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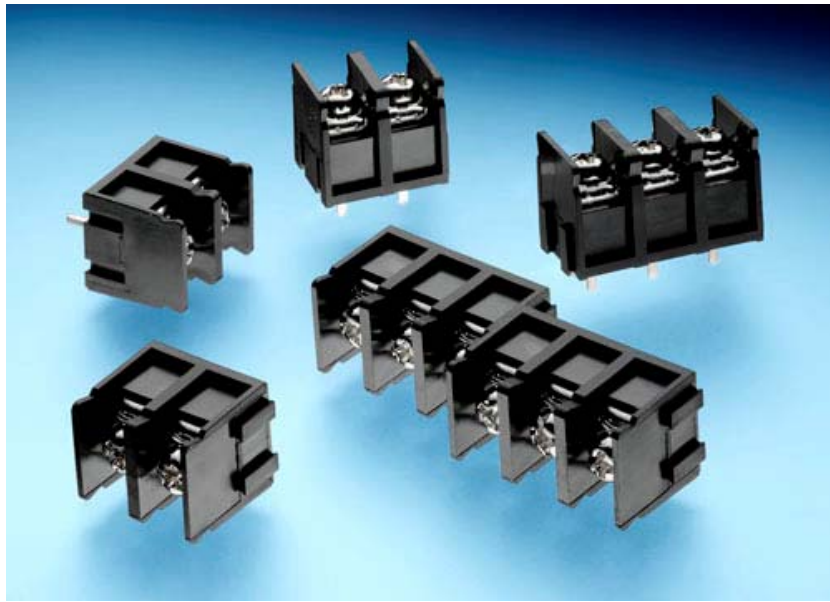
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TYCO ELECTRONICS' TWO-AND THREE-POSITION MODULAR BARRIER STRIPS DOVETAIL UP TO 16 POSITIONS WHILE MAINTAINING PITCH

HARRISBURG, Pa. -- Feb. 22, 2010 -- Tyco Electronics offers modular barrier strips for increased inventory efficiency through a dovetail interlocking feature that allows users to create multiple-sized strips while stocking only two part numbers. The barrier strips are available in two and three positions that can be interlocked to build blocks up to 16 positions -- without losing the 0.325-inch centerline spacing. The dual-barrier design provides more flexible wiring options than tri-barrier designs as it allows easy access to the wire from two sides.

"Modularity allows customers to simplify procurement and inventory while maintaining the flexibility of having different sizes of barrier blocks for signal and power wiring," says Russ Dzielak, product manager. "Applications such as HVAC controls, security and alarms, and industrial controls will benefit from this design as the modular barrier blocks allow users to build any size strip from two to 16 positions."

The UL-recognized strips are rated for 15 Amps and 300 Volts. The thermoplastic housing carries a UL 94V-0 flammability rating. The single-row strips are through-hole solders and offer standoffs that allow flux and solvents to drain during cleaning.



For more information on Tyco Electronics' modular dual barrier strips, contact Tyco Electronics Product Information Center at 800-522-6752, or visit www.tycoelectronics.com/help .

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