# UNIVERSAL LOCKING COMPRESSION CONNECTOR Torque Retention, Continuity & Enhanced Shielding



Innovation for the Last Mile<sup>®</sup>



PCT-FRS-6LMG 21 mm stroke length

### CONNECTOR CONVERGENCE

The innovative merging of three distinct PCT connector technologies into one connector creating the most reliable connectors on the market today

Torque Retention + Continuous Grounding + Enhanced Shielding

## **ANOTHER INNOVATIVE SOLUTION**

PCT is widely known for its patented compression connector technology and is always researching new options to assist our customers with improving the quality of the drop, while controlling costs and keeping step with industry advancements. That attentiveness is apparent in our newest compression connector, the PCT-FRS-6LMG, providing the cost efficient, ultimate performance connector.

#### **Metal Compression Ring Technology**

One of the primary problems with most compression connector designs is that the compression technique used is dependent on plastic sliding under metal or metal sliding over plastic when compressed. The two pieces then simply snap together, easily failing over time and resulting in the connector sliding off of the cable.

The PCT-FRS connector family uses PCT's patented and field proven, metal compression ring technology made famous in our DRS and TRS connector families. The unique metal compression ring ensures that the polymer sleeve remains locked in place after compression while remaining compressed over time and eliminating failure concerns.

#### **Torque Retention Feature with Enhanced Shielding**

Improper connector tightening during an installation is one of the most common mistakes made by self-installers, and even by many trained technicians. This oversight leads to interruptions and degraded performance in both video and data services resulting in countless truck rolls. Laboratory testing has proven that the PCT-FRS-6LMG's unique features keep the connection tight even after vibration and temperature cycling while providing enhanced shielding and continuous grounding if left in a loosened state.

#### **Continuous Ground Feature**

PCT's continuous ground feature - standard on our PCT-FRS-6LMG torque retaining connector - maintains greater immunity to ingress and egress due to loose connections, both inside and outside of the home.

#### **Delivering High Quality Experience**

PCT stands behind the philosophy that a tight connection is always the best connection but understands that an installation completed by a customer or installer may run the chance of being less than perfect. That's why PCT develops products that help avoid service related issues, increase customer satisfaction and lower operational expenses for operators.

#### Insure your installations today!

With the PCT-FRS-6LMG connector, you receive all of these features without any additional premium!

- Torque Retaining Built in lock washer keeps the connection tight
- ✓ Continuous Ground Improved ground contact both when tight and loose
- Enhanced Shielding Improved shielding effectiveness when loose
- ✓ Tested to Applicable ANSI/SCTE, ASTM and Telcordia (formerly Bellcore) Standards - Utilizes PCT's patented coaxial connector technology meeting Telcordia's loosening torque specifications
- ✓ Conforms to ANSI/SCTE 123 2011



- ✓ **Metal Design** Compression body, post and nut are 100% brass construction
- UV Stabilized Polymer Sleeve Provides environmental protection to the cable / connector interface
- ✓ **Dual O-Ring Design** Delivers a superior barrier against moisture intrusion
- Metal Compression Ring Ensures the UV stabilized polymer sleeve is locked in place after compression, stays compressed and won't break down over time



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## **Specifications**

#### PCT-FRS-6LMG

| Parameters                     | Details   |
|--------------------------------|---|
| General                        |   |
| Bandwidth                      | 5 to 3000 MHz   |
| Impedance                      | 75 Ohms (Nominal)   |
| Return Loss                    |   |
| 5 to 1002 MHz                  | -30 dB  |
| 1002 to 2150 MHz               | -25 dB  |
| 2150 to 3000 MHz               | -18 dB  |
| Shielding Effectiveness        |   |
| 5 to 3000 MHz                  | > -100 dB   |
| Insertion Loss                 | ≤ 0.2 dB @ 3000 MHz   |
| Operating Temperature          | -40 to +140 °F (-40 to +60 °C)  |
| Cable Range                    | Series 6 cable standard through quad-shield   |
| Withstand Tightening Torque    | 60 in lbs   |
| Cable Retention                | 40 lbs min  |
| Cable Insertion                | < 20 lbs (9.07 kg) maximum insertion force, ambient temperature   |
| Physical Characteristics       |   |
| Compression Tool Stroke Length | 21 mm   |
| Mating Mechanism               | 7/16 Hex 3/8-32 UNEF-2B threading   |
| Construction Material          |   |
| Nut and Rear Compression Body  | Sulfamate nickel plated brass   |
| Post                           | Bright acid tin plated brass  |
| Body Insert Sleeve             | UV stabilized polymer   |
| Tooling                        |   |
| Compression Tools              | PCT-AIO-CT and PCT-RHXL-CT-AS, as well as many other manufacturers' 360° and 180° standard 21 mm compression stroke length tools. |
| Part Number                    |   |
| PCT-FRS-6LMG                   | Compression Connector, Torque Retaining, Series 6, Standard through<br>Quad-Shield with Continuous Ground and Enhanced Shielding  |



#### **PCT-FRS-6LMG Cutaway**





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