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Introduction

This family of connectors is derived from MIL-C-83527 with which it is intermateable and interchangeable. It offers a comprehensive range of contact arrangements. The plug is fitted with a grounding spring system which is replaceable in the field. It is particularly for use **on rack application** in zones of severe environmental conditions on board aircraft, applying EN 2282.

1 Scope

This European Standard specifies the general characteristics, the conditions for qualification, acceptance and quality assurance, as well as the test programs and groups for connectors intended for use in a temperature range from – 65 °C to 150 °C continuous.

2 Normative references

The following documents, in whole or in part, are normatively referenced in this document and are indispensable for its application. For dated references, only the edition cited applies. For undated references, the latest edition of the referenced document (including any amendments) applies.

EN 2282, *Aerospace series — Characteristics of aircraft electrical supplies*

EN 2267-002, *Aerospace series — Cables, electrical, for general purpose — Operating temperatures between – 55 °C and 260 °C — Part 002: General*

EN 2591 (all parts), *Aerospace series — Elements of electrical and optical connection — Test methods*

EN 3155 (all parts), *Aerospace series — Electrical contacts used in elements of connection*

EN 3197, *Aerospace series - Design and installation of aircraft electrical and optical interconnection systems*

EN 3682 (all parts), *Aerospace series — Connectors, plug and receptacle, electrical, rectangular, interchangeable insert type, rack to panel, operating temperature 150 °C continuous*

EN 3909, *Aerospace series — Test fluids and test methods for electric components and sub-assemblies*

EN 4529-002, *Aerospace series — Elements of electrical and optical connection — Sealing plugs — Part 002: Index of product standards*

EN 9133, *Aerospace series — Quality management systems — Qualification procedure for aerospace standard parts*

MIL-C-83527 (all parts), *Connectors, plug and receptacle, electrical, rectangular multiple insert type, rack to panel, environment resisting, 150 °C total continuous operating temperature* ¹⁾

MIL-L-15719, (Amendment 3), *Military specification, lubricating grease (High temperature, electric motor, ball and roller bearings)* ¹⁾

MIL-STD-454, *Military standard — Standard General Requirements for Electronic Equipment* ¹⁾

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3 Terms and definitions

For the purposes of this document, the terms and definitions given in EN 2591-100 and the following apply.

3.1

LRU

Line Replaceable Unit

4 Description

4.1 General

The pair of connectors has the following characteristics:

- a metal to metal bottoming (see Figure 1);
- the interface between the plug and the receptacle connectors provides a seal between contacts when mated;
- when mated together, the connector pair and cable passage grommets are leak tight;
- inserts (except 1-70C1) are provided with an O-ring seal which provides sealing between the housing and the insert.
- low insertion force contacts;
- size 22 male contacts are mechanically protected by their installation in the insert;
- shielding continuity is provided between mated connectors housings;
- field replaceable inserts;
- EMI grounding springs are removable and field replaceable.

The connectors use sizes 22, 20, 16 and 12 crimp contacts; sizes 5, 12 and 16 coaxial contacts, size 8 triaxial contacts, quadrax contacts and fibre optical contacts.

Polarization posts and keys are provided to ensure correct connection, and these may be turned around, as required, by the user, giving 99 different connection combinations.

4.2 Receptacle

The receptacle has three polarization keys. Depending upon its housing size, the receptacle will have 2, 4, or 6 inserts.

Size 22 contacts in the receptacle are always female contacts. All larger contact sizes are male contacts.

4.3 Plug

The plug has three polarization posts. Depending upon its housing size, the plug will have 2, 4 or 6 inserts.

Size 22 contacts in the plug are always male contacts. All larger contact sizes are female contacts.

The plug is fitted with field replaceable grounding spring systems.

4.4 Materials and surface treatment

4.4.1 General

When dissimilar metals are in close contact, adequate protection against corrosion shall be used for the electromotive force of the cell not to exceed 0,25 V.

4.4.2 Housings

Connector housing material shall be protected against corrosion by a protective coating, enabling the specified test criteria to be met.

4.4.3 Contacts

Removable contacts, see EN 3682-002.

4.4.4 Non-metallic materials

The materials used for inserts, seals and grommets shall have a hardness and the mechanical and electrical characteristics consistent with the required use.

5 Design

5.1 Housings

Connector housing shall be a one piece unit. The plug shall be fitted with a resilient peripheral seal to provide environmental peripheral sealing and stabilizing between mating housings.

Electrical contact between the housings shall occur before electrical contact engagement.

5.2 Inserts

Insert shall be interchangeable and made of a rigid dielectric material or metallic material when specified. Cross-sections and angle radii shall be sufficient to ensure that no cracking, chipping or breakage can occur in normal use.

The insert shall be rear removable from the housing and shall be mechanically retained in the housing. The removal of an insert from the shell shall be done by using no other tool than a screwdriver. To install the insert in the shell, it will be necessary to lubricate the O-ring with a lubricant such as specified by MIL-L-15719.

The mating face of the insert shall ensure that a good sealing is provided when connectors are mated together. The interfacial seal shall be bonded on the insert for size 22 female contacts and on the insert for male contacts of other sizes.

The grommet shall permit sealing for all cable diameters indicated in EN 3682-002 and shall not be removable.

For sizes 5 and 8 contacts, the insert contact cavity and the grommet shall accept the sealing boots described in EN 4529-002.

The mechanical contact retention system shall be integrated in the hard insert.

Connectors shall be designed to allow the installation and removal of individual contacts without having to remove the insert from the housing. Inserts shall be for rear release rear removable contacts. Insertion, extraction tools are those specified in EN 3155 standard series.

All inserts (except 2-62Q2) having both size 8 quadrax contacts cavities and size 22 contacts cavities have a step on their front face. Inserts for receptacle connectors have the size 22 contact cavities at a higher elevation than the other contact sizes cavities. Inserts for plug connectors have the size 22 contact cavities recessed compared to the other contact cavity sizes.

6 Definition drawings and masses

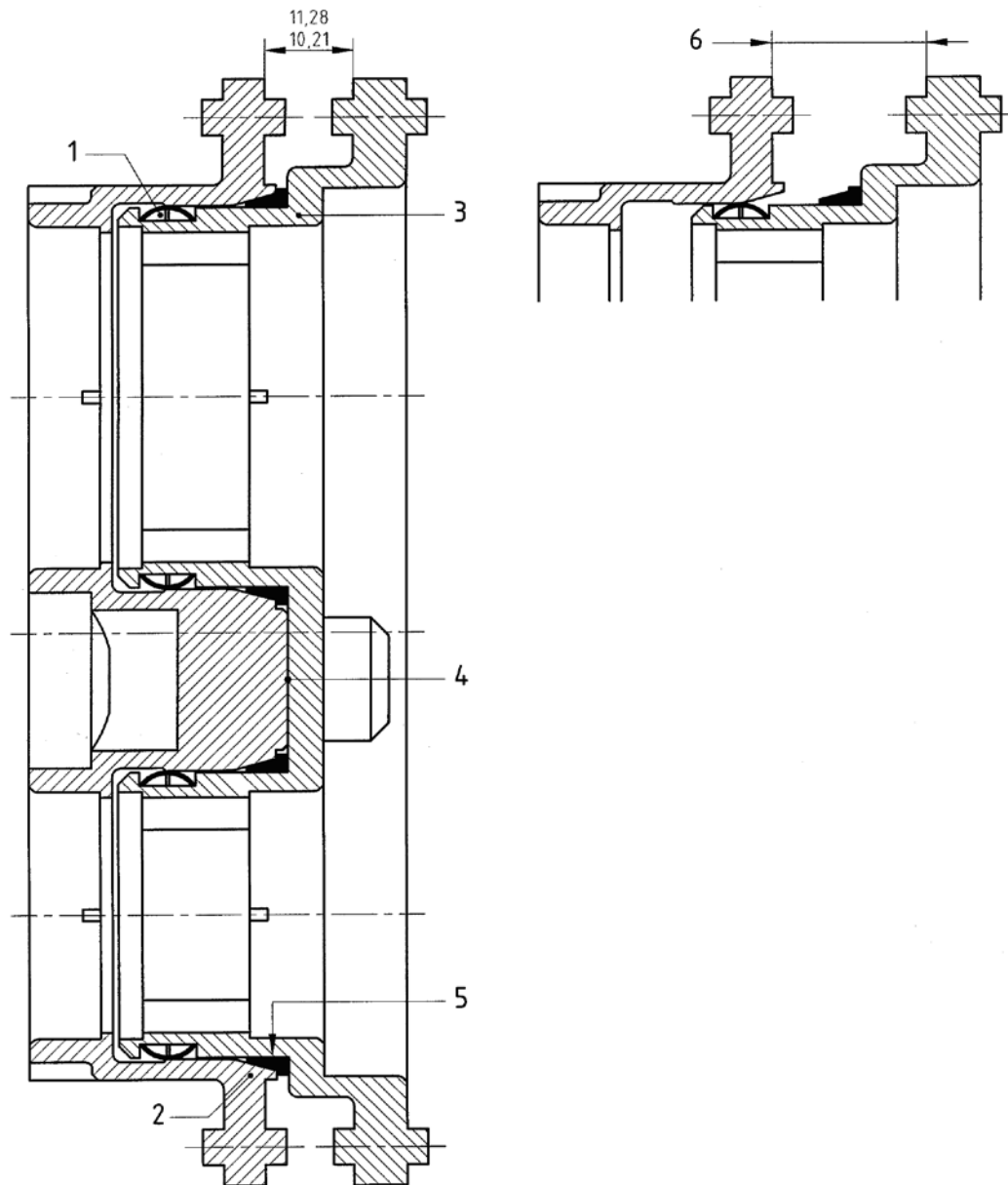
General dimensions and masses of plug, receptacle and inserts are given in the product standards.

6.1 Connector mating dimensions

Connectors mated conditions are shown in Figure 1.

Contact position is defined in Figure 2.

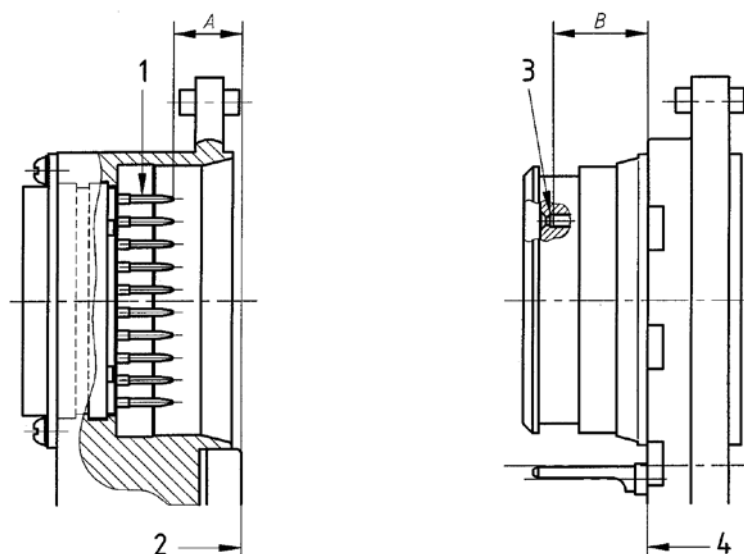
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Key

- 1 Grounding spring system
- 2 Receptacle assembly
- 3 Plug assembly
- 4 Metal to metal bottoming on both sides of polarizing key retaining plate
- 5 Stabilizer
- 6 $X = 21,64$ initial engagement max.

Figure 1 — Connector mated conditions



Key

- 1 Size 22 socket contact - Other size pin contact
- 2 Mechanical bottom of receptacle
- 3 Size 22 pin contact - Other size socket contact
- 4 Mechanical bottom of plug

Figure 2

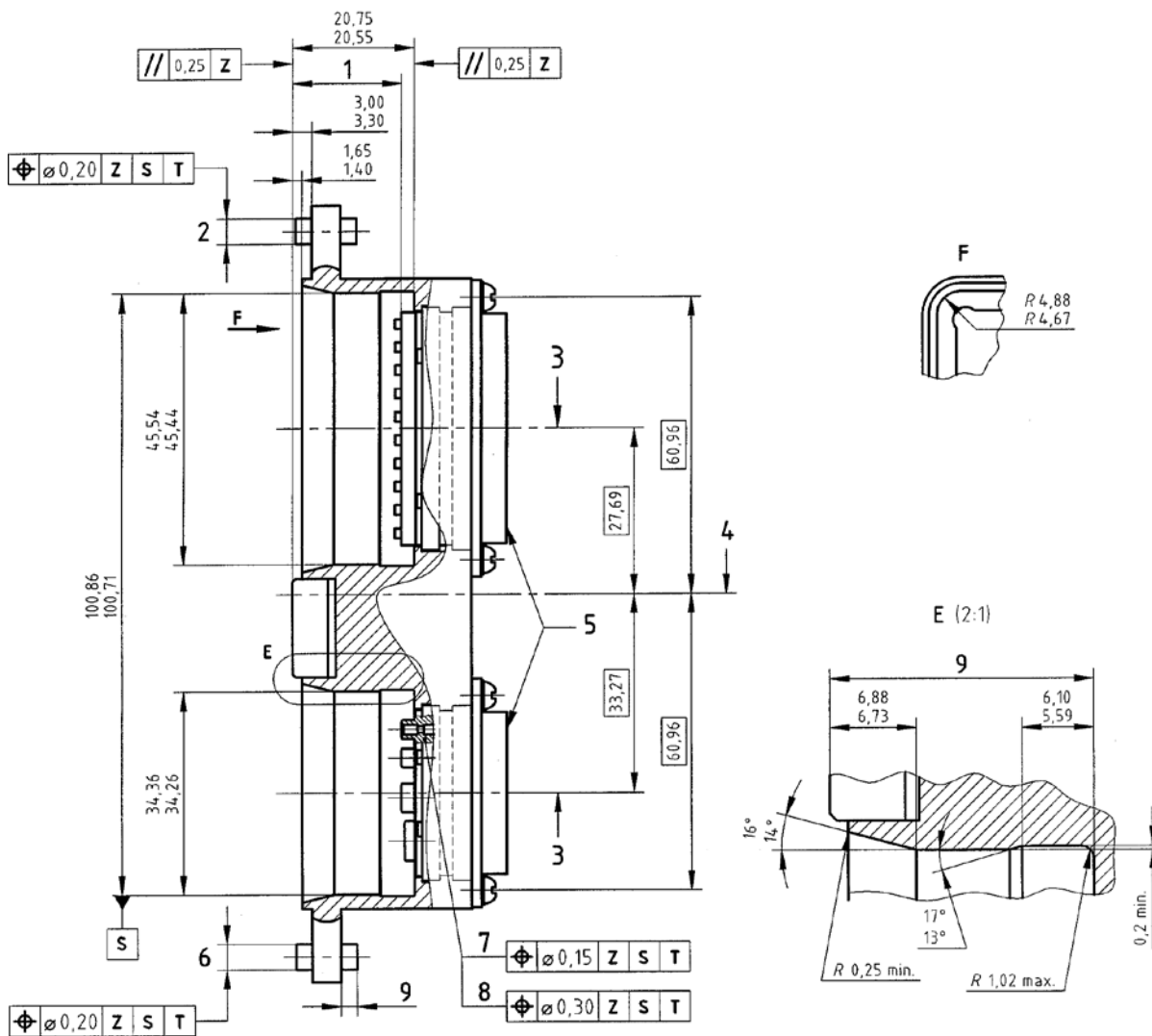
Table 1 — Contact position

Contact size	Male		Female	
	A	B	A	B
22	—	17,20/16,33	11,18/10,56	—
20	12,19/11,12	—	—	18,82/17,55
16 ^a	10,34/9,07	—	—	18,31/17,04
12	10,34/9,17	—	—	18,14/17,02
Triaxial size 8 ^b	11,07/10,21	—	—	18,44/17,58
Quadrax size 8 ^b	11,07/10,21	—	—	18,44/17,58
Coaxial size 16 ^c	10,34/9,07	—	—	18,31/17,04
Coaxial size 12	12,19/10,97	—	—	18,11/16,92
Coaxial size 5	11,18/10,26	—	—	18,44/17,58
Coaxial size 1	10,79/9,83	—	—	20,34/19,53
^a For arrangements 1-126 and 2-62Q2, A = 7,83/7,07 and B = 15,76/15,04. ^b For arrangements 2-62Q2, A = 8,78/8,04 and B = 15,92/15,13. ^c For arrangements 1-126 and 2-62Q2, A = 7,98/7,07 and B = 15,76/15,05.				

6.2 Receptacle mating dimensions

Mating dimensions for sizes 2, 3 and 4 receptacle housings are specified on Figures 3, 4, 5 and 6 and Tables 2, 3 and 4.

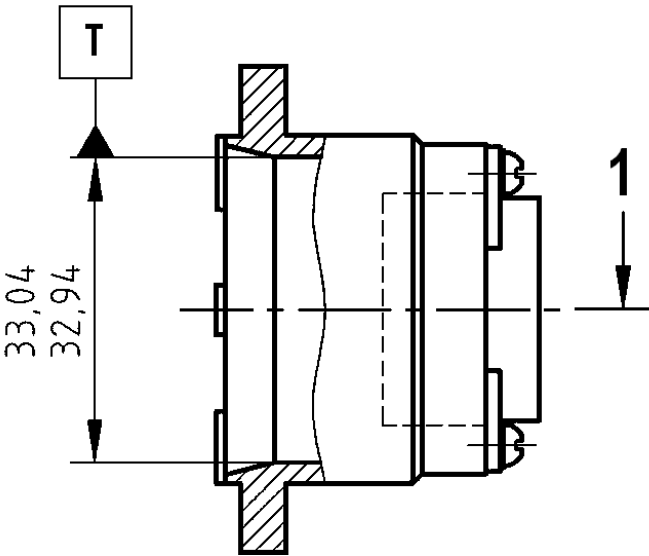
Dimensions are in millimetres.



Key

- | | | | | | |
|---|--------------------|---|---|---|------------------|
| 1 | 18,57
18,37 | for size 22 socket inserts | 6 | Boss (twice) | Ø 4,78
Ø 4,70 |
| 2 | Boss (twice) | Ø 3,99
Ø 3,91 | 7 | Type all size 22 contact cavities (see Table 11) | |
| 3 | Centre line insert | | 8 | Type all other size contact cavities | |
| 4 | Center line |  | 9 | 21,03
20,83 for other size pin inserts - To face of rigid | |
| 5 | Insert assembly | | | Insert except 1-126 and 2-62Q2 where the distance is
18,37 / 18,57 | |

Figure 3



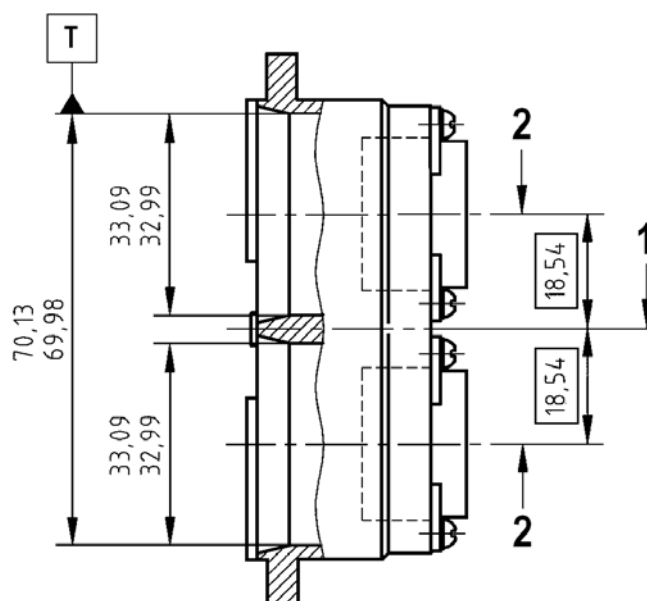
Key

1 Centre line T

Figure 4

Table 2

DATUM T	DATUM S					
	100,71	100,76	100,79	100,81	100,84	100,86
32,94	0,30	0,30	0,28	0,25	0,23	0,20
32,97	0,28	0,28	0,25	0,23	0,23	0,20
32,99	0,25	0,25	0,23	0,23	0,20	0,18
33,02	0,23	0,23	0,23	0,20	0,18	0,18
33,04	0,20	0,20	0,20	0,18	0,18	0,15



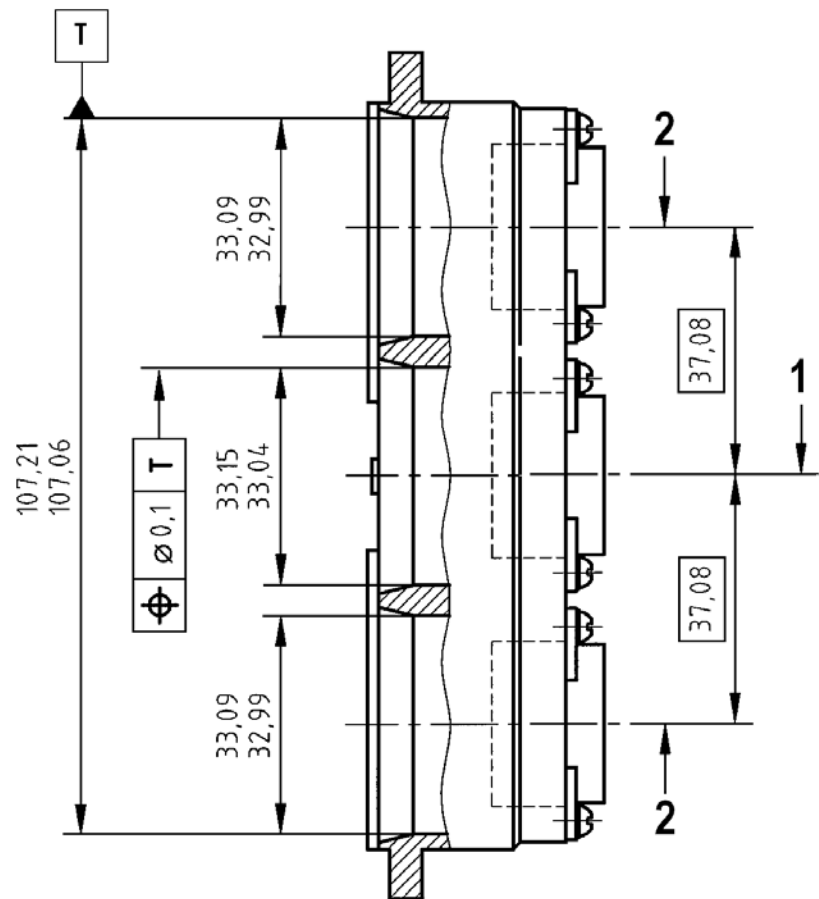
Key

- 1 Centre line T
- 2 Centre line insert

Figure 5

Table 3

DATUM T	DATUM S					
	100,71	100,76	100,79	100,81	100,84	100,86
69,98	0,30	0,30	0,28	0,25	0,23	0,20
70,03	0,30	0,30	0,28	0,25	0,23	0,20
70,05	0,28	0,28	0,25	0,23	0,23	0,20
70,08	0,25	0,25	0,23	0,23	0,20	0,18
70,10	0,23	0,23	0,23	0,20	0,18	0,18
70,13	0,20	0,20	0,20	0,18	0,18	0,15



- Key**
- 1 Centre line T
 - 2 Centre line insert

Figure 6

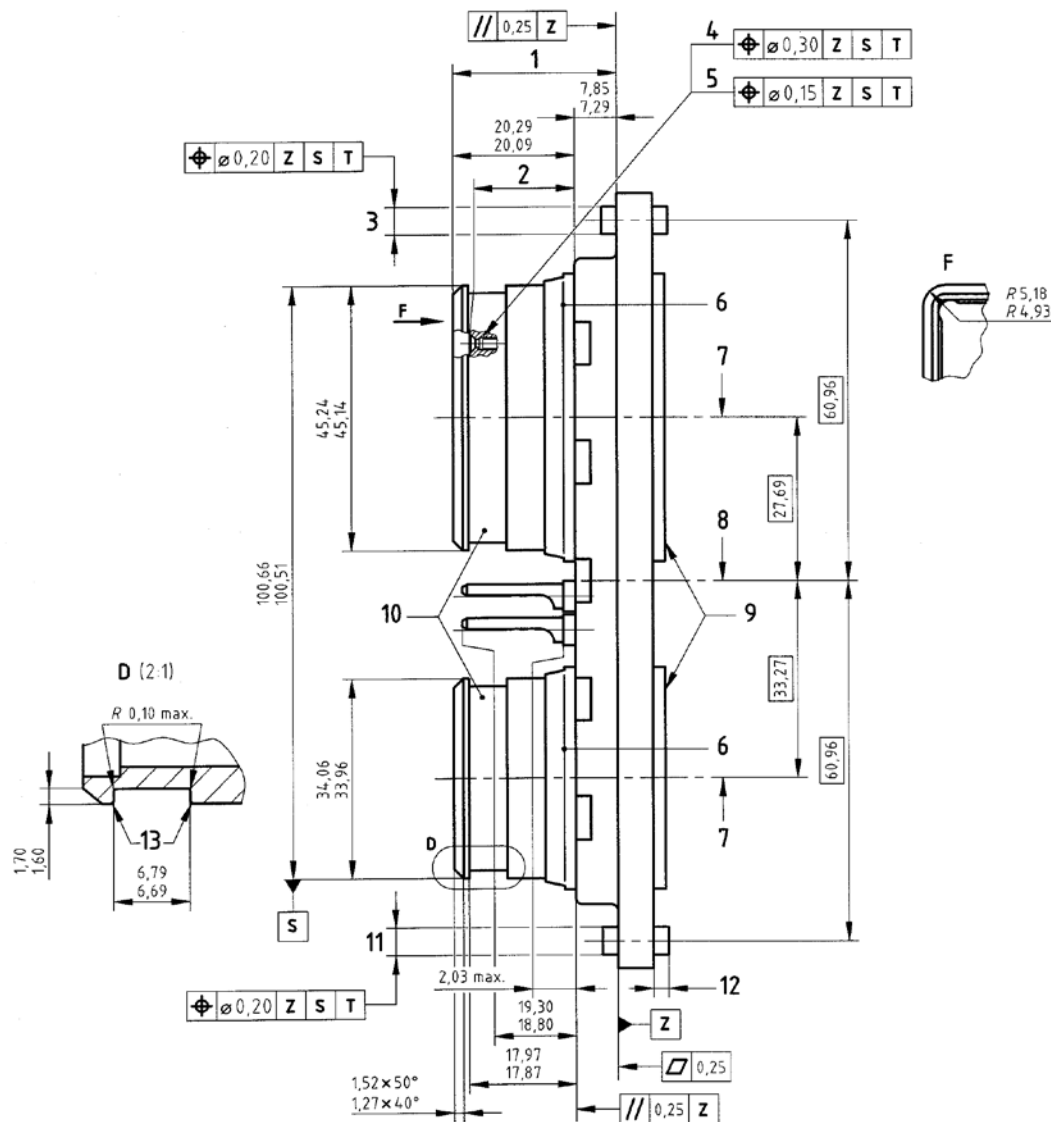
Table 4

DATUM T	DATUM S					
	100,71	100,76	100,79	100,81	100,84	100,86
107,06	0,30	0,30	0,28	0,25	0,23	0,20
107,11	0,30	0,30	0,28	0,25	0,23	0,20
107,14	0,28	0,28	0,25	0,23	0,23	0,20
107,16	0,25	0,25	0,23	0,23	0,20	0,18
107,19	0,23	0,23	0,23	0,20	0,18	0,18
107,21	0,20	0,20	0,20	0,18	0,18	0,15

6.3 Plug mating dimensions

Mating dimensions for sizes 2, 3 and 4 plug connectors are specified on Figures 7, 8, 9 and 10 and Tables 5, 6 and 7.

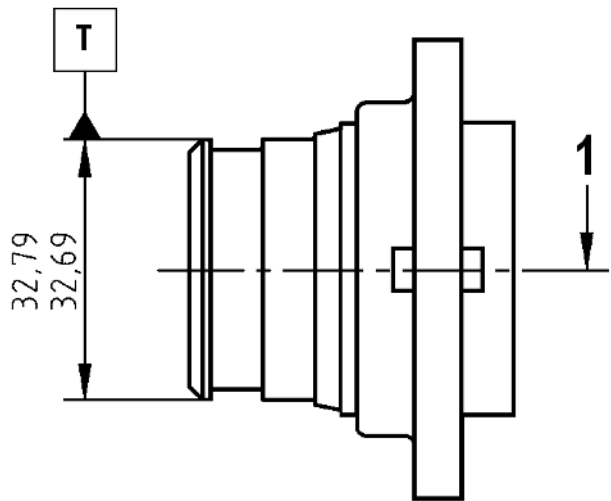
Dimensions are in millimetres.



Key

- | | | | | |
|---|---|----------------------------------|----|---|
| 1 | Insert location | 34,01
33,50 | 7 | Center line insert |
| 2 | 17,75
17,55 | for size 22 pin insert | 8 | Center line S |
| | 20,21
20,01 | for other size receptacle insert | 9 | Inserts |
| 3 | Center line B | Ø 3,99
Ø 3,91 | 10 | Emi feature - The emi spring is removable and replaceable by the users under their responsibilities |
| 4 | Type all other size contact cavities | | 11 | Boss (twice) A |
| 5 | Type all size 22 contact cavities (see Table 11) | | | Ø 4,78
Ø 4,70 |
| 6 | Stabilizer seal | | 12 | 2,54 boss (twice) |
| | | | 13 | Chamfer 0,10 max. - Groove for emi feature |

Figure 7



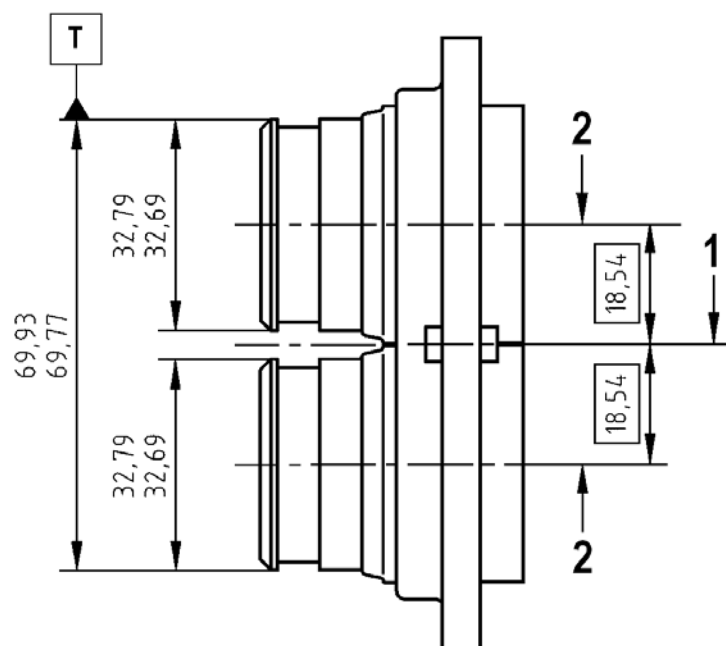
Key

- 1 Centre line of datum T

Figure 8

Table 5

DATUM T	DATUM S						
	100,51	100,53	100,56	100,58	100,61	100,64	100,66
32,69	0,15	0,18	0,18	0,20	0,20	0,20	0,20
32,72	0,18	0,18	0,20	0,23	0,23	0,23	0,23
32,74	0,18	0,20	0,23	0,23	0,25	0,25	0,25
32,77	0,20	0,23	0,23	0,25	0,28	0,28	0,28
32,79	0,20	0,23	0,25	0,28	0,30	0,30	0,30



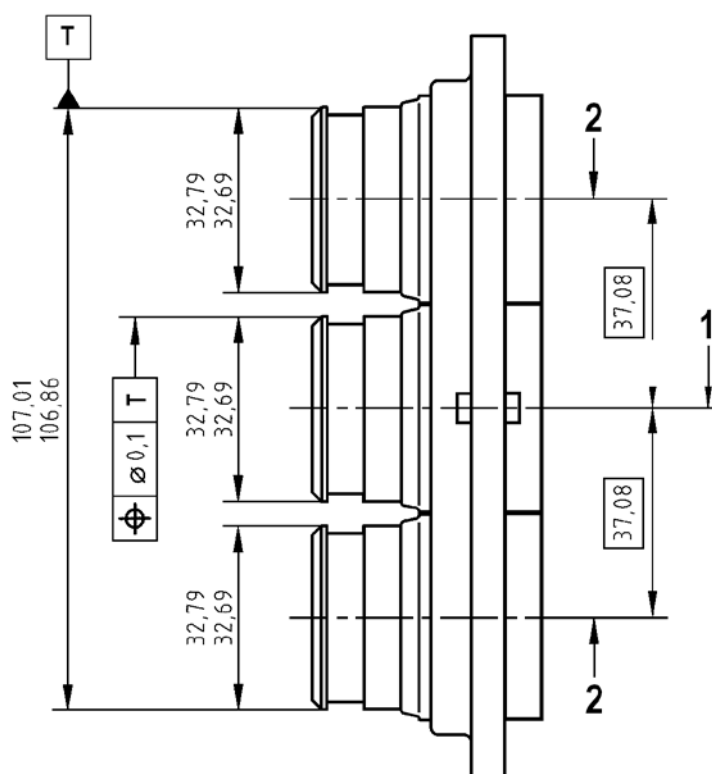
Key

- 1 Centre line of datum T
- 2 Centre line insert

Figure 9

Table 6

DATUM T	DATUM S						
	100,51	100,53	100,56	100,58	100,61	100,64	100,66
69,77	0,15	0,18	0,18	0,20	0,20	0,20	0,20
69,80	0,18	0,18	0,20	0,23	0,23	0,23	0,23
69,82	0,18	0,20	0,23	0,23	0,25	0,25	0,25
69,85	0,20	0,23	0,23	0,25	0,28	0,28	0,28
69,88	0,20	0,23	0,25	0,28	0,30	0,30	0,30
69,90	0,20	0,23	0,25	0,28	0,30	0,30	0,30
69,93	0,20	0,23	0,25	0,28	0,30	0,30	0,30



Key

- 1 Centre line of datum T
- 2 Centre line insert

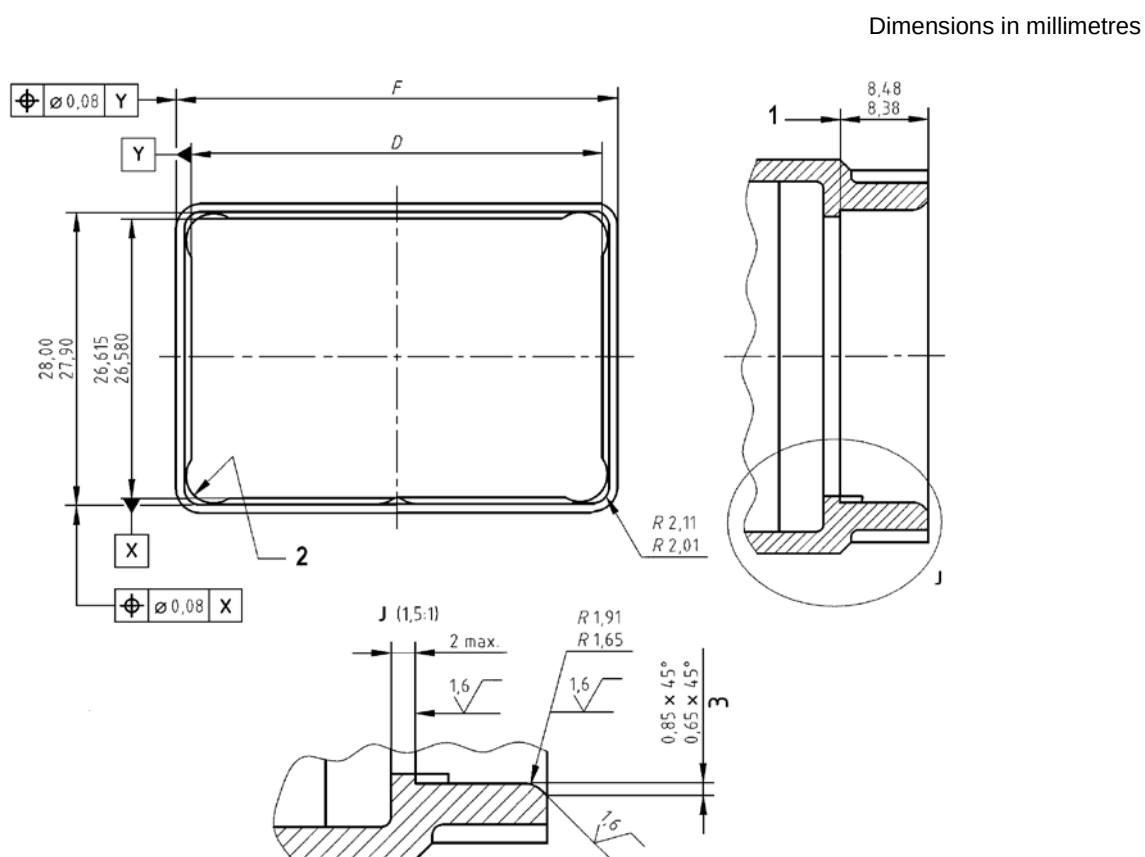
Figure 10

Table 7

DATUM T	DATUM S						
	100,51	100,53	100,56	100,58	100,61	100,64	100,66
106,86	0,15	0,18	0,18	0,20	0,20	0,20	0,20
106,88	0,18	0,18	0,20	0,23	0,23	0,23	0,23
106,91	0,18	0,20	0,23	0,23	0,25	0,25	0,25
106,93	0,20	0,23	0,23	0,25	0,28	0,28	0,28
106,96	0,20	0,23	0,25	0,28	0,30	0,30	0,30
106,99	0,20	0,23	0,25	0,28	0,30	0,30	0,30
107,01	0,20	0,23	0,25	0,28	0,30	0,30	0,30

6.4 Dimensions of connector housing cavities

See Figure 11 and Table 8.



Key

- 1 Bottom insert
- 2 $R 1,5$ max. configuration optional
- 3 All around

Figure 11

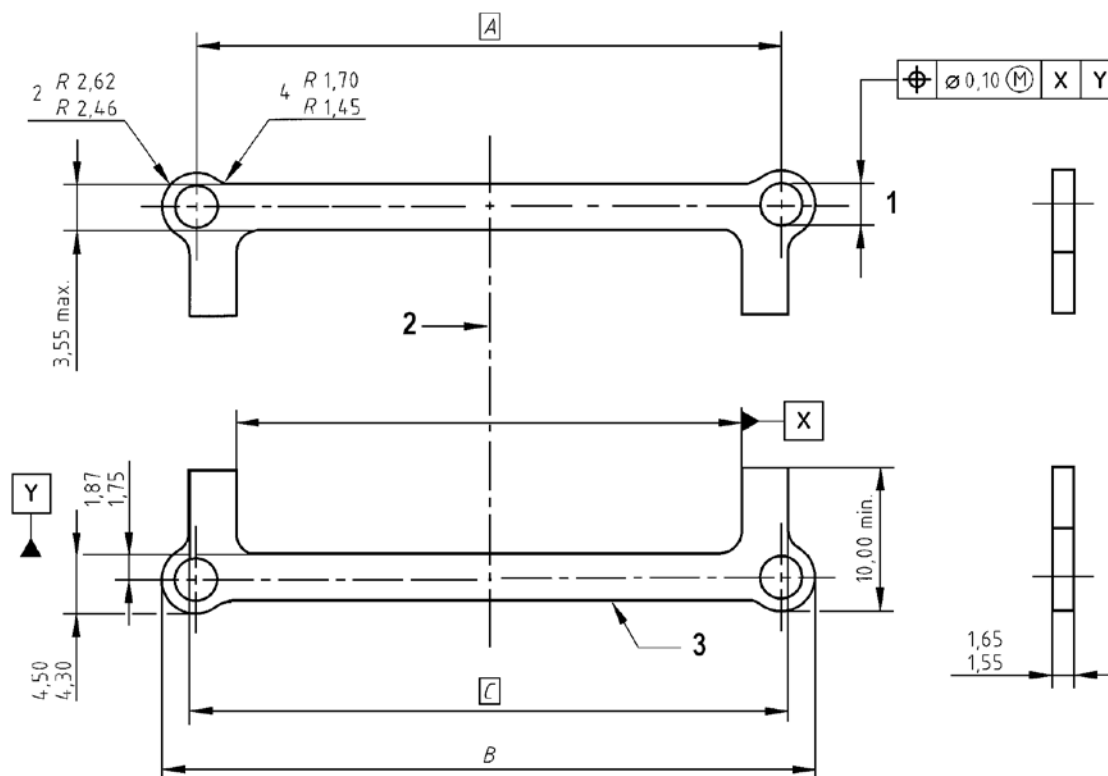
Table 8

Cavities	D	F
A, C, E	39,065 39,03	40,45 40,35
B, D, F	27,885 27,85	29,28 29,18

6.5 Dimensions of insert retaining plate

See Figure 12 and Table 9.

Dimensions in millimetres



Key

- 1 Two holes $\varnothing 3,25$
 $\varnothing 3,10$
- 2 Centre line of datum X
- 3 2 ½ identical insert retaining plate

Figure 12

Table 9

Insert cavities	A	B	C max.
A, C, E	44,96	50,17 49,91	45,97
B, D, F	33,78	38,99 38,74	34,80

6.6 Contact cavities details

See Figures 13, 14 and 15. See Tables 10 and 11.

Dimensions are in millimetres.

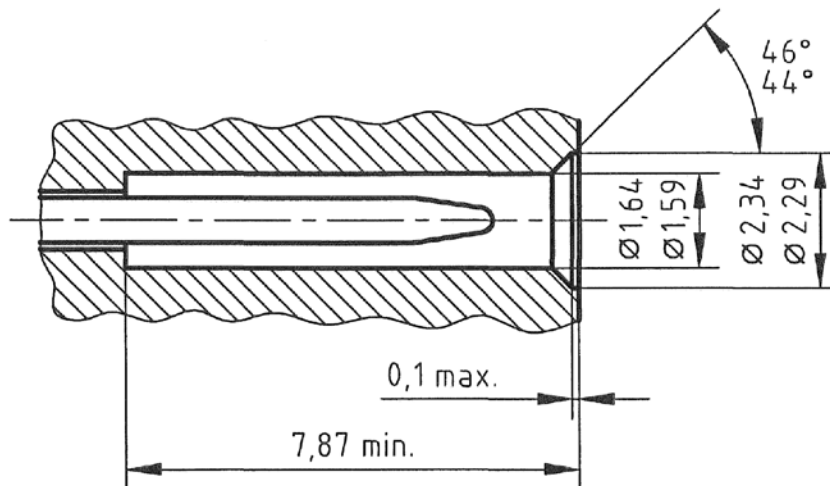
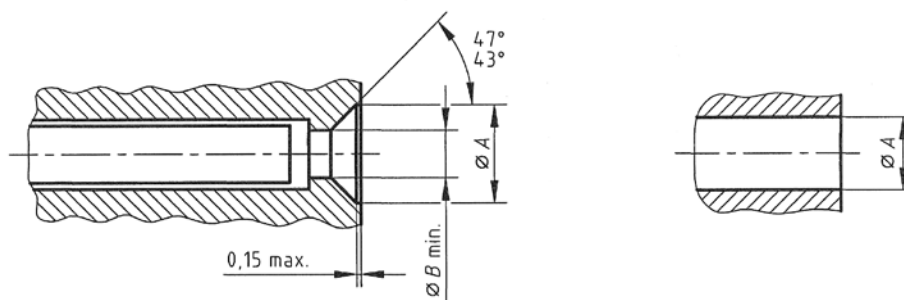


Figure 13 — Size 22 contact cavity



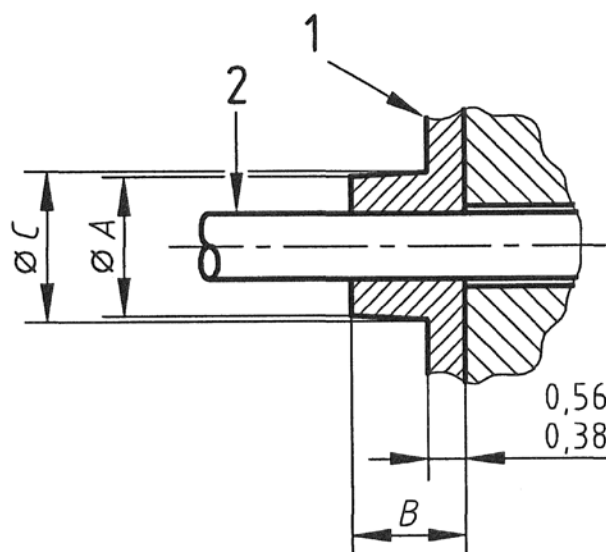
a) Socket contact cavity

b) Socket cavity size 1 coaxial

Figure 14

Table 10

Contact size	Dimensions	
	A	B min.
20	2,67 / 2,41	1,27
16	3,38 / 3,12	2,01
12	4,57 / 4,32	2,51
Coaxial 1	13,07 / 12,80	—
Coaxial 5	7,29 / 7,04	5,72
Triaxial/quadrax 8	7,49 / 7,24	5,77



Key

- 1 Seal
- 2 Contact

Figure 15 — Interfacial seal

Table 11

Contact size	Dimensions		
	A	B	C max.
22 female	2,29 / 2,13	1,75 / 1,55	2,29
20 male	1,83 / 1,68	2,54 / 2,29	1,83
16 male	2,51 / 2,34	2,67 / 2,41	2,51
12 male	3,33 / 3,15	2,79 / 2,54	3,33
Coaxial 5 male	7,01 / 6,81	2,29 / 2,03	7,01
Triaxial/quadrax 8 male	7,01 / 6,81	2,67 / 2,41	7,01
No interfacial seal for size 1 coaxial.			