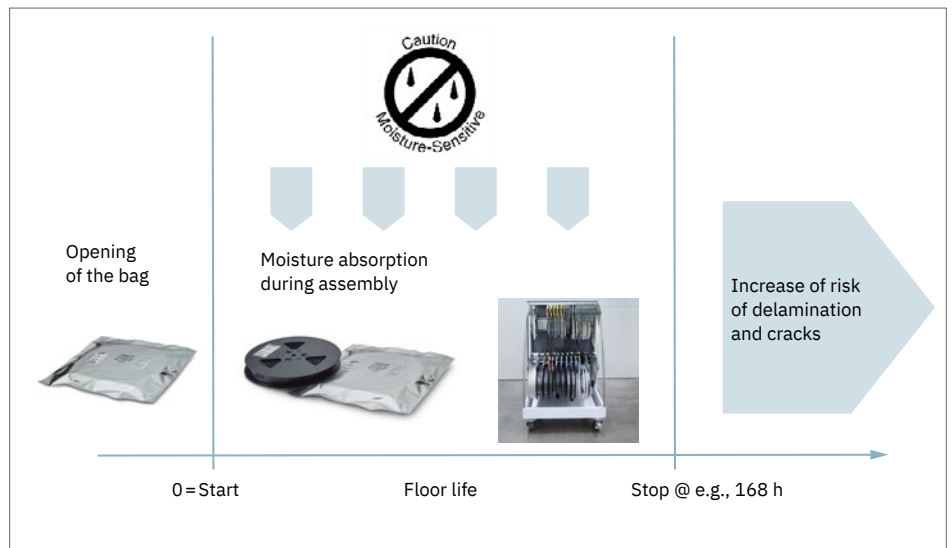


Fig. 27*: Floor life, example of the process for MSL 3 components

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5.4 Test cycle, qualification of the moisture sensitivity level (MSL)

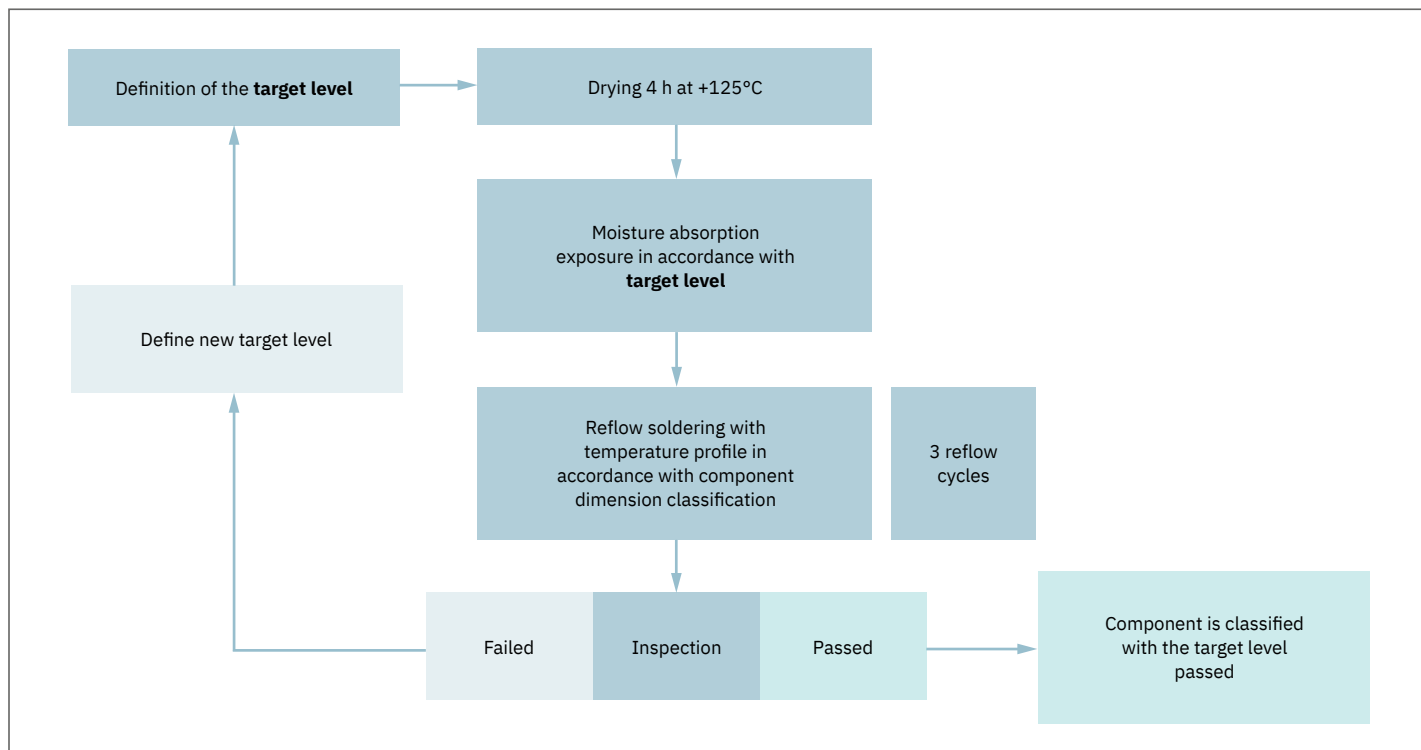


Fig. 28: Test cycle with which the target level is tested

The tests are normally first performed with classification temperatures of +260°C. It is only if the component does not pass the test that the classification temperature is reduced to +250°C or +245°C for certain component dimensions in accordance with the standard; however, the desired level is maintained for the time being. If this test is not passed either, a new target level is determined and the test cycle is restarted with a classification temperature of +260°C. The final moisture sensitivity level is only established when the component completes the test without any damage.

The components are then packed and labeled in accordance with the standard specifications (Fig. 28).

The components are to be inspected for damage after each new test cycle. Blister formation (Fig. 29) on the component surface requires particular attention – it may be necessary to take micro-sections to determine if there is any internal damage (cracks, Fig. 30). Fused surfaces and deformations will also result in the component not passing a target level.



Fig. 29: Failed level – blister formation



Fig. 30: Failed level – cracks

5.5 Qualification profile vs. operator profile

Even though the qualification profile is close to real-world conditions, there may be deviations from the real profiles of the operators. Ultimately, the suitable soldering profile depends on many factors. The process specialists need to find a compromise between board size and thickness, component types and density, solder paste and system equipment, and

many other factors in order to solder the module cleanly. The qualification profiles and their classification temperatures therefore serve as a reference point for specialists as to whether the components can be soldered using the actual profile (Fig. 31/32).

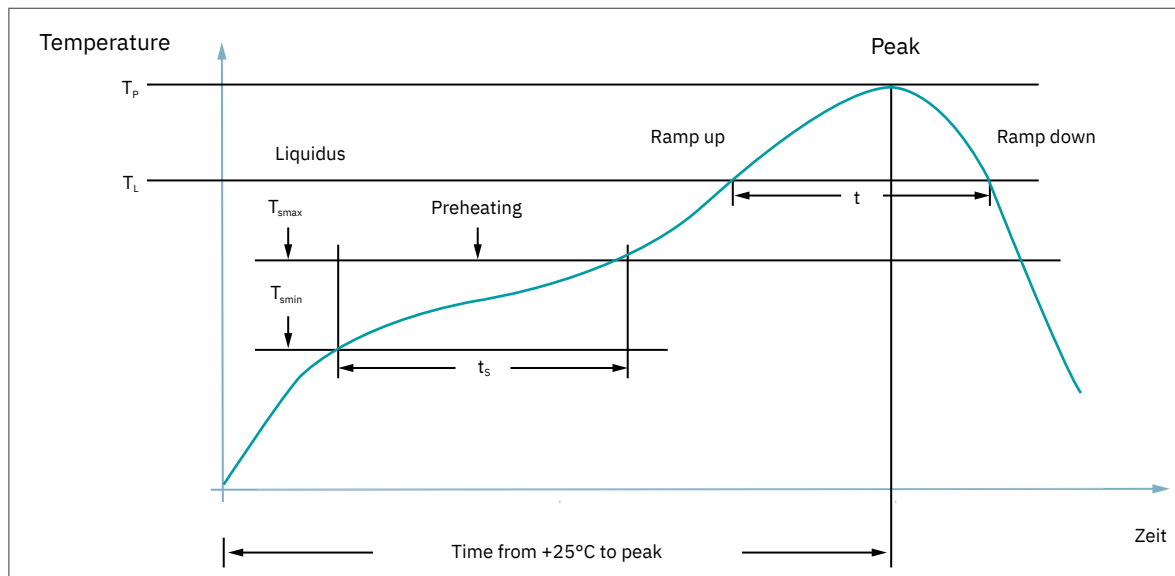


Fig. 31*: Idealized qualification profile in accordance with the standard

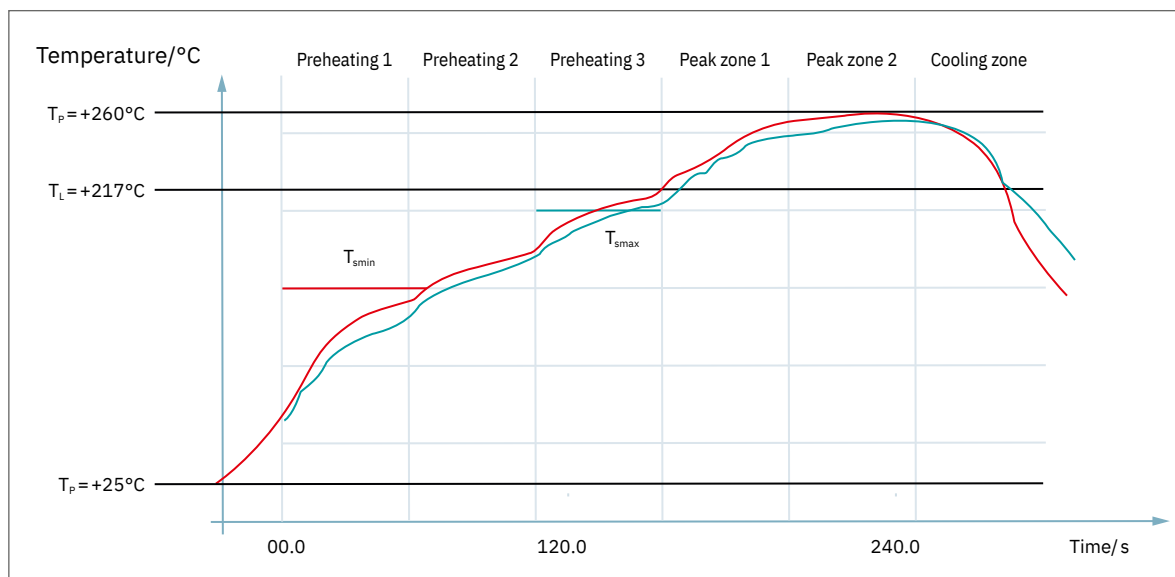


Fig. 32: Logged real application profile

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5.6 Packaging

Based on the moisture sensitivity level, MSL, determined in accordance with IPC/JEDEC J-STD 020, there are two types of packaging.

Level 1

Components achieving MSL 1 do not require any special protective measures to prevent moisture absorption. Simple packaging in a protective bag that is electrostatically conductive is sufficient (Fig. 33).



Fig. 33: MSL 1 goods in an antistatic polybag

Level goods

Level goods, that is, goods with MSL 2 or higher, require dry bags that are also electrostatically conductive. Packaging is performed in accordance with IPC/JEDEC-033 with appropriate desiccants, moisture indicators, and nitrogen flushing and is concluded with the bag being partially vacuumed and sealed (Fig. 34 / Fig. 35).



Fig. 34: Components in tape form in a dry bag



Fig. 35: Components as bulk goods in a carton in a dry bag

Moisture-sensitive goods in dry bags are also marked with a special label including corresponding warning note. The following information is required at the very least:

- The MSL (top right)
- The shelf life in the sealed dry bag
- The peak temperature value at which qualification was performed
- The maximum floor life of the component, during which it can be processed within the scope of the qualification values without risk
- The date the dry bag was sealed (Fig. 36)

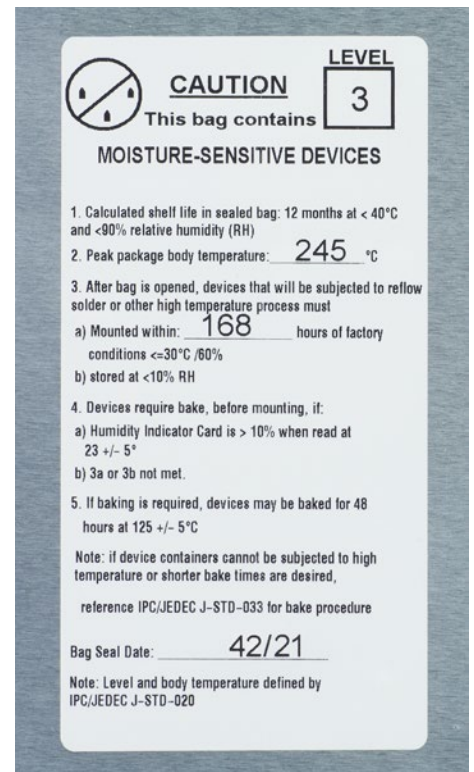


Fig. 36: Identification

Process integration: PCB layout, printing, assembly, soldering, and inspection

Optimum process integration begins with the PCB layout. It is at this early stage that the foundations for the best possible soldering results are laid. The correct paste application has a significant impact on the end result, but there are also corresponding conditions for the error-free positioning of components during assembly. The soldering process and subsequent inspection are well described in standards. Each process step places requirements on the components which they in turn must satisfy through the optimum selection of materials and product design.

6.1 PCB layout

SMD layout

The pad size for a certain solder contact size and the overall layout (arrangement and spacing of the pads) are usually recommended in the manufacturer's proposed layout. The proposed layout takes a sufficient area into consideration to produce soldering spots in accordance with the desired class of IPC A-610.

The arrangement of the contacts in relation to each other is largely influenced by the required air clearances and creepage distances. Tolerances that must be observed for the component and during assembly which affect lateral overhang and contact overlap influence the pad spreads. Connection surfaces oversized for safety

reasons should also be avoided, as well as connection pads that are potentially too small and tend to have too much lateral overhang. Ultimately, the layout is a compromise which may be optimized at any time based on individual experience (Fig. 37).

THR layout – pad design/residual ring

With regard to dimensioning the residual ring, the same requirements as those for wave-soldered pads largely apply. Taking into consideration the air clearances and creepage distances and the clearance below the component around the pin, the ring width should be between 0.2 and 0.5 mm. The potentially larger volume of paste on

wider rings can have a positive effect on the soldering quality (meniscus formation).

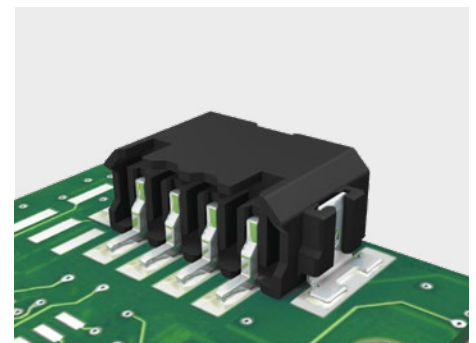
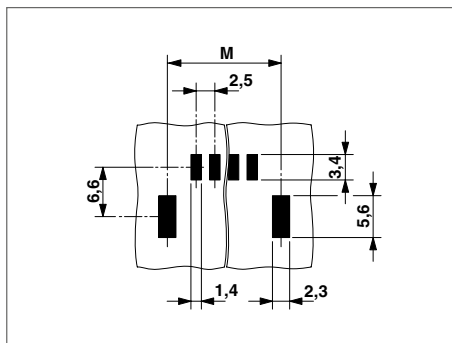


Fig. 37: Example of a recommended layout for an SMD connector

THR layout – hole diameter

The hole diameter for THR connectors depends on the pin geometry and the PCB thickness – see “Area of application of THR technology”, page 9. An optimum relationship between the hole diameter and pin geometry balances manufacturing tolerances, and ensures collision-free assembly and sufficient solder flow during soldering. As a rule of thumb, the diameter of the hole should be approximately 0.3 mm larger than the diagonal of the pin (Fig. 38). Proposed layouts for a recommended hole diameter are documented in the item drawings. Furthermore, the position tolerance of the contact pin can also be used (Fig. 39).

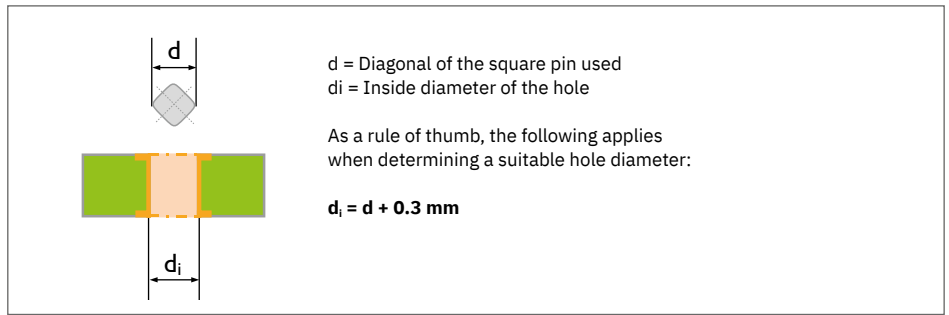


Fig. 38: Recommended relationship between hole diameter and pin diagonal

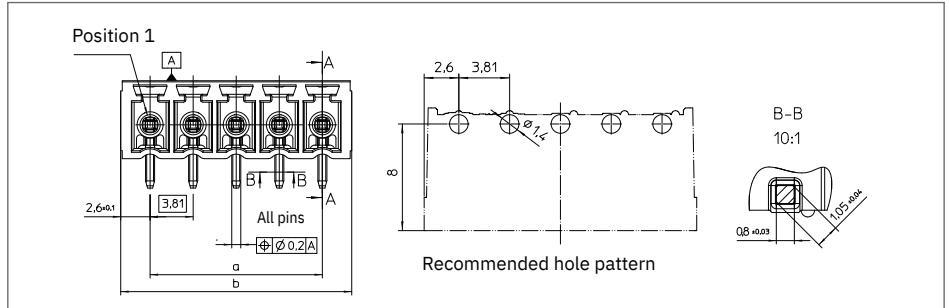


Fig. 39: Layout and tolerance drawing of a typical THR component

6.2 Paste printing

In the printing process, the solder paste is applied concurrently for SMD components (surface printing) and THR components (through-printing) to the pads/residual rings using a template or it is applied in the holes. Templates with a thickness of 100 to 150 μm are currently used (Fig. 40).

SMD paste printing

The smallest SMD pads of a layout and the coplanarity of the components have a significant influence on the paste requirements and therefore the selection of the template thickness and the class

of solder paste. Normally, possible combinations are tested and can be called up in the series process for setting the process chain. Tuning the parameters and printer setting is based more on experience than on normative specifications.

or squeegee blade speed (where applicable through cartridge printing in closed systems) (Fig. 41).

THR paste printing

The coordinated printing processes for the main SMD printing should not be influenced, or only slightly influenced, by concurrent THR printing. On the printer itself, the through-printing can, however, be modified by the squeegee blade angle

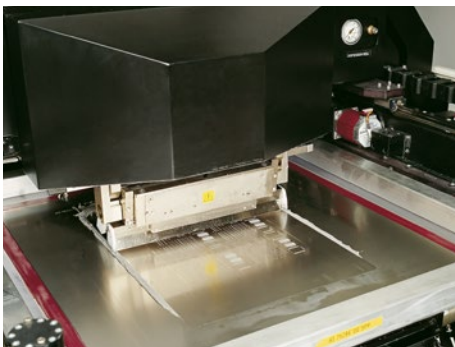


Fig. 40: Squeegee blade system for applying solder paste

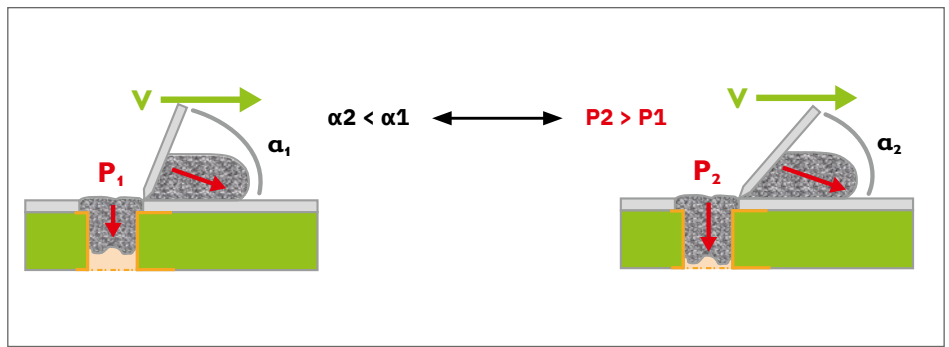


Fig. 41: Change of the blade angle – increase in through-printing

THR paste volume – base parameters

The volume of the paste printing must be twice as large as the volume that the solder takes after melting. Approximately half (by volume) of the solder paste consists of solder aids such as activators and fluxes, the rest is made up of solder in particle form with a standard particle size of between 25 and 45 µm. Paste types are classed according to the particle diameter, among other things.

The necessary volume must be generated through the appropriate design of the layout, optimized printer parameters, and based on the behavior of the solder paste. Ideally, there is no overprinting on the upper residual ring (less soiling) and a slight through-print on the secondary side of the PCB at 100% hole-fill (Fig. 42).

The template cutout (Fig. 43) is designed with a diameter that is approximately 0.1 mm smaller so that the template lays on the residual ring (Fig. 44).

This is intended to prevent the overprinting of solder paste on the solder resist. The necessary solder deposit results from the through-printed paste on the secondary side of the PCB. This method prevents soiling due to paste and reduces the risk of solder beading.

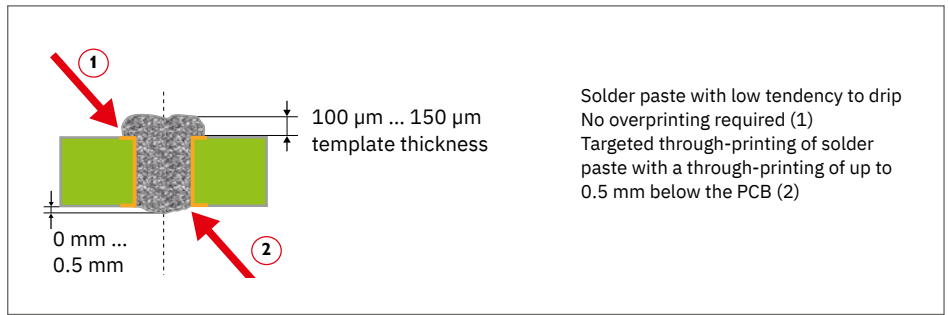


Fig. 42: Base pressure (ideal)

Solder paste with low tendency to drip
No overprinting required (1)
Targeted through-printing of solder paste with a through-printing of up to 0.5 mm below the PCB (2)

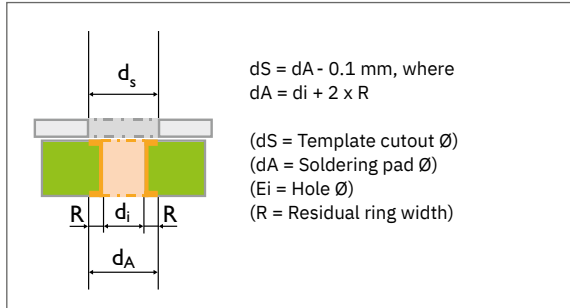


Fig. 43: Recommended template cutout

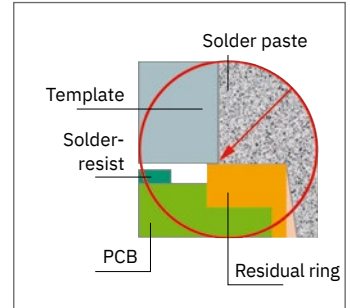


Fig. 44: Template positioned on the residual ring – no overprinting

THR paste volume – additional areas

In certain applications, especially those where the solder paste is more likely to drip, the through-printing is reduced (Fig. 45). The missing paste volumes must therefore be generated elsewhere.

A very simple way of reducing the through-printing is by adjusting the squeegee blade angle, or alternatively by adding bars to the template (see “THR paste volume – reduced pressure”, page 21).

Less through-printing means a lower solder volume. To compensate for this, in certain spatial conditions, additional paste volumes can be made available through additional areas adjoining the residual ring. The melting paste flows out of these areas back to the residual ring and therefore increases the solder volume (Fig. 46).

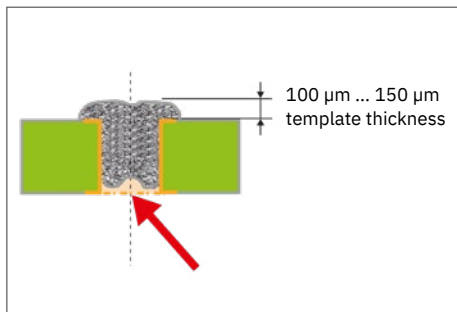


Fig. 45: Reduced paste printing – less through-printing

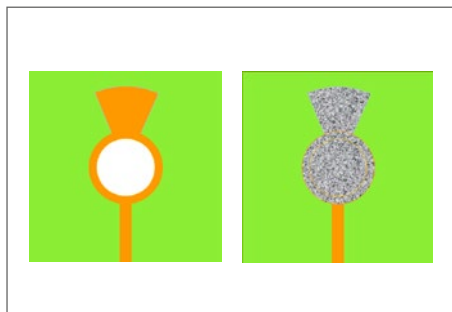


Fig. 46: Layout area for additional solder paste volume: layout and after printing

THR paste volume – reduced pressure

If the solder paste used tends to drip or if the holes for the components used are very large, another strategy must be pursued. In this case, incorporating bars in the template to limit the paste through-printing is recommended (Fig. 47). The reduction of the solder volume in the through-printing can be achieved through concurrent targeted overprinting or additional reflow areas on the PCB surface (Fig. 48).

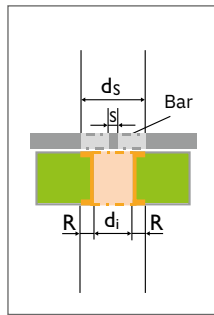


Fig. 47: Template with bar of width S

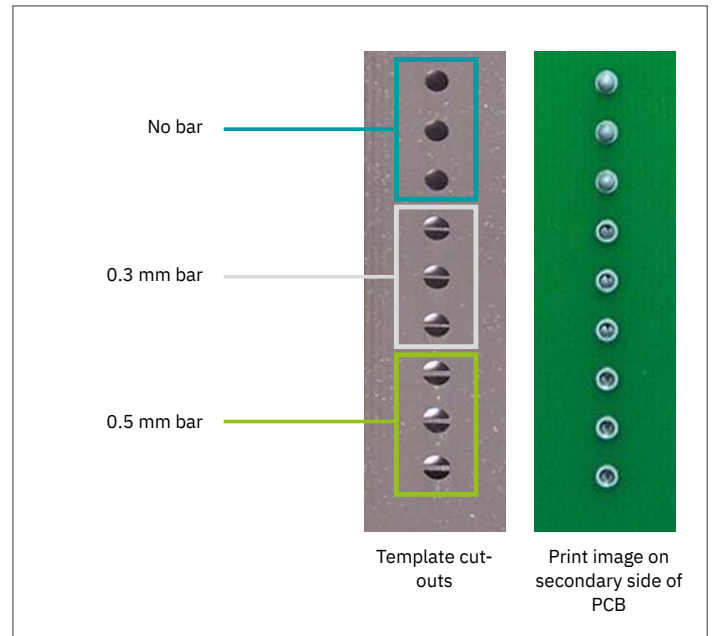


Fig. 48: Through-printing reduction through bars, alternative cutouts with bars, and larger diameters

6.3 Assembly

PCB connection elements are normally assembled by hand, especially for wave soldering processes. There are significant cost advantages associated with integrating THR or SMD connectors into automated assembly within reflow processes.

Automated assembly – pick-and-place

Due to their size and weight, THR/SMD pin strips or PCB terminal blocks can usually only be assembled using pick-and-place machines. In this process, components are picked up using standard vacuum pipettes.

For full integration into the process, the available maximum free assembly height of the automatic device and the component weight must be taken into consideration. It may be necessary to reduce the assembly speed in order to avoid component losses.

The component is picked up at a defined position (e.g., in the case of a tape, from the first cavity in the feeder, Fig. 49). The component is then measured via the camera (Fig. 50) and then placed on the PCB (Fig. 51).

For this process, the components must be available in standard forms of packaging

for SMT. For connectors and PCB terminal blocks, the most common form of packaging is the tape (tape-on-reel). For very large or geometrically challenging components, flat magazines (trays) can also be used as an alternative.



Fig. 49: Component picked from the tape



Fig. 50: Camera image capture for component measurement

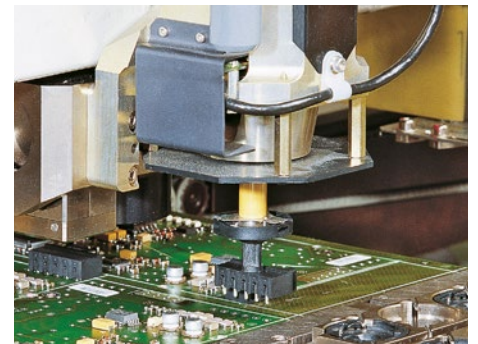


Fig. 51: Component placed on the PCB

Tape-on-reel packaging

The most popular form of delivery for SMT assembly processes is tape-on-reel packaging (Fig. 52). Tape widths of between 16 mm and 104 mm are used for standard THR components.

Due to the component size, tapes with very deep-drawn cavities are necessary – especially when dealing with tall components. A suitable feeder with a corresponding amount of free space must therefore be available. Furthermore, it must be ensured that the radius of the feeder is

sufficient and that there is enough space for the tape to be fed into and out of the machine (Fig. 53).

The space available at the feeder table of a machine is always tight (Fig. 54), especially if the feeder trolley is fixed and cannot be modified. This means that the use of the available space must always be optimized. Feeders in standard widths of between 16 mm and 56 mm are therefore preferred, 72 mm or 104 mm wide feeders are only installed in exceptional circumstances. This, however, also limits

the component lengths/sizes in the tape. For larger components, both custom-made tapes and feeders are necessary. These are not unusual, but are uncommon and expensive. In such cases, it may be necessary to switch to the alternative – tray packing.



Fig. 52: Tape-on-reel packaging



Fig. 53: Equipped feeder



Fig. 54: Limited space available at the feeder table

Tray packaging in a flat magazine

The alternative use of flat magazines depends on several factors. In terms of components, the external dimensions primarily determine the limits within which the use of tapes is still expedient. Components with large volumes in terms of length or height also fit in a tape, but the availability of suitable feeders, low packaging units per tape or dimensional limitations (deflection radius in the feeder) make their use in a tape system

uneconomical. In this case, a flat magazine can be an economically attractive alternative (Fig. 55, Fig. 56).

Often, however, when it comes to the equipment, it is the availability of a tray feeder unit (tray tower, Fig. 57) alone that determines whether it is possible to benefit from this advantage. Where a tray tower is not integrated, retrofitting is not expedient in most cases, as it is cheaper to have larger tapes custom made and purchase a wider feeder. The decision for an

appropriate packaging option is therefore very dependent in each individual case on the existing assembly system and the components.



Fig. 55: M12 THR connectors in a tray



Fig. 56: High-volume THR components in a tray



Fig. 57: Tray feeder unit (tray tower)

6.4 SMT soldering

SMT soldering is a form of reflow soldering (see “Surface mounting – the basis for module manufacturing” on page 4). The solder paste positioned between the solder attachment surface (PCB pad) and SMD component contact melts once the liquidus temperature is reached, fills the area between the contact and pad, and then forms a concave solder fillet around the edge of the contact. This ensures the mechanical and electrical connection of the component to the PCB.

THR – through-hole reflow

The soldering of pins positioned in paste is a special type of SMT soldering. After assembly, the paste surrounds the pin tip in the form of a paste drop below the hole (Fig. 58). In the soldering process, the paste melts and pulls back through the hole along the pin flank due to the capillary effect. In the subsequent cooling phase, part of the solder sinks below once again and forms the characteristic solder cone (Fig. 59).

The pin protrusion below the PCB plays a significant role in the melting of the solder. The through-printed solder paste should still maintain contact with the hole (residual ring) to achieve a good reflow effect. Short pin lengths reduce the risk of paste loss due to dripping.

Soldering technologies

These days, the main systems used in SMD manufacturing are convection soldering systems followed by vapor phase soldering systems. Convection soldering ovens (Fig. 60) have a modern heat management



Fig. 58: Paste drops on pin tips

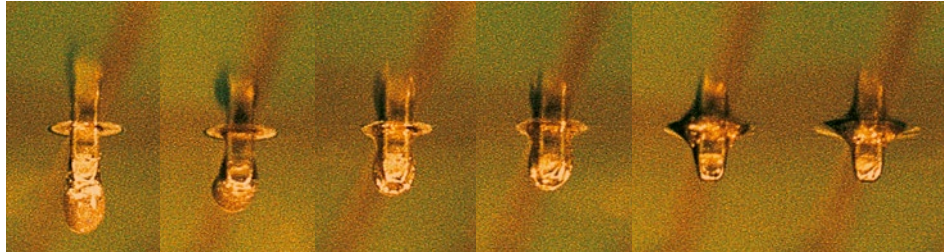


Fig. 59: Melting process in the reflow oven

system with controllable lower and upper heat. Once a profile has been loaded, they serve as feed ovens for high-volume series. With regard to the THR technology, there are just a few model-specific limitations.

With the development of the vapor phase soldering oven (Fig. 61) through to the inline system, this soldering technology is gaining further significance. The system offers, for a constant soldering profile, an increased manufacturing range in terms of the module size and often increasing series. When using THR components, it should be noted that additional condensate can settle on the paste drop. This increases the

risk of paste loss due to dripping. Dripping can be counteracted by selecting a shorter solder pin length. Furthermore, concave components that collect the condensate should not be used. It may be necessary for potentially concave components to be fitted with run-off openings.



Fig. 60: Convection soldering oven



Fig. 61: Solder chamber during vapor phase

Standardization of the reflow soldering process

The current standards relating to the reflow soldering process should be broken down into standards that describe the process and standards for the qualification of components.

1. A standard that mainly describes the requirements for SMD components and the soldering process itself is DIN EN 61760-1 – Surface mounting technology – Standard method for the specification of surface mounting components (SMDs)
2. This series of standards has been extended to include THR components in Part 3. DIN EN 61760-3 – Surface mounting technology: Standard method for the specification of components for Through Hole Reflow (THR) soldering – describes requirements on THR components and also on the soldering process itself
3. The process conditions described in DIN IEC 60068-2-58 – Test methods for solderability, resistance to dissolution of metallization and to soldering heat of surface mounting devices (SMD) – are used for qualification. The soldering profiles described in the application area of the standard can be used as the basis for the development of real soldering profiles

4. A qualifying test for components can be found in standard IPC/JEDEC J-STD-020 – Moisture/Reflow Sensitivity Classification for Nonhermetic Solid State Surface Mount Devices

This standard is used by Phoenix Contact for THR and SMD connectors and their testing. The test cycle is described in “Qualification of components for the reflow process” (see page 13). Basically, this standard only describes the qualification conditions for the housing plastic, it does not qualify the soldering.

The peculiarity of the qualification is the clear distinction between the maximum temperature loads on the side of the manufacturer and of the operator. A safety temperature buffer is specified here, which aims to avoid any overload by the operator.

Recommended soldering profile

Phoenix Contact qualifies reflow-solderable connectors and PCB terminal blocks in accordance with IPC/JEDEC J-STD 020. With information on the respective moisture sensitivity level and the classification temperature, the process specialists are able to closely estimate the processability of the components in the line with the individual profiles. In practice, soldering profiles based on IPC/JEDEC J-STD 020 are more conservative, so that soldering is performed at the lower limit of thermal loads.

There is no one soldering profile that covers all components. The soldering profile is very individual and takes into consideration all of the process parameters – from the components, PCB, and solder paste to the equipment used (oven). It represents a compromise between all influencing factors with the aim of achieving optimum soldering results of a defined quality.

The additional parameters and assignments in the above listed standard in terms of comparable component volumes, the component thickness and the maximum peak body temperatures enable a stress-reduced temperature load to conserve components that can not be subject to such high loads (see page 16 – Qualification profile vs. operator profile).

6.5 Inspection

Reference

Standard IPC-A-610 – Acceptability of Electronic Assemblies – can be used for the inspection of soldering spots of reflow-soldered components. In principle there is a requirement for Phoenix Contact connectors and PCB terminal blocks to enable soldering spots in accordance with class 3 of the aforementioned standard – products of the highest reliability. The creation of the solder joint is the responsibility of the process specialists.

Requirements on THR soldering spots

The target requirements for a class 3 soldering spot for plated-through holes, vertical filling with capillary fill are as follows:

- **Fill level:**
The vertical filling (capillary fill) should be 100%. However, a reduction to 75% is permissible (Fig. 62)
- **Wetting of the primary side:**
The primary side is the component side. The aim here is 360° wetting all around the connection wire. However, a minimum wetting of 270° is permissible (Fig. 63)
- **Wetting of the secondary side:**
The secondary side of the PCB is the side without components. Again, the aim here is 360° wetting all around the connection wire. However, a minimum wetting of 330° is permissible (Fig. 64)
- **Residual ring coverage on the primary side:**
The connection area (the soldering pad) must not be wetted with solder. Ideally, the solder cone should be visible (Fig. 65)
- **Residual ring coverage on the secondary side:**
The connection area (the soldering pad) must be fully wetted with solder. Ideally, the solder cone should rise visibly (Fig. 66)

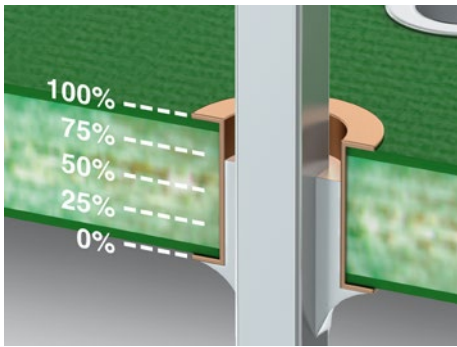


Fig. 62*: Fill level, min. 75% vertical solder filling required



Fig. 63*: Wetting of primary side 270° or 75%



Fig. 64*: Wetting of secondary side 330° or 92%

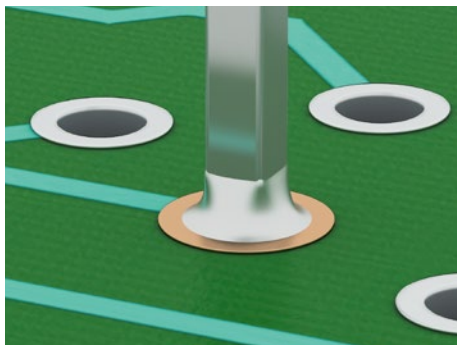


Fig. 65*: Residual ring coverage on primary side 75%, wetting of the soldering pad is not necessary

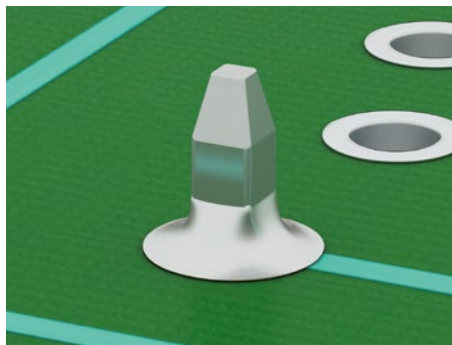


Fig. 66*: Residual ring coverage on secondary side, ideally fully wetted, min. 75%

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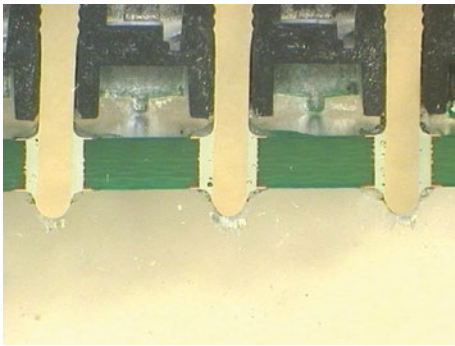


Fig. 67: Assessment of the fill level for a 2.6 mm pin in a 1.6 mm thick PCB

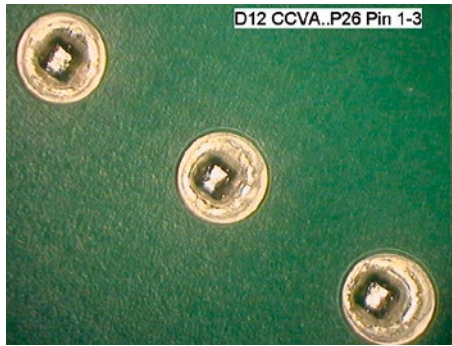


Fig. 68: Complete wetting of the soldering pad and 100% perimeter wetting

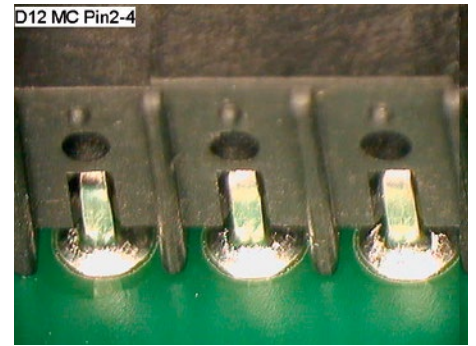


Fig. 69: Typical lean THR soldering spot on the secondary side of the PCB with more than 75% soldering pad wetting and 100% perimeter wetting

Soldering spots with pin ends protruding – standard pin

The pin slightly protruding out of the secondary side of the PCB satisfies the minimum requirement for an assessable soldering spot in accordance with the standard. With the optimum configuration of all parameters, the requirements for all criteria are 100% satisfied. In the micro-section, a fill level of at least 75% is achieved. A small solder cone forms on both sides (Fig. 67 – 69).

side of the PCB and whose soldering spot can therefore not be assessed based on the usual aforementioned criteria of IPC-A-610. This is permissible if the pin lengths are reduced by the manufacturer and the component sits directly flush on the primary side of the PCB.

Certain strategies for quality assessment need to be developed in this case. Micro-sections show here a reliable fill level and a good formation of the solder cone below the component (Fig. 70 – 72).

for the process, the solder cones that are formed are smaller or not fully developed. This special appearance must be discussed with the Quality Assurance department or taken into account when using automatic inspection systems (AOI).

Soldering spots with countersunk pin

Where space is needed on the secondary side of the PCB, it is expedient to use countersunk pins in the layout. A countersunk pin is a pin that does not protrude out of the hole on the secondary

Quality of THR soldering spots

THR soldering spots have a shape that is very similar to that of soldering spots created during wave or selective soldering. The main difference is the shape of the solder cone. Since less solder is available

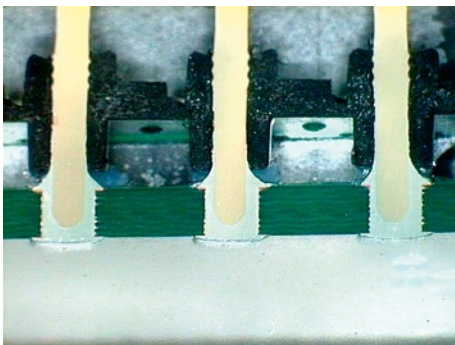


Fig. 70: Assessment of the fill level for a 1.4 mm pin in a 1.6 mm thick PCB

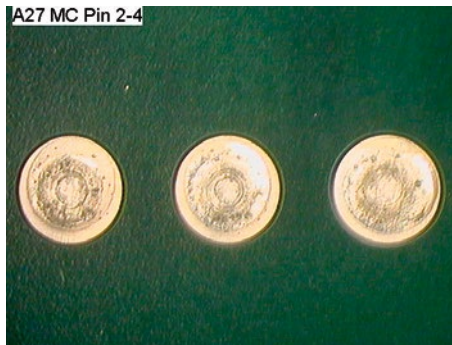


Fig. 71: Assessment of the perimeter wetting and soldering pad wetting not defined in IPC

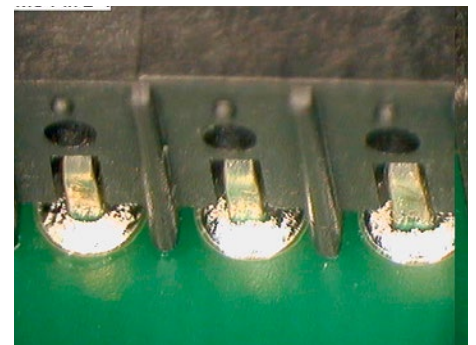


Fig. 72: Soldering spot on the primary side of the PCB: perimeter wetting and soldering pad wetting in accordance with standard

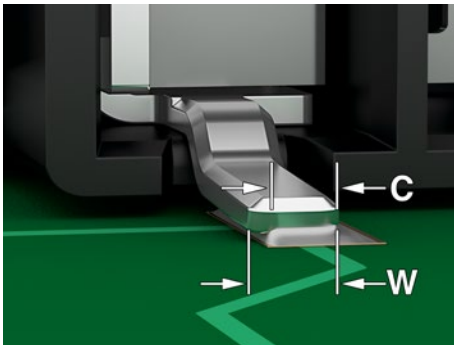


Fig. 73*: Flat gullwing connections, minimum width at the end of the soldering spot (C)

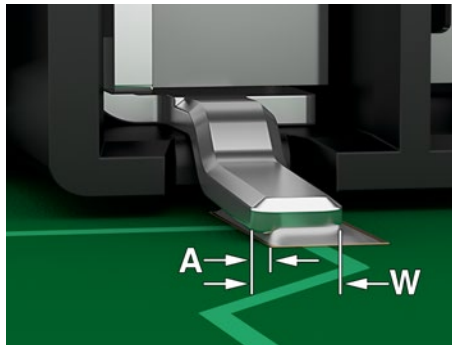


Fig. 74*: Flat gullwing connections, lateral overhang (A)

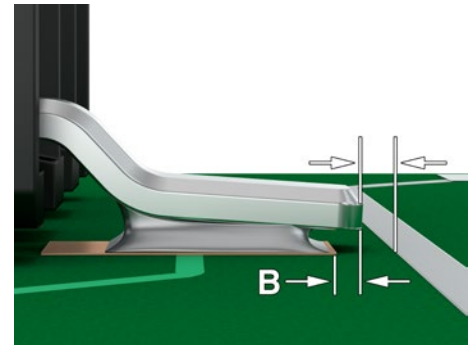


Fig. 75*: Flat gullwing connections, tip overhang (B)

Requirements for SMD soldering spots

The coplanarity of the contacts and the matching of the contact surface of the connection contact to the soldering pad surface are crucial for the creation of high-quality SMD soldering spots. Solder connections for SMD connectors from Phoenix Contact are to be categorized as both flat gullwing connections and connections with flattened pins or jointed soldering spots/I connections (M12).

The most important points when assessing an SMD soldering spot (gullwing) are the maximum lateral and tip overhang as well as the width at the end of the soldering spot. Furthermore, the minimum length of the soldering spot and the maximum height of the soldering spot on the heel need to be assessed. For the corresponding relationship between the dimensions of the contact and conductive path geometry and the shape and dimensions of soldering spots, refer to IPC A-610 for execution in accordance with the desired class (ideally class 3) (Fig. 73 – 77).

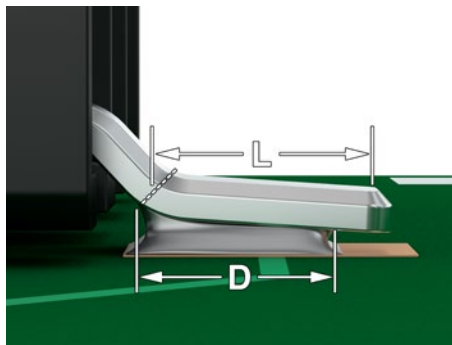


Fig. 76*: Flat gullwing connections, minimum length of the soldering spot at the side (D)

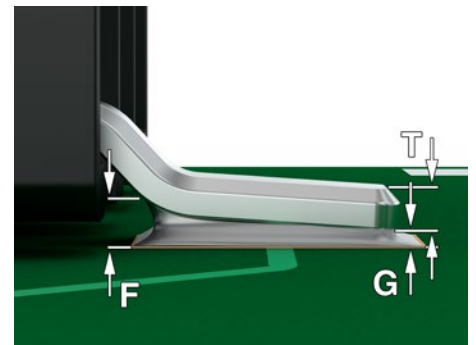


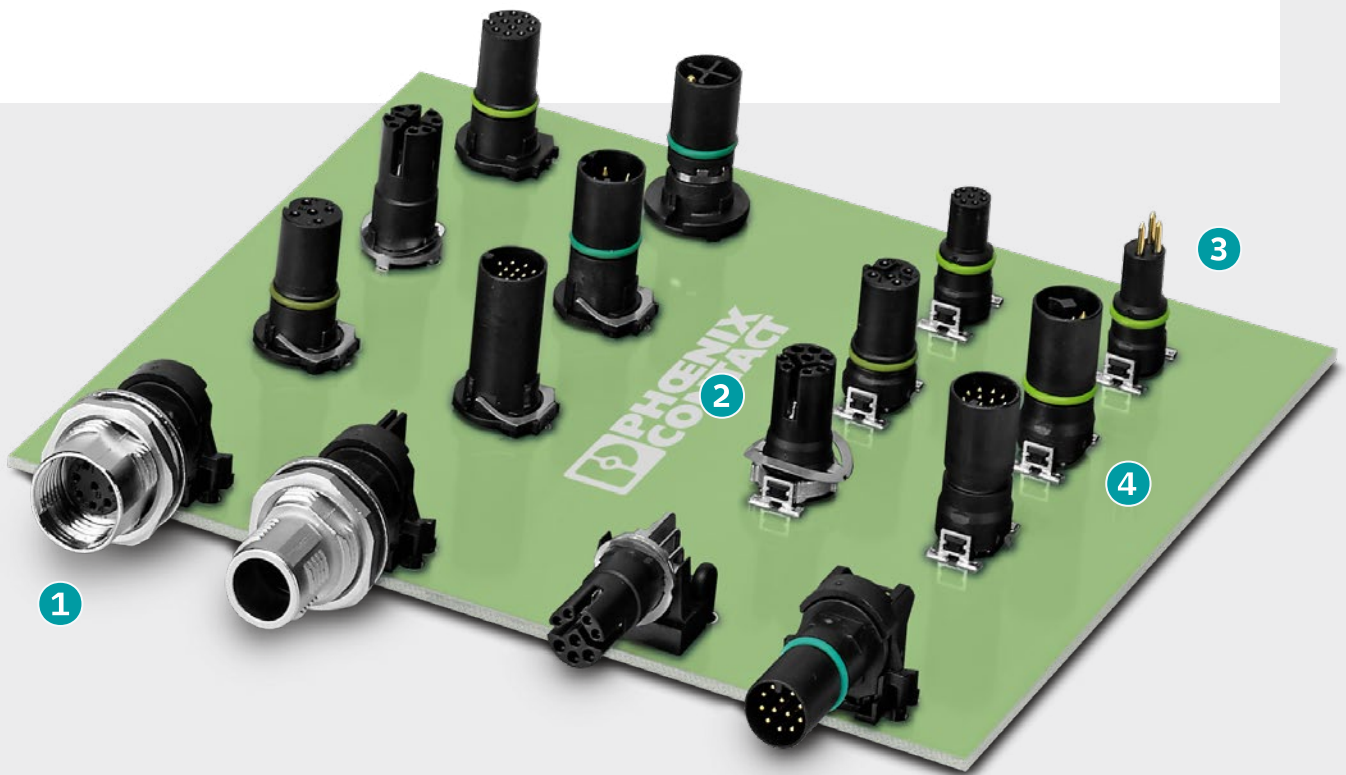
Fig. 77*: Flat gullwing connections, minimum height of the soldering spot at the heel (F)

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Product overview

PCB connection technology for THR and SMT soldering processes

Phoenix Contact provides a wide range of circular connectors and data connectors as well as PCB terminal blocks and PCB connectors for THR and SMT soldering. This allows you to efficiently automate your production processes and combine high mechanical stability with high assembly density in a single production process.



Circular connectors

Phoenix Contact provides M8 and M12 metric circular connectors for automated production processes. With the standardized installation geometry of the compact designs, the design-in process is much simpler. This opens up a wide range of possibilities for the reliable transmission of signals, data, and power.

➤ More information starting on page 32

1. Wide range of device port solutions

Use of housing screw connections with threaded fastening, press-in contour, or for direct integration into the front panel

2. Seamless shielding

Shield connection to the PCB via shield spring

3. Reliable protection

Additional gasket for the device when not plugged in

4. Identical mechanical installation conditions

All numbers of positions and codings on one PCB level

1. Industrial data reliability

Reliable data transmission with the RJ45 INDUSTRIAL connection system

2. Networking for tomorrow

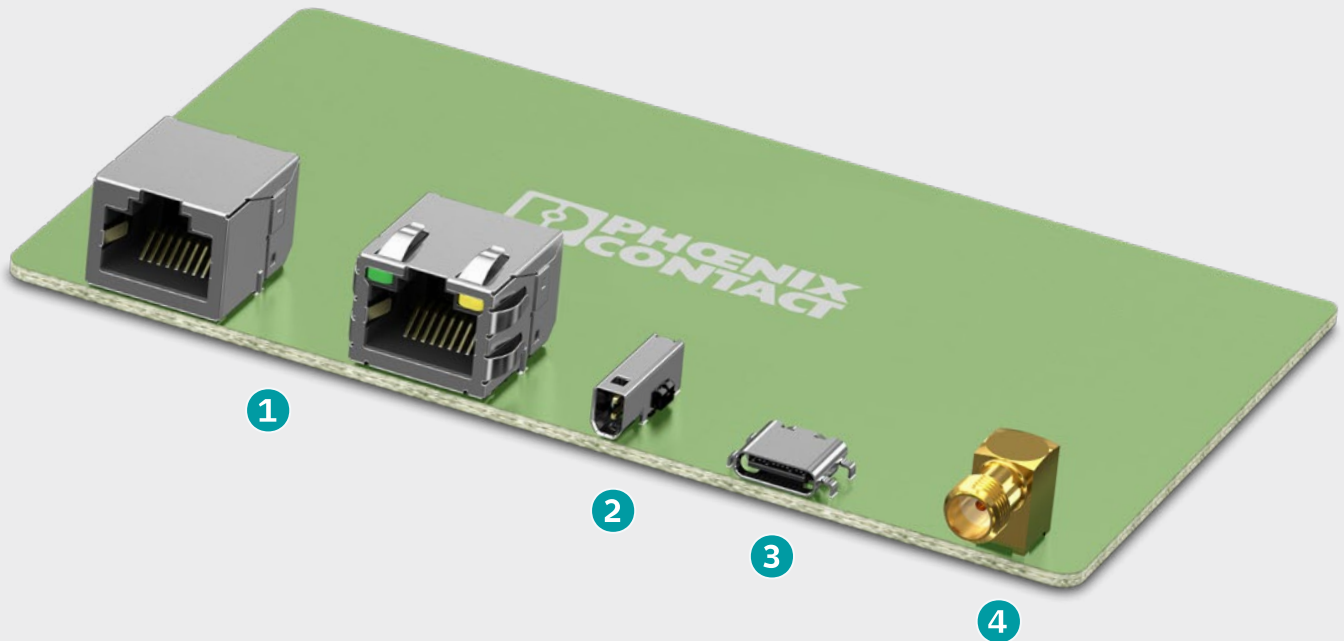
Future-proof networking from the sensor right through to the cloud with SPE data connectors

3. Industrial USB connectivity

USB type A and type C jacks for industrial applications

4. Coaxial signal technology

Coaxial device connectors for transmitting WLAN, Bluetooth, LTE, or 5G signals



Data connectors

Phoenix Contact has the right device connector for your application. From SPE, RJ45, USB, coaxial for printed circuit boards and M12 panel feed-throughs to D-SUB connectors, Phoenix Contact has a comprehensive portfolio of different pin connector patterns for a wide range of transmission properties.

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Product overview

1. Floating

Female connector strips with floating functionality ensure a tolerance compensation of ± 0.7 mm in the x and y directions

2. Multiple connections

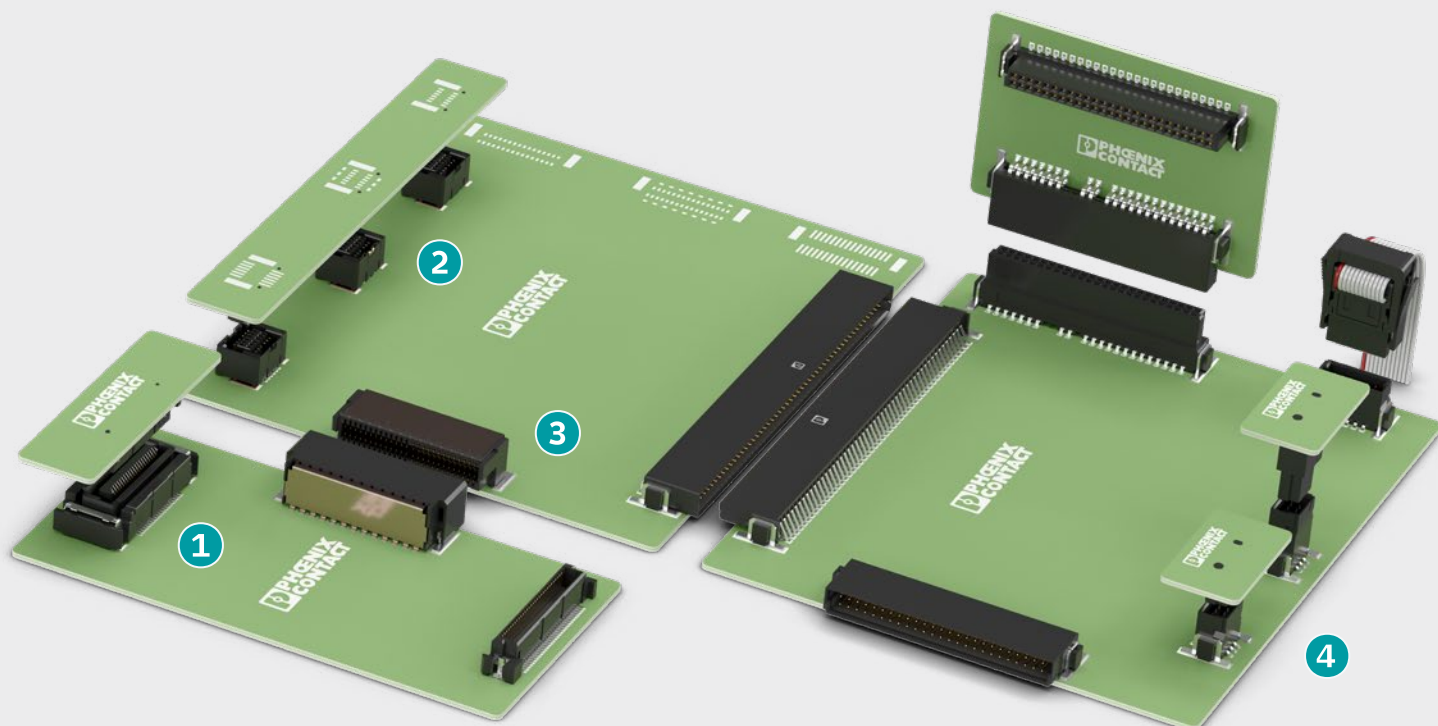
The high level of tolerance compensation enables the PCBs to be connected to several connectors at the same time

3. Shielding

360° EMC protection with full-surface shield connection directly on the PCB

4. Stable soldering

Metal armatures ensure that the connection to the PCB is mechanically stable



FINEPITCH board-to-board connectors

With its FS, FP, and FR series board-to-board connectors, Phoenix Contact provides shielded and unshielded solutions for signal and data transmission in devices. This allows you to realize individual PCB orientations with different, application-oriented designs, stack heights, and numbers of positions with pitches of 0.635 mm, 0.8 mm, and 1.27 mm.

➤ More information starting on page 45

1. High density

High-position double-level, and space-saving THR headers

2. Single-level THR headers

Plug-in direction vertical and horizontal to the PCB, versions with flange systems and light connection

3. THR/SMD headers

Plug-in direction vertical and horizontal to the PCB

4. Special solutions

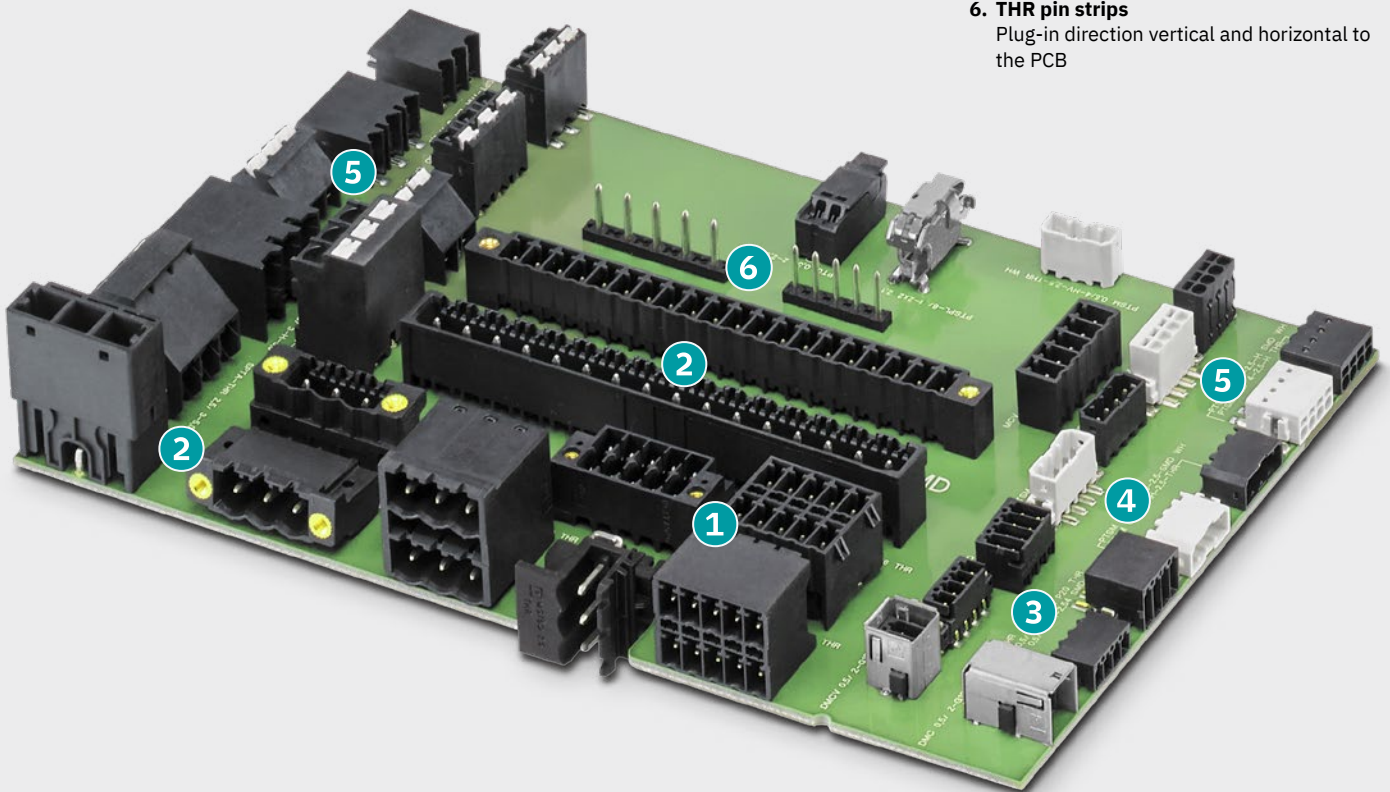
White connection technology for light connection applications

5. Push-in connection

PCB terminal blocks with Push-in connection in SMD or THR design

6. THR pin strips

Plug-in direction vertical and horizontal to the PCB



PCB terminal blocks

PCB terminal blocks enable easy, safe transmission of signals, data, and power directly to the PCB. The space-saving connection method is suitable for numerous applications in the process industry and industrial environments.

- For conductor cross-sections from 0.14 to 6 mm²
- For currents up to 41 A and voltages up to 320 V (IEC)
- With screw, spring, or insulation displacement connection
- For 2.5 to 5.08 mm pitch

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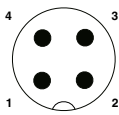
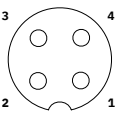
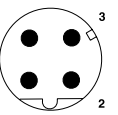
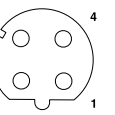
PCB connectors

Our PCB connectors offer a universal, maintenance-friendly conductor connection for almost all device designs from a wide range of industries and markets.

- For conductor cross-sections from 0.14 to 2.5 mm²
- For currents up to 16 A and voltages up to 320 V (IEC)
- With screw, Push-in, Push-X, lever, or crimp connection


➤ More information starting on page 49

Circular connectors, signal

 Lead-free items available	Number of positions	4			
	Coding	A		D	
	Rated voltage	250 V			
	Rated current	4 A			
	Pin assignment	Male	Female	Male	Female
					

M12 device connector, solder connection, for reflow and wave soldering processes


Two-piece, THR contact carriers

	Straight, shielded, THR, tray packing	1439939	1439955	1552214	1551451
	Straight, shielded, THR, tape-on-reel	1457500⁷⁾	1457623⁷⁾	1457513⁷⁾	1457636⁷⁾
	Straight, THR, tray packing	1437164	1439942	-	1414071
	Straight, THR, tape-on-reel	1457490⁷⁾	1457610⁷⁾	-	1195616⁷⁾

Two-piece, THR contact carriers, angled


	Angled, THR, tape-on-reel	1028588	1706527	-	1028581
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Two-piece, THR and wave soldering contact carriers, angled


	Shielded, wave soldering, blister packaging	1439887	1432444	1436673	1432457
	Wave soldering, blister packaging	1436660	1436628	-	-

Two-piece, housing screw connections for THR and wave soldering contact carriers

Front mounting

	Push-pull	Male M12 x 1 / female M12 x 1	
	Screw locking mechanism		
	Push-pull	Male M12 x 1 / female M12 x 1, flat gasket	
	Push-pull	Male M14 x 1 / female M14 x 1	
	Screw locking mechanism		
	Push-pull	Female countersunk M16 x 1, flat gasket	
	Flat nut		

Rear mounting

	Push-pull	Male M15 x 1 / female M16 x 1	
	Screw locking mechanism	Male M15 x 1 / female M15 x 1	

Press-in versions

	Push-pull	Male / female	
	Screw locking mechanism		

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^{3) 4) 5) 6)} Distance from PCB upper edge to housing front plate outer edge: DO = ³⁾ 6 mm ⁴⁾ 7.5 mm ⁵⁾ 9 mm ⁶⁾ 18.5 mm, more information from page 10.
⁷⁾ Contact carriers with assembly pad.

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A		B		A		A		A	
60 V				30 V		30 V		30 V	
4 A				2 A		1.5 A		1.5 A	
Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female

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Male: [1416145^{4\)}](#) / female: [1416144^{4\)}](#)

Male: [1454490^{3\)}](#) / female: [1233779^{3\)}](#)

Male: [1341713^{5\)}](#) / female: [1249211^{5\)}](#)

Male: [1417984^{5\)}](#) / female: [1417989^{5\)}](#)

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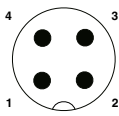
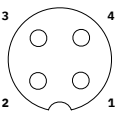
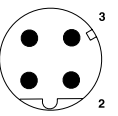
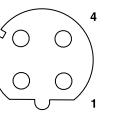
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Circular connectors, signal

 Lead-free items available	Number of positions	4			
	Coding	A		D	
	Rated voltage	250 V			
	Rated current	4 A			
	Pin assignment	Male	Female	Male	Female
					


M12 device connector, solder connection, for reflow soldering processes

Two-piece, SMD contact carriers


	Straight, SMD, tray packing	1411924⁹⁾	1411907	1411925⁹⁾	1411912
	Straight, SMD, tape-on-reel	1411982⁹⁾	1411974	1411983⁹⁾	1411975
	Straight, shielded, SMD, tray packing, additional gasket for the device when not plugged in	1411955⁹⁾	1411949	1411956⁹⁾	1411950
	Straight, shielded, SMD, tape-on-reel, additional gasket for the device when not plugged in	1412010⁹⁾	1412004	1412011⁹⁾	1412005
	Straight, SMD, tray packing, additional gasket for the device when not plugged in	1411941⁹⁾	1411935	1411942⁹⁾	1411936
	Straight, SMD, tape-on-reel, additional gasket for the device when not plugged in	1411996⁹⁾	1411990	1411997⁹⁾	1411991
	Straight, shielded, SMD, tray packing	1653254⁹⁾	1647191	1653256⁹⁾	1647193
	Straight, shielded, SMD, tape-on-reel	1653255⁹⁾	1647192	1653257⁹⁾	1647194

Two-piece, housing screw connections for SMD contact carriers

Front mounting

	Push-pull	Male M14 x 1 / female M16 x 1	
	Screw lock	Male M14 x 1 / female M14 x 1	
	Push-pull	Female countersunk M16 x 1, flat gasket	
	Flat nut		

Rear mounting

	Push-pull	Male M15 x 1 / female M16 x 1	
	Screw locking mechanism	Male M15 x 1 / female M15 x 1	

Press-in versions

	Push-pull	Male / female	
	Screw locking mechanism		

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^{3) 4) 5) 6) 7)} Distance from PCB upper edge to housing front plate outer edge: DO = ³⁾ 6 mm ⁴⁾ 7.5 mm ⁵⁾ 9 mm ⁶⁾ 18.5 mm, ⁷⁾ 17 mm, more information from page 10.

⁸⁾ Not with additional gasket for the device when not plugged in.

⁹⁾ Contact carriers with assembly pad.

5				8		12		17	
A		B		A		A		A	
60 V				30 V		30 V		30 V	
4 A				2 A		1.5 A		1.5 A	
Male 	Female 	Male 	Female 	Male 	Female 	Male 	Female 	Male 	Female

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Female: 1454497⁷⁾

M14 x 1: 1412077 / M16 x 1: 1312511


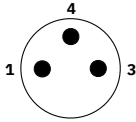
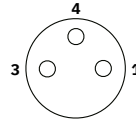







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Circular connectors, signal

 Lead-free items available	Number of positions		3	
	Coding		A	
	Rated voltage		50 V AC / 60 V DC	
	Rated current		4 A	
	Pin assignment		Male 	Female 
M8 device connector, solder connection, for reflow soldering processes				
Two-piece, SMD contact carriers				
	Straight, SMD, tray packing		1412225 ⁶⁾	1412220
	Straight, SMD, tape-on-reel		1412248 ⁶⁾	1412243
	Straight, shielded, SMD, tray packing, additional gasket for the device when not plugged in		1412240 ⁶⁾	1412235
	Straight, shielded, SMD, tape-on-reel, additional gasket for the device when not plugged in		1412263 ⁶⁾	1412257
	Straight, SMD, tray packing, additional gasket for the device when not plugged in		1412233 ⁶⁾	1412227
	Straight, SMD, tape-on-reel, additional gasket for the device when not plugged in		1412255 ⁶⁾	1412250
	Straight, shielded, SMD, tray packing		1653248 ⁶⁾	1653840
	Straight, shielded, SMD, tape-on-reel		1653249 ⁶⁾	1647176
Two-piece, housing screw connections for SMD contact carriers				
Front mounting				
	Screw locking mechanism		Male M10 x 0.75 / female M10 x 0.75	
	Flat nut, M10 x 0.75			
Rear mounting				
	Screw locking mechanism		Male M12 x 1 / female M12 x 1	
Press-in versions				
	Screw locking mechanism		Male / female	

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⁶⁾ Contact carriers with assembly pad.

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A		D		B		A	
50 V AC / 60 V DC		60 V AC / 60 V DC		30 V AC / 30 V DC		30 V AC / 30 V DC	
4 A		3 A		1.5 A		1.5 A	
Male 	Female 	Female 	Female 	Male 	Female 	Male 	Female

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1412264 ⁶⁾	1412258	1068454	1412259	-	1412261	-	1412262
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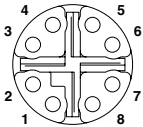
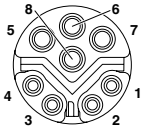





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1412508

Male: 1412505¹⁾ / female: 1412506¹⁾

Male: 1412500⁵⁾ / female: 1412501⁵⁾

Circular connectors, data








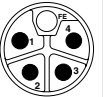
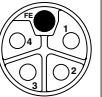
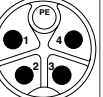
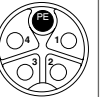
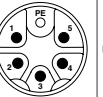
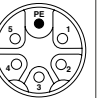
 Lead-free items available	Number of positions	8	
	Coding	 X (CAT6_A)	 Y (hybrid)
	Pin assignment	Female	
			
M12 device connectors for networks			
			 Web code: #0224
Two-piece, contact carriers for wave and reflow soldering processes			
 	Straight, shielded, THR, blister packaging	1402457	-
	Straight, shielded, THR, tape-on-reel	1413446¹⁾	-
	Straight, shielded, SMD, tray packing	1411964¹⁾	-
	Straight, shielded, SMD, tape-on-reel	1081252¹⁾	-
	Angled, shielded, wave soldering	1424180	-
 	Straight, shielded, THR, blister packaging	-	1405225
	Straight, shielded, THR, tape-on-reel	-	1413445¹⁾
	Straight, shielded, SMD, tray packing	-	1411965¹⁾
	Straight, shielded, SMD, tape-on-reel	-	1069566¹⁾
	Angled, shielded, wave soldering	-	1424193

Housing screw connections for THR and wave soldering contact carriers.

Housing screw connections for SMD contact carriers.

¹⁾ Contact carriers with assembly pad.



Circular connectors, power

 Lead-free items available	Number of positions	4		5(4+FE)		5(4+PE)		6(5+PE)	
	Coding	 L		 L		 K		 M	
	Rated voltage	63 V		63 V		630 V		630 V	
	Rated current	16 A		16 A		16 A		8 A	
	Pin assignment	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
									

M12 device connectors up to 16 A / 630 V


 Web code: #0240

Two-piece, THR contact carriers


	Straight, THR, tray packing	1425603	1425604	1420817⁸⁾	1420818⁸⁾	–	–	–	–
	PROFINET-specified	–	–	1425594^{7) 8)}	1425595^{7) 8)}	–	–	–	–
	Straight, THR, tape-on-reel	1425605	1425606	1420828⁸⁾	1420829⁸⁾	–	–	–	–
	PROFINET-specified	–	–	1425599^{7) 8)}	1425600^{7) 8)}	–	–	–	–
	Straight, shielded, THR, tray packing	1425639	1425640	1421314⁸⁾	1421315⁸⁾	1420819⁸⁾	1420821⁸⁾	1420822⁸⁾	1420823⁸⁾
	PROFINET-specified	–	–	1425597^{7) 8)}	1425598^{7) 8)}	–	–	–	–
	Straight, shielded, THR, tape-on-reel	1425641	1425642	1421317⁸⁾	1421318⁸⁾	1420830⁸⁾	1420831⁸⁾	1420832⁸⁾	1420833⁸⁾
	PROFINET-specified	–	–	1425601^{7) 8)}	1425602^{7) 8)}	–	–	–	–

Two-piece, housing screw connections for K-, L-, and M-coded THR contact carriers


Front mounting

	Push-pull	Male M14 x 1 / female M14 x 1	Male: 1108115⁵⁾ / female: 1249213⁵⁾
	Screw locking mechanism	Male M14 x 1 / female M14 x 1	Male: 1420824⁵⁾ / female: 1420825⁵⁾
	Push-pull	Female countersunk M16 x 1	Female: 1454491⁶⁾
	Flat nut		M14 x 1: 1412077 / M16 x 1: 1312511

Rear mounting

	Push-pull	Male M15 x 1 / female M16 x 1	Male: 1108101¹⁾ / female: 1249217¹⁾
	Screw locking mechanism	Male M15 x 1 / female M15 x 1	Male: 1420826¹⁾ / female: 1420827¹⁾

Press-in versions

	Push-pull	Male / female	Male: 1189612⁵⁾ / female: 1769604⁵⁾
	Screw locking mechanism		Male: 1732008⁵⁾ / female: 1732007⁵⁾

K- and M-coding: PE applied to housing,

L-coding, 4+FE-pos.: FE applied separately to the PCB, not connected to accessible metal parts, no protective function.





^{1) 2)} Clearance between PCB upper edge and housing front plate inner edge: DU = ¹⁾ 6 mm ²⁾ 6.8 mm.




^{3) 4) 5) 6)} Clearance between PCB upper edge and housing front plate outer edge: DO = ³⁾ 6 mm ⁴⁾ 7.5 mm ⁵⁾ 9 mm ⁶⁾ 18.5 mm.

⁷⁾ Deviation from the standard color of black: gray contact carrier


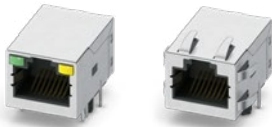


⁸⁾ Contact carriers with assembly pad.

Data connectors

RJ45 INDUSTRIAL PCB jacks				
				
Soldering process	Wave / THR			
Orientation	90° horizontal		180° vertical	
Housing shield springs	Yes	No	Yes	No
Without LED	1099280	1091946	1099279	1091942
With LED	1099281	1091950	1099282	1091947
Without LED, short solder contacts	1321248	1321104	1321249	1321106
With LED, short solder contacts	1321246	1321101	1321247	1321102

RJ45 singleport/multiport PCB jacks					
					
Soldering process	SMD		Wave / THR		Wave / THR
Orientation	180° vertical	90° horizontal		180° vertical	90° horizontal
RJ45 ports	1 port				2 ports
Locking clip		Top	Bottom		Top
Without LED	1149611	1149882	1149874	-	-
With LED	-	1149873	-	-	-
Without LED, short solder contacts	-	-	-	1337238	1337240
With LED, short solder contacts	-	-	-	1337239	1337243
					1337251
					1337254

Data connectors

Magnetic RJ45 singleport PCB connectors										
 Web code: #3710										
Orientation	90° horizontal								180° vertical	
Locking clip	Top				Bottom				-	
LED	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	No	Yes
Housing shield springs	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No
THT / wave										
10/100 Mbps	1663967	1663964	1663962	1663969	1664077	1664070	1664067	1664081	1663979	1663977
10/100 Mbps	1663968	1663966	1663963	1663971	1664073	1664069	1664065	1664080	-	-
10/100 Mbps	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1663980	1663978
Up to 1 Gbps	1664026	1664017	1664011	1664032	-	-	-	-	1664051	1664048
Up to 1 Gbps	1664027	1664019	1664012	1664035	1664107	1664104	1664100	1664111	1664049	1664046
Up to 1 Gbps	1664028	1664020	1664013	1664036	1664106	1664103	1664099	1664109	-	-
Up to 1 Gbps	-	-	-	-	1664108	1664105	1664101	1664112	-	-
Up to 1 Gbps	1664029	1664022	1664014	1664037	-	-	-	-	-	-
Up to 1 Gbps	1664030	1664024	1664015	1664038	-	-	-	-	-	-
Up to 1 Gbps	1664031	1664025	1664016	1664039	-	-	-	-	-	-
THR / reflow										
10/100 Mbps	1663957	1663955	1663953	1663960	1664059	1664056	1664054	1664062	1663975	1663973
10/100 Mbps	1663959	1663956	1663954	1663961	1664057	1664055	1664053	1664061	-	-
10/100 Mbps	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1663976	1663974
Up to 1 Gbps	1663995	1663988	1663981	1664003	-	-	-	-	1664045	1664043
Up to 1 Gbps	1663996	1663989	1663982	1664004	1664094	1664088	1664083	1664097	1664044	1664041
Up to 1 Gbps	1663997	1663991	1663983	1664006	1664093	1664087	1664082	1664096	-	-
Up to 1 Gbps	-	-	-	-	1664095	1664090	1664085	1664098	-	-
Up to 1 Gbps	1664000	1663992	1663984	1664007	-	-	-	-	-	-
Up to 1 Gbps	1664001	1663993	1663986	1664008	-	-	-	-	-	-
Up to 1 Gbps	1664002	1663994	1663987	1664010	-	-	-	-	-	-

ONEPAIR Single Pair Ethernet

Ethernet is the leading communication protocol for local data networks (LAN), such as at the corporate and operational level. With Single Pair Ethernet, the established protocol is now also advancing into the final automation level and forms the basis for future-proof networking from the sensor to the cloud.


The IP20 PCB connectors and patch cables as well as the M8 and M12 connectors in the ONEPAIR series are ideal for efficient and future-proof data transmission.






SPE IP20 and M8 PCB connectors in accordance with IEC 63171-2 and -5



 Web code: #2671						
	IP20		M8			
Pin connector pattern	IP20		M8			
Soldering process	Wave / THR		SMD	Wave / THR		
Contact connection type	Male					
Orientation	180° vertical	90° horizontal	180° vertical		90° horizontal	
Without LEDs	1163798	1163797	1215777	1163793	1163795	
With LEDs	-	1215778	-	-	-	
Compatible housings (front mounting)	-	-	1412502			
Compatible housings (rear mounting)	-	-	1412505			



SPE M12 PCB connectors in accordance with IEC 63171-5




 Web code: #2670						
	Male		Female		Male	Female
Contact connection type	Male		Female		Male	Female
Orientation	180° vertical				90° horizontal	
Soldering process	THR	SMD	THR	SMD	THR	THR
Item no.	1363336	1363342	1363337	1363344	1363338	1363341
Compatible housings (front mounting)	1027679	1107999	1027678	1412079	1107999	1027678
Compatible housings (rear mounting)	1027661	1107993	1027662	1414021	1107993	1027662

ONEPAIR Single Pair Ethernet

SPE M12 hybrid PCB connectors in accordance with IEC 63171-7				
NEW				
 Web code: #2670				
Contact connection type	Male		Female	
Number of contacts	2 x data, 4 x power, 1 x shielding			
Voltage, current (max. per power contact)	50 V AC / 63 V DC, 2 x 8 A			
Soldering process	THR			
Orientation	180° vertical			
Item no.	1439775		1439722	
Compatible housings (front mounting)	1108115 (incl. push-pull)	1420824	1420825	
Compatible housings (rear mounting)	1108101 (incl. push-pull)	1420826	1420827	




SPE IP20 patch cables in accordance with IEC 63171-2			
 Web code: #2240			
Transmission	1 Gbps (up to 600 MHz)	1.0 m	1640268
Sheath material	PUR	2.0 m	1640269
Cable design	1 x 2 x 22 AWG	3.0 m	1640270
Shielding	S/FTP	5.0 m	1640271
Connector shielding	360° zinc die-cast housing	10.0 m	1640272



SPE IDC connectors in accordance with IEC 63171-2	
 Web code: #2671	
Transmission	1 Gbps (up to 600 MHz)
Conductor cross-section range	26/7 AWG ... 22/7 AWG
Shielding	360° zinc die-cast housing
Item no.	1343953



SPE M8 network cables in accordance with IEC 63171-5						
 Web code: #2670						
Contact connection type	Male – female	Female – female	Male – male	Male – female	Female – female	Male – male
Sheath material	PVC			PUR		
Cable design	1 x 2 x 22 AWG					
Item no.	1217524 (2 m)	1217530 (2 m)	1217526 (2 m)	1150575 (2 m)	1217320 (2 m)	1217316 (2 m)




SPE control cabinet feed-through (IP20/M8) in accordance with IEC 63171-2 and -5	
 Web code: #2671	
Description	Control cabinet feed-through IP20 to M8
Contact connection type	Male – male
Transmission	1 Gbps (600 MHz)
Orientation 90°	1358333

Data connectors

USB device connectors					
					
Version	USB 2.0	USB 3.2 Gen. 1	USB 2.0	USB 3.2 Gen. 2	
Type	USB type A	USB type A	USB type C		
Orientation	90° Horizontal	180° Vertical	90° Horizontal	180° Vertical	90° Horizontal
Soldering process	SMD	THR	SMD		SMD/THR
Item no.	1332634	1430989	1332645	1332646	1332643





Coaxial PCB connectors		
		
Soldering process	Wave / THR	
Series	SMA	
Version	90°	
Item no.	1340151	1340150

FO transceivers								
								
Type	SFP				SFP+			
Wavelength	850 nm	850 nm	1310 nm	1310 nm	850 nm	850 nm	1310 nm	1310 nm
Temperature range	-25 ... +70°C	-40 ... +85°C	-25 ... +70°C	-40 ... +85°C	-25 ... +70°C	-40 ... +85°C	-25 ... +70°C	-40 ... +85°C
Item no.	1334209	1334210	1334212	1334213	1334214	1334215	1334218	1334219






Cages and PCB connectors			
			
Form factor	SFP/SFP+		
Mounting	Press-in		SMD
Module slots	1	2	
Item no.	1334220	1334221	1334224

Board-to-board connectors








Rigid and floating male and female connector strips with a pitch of 0.635 mm

 Web code: #3465			
	Description	Male connector strip, rigid	Female connector strip, rigid
Number of positions	20 ... 80		
Pitch	0.635 mm		
Current	0.5 A per contact		
Data transmission	Up to 30 Gbps		Up to 40 Gbps
Connection direction	Vertical		
Type	FS 0,635/ ...MV-R	FS 0,635/ ...FV-R	FS 0,635/ ...FV-F
Item no.	153458	153457	196763










Shielded and unshielded male and female connector strips with 0.8 mm pitch

 Web code: #3491				
	Description	Male connector strip, shielded/unshielded	Female connector strip, shielded/unshielded	
Number of positions	12 ... 80			
Pitch	0.8 mm			
Current	1.7 A per contact			
Data transmission	Up to 52 Gbps			
Connection direction	Vertical	Horizontal	Vertical	Horizontal
Type	FP 0,8/...-MV(-SH/ -SL)	FP 0,8/...-MH(-SH/ -SL)	FP 0,8/...-FV(-SH/ -SL)	FP 0,8/...-FH(-SH/ -SL)
Item no.	102155	137751	218290	137753


Unshielded male and female connector strips with 1.27 mm pitch

 Web code: #1520						
	Description	Male connector strip, unshielded	Female connector strip, unshielded		IDC female connector strip	Pre-assembled IDC female con. strip
Number of positions	6 ... 100				12 ... 80	
Pitch	1.27 mm				-	
Current	2.3 A per contact				1.4 A per contact	
Data transmission	Up to 28 Gbps					
Connection direction	Vertical	Horizontal	Vertical	Horizontal	-	-
Type	FR 1,27/...MV	FR 1,27/...MH	FR 1,27/...FV	FR 1,27/...FH	FR 1,27/...FWL	FR 1,27 CA
Item no.	1373827	1377297	1374027	1337010	1378542	1508260

PCB terminal blocks

XS PCB terminal blocks for conductor cross-sections up to 0.8 mm ² (AWG 18)							
	Push-in spring connection						
	Product family	Notes	No. of Pos.	Pitch	Current ¹⁾ (A)	Voltage ¹⁾²⁾ (V)	Connection direction
	PTSM 0,5/...-H THR	Black, THR soldering	2...8	2.5	6 IEC 5 UL (B)	160 IEC 150 UL (B)	0°
	PTSM 0,5/...-V THR	Black, THR soldering	2...8	2.5	6 IEC 5 UL (B)	160 IEC 150 UL (B)	90°
	PTSM 0,5/...-H SMD	Black, SMT soldering	2...8	2.5	6 IEC 5 UL (B)	160 IEC 150 UL (B)	0°
	PTSM 0,5/...-V SMD	Black, SMT soldering	2...8	2.5	6 IEC 5 UL (B)	160 IEC 150 UL (B)	90°
	PTSM 0,5/...-H THR	White, THR soldering higher voltage possible (IEC in accordance with II/2: 320 V)	2...8	2.5	6 IEC 5 UL (B)	160 IEC 150 UL (B)	0°
	PTSM 0,5/...-V THR	White, THR soldering higher voltage possible (IEC in accordance with II/2: 320 V)	2...8	2.5	6 IEC 5 UL (B)	160 IEC 150 UL (B)	90°
	PTSM 0,5/...-H SMD	White, SMT soldering 1-pos. also available higher voltage possible (IEC in accordance with II/2: 320 V)	1... 8	2.5	6 IEC 5 UL (B)	160 IEC 150 UL (B)	0°
	PTSM 0,5/...-V SMD	White, SMT soldering higher voltage possible (IEC in accordance with II/2: 320 V)	2...8	2.5	6 IEC 5 UL (B)	160 IEC 150 UL (B)	90°
	IDC insulation displacement connection						
	Product family	Notes	No. of Pos.	Pitch	Current ¹⁾ (A)	Voltage ¹⁾²⁾ (V)	Connection direction
	PTQ 0,3	–	2	2.5	4 IEC 2 UL (B)	160 IEC 150 UL (B)	0°




PCB terminal blocks


S PCB terminal blocks for conductor cross-sections up to 1.5 mm ² (16 AWG)							
	Push-in spring connection						
	Product family	Notes	No. of Pos.	Pitch	Current ¹⁾ (A)	Voltage ²⁾²⁾ (V)	Connection direction
	SPT-THR 1,5/...-H	THR soldering, various pin lengths available	2...12	3.5/3.81	17.5 IEC 10 UL (B, D)	160 IEC 300 UL (B, D)	0°
	SPT-THR 1,5/...-V	THR soldering, various pin lengths available	2...12	3.5/3.81	17.5 IEC 10 UL (B, D)	160 IEC 300 UL (B, D)	90°
	SPTA-THR 1,5	THR soldering	2 ... 12	3.81	17.5 IEC 10 UL (B, D)	160 IEC 300 UL (B, D)	45°
	SPT-SMD 1,5/...-H	SMT soldering	2...12	3.5/3.81	17.5 IEC 10 UL (B, D)	160 IEC 300 UL (B, D)	0°
	SPT-SMD 1,5/...-V	SMT soldering	2...12	3.5/3.81	17.5 IEC 10 UL (B, D)	160 IEC 300 UL (B, D)	90°
	SPT-THR 1,5/...-H	THR soldering, various pin lengths available	2...12	5.0/5.08	17.5 IEC 10 UL (B, D)	320 IEC 300 UL (B, D)	0°
	SPT-THR 1,5/...-V	THR soldering, various pin lengths available	2...12	5.0/5.08	17.5 IEC 10 UL (B, D)	320 IEC 300 UL (B, D)	90°
	SPTA-THR 1,5	THR soldering	2 ... 12	5.08	17.5 IEC 10 UL (B, D)	320 IEC 300 UL (B, D)	45°
	SPT-SMD 1,5/...-H	SMT soldering	2...12	5.0/5.08	17.5 IEC 10 UL (B, D)	320 IEC 300 UL (B, D)	0°
	SPT-SMD 1,5/...-V	SMT soldering	2...12	5.0/5.08	17.5 IEC 10 UL (B, D)	320 IEC 300 UL (B, D)	90°

¹⁾ Use groups A – G in accordance with UL

²⁾ IEC rated insulation voltage with overvoltage category III/pollution degree 2

PCB terminal blocks

M PCB terminal blocks for conductor cross-sections up to 2.5 mm ² (AWG 12)							
	Push-in spring connection						
	Product family	Notes	No. of Pos.	Pitch	Current ¹⁾ (A)	Voltage ¹⁾²⁾ (V)	Connection direction
	SPT-THR 2,5/...-H	THR soldering	2...12	5.0	32 IEC, 20 UL (B,F) 10 (D)	400 IEC, 300 UL (B,D,F)	0°
	SPT-THR 2,5/...-V	THR soldering	2...12	5.0	32 IEC, 20 UL (B,F) 10 (D)	400 IEC, 300 UL (B,D,F)	90°
	SPTA-THR 2,5	THR soldering	2 ... 12	5.0	32 IEC 20 UL (B,F) 10 UL (D)	400 IEC, 300 UL (B,D,F)	45°





L PCB terminal blocks for conductor cross-sections up to 10 mm ² (AWG 8)							
	Push-in spring connection						
	Product family	Notes	No. of Pos.	Pitch	Current ¹⁾ (A)	Voltage ¹⁾²⁾ (V)	Connection direction
	PTSPL 6	Without insulating housing	1	-	41 IEC 30 UL	-	0°





¹⁾ Use groups A–G in accordance with UL





²⁾ IEC rated insulation voltage with overvoltage category III/ pollution degree 2

PCB connectors









XS PCB connectors for conductor cross-sections up to 0.5 mm² (AWG 18)

	Headers: THR soldering, male						
	Product family	Notes	No. of Pos.	Pitch	Current ¹⁾ (A)	Voltage ¹⁾²⁾ (V)	Connection direction
	MC 0,5/...-G THR	Lateral THR armature	2...16	2.54	6 IEC 6 UL (B)	160 IEC 150 UL (B)	0°
	MCV 0,5/...-G THR	Lateral THR armature	2...16	2.54	6 IEC 6 UL (B)	160 IEC 150 UL (B)	90°
	DMC 0,5/...-G1 LR THR	Double-row, Lateral THR armature	2...3	2.54	6 IEC 6 UL (B)	160 IEC 150 UL (B)	0°
		Double-row, integrated THR armature	4...16				
	DMCV 0,5/...-G1 LR THR	Double-row, Lateral THR armature	2...3	2.54	6 IEC 6 UL (B)	160 IEC 150 UL (B)	90°
		Double-row, integrated THR armature	4...16				







	Headers: SMT soldering, male						
	Product family	Notes	No. of Pos.	Pitch	Current ¹⁾ (A)	Voltage ¹⁾²⁾ (V)	Connection direction
	MC 0,5/...-G SMD	Lateral THR armature	2...16	2.54	6 IEC 6 UL (B)	160 IEC 150 UL (B)	0°
	MCV 0,5/...-G SMD	Lateral THR armature	2...16	2.54	6 IEC 6 UL (B)	160 IEC 150 UL (B)	90°
	DMC 0,5/...-G1-LR SMD	Double-row, Lateral THR armature	2...3	2.54	6 IEC 6 UL (B)	160 IEC 150 UL (B)	0°
		Double-row, integrated THR armature	4...16				
	DMCV 0,5/...-G1-LR SMD	Double-row, Lateral THR armature	2...3	2.54	6 IEC 6 UL (B)	160 IEC 150 UL (B)	90°
		Double-row, integrated THR armature	4...16				



	Headers: THR soldering, male						
	Product family	Notes	No. of Pos.	Pitch	Current ¹⁾ (A)	Voltage ¹⁾²⁾ (V)	Connection direction
	PTSM 0,5/...-HH-THR	Black	2...10	2.5	6 IEC 5 UL (B)	160 IEC 150 UL (B)	0°
	PTSM 0,5/...-HV-THR	Black	2...10	2.5	6 IEC 5 UL (B)	160 IEC 150 UL (B)	90°
	PTSM 0,5/...-HH-THR	White, higher voltage possible (IEC in accordance with II/2: 320 V)	2...8	2.5	6 IEC 5 UL (B)	160 IEC 150 UL (B)	0°
	PTSM 0,5/...-HV-THR	White, higher voltage possible (IEC in accordance with II/2: 320 V)	2...8	2.5	6 IEC 5 UL (B)	160 IEC 150 UL (B)	90°

PCB connectors

XS PCB connectors for conductor cross-sections up to 0.5 mm ² (AWG 18)							
	Headers: SMT soldering, male						
	Product family	Notes	No. of Pos.	Pitch	Current ¹⁾ (A)	Voltage ¹⁾²⁾ (V)	Connection direction
	PTSM 0,5/...-HH-SMD	Black	2...10	2.5	6 IEC 5 UL (B)	160 IEC 150 UL (B)	0°
	PTSM 0,5/...-HH-SMD	White, higher voltage possible (IEC in accordance with II/2: 320 V)	2...8	2.5	6 IEC 5 UL (B)	160 IEC 150 UL (B)	0°
	PTSM 0,5/...-HV-SMD	White, higher voltage possible (IEC in accordance with II/2: 320 V)	2...8	2.5	6 IEC 5 UL (B)	160 IEC 150 UL (B)	90°
	PTSM 0,5/...-HTB-SMD	White, higher voltage possible (IEC in accordance with II/2: 320 V)	2...8	2.5	6 IEC 5 UL (B)	160 IEC 150 UL (B)	-90°
	Inverted headers: SMT soldering, female						
	Product family	Notes	No. of Pos.	Pitch	Current ¹⁾ (A)	Voltage ¹⁾²⁾ (V)	Connection direction
	PTSM 0,5/...-HHI-SMD	Black	2...8	2.5	6 IEC 5 UL (B)	160 IEC 150 UL (B)	0°
	PTSM 0,5/...-HHI-SMD	White, higher voltage possible (IEC in accordance with II/2: 320 V)	2...8	2.5	6 IEC 5 UL (B)	160 IEC 150 UL (B)	0°
	Pin strips: THR and wave soldering						
	Product family	Notes	No. of Pos.	Pitch	Current ¹⁾ (A)	Voltage ¹⁾²⁾ (V)	Connection direction
	PST 1,0/...-H	THR and wave soldering	2...16	3.5	8 IEC 10 UL (B)	250 IEC 300 UL (B)	0°
	PST 1,0/...-V	THR and wave soldering	2...16	3.5 5.75	8 IEC 10 UL (B)	250 IEC 300 UL (B)	90°

PCB connectors



S PCB connectors for conductor cross-sections up to 1.5 mm ² (AWG 16)							
	Headers: SMT soldering, male						
	Product family	Notes	No. of Pos.	Pitch	Current ¹⁾ (A)	Voltage ¹⁾²⁾ (V)	Connection direction
	MC 1,5/...-G THR	Without flange	2...20	3.5 / 3.81	8 IEC 8 UL (B, D)	160 IEC 300 UL (B, D)	0°
	MC 1,5/...-GF THR	With threaded flange					
	MC 1,5/...-G-LR THR	Lock-and-release locking system	9, 10, 12, 18	3.5			
	MC 1,5/...-GU THR	Without flange	2...20	3.81	8 IEC 8 UL (B, D)	160 IEC 300 UL (B, D)	180°
	MCV 1,5/...-G THR	Without flange	2...20	3.5 / 3.81	8 IEC 8 UL (B, D)	160 IEC 300 UL (B, D)	90°
	MCV 1,5/...-GF THR	With threaded flange					
	DMC 1,5/...-G1 THR	Without flange	2...20	3.5	8 IEC 8 UL (B)	160 IEC 150 UL (B)	0°
	DMC 1,5/...-G1F-LR THR	With threaded flange and lock-and-release locking system					
	DMC 1,5/...-G2F-LR THR						
	DMC 1,5/...-G1-LR THR	With lock-and-release locking system					
	DMCV 1,5/...-G1 THR	Without flange	2...20	3.5	8 IEC 8 UL (B)	160 IEC 150 UL (B)	90°
	DMCV 1,5/...-G1F-LR THR	With threaded flange and lock-and-release locking system					
	MCDN 1,5/...-G1 THR	Without flange	2...20	3.5 / 3.81	8 IEC 8 UL (B)	160 IEC 150 UL (B)	0°
	MCDN 1,5/...-G1-RN THR	With snap-in latch		3.5			
	MCDNV 1,5/...-G1 THR	Without flange	2...20	3.5 / 3.81	8 IEC 8 UL (B)	160 IEC 150 UL (B)	90°
	MCDNV 1,5/...-G1-RN THR	With snap-in latch		3.5			





	Inverted headers: THR soldering, female						
	Product family	Notes	No. of Pos.	Pitch	Current ¹⁾ (A)	Voltage ¹⁾²⁾ (V)	Connection direction
	IMC 1,5/...-G THR	Without flange	2...12	3.5	8 IEC 8 UL (B, D)	160 IEC 300 UL (B, D)	0°
	IMCV 1,5/...-G THR	Without flange	2...12	3.5	8 IEC 8 UL (B, D)	160 IEC 300 UL (B, D)	90°

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PCB connectors

M PCB connectors for conductor cross-sections up to 2.5 mm ² (AWG 12)							
	Pin strips: THR and wave soldering						
	Product family	Notes	No. of Pos.	Pitch	Current ¹⁾ (A)	Voltage ¹⁾²⁾ (V)	Connection direction
	PST 1,3/...-H	THR and wave soldering	2...16	5.0	12 IEC 16 UL (B) 10 UL (D)	320 IEC 300 UL (B) 300 UL (D)	0°
	PST 1,3/...-V	THR and wave soldering	2...16	5.0	12 IEC 16 UL (B) 10 UL (D)	320 IEC 300 UL (B) 300 UL (D)	90°

Conductor cross-sections up to 2.5 mm ² (12 AWG), headers: THR soldering, male							
	Product family	Notes	No. of Pos.	Pitch	Current ¹⁾ (A)	Voltage ¹⁾²⁾ (V)	Connection direction
		CCA 2,5/...-G THR	Without flange	2...24	5.0 / 5.08	12 IEC 16 UL (B) 10 UL (D)	320 IEC 300 UL (B) 300 UL (D)
CC 2,5/...-GF THR		With threaded flange	2...12	5.08			
CCA 2,5/...-G-RN THR		With snap-in latch	2...12	5.08			
CC 2,5/...-GF-LR THR		With lock-and-release locking system	2...24	5.0 / 5.08			
	CCVA 2,5/...-G THR	Without flange	2...24	5.0 / 5.08	12 IEC 16 UL (B) 10 UL (D)	320 IEC 300 UL (B) 300 UL (D)	90°
	CCV 2,5/...-GF THR	With threaded flange	2...12	5.08			
	CCVA 2,5/...-G-RN THR	With snap-in latch	2...12	5.08			
	CCV 2,5/...-GF-LR THR	With lock-and-release locking system	2...24	5.0 / 5.08			
	CCDN 2,5/...-G1 THR	Without flange	2...18	5.0 / 5.08	12 IEC 10 UL (B) 10 UL (D)	400 IEC 300 UL (B) 300 UL (D)	0°
	CCDN 2,5/...-G1F THR	With threaded flange					
	MSTBO 2,5/...-G1R THR	Right version	2...4	5.0	16 UL (B) 10 UL (D)	400 IEC 300 UL (B) 300 UL (D)	0°
	MSTBO 2,5/...-G1L THR	Left version					

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PCB connectors

L PCB connectors for conductor cross-sections up to 10 mm ² (8 AWG)							
	Conductor cross-sections up to 4 mm ² (12 AWG), headers: THR soldering, male						
	Product family	Notes	No. of Pos.	Pitch	Current ¹⁾ (A)	Voltage ¹⁾²⁾ (V)	Connection direction
	PC 4/...-GU-6,36 THR	Without flange, with top lock and center flange	2 ... 12	6.35	24 IEC ³⁾ 23 A UL (B) 23 A UL (C) 23 A UL (F)	800 IEC ³⁾ 300 UL (B) 300 UL (C) 600 UL (F)	0°
	PC 4/...-G-6,36 THR	Without flange, with top lock and center flange	2 ... 12	6.35	24 IEC ³⁾ 23 A UL (B) 23 A UL (C) 23 A UL (F)	800 IEC ³⁾ 300 UL (B) 300 UL (C) 600 UL (F)	0°
Conductor cross-sections up to 10 mm ² (8 AWG), headers: THR soldering, male							
	Product family	Notes	No. of Pos.	Pitch	Current ¹⁾ (A)	Voltage ¹⁾²⁾ (V)	Connection direction
	PC 6/...-G THR	Without flange	2 ... 6	7.62	41 IEC 35 UL (B, C) 35 UL (F)	630 IEC 300 UL (B, C) 600 UL (F)	0°
	PC 6/...-GL THR	With center flange					
	PC 6/...-GU THR	Without flange	2 ... 6	7.62	41 IEC 35 UL (B, C) 35 UL (F)	630 IEC 300 UL (B, C) 600 UL (F)	180°
	PC 6/...-GLU THR	With center flange					
	PCV 6/...-G THR	Without flange	2 ... 6	7.62	41 IEC 35 UL (B, C) 35 UL (F)	630 IEC 300 UL (B, C) 600 UL (F)	90°
	PCV 6/...-GL THR	With center flange					
	PCH 6/...-G THR	Without flange	3 ... 5 power (+4 or +6 signal)	7.62 (3.81)	41 (8) IEC 35 (8) UL (B, C) 35 (8) UL (F)	630 (160) IEC 300 (300) UL (B, C) 600 (160) UL (F)	0°
	PCH 6/...-GL THR	With center flange					

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Glossary

Armatures

Additional design element made of metal with a relatively large contact surface, usually mounted on the side of components. When soldered, it provides additional fixing for the SMD component and lessens the load on the current carrying contacts.

Suction surface

Planar, smooth (defined roughness) surface of sufficient size on the top of the component for picking up (with vacuum pipette) by the assembly system. Can be a direct part of the geometry or an additional component in the form of a pick-and-place pad or foil adhesive spot.

Antistatic PE bag

Electrostatically conductive polyethylene bag used as packaging for THR/SMD components.

AOI

Automated optical inspection
Devices with camera systems that are able to inspect soldering spots. A comparison is made between the captured image of the soldering spot and reference images.

Blister

Synonym for tape, in this case more in connection with drawings for production documentation – blister drawing.

Caution label

Warning note on a label on outer packaging (mostly dry bags) regarding the handling of potentially moisture-sensitive materials.

Vapor phase soldering

Reflow soldering through heat transfer via vapor.

Dry bag

Outer packaging that significantly reduces the access of air to the contents and keeps the contents dry for a defined period of time.

Feeder

Feeder unit for tapes on pick-and-place machines.

Floor life

Exposure time

Applies to dried, moisture-sensitive components. Upon opening the dry outer packaging (dry bag) the exposure time (floor life) begins, which depending on the MSL is a measure for problem-free processing in the

reflow oven. Once the floor life has expired, there is an increased danger of damage to the component. In order that it can be used again, the component must be re-dried.

Gullwing

Refers to a certain type of contact geometry on components. In particular the arched, angled component connections on ICs (integrated circuits) or also pin strips are named after the style of the winged doors on the legendary Mercedes-Benz 300 SL.

Tape

Tape-on-reel packaging

Packaging material in taped format. The items are in individual cavities in a deep-drawn tape reel. The abbreviation for tape-on-reel is ToR.

Inline system

Layout of a production line in a physically connected line; all units (printer, assembly machine, reflow oven, AOI, and accessory components) are arranged one after the other in the process sequence. Advantage: transparent, replicable process. Disadvantage: the slowest device determines the process speed.

IPC

Association Connecting Electronics Industries – standardization organization based in Illinois, USA, involved in electronics production.

JEDEC

Solid State Technology Association – US organization involved in the standardization of semiconductors.

Capillary effect

In general, the behavior of fluid in contact with tubes or hollow shaped geometries. Here, the effect of the solder filling in and through the hole in which the pin is positioned from the bottom to the top side of the PCB.

Classification temperature

Working temperature for the component determined through testing in accordance with JEDEC J-STD-020. The manufacturer must test approximately 5°C above this temperature, the operator solders approximately 5°C below this temperature. This prevents any misunderstandings regarding the maximum load of the component.

Contact pads

Any type and form of metallic contact surface for the application of solder on the top side of the PCB (in contrast to the conductive path).

Convection soldering

Reflow soldering through heat transfer via hot gases (air or nitrogen).

Coplanarity

Coplanarity refers to the maximum distance of all connection contacts (including armatures) of an SMD component from the contact surface (in this case the PCB surface). It is a measure of whether all contacts have contact with the paste and are therefore able to form soldering spots at a defined paste thickness.

Creepage distances

Insulation coordination

Minimum distance across the insulating medium between two live metal parts that must be maintained in order to prevent voltage flashover.

Level goods

Common designation for all components that in accordance with IPC-J-STD-020 have an MSL higher than 1 and must therefore be handled in a special way due to their moisture absorption capability.

Soldering pad

Normally a hole with a ring-shaped contact surface (residual ring/solder ring) surrounding the hole. The hole can be through-contacted.

Solder meniscus/solder cone

Geometric shape of the area of two metal surfaces/edges connected via solder (e.g., cone shape in the case of protruding stud contacts on PCBs). Mostly a concave, overrunning surface; with an increasing solder deposit, the radius decreases to a convex, bulbous accumulation in the event of a solder surplus.

Solder paste

Pasty mix of solder particles and flux for soldering components, predominantly in SMT. Solder pastes are classified according to the particle size.

Solder beading

When solder paste is applied, it is possible that non-metallic, coated (solder resist)

surfaces may be printed. During the melting process, individual solder beads may form that initially cling to the flux on the PCB. However, this increases the risk of uncontrolled detachment and movement of the beads across the PCB, and leads to a higher incidence of short circuit during operation.

Clearances

Insulation coordination
Minimum distance through air between two live metal parts that must be maintained in order to prevent voltage flashover.

Mounting bosses

Additional design elements (part of the component housing), usually in the form of pins, which are positioned in holes on the PCB to prevent the component twisting due to floating during the soldering process.

MSL

Moisture Sensitivity Level

Degree of ability of a plastic to absorb moisture and the classification of the sensitivity to high temperatures during processing.

Pick-and-place

Assembly method used in the automatic assembly of a component, in this case mainly picking up an individual component and placing the component onto the PCB.

Pin-in-paste technology

Another name for THR technology.

Peak temperature

Also often referred to as peak body temperature, this is the maximum temperature occurring on the top side of the component for which the component is designed.

Positioning pins

See Mounting bosses.

Primary side

Refers to the side of the PCB to which the solder is to flow during the soldering process (in the case of wave soldering, for example, the top side). This perspective has been adopted for reflow soldering.

Residual ring/solder ring

A ring of defined width around a hole for the application of a solder contact. The solder meniscus forms between the surface of

the ring and the surface of the connection contact.

Concave components

Components which, due to the geometry of their housing, tend to accumulate condensates in the vapor phase soldering oven. Without suitable run-off possibilities, these components remove the condensates from the soldering process. A high condensate loss level makes the process expensive.

Secondary side

Refers to the side of the PCB on which the solder normally meets the solder contact first (in the case of wave soldering, for example, the bottom side). This perspective has been adopted for reflow soldering.

Selective soldering

Type of wave soldering in which individual solder contacts or limited groups are soldered by spatially limited small soldering waves.

SMD

Surface mounting device
Surface-mountable component which can be processed via SMT. The terms SMD and SMT are often used synonymously.

SMT

Surface mounting technology

SMT is a technology for the mounting of modules and soldering in the soldering process.

Tape-on-reel

See Tape

Swash circumference

Pin position tolerance, the deviation of the pin end from its ideal setpoint as defined in a drawing. It can be understood to be a circle around the ideal center point. Normatively defined as a ± 0.2 mm position deviation or a circle diameter of 0.4 mm. There appears to be a technical trend towards tighter tolerances of the position deviation to ± 0.1 mm or a circle diameter of 0.2 mm.

THR

Through-hole reflow

Mounting method for through-hole components for the soldering process (THR). Mounting of wired components whose

contacts are pushed into holes on the PCB filled with solder paste and then soldered via the reflow soldering method.

Tray

Flat magazine

Type of packaging – plastic tray of defined dimensions with pressed chambers for the ordered, targeted picking of components. The use of this type of packaging is dependent on the availability of appropriate tray towers/feeder stations on the assembly line.

Countersunk pin

A pin with a pin length that is less than the thickness of the PCB. The resulting soldering spot does not form a visible solder cone on the secondary side.

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