

XLR Connectors

AX Series XLR Cable Connectors



Features:

- Unique Australian designed shell and housing.
- Ergonomic stylish sleeve design for improved grip.
- Oversized latch lever preserves your thumb.
- Leading first mate last break pin 1 on socket connectors.
- Chuck style cable clamp to suit 3mm - 8mm (0.118" - 0.314") cable O.D. with integrated split to allow inclusion after soldering.
- Overmolded cable support boot.
- New socket contact design for improved contact resistance.
- Precision machined pin contacts as standard.
- Compact solder buckets to reduce soldering time and wastage.
- Zinc diecast shell housing with Satin nickel or Matt black finish.
- Available in 3,4 and 5 contact arrangements.

Options:

- Coloured I.D sleeves.
- Satin nickel or Matt black shell finish.
- Single or Bulk packaging.

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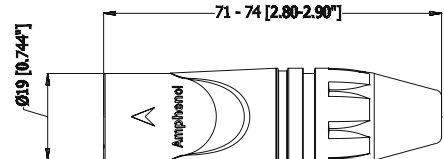
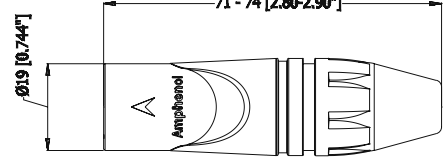
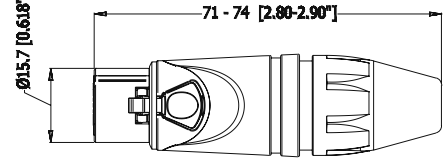
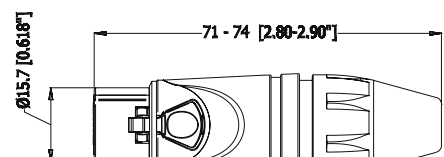
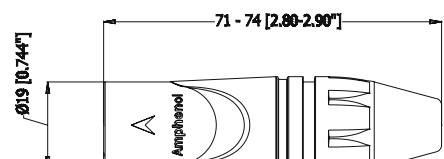
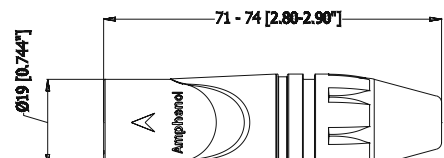
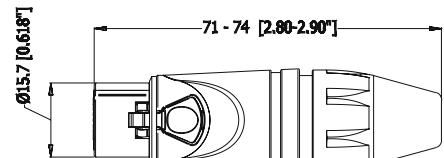
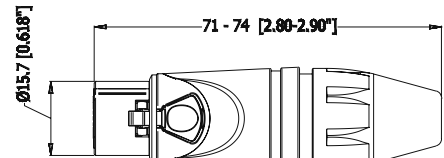
Assembly Instructions: Page 8 & 9

PRODUCT - FIGURE	DRAWING Dimensions in mm (inches)	DESCRIPTION	VARIATIONS	PART NUMBER
		XLR 3 pole male Machined contacts Nickel Finish	Standard	AX3M
			Bulk Pack	AX3M BULK
		XLR 3 pole male Machined contacts Black Finish	Standard	AX3MB
			Gold Plated Contacts	AX3MB-AU
			Bulk Pack	AX3MB BULK
		XLR 3 pole female Stamped contacts Nickel Finish	Standard	AXX3F
			Bulk Pack	AXX3F BULK
		XLR 3 pole female Stamped contacts Nickel Finish	Standard	AXX3FB
			Gold Plated Contacts	AXX3FB-AU
			Bulk Pack	AXX3FB BULK

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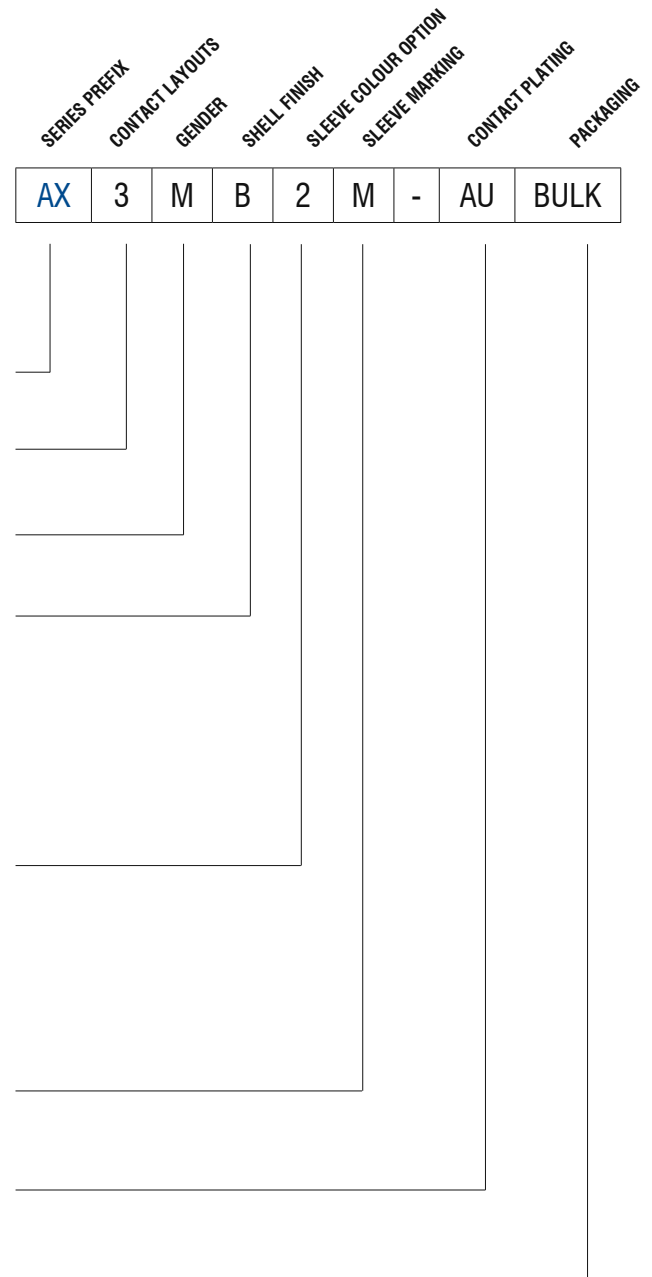
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				Bulk Pack	AX4M BULK
		71 - 74 [2.80-2.90"] Ø19 [0.744"]	XLR 4 pole male Machined contacts Black Finish	Standard	AX4MB
				Gold Plated Contacts	AX4MB-AU
				Bulk Pack	AX4MB BULK
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				Bulk Pack	AX4F BULK
		71 - 74 [2.80-2.90"] Ø15.7 [0.618"]	XLR 4 pole female Machined contacts Black Finish	Standard	AX4FB
				Gold Plated Contacts	AX4FB-AU
				Bulk Pack	AX4FB BULK
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				Bulk Pack	AX5M BULK
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				Gold Plated Contacts	AX5MB-AU
				Bulk Pack	AX5MB BULK
		71 - 74 [2.80-2.90"] Ø15.7 [0.618"]	XLR 5 pole female Machined contacts Nickel Finish	Standard	AX5F
				Bulk Pack	AX5F BULK
		71 - 74 [2.80-2.90"] Ø15.7 [0.618"]	XLR 5 pole female Machined contacts Black Finish	Standard	AX5FB
				Gold Plated Contacts	AX5FB-AU
				Bulk Pack	AX5FB BULK

PART NUMBER BREAKDOWN

METAL SHELL TYPE - SOLDER

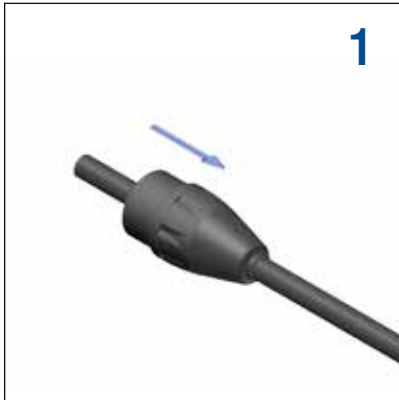
E. G. **AX3MB2M-AU BULK**
AX (Series Prefix), **3** contacts, **Male**, **Black** Finish,
2 (Red Sleeve) **M** (Sleeve Marking) - **AU** (Gold Plated Contacts), **Bulk** Packaged.

SERIES PREFIX	AX	=	Series Prefix
CONTACT LAYOUTS	3	=	3 Contacts
	4	=	4 Contacts
	5	=	5 Contacts
GENDER	F	=	Female Socket Contacts
	M	=	Male Pin Contacts
SHELL FINISH	Blank	=	Nickel Plated Finish
	B	=	Black Finish
SLEEVE COLOUR OPTION	Blank	=	Black
	1	=	Brown
	2	=	Red
	3	=	Orange
	4	=	Yellow
	5	=	Green
	6	=	Blue
	7	=	Violet
	8	=	Grey
	9	=	White
SLEEVE MARKING	Blank	=	Standard Sleeve
	OM	=	Marking Sleeve (Black)
	M	=	Marking Sleeve (Colour)
CONTACT PLATING	Blank	=	Standard Plating (Silver or Tin) (Refer to Standard Data)
	AU	=	Gold Plated
PACKAGING	Blank	=	Individual Bags
	BULK	=	Bulk Packed

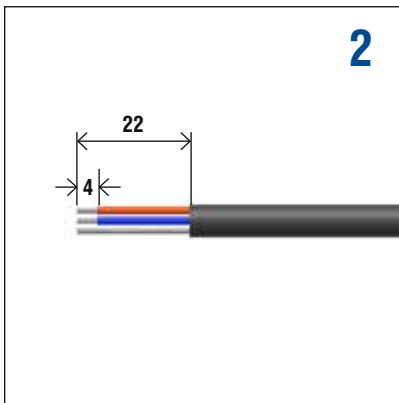


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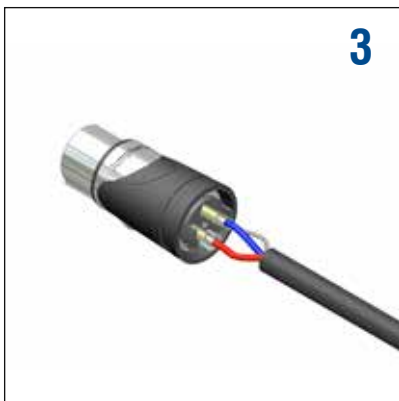
AX Series XLR Cable Connectors



Slide the nut (Backshell) onto the cable



Strip the cable



Push back the insert only enough to expose the solder buckets. It is not necessary to remove the insert. Solder the wires to the contacts.



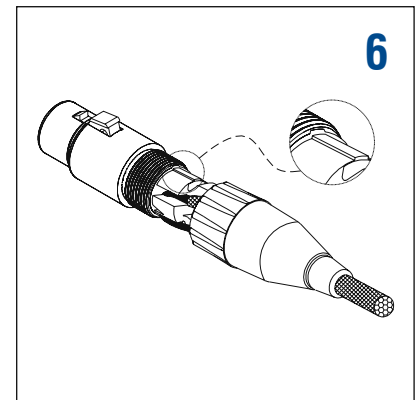
Install the cable clamp, flush to the insert making sure to align the top slot with the spring. Then push the insert & cable clamp together into the shell.



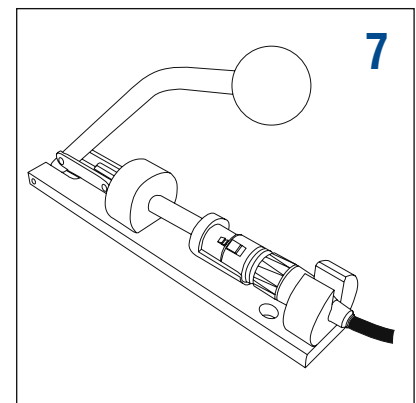
Thread the nut (Backshell) onto the shell (Torque 0.8Nm - 1.2Nm) to activate the cable clamp and close the connector assembly.

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AX SERIES FEMALE XLR CABLE CONNECTOR



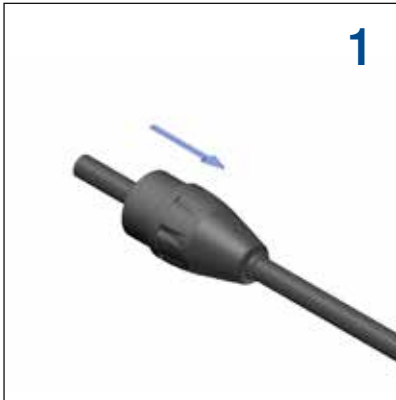
Close the cable clamp slightly and push the boot over the clamp ensuring the wires fit inside the boot.



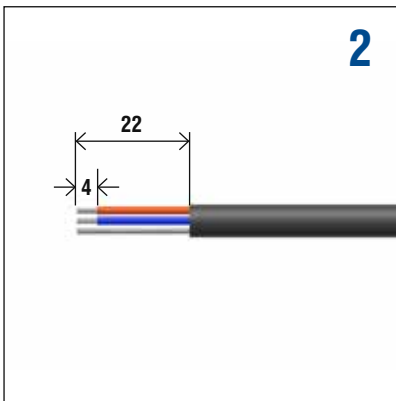
Final assembly can be achieved either by manually screwing the boot on, or by using an Amphenol Australia T2860 termination tool.

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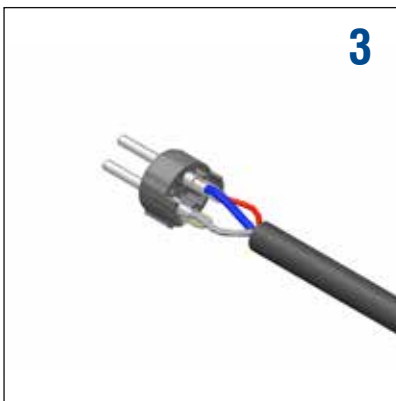
AX SERIES MALE XLR
CABLE CONNECTOR



Slide the nut (Backshell) onto the cable



Strip the cable



Solder the wires to the contacts.



Install the cable clamp flush to the insert making sure to align the slot with the ground contact.

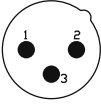
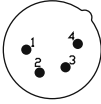
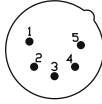


Align the key of the insert with the keyway on the shell then push the pin insert & cable clamp together in the shell.



Thread the nut (Backshell) onto the shell (Torque 0.8Nm - 1.2Nm) to activate the cable clamp and close the connector assembly.

STANDARD DATA AX SERIES CABLE CONNECTORS

		VALUE		
GENERAL CHARACTERISTICS	Number of contacts	3	4	5
	AX Series Contact Arrangements (Front view of pin inserts)			
	Termination	SOLDER		
	Max. Wire Gauge - Stranded wire: Solder	14AWG	16AWG	18AWG
	Flammability rating of insulator plastics and housings	UL94V-0		
	Environmental	Complies with EU RoHS 2 Directive 2011/65/EU		
ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS	Service Voltage RMS	133V ¹⁾		
	Test Voltage AC RMS	1400V		
	Current carrying capacity: Solder	15A	10A	7.5A
	Typical Contact Resistance	≤3m Ω		
	Insulation Resistance	≥1G Ω		
CLIMATIC CHARACTERISTICS	Protection Class	IP40		
	Operating Temperature	-25°C to +75°C (-13°F to +167°F)		
MECHANICAL CHARACTERISTICS	Insertion and Withdrawal force	≥10N - ≤30N		
	Weight ²⁾	31g (0.068lb)	33g (0.073lb)	33g (0.073lb)
	Typical Cable retention force	22Kg to 44Kg (50lb to 100lb) - Dependent on cable material and diameter.		
	Cable O.D. range	3mm to 8mm (0.118" to 0.314")		
	Mechanical Operations	1000 mating cycles		
MATERIALS	Connector shell - Metal Shell finish	Diecast Zinc Alloy Satin nickel or Black		
	Insulators	UL94V-0 PA66, 30% Glass Filled		
	Boot / Backshell Finish	UL94V-0 Noryl N190 / Santoprene Black, other colours available - see page 80		
	Cable clamp	Noryl N190		
	Sleeve	Noryl N190		
	Male Contact Machined - Solder / Plating	Brass / Silver or Gold (Optional)		
	Female Contact Stamped - Solder / Plating	Phosphor Bronze / Tin or Gold (Optional)		

¹⁾ Not suitable for domestic applications above 50V

²⁾ Approximate weight only, does not include packaging. Please contact us for exact weight for shipping purposes.

AC SERIES XLR CABLE CONNECTORS



Amphenol Australia have been manufacturing and designing innovative XLR connectors since 1955. The AC series cable connector range complies with IEC268-12 and AES 14-1992 standards.
CSA File Number 68598.

Features

- AC series XLR connectors feature the unique Australian design and patented "Jaws" cable retention system
- A leading first mate last break socket contact is standard on all female connectors (Pin 1).
- The "Jaws" cable retention system provides up to 44kg (100lb) of strain.
- The AC series connector can be quickly and easily assembled without screws – by hand or portable termination tool. (Part number T2860)
- Available in 3, 4, 5, 6A and 7 contact arrangements.
- Compatible with all major XLR brands.

Options

- Solder Bucket termination
- Thermoplastic shell
- Zinc Diecast shell - Satin Nickel Finish
- Zinc Diecast shell - Black Polyester Finish
- Gold, Silver or Tin Plated contacts
- Bulk Style Packaging
- Single Bag packs
- Precision machined contacts
- Cost effective stamped contacts on 3 pole
- Standard Jaws cable clamp, Cable O.D 3mm to 6.5mm (0.118" to 0.255")
- Large Jaws cable clamp, Cable O.D 6.5mm to 8mm (0.255" to 0.314")
- Metal Boots / Backshells
- Coloured Boots / Backshells
- Coloured Identification rings
- Termination / Assembly tooling

Jaws Cable Clamp Options



Standard Jaws cable clamp (Black), Cable O.D 3mm to 6.5mm (0.118" to 0.255")



Large Jaws cable clamp (Purple), Cable O.D 6.5mm to 8mm (0.255" to 0.314")

Ordering Codes

We have listed the more common ordering codes in each section. For further options please refer to the part number breakdown charts. Please contact us if you need any further assistance.

Simple steps to guide you in using this catalogue

- 1) Identify the product group listed in Contents on page 1 and go directly to that page number.
- 2) Each product group cover page then details information and options available.
- 3) Refer to the product detail pages and identify the product you require pictorially.
- 4) Read the product description column for the products standard features.
- 5) Use variations column to determine your choice.
- 6) Identify part number.
- 7) In the event the particular option you require is not listed please refer to the part number breakdown page at the end of each section.
- 8) Please contact us directly if you have any further problems.

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AC Series XLR Cable Connectors



Features:

- Zinc Diecast Shell.
- Solder Bucket connections.
- “Jaws” Cable Retention System.
- Contact layouts in 3, 4, 5, 6A and 7.
- Precision machined or Stamped contacts.
- Leading first mate last break socket contact.
- Quick and easy assembly without screws – by hand or portable termination tool. (Part number T2860.)

Options: Stamped Contacts (3 contact only), Gold plated contacts, Large or Small Jaws Cable Clamp, Black Finish Shell, Bulk Pack, Coloured Boots / Backshells

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PRODUCT - FIGURE	DRAWING	DESCRIPTION	VARIATIONS	PART NUMBER
		XLR 3 pole male, Machined contacts, Nickel Finish, Jaws cable clamp	Standard	AC3MM
			Bulk Pack	AC3MM BULK
		XLR 3 pole male, Machined contacts, Black Finish, Jaws cable clamp	Standard	AC3MMB
			Gold Plated Contacts	AC3MMB-AU
		XLR 3 pole male, Stamped contacts, Nickel Finish, Jaws cable clamp	Standard	AC3M
			Large Cable Clamp	AC3MJ
		XLR 3 pole male, Stamped contacts, Black Finish, Jaws cable clamp	Bulk Pack	AC3M BULK
			Standard	AC3MB
		XLR 3 pole male, Stamped contacts, Black Finish, Jaws cable clamp	Gold Plated Contacts	AC3MB-AU
			Large Cable Clamp	AC3MBJ
		XLR 3 pole female, Stamped contacts, Nickel Finish, Jaws cable clamp	Bulk Pack	AC3MB BULK
			Standard	AC3F
		XLR 3 pole female, Stamped contacts, Nickel Finish, Jaws cable clamp	Large Cable Clamp	AC3FJ
			Bulk Pack	AC3F BULK
		XLR 3 pole female, Stamped contacts, Black Finish, Jaws cable clamp	Standard	AC3FB
			Gold Plated Contacts	AC3FB-AU
		XLR 3 pole female, Stamped contacts, Black Finish, Jaws cable clamp	Large Cable Clamp	AC3FBJ
			Bulk Pack	AC3FB BULK

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PRODUCT - FIGURE	DRAWING Dimensions in mm (inches)	DESCRIPTION	VARIATIONS	PART NUMBER
		XLR 4 pole male, Machined contacts, Nickel Finish, Jaws cable clamp	Standard	AC4M
			Large Cable Clamp	AC4MJ
			Bulk Pack	AC4M BULK
		XLR 4 pole male, Machined contacts, Black Finish, Jaws cable clamp	Standard	AC4MB
			Gold Plated Contacts	AC4MB-AU
			Large Cable Clamp	AC4MBJ
		XLR 4 pole female, Machined contacts, Nickel Finish, Jaws cable clamp	Standard	AC4F
			Large Cable Clamp	AC4FJ
			Bulk Pack	AC4F BULK
		XLR 4 pole female, Machined contacts, Black Finish, Jaws cable clamp	Standard	AC4FB
			Gold Plated Contacts	AC4FB-AU
			Large Cable Clamp	AC4FBJ
		XLR 5 pole male, Machined contacts, Nickel Finish, Jaws cable clamp	Standard	AC5M
			Large Cable Clamp	AC5MJ
			Bulk Pack	AC5M BULK
		XLR 5 pole male, Machined contacts, Black Finish, Jaws cable clamp	Standard	AC5MB
			Gold Plated Contacts	AC5MB-AU
			Large Cable Clamp	AC5MBJ
		XLR 5 pole female, Machined contacts, Nickel Finish, Jaws cable clamp	Standard	AC5F
			Large Cable Clamp	AC5FJ
			Bulk Pack	AC5F BULK
		XLR 5 pole female, Machined contacts, Black Finish, Jaws cable clamp	Standard	AC5FB
			Gold Plated Contacts	AC5FB-AU
			Large Cable Clamp	AC5FBJ
		XLR 5 pole female, Machined contacts, Black Finish, Jaws cable clamp	Bulk Pack	AC5FB BULK

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PRODUCT - FIGURE	DRAWING Dimensions in mm (inches)	DESCRIPTION	VARIATIONS	PART NUMBER
		XLR 6A pole male, Machined contacts, Nickel Finish, Jaws cable clamp	Standard	AC6AM
			Large Cable Clamp	AC6AMJ
			Bulk Pack	AC6AM BULK
		XLR 6A pole male, Machined contacts, Black Finish, Jaws cable clamp	Standard	AC6AMB
			Gold Plated Contacts	AC6AMB-AU
			Large Cable Clamp	AC6AMBJ
		XLR 6A pole female, Machined contacts, Nickel Finish, Jaws cable clamp	Standard	AC6AF
			Large Cable Clamp	AC6AFJ
			Bulk Pack	AC6AF BULK
		XLR 6A pole female, Machined contacts, Black Finish, Jaws cable clamp	Standard	AC6AFB
			Gold Plated Contacts	AC6AFB-AU
			Large Cable Clamp	AC6AFBJ
		XLR 7 pole male, Gold plated Machined contacts, Nickel Finish, Jaws cable clamp	Standard	AC7M
			Large Cable Clamp	AC7MJ
			Bulk Pack	AC7M BULK
		XLR 7 pole male, Gold plated Machined contacts, Black Finish, Jaws cable clamp	Standard	AC7MB
			Large Cable Clamp	AC7MBJ
			Bulk Pack	AC7MB BULK
		XLR 7 pole female, Gold plated Machined contacts, Nickel Finish, Jaws cable clamp	Standard	AC7F
			Large Cable Clamp	AC7FJ
			Bulk Pack	AC7F BULK
		XLR 7 pole female, Gold plated Machined contacts, Black Finish, Jaws cable clamp	Standard	AC7FB
			Large Cable Clamp	AC7FBJ
			Bulk Pack	AC7FB BULK

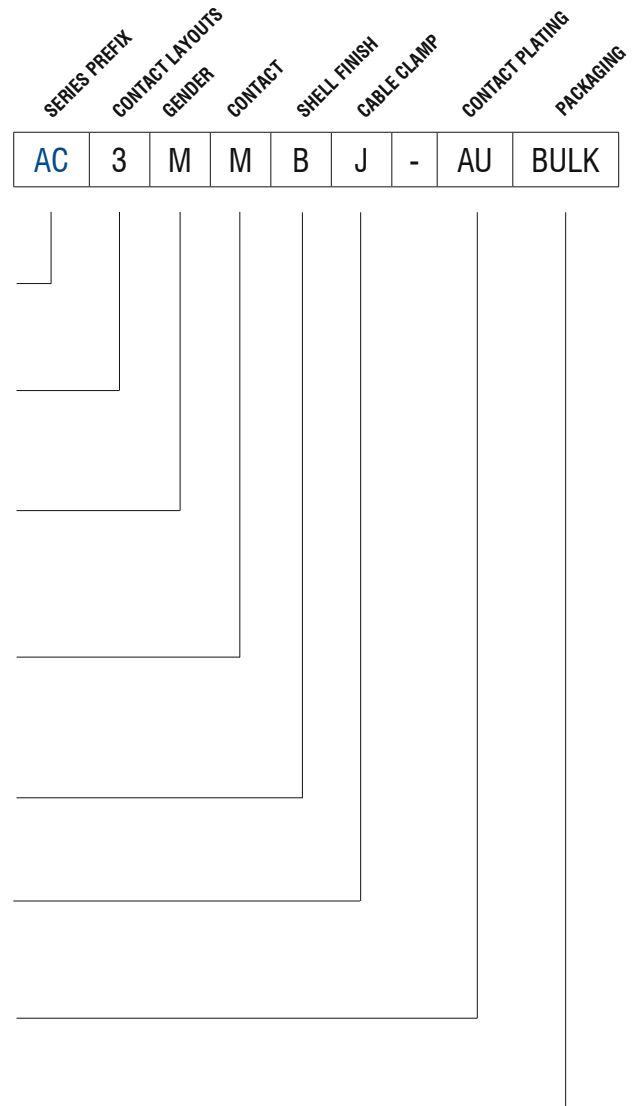
PART NUMBER BREAKDOWN

METAL SHELL TYPE - SOLDER

E. G. **AC3MMBJ-AU BULK**

AC (Series Prefix), **3** contacts, **Male**, **M**achined Contacts, **B**lack Polyester Finish, **J** (Large Jaws), **- AU** (Gold Plated Contacts), **Bulk** Packaged.

SERIES PREFIX	AC	=	Series Prefix
CONTACT LAYOUTS	3	=	3 Contacts
	4	=	4 Contacts
	5	=	5 Contacts
	6A	=	6 Contacts
	7	=	7 Contacts
GENDER	F	=	Female Socket Contacts
	M	=	Male Pin Contacts
CONTACT¹	Blank	=	Stamped Contacts
	M	=	Machined Contacts
	G	=	Stamped Contacts, Ground Tag
	MG	=	Machined Contacts, Ground Tag (Applicable 3 male pin contacts, option M & MG only)
SHELL FINISH²	Blank	=	Nickel Plated Finish
	B	=	Black Polyester Finish
CABLE CLAMP	Blank	=	Standard Jaws 3mm - 6.5mm cable O.D. (0.118" to 0.255")
	J	=	Large Jaws 6.5mm - 8mm cable O.D. (0.255" to 0.314")
CONTACT PLATING³	Blank	=	Standard Plating (Silver or Tin) (Refer to Standard Data)
	AU	=	Gold Plated
PACKAGING	Blank	=	Individual Bags
	BULK	=	Bulk Packed



Note:

¹ 4 - 7 contact connectors have machined contacts and grounding as standard.

² Ground contacts are not supplied with the black polyester finish shell option.

³ 7 Contact is gold plated as standard.

⁴ All AC Series Connectors are available with optional colour coded boot / backshell. Refer to page 154 and simply add colour to end of part number. Example: AC3MM - RED

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- Thermoplastic Shell.
- Solder Bucket Connections.
- "Jaws" Cable Retention System.
- Stamped or Machined Contacts.
- Leading first mate last break socket contact.
- Quick and easy assembly without screws – by hand or portable termination tool. (Part number T2860.)

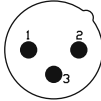
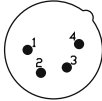
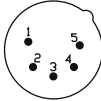
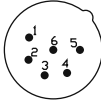
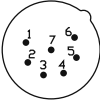
Options: Gold Plated Contacts, Stamped Contacts (3 Contact only), Bulk Pack, Coloured Boots / Backshells
3, 4, 5, 6A and 7 Contacts.

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PRODUCT - FIGURE	DRAWING	Dimensions in mm (inches)	DESCRIPTION	VARIATIONS	PART NUMBER
			XLR 3 pole male, Machined contacts, Thermoplastic shell, Jaws cable clamp	Standard	AC3MMCP
				Bulk Pack	AC3MMCP BULK
			XLR 3 pole male, Stamped contacts, Thermoplastic shell, Jaws cable clamp	Standard	AC3MCP
				Bulk Pack	AC3MCP BULK
			XLR 3 pole female, Stamped contacts, Thermoplastic shell, Jaws cable clamp	Standard	AC3FCP
				Bulk Pack	AC3FCP BULK

Note: Thermoplastic shell connectors are also available in 4 - 7 contact arrangements, please contact us for ordering code.

STANDARD DATA AC CABLE CONNECTORS

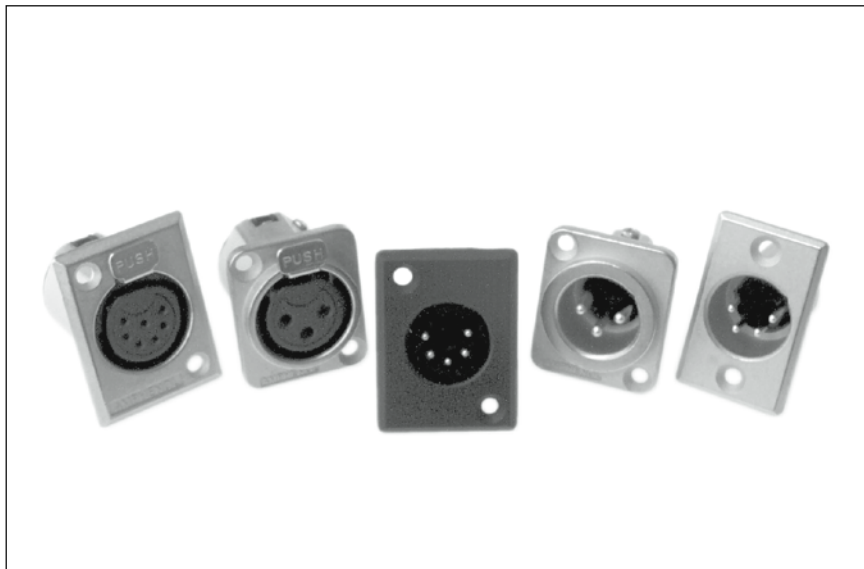
			VALUE				
GENERAL CHARACTERISTICS	Number of contacts		3	4	5	6A	7
	AC Series Contact Arrangements (Front view of pin inserts)						
	Termination		SOLDER				
	Max. Wire Gauge - Stranded wire: Solder		14AWG	16AWG	18AWG		20AWG
	Flammability rating (insulator plastics & housings)		UL94V-0				
	Environmental		Complies with EU RoHS 2 Directive 2011/65/EU				
ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS	Service Voltage RMS		133V ¹				
	Test Voltage AC RMS		1400V				
	Current carrying capacity: Solder		15A	10A	7.5A		5A
	Typical Contact Resistance		≤3mΩ				
	Insulation Resistance		≥1GΩ				
CLIMATIC CHARACTERISTICS	Protection Class		IP40				
	Operating Temperature		-25 °C to +75 °C (-13°F to +167°F)				
MECHANICAL CHARACTERISTICS	Insertion and Withdrawal force		≥10N - ≤30N				
	Weight - Metal ²		36g (0.080lb)	37g (0.081lb)	38g (0.083lb)		
	Weight - Thermoplastic ²		18g (0.039lb)	19g (0.041lb)	20g (0.044lb)		
	Typical Cable retention force		22Kg to 44Kg (50lb to 100lb) - Dependent on cable material and diameter.				
	Cable O.D. range - JAWS clamp	Standard Large	3mm to 6.5mm (0.118" to 0.255") 6.5mm to 8mm (0.255" to 0.314")				
	Mechanical Operations		1000 mating cycles				
	MATERIALS	Connector shell - Metal Shell finish		Diecast Zinc Alloy Satin nickel or Black polyester			
Connector shell - Thermoplastic Shell finish		Thermoplastic, UL94V-0 Modified PPE Resin Black					
Insulators		UL94V-0 PBT Resin or Modified PPE Resin					
Boot / Backshell Finish		UL94V-0 Modified PPE Resin or Machined Brass Black, other colours available - see page 154					
Cable clamp (JAWS)		Standard Solder Large Solder	UL94V-0 Modified PPO Resin (Black) UL94V-0 Modified PPO Resin (Purple)				
Cable Bushing		Santoprene					
Male Contact (Solder / Plating)		Stamped Machined	Phosphor Bronze / Silver or Gold (Optional) Brass / Silver or Gold (Optional)				
Female Contact (Solder / Plating)		Stamped Machined	Phosphor Bronze / Tin or Gold (Optional) Brass / Silver or Gold (Optional)				

¹⁾ Not suitable for domestic applications above 50V

²⁾ Approximate weight only, does not include packaging. Please contact us for exact weight for shipping purposes.

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The metal chassis mount connectors are designed for the audio user where durability, reliability and strength across a wide range of applications are important. All products are manufactured to the highest quality standards and will withstand the harshest environments. This range complies with IEC268-12 and AES 14-1992 standards. CSA File Number 68598

Features

- The "D" size housing can be either front or rear mounted using the same panel cutout.
- The "P" size housing is the original wide flange front mounting XLR connector. "PN" is the original narrow flange front mounting male connector.
- A leading first mate last break socket contact is standard on all female connectors (Pin 1).
- Solder cup or Vertical PCB versions.
- Connectors are fitted with a grounding system for RFI shielding applications.
- Available in 3, 4, 5, 6A and 7 contact arrangements.
- Compatible with all other XLR brands.

Options

- Solder Bucket termination
- Vertical PCB contacts
- Zinc Diecast Shell - Satin Nickel Finish
- Zinc Diecast Shell - Black Polyester Finish
- Gold, Silver or Tin Plated Contacts
- Bulk Packaging
- Single Bag packs
- Precision machined contacts
- Cost effective stamped contacts on 3 pole
- Latchless versions (Non-Latching) (Female only)

Note: A ground tag is standard on all AC "Z" series connectors. Although the ground tag is intended for RFI shielding applications, Amphenol cannot guarantee its effectiveness in all cases.

The non-conductive Black polyester finish insulates the ground tag from the shell and should not be used in applications requiring ground contact to the shell.

Ordering Codes

We have listed the more common ordering codes in each section. For further options please refer to the part number breakdown charts. Please contact us if you need any further assistance.

Simple steps to guide you in using this catalogue

- 1) Identify the product group listed in Contents on page 1 and go directly to that page number.
- 2) Each product group cover page then details information and options available.
- 3) Refer to the product detail pages and identify the product you require pictorially.
- 4) Read the product description column for the products standard features.
- 5) Use variations column to determine your choice.
- 6) Identify part number.
- 7) In the event the particular option you require is not listed please refer to the part number breakdown page at the end of each section.
- 8) Please contact us directly if you have any further problems.

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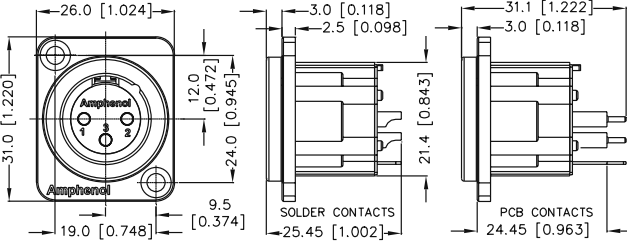
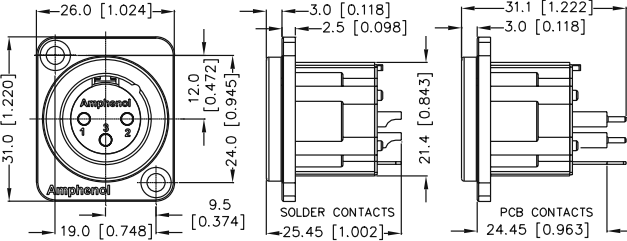
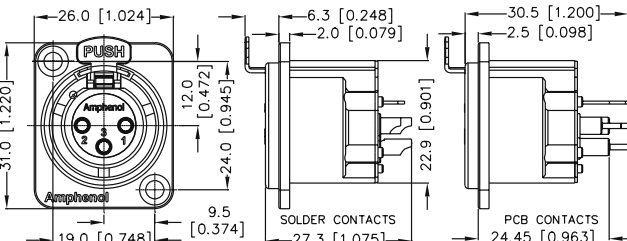
Features:

- Zinc Diecast Shell.
- D size housing can be front or rear mounted using the same panel cutout.
- Solder Bucket connections.
- Vertical PCB mounting.
- Precision machined or Stamped contacts (3 pin only).
- Leading first mate last break socket contact.
- Positive latch lock system.
- M3 threaded holes (Optional).

Options: Stamped contacts (3 contact only), Gold plated contacts, Vertical PCB contacts, Black finish, Non-Latching (Female only), Bulk Pack.

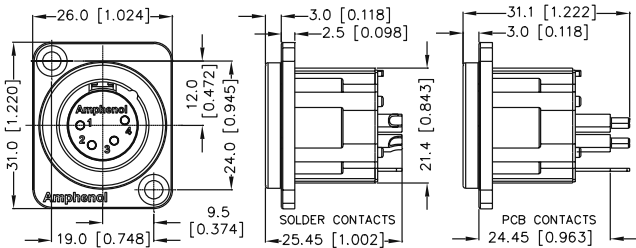
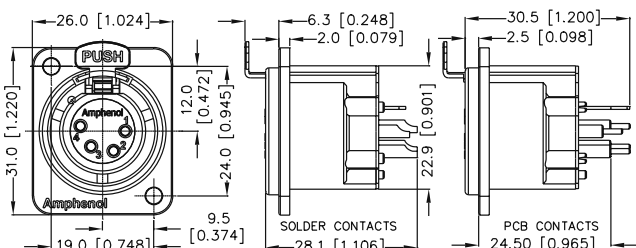
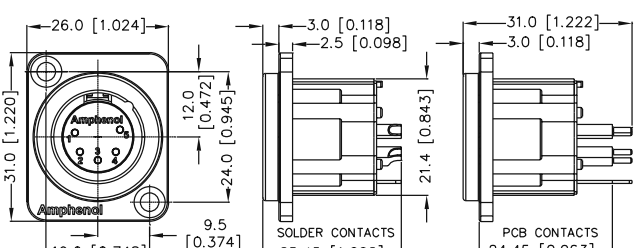
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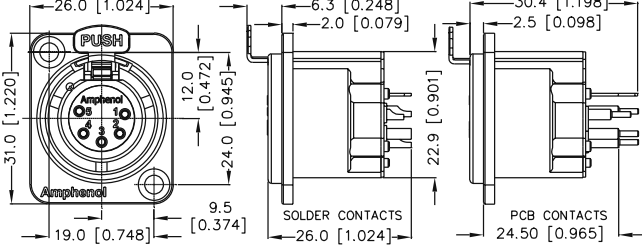
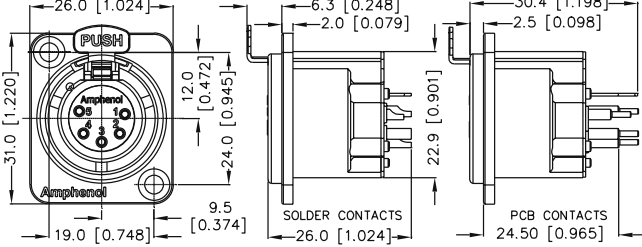
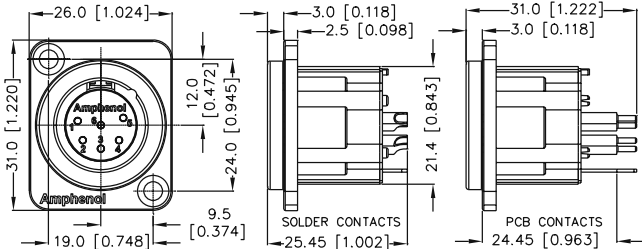
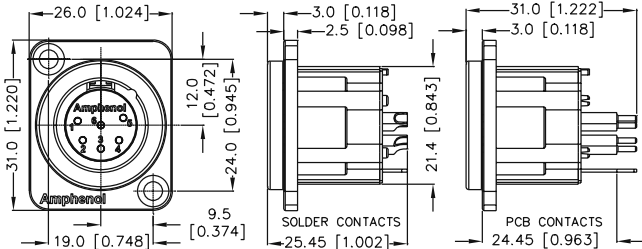
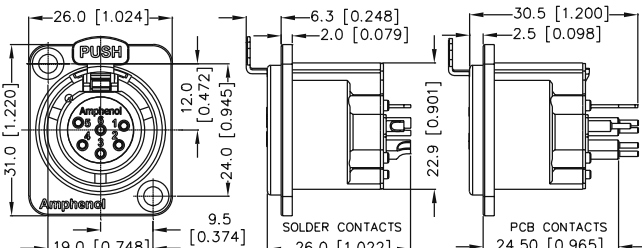
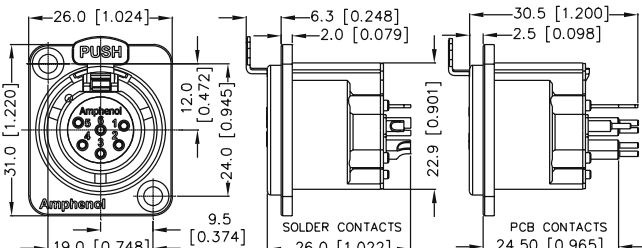
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PRODUCT	DRAWING Dimensions in mm (inches)	DESCRIPTION	VARIATIONS	PART NO.
		XLR 3 pole male, D Flange, Machined contacts, Nickel Finish	Standard	AX3MD
			M3 Threaded Holes	AX3MD-M3
			Vertical PCB	AX3MDV
			M3 Threaded Holes	AX3MDV-M3
		XLR 3 pole male, D Flange, Machined contacts, Black Finish	Standard	AX3MDB
			M3 Threaded Holes	AX3MDB-M3
			Gold Plated Contacts	AX3MDB-AU
			Vertical PCB	AX3MDVB
		XLR 3 pole female, D Flange, Stamped contacts, Nickel Finish	Standard	AX3FD
			M3 Threaded Holes	AX3FD-M3
		XLR 3 pole female, D Flange, Stamped contacts, Black Finish	Standard	AX3FDB
			M3 Threaded Holes	AX3FDB-M3
			Gold Plated Contacts	AX3FDB-AU

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PRODUCT	DRAWING Dimensions in mm (inches)	DESCRIPTION	VARIATIONS	PART NO.
		XLR 4 pole male, D Flange, Machined contacts, Nickel Finish	Standard	AX4MD
			M3 Threaded Holes	AX4MD-M3
			Vertical PCB	AX4MDV
			M3 Threaded Holes	AX4MDV-M3
		XLR 4 pole male, D Flange, Machined contacts, Black Finish	Standard	AX4MDB
			Gold Plated Contacts	AX4MDB-AU
			Vertical PCB	AX4MDVB
		XLR 4 pole female, D Flange, Machined contacts, Nickel Finish	Standard	AX4FD
			M3 Threaded Holes	AX4FD-M3
			Vertical PCB	AX4FDV
			M3 Threaded Holes	AX4FDV-M3
		XLR 4 pole female, D Flange, Machined contacts, Black Finish	Standard	AX4FDB
			Gold Plated Contacts	AX4FDB-AU
			Vertical PCB	AX4FDVB
		XLR 5 pole male, D Flange, Machined contacts, Nickel Finish	Standard	AX5MD
			M3 Threaded Holes	AX5MD-M3
			Vertical PCB	AX5MDV
			M3 Threaded Holes	AX5MDV-M3
		XLR 5 pole male, D Flange, Machined contacts, Black Finish	Standard	AX5MDB
			Gold Plated Contacts	AX5MDB-AU
			Vertical PCB	AX5MDVB

PRODUCT	DRAWING Dimensions in mm (inches)	DESCRIPTION	VARIATIONS	PART NO.
		XLR 5 pole female, D Flange, Machined contacts, Nickel Finish	Standard	AX5FD
			M3 Threaded Holes	AX5FD-M3
			Vertical PCB	AX5FDV
			M3 Threaded Holes	AX5FDV-M3
		XLR 5 pole female, D Flange, Machined contacts, Black Finish	Standard	AX4FDB
			Gold Plated Contacts	AX4FDB-AU
			Vertical PCB	AX4FDVB
		XLR 6A pole male, D Flange, Machined contacts, Nickel Finish	Standard	AX6AMD
			M3 Threaded Holes	AX6AMD-M3
			Vertical PCB	AX6AMDV
			M3 Threaded Holes	AX6AMDV-M3
		XLR 6A pole male, D Flange, Machined contacts, Black Finish	Standard	AX6AMDB
			Gold Plated Contacts	AX6AMDB-AU
			Vertical PCB	AX6AMDVB
		XLR 6A pole female, D Flange, Machined contacts, Nickel Finish	Standard	AX6AFD
			M3 Threaded Holes	AX6AFD-M3
			Vertical PCB	AX6AFDV
			M3 Threaded Holes	AX6AFDV-M3
		XLR 6A pole female, D Flange, Machined contacts, Black Finish	Standard	AX6AFDB
			Gold Plated Contacts	AX6AFDB-AU
			Vertical PCB	AX6AFDVB

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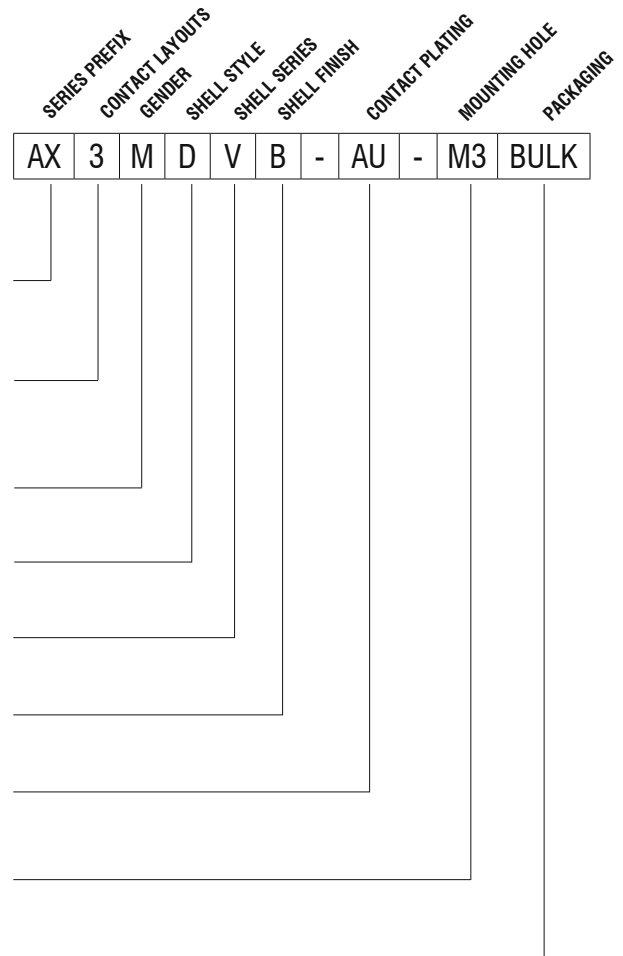
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METAL TYPE FLANGE

E. G. **AX3MDVB-AU-M3 BULK**
AX (Series Prefix), **3** contacts, **Male**, **D** Small Flange, **Vertical** PCB Contact,
Black Polyester Finish, - **AU** (Gold Plated Contacts), - **M3** Mounted Holes,
BULK Packaged.

SERIES PREFIX	AX	=	Series Prefix
CONTACT LAYOUTS	3	=	3 Contacts
	4	=	4 Contacts
	5	=	5 Contacts
	6A	=	6 Contacts
GENDER	F	=	Female Socket Contacts
	M	=	Male Pin Contacts
SHELL STYLE	D	=	Small Flange (front or rear mounting)
SHELL SERIES	Blank	=	Solder Bucket
	V	=	Vertical PCB Contact
SHELL FINISH¹	Blank	=	Nickel Plated Finish
	B	=	Black Polyester Finish
CONTACT PLATING²	Blank	=	Standard Plating
	AU	=	Gold Plated
MOUNTING HOLES	Blank	=	Through Holes
	M3	=	M3 Threaded Holes
PACKAGING	Blank	=	Individual Bags
	BULK	=	Bulk Packed



Note:

¹ Ground contacts are not supplied with the black polyester finish shell option.

³ Non-Latching Versions (Female) available - Please contact us for part number options.

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PRODUCT - FIGURE	DRAWING	Dimensions in mm (inches)	DESCRIPTION	VARIATIONS	PART NUMBER
			XLR 3 pole male, D Flange, Machined contacts, Nickel Finish	Standard	AC3MMDZ
			XLR 3 pole male, D Flange, Machined contacts, Black Finish	Bulk Pack	AC3MMDZ BULK
			XLR 3 pole male, D Flange, Stamped contacts, Nickel Finish	Standard	AC3MDZ
			XLR 3 pole male, D Flange, Stamped contacts, Black Finish	Bulk Pack	AC3MDZ BULK
			XLR 3 pole female, D Flange, Stamped contacts, Nickel Finish	Standard	AC3FDZ
			XLR 3 pole female, D Flange, Stamped contacts, Black Finish	Bulk Pack	AC3FDZ BULK
			XLR 3 pole female, D Flange, Stamped contacts, Nickel Finish	Standard	AC3FDZB
			XLR 3 pole female, D Flange, Stamped contacts, Black Finish	Bulk Pack	AC3FDZB BULK
			XLR 3 pole female, D Flange, Stamped contacts, Nickel Finish	Standard	AC3FDZB
			XLR 3 pole female, D Flange, Stamped contacts, Black Finish	Bulk Pack	AC3FDZB BULK