

#### Molex's new Micro-Fit terminal, same reliability with half the mating/unmating force

The Micro-Fit product line has been very successful over the years. To further build on this success, improvements have been made on the terminal side of this product. Based on feedback from the field, customers would want a much lower mating and unmating forces for applications using large circuit sizes. With this objective in mind, a new terminal was developed to reduce the mate and unmate forces significantly.

The 46235 Micro-Fit Low Force Terminal is developed in respond to this need. It lowers the mate/ unmate forces by up to 50% as compared to the standard 43030 series.

The key to achieving this force reduction is the Dual Cantilever design of the contacts, as opposed to the box design of the 43030 terminals.

To achieve this objective the contacts are gold plated. Gold plating produces lesser friction compared to Tin plating, thus complementing the objective of force reduction.

## 3.00mm (.118") Pitch Micro-Fit 3.0 Low Force Terminal

#### 46235 Low Force Terminal



Features	Benefits Reduces mating and unmating forces by up to 50% as compared to standard 43030 series		
Twin cantilever contact design			
Wire gauge size from 20 to 30 AWG	Wide range of acceptable wire sizes for application flexibility		
Lubricated versions available	Lubrication further reduces the mating and unmating forces and increases protection against harsh environment		

#### **SPECIFICATIONS**

Reference Infor	mation
Packaging:	Reel
UL File No.:	ТВА
CSA File No.:	ТВА
Mates With:	NA
Use With: receptacles	43025, 43645, and 44133
Desianed In:	Millimeters

#### Mechanical

**Contact Insertion Force: Contact Retention to Housing:** Mating Force: **Unmating Force:** Durability (min.):

14.7N max. 24.5N min. 4.0N max. 2.0N max. 40 cycles

Physical **Plating:** 

Copper Alloy Gold

**Contact:** 

Electrical

Voltage (max.): 250V Current (max.): 5.0A max. **Contact Resistance:** 20milliohms max.





### Terminal

Order No.	Wire Size	Plating Option	Lubrication	Plant No. for Samples
46235-0001	20-24	15µ″ Gold		
46235-0002		<b>30</b> µ″ Gold		
46235-0003	26-30	15µ″ Gold	No	3102 (AME)
46235-0004		<b>30</b> µ″ Gold		5102 (EUR)
46235-5001	20-24	15µ″ Gold		1399 (APS)
46235-5002		<b>30</b> µ″ Gold	Vac	
46235-5003	26-30	15µ″ Gold	Yes	
46235-5004		<b>30</b> µ″ Gold		

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