



# Avvion Series CRT Gun End Connectors

Introduction







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Reynolds has developed a series of interconnect systems to connect the gun end elements of a CRT to a power supply and other video and control circuitry common to airborne information display systems. Each interconnect system consists of a receptacle adapter designed to be installed on the gun end of a CRT and a mating plug cable assembly. Each member of the Avvion series has one high voltage contact employing our Advanced interface seal for use in connecting the focus element to a high voltage power supply. All the pins are sealed against moisture and will operate over a temperature range of -55° C to +125° C at 70.000 feet. The connectors are designed to be mated and un-mated numerous times without degrading the integrity of the interface seals.

An optional feature is to incorporate the transient protection components and circuitry into the potted back shell of the plug connector. This replaces the need for an external circuit board on which to mount the spark gaps used in the transient protection circuit. Reynolds has the experience and facilities to design and manufacture a transient protection system based on the requirements of the individual display system.

#### Advantages of the Avvion Series Interconnect System.

The most commonly used method of terminating the gun end of a CRT for airborne applications consists of providing extra space between the focus pin, which typically operates at 7 KVDC, and the remaining pins which have applied voltages ranging from 6.0 volts to 800 volts DC. This effort to increase the creep path between the high and low voltage pins is not effective at reduced atmospheric pressure, and it is necessary to pot or encapsulate the gun end of the tube with silicone rubber after the cable leads have been attached. Figure 3B on page 13 illustrates this assembly.

The Avvion series interconnections, as illustrated in Figure 3A on page 13, provides the system design engineer with the following distinct advantages over current termination methods:

**CRT Testing:** CRT's can be acceptance tested by the tube manufacturer or the

system integrator, or both, without potting or encapsulation.

**Connector Testing:** Both the receptacle and the plug cable assembly can be tested

at 150% of the rated voltage before installation into the system.

**Failures:** In the event of a CRT, power supply, or any other component failure. it is

possible to disconnect the plug assembly simply by unthreading the plug

coupling nut and locate the failure by replacing components without costly de-potting.

**Field Maintenance:** Maintaining adequate spares which can be easily replaced by

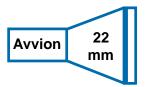
un-plugging faulty components and plugging in pre-tested spares will assist in keeping information display systems up and running in the field.



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## Avvion Series CRT Gun End Connectors

22 mm, 10 pin Interconnection System



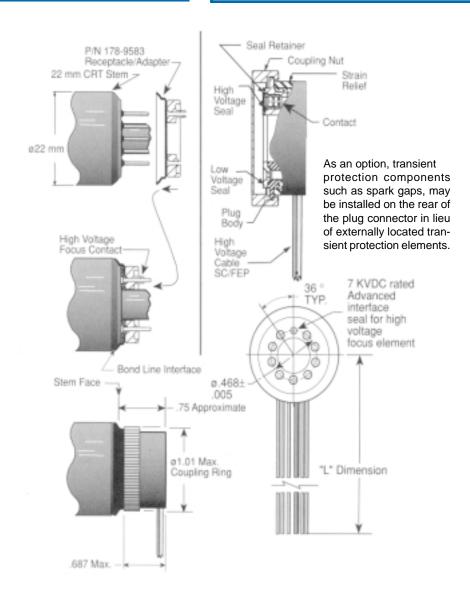
P/N: 178-9583 22 mm CRT Receptacle/Adapter

Mates with P/N 178-9711 Plug Cable Assembly

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22 mm CRT Plug Cable Assembly

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NOTE: For compatibility of the receptacle/adapter to a CRT pin pattern other than the one shown above, consult Reynolds Engineering Department



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## Avvion Series CRT Gun End Connectors

28 mm, 10 pin Interconnection System



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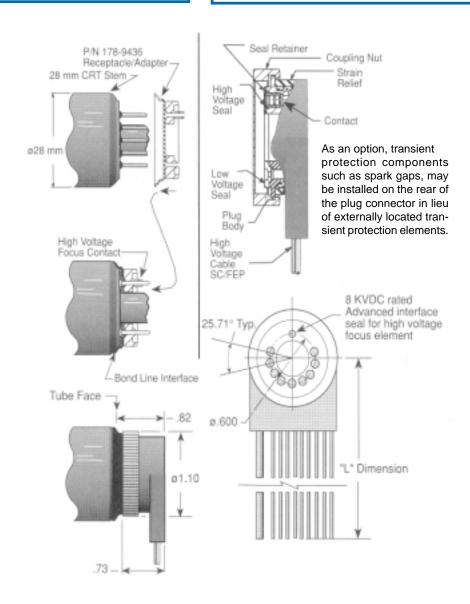
28 mm CRT Receptacle/Adapter

Mates with P/N 178-9437 Plug Cable Assembly

#### P/N: 178-9437

28 mm CRT Plug Cable Assembly

Mates with P/N 178-9436 Receptacle Adapter



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## Avvion Series CRT Gun End Connectors

36 mm, 12 pin Interconnection System



P/N: 178-9600

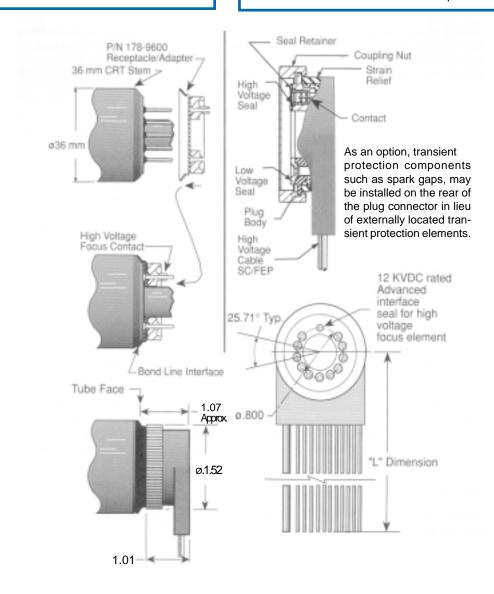
36 mm CRT Receptacle/Adapter

Mates with P/N 178-9601 Plug Cable Assembly

P/N: 178-9601

36 mm CRT Plug Cable Assembly

Mates with P/N 178-9600 Receptacle Adapter



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