



INFINITE SWITCH HOUSINGS

Receptacle Housings For M-Style Infinite Switches

PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

TE Connectivity (TE) introduces three and four position housings for use with M-style infinite switches. Infinite switches are rotary switches commonly used to control resistive heating elements. They are used on electric cooking ranges, space heaters, hot plates and similar applications. The M-style switches from a leading controls manufacturer are broadly used. These switches provide as many as seven .250 tabs for connections. TE's new receptacle housings for M-style infinite switches are designed for Positive Lock Mark II receptacles, but also accept FASTON receptacles. Unlike some competitive housings, the new TE housings can accept one or up to 2 14 AWG wires.

KEY FEATURES

- Three and four position, nylon 6/6 housings for use with straight Positive Lock Mark II receptacles or straight FASTON receptacles
- Electrically insulate terminals
- Operating temperature ranges from -40 to 130°C
- Allow as many as four connections to be made at once, potentially speeding this step of assembly
- May help prevent mis-mating in the application
- Improve ergonomics for assembly workers
- Are UL recognized (file E28476) for the U.S. and Canada when used with designated receptacles

APPLICATIONS

- · Electronic cooking ranges
- Space heaters
- Hot plates
- Other applications where resitive heating elements are controlled with M-style infinite switches

BASIC PRODUCT DETAILS FOR ACCEPTABLE HOUSINGS

- · 250 series, straight, Positive Lock Mark II receptacle terminals on wire can be inserted into the housings
 - These low insertion force receptacles incorporate a feature that latches onto the tab with a tactile and audible click for high retention force and secure connections
 - These receptacles strongly resist disconnection when pulling force is exerted on the wire; however, pulling on the housing releases the receptacle latches and allows disconnection
- 250 series, straight, FASTON receptacle terminals on wire may also be inserted into the housings
 - Some customers may prefer to use the FASTON receptacles instead of the Positive Lock receptacles.

RECEPTACLE HOUSINGS FOR M-STYLE INIFITE SWITCHES

Part Number	1969759-1	1969760-1	1969761-1
Color	Black	Natural	Natural
Position	3	3	4

Typically, a black three position housing is used along with one of the natural housings. The natural housing required varies based on the particular M-style infinite switch used in the application.







DESIGN-IN QUESTIONS

- 1. Are you using M-style infinite switches to control resistive heating elements in your design?
- 2. Would you like to apply receptacles to multiple terminals of those switches simultaneously to potentially speed up your assembly process and help reduce mis-mating errors?
- 3. Are you looking for a more ergonomic way to apply the receptacles to the tabs?
- 4. Would you like the flexibility to use either Positive Lock Mark II receptacles or FASTON receptacles when making these connections?
- 5. Do you need to accommodate up to two wires per receptacle in your application?

If the answers are "yes," these new multi-position infinite switch housings with either Positive Lock Mark II receptacles or FASTON receptacles could represent a great solution for the application.

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