

Electrical Interconnects Made Smaller, Lighter, More Flexible for Modular, Mission-Specific Configurations



# **SOLDIER SYSTEMS**

Give fighters the tactical edge

Equipping soldiers for modern missions means giving them the technological edge to succeed. You need to integrate personal networks, sensors, C4 communications, and the power to manage the systems. And you need to connect all the systems in a reliable and easy to use manner.

# **Connectivity for Flexible Systems**

As a leader in connectivity, TE Connectivity (TE) can help you create soldier systems with the features you need.

# Modularity

- Allow modularity for easy integration of different subsystems
- Permit multiple missionspecific configurations
- Balance loads for easier wearing

# Weight and Space Savings

- Reduce weight with advanced cables and composite components
- Save space with compact connectors and embedded antennas

# Rugged and Flexible

- Provide the flexibility needed for mobility
- Help withstand the hazards of the modern battlespace

# **Enabling Human-Centric Ergonomics**

Operating in trying conditions requires systems that are not only rugged but also easy to use. We offer a range of connectors that are easy to engage and disengage, offer rugged reliability, and save space and weight where every ounce counts. In short, we can help you create systems that are wearable and bearable.

# **Building Better Boxes**

We are a leader in composites, allowing you to create molded enclosures that are stronger, lighter, and smaller—and permit cost-effective integration of conductors, shielding, antennas, and other features.

# **Get the Innovation Edge**

Compact Connectors. Microand nanominiature connectors with robust designs and easy handling.

# Advanced Cable Materials. Cross-linked polymers for thinner, lighter, tougher insulation

and jackets.

Composites. Carbon- and glassfilled composites custom tailored to achieve the right weight, strength, and electrical characteristics.

Embedded Antennas. Zeroprofile designs for the radio needs of the soldier.







# TE Components...TE Technology...TE Know-how...

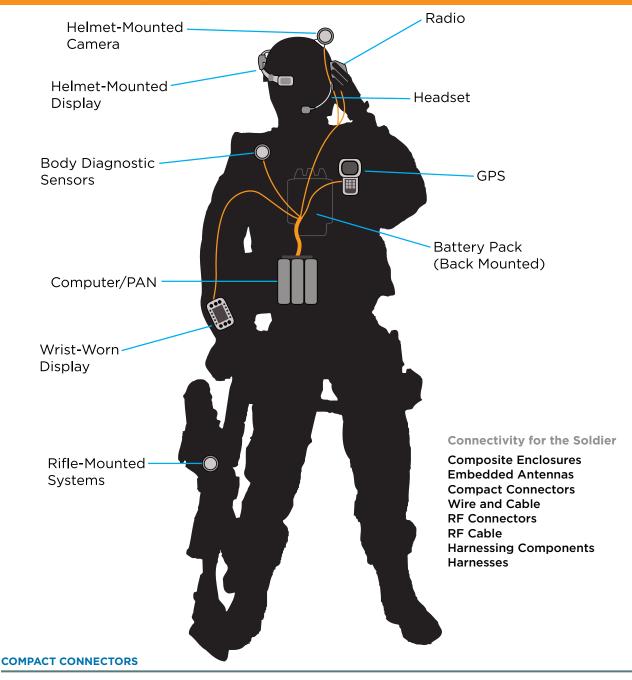
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**DEUTSCH D-CATS Connectors** 

# Based on NATO Soldier System Requirements

- Silent and quick connect push-pull coupling
- Single-handed mating with gloved hand
- Easy cleaning and/or repair on the battlefield

#### Capable

- Water, sand, snow, and mud resistant, mated or unmated
- EMI shielded for signal integrity
- Durable: >5000 mating cycles



**CeeLok FAS-T Connectors** 

## **Compact 10 GbE Performance**

 Compact Size 8 shell for space and weight savings

# Rugged

 Excellent shock, vibration, temperature, and sealing performance

# Convenient

 Field terminable, with integral backshell for lowcost, low-weight strain relief, and EMI protection

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#### **COMPACT CONNECTORS**



**CeeLok FAS-X Connectors** 

#### **Fast and Quiet**

- Supports 10G Ethernet and beyond
- Design optimized for signal integrity
- Each pair carries shield through the connector to provide excellent impedance matching and to eliminate crosstalk

# Compatible

- Uses standard crimp AS39029 contacts
- Allows fast field termination and repair



#### Military QPL Circular Connectors

# More Choice from an Extensive Range

- 38999, 26482, 5015, etc.
- Weight-saving aluminum and composite versions

#### Compatible

 Standardized contacts, tooling, and accessories



Metal-Shell Microcircular Connectors

# Compatible

· USB 2.0 signal compatible

# Versatile

- Bayonet, push-pull, or threaded coupling styles
- Signal only and hybrid signal/power versions

#### Reliable

IP67 sealing



**DEUTSCH Wildcat Micro Connectors** 

### For Size- and Weight-Critical Applications

- 3, 5, or 9 contacts in two shell sizes
- Lightweight aluminum shells
- Bayonet and threaded coupling

#### Rugged

- Environmentally sealed with
- rear-removable contacts
- Cable EMI shield and boot termination
- Small, lightweight reliability



CeeLok FAS-T Nano Connectors

# Extreme Space and Weight Savings

- .30" diameter
- · Push-pull or threaded coupling

#### Fast

- 10G Ethernet-capable
- 8-position connector
- Improved signal integrity: innovative T-shaped contact pattern reduces crosstalk



**Nanominiature Connectors** 

# Extreme Weight and Space Savings

Rectangular, coax, and sealed circular configurations

# Rugged

- Excellent shock and vibration resistance
- Wide temperature range (-200°C to +200°C)



Circular HD Connectors

#### Easy to mate

- Push-pull self-locking interface
- · Scoop-proof blindmating

# Rugged

- IP68 sealing
- 1000 mating cycles

#### Versatile

- 5 shell sizes ranging from 14 mm to 27 mm in diameter
- 2 to 40 contacts



**Battery Connectors** 

# Compact

- Significant space savings with enough contact area to secure the connection
- 2 to 10 positions
- 2.5, 3.0, and 5.0 mm contact pitch

# **High Performance**

- Gold-plated, high-conductivity, copper alloy contacts
- High-cycle-life durability

#### **COMPACT CONNECTORS**



**DEUTSCH 369 Series Connectors** 

# Low-Cost, Space-Saving Design

- Lightweight composite shells
- 3, 6, or 9 positions

### Reliable

- Fully sealed cable and mating interface
- Positive button latching with audible click



#### **COTS Connectors**

### **Full Range of Data Connectors**

- USB, IEEE 1394, RJ-45...
- Standard and ruggedized versions

# **FIBER-OPTIC PRODUCTS**



**DEUTSCH RSC Optical** Connectors

### **Ruggedized Single-Channel** Connectors

- Manufactured from Arcap alloy for lightweight corrosion resistance
- Anti-vibration coupling mechanism

# Convenient

- Common ferrule carriers for the plug and receptacle
- Easily accessible fiber faces for cleaning purposes



**PRO-BEAM Mini Connectors** 

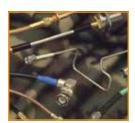
### Space and Weight Savings

- Compact design
- Lightweight aluminum shells
- 2 or 4 positions

#### Convenient

- Expanded beam interface designed to help withstand shock and vibration
- 3000-mating-cycle durability
- Single mode or multimode fiber

# **RF CONNECTORS AND CABLE**



**RF Connectors** 

### Wide Range of Rugged Connectors

- MIL-PRF-39012 and MIL-DTL-83517 qualified
- Miniature, subminiature, and microminiature types
- Bayonet, threaded, and
- push-on couplings



**Miniature RF Connectors** 

# **BNC Connectors**

- Bayonet coupling
- 50- and 75-ohm TNC Connectors
- Threaded coupling

# **Mini-BNC Connectors**

40% smaller than standard BNC



**Subminiature RF Connectors** 

# **SMA Connectors**

Threaded coupling

# **QMA Connectors**

Quick-lock coupling

# **SMB Coupling**

Snap-on coupling



**Microminiature RF Connectors** 

# **SMP/SMPM Connectors**

- Push-on coupling
- DESC standard interface

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#### **RF CONNECTORS AND CABLE**



MMCX Microminiature RF Connectors

# **Space Saving Design**

- 30% smaller than MCX
- Minimum dimensions for spaceconstrained applications

# **High Performance**

- 6 GHz bandwidth
- 500 mating cycles
- Reliable snap-on coupling

#### **High Performance**

 Straight and right-angle versions for cable and board mounting



### Alpen High-Performance Coaxial Cable

#### **Extreme Performance**

- Very low insertion loss
- Very high velocity of signal propagation: 83+%
- >90 dB shielding effectiveness

#### Versatile

- DC to 65 GHz
- Up to 1500 W at 5 GHz
- Very low weight



#### **RF Cable Assemblies**

#### **Comprehensive Selection**

- Wide range of standard, subminiature, and microminiature interfaces and frequencies
- Ergonomic designs for easy connection/disconnection
- Qualified to MIL-PRF-39012, MIL-DTL-83517, MIL-PRF-55339



## **Cheminax Coaxial Cable**

# **High Performance**

- · Lightweight, small size
- Low capacitance and attenuation
- · High velocity of propagation

#### Adaptable

- Suitable for demanding video and RF applications
- Highly flexible

### **WIRE AND CABLE**



# High-Performance Wire and Cable

# Lightweight and Space-Saving

 Radiation cross-linked designs for reduced insulation and jacket wall thicknesses

# Versatile

 Range of materials to meet temperature, fluid and chemical resistance, and mechanical requirements

### Flexible

 Highly flexible: to help support soldier's motion



# **High-Speed Cable**

# **Rugged Choices**

- Material choices to match application requirements
- Shielded and unshielded
- Low-smoke, zero-halogen versions for increased safety

# **High-Speed Protocols**

 Configurations to support various Ethernet, Quadrax, IEEE 1394, USB, etc.



# **Digital Cable Assemblies**

# More Speed, Less Weight

- Support for high-speed protocols
- Compact, lightweight designs
- Fully tested and characterized by TE



# Hook-Up Wire

# SPEC 44 PA/PVDF Wire (AS27500)

- Dual-wall construction
- Resistant to most solvents, fuels and lubricants

# SPEC 55 XL-ETFE Wire (AS22759)

- Excellent abrasion and cut-through resistance
- Excellent flexibility

# Flexline XL-ETFE Wire

- Excellent abrasion and cut-through resistance
- Extreme flexibility

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#### **HARNESSING PRODUCTS**



**Harnessing Products** 

#### **Hazard Matched**

- Complete product suites matched to application needs
- NBCCS-compliant products
- Flame-retarded, flame-resistant, and lowsmoke zero-halogen (LSZH) solutions

### **Space and Weight Savings**

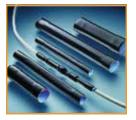
Thin-wall insulation and composite materials



#### **Micromolded Parts**

#### **Small Size**

- Adhesive-lined options
- · Strain relief
- Available in a range of different cross-linked polymeric materials



**Heat-Shrink Tubing** 

### **Full Range of Choices**

- Available in many sizes, constructions, lengths, and colors
- Dependable insulation, mechanical protection, and strain relief
- Single-wall, dual-wall, heavy-duty and specialpurpose versions with radiation cross-linked fluoropolymers, fluoroelastomers, and elastomers



AS85049 Backshell Adapters and Bandstraps

#### **Rugged Reliability**

- Self-coupling locking nut for high reliability under vibration
- Side entry for easier installation and repair
- Corrosion-resistant steel bands with cadmium or electroless nickel plating

### **Flexible Choices**

- · Available flat or pre-coiled
- Three strap widths
- Straight, 45°, and 90° adapters

#### Compliant

 Meets AS85049 NAVAIR standards

#### **ADDITIONAL SOLUTIONS**



**Composite Enclosures** 

# Weight-Saving Rugged

- PerformanceLight weight up to 50% lighter than aluminum
- Extremely rugged and corrosion resistant

# Customizable

- Conductive composites and plating options for grounding/EMI shielding
- Highly customizable with integrated wire traces, antennas, and connectors



**Embedded Antennas** 

# Low-Profile, Form-Fitting Conformal Designs

- Multiband and wideband antennas and arrays
- Rugged embedded antennas in engineered composite enclosures

# **Cost Effective**

 Customized designs with integrated RF and DC traces, cables, and connectors



**SolderSleeve Grounding Terminations** 

# Flexible

- Environmentally sealed, insulated, and encapsulated solder connection
- Wide range of temperature ratings, as wide as -65°C to 200°C
- Splash- and immersionresistant versions

# Easy Installation

- Prefluxed solder preform provides a controlled soldering process
- One-piece design
- Optional preinstalled ground leads



Integrated Solutions

# **Application-Specific Designs**

- Meet the demanding requirements for lighter, faster, more capable systems
- Shorten the design cycle
- Increase reliability

# Reduce Risk

- Engineered for rugged environments
- Factory tested plug-and-play solutions
- Custom tailored to your needs

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