Size #23 Beryllium Copper Crimp Contacts
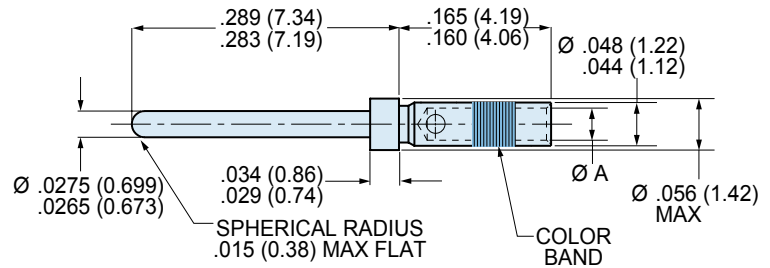
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#23 Pin Contact
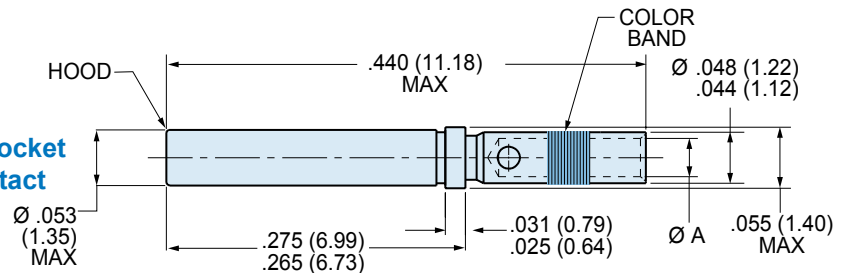
#23 Socket Contact

Standard size #23 contacts accept #22 to #28 AWG wire. Choose "small bore" versions for #26 to #30 AWG wire. For thermocouple applications, specify alumel or chromel contacts. Contacts are bulk packaged. Terminate with standard M22520 crimper with special positioner.

Contact Type	Wire Size	Material	Part Number	Ø A In.	mm.	Color Band	Tool Code
Pin	#22 – #28	BeCu	809-001	.0335-.0355	0.851-0.902	None	A, C
Pin	#26 – #30	BeCu	809-042	.0229-.0245	0.582-0.622	Blue	A, D
Pin	#22 – #28	Alumel	809-065A	.0335-.0355	0.851-0.902	None	A, C
Pin	#22 – #28	Chromel	809-065C	.0335-.0355	0.851-0.902	None	A, C
Socket	#22 – #28	BeCu	809-002	.0335-.0355	0.851-0.902	None	A, C
Socket	#26 – #30	BeCu	809-043	.0229-.0245	0.582-0.622	Blue	A, D
Socket	#22 – #28	Alumel	809-066A	.0335-.0355	0.851-0.902	None	A, C
Socket	#22 – #28	Chromel	809-066C	.0335-.0355	0.851-0.902	None	A, C

#23 Pin Contact

.289 (7.34) / .283 (7.19)
.165 (4.19) / .160 (4.06)
Ø .048 (1.22) / .044 (1.12)
Ø .0275 (0.699) / .0265 (0.673)
.034 (0.86) / .029 (0.74)
Ø A
Ø .056 (1.42) MAX
SPHERICAL RADIUS .015 (0.38) MAX FLAT
COLOR BAND

#23 Socket Contact

HOOD
.440 (11.18) MAX
COLOR BAND
Ø .048 (1.22) / .044 (1.12)
Ø .053 (1.35) MAX
.275 (6.99) / .265 (6.73)
.031 (0.79) / .025 (0.64)
Ø A
.055 (1.40) MAX

CRIMP TENSILE STRENGTH
Values are in pounds and are minimums.

Wire Gage	Silver or Tin Coated Copper Wire	Nickel Coated Copper Wire
#22	12	8
#24	8	6
#26	5	3
#28	3	2
#30	1.5	1.5

Material and Finish

Beryllium copper alloy per ASTM B196 or B197, 50 microinches gold plated per ASTM B488 Type 3 Code C Class 1,27 over nickel plate per QQ-N-290 Class 2, 50-100 microinches.
Thermocouple contacts: alumel or chromel alloy, unplated, per ANSI 96.1
Socket contact hood: stainless steel, passivated per AMS-QQ-P-35.

Specifications

Current Rating: 5 Amps maximum
Voltage Drop (at 5 Amps and 25° C): 70 millivolts maximum
Temperature Range: -65° to + 200° C
Socket Contact Minimum Separation Force: 0.5 ounces

Crimp Tools and Insertion/Removal Tools

Crimper: 809-015
Positioner: 809-005 (standard). Use P/N 809-057 for small bore contacts 809-065 and 809-066
Standard Insertion/Removal Tool: 809-088

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How To Terminate, Install and Remove Size #23 Contacts

1 *Set Up Crimp Tool.* Install proper positioner into crimp tool. The label on the positioner shows the proper tool setting for each wire size. Turn the adjustment wheel to the correct setting.

2 *Strip Wire.* Remove wire insulation, taking care to avoid nicking or cutting wire strands. Strip wire to length shown.

3 *Insert wire* into contact. The wire should be visible in the inspection hole.

4 Insert contact into crimp tool as shown. Make sure that the contact is fully inserted into the tool. Squeeze handle completely. The ratchet mechanism will not allow a partial crimp. Release handle and remove contact.
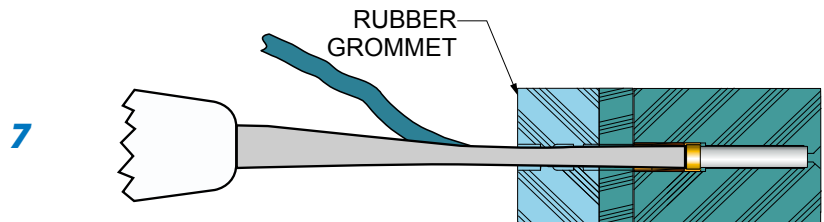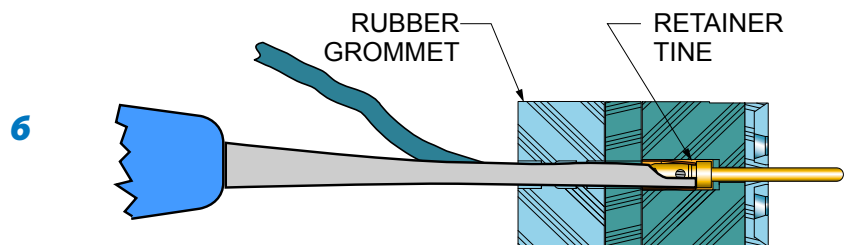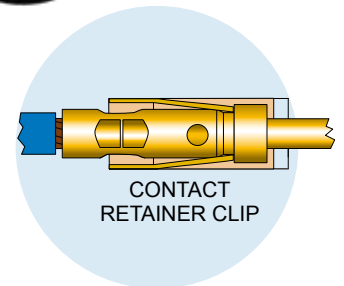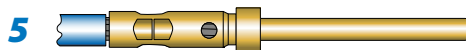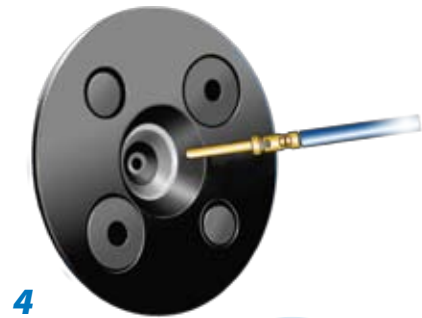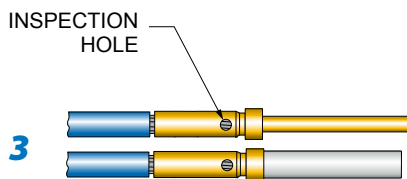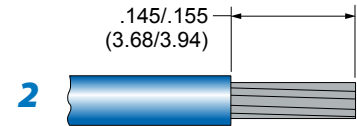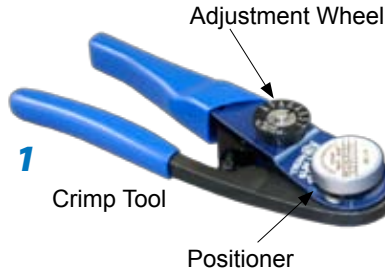
5 *Inspect crimped contact.* Wire should be fully inserted and the crimp should be uniform in appearance.

Insertion/Extraction Tool 809-088

EXTRACTION TIP
WHITE END

INSERTION TIP
BLUE END
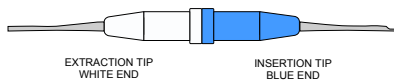
6 *Install contact into connector.* Push the contact through the rear grommet until the contact locks into place. This can usually be done by hand without the need for a tool. If the wire gage is #26 or smaller, a tool is helpful. There are two techniques for installing contacts with a tool. One method is to push the contact in by hand, then use the tool to finish the insertion. The other method is to position the insertion tip against the contact shoulder, then insert the contact. Use insertion/extraction tool 809-088 to install contacts. Slide the wire into the groove on the blue end of the tool. Slide the tool tip up the contact until it touches the contact shoulder. **USE CARE TO AVOID DAMAGING THE CONNECTOR.**

7 *Contact Extraction.* Use tool 809-088. The white end is used for contact extraction. First, push the wire into the groove of the metal tip. Slide the tip of the tool into the connector. Push the tool into the connector cavity until the tip bottoms in the connector. Avoid wiggling or rocking the tip. This may damage the cavity. A straight push is best. Pinch the wire between your finger and the white plastic grip and slide the tool and contact out of the connector. **Wire insulation diameter greater than 0.045 inches (1.14mm) is too large to work properly with the extraction tool. connector damage is possible.**

Adjustment Wheel

1
Crimp Tool

Positioner

.145/.155
(3.68/3.94)

2

INSPECTION HOLE

3

4

5

CONTACT RETAINER CLIP

RUBBER GROMMET

RETAINER TINE

6

RUBBER GROMMET

7

Dimensions in inches (millimeters) and are subject to change without notice.

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