

DOSSERT[®] Distribution Parallel Groove Clamps (Series 390 and 490)

Catalog 390 and Catalog 490 Series Distribution Parallel Groove Clamps with a single bolt accomodate a range of conductors in each groove. This type of clamp is commonly used for service drop connections and as a tap from large to relatively small conductors.

Material

Aluminum Alloy

Hardware

Blue anodized bolt.

Notes

- 1. To order Parallel Groove Clamps prefilled with Alnox Compound, add P or W suffix to part number. See ordering information below.
- 2. The use of Alnox Compound liberally in grooves and on wire is recommended. Be sure conductors are clean. All conductors (new and old) should be thoroughly cleaned with a scratch brush or emery cloth.
- 3. Extensive field experience and exposure tests show that if a suitable type joint compound is liberally applied over and around the contact area, copper-to-aluminum electric connections can be made satisfactorily with aluminum clamps without copper bushings. Alnox Compound is recommended.

CATALOG NUMBER	GROOVE SIZE		BOLT SIZE (IN)	TORQUE (FT-LBS)	NOMINAL	
Chine Controlling Lin	RUN 1	TAP 2			WEIGHT (LBS)	
490.0	0	0	5/16"	10	0.060	
395.5	5	5	3/8"	15	0.092	
396.6	6	6	3/8"	15	0.129	
397.5	7	5	7/16"	20	0.179	
392.6	2	6	1/2"	25	0.316	
393.6	3	6	5/8"	40	0.642	

Ordering Information

Standard groove numbers are used for the complete range of clamps and connectors. These numbers are incorporated into the AFL part number itself.

60001/5	GROOV	/E SIZE	CONDUCTOR SIZE					
GROOVE	SIZE DIMENSIONS IN INCHES		AC	SR	STRANDED ALUMINUM			
MIN		MAX	MIN	MAX	MIN	MAX		
0	0.128	0.325	6 6/1	2 7/1	8 & 8W	2		
5	0.128	0.398	6 6/1	1/0	8 & 8W	1/0		
6	0.162	0.464	6 6/1	2/0 6/1	6	3/0		
1	0.292	0.502	2 6/1	3/0	2	3/0		
7	0.368	0.593	1/0	4/0	1/0	266.8 MCM		
2	0.464	0.743	3/0	397 18/1	3/0	400 MCM		
3	0.743	1.152	397 18/1	795 26/7	450 MCM	1,000 MCM		
4	1.060	1.545	795 45/7	1590 54/19	874.5 MCM	1,750 MCM		

Notes

1. NEMA standard abbreviations for aluminum or copper: W = solid conductor, ACSR = aluminum conductor/steel reinforced





DOSSERT[®] Center Bolt Clamps Series 480

Catalog 480 Series Center Bolt Clamps are a multiple bolt heavy duty universal groove design which can handle the full electrical load of the conductor. They offer the convenience of installation without any loose parts. Catalog 480 Clamps are made from extruded high strength aluminum alloy and can be taped easily. Additionally, they have a minimum bulk, which results in a neat appearance.



Material

Aluminum Alloy

Hardware

Blue anodized bolt.

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	RUN 1	TAP 2	BOLTS	(IN)	(FT-LBS)	WEIGHT (LBS)
486.6	6	6	2	3/8"	15	0.2
481.0	1	0	2	3/8"	15	0.3
481.1	1	1	2	3/8"	15	0.3
482.1	2	1	2	1/2"	25	0.6
482.2	2	2	3	1/2"	25	1.1
483.2	3	2	2	5/8"	40	1.8
483.3	3	3	3	5/8"	40	2.8

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60.00/5	GROOVE SIZE SIZE DIMENSIONS IN INCHES MIN MAX		CONDUCTOR SIZE					
			AC	CSR	STRANDED ALUMINUM			
SIZE			MIN MAX		MIN	MAX		
0	0.128	0.325	6 6/1	2 7/1	8 & 8W	2		
5	0.128	0.398	6 6/1	1/0	8 & 8W	1/0		
6	0.162	0.464	6 6/1	2/0 6/1	6	3/0		
1	0.292	0.502	2 6/1	3/0	2	3/0		
7	0.368	0.593	1/0	4/0	1/0	266.8 MCM		
2	0.464	0.743	3/0	397 18/1	3/0	400 MCM		
3	0.743	1.152	397 18/1	795 26/7	450 MCM	1,000 MCM		
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DOSSERT[®] U-Bolt Clamps Series 580

Catalog 580 Series U-Bolt Clamps are heavy duty, high efficiency connectors with AFL full-capacity grooves. The U-Bolts are high strength aluminum alloy for excellent thermal expansion and corrosion resistance characteristics.

Material

Aluminum Alloy

Hardware

Yellow anodized aluminum U-bolts, nuts and lockwashers.

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	RUN 1	TAP 2	BOLTS	(IN)	(FT-LBS)	WEIGHT (LBS)
581.1	1	1	1	3/8"	15	0.3
582.1	2	1	1	1/2"	25	0.6
582.2	2	2	2	1/2"	25	1.3
583.1	3	1	1	5/8"	40	1.1
583.2	3	2	2	5/8"	40	2.6
583.3	3	3	3	5/8"	40	3.9
584.1	4	1	1	5/8"	40	1.7
584.2	4	2	2	5/8"	40	3.6
584.3	4	3	3	5/8"	40	5.8
584.4	4	4	3	5/8"	40	6.0

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