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1.0 SCOPE

This specification details the crimping information and common practices for general crimps for the Molex UCC2.8 receptacle terminal per sales drawing SD-98898-100. Please refer to the sales drawing for additional part information.

The information in this document is for reference and benchmark purposes only.

The user is responsible for validating crimp performance based on tooling, equipment and wire that is being used.

All measurements are noted in Millimeter and Newton unless otherwise specified.

2.0 PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

Material number	Plating	Crimping range (mm ²)
0988981029	Pre tinned	0.35 to 0.75
0988981039	Pre tinned	1.0 to 2.50
0988981049	Pre tinned	3.0 to 5.0



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CONDUCTOR BRUSH

The conductor brush is made up of the wire strands that extend past the conductor crimp on the contact side of the terminal. This helps ensure that mechanical compression occurs over the full length of the conductor crimp. The conductor brush should not extend into the contact area or above the conductor crimp height. CAUTION: Excessive conductor brush extended above the transition/crimp can cause connector water leak by compromising the glands of the matte seal.



CONDUCTOR CRIMP

This is the metallurgical compression of a terminal around the wire's conductor. This connection creates a common electrical path with low resistance and high current carrying capabilities.

CONDUCTOR CRIMP HEIGHT

The conductor crimp height is measured from the top surface of the formed crimp to the bottom most radial surface. Do not include the extrusion points in this measurement. Measuring crimp height is a quick, non-destructive way to help ensure the correct metallurgical compression of a terminal around the wire's conductor and is an excellent attribute for process control. The crimp height specification is typically set as a balance between electrical and mechanical performance over the complete range of wire stranding and coatings, and terminal materials and plating. Although it is possible to optimize a crimp height to individual wire stranding and terminal plating, one crimp height specification is normally created.

CUT-OFF TAB LENGTH

This is the material that protrudes outside the insulation crimp after the terminal is separated from the carrier strip. A cut-off tab that is too long may expose a terminal outside the housing, it may fail electrical spacing requirements or could lead to excessive seal tears in matte sealed connectors. In most situations, a tool is setup to provide a cut-off tab that shall not exceed value indicated in **table 2**, no burrs. CAUTION: Excessive length or burrs can cause connector water leak by compromising the glands of the matte seal.

EXTRUSIONS (ANVIL FLASH)

These are the small flares that form on the bottom of the conductor crimp resulting from the clearance between the punch and anvil tooling. If the anvil is worn or the terminal is over-crimped, excessive extrusion can result. An uneven extrusion may also result if the punch and anvil alignment is not correct, if the feed adjustment is off, or if there is insufficient/excessive terminal drag. CAUTION: Excessive length or burrs can cause connector water leak by compromising the glands of the matte seal.





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INSULATION CRIMP HEIGHT

Insulation crimp heights are specified in **table 1**. UCC2 2.8 receptacle terminals are designed to accommodate multiple wire ranges and within the terminal range, an insulation grip may not completely surround the wire or fully surround the diameter of the wire, this condition will still provide an acceptable insulation crimp. To evaluate the insulation section cut the wire flush with the back of the terminal. Once the optimum setting for the application is determined it is important to document the insulation crimp height. Then, as part of the setup procedure the operator can check the crimp height.

INSULATION POSITION

This is the location of the insulation in relation to the transition area between the conductor and insulation crimps. Equal amounts of the conductor strands and insulation needs to be visible in the transition area. The insulation position ensures that the insulation is crimped along the full length of the insulation crimp, and that no insulation gets crimped under the conductor crimp. The insulation position is set by the wire stop and strip length for bench applications. For automatic wire processing applications the insulation position is set by the position is set by the position position is set by the pos

STRIP LENGTH

The strip length is determined by measuring the exposed conductor strands after the insulation is removed. The strip length determines the conductor brush length when the insulation position is centered between conductor and insulation crimps. CAUTION: Care must be taken not to leave indentations on the wire surface during the strip and cut operation as this can affect the integrity of grommet to wire seal performance and can cause wire leaks.

GRIP INSULATION STEP 2

The designed offset between the conductor grip and the insulation grip. Not to be altered by crimp process.

Grip Insulation Step						
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4.0 PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS

Terminal crimps were validated per the following standards and specifications:

- International wire standard ISO 6722.
- PSA wire specification B251110

<u>Table 1</u>

TERMINAL	WIRE (IR)		CONDUCTOR BARREL		INSULATION BARREL		CRIMPING TYPE	INSULATION GRIP STEP	WIRE / TERMINAL	
Material number	Nominal cross section (mm²)	Effective cross section (mm²)	Insulatior diameter	CCH ?	CCW (0/+0.05) ?	ICH (± 0.10) ?	ICW (0/+0.05) ?	See picture on the next page	(± 0.10) 2	Minimum axial pull-out force (N)
	0.35	0.314 min 0.341 max	1.25 min 1.40 max	1.05±0.04		2.25		Single wire		60
0000001000	0.50	0.461 min 0.501 max	1.40 min 1.70 max	1.10±0.04	(2.1)	2.45	(2.5)	Single wire	0.15	70
0900901029	0.75	0.692 min 0.752 max	1.70 min 1.90 max	1.15±0.04	(2.1)	2.65	(2.5)	Single wire	0.15	90
	0.35 + 0.35	0.628 min 0.682 max	2.50 min 2.80 max	1.10±0.04		2.50		Double wire		60
	1.00	0.924 min 1.004 max	1.99 min 2.15 max	1.45±0.05		2.90		Single wire		115
0988981039	1.50	1.346 min 1.459 max	2.10 min 2.40 max	1.50 ±0.05		3.10		Single wire		155
	2.00	1.812 min 1.971 max	2.50 min 2.80 max	1.65 ±0.05		3.20	(3.85)	Single wire	0.75	195
	2.50	2.249 min 2.442 max	2.65 min 3.00 max	1.70 ±0.05	(2.85)	3.35		Single wire		235
	0.35 + 1.00	1.238 min 1.345 max	3.24 min 3.55 max	1.50±0.05		3.15		Double wire		60
	0.35 + 2.00	2.126 min 2.312 max	3.75 min 4.20 max	1.70 ±0.05		3.50		Double wire		60
	1.00 + 1.00	1.848 min 2.008 max	3.98 min 4.30 max	1.65±0.05		3.45		Double wire		115
	3.00	2.776 min 3.016 max	3.25 min 3.45 max	1.95±0.05		4.00		Single wire		260
	4.00	3.624 min 3.942 max	3.70 min 3.90 max	2.10±0.05		4.15		Single wire		320
0988981049	5.00	4.332 min 4.715 max	3.80 min 4.00 max	2.40±0.05	(3.2)	4.30	(4.1)	Single wire	0.3	300
	1.00 + 2.00	2.736 min 2.975 max	4.49 min 4.95 max	1.70±0.05		4.10		Double wire		115
	2.00 + 2.00	3.624 min 3.942 max	5.00 min 5.60 max	2.00±0.05		4.30		Double wire		195
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Crimping type : Single Wire



Crimping type : Double Wire



Put the smaller wire underneath

<u>Table 2</u>

TERM.		Material number \rightarrow	0988981029	0988981039	0988981049		
WIRE		Nominal cross section $(mm^2) \rightarrow$	0.35 to 0.75	1.0 to 2.50	3.0 to 5.0		
	1	Bend Up		2° MAX			
	2	Bend Down		2° MAX			
#	3	Twisting	2° MAX				
[#] NO	4	Rolling	6° MAX				
LLO	5	Rear Bell Mouth	Visible				
ΒA	6	Front Bell Mouth	Visible				
	7	Cut-off tab length	0.2 MAX				
	8	Conductor length / Wire brush	0.2 to 1.0 mm Not to exceed above conductor crimp height				
	9	Wire strip length		4.50			
	10	Conductor Crimp Height	See Table 1				
	11	Conductor Crimp Width	See Table 1				
	12	Insulation Crimp Height	See Table 1				
	13	Insulation Crimp Width	See Table 1				

Customers are required to complete validation testing if tooling and/or wire specifications are different than above.

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REDUCTION RATIO

The reduction ratio is obtained by formula:

CONDUCTOR CROSS SECTION AREA AFTER CRIMPING REDUCTION RATIO = (1 - ()) x 100 REAL CONDUCTOR CROSS SECTION AREA **BEFORE CRIMPING**

Requirement: 15 % MINI and 25 % MAXI

5.0 REFERENCE DOCUMENTS

Reference documentation for general practices is located on the website per the below links: Molex Quality Crimping Handbook i.

http://www.molex.com/images/products/apptool/qual_crimp.pdf

Molex-Recognizing Good Crimps ii.

http://www.molex.com, search for Application Tooling

6.0 PROCEDURE

6.1 GENERAL MEASUREMENT AND EVALUATION REQUIREMENTS

Crimp Height Measurement (Extrusion Evaluation)



- 1. Complete tool set-up procedure.
- 2. Crimp a minimum of 5 samples.



3. Place the flat blade of the crimp micrometer (Figure 3) across the center of the dual radii of the conductor crimp. Do not take the measurement near the conductor bell mouth.

4. Rotate the micrometer dial until the point contacts the bottom most radial surface. If using a caliper, be certain not to measure the extrusion points (anvil flash) of the crimp.

5. To check for extrusion (anvil flash) use the caliper (Figure 4) to measure the crimp height. If the caliper measurement is greater than the crimp micrometer measurement the extrusion is not acceptable. CAUTION: Excessive extrusion can cause connector water leak.

Figure 3

Figure 4

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6.2 CRIMP TOOLING GEOMETRY

The crimp tooling information shown below is based on the tooling that Molex used to perform (Crimp performance) and to establish recommended crimp height and widths. The user is responsible for validating crimp performance based on tooling, equipment and wire that is being used.









CRIMP STRAIGHTNESS

A method to maintain crimp straightness is shown in figure 6a below.



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