

Altech is pleased to announce a new, more extensive printed circuit board terminal block line. This line offers the standard single and double level fixed and pluggable terminal blocks in metric and US pin spacings. However, this product line goes beyond our past standard offering. There is now a wider array of products within each pin spacing as well as new types of blocks such as 35°, reverse horizontal wire entry, and triple level fixed blocks, card edge connectors, panel feed through blocks, barrier strips, plugs/headers with screw and flanges. This product assortment combined with the new pricing structure makes this line extremely competitive.

Altech printed circuit board terminal blocks give you highly dependable connections without the need for wire lugs. Choose either tubular screw clamps or box clamps when economy is paramount or screw-cage clamps for heavy-duty applications. In each case, simply strip and insert the wire and tighten the screw. We recommend the use of ferrules, especially for export applications and whenever fine stranded wires must be terminated.

Our board mounted terminal blocks meet or exceed most international standards and are accepted worldwide. They're available in single, double and triple level configurations with both, millimeter and inch pin spacings. All leave mini footprints to save valuable real estate.

# PRINTED CIRCUIT BOARD TERMINAL BLOCKS

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#### **FIXED**

Our printed circuit board terminal blocks designed for fixed mounting offer high density, and maximum flexibility. Modular construction simplifies ordering and reduces inventory. Two-and 3-pole modules can be interlocked to create multipole



assemblies. Altech can also supply ready-made assemblies tailored to your specification. Fixedmount blocks are available with the economical tubular screw, box clamp or the screw-cage clamp and offer several wire entry options to facilitate wiring and increase accessibility.

### PLUGGABLE

The two-piece, plug and header design of our "pluggable" terminal blocks speed and simplify board replacement and reduce costly downtime and misconnections. No special



tools are required. Headers are soldered into the board and accept the plugs, which are easily removed for fast, convenient board or device replacement. Choose single- mold designs for maximum strength. Or choose modular designs which are assembled from 2 and 3 pole modules when you need maximum flexibility to meet changing requirements. Both are available in a variety of configurations. Headers are available in vertical, and horizontal, single or double-level, with closed or open ends.

We offer pluggables with either screw-cage clamp termination for heavy duty requirements or with tubular screw termination and open headers for cost sensitive applications. We also offer a card edge connector for a quick, reliable and inexpensive connection.

## PIN SPACING

Each clamp style is offered in metric and inch pin spacing. For your convenience, this catalog is organized by pin spacing. Fixed blocks are first, starting with the smallest pin spacing, then pluggable shown in each available spacing.

#### **CONNECTION**

Altech's printed circuit board terminal blocks give you a choice between tubular screw, box clamp and screw-cage clamp designs:

• When your application calls for the highest reliability and frequent wire terminations, the screw-cage clamp should be your choice. As the clamp is tightened, the nickel-plated cage rises, pressing the wire firmly against the busbar, ensuring solid connections every time. Standard color is green.

• In the tubular screw and box clamp design, tightening the screw presses the conductor directly against the bottom of the clamp. These systems are ideal for cost sensitive, lighter duty applications or applications with infrequent wire terminations. Wire protectors are standard. Standard color is black for tubular screw and green for box clamp.

#### MATERIALS

All of our printed circuit board terminal blocks feature precision formed or machined metal parts which are electrolytically plated. Nickel or tin-plated brass cage clamps or tubes, wire protectors, and tin-plated solder pins satisfy the most demanding requirements. Housings are precision-molded from self-extinguishing polyamid 6.8 or glass-filled polyester providing excellent strength and temperature resistance.

#### MARKING

Altech offers marking to identify terminal inputs. Order Hot Stamp Imprinting for permanent marking of large quantities or custom marked terminals. Standard marking is consecutive numbers, left to right. This standard marking can be ordered by adding a suffix (i.e. MV-4612/iA would be a MV-4612 terminal block imprinted 1 through 12, left to right).

Custom imprints are also available, see page 177 for ordering information.

## 7.50 and 10.00mm Pin Spacing - Panel Mount

Pin Spacing: Orientation: Clamp Type: Design:

g: 7.50mm n: Panel Mount e: Screw Cage Modular



**ELECTRICAL** Current Voltage Wire Range E178356 15A<sup>①</sup> 300V 30-14AWG IEC 24A 450V 2.5mm<sup>2</sup> Stranded 4.0mm<sup>2</sup> Solid INSTALLATION DATA Screw Size Panel Hole Size 5.2mm МЗ Torque 0.5Nm Stripping Lgth. 10.1mm (4.5 lbf-in.)

#### MATERIAL

Bo	dy	Polyamide	Screw	Galvanized Steel
Fla	mmability Class	UL94V-0	Terminal	Tin-Plated Brass
Te	mperature Limit	125°C IEC	Clamp	Nickeled Brass
Co	lor	Green		

No. Poles	Cat. #	Length (mm)	Std. Pk.	
1	MPT-275	7.5	100	
Retaining Key				
2	CMR-752	14.8	50	
3	CMR-753	22.3	50	





<sup>①</sup> 24A Factory Wiring - UL

Pin Spacing:10.00mmOrientation:Panel MountClamp Type:Screw CageDesign:Modular



MPT-410/ CMR-10

ELECTRICAL								
	Curr	ent	Voltage	Wire Range				
<b>E</b> 178356	20A	2	600V	30-12AWG				
IEC.	32A		450V	4.0mm <sup>2</sup> Stranded 6.0mm <sup>2</sup> Solid				
INSTALLATION DATA								
Screw Size	M3		Panel Hole Size 8.2mm					
Torque	0.5Nm	า	Stripping Lgth. 10.1mm					
	(4.5 lbf-in.)							
MATERIAL								
Body		Polyamide	Screw	Galvanized Steel				
Flammability		UL94V-0	Terminal	Tin-Plated Brass				
Temperature Color	Limit	125°C IEC Green	Clamp	Nickeled Brass				
No. Poles	Cat. #	Le	ngth (mm)	Std. Pk.				
1	MPT-4	10	10.0	100				
Retaining Key								
2	CMR-		19.8	50				
3	CMR-	103	29.3	50				





<sup>2</sup> 32A Factory Wiring - UL