# Gecko

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## **Gecko Connectors Introduction**

Gecko is a 1.25mm pitch High-Reliability connector range from Harwin. Improving on the popular 2mm pitch Datamate series, and harnessing the modern technology of micro-machining, this range brings the best of the high-reliability specifications to a smaller size.

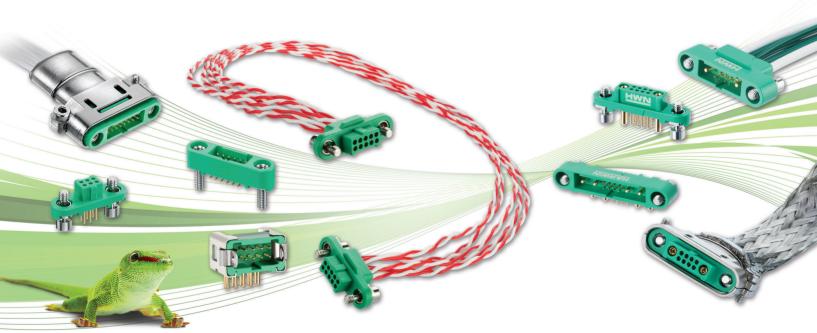
Gecko provides a low-profile, dual-row solution for all variations of cable-to-board, board-to-board and cable-to-cable interconnect requirements. With up to 50 contacts per connector, but still capable of 2A per contact, Gecko gives both significant weight and space-saving advantages over Micro-D connections. The Gecko range offers either latching connectors, for maximum weight and space-saving, or Screw-Lok connectors for maximum mating strain relief.

- 2A per contact (all electrically loaded; 2.8A per individual contact)
- → 4-finger Patented\* contact design to maintain electrical contact through high vibration and shock
- ▶ Beryllium Copper Contact for improved temperature range: -65°C to +150°C
- 1,000 Mating cycles durability

- Weight and Space-saving over Micro-D connector products
- ► Future-proofed Materials Halogen-free, PFOS-free, SVHC-free and RoHS compliant
- Low outgassing properties 0.68% TML, 0.01% CVCM, 0.26 WVR (Water Vapour Recovered)
- → All PCB connectors available in Tape and Reel for automation

# Gecko-SL or Latches Gecko-MT

- Strong stainless steel screw fixings for maximum strain relief, or lightweight space-saving robust latches
- Lightweight hoods for additional cable protection and shielding
- Choices of pre-wired contacts or full cable assemblies from stock, for prototyping and full production
- Additional power contacts incorporated into the smallest, lightest mixed-layout connector
- Choice of 2 or 4 power contacts rated to 10A each
- Compatible with existing lightweight metal hoods





<sup>\*</sup> Granted US9017089, Pending GB2501063, Pending EP2642604

## **Gecko Connectors Product Features**

#### Four Finger Beryllium Copper Contact

Unique patented pending high-reliability contact design ensures signal integrity under extremes of bump, vibration and shock. Durable to over 1,000 mating cycles.



#### **Keyway Polarization Points**

3 polarizing points on each component prevent mis-mating.





#### No. 1 Position identified, Potting Wall

Housings are clearly marked with identifier for fast visual inspection. Cable connectors feature a rear potting wall adding an extra level of strain relief.



#### Packaged in Tape & Reel

All connectors for PCB assembly are available packaged in industry standard Tape and Reel format for automated assembly.



#### **Robust Metal Backshells**

Lightweight aluminium hoods / backshells available for all connector sizes from stock. Supplied with tie-bands to attach external braiding for shielded cable assemblies.



#### **Pre-assembled Cable Configurations**

Cable connectors supplied in ready-made cable assemblies. Single and double-ended configurations available in standard lengths off-the-shelf, or custom assemblies on request.



#### Minimal Outgassing

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Low outgassing properties from future-proofed plastic; within NASA and ESA recommendations.



#### **Operating Temperature Range**

Performance is maintained across the full operating temperature range of -65°C to +150°C.



# **Gecko-MT Connectors Specifications**

#### Materials

Housings: Glass-filled High Temperature

Thermoplastic UL94V-0

Female contacts: Beryllium Copper

Male contacts

Signal PCB Connector: Phosphor Bronze

Signal Crimp: Brass

Power (all): Beryllium Copper

Finish

Signal Contacts: 0.2 - 0.3μm (8 - 12μ") Gold,

over 1.5 - 2.0μm (60 - 80μ") Nickel

Power Contacts: 0.8 - 1.0μm (30 - 40μ") Gold,

over 1.5 - 2.5μm (60 - 100μ") Nickel

Screw-Loks: Stainless Steel

#### : Electrical

Current

Signal contacts in isolation: 2.8A max (at 25°C) Signal contacts simultaneous: 2.0A max (at 25°C)

Power contacts simultaneous: 10A max

Working voltage

At sea level 1006 mbar: 450V DC or AC peak At altitude 44 mbar: 250V DC or AC peak

Voltage proof

At sea level 1013 mbar: 600V DC or AC peak At altitude 44 mbar: 350V DC or AC peak

Contact resistance

Initial:  $20m\Omega$  max After conditioning:  $25m\Omega$  max

Insulation resistance

Initial:  $10G\Omega$  min at 500V DC After conditioning:  $>1G\Omega$  min at 500V DC

#### Mechanical

Contact durability: 1000 operations

Mating forces (per contact pair)

Insertion force (signal): 2.8N max
Insertion force (power): 7.0N max
Withdrawal force: 0.2N min

Contact retention in housing: 6.0N max

#### Environmental

\*Bump severity:

**Environmental classification**: 65/150/56 days at 93% RH

**Operating temperature:** -65°C to +150°C

\*Vibration sensitivity: 10Hz to 2000Hz, 1.5mm,

198m/s² (20G) duration 6 hours 390m/s² (40G), 4000 ±10 bumps

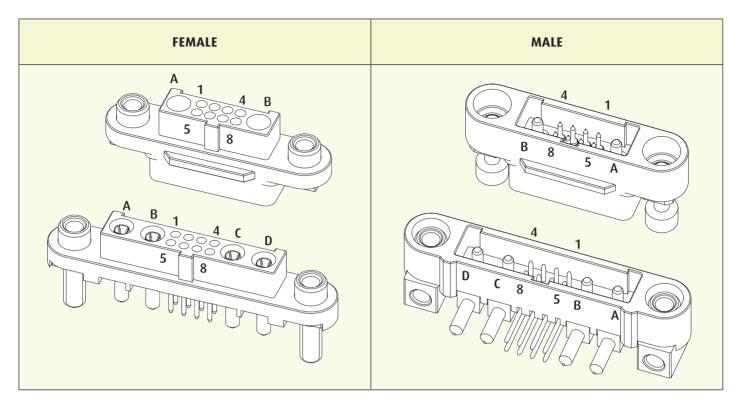
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\*Acceleration severity: 490m/s<sup>2</sup> (50G)

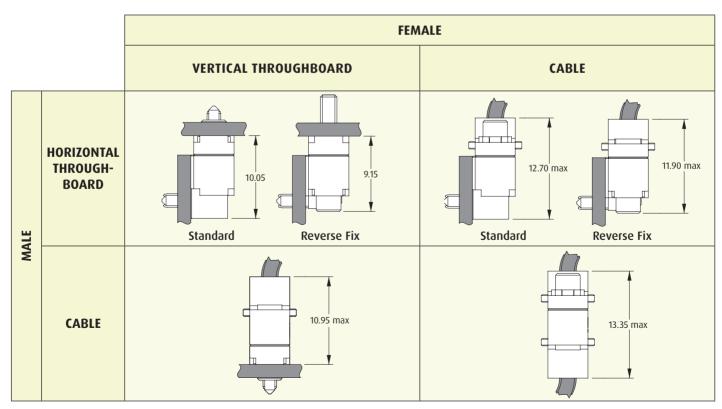


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# **Gecko-MT Pin Numbering**



# **Gecko-MT Mating Profiles**

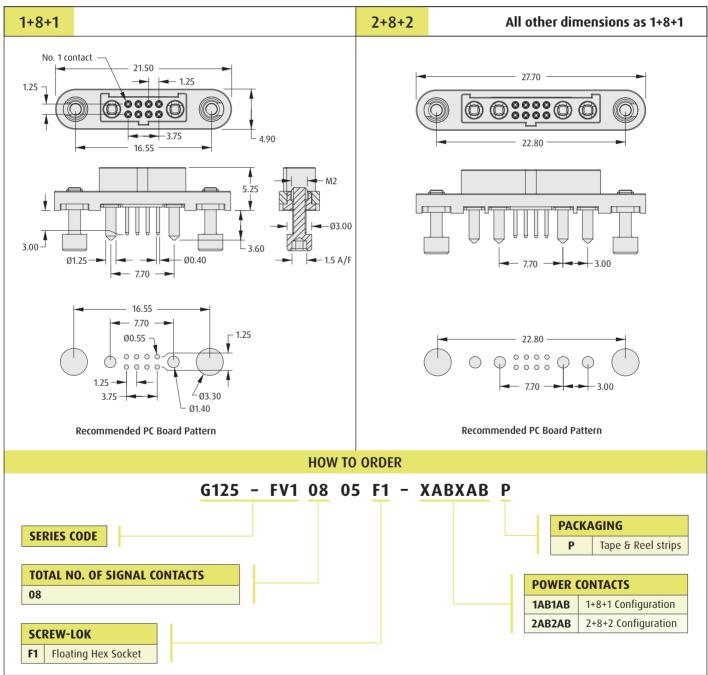




## Female Vertical Throughboard

- **▶** 2A current rating for signal contacts, 10A for power contacts.
- ➤ Stainless steel floating screw fixing to mate with internal screw-loks on male connectors.
- **♣** 4-finger Beryllium Copper contact design on both signal and power contacts.
- ▶ Positive keyway polarization.





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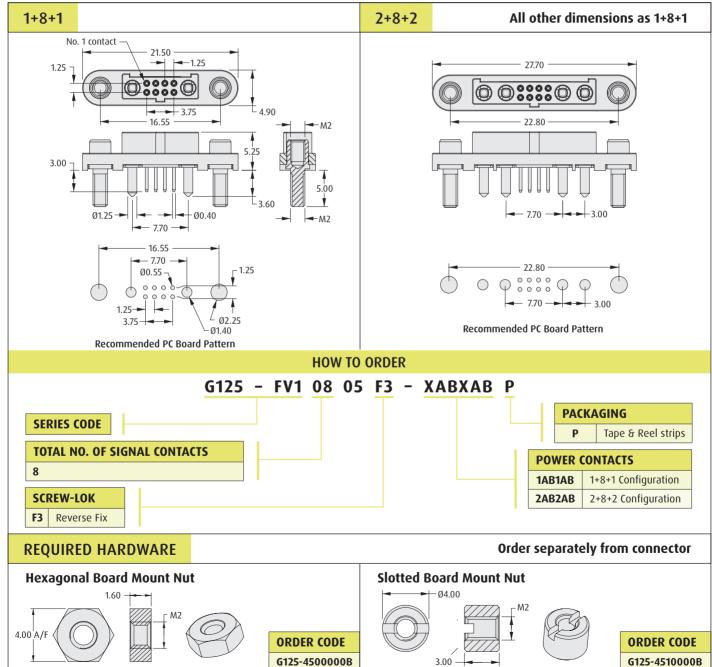


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## Female Vertical Throughboard - Reverse Fix

- ➤ Reverse fix screw-lok suitable for board-to-cable applications, where the female connector is located on the PCB.
- **▶** 2A current rating for signal contacts, 10A for power contacts.
- ♣ 4-finger Beryllium Copper contact design on both signal and power contacts.
- ➤ Order nuts for board-mount separately see bottom of page for choice of nut type.





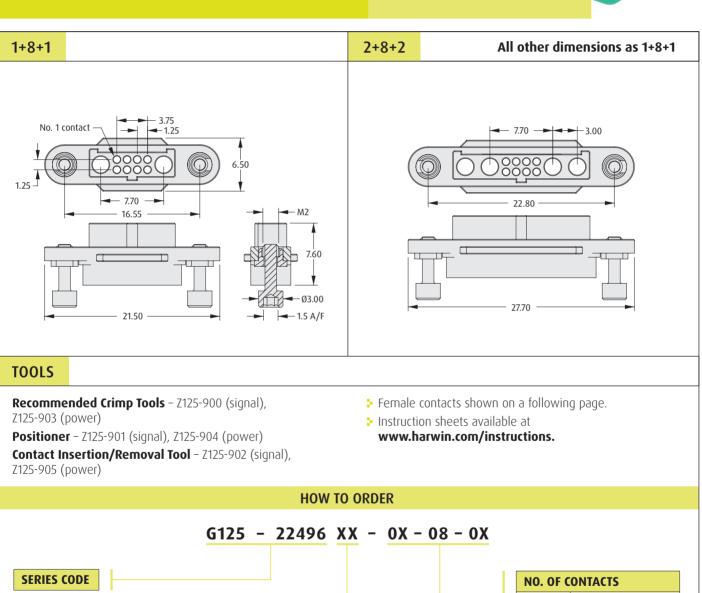
All dimensions in mm.



## **Female Cable Housings**

- ➤ Features potting wall for backpotting to give extra security.
- ▶ No. 1 position identified on housing.
- ➤ Stainless steel floating screw fixing to mate with internal screw-loks on male connectors.
- Available without fixing screws, for use with metal backshells.





All dimensions in mm.

Floating Hex Socket

No Fixings (Use with Metal Hoods)

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1+8+1 Configuration

2+8+2 Configuration

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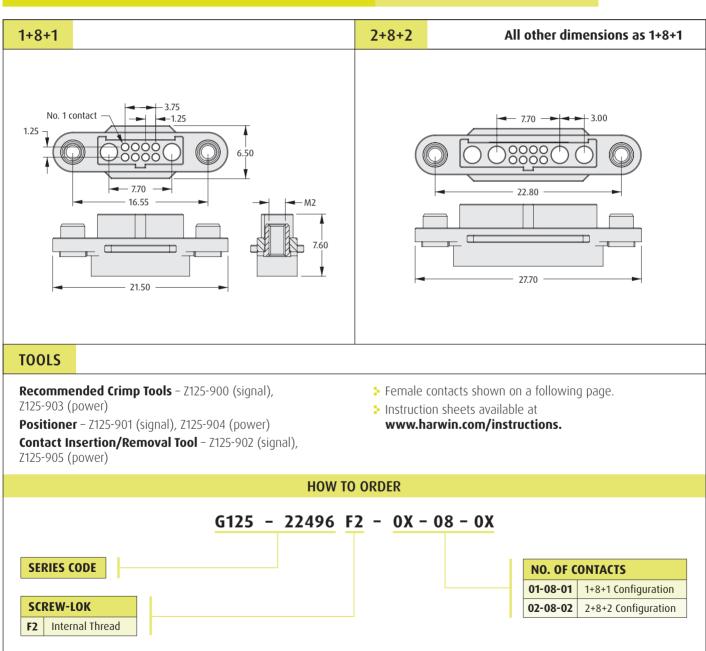
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**SCREW-LOK** 

## Female Cable Housings - Reverse Fix

- ➤ Reverse fix screw-lok, where the male connector has the floating screw.
- Features potting wall for backpotting to give extra security.
- ▶ No. 1 position identified on housing.

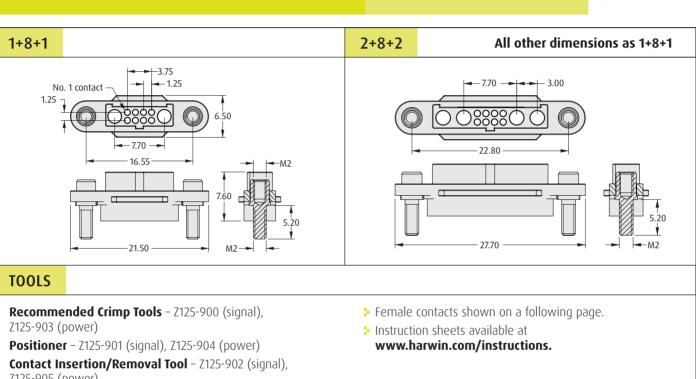




## Female Cable Housings - Reverse Fix Panel Mount

- ♣ Reverse fix screw-lok, where the male connector has the floating screw.
- Features potting wall for backpotting to give extra security.
- ▶ No. 1 position identified on housing.
- ▶ Order nuts for panel mount separately see bottom of page.





### Z125-905 (power)

HOW TO ORDER

G125 - 22496 F3 - 0X - 08 - 0X

SCREW-LOK
F3 With 5.2mm Panel Mount stud

	NO. OF CONTACTS		
	01-08-01	1+8+1 Configuration	
	02-08-02	2+8+2 Configuration	

### REQUIRED HARDWARE

#### Order separately from connector

# Hexagonal Board Mount Nut 1.60 ORDER CODE G125-4500000B

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**Slotted Board Mount Nut** 

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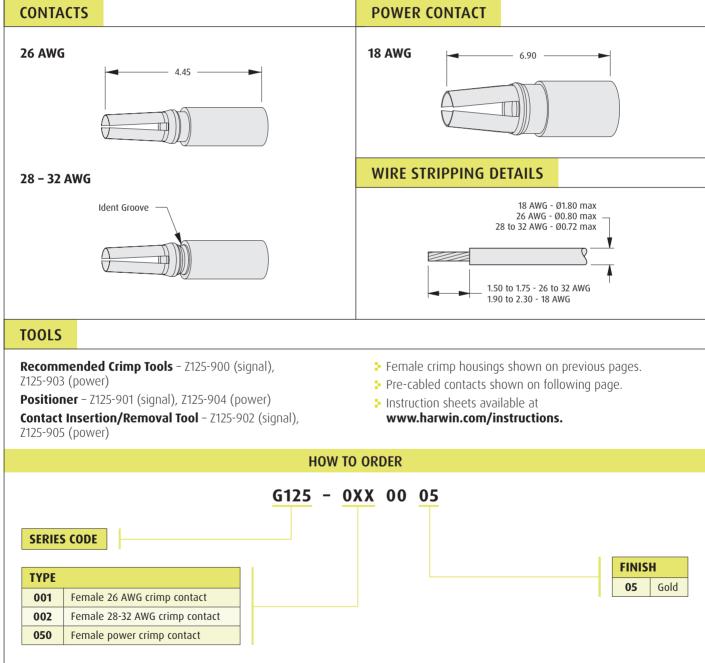
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## **Female Crimp Contacts**

- **▶** 4-finger Beryllium Copper contact design on both signal and power contacts.
- **▶** Crimp barrel meets all crimp guidelines and standards.
- **▶** Instruction video online at www.harwin.com/harwintv.



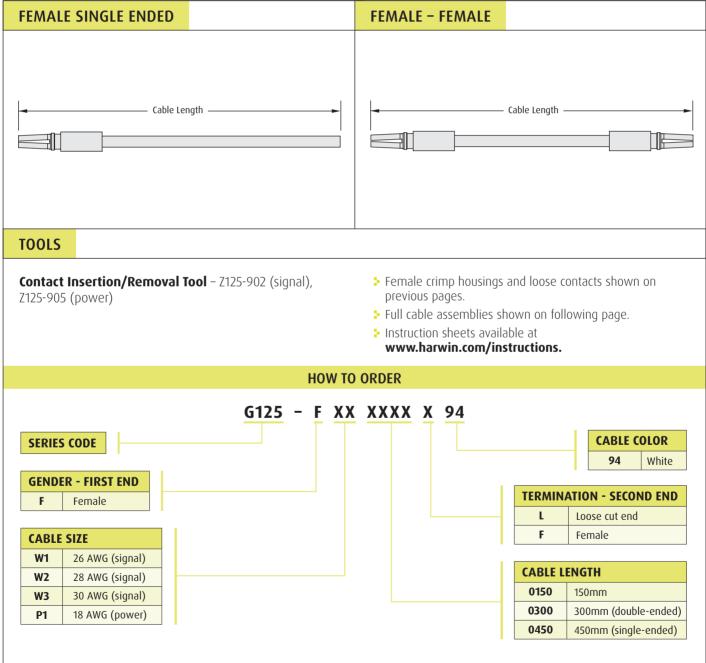


All dimensions in mm.

## Female Crimp Contacts - Pre-Crimped Wires

- ♣ 4-finger Beryllium Copper contact.
- Ready for assembling to housing.
- ▶ Crimp barrel meets all crimp guidelines and standards.





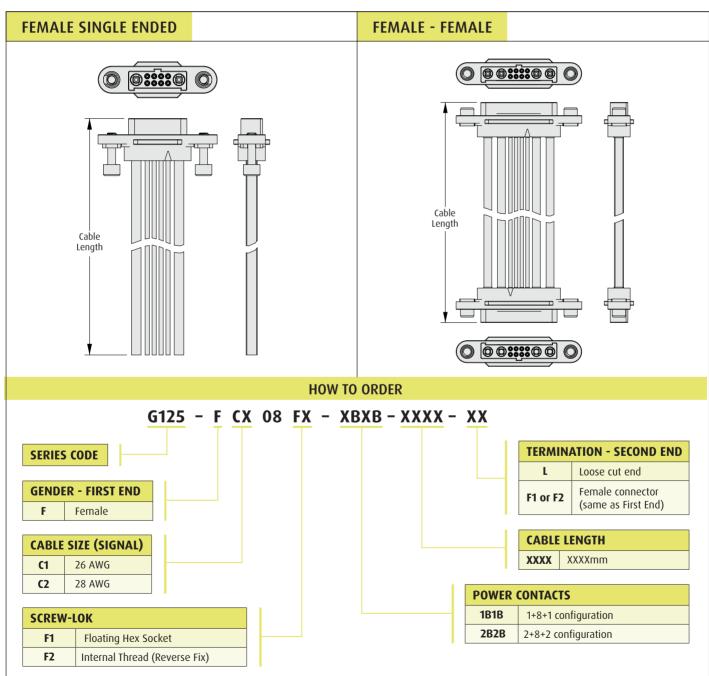
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#### **Female Cable Assemblies**

- ♣ Ready-made cable assemblies, backpotted for added strain relief.
- ♣ 4-finger Beryllium Copper contacts.
- No. 1 position identified on housing.
- Constructed with Contact 1 to Contact 1, Contact A to Contact A, etc.



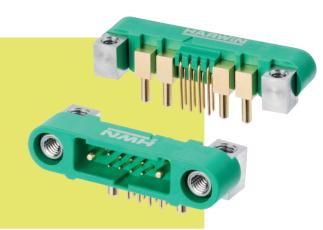


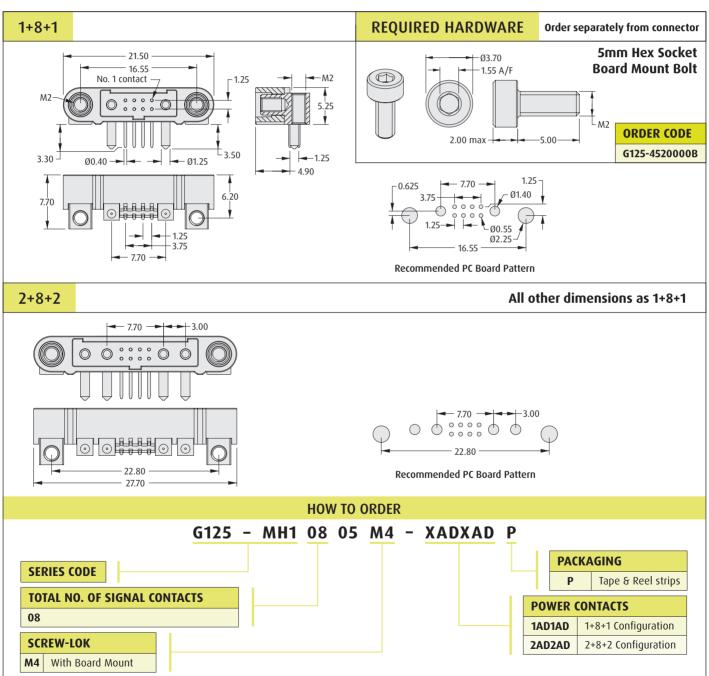
All dimensions in mm.



## Male Horizontal Throughboard

- **▶** 2A current rating for signal contacts, 10A for power contacts.
- ▶ Polarized housing with 3 keyways.
- ➤ Stainless steel screw fixing to mate with floating screw-loks on female connectors, also with board mount thread.
- Order bolts for board-mount separately.
- If mating to a female cable connector, ensure the front face of this connector is level to the PCB edge, or over. Check Technical Drawing for details.

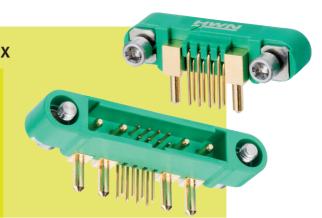


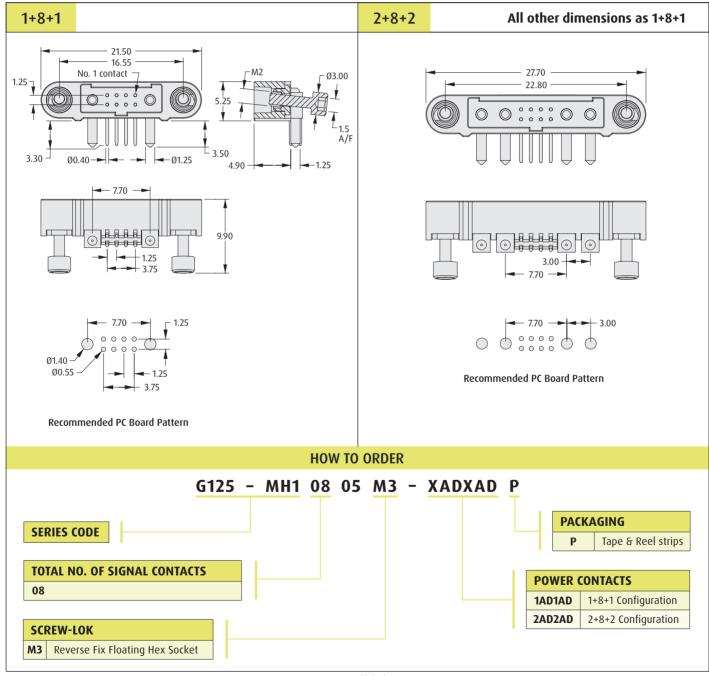


All dimensions in mm.

## Male Horizontal Throughboard – Reverse Fix

- ♣ Reverse fix screw-lok, where the male connector has the floating screw.
- **▶** 2A current rating for signal contacts, 10A for power contacts.
- ▶ Polarized housing with 3 keyways.
- ▶ If mating to a female cable connector, ensure the front face of this connector is level to the PCB edge, or over. Check Technical Drawing for details.

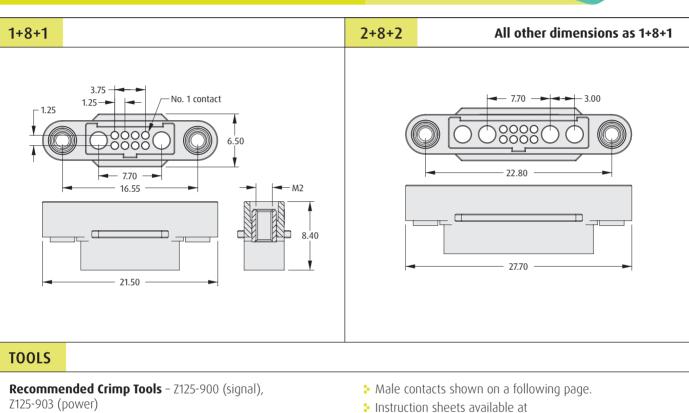




## **Male Cable Housings**

- ➤ Features potting wall for backpotting to give extra security.
- No. 1 position identified on housing.
- Stainless steel screw fixing to mate with floating screw-loks on female connectors.
- Compatible with metal backshells.





#### **HOW TO ORDER**

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All dimensions in mm.

**Positioner** – Z125-901 (signal), Z125-904 (power)

Contact Insertion/Removal Tool - Z125-902 (signal),

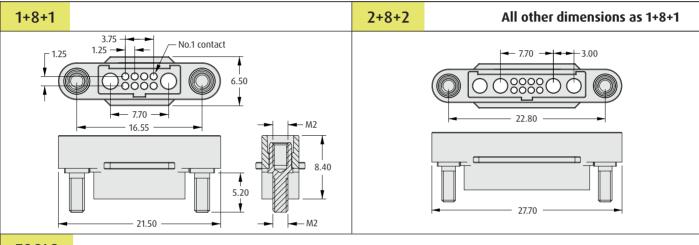


Z125-905 (power)

## Male Cable Housings - Panel Mount

- Features potting wall for backpotting to give extra security.
- ▶ No. 1 position identified on housing.
- Stainless steel screw fixing to mate with floating screw-loks on female connectors.
- Order nuts for panel mount separately see bottom of page.





#### **TOOLS**

Recommended Crimp Tools - Z125-900 (signal),

Z125-903 (power)

**Positioner** – Z125-901 (signal), Z125-904 (power)

Contact Insertion/Removal Tool - Z125-902 (signal),

Z125-905 (power)

- ► Male contacts shown on a following page.
- Instruction sheets available at www.harwin.com/instructions.

#### **HOW TO ORDER**

G125 - 32496 M2 - 0X - 08 - 0X

**SERIES CODE** 

SCREW-LOK

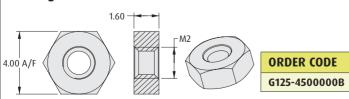
M2 With 5.2mm Panel Mount stud

NO. OF CONTACTS		
01-08-01	1+8+1 Configuration	
02-09-02	2.9.2 Configuration	

#### **REQUIRED HARDWARE**

Order separately from connector

#### **Hexagonal Board Mount Nut**



# Ø4.00

**Slotted Board Mount Nut** 

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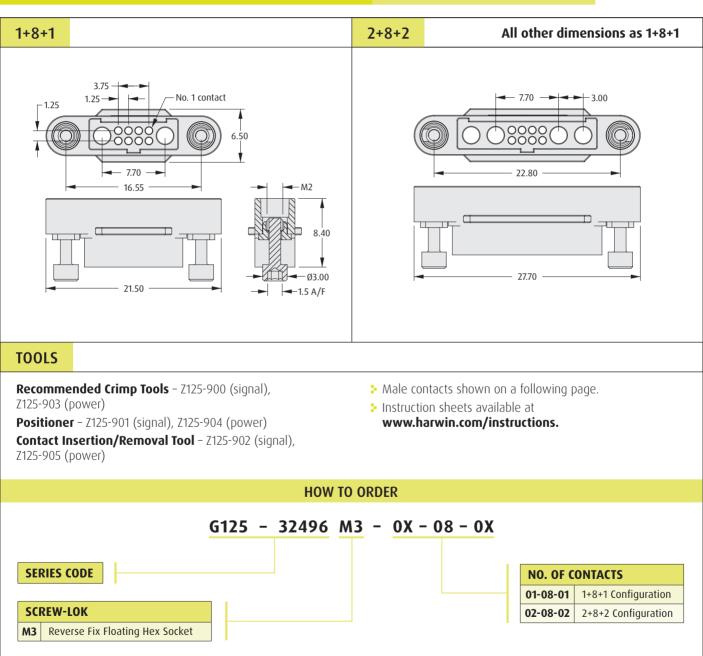
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## Male Cable Housings - Reverse Fix

- Reverse fix floating screw-lok suitable for board-to-cable applications, where the female connector is located on the PCR
- Features potting wall for backpotting to give extra security.
- ▶ No. 1 position identified on housing.



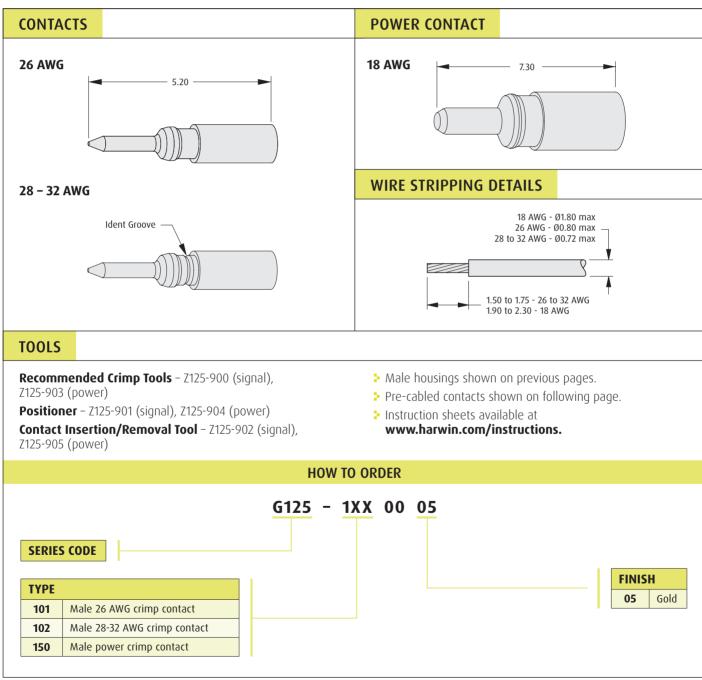




## **Male Crimp Contacts**

- Crimp barrel meets all crimp guidelines and standards.
- ► Instruction video online at www.harwin.com/harwintv.



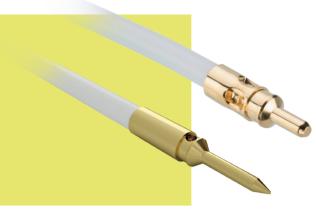


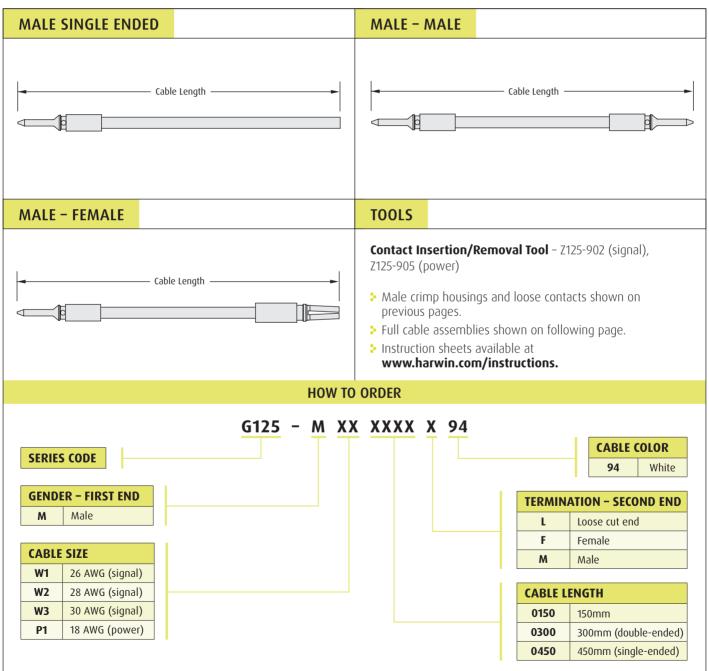
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## Male Crimp Contacts - Pre-Crimped Wires

- Ready for assembling to housing.
- Crimp barrel meets all crimp guidelines and standards.





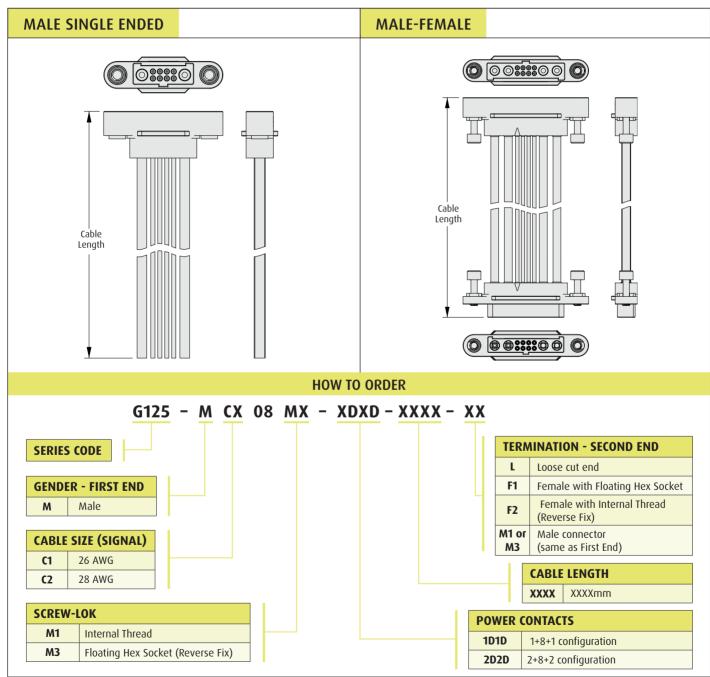
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#### Male Cable Assemblies

- Ready-made cable assemblies, backpotted for added strain relief.
- ♣ 4-finger Beryllium Copper contacts.
- ▶ No. 1 position identified on housing.
- ➤ Constructed with Contact 1 to Contact 1, Contact A to Contact A, etc.
- ► Male-to-male cable length (not shown) is measured in the same style as male-to-female.





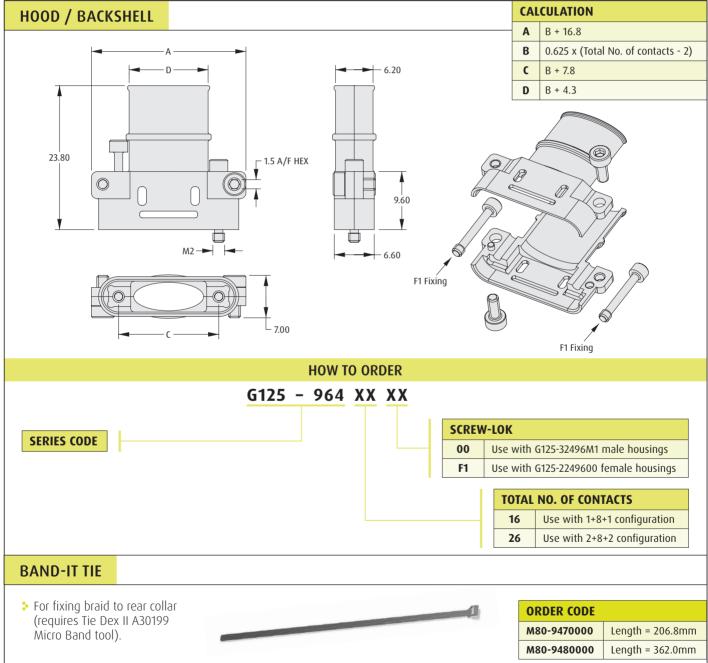
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## Metal Hood / Backshell - Cable

- ➤ Supplied as a kit includes 2 metal hood halves, and short screws & nuts to join the two hood halves together (nuts not illustrated).
- **▶** Use 00 fixing kit on male housings G125-32496M1-xx-08-xx for standard gender fixings.
- ► F1 kit includes extended fixing screws use with female housings G125-2249600-xx-08-xx.
- ➤ Tie-band can be used to attach external braid, to construct a shielded cable assembly.





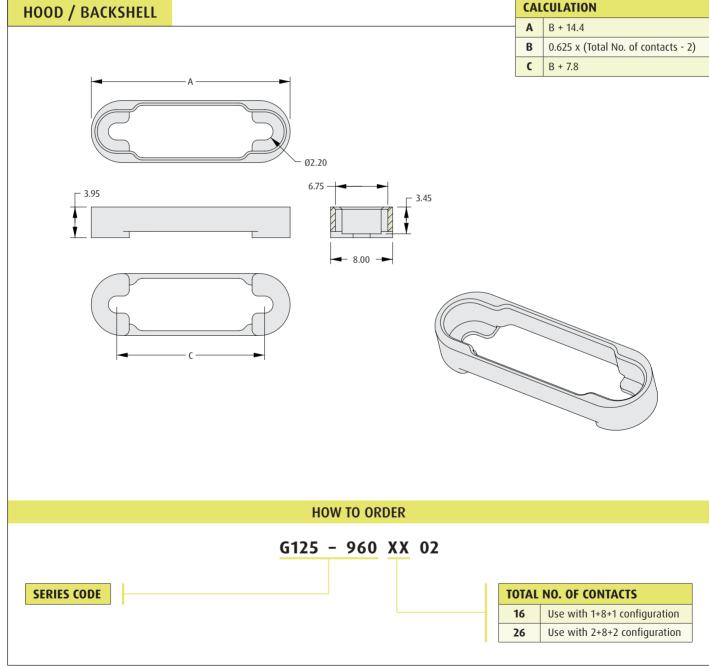
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## Metal Hood / Backshell - Board Mount or Panel Mount

- Use with G125-FV10805F3-xABxAB connectors in a PCB mounted application.
- **▶** Use with G125-22496F3-xx-08-xx housings for a panel mount application.







# **Gecko-SL Specifications**

#### Materials

Housings: Glass-filled High Temperature Thermoplastic UL94V-0

Female contacts: Beryllium Copper

Male contacts

PCB Connector: Phosphor Bronze

Crimp: Brass

Finish: 0.2 – 0.3μm (8 – 12μ") Gold,

over 1.5 - 2.0µm (60 - 80µ") Nickel

Screw-Loks: Stainless Steel

#### : Electrical

Current

Individual contacts in isolation: 2.8A max (At 25°C) All contacts simultaneously: 2.0A max (At 25°C)

Working voltage

At sea level 1006 mbar: 450V DC or AC peak At altitude 44 mbar: 250V DC or AC peak

Voltage proof

At sea level 1013 mbar: 600V DC or AC peak

Contact resistance

 $\begin{array}{ll} \text{Initial:} & 20\text{m}\Omega \text{ max} \\ \text{After conditioning:} & 25\text{m}\Omega \text{ max} \end{array}$ 

Insulation resistance

Initial:  $10G\Omega$  min at 500V DC After conditioning:  $>1G\Omega$  min at 500V DC

#### → Mechanical

Contact durability: 1000 operations

Mating forces (per contact pair)

Insertion force: 2.8N max Withdrawal force: 0.2N min

Contact retention in housing: 6N min

#### Environmental

\*Bump severity:

**Environmental classification:** 65/150/56 days at 93% RH

Operating temperature: -65°C to +150°C

\*Vibration sensitivity: 10Hz to 2000Hz, 1.5mm,

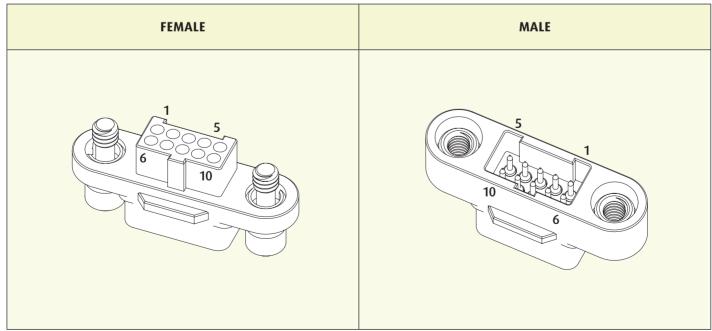
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\*Acceleration severity: 490m/s² (50G)

\* Tested with latched connectors.

# Pin Numbering





# **Gecko-SL Mating Profiles**

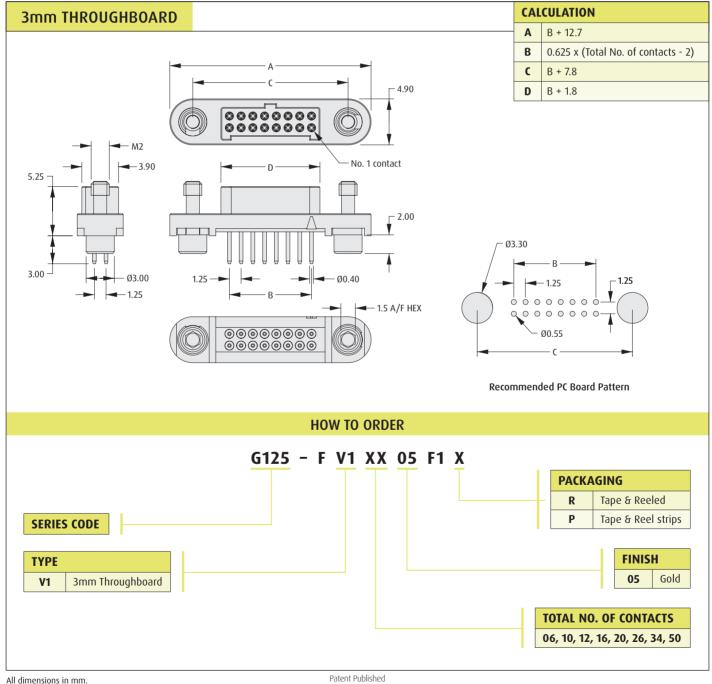
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		VERTICAL THROUGHBOARD	VERTICAL SMT	CABLE	
MALE	VERTICAL THROUGH- BOARD	7.15	7.25	9.80 max	
	HORIZONTAL THROUGH- BOARD	Standard Reverse Fix	Standard Reverse Fix	Standard Reverse Fix	
	VERTICAL SMT	7.23	7.30	9.95 max	
	CABLE	10.90 max	11.05 max	13.38 max	

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## Female Throughboard

- ♣ 4-finger Beryllium Copper contact.
- Stainless steel screw fixing to mate with applicable male connector.
- ♣ Positive keyway polarization features.
- **▶** 2A current capacity, resists high vibration and shock.
- **▶** Withstands extremes of temperature: -65°C to +150°C.

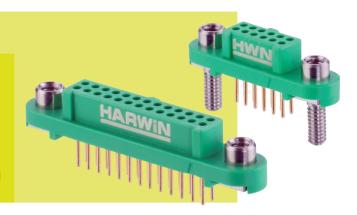


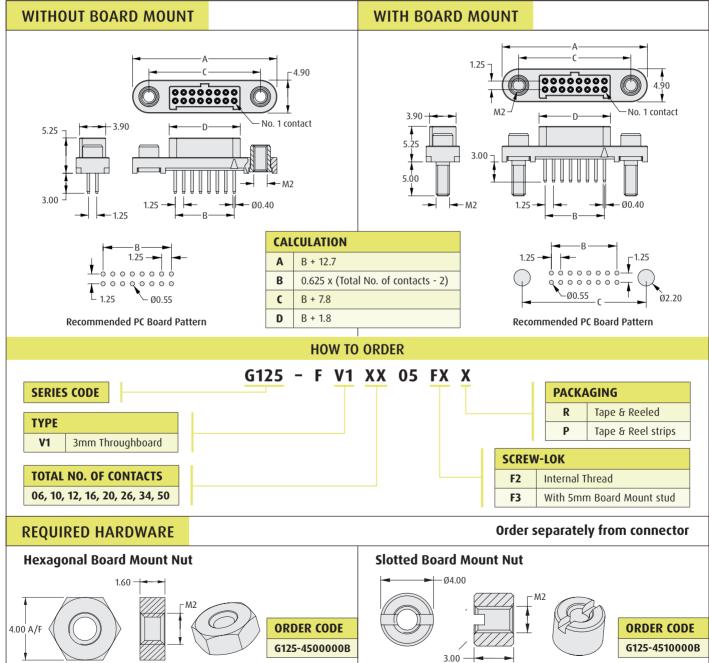




## Female Throughboard - Reverse Fix

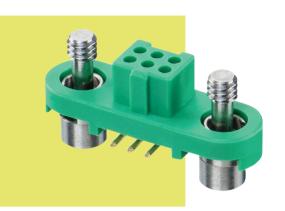
- ♣ 4-finger Beryllium Copper contact.
- **▶** Stainless steel screw fixing to mate with applicable male
- **♣** Reverse fix screw-lok suitable for board-to-cable applications. where the female connector is located on the PCB.
- Order nuts for board-mount separately see bottom of page.
- F3 Screw-Lok is compatible with board mount metal backshell G125-960 range.

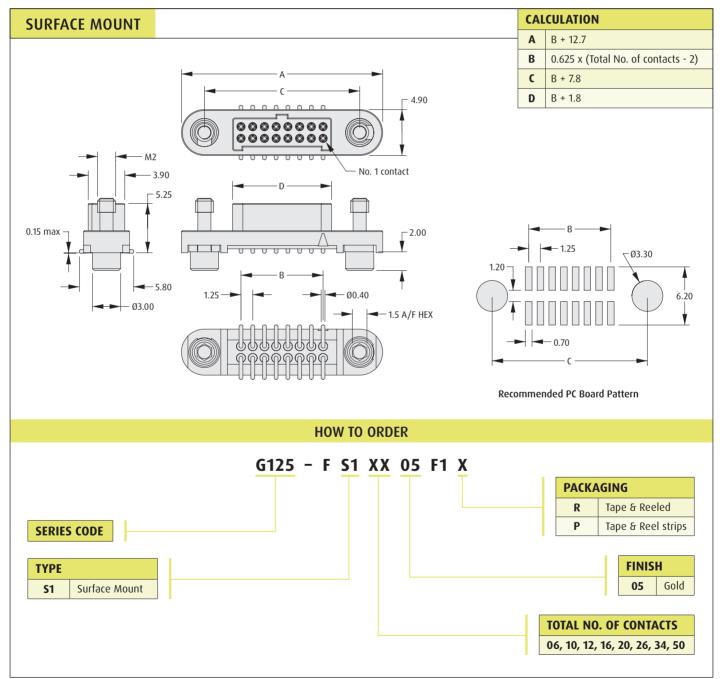




#### **Female Surface Mount**

- ♣ 4-finger Beryllium Copper contact.
- Stainless steel screw fixing to mate with applicable male connector.
- ▶ Positive keyway polarization features.
- **▶** 2A current capacity, resists high vibration and shock.
- ▶ Withstands extremes of temperature: -65°C to +150°C.
- ♣ Available in Tape and Reel Packaging, with Pick and Place cap.

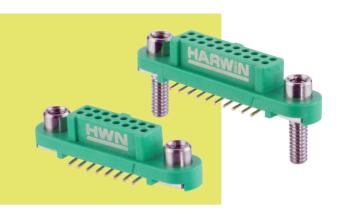


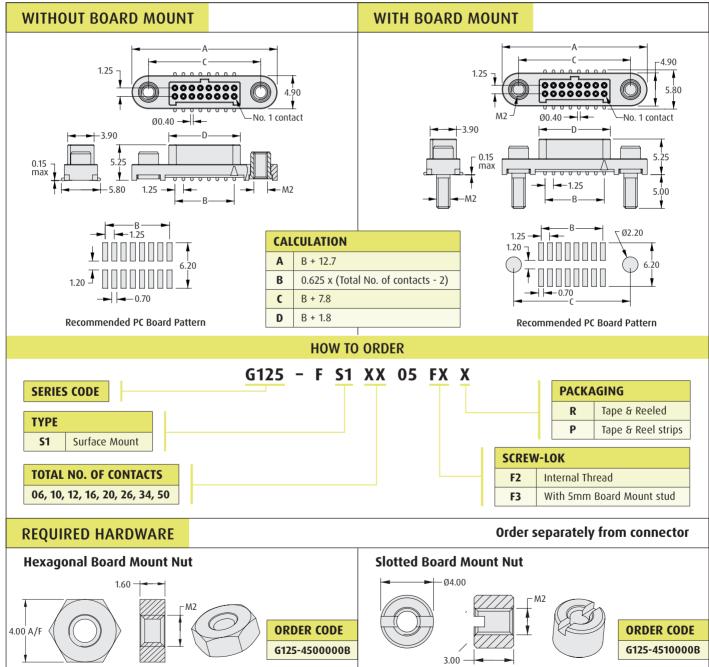




#### Female Surface Mount - Reverse Fix

- Stainless steel screw fixing to mate with applicable male connector.
- ➤ Reverse fix screw-lok suitable for board-to-cable applications, where the female connector is located on the PCB.
- Order nuts for board-mount separately see bottom of page.
- ▶ Available in Tape and Reel Packaging, with Pick and Place cap.



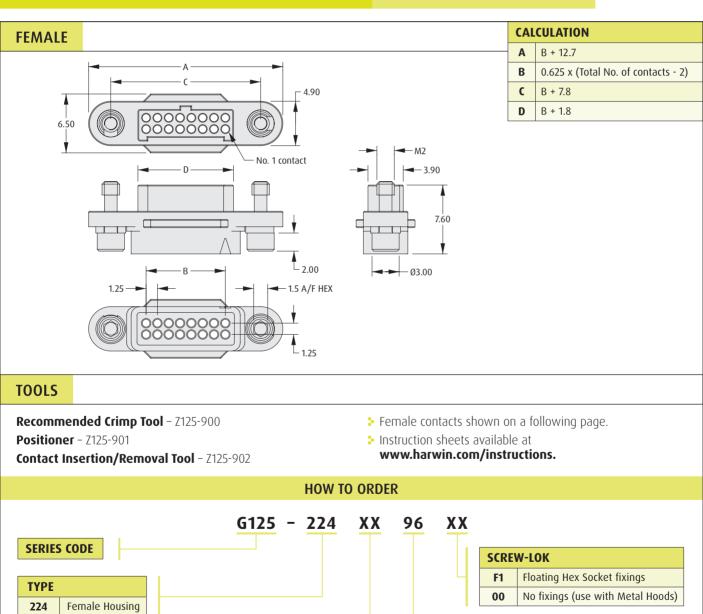




## **Female Crimp Housings**

- Features 2.5mm potting wall for extra security.
- ▶ No. 1 position identified on housing.
- **▶** 3 polarizing points on each housing prevent mis-mating.
- ▶ Use 00 Screw-Lok version (without fixings) with G125-964xxF1 metal hood / backshell, shown on a following page.





All dimensions in mm.

**TOTAL NO. OF CONTACTS** 

06, 10, 12, 16, 20, 26, 34, 50

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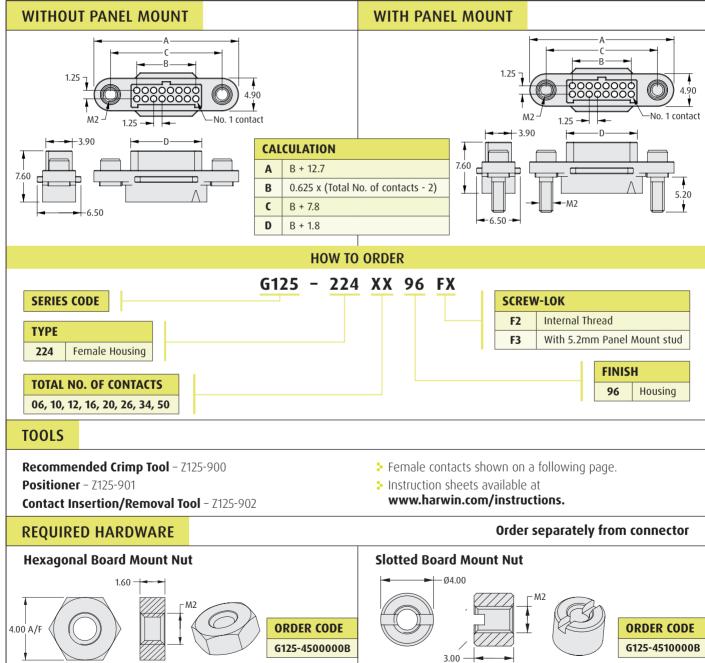
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Housing

## Female Crimp Housings - Reverse Fix

- Features 2.5mm potting wall for extra security.
- ► F3 Screw-Lok is compatible with panel mount metal backshell G125-960 range.
- Stainless steel screw fixing mates to applicable male connector fitted with floating screw-loks.
- Order nuts for panel mount separately see bottom of page.

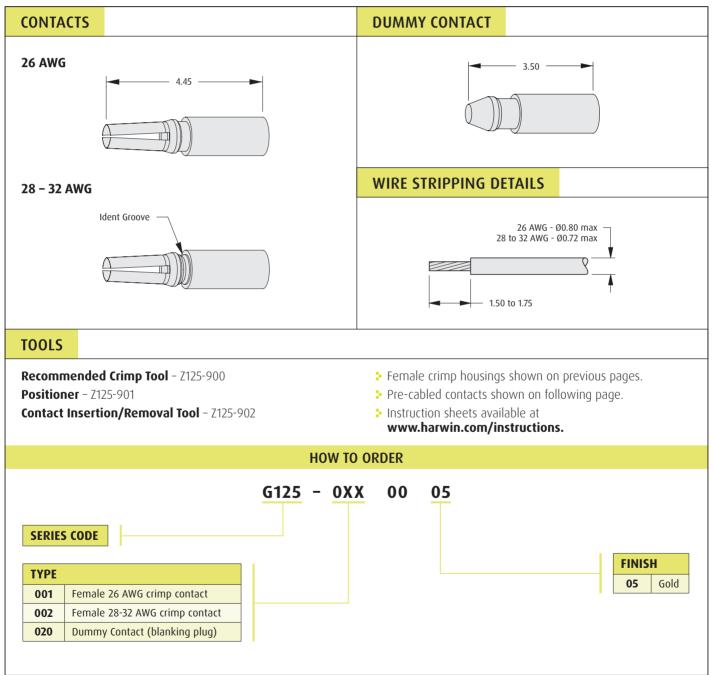




### Female Crimp Contacts, Dummy Contact

- ♣ 4-finger Beryllium Copper contact on a female connector.
- Crimp barrel meets all crimp guidelines and standards.
- **▶** 2A current capacity, resists high vibration and shock.
- ▶ Withstands extremes of temperature: -65°C to +150°C.
- **▶** Instruction video online at www.harwin.com/harwintv.
- ▶ Dummy Contact can be used for additional polarization of keying of multiple connectors. Also called Blanking Plug.



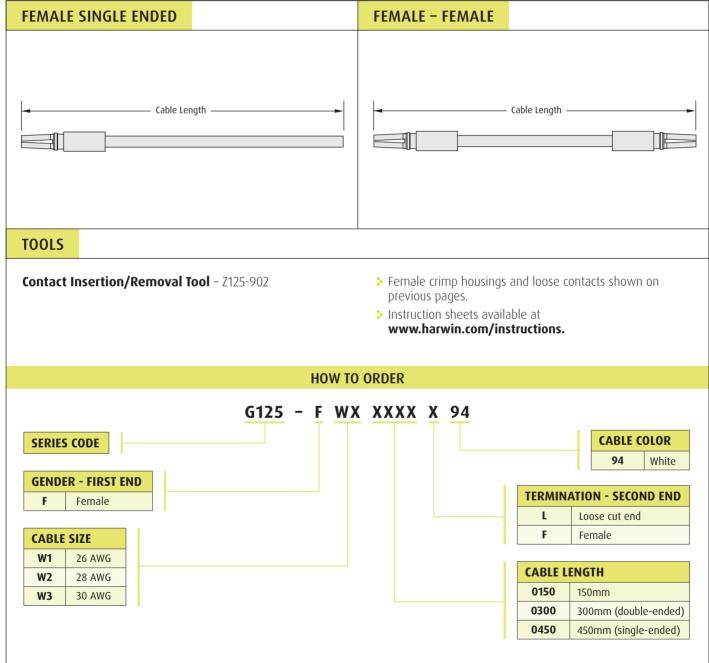


All dimensions in mm.

## Female Crimp Contacts – Pre-Crimped Wires

- ♣ 4-finger Beryllium Copper contact.
- ▶ Ready for assembling to housing.
- Crimp barrel meets all crimp guidelines and standards.
- ▶ 2A current capacity, resists high vibration and shock.
- ▶ Withstands extremes of temperature: -65°C to +150°C.







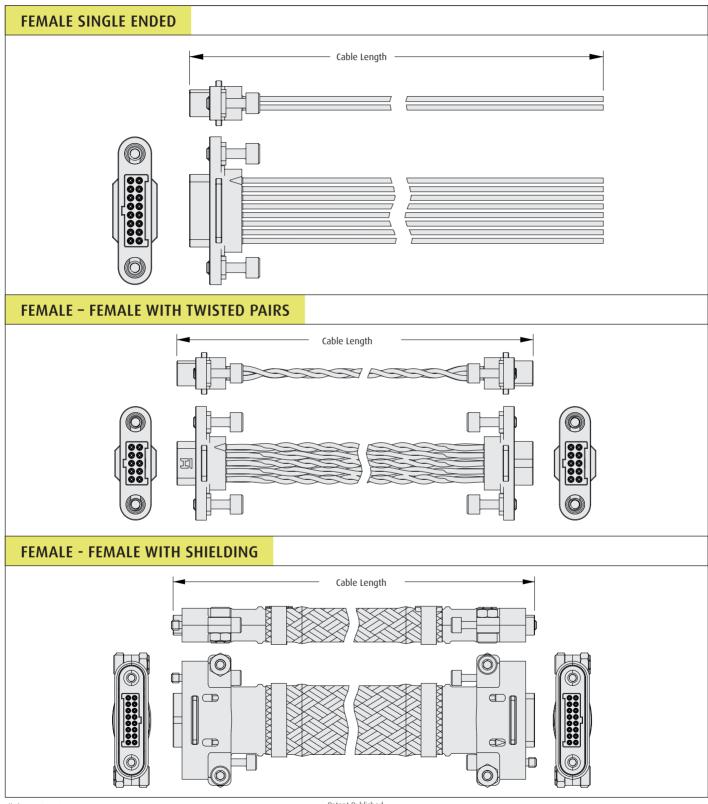
#### **Female Cable Assemblies**

- ♣ 4-finger Beryllium Copper contact.
- ▶ No.1 position identified on housing.
- Stainless steel screw fixing to mate with applicable male connector.
- Back potted for added strain relief.
- Check website or Ask an Expert for available combinations.



#### PART NUMBERING SYSTEM **G125 - F X X XX XX FX - XXXX XX SERIES CODE TERMINATION - SECOND END** Loose cut end F0, F1, Female connector **GENDER - FIRST END** (same as First End) F2 or F3 Female **CABLE LENGTH CABLE STYLE** 0150 150mm Standard Cables 300mm (double-ended) 0300 Twisted Pairs 0450 450mm (single-ended) XXXX XXXXmm **CABLE SIZE** 26 AWG **SCREW-LOK** 28 AWG No fixings (use with Metal Hoods) F1 Floating Hex Socket fixings Internal Thread (reverse fix) **TOTAL NO. OF CONTACTS** 06, 10, 12, 16, 20, 26, 34, 50 With 5.2mm panel mount stud F3 (reverse fix) **CABLE COLOR / BRAID** White cable Multicolor cable (single-ended) Shielded assembly (with metal backshells & braid)

- **Examples** of available cable assembly options see previous page for part numbering.
- Cable assemblies are constructed with Contact 1 attached to Contact 1, Contact 2 to Contact 2, etc.
- Twisted Pairs are 2 twists per inch and 3 twists per inch, alternated along the connector.



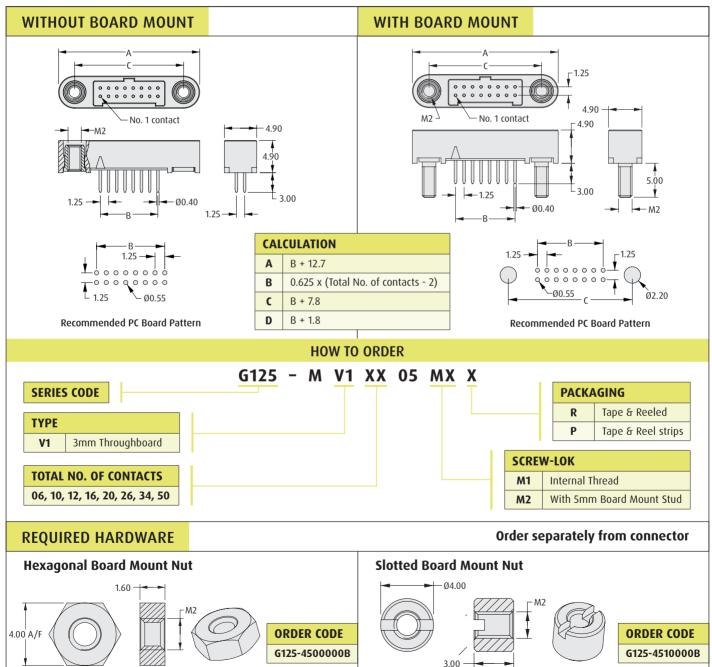
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## Male Vertical Throughboard

- Stainless steel screw fixing to mate with applicable female connector.
- Order nuts for board-mount separately see bottom of page.
- **▶** 2A current capacity, resists high vibration and shock.
- ➤ Withstands extremes of temperature: -65°C to +150°C.

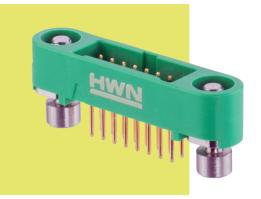


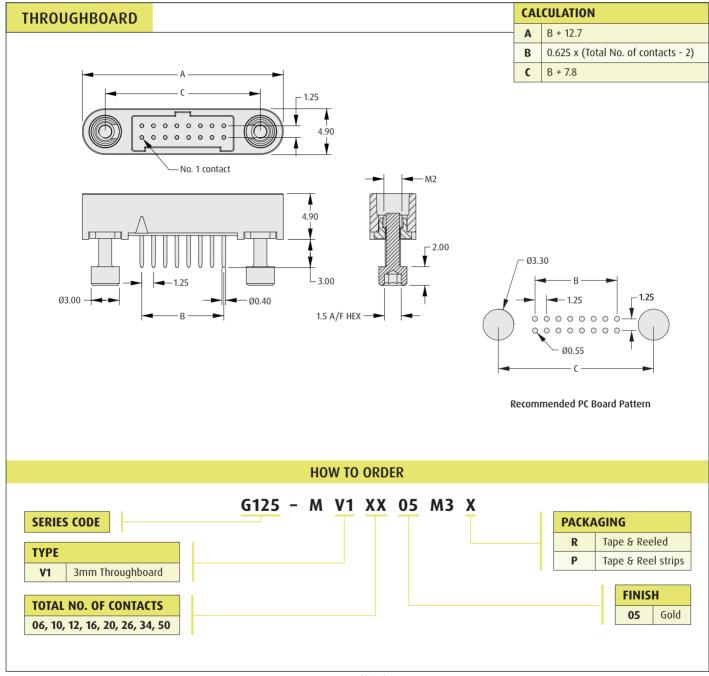


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### Male Vertical Throughboard - Reverse Fix

- Stainless steel screw fixing to mate with applicable female connector.
- ▶ No. 1 position identified on housing.



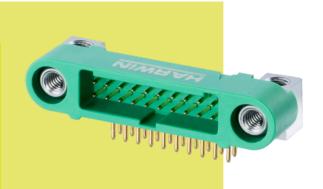


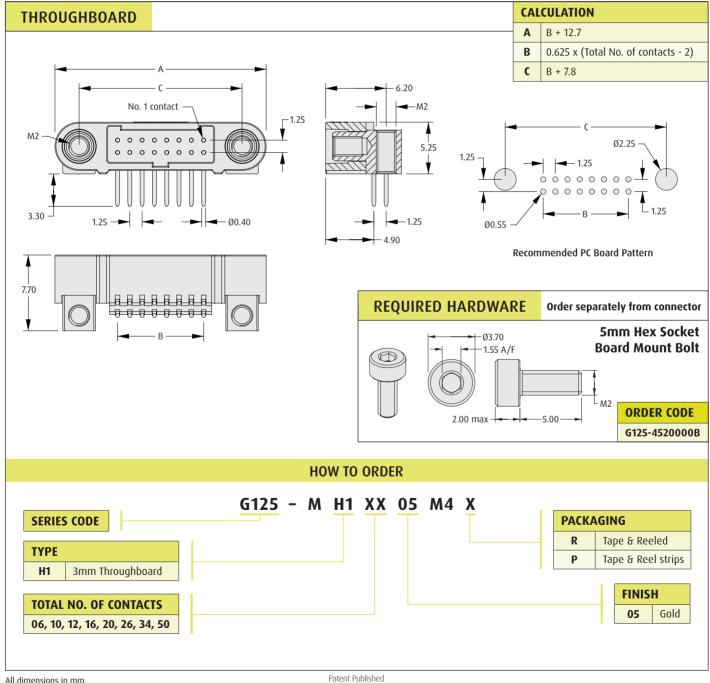
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### Male Horizontal Throughboard

- Stainless steel screw fixing to mate with floating screw-loks on female connectors, also with board mount thread.
- Order bolts for board-mount separately.
- If mating to a female cable connector, ensure the front face of this connector is level to the PCB edge, or over. Check Technical Drawing for details.



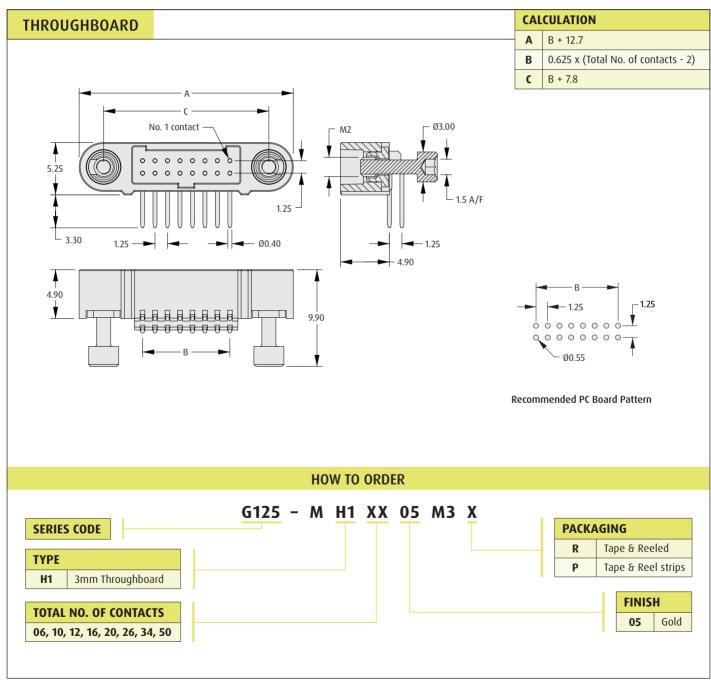


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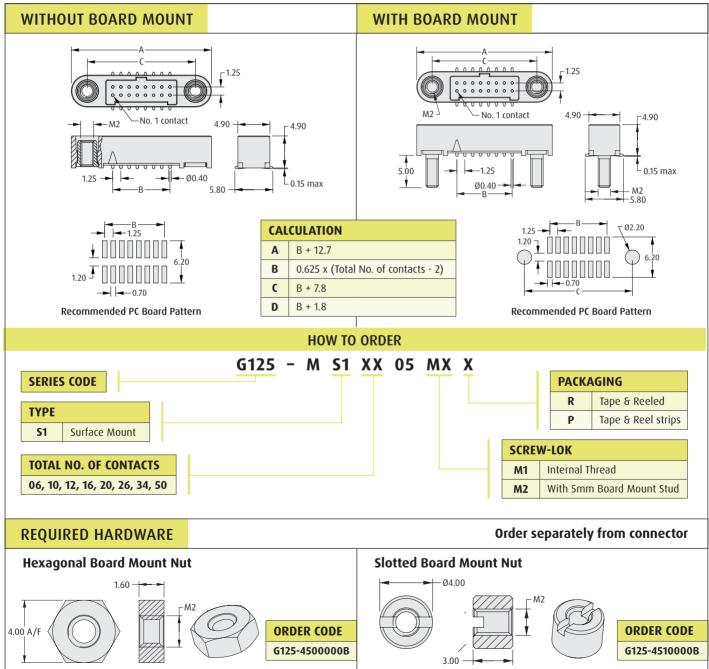
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#### Male Vertical Surface Mount

- Stainless steel screw fixing to mate with applicable female connector.
- Order nuts for board-mount separately see bottom of page.
- **▶** 2A current capacity, resists high vibration and shock.
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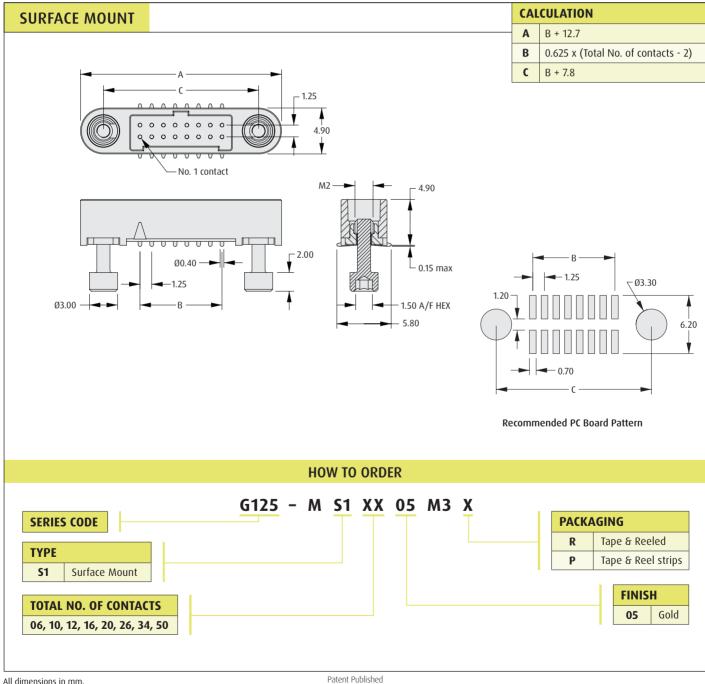




#### Male Vertical Surface Mount - Reverse Fix

- **▶** Stainless steel screw fixing to mate with applicable female connector.
- Reverse fix screw-lok suitable for board-to-cable applications, where the female connector is located on the PCB.



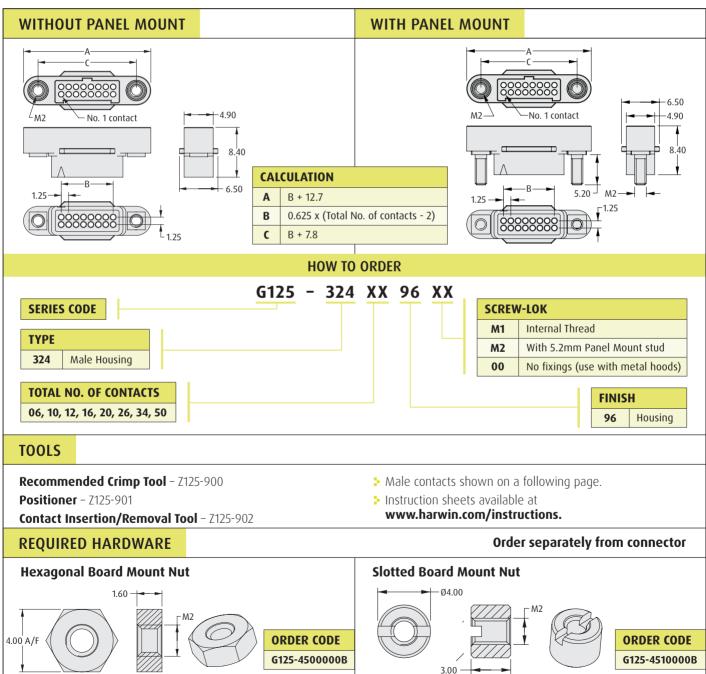


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#### **Male Crimp Housing**

- ▶ Features 2.5mm potting wall for extra security.
- No. 1 position identified on housing.
- **▶** 3 polarizing points on each housing prevent mis-mating.
- ► Housing without fixings can be used with G125-964xxF1 metal hoods / backshells for reverse fix screw-lok.
- Order nuts for panel mount separately see bottom of page.





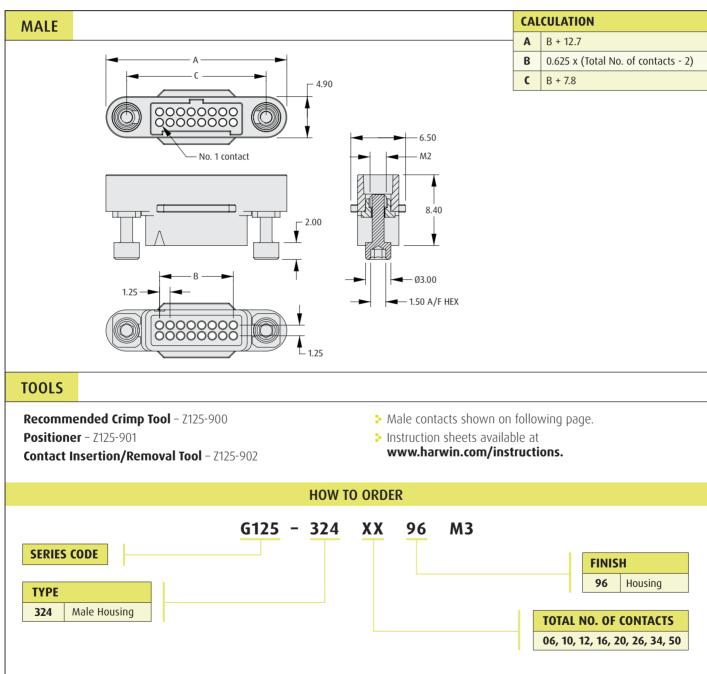
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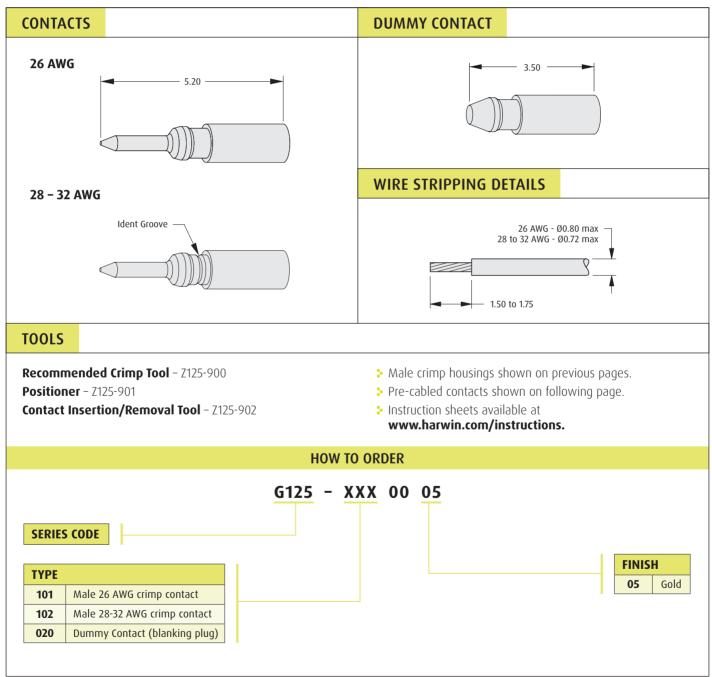




#### Male Crimp Contacts, Dummy Contact

- Crimp barrel meets all crimp guidelines and standards.
- **▶** 2A current capacity, resists high vibration and shock.
- ➤ Withstands extremes of temperature: -65°C to +150°C.
- Instruction video online at www.harwin.com/harwintv.
- ▶ Dummy Contact can be used for additional polarization of keying of multiple connectors. Also called Blanking Plug.

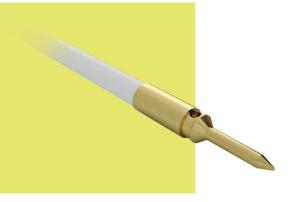


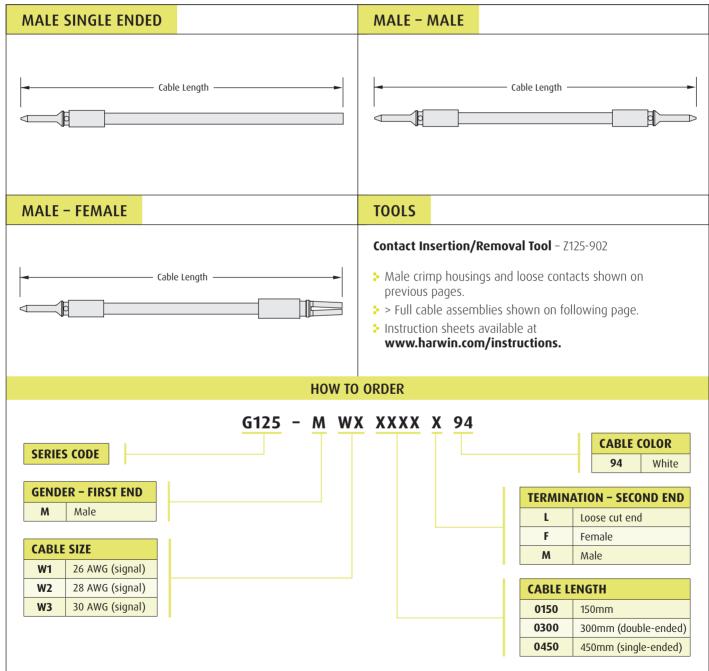


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### Male Crimp Contacts - Pre-Crimped Wires

- Ready for assembling to housing.
- **▶** Crimp barrel meets all crimp guidelines and standards.
- **▶** 2A current capacity, resists high vibration and shock.
- ▶ Withstands extremes of temperature: -65°C to +150°C.



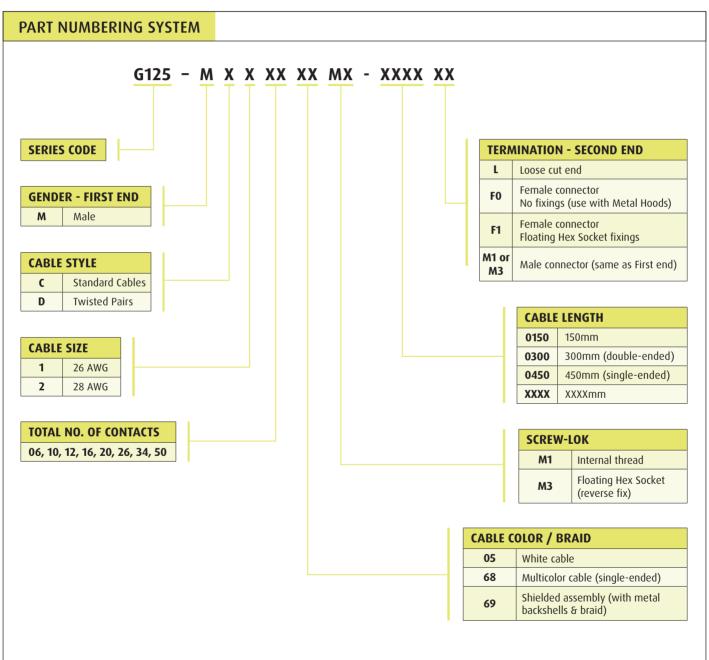




#### Male Cable Assemblies

- No. 1 position identified on housing.
- Stainless steel screw fixing to mate with applicable male connector.
- ▶ Back potted for added strain relief.
- Check website or Ask an Expert for available combinations.

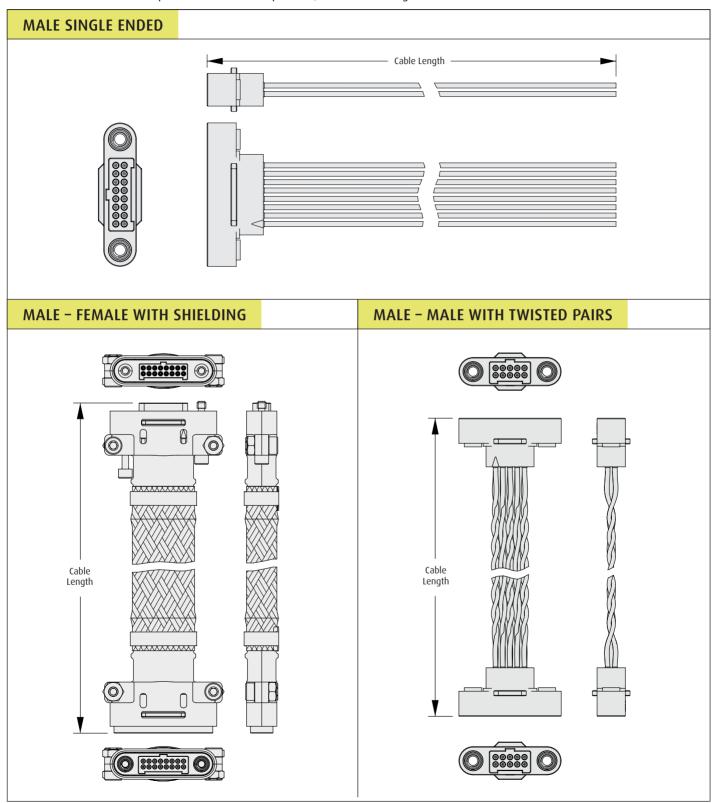




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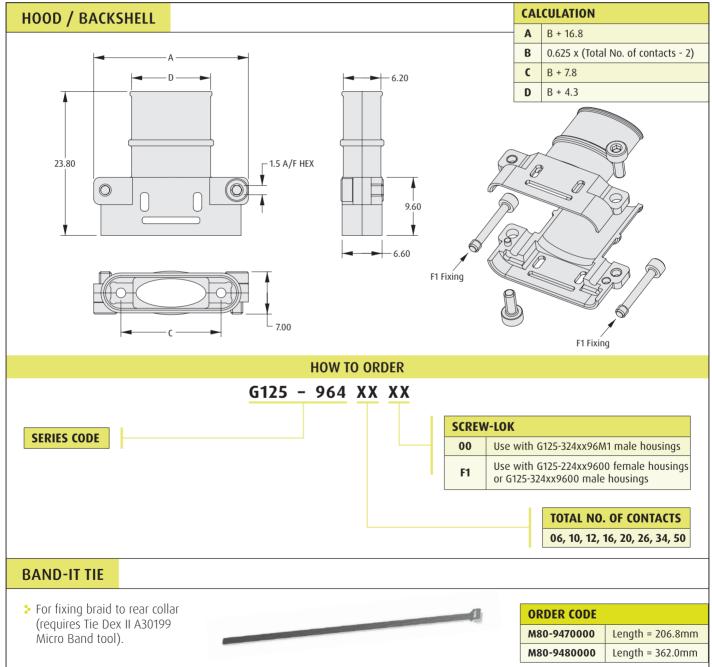
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### Metal Hood / Backshell - Cable

- ➤ Supplied as a kit includes 2 metal hood halves, and short screws & nuts to join the two hood halves together (nuts not illustrated).
- **▶** Use 00 fixing kit on male housings G125-324xx96M1 for standard gender fixings.
- ► F1 kit includes extended fixing screws use with female housings G125-224xx9600 for standard gender fixings, or G125-324xx9600 for reverse fix.





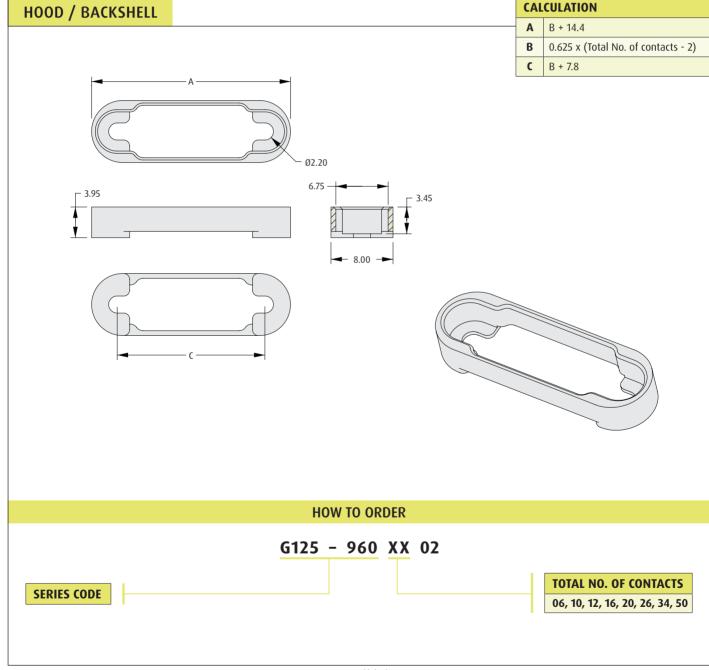
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### Metal Hood / Backshell - Board Mount or Panel Mount

- ► Use with G125-MV1xx05M2x male connectors or G125-FV1xx05F3x female connectors in a PCB mounted application.
- ► Use with G125-324xx96M2 male housings or G125-224xx96F3 female housings in a panel mount application.
- ➤ Mating connector to be fitted with metal backshell G125-964xxF1 (shown on previous page) for complete EMC shielded connection.





# **Gecko with Latches Specifications**

#### Materials

Housings: Glass-filled High Temperature Thermoplastic UL94V-0

Female contacts: Beryllium Copper

Male contacts

PCB Connector: Phosphor Bronze

Crimp: Brass

Finish:  $0.2 - 0.3 \mu m (8 - 12 \mu'') \text{ Gold,}$ 

over 1.5 - 2.0μm (60 - 80μ") Nickel

Latches: Copper Alloy

#### : Electrical

#### Current

Individual contacts in isolation: 2.8A max (At 25°C)
All contacts simultaneously: 2.0A max (At 25°C)
Flex Circuit Assembly: 0.4A max per track (At 25°C)

Working voltage

At sea level 1006 mbar: 450V DC or AC peak At altitude 44 mbar: 250V DC or AC peak

Voltage proof

At sea level 1013 mbar: 600V DC or AC peak

Contact resistance

Initial:  $20m\Omega$  max After conditioning:  $25m\Omega$  max

Insulation resistance

Initial:  $10G\Omega$  min at 500V DC After conditioning:  $>1G\Omega$  min at 500V DC

#### Mechanical

Contact durability: 1000 operations

Mating forces (per contact pair)

Insertion force: 2.8N max Withdrawal force: 0.2N min

Contact retention in housing: 6N min

#### Environmental

\*Bump severity:

**Environmental classification:** 65/150/56 days at 93% RH

Operating temperature: -65°C to +150°C

\*Vibration sensitivity: 10Hz to 2000Hz, 1.5mm,

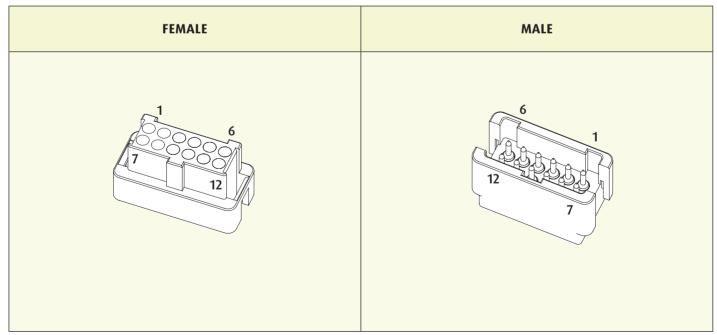
198mm/s<sup>2</sup> (20G) duration 6 hours 390m/s<sup>2</sup> (40G), 4000 ±10 bumps

\*Shock severity: 981m/s² (100G) for 6ms in Z axis 490m/s² (50G) for 11ms in X & Y axes

\*Acceleration severity: 490m/s<sup>2</sup> (50G)

\* Tested with latched connectors.

# Pin Numbering



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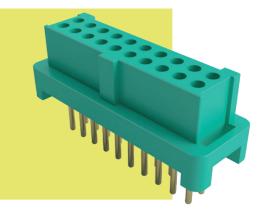
# **Gecko with Latches Mating Profiles**

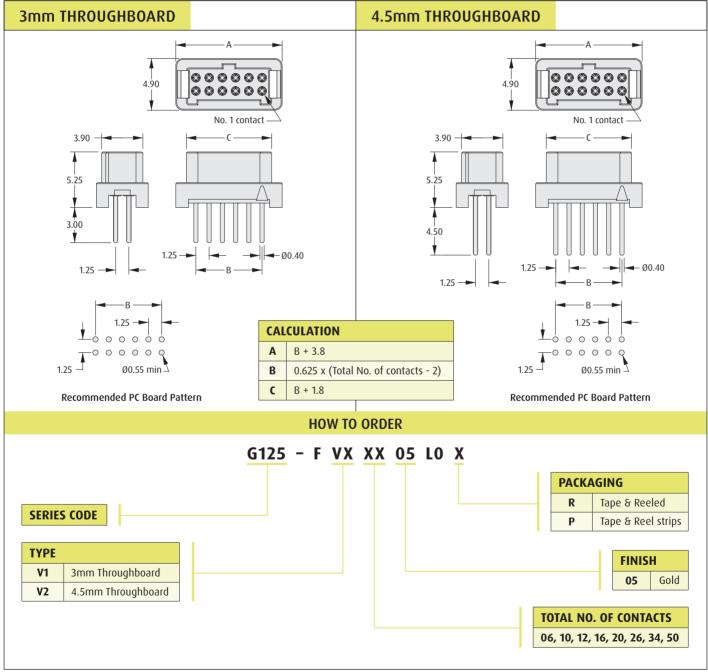
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		VERTICAL THROUGHBOARD	VERTICAL SMT	CABLE	
	VERTICAL THROUGH- BOARD	7.15	7.23	7.90 max	
MALE	HORIZONTAL THROUGH- BOARD	8.60	8.68	9.55 max	
W	VERTICAL SMT	7.23	7.31	8.05 max	
	CABLE	9.00 max	9.15 max	9.60 max	

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### Female Throughboard

- 4-finger Beryllium Copper contact.
- ▶ Positive keyway polarization features.
- ▶ 2A current capacity, resists high vibration and shock.
- ▶ Withstands extremes of temperature: -65°C to +150°C.

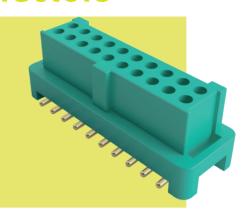


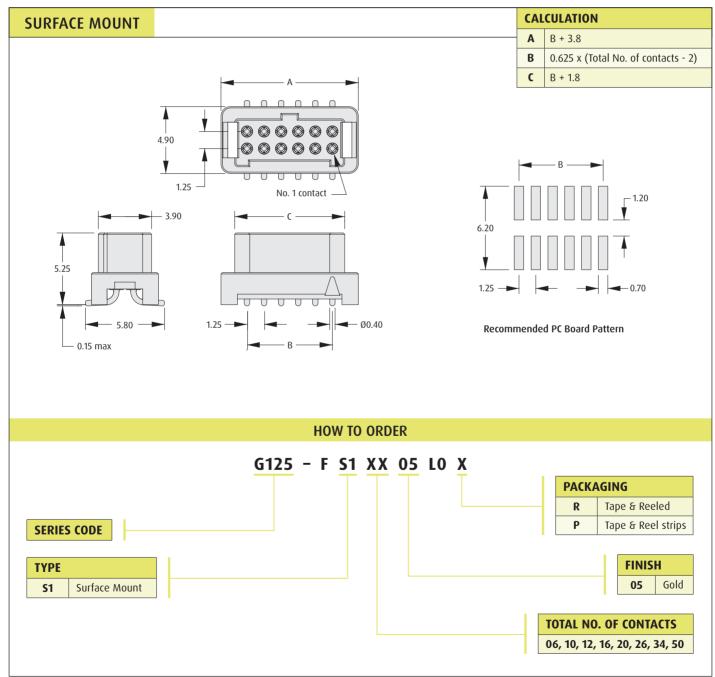




#### **Female Surface Mount**

- ♣ 4-finger Beryllium Copper contact.
- ▶ Positive keyway polarization features.
- **▶** 2A current capacity, resists high vibration and shock.
- ▶ Withstands extremes of temperature: -65°C to +150°C.
- ▶ Available in Tape and Reel Packaging, with Pick and Place cap.

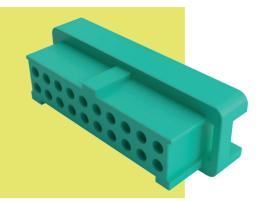


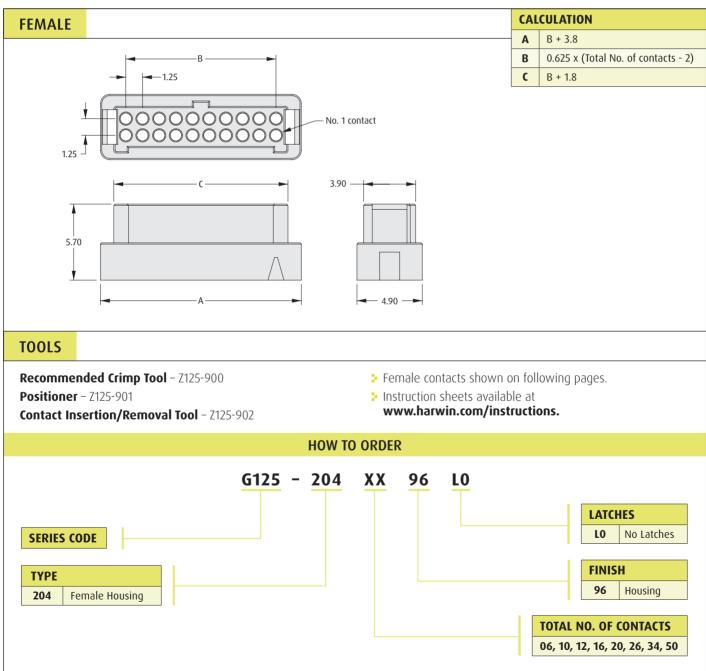




### **Female Crimp Housings**

- ▶ Features potting wall for extra security.
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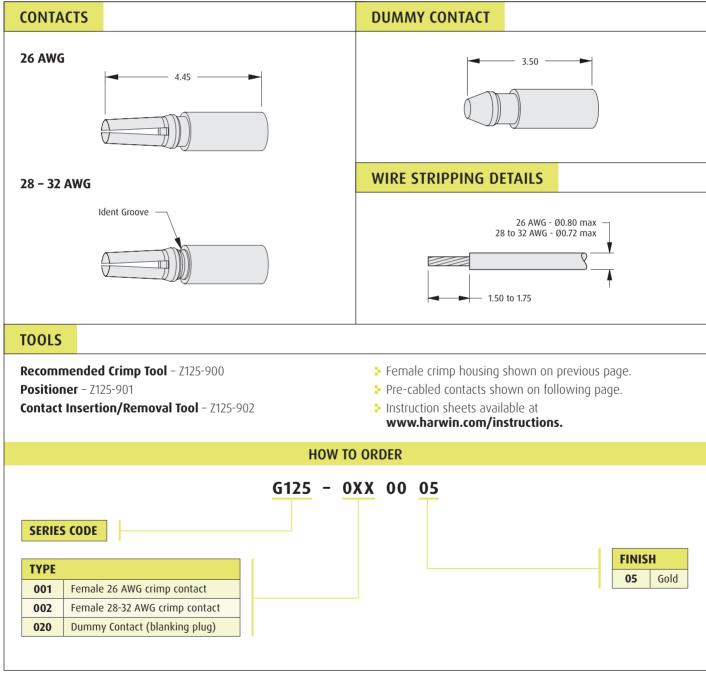


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#### Female Crimp Contacts, Dummy Contact

- ♣ 4-finger Beryllium Copper contact on a female connector.
- Crimp barrel meets all crimp guidelines and standards.
- **▶** 2A current capacity, resists high vibration and shock.
- ▶ Withstands extremes of temperature: -65°C to +150°C.
- ► Instruction video online at www.harwin.com/harwintv.
- ➤ Dummy Contact can be used for additional polarization of keying of multiple connectors. Also called Blanking Plug.





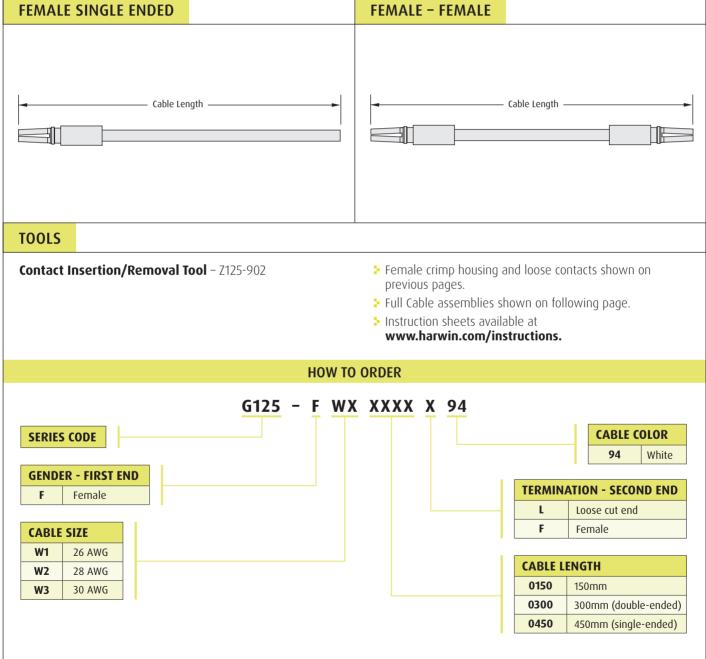
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### Female Crimp Contacts - Pre-Crimped Wires

- ▶ 4-finger Beryllium Copper contact.
- ▶ Ready for assembling to housing.
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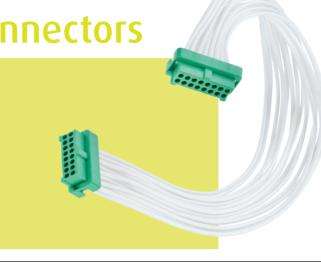


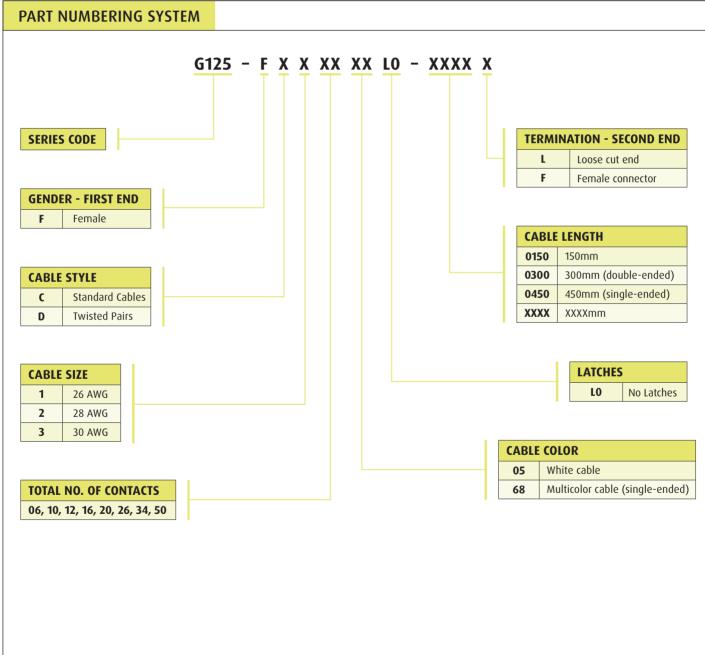
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#### **Female Cable Assemblies**

- ♣ 4-finger Beryllium Copper contact.
- ▶ No. 1 position identified on housing.
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- **▶** Back potted for added strain relief.
- Check website or Ask an Expert for available combinations.

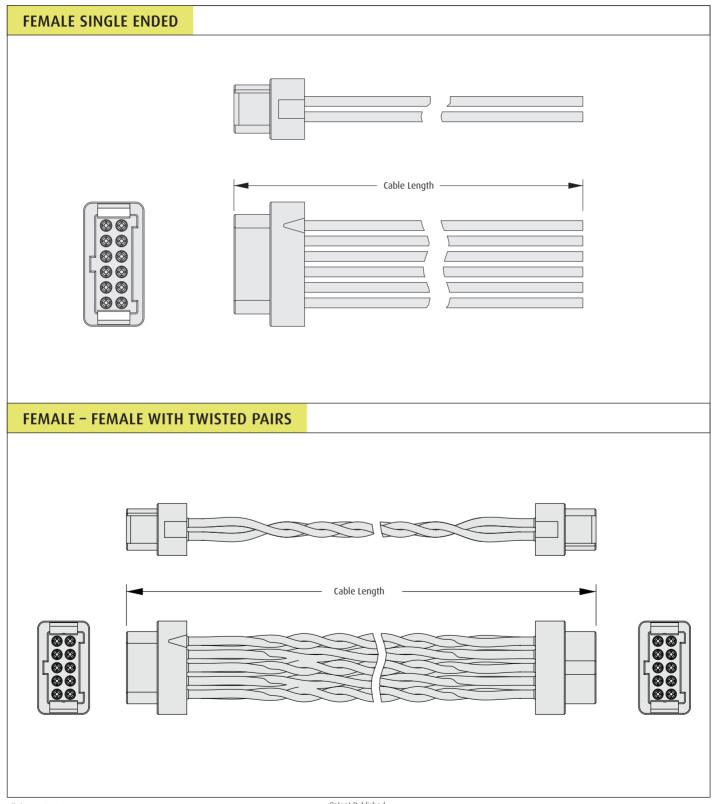




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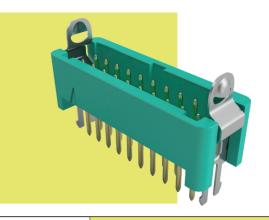


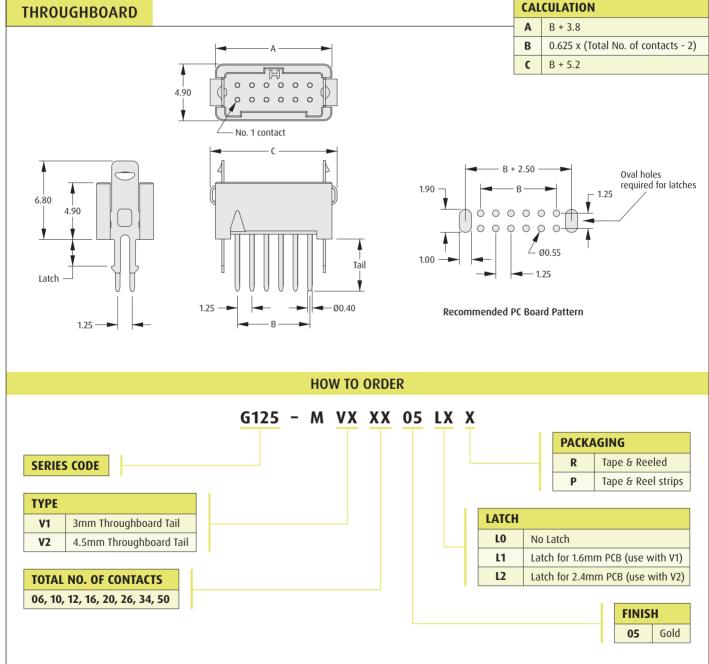
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### Male Vertical Throughboard

- Secure fixing to the PCB via retention barbs for through hole.
- **▶** Easy-to-release latches require no tooling.
- **▶** 2A current capacity, resists high vibration and shock.
- ▶ Withstands extremes of temperature: -65°C to +150°C.

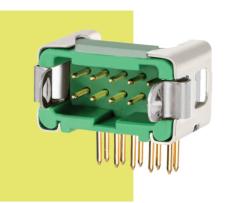


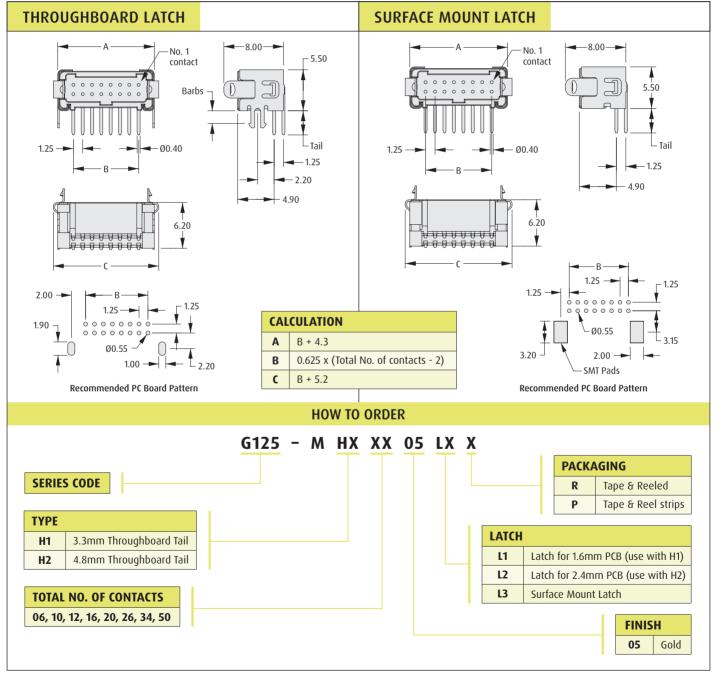




### Male Horizontal Throughboard - Latched

- Secure fixing to the PCB via retention barbs for through hole.
- Surface mount option for automated assembly.
- - see part numbers **Z125-926xx00**.
- **▶** 2A current capacity, resists high vibration and shock.
- ▶ Withstands extremes of temperature: -65°C to +150°C.

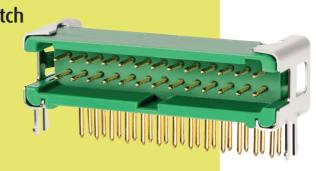


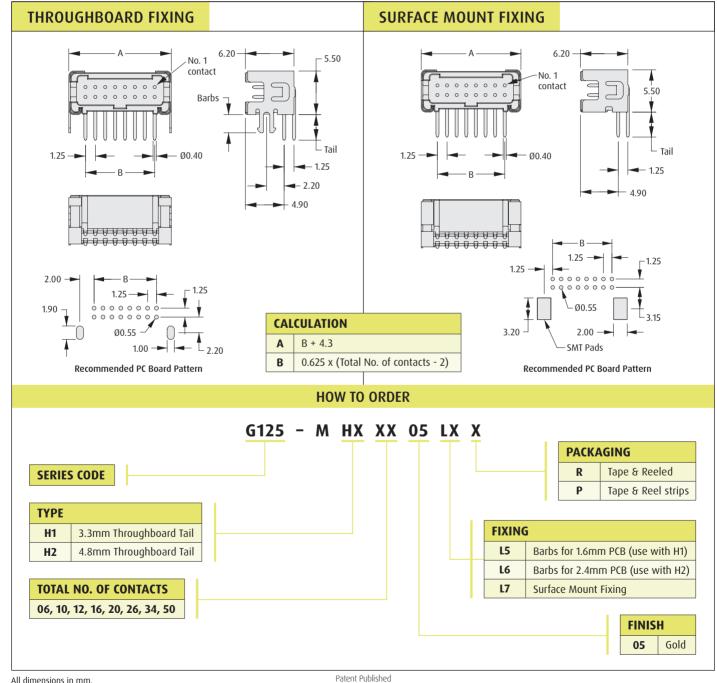


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### Male Horizontal Throughboard - Without Latch

- Secure fixing to the PCB via retention barbs for through hole.
- Surface mount option for automated assembly.
- **⇒** 2A current capacity.
- ▶ Withstands extremes of temperature: -65°C to +150°C.



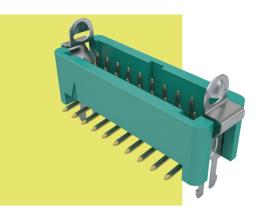


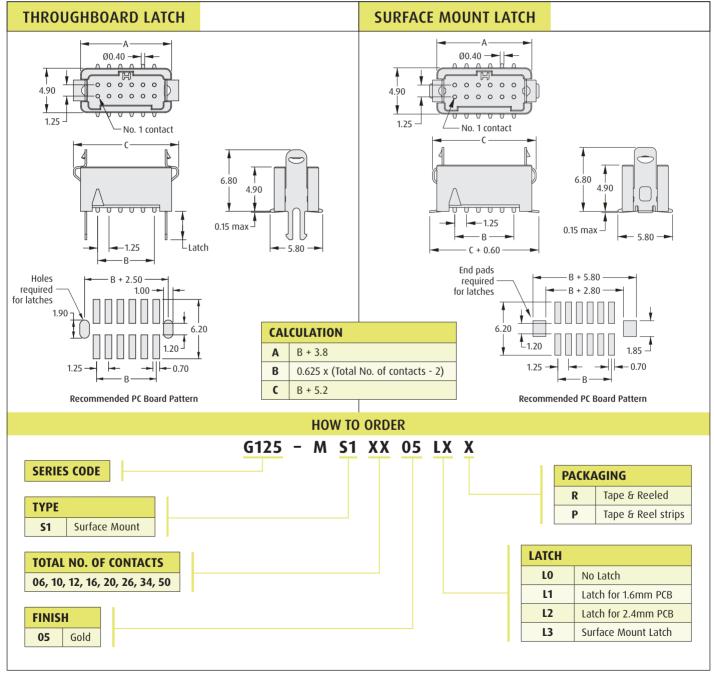
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#### Male Vertical Surface Mount

- Secure fixing to the PCB via hold-down tabs (SMT).
- **►** Easy-to-release latches require no tooling.
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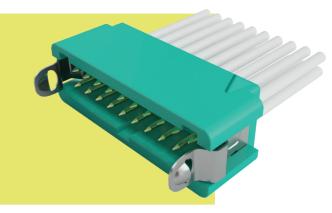


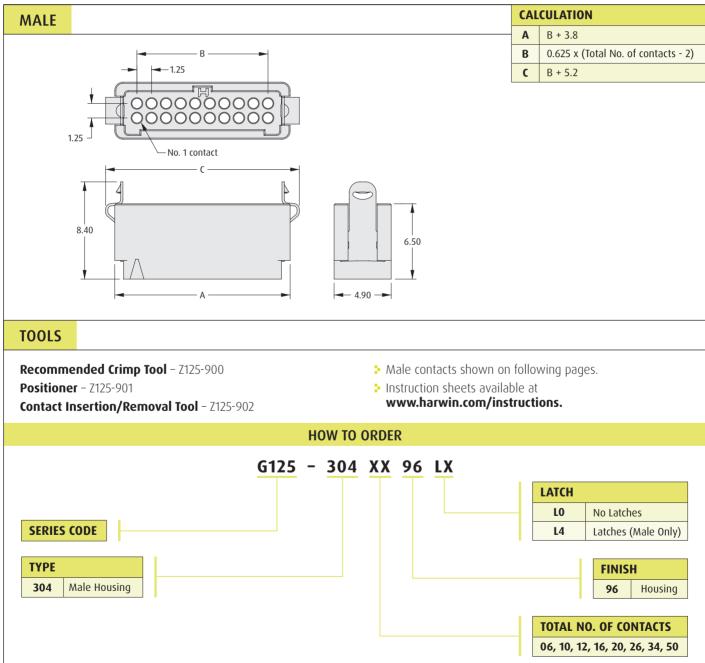
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### **Male Crimp Housing**

- ▶ Features potting wall for extra security.
- No. 1 position identified on housing.
- ➤ Withstands extremes of temperature: -65°C to +150°C.
- 3 polarizing points on each housing prevent mis-mating.
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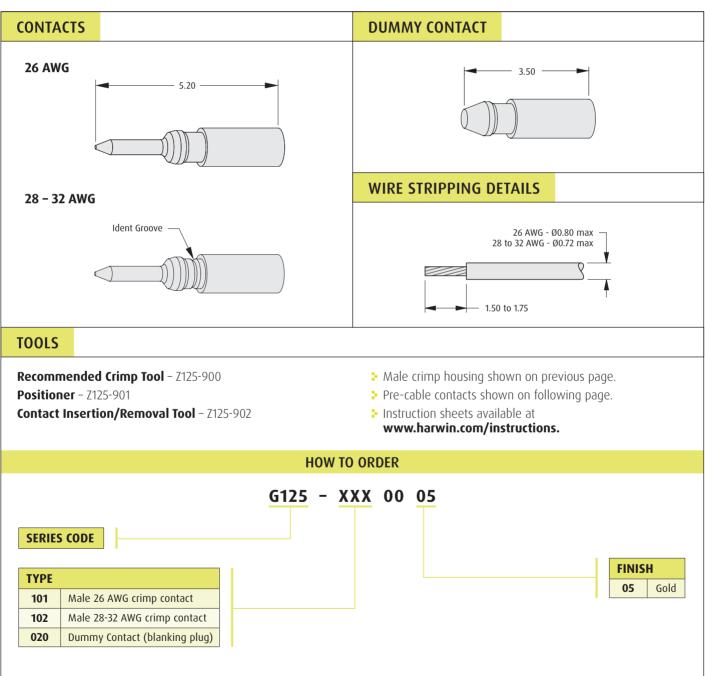




### **Male Crimp Contacts**

- Crimp barrel meets all crimp guidelines and standards.
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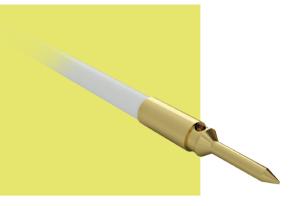


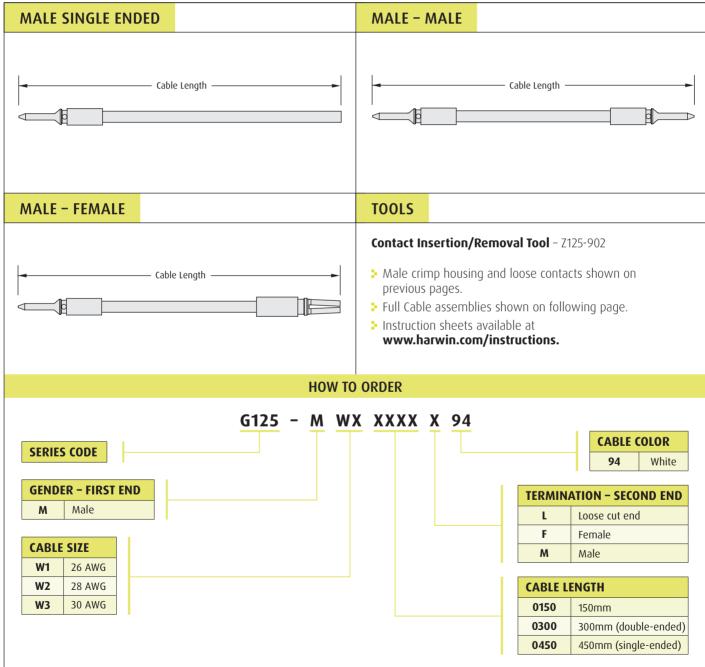


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### Male Crimp Contacts - Pre-Crimped Wires

- ▶ Ready for assembling to housing.
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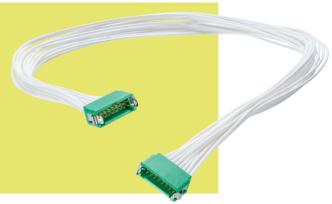


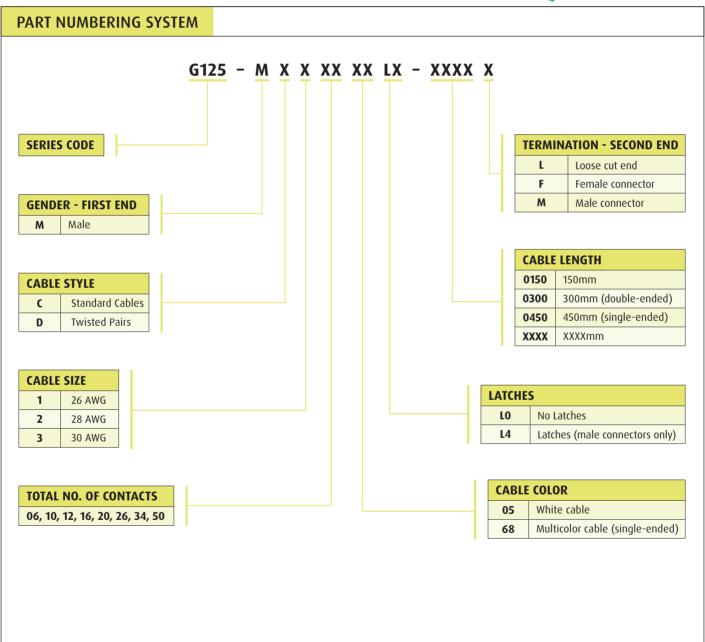
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#### Male Cable Assemblies

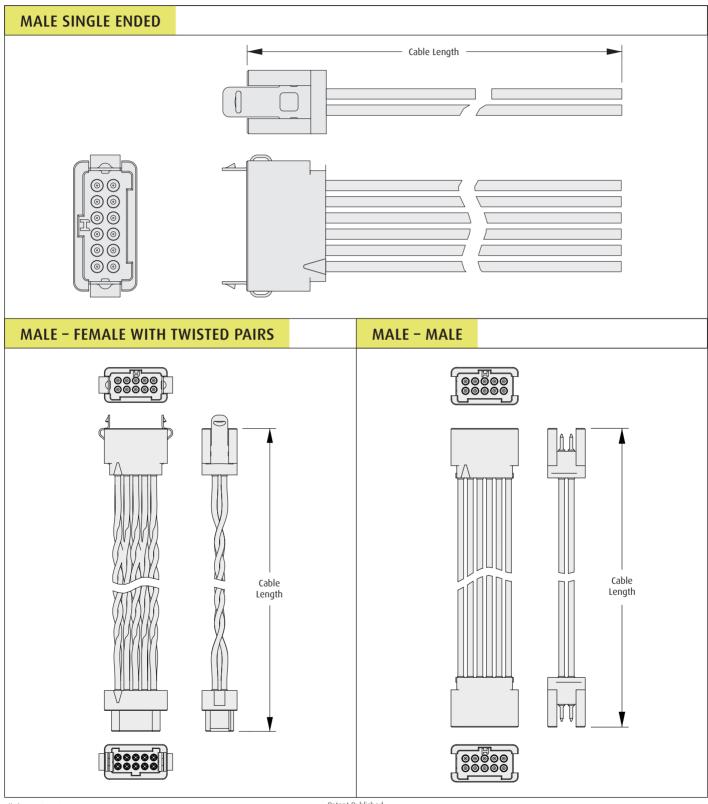
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- ▶ 2A current capacity, resists high vibration and shock.
- ▶ Withstands extremes of temperature: -65°C to +150°C.
- ▶ Back potted for added strain relief.
- ♣ 4-finger Beryllium Copper contact on the female connector.
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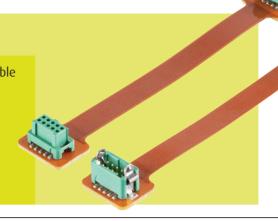


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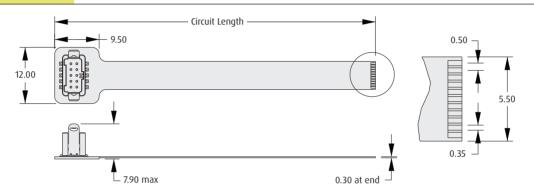


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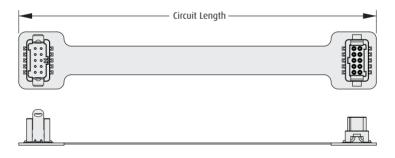
- ➤ Surface mount connectors with latches assembled to flexible printed circuit for an alternative to cable connection.
- ➤ Improved bend radius and lower mated height than equivalent cable assemblies.
- ➤ The free end of the single-ended assembly is compatible with 0.5mm pitch FPC connectors.
- Contact Harwin for alternative connector sizes and cable lengths.



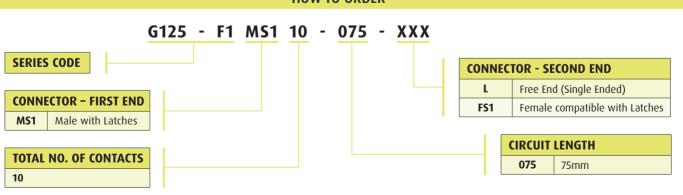
#### **MALE SINGLE ENDED**



#### **MALE - FEMALE DOUBLE ENDED**



#### **HOW TO ORDER**



All dimensions in mm.

# **Gecko Connectors Tooling**

- Instruction sheets can be accessed at www.harwin.com/instructions.
- A Gecko Crimping Instruction video is available at www.harwin.com/harwintv.

#### HAND CRIMP TOOL

- Precision tool with ratchet mechanism and 8-indent form.
- Must be used with positioner.
- > Instruction sheet available.



ORDER CODE		
Signal crimps	Z125-900	
Power crimps	Z125-903	

#### **POSITIONER**

Must be used with hand crimp tool.





ORDER CODE			
Signal crimps	Z125-901		
Power crimps	Z125-904		

#### **INSERTION/REMOVAL TOOL**

- For inserting and removing crimped signal contacts into the rear of housings.
- Instruction sheet available.



ORDER CODE Z125-902

#### INSERTION/REMOVAL TOOL

- For inserting and removing crimped power contacts into the rear of housings.
- Instruction sheet available.



ORDER CODE Z125-905

# **Gecko Connectors Tooling**

Instruction sheets can be accessed at www.harwin.com/instructions.

# **HEX DRIVE BIT BALL HEX DRIVER** ▸ 1.5mm A/F Hex end for Gecko Screw-Lok Hex Socket fixings. ▶ 1.5mm A/F Hex end for Gecko Screw-Lok Hex Socket fixings. For use with torque tooling or similar equipment. **>** Ball-shaped end can be used at a wide range of angles. in the same **ORDER CODE** ORDER CODE Z9950-00 Z9952-00 **SCREWDRIVER DELATCH TOOL** For assisting with unmating latched connectors. For use with Gecko Screw-Lok board mount nuts. ▶ Board mount nuts to be tightened to a torque of 21 ±2cmN. **ORDER CODE ORDER CODE** Z80-298 Z125-926xx00 Replace xx with No. of Contacts: 06, 10, 12, 16, 20, 26, 34 or 50

