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DRB Series Overview

DEUTSCH DRB series connectors are heavy duty connectors suitable for bulkhead applications. They are designed to accommodate multiple wire gauges and feature high pin counts, including 48, 60, 102, and 128 cavities. To increase the design flexibility, the DRB series offers several mounting flange options and wire arrangements. The DRB series is suited for on- and off-highway applications, marine, industrial, and agriculture markets in harsh environments.



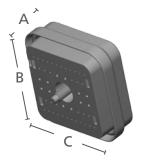
DEUTSCH CONNECTOR PERFORMANCE SPECIFICATIONS

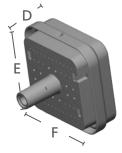
Temperature:	Operating at temperatures -55°C to +125°C
Durability:	No electrical or mechanical defects after 100 cycles of engagement and disengagement.
Vibration:	No unlocking or unmating and exhibits no mechanical or physical damage after sinusoidal vibration levels of 20 G's at 10 to 2000 Hz in each of the three mutually perpendicular planes. No electrical discontinuities longer than 1 microsecond.
Fluid Resistance:	Connectors show no damage when exposed to most fluids used in industrial applications.
Insulation Resistance:	1000 megohms minimum at 25°C.
Immersion:	IP68 rating
Moisture Resistance:	Properly wired and mated connections will withstand immersion under three feet of water without loss of electronic qualities or leakage.
Dielectric Withstanding Voltage:	Current leakage less than 2 milliamps at 1500 volts AC.
Thermal Cycle:	No cracking, chipping or leaking after 20 test cycles from -55°C to +125°C.

MATERIAL SPECIFICATIONS

Flange Body:	Glass filled PA	
Flange Clip:	Spring steel	
Grommet:	Silicone rubber	
Jackscrew:	Stainless steel	
Shell:	Glass filled PA	
Wedgelocks:	Glass filled PBT	

DIMENSIONS

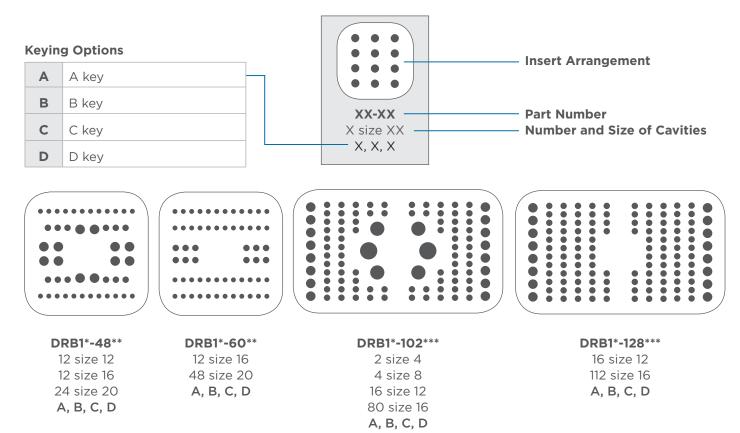




DRB Plug			DRB Receptacle			
Cavity	Overall Length A	Overall Height B	Overall Width C	Overall Length D	Overall Height E	Overall Width F
48 & 60	1.406 (35.71)	2.606 (66.19)	2.606 (66.19)	2.077 (52.76)	2.606 (66.19)	2.606 (66.19)
102	1.778 (45.16)	2.966 (75.34)	4.951 (125.76)	2.291 (58.19)	2.966 (75.34)	4.951 (125.76)
128	1.748 (44.40)	2.966 (75.34)	4.951 (125.76)	2.291 (58.19)	2.966 (75.34)	4.951 (125.76)

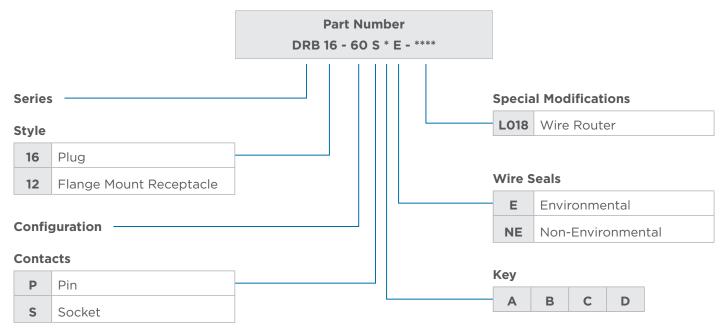
Dimensions are for reference only.

CONFIGURATIONS





PART NUMBERING SYSTEM



ORDERING INFORMATION

Here are some of the common part numbers in the DRB series. Several additional connectors may be available.

Position	Keying	Plug	Receptacle
10	Key A	DRB16-48SAE-L018	DRB12-48PAE-L018
	Key B	DRB16-48SBE-L018	DRB12-48PBE-L018
48	Key C	DRB16-48SCE-L018	DRB12-48PCE-L018
	Key D	DRB16-48SDE-L018	DRB12-48PDE-L018
	Key A	DRB16-60SAE-L018	DRB12-60PAE-L018
60	Key B	DRB16-60SBE-L018	DRB12-60PBE-L018
60	Key C	DRB16-60SCE-L018	DRB12-60PCE-L018
	Key D	DRB16-60SDE-L018	DRB12-60PDE-L018
	Key A	DRB16-102SAE-L018	DRB12-102PAE-L018
100	Key B	DRB16-102SBE-L018	DRB12-102PBE-L018
102	Key C	DRB16-102SCE-L018	DRB12-102PCE-L018
	Key D	DRB16-102SDE-L018	DRB12-102PDE-L018
128	Key A	DRB16-128SAE-L018	DRB12-128PAE-L018
	Key B	DRB16-128SBE-L018	DRB12-128PBE-L018
	Key C	DRB16-128SCE-L018	DRB12-128PCE-L018
	Key D	DRB16-128SDE-L018	DRB12-128PDE-L018





WIRE SEALING RANGE

The wire sealing range is the recommended outside diameter of the wire insulation required to maintain an environmental seal in the rear connector cavities.

Contact Size	Standard Seal	Extra Thin Seal E-Seal
20 16-22 AWG (1.0-0.35mm ²)	.040095 (1.02-2.41)	.040095 (1.02-2.41)
16 14-20 AWG (2.0-0.5mm ²)	.100134 (2.54-3.40)	.053120 (1.35-3.05)
12 10-14 AWG (5.0-2.0mm ²)	.134170 (3.40-4.32)	.097158 (2.46-4.01)
8 8-10 AWG (8.0-5.0mm ²)	.190240 (4.83-6.10)	.135220 (3.43-5.59)
4 6 AWG (13.0mm ²)	.280292 (7.11-7.42)	.261292 (6.63-7.42)

Required Components

A complete DRB assembly requires a wedgelock for each plug and receptacle and a mounting flange. There are several flange options to accommodate design requirements. The wedgelocks are required to confirm proper contact placement.





FLANGE OPTIONS



Part Number	Accepts Connectors	Description	
DRBF-2*	(1) DRB 48 or 60 way	Single mounting flange for one 48 or 60 way DRB plug and receptacle mated pair	
DRBF-3**	(2) DRB 48 or 60 ways	Double mounting flange for any combination of two 48 or 60 way DRB plug and receptacle mated pairs	
DRBF-1*	(1) DRB 102 way or (1) DRB 128 way	Single mounting flange for the 102 or 128 way DRB plug and receptacle mated pair	
DRBM-3*	(1) DRB 102 way or (1) DRB 128 way	Single mounting flange for the 102 or 128 way DRB plug and receptacle mated pair, includes two 125 amp mounting posts	

*A, B, C, D keying available, contact your representative

SECONDARY WEDGELOCKS

DEUTSCH DRB electrical connectors require secondary wedgelocks which are sold separately. The wedgelocks confirm proper contact alignment and offer keying options within each connector. Secondary wedgelocks are assembled at the mating interfaces and click into place.

Receptacle Wedgelocks		Plug Wedgelocks	
WB-48P*	Wedgelock for 48 way receptacle	WB-485*	Wedgelock for 48 way plug
WB-60P*	Wedgelock for 60 way receptacle	WB-60S*	Wedgelock for 60 way plug
WB-51P*L	Left wedgelock for 102 way receptacle	WB-51S*L	Left wedgelock for 102 way plug
WB-51P*R	Right wedgelock for 102 way receptacle	WB-51S*R	Right wedgelock for 102 way plug
WB-64P*	Wedgelock for 128 way receptacle (requires two)	WB-64S*	Wedgelock for 128 way plug (requires two)

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Accessories

BOOTS



Boots provide a professional looking finishing touch for DEUTSCH DRB series connectors. Made of durable plastisol, these slip-on boots are not only aesthetically appealing, but also provide increased protection from dirt, paint overspray, and pressure washing. The plastisol boots are rated from -20°F to +212°F (-28°C to +100°C) and offer a slip-on design making installation quick and easy.



Part Number	Description
DRB48-60-BT	48 way plug or receptacle boot, black
DRB48-60-BT	60 way plug or receptacle boot, black
DRB102-BT	102/128 way plug or receptacle boot, black
DRB102-BT- 90DEG	102/128 way plug or receptacle boot, 90° bend, black

*Distorting the boots can lessen their longevity

How To Instructions

CONTACT INSERTION



Step 1: Hold connector with rear grommet/wire router cap facing you.



Step 2: Push contact straight into contact cavity until a click is heard/felt. A slight tug will confirm the contact is inserted correctly.



Step 3: Once all contacts are in place, insert wedgelock by lining up the keyway. The wedgelock will press into place.



CONTACT REMOVAL



Step 1: Remove wedgelock using a screwdriver. Pull wedgelock straight out.



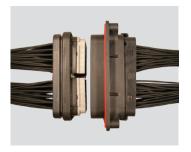
Step 2:

To remove contacts, gently pull wire backwards, while at the same time releasing the locking finger by moving it away from the contact with a screwdriver.

ASSEMBLY



Step 1: Wedgelocks should be pressed firmly in place, with only a slight gap showing between the wedgelock and connector.



Step 4: When mating the plug with the receptacle, confirm that the plug is not being pulled into the receptacle at an angle by the jackscrew.



Step 2: If the wedgelock will not go all the way in, check to make sure all of the contacts are properly seated.

Improper assembly can cause the jackscrew to be stripped during assembly. To prevent damage, the jackscrew will strip out before the threads in the connector are damaged. If the jackscrew becomes stripped, please replace the jackscrew and the push nut.



Step 3:

Contacts should be fully inserted into the connector, with the locking fingers in place under the shoulder of the contact. If a contact is not fully inserted, the retention finger will prevent the wedgelock from pressing into place.

Note

Do not over torque jackscrew. The recommended torque rating for the DRB series plug jackscrew when tightening is 30-35 IN-LB (3.38-3.95 N.M.).

