

# TWINMEZZ® CONNECTOR SYSTEM

#### **OVERVIEW**

The TwinMezz® connector system provides superior electrical performance at the highest data rates, the highest signal density, and the lowest insertion force when compared to other available mezzanine connectors. Industry-leading signal integrity performance makes it the only choice capable of meeting the design requirements for 20+Gb/s mezzanine applications.

With 6 differential signal pairs per column, the system provides maximum signal density – delivering 25 pairs/cm², or 161 pairs/in². The innovative hermaphroditic design "mates to itself" reducing the number of part variations needed to accomplish stack heights ranging between 12mm and 40mm with 200–800 total contacts.

The TwinMezz® connector system provides exceptional flexibility with integrated molded or optional metal guides and the capability to mix signal and power wafers in a single connector. The versatile open pin field design offers additional flexibility by allowing for mixed differential, single-ended or power pin assignments in a single connector.

TwinMezz® connectors also feature FCI's patented BGA connector termination for easy surface-mount attachment and efficient trace routing.



#### **FEATURES & BENEFITS**

- 1.0 x 1.3 mm contact grid provides high signal density: 25 pairs/cm² (161 pairs/in²)
- 6 differential signal pairs per column
- · Shield-less design provides the lowest possible loss
- Open pin field design with no designated grounds allows for differential, single-ended or power pin assignments in a connector
- · Capability to address a range of applications
  - · 200 to 800 contacts/connector
  - · Stack heights from 12mm to 40mm
- 2.0mm (nominal) wipe length and redundant split-beam contacts enhance reliability
- Integrated guidance compensates for ± 2.0mm misalignment in all directions
- · Optional power contacts
- Proven FCI Ball Grid Array (BGA) technology enables reliable, SMT-compatible attachment
- · RoHS compliant (lead-free) options

# TARGET MARKETS/APPLICATIONS

- · Communications
  - Transmission
  - $\boldsymbol{\cdot} \mathsf{Access}$
  - Switching
  - Optics
  - Networking
- Data
  - Servers
  - Storage
- Industrial & Instrumentation
  - · Industrial controls & equipment
  - · Analytical & diagnostic

# **TECHNICAL INFORMATION**

#### **MATERIALS**

- · Housing: High-temperature thermoplastic
- · Contact: High-strength copper alloy
- Plating: Performance-based plating at separable interface (Telcordia GR-1217-CORE Central Office)
- · Solder sphere:
  - · Lead-free: 0.64mm diameter

#### **ELECTRICAL PERFORMANCE**

- · Current rating:
  - Signal contacts: 0.5A/contact at ≤ 30°C temperature rise above ambient, no air flow, fully loaded
  - Power contacts: 10A/contact (20A/IMLA) at  $\leq$  30°C temperature rise above ambient, no air flow, fully loaded with adjacent power contacts
- Dielectric withstanding voltage: 500V AC
- Differential impedance:  $100\Omega$
- · Crosstalk performance comparison: See below

#### **ENVIRONMENTAL**

- · Durability: 100 cycles
- · Contact wipe: 2.00mm nominal
- Environmental: Telcordia GR-1217-CORE Central Office
- · Solder joint reliability: IPC-9701 (EIA-364-21)

#### **SPECIFICATIONS**

- Product specification: GS-12-558 (Preliminary)
- · Application specification: GS-20-108 (Preliminary)

#### **PACKAGING**

Trays

## **PART NUMBERS**

· Stacking Height: 38mm

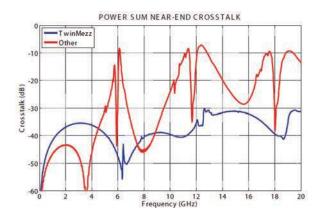
Pair Count	Column	Position	Height (mm)	IMLA Type*	RoHS	Part Number
6	30	600	24.6	20S + 10P	Yes	10100076-91930PLF

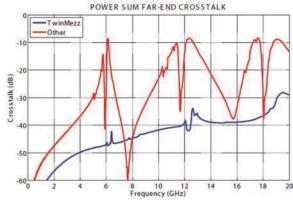
IMLA Type\*

S=Signal IMLA

P=Power IMLA

### **PERFORMANCE CHART**





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