CAUTION: Read instructions thoroughly and completely prior to beginning installation.

Installation instructions for separable coupling connector

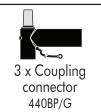


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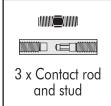
Up to 36 kV

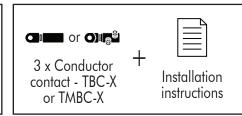
Only to be used on copper wire screened cable with extruded easy strip or bonded semi-conductive screen and stranded circular conductors of copper or aluminium.

Required components for the connector installation:











3 x Field control mastic, type MFC-RLT

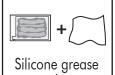


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Water sealing mastic, type MWS (outdoor applications)





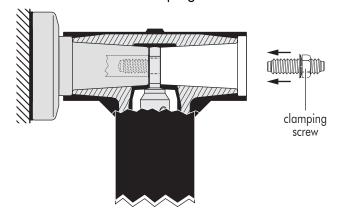






instructions

For installation on a 440TB(/G) tee connector tightened with a clamping screw:



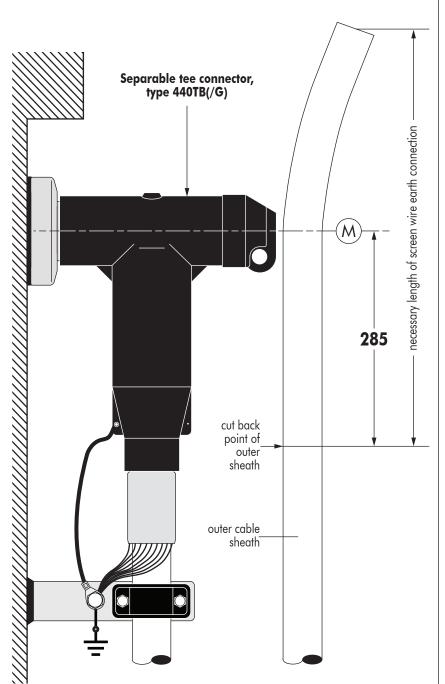


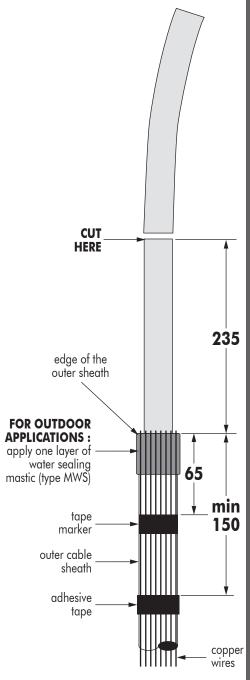


This product should be installed only by competent personnel trained in good safety practices involving high voltage electrical equipment. These instructions are not intended as a substitute for adequate training or experience in such safety practices. These instructions do not attempt to provide for every possible contingency. Failure to follow these instructions could result in damage to the product and serious or fatal injury. IMPORTANT: Cable and associated apparatus must be de-energised, locked out, and tagged prior to product installation.

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NB: Only one phase is shown in these instructions. Make off all three phases the same way. Use a cable conversion kit for 3-core cables.





- Train the cable into the approximate finished position next to the equipment bushing.

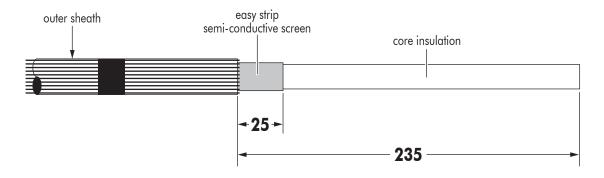
 Be sure to allow enough extra length of concentric wires to connect to earth.
- 2 Mark centre line « M » of the bushing.
- Remove the outer cable sheath to a point **285** mm from the centre line **« M »** of the bushing.
- 4 Apply a tape marker around the outer sheath 65 mm from the edge. For indoor applications, bend the screen wires back over the outer sheath and proceed to step no. 5.

For outdoor applications:

- Wrap one layer of water sealing mastic (type MWS) around the outer sheath, flush with the end (**25** mm minimum width). Completely encircle the cable.
- Bend the screen wires back over the mastic and along the outer sheath, pressing them into the mastic.
- **Important:** screen wires should not touch each other when pressed into the mastic to prevent water ingress.
- 5 Using adhesive tape, fix the screen wires at a distance of min **150** mm from the edge of the outer sheath.
- 6 Cut the cable to a point **235** mm from the outer sheath.

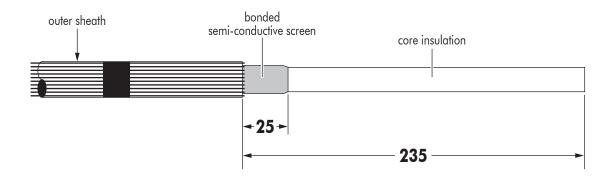
CABLE PREPARATION_

For extruded easy strip semi-conductive screen



- 1 Check distance of **235** mm.
- Remove the easy strip semi-conductive screen to a point **25** mm from the outer sheath. Cut squarely taking care not to cut the core insulation.

For bonded extruded semi-conductive screen



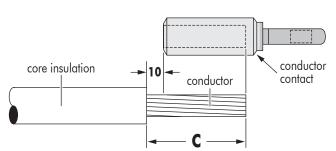
- 1 Check distance of **235** mm.
- Remove the bonded semi-conductive screen to a point **25** mm from the outer sheath.

 Use an appropriate pencilling tool. Make a smooth transition between core insulation and semi-conductive screen.
- Remove any traces of conductive residue from the core insulation.



REMOVAL OF THE CORE INSULATION

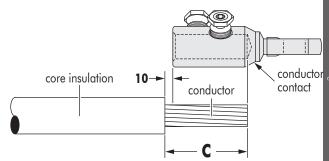
A. Compression type contacts (Type TBC-X)



A. Remove the core insulation from the conductor for a distance **« C »** mm

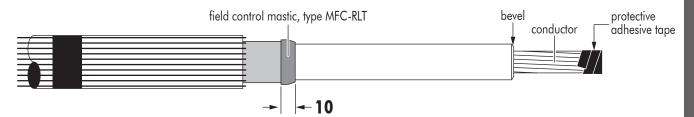
($\mathbf{C} = \text{depth of contact bore} + \mathbf{10} \text{ mm}$).

B. Mechanical type contacts (Type TMBC-X)



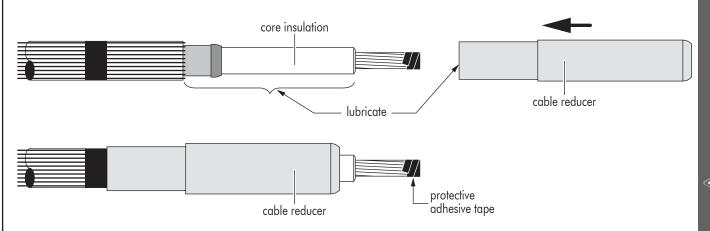
B. Remove the core insulation from the conductor for a distance **« C »** mm

(**C** = depth of contact bore + **10** mm).



- 2 Slightly bevel the edge of the core insulation. **Do not sharpen in cone-shape.**
- 3 Thoroughly clean core insulation. Always wipe towards the screen wires.
- As a protection, wrap a few turns of adhesive tape around the conductor end.
- Remove the field control mastic strip, type MFC-RLT, from the coated paper. Apply the mastic on the cutback edge of the semi-conductive screen, covering approximately 5 mm of the extruded semi-conductive screen and 5 mm of the core insulation. Push the mastic in place while stretching it progressively until both ends overlap and tear-off the excess mastic. Using the coated side of the paper, squeeze the mastic tightly in place on the step of the semi-conductive screen.

INSTALLATION OF THE CABLE REDUCER



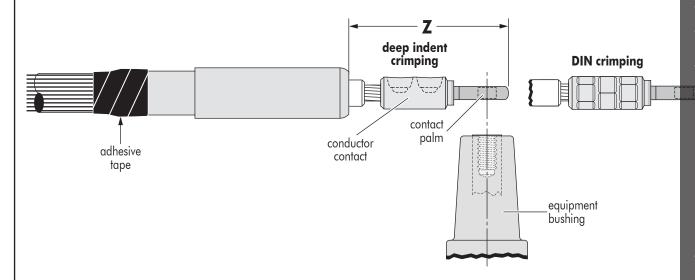
- Lubricate* the indicated area: core insulation, mastic, semi-conductive screen and inner surface of the reducer.
- 2 Slide the reducer down the cable until flush with the tape marker.
- Remove the protective adhesive tape from the conductor.

CRIMPING/TIGHTENING OF THE CONTACT.



Compression type contacts (Type TBC-X)

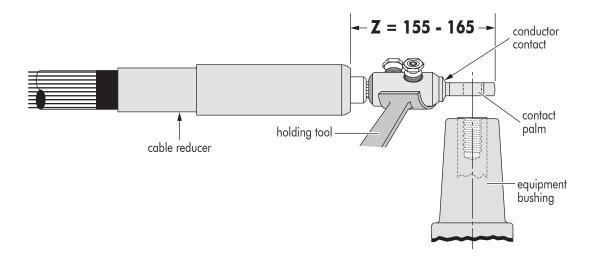
Please refer to the crimp chart supplied with the contact.



- For aluminium conductors: before installing the conductor contact, wire brush the conductor.
- 2 Fit the contact on to the conductor.
- 3 Position the crimp contact taking care that the contact hole aligns with the bushing hole.
- Prior to crimping distance **« Z »** must be between **155** and **165** mm.
- 5 Crimp the contact. Please refer to the crimp chart for crimp sequence.
- 6 After crimping distance **« Z »** must be between **160** and **170** mm.

 If necessary, adjust the position of the cable reducer until distance **« Z »** is within the tolerance range. Using adhesive tape, secure the cable reducer.
- Remove any burrs left after crimping and wipe-off excess inhibitor.





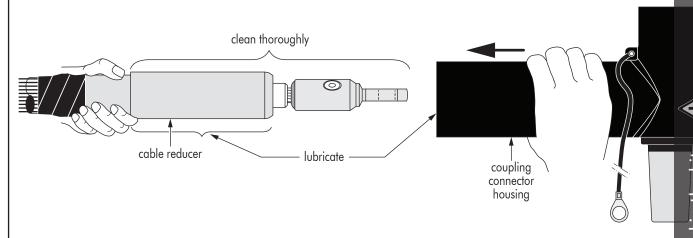
- For aluminium conductors: before installing the conductor contact, wire brush the conductor.
- 2 Insert, if necessary, the centre ring into the contact barrel according to the table in the contact installation instruction.
- Position the contact taking care that the contact hole aligns with the bushing hole. The contact must align with the bushing in order to avoid any undue pressure on the bushing or the connector.
- 4 Before tightening, distance **« Z »** must be between **155** and **165** mm.
- 5 Tighten the contact. Please refer to the installation instruction included with the contact.

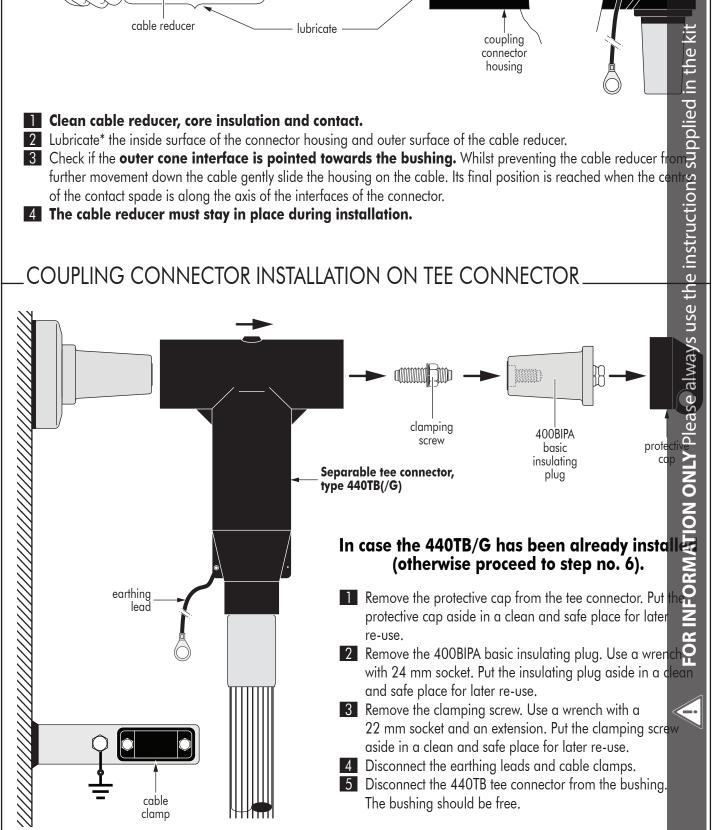
After tightening



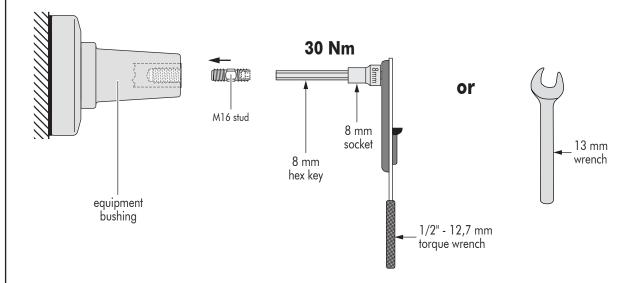
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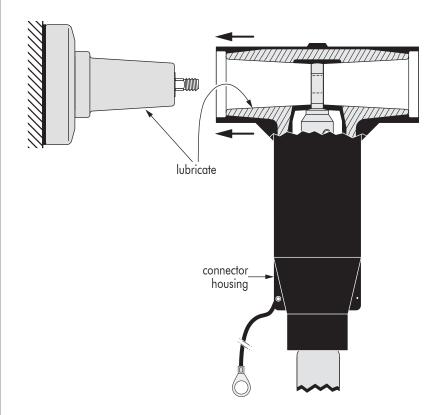




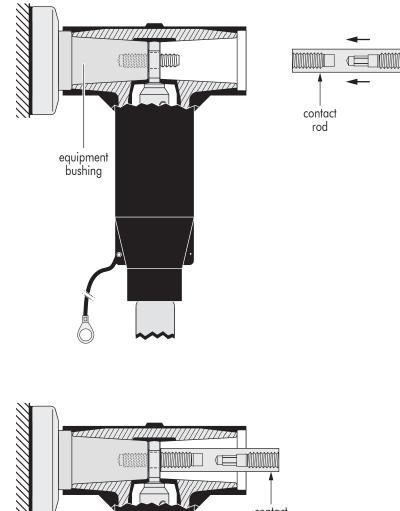
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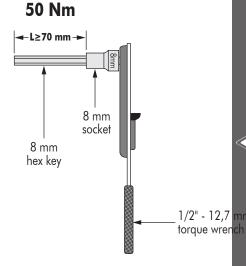


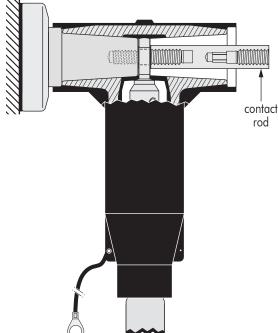
- 6 Install M16 threaded stud into the bushing interface.
- Using a 13 mm wrench or a hex key of 8 mm, tighten the stud exerting 30 Nm (3 kgm or 22,1 foot-pounds).



- 8 Clean and lightly lubricate* both connector and bushing interface.
- 9 Push connector on to the bushing.



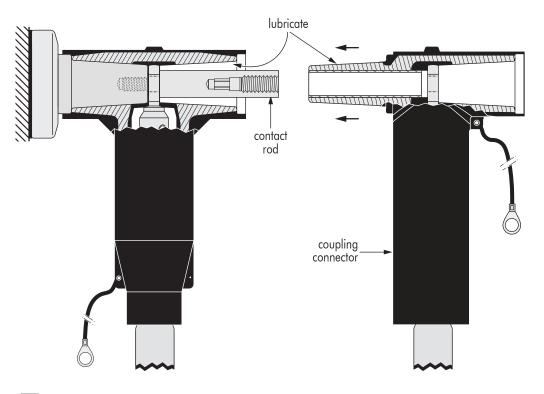




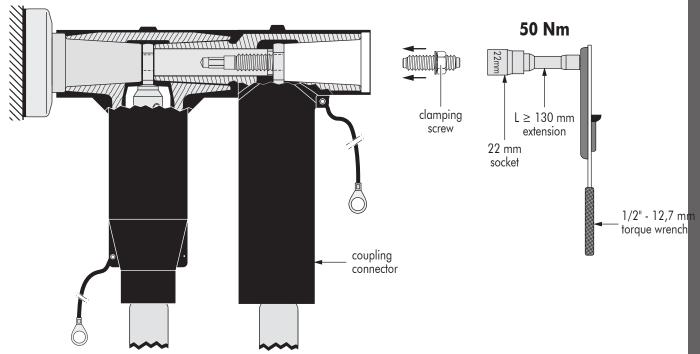
- 10 Insert the contact rod on to the threaded stud.
- Use a torque wrench with a 8 mm socket and an hex key of 8 mm and tighten exerting **50** Nm (5 kgm or 36,9 foot-pounds) of torque.

In order to achieve the correct applied torque ensure that there is no lubricant on the threaded parts.

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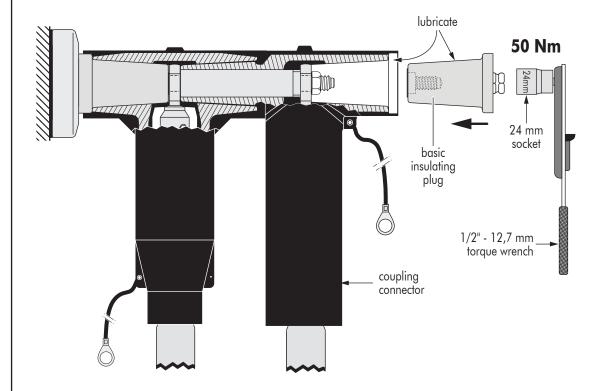
- 12 Clean and lightly lubricate* both female tee connector interface and male interface of the coupling connector.
- Push the coupling connector on to the contact rod of the tee connector. Take care not to damage the contact rod during installation of the coupling connector.



- 14 Insert the clamping screw into the threaded hole of the contact rod.
- Use torque wrench with extension and 22 socket and tighten exerting **50** Nm (5 kgm or 36,9 foot-pounds) of torque In order to achieve the correct applied torque ensure that there is no lubricant on the threaded parts.

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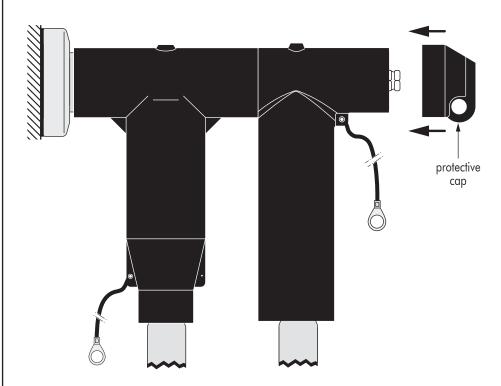
INSTALLATION OF THE BASIC INSULATING PLUG



- Clean and lubricate* the insulating plug and the female interface of the coupling connector.
- 2 Insert the plug into the connector and tighten assembly: use torque wrench with socket of 24 and tighten exerting **50** Nm (5 kgm or 36,9 foot-pounds) of torque.

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INSTALLATION OF THE CAP.

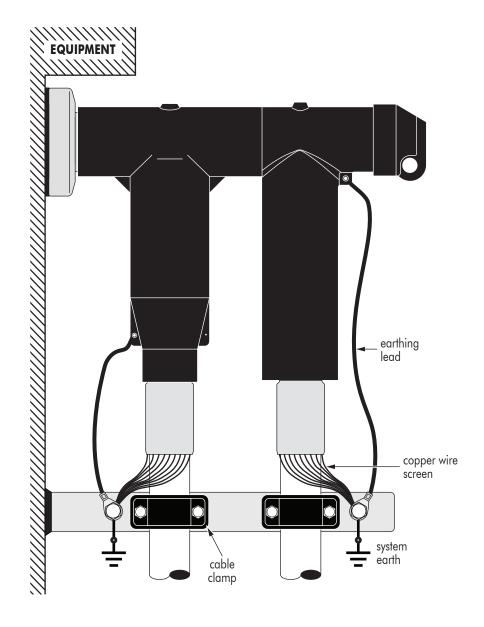


Clean the inner surface of the protective cap (do not lubricate) and place on the connector. Push down hard until cap "snaps" into place.



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CONNECTOR EARTHING AND CABLE CLAMPING



- Bend back the screen wires along the outer sheath to form a pig tail.
- 2 Connect the earthing leads and copper wire screens to the system earth.

NOTE:

A connector/bushing mated combination should not be allowed to carry the full weight of the cable. Therefore clamp the cable as close as possible to the connector.

IMPORTANT NOTES:

- Never disconnect the connector from energised equipment nor energise a disconnected connector without previously installing on its appropriate corresponding mating part.
- Do not allow hydrocarbon oils or solvents to contaminate the E.P.D.M. rubber. In the event of contamination, wipe the surface clean with a dry cloth.



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