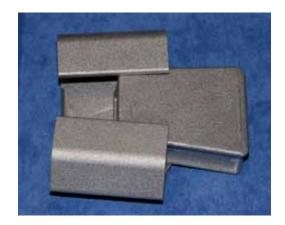




Wedgtap Connectors for Network Rail







WEDGTAP provides a successful and well-proven method of making tap connections onto both aluminium and copper overhead line conductors. Manufactured from high conductivity materials the connector uses an inner wedge that is power driven between the main and tap conductors locking them into a 'C' shaped outer body. A wiping action takes place during installation along the contact faces of the conductors effectively removing surface oxides and supplementing wire brushing. The contact grooves of the WEDGTAP are lined with Bicon 'X1' Inhibitor compound to enhance contact surface integrity.

The WEDGTAP connectors incorporate many features hitherto unavailable in a single design concept.

- •Easily assembled onto conductor
- Provides visual indiction of correct connector/conductor combination prior to installation.
- Disconnectable
- •Maintains full tensile value of conductors
- Range Taking
- •Withstands high fault currents
- •Can be installed 'Live Line'
- •Fully tested to BS3288 Pt1 & ESI 43-92 and meets the Accelerated lifetime Test Procedure (ECRC)







DESCRIPTION

Material Weight

Body Heat-treated aluminium extrusion Medium (WG-AM) 100 grms
Insert Aluminium die-casting Large (Wg-AL) 300 grms

| TOOLING | | | | CARTRIDGE/BOOSTER | | | |
|----------|--------|---------------|--------|-------------------|--------|--------------------|--------|
| TYPE | | TAKE OFF CLIP | | Prysmian | | BURNDY | |
| Prysmian | BURNDY | Prysmian | BURNDY | Install | Remove | Install | Remove |
| MP100 | WTRB | MPA4 | WTOCBR | YELLOW | GREEN | BLUE (WG-AM types) | RED |
| MP200 | WTY | MPA1 | WTOCY | YELLOW | GREEN | BLUE (WG-AL types) | RED |

Cartridge Refs for Prysmian MP100 & MP200 tools:- Green (WGCG) Yellow (WGCY) Booster Refs for Burndy WTRB & WTY tools:- Red (WPBRN) Blue (WPBBN)

ALUMINIUM WEDGTAP DETAILS

| Тар | MAIN CONDUCTOR (mm) | | | | | | |
|-------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|------------------------|--------------------------|--|--|--|
| Conductor (mm) | 19/4.22 AAC | 21 Dia Rod | 19/3.25 AAC | 7/3.95 AWAC | | | |
| 10.5 Dia Rod | WG4ALH* (0091/002270) | WG4ALH* (0091/002270) | | WG2AMBR (0091/002279) | | | |
| 7/3.95 AWAC | WG4ALH* (0091/002270) | WG4ALH* (0091/002271) | | WG2AMBR (0091/002279) | | | |
| 21 Dia Rod | WG9AL (0091/002271) | WG9AL (0091/002271) | WG7AL (0091/002272) | | | | |
| 19/4.22 AAC | WG9AL (0091/002271) | | | | | | |

^{*}These connectors have individual MAIN and TAP positions

MEDIUM (WG-AM)

LARGE (WG-AL & ALH)

