Mini-Com® TX5e™ UTP Coupler Modules and Patch Panel



specifications

Category 5e/Class D, 8-position, female-to-female, UTP coupler module shall provide easy plug-and-play pass through connectivity. Coupler modules shall act as one connecting hardware component in the channel. Coupler modules shall be available individually or installed in a 24-port flat patch panel. Couplers shall be compatible with 6 or 8-position RJ45 UTP patch cords with T568A and T568B wiring schemes.





technical information

| Category 5e/Class D channel performance: | Exceeds channel requirements of ANSI/TIA-568.2-D Category 5e and ISC 11801 Class D standards at swept frequencies 1 to 100 MHz | |
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| FCC and ANSI compliance: | Meets ANSI/TIA-1096-A; contacts plated with 50 microinches of gold for superior performance | |
| IEC compliance: | Meets IEC 60603-7 and IEC 60512-99-002 | |
| PoE and PoH compliance: | Meets IEEE 802.3af / 802.3at and 802.3bt type 3 and type 4. Supports Power over HDBaseT up to 100 watts | |
| RoHs compliance: | Compliant | |
| c(UL)us Listed: | UL 1863 (Use as communications circuit accessory), CSA standard C22.2 | |

key features and benefits

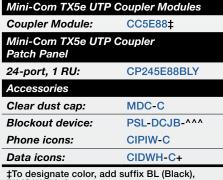
| 100% performance tested | Confidence that each coupler will deliver the critical electrical performance requirements |
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| Modular | Couplers snap in and out of all Mini-Com Faceplates, Modular Patch Panels and Industrial Bulkheads for easy moves, adds and changes |
| RJ45 interface | Industry standard interface provides a quick and easy plug and play connection to RJ45 patch cords |
| Identification | Can be clearly identified with optional labels and icons for port identification |
| Populated patch panel version | Factory installed 24-port patch panel mounts to standard EIA 19" or 23" racks for greater system flexibility |
| Blockout device (optional) | Provides a simple and secure method to control access to data port while not in use |

applications

Mini-Com TX5e UTP Coupler Modules and Patch Panels are a component of the TX5500™ UTP Copper Cabling System with usable bandwidth beyond 100 MHz. This end-to-end system is interoperable and backwards compatible for flexibility to protect network investments into the future. Couplers are designed to perform as one connector in the channel and allows up to four couplers to be used in each channel while maintaining channel performance. Couplers are a reliable, modular solution, and ideal for setting up temporary networks in a testing environment or during a planned system upgrade.

With certified performance to the ANSI/TIA-568.2-D Category 5e and ISO 11801 Class D standards, this system will support the following applications:

- Ethernet 10BASE-T, 100BASE-T (Fast Ethernet), 1000BASE-T (Gigabit Ethernet)
- Voice/data systems
- Voice over Internet Protocol (VoIP)



‡To designate color, add suffix BL (Black), IW (Off White).

^^^To designate color other than Red, add suffix BL (Black), BU (Blue), YL (Yellow), GR (Green), OR (Orange), IW (Off White) or IG (International Gray) at the end of the part number. 10/package

+To designate color other than WH (White), replace WH with BU (Blue), RD (Red), YL (Yellow), GR (Green), or OR (Orange) in the part number. 100/package

Note: Mini-Com Coupler Modules are not compatible with Surface Mount Boxes.

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test results

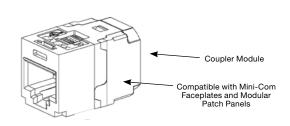
| Mechanical Test | Test Method | Measurement | Typical Test Results |
|------------------|-----------------|-----------------------------------|----------------------|
| Normal Force | ANSI/TIA-1096-A | Load (grams) | > 100 |
| Vibration | IEC 512-6d | Circuit Resistance (mOhms) | < 40 |
| Shock | IEC 512-6c | Contact Disturbance (microsecond) | < 5 |
| Durability | IEC 512-9a | Circuit Resistance (mOhms) | <40 |
| Mating/Un-mating | IEC 512-13b | Mating Force (N) | < 20 |
| | | Un-mating Force (N) | < 20 |
| Mating Cycles | IEC 60603-7 | Number of Plug Insertions | > 2500 |

| Electrical Test | Test Method | Measurement | Typical Test Results |
|------------------------------|-------------|--------------------|----------------------|
| Low Level Circuit Resistance | IEC 512-2a | Resistance (mOhms) | < 20 |
| Dielectric Withstand Voltage | IEC 512-4a | 1000 VAC, 1 minute | Passed |
| Insulation Resistance | IEC 512-3a | Resistance (MOhms) | > 500 |

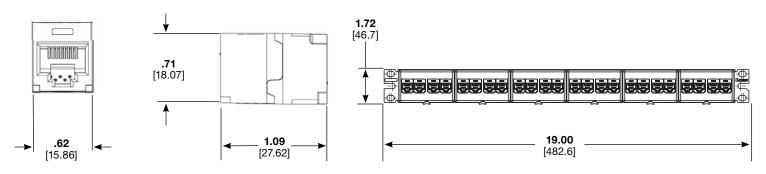
| Environmental Test | Test Method | Measurement | Typical Test Results |
|-----------------------------|-------------|----------------------------|----------------------|
| Temperature Life | IEC 512-9b | Circuit Resistance (mOhms) | < 40 |
| Humidity | IEC 512-11c | Circuit Resistance (mOhms) | < 40 |
| Thermal Shock | IEC 512-11d | Circuit Resistance (mOhms) | < 40 |
| Climatic Sequence | IEC 512-11a | Circuit Resistance (mOhms) | < 40 |
| Flowing Mixed Gas Corrosion | IEC 512-11g | Circuit Resistance (mOhms) | < 40 |

Mini-Com Category 5e Coupler Module

24-Port Category 5e Coupler Patch Panel







Dimensions are in inches. [Dimensions in brackets are metric].

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