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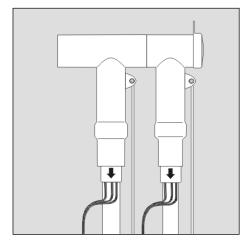
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# TE's Raychem **Cable Accessories**



**Installation Instruction** EPP-1769-4/16

Raychem **Screened Separable Coupling Connector 800 A for Fit onto Base Connector Type RSTI-68xx** used with bushings Type "C" according to EN 50181 and screened Single Core **Polymeric Insulated Cable** 36 to 42 kV

Type: RSTI-CC-68xx

Safety Warning:

It is essential to observe the applicable safety regulations for working with high voltage equipment.

For precise safety information please contact the responsible authority.

## **Before Starting**

Check to ensure that the kit you are going to use fits the cable.

Refer to the kit label and the title of the installation instruction.

Components or working steps may have been improved since you last installed this product.

Carefully read and follow the steps in the installation instruction.

#### **Kit Content**

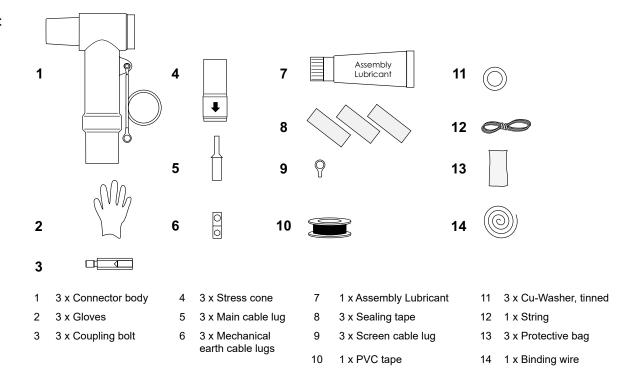


Table 1

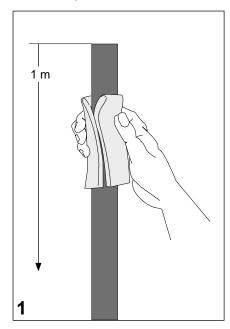
Cross Section 36 & 42 kV	Ø Core Insulation		Reference No.		
mm²	min	max	Al	Cu	
50	22.4-35.5 mm		RSTI-CC-6811	RSTI-CC-6821	
70			RSTI-CC-6812	RSTI-CC-6822	
95			RSTI-CC-6813	RSTI-CC-6823	
120			RSTI-CC-6814	RSTI-CC-6824	
150	28.9-42.0 mm		RSTI-CC-6815	RSTI-CC-6825	
185			RSTI-CC-6816	RSTI-CC-6826	
240			RSTI-CC-6817	RSTI-CC-6827	
300			RSTI-CC-6818	RSTI-CC-6828	
35-95	22.4–35.5 mm		RSTI-CC-6851		
95-120			RSTI-CC-6852		
120-240	28.9-42.0 mm		RSTI-CC-6853		
185-300			RSTI-CC-6855		

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#### **Cable Preparation**



Clean and degrease the end of the oversheath for a length of 1 metre with solvent wipe.

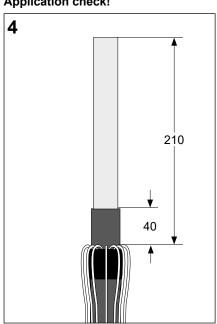
Cut the core according to dimensions provided with the drawing. Remove the core screen with appropriate screen cutting tool according to dimensions given in the drawing. The surface of the insulation should be free from all traces of conductive material.

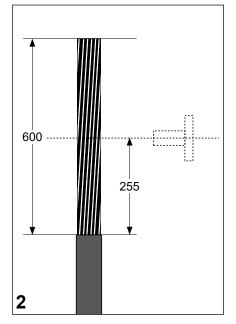
Smooth out any irregularities.

Note: Do not nick the insulation.

Compare the diameter over insulation with application range as shown in Table 1 as well as with marking of supplied stress cone.

#### Application check!



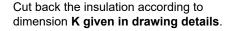


#### Cable with wire shield

Position the cable with sufficient overlap to the bushing centre.

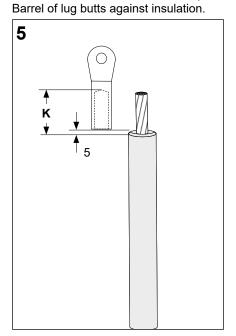
Mark the oversheath 255 mm below the bushing centre.

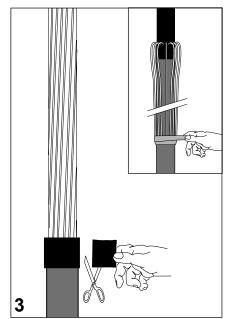
Cut the cable 600 mm above the mark and remove the oversheath over this distance. Cut off Cu-spiral screening tape flush with end of outer sheath. Edges projecting beyond the outer sheath must be avoided, so that the stress cone can not be damaged during push on procedure.



#### A. Compression technology (deep indentation and hexagonal) Dimension K must not exceed 60 mm.

B. Mechanical lugs Dimension **K** is identical to bore depth.





Wrap one turn of sealant tape (grey) with no overlap and slight tension around the end of the oversheath.

Cut the tape and push ends together.

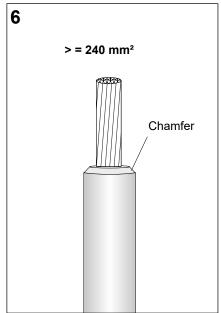
Bend the shielding wires back onto the oversheath.

Avoid crossing the individual wires.

Temporarily secure the wires with a tape or wire binder (see detail).

#### Recommendation for large cross sections

Convenient push on process of the stress cone requires chamfering of the insulation for cross section 240 mm<sup>2</sup> and above. See drawing!

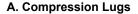


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#### **Core Preparation**

Table 2 - Use of Insert

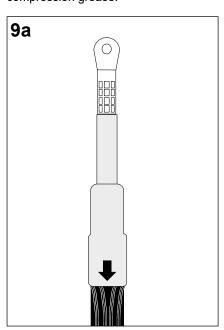
Lug Type Cross Section Stranded mm² (RM)	BLMC-25/95-16-800A	BLMC-95/240-16-800A	BLMC-185/300-16-800A
35	YES		-
50	YES		-
70	NO		-
95	NO	YES	-
120	-	YES	-
150	-	YES	-
185	-	NO	YES
240	-	NO	YES
300	-	-	NO

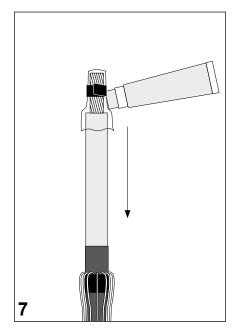


Install the cable lug with the appropriate die and compression tool.

Note: Remove any sharp edges.

Clean and degrease the lug and insulation from any excessive compression grease.





Slide the small protective bag (assembly aid) over the exposed conductor and tie it down with a PVC tape as shown in the drawing.

Gently lubricate the outer surface of the protective bag and the core insulation with a thin layer of assembly lubricant. Apply the lubricant layer with the sponge top as shown.

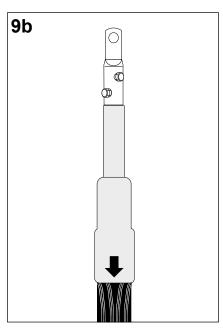
#### B. Mechanical Lugs with Inserts

The insert has to be used as noted in **Table 2**.

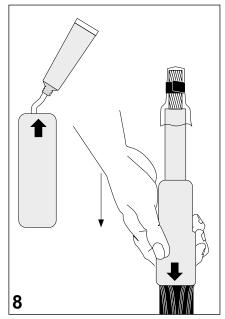
Ensure that the retention of the insert is locked into the appropriate slot in the barrel.

Install the cable lug using a lug fixture. Tighten the bolt set alternately in several equal steps until the heads shear off.

Remove any sharp edges.



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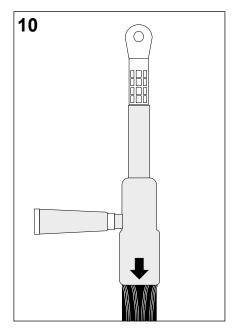


Apply onto the inner surface of the stress cone at the bottom end a 3 cm long sausage of assembly lubricant and spread it evenly over the inner surface. Use assembly lubricant without sponge top. Push the stress cone in one sequence with a twisting movement over the assembly aid completely onto the insulation until the inner collar of the stress cone stops at the oversheath cut back of the cable.

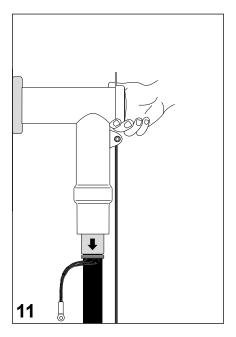
**Note:** The arrow on the stress cone should point onto the cable sheath.

Remove the assembly aid from the conductor.

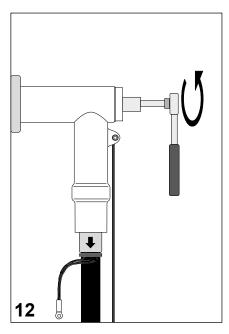
Apply a thin layer of lubricant onto the outer surface of the stress cone with the sponge top.



# Preparation of Installed Screened Separable Connector



Remove from the installed connector the conductive endcap and save it in a clean container.



Remove from the installed connector the back plug and save it in a clean container.

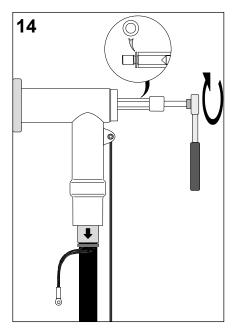
### **Installation of Coupling Connector**

**Remove** from the installed connector **hexagon nut, washer, threaded pin** and save it in a clean container.

Ensure that the rear end of the already installed connector is lubricated with a thin layer of assembly lubricant.

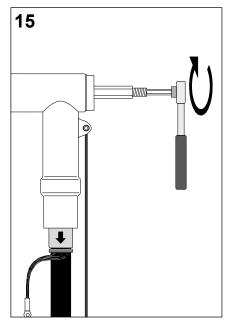
Insert coupling stud with tinned Cuwasher (see detail) into the rear end of the connector and tighten it up with a torque wrench (27 mm).

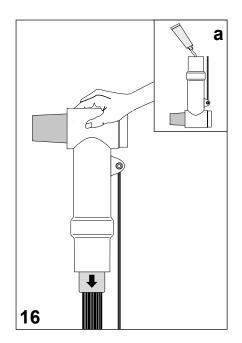
Maximum torque: 35 Nm.



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Insert the **threaded stud M16** into the rear end of the coupling stud and tighten it up with an Allen key (8 mm). Maximum torque: **30 Nm**.

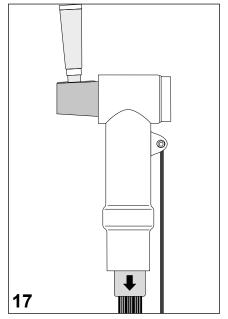




Clean the coupling connector body at the bottom end and apply a thin layer of lubricant onto the inner surface without the sponge top as shown in detail **a**.

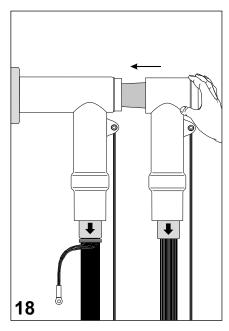
**Note:** Use one way glove to evenly lubricate the inner surface at a length of approx. 50 mm.

Push the coupling connector body with no interruption onto the stress cone and hold it.



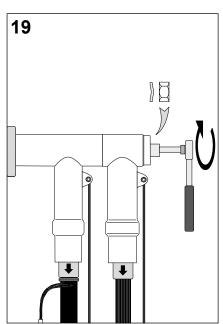
Clean the conical front end of the coupling connector and apply a thin layer of lubricant onto the outer surface of the cone with the sponge top.

Continue **immediately** with the next step.

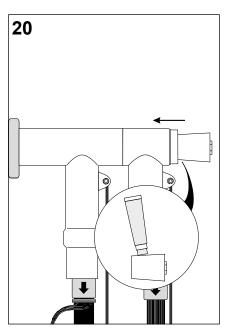


Align the conical front end of the coupling connector with the rear end of the already installed connector and push the coupling connector in position.

Insert the spring washer and hex nut. Tighten the hex nut onto the stud with a torque wrench (24 mm) at a torque of **30 Nm**.



Clean the inner surface of connector back end and apply a thin layer of assembly lubricant. Do the same with the conical interface of the back plug as shown in detail.

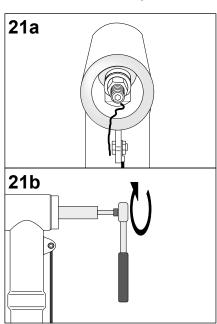


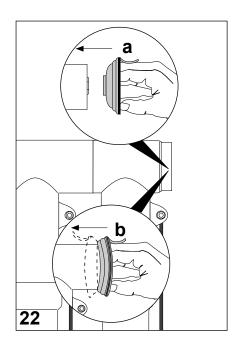
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- a. Place a string into the rear entry of the connector as shown.
- Insert the back plug and screw it into place using a spanner (19 mm) at a torque of 30 Nm.

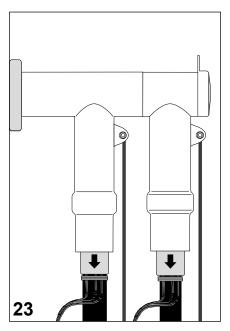
Remove the string prior to the last two turns.

**Note:** Back plug has to be flush with connector end. In case of protrusion of back plug check steps 13 - 15 for correct installation of components.





- a. Flip-back the endcap as shown in detail **a**. Position the protruding ring onto test point.
- b. Flip the endcap into final position with your finger as shown in detail **b**.



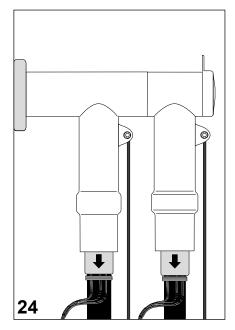
Ensure that the grounding lead is fastened tightly.

Fix the shielding wires with a wire binder (four layers) at the end of the stress cone.

Gather the wires together to form an earth lead. Install at the end of the shielding wires the connection lugs supplied in the kit.

#### Perform connection to ground.

Note: Ensure that each cable is fixed with suitable cable cleats onto cable rack at a distance of 400 mm from the center of the bushing.



Screened separable coupling connector completed.

Please dispose of all waste according to environmental regulations.

