

## CONNECTORS, AMPHENOL 126 SERIES

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## LEADING PARTICULARS

<b>Voltage rating</b>			
Standard rectangular	...	900V r.m.s. at sea level	
Miniature rectangular	Type A and B	700V r.m.s. at sea level	
	Type C and D	600V r.m.s. at sea level	
Miniature hexagonal	...	500V r.m.s. at sea level	
<b>Contact rating</b>			
Size 20 contacts	...	7.5A	
16 flattened and pierced	...	13A	
16 solder bucket	...	17A	
12	...	23A	
<b>Dielectric material</b>	...	Standard rectangular Mica-filled phenolic	
		Miniature rectangular Melamine	
		Miniature hexagonal Diallyl phthalate	
<b>Insulation resistance at 500V</b>	...	20 megohms	
<b>Temperature range</b>			
Standard rectangular	...	0 deg. C. to +105 deg. C.	
Miniature rectangular	...	-55 deg. C. to +105 deg. C.	
Miniature hexagonal	...	-60 deg. C. to +125 deg. C.	
<b>Millivolt drop between contacts at full rated current</b>			
Standard rectangular connectors	Contact size	Rated current	mV drop
	20	7.5A	37.5mV
	16	13 A	65 mV
	12	23 A	46 mV
Miniature rectangular connectors	Contact size	Rated current	mV drop
	20	7.5A	37.5mV
	16	17 A	37.5mV
Miniature hexagonal connectors	Contact size	Rated current	mV drop
	20	7.5A	37.5mV

## Introduction

1. The 126 Series range of rack and panel connectors is divided into three types: standard rectangular, miniature rectangular and miniature hexagonal.

## DESCRIPTION

### Standard rectangular connectors

2. 126 Series standard rectangular connectors (fig. 1) have eyelets inserted in the mounting holes for added strength. The male contacts are moulded into the insert and have flattened and pierced terminations. To prevent accidental shorting, the connectors have interlocking barriers.

3. In addition to their use as rack and panel connectors, most of the pin and socket inserts in this part of the range are available with housings having top entry cable clamps. These give facilities for cable to chassis and cable to cable inter-connection. Socket inserts are float-mounted

in the moulding to ensure easy mating. Contact sizes and part numbers are given in Table 1.

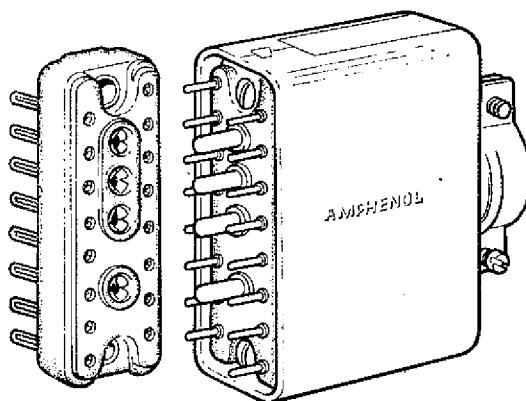


Fig. 1. Typical mating pair, standard rectangular

TABLE 1

### Shell types—Standard rectangular connectors

Contact size and current rating	Insert with shell			Insert only	
	Male	Female		Male	Female
12 AWG 23A	16 AWG 13A	20 AWG 7.5A			
2	—	9	126-809	126-808	126-804*
3	—	12	126-152	126-153	126-151
4	—	16	126-811	126-810	126-806*
—	20	—	—	—	126-813
* Shells with side cable outlets available for these inserts.					

### Miniature rectangular connectors

4. This part of the range is used for rack and panel connection only. Types A and B are of similar construction and a typical connector is

illustrated at fig. 2. Types C and D are also of similar construction and a Type C mated pair is illustrated at fig. 3. Dielectric bodies are of melamine and contacts and polarizing pins are of gold

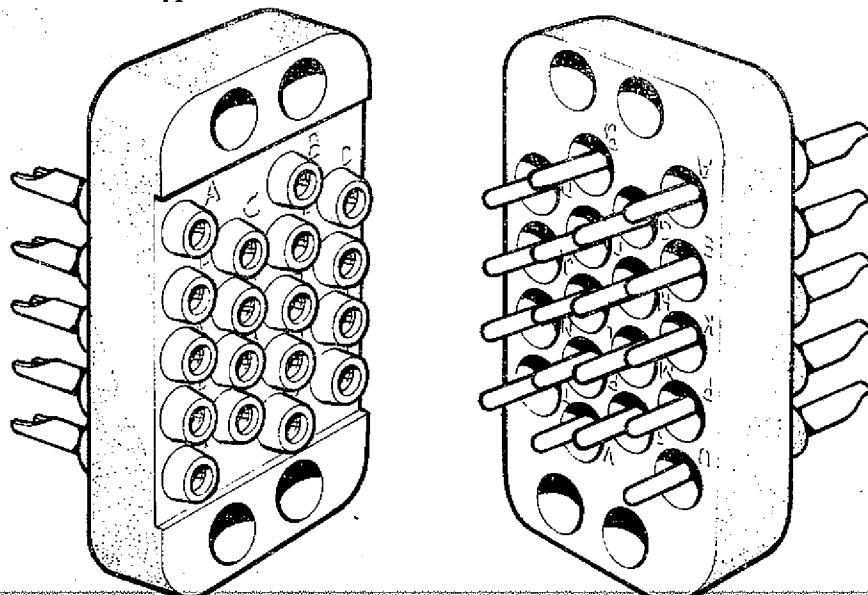


Fig. 2. Typical mating pair, miniature rectangular Type B

plate over silver. Contacts have solder buckets for cable connection. Contact details and manufacturers part numbers are listed in Table 2. Current rating for Types A and B is 17A, for Types C and D 7.5A.

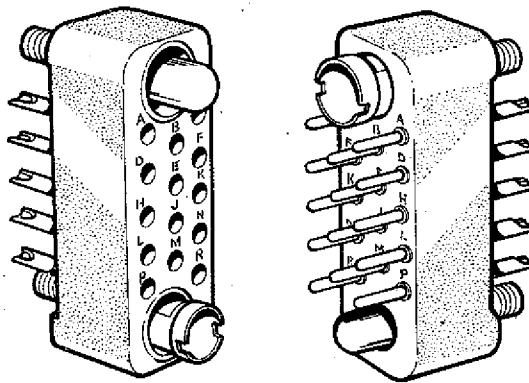


Fig. 3. Typical mating pair, miniature rectangular Type C

TABLE 2  
Miniature rectangular connectors  
(Solder bucket contacts)

Type	Number of contacts, contact size and current rating		Insert only	
	16 AWG	20 AWG	Pin contacts	Socket contacts
A	7	17A	126-016	126-017
	15		126-204	126-205
B	18		126-206	126-207
C	14		126-173	126-174
	18		126-199	126-189
	21		126-171	126-172
D	34	7.5A	126-188	126-187

#### Miniature hexagonal connectors

5. Typical examples of this type of connector are illustrated in fig. 4. The hexagon nut type has a moulded thread and mounting nut and is available with either pin or socket contacts. An alternative chassis mounted receptacle with locking clip is available for cable to chassis inter-connection and mates with a plug fitted with hood and cable clamp. Contacts are gold plated for easy soldering. Table 3 lists part numbers and constructional details.

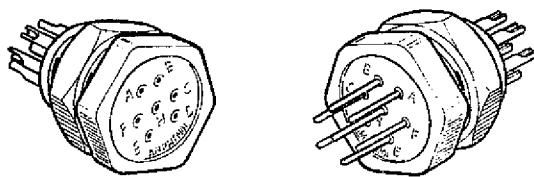


Fig. 4. Miniature hexagonal connectors

TABLE 3  
Miniature hexagonal connectors

No. and type of contacts	with hexagon nut	Insert with locking clip	with hood and clamp
4 pin		126-214	
4 socket		126-215	hood only
5 pin	126-010	126-216	126-217
5 socket	126-011	126-218	126-223
7 pin	126-191	126-197	126-195
7 socket	126-192	126-198	126-196
9 pin	126-012	126-219	126-220
9 socket	126-013	126-221	126-222

TABLE 4  
NATO and Stores Ref. Numbers

Plugs	NATO No. or Ref. No.
126-151	10H/22703
126-152	5935-99-932-1556
126-804	10H/24605
126-806	10H/22704
126-811	5935-99-932-1792
126-GB-806-2001	5935-99-932-2421
Sockets	
126-GB-807-2002	5935-99-940-2181
126-150	10H/22706
126-153	5935-99-932-1557
126-222	5935-99-101-9794
126-805	10H/24606
126-807	10H/22705
126-810	5935-99-932-1793

#### SERVICING

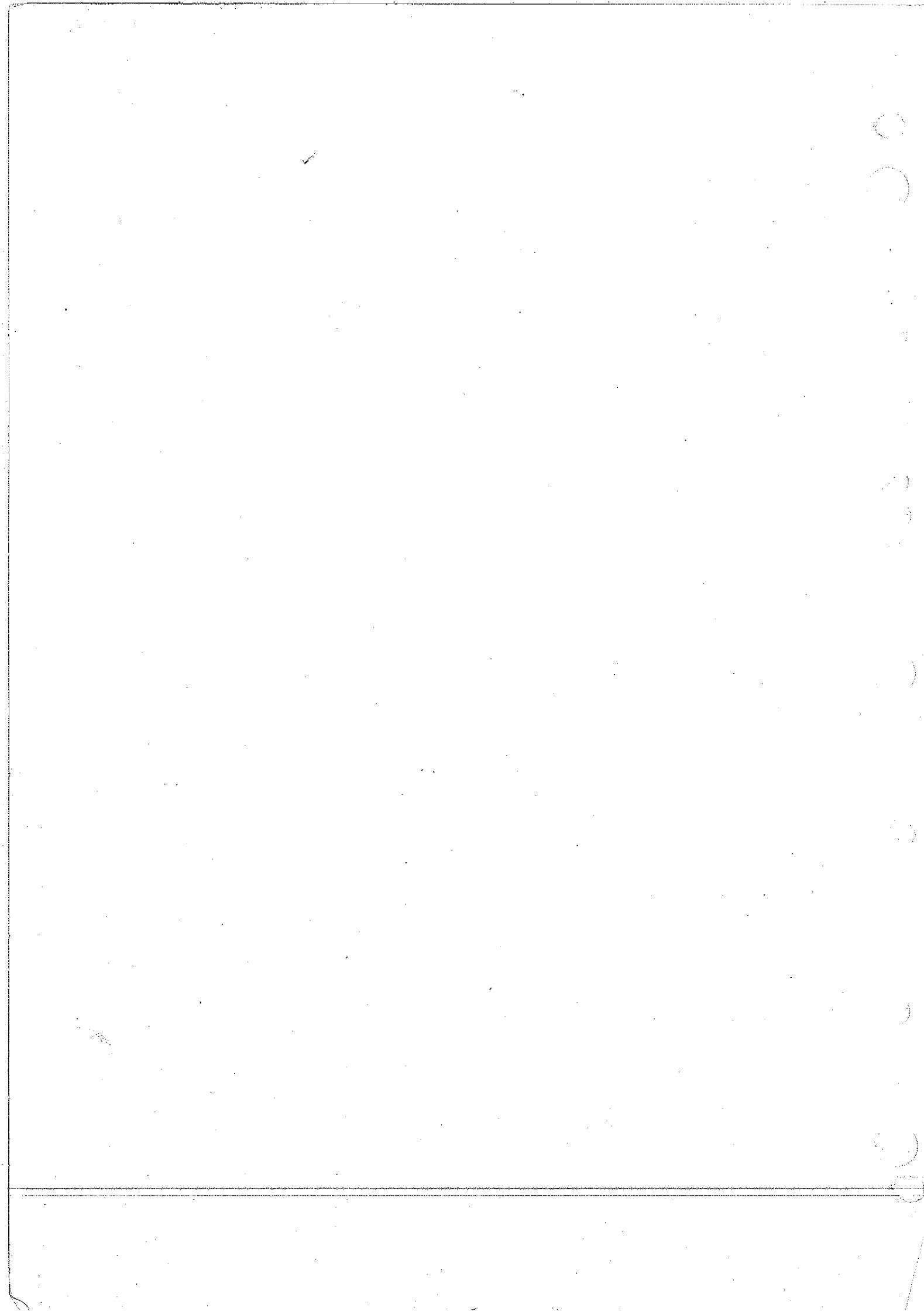
6. Servicing is restricted to a physical examination for damage to contacts, dielectric material and hardware. Should cleaning be necessary, due to contamination with oil, grease, etc., any approved cleaning agent may be used, e.g. Inhibisol.

#### Contact resistance test

7. This may be checked by measuring the mV drop across mated contacts with the full rated current flowing. The reading obtained should not be less than the relevant figure indicated under leading particulars.

#### Insulation resistance test

8. Using a 500V insulation resistance tester, measure the insulation resistance between adjacent contacts and the shell (where applicable). The reading should not be less than 20 megohms.



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