

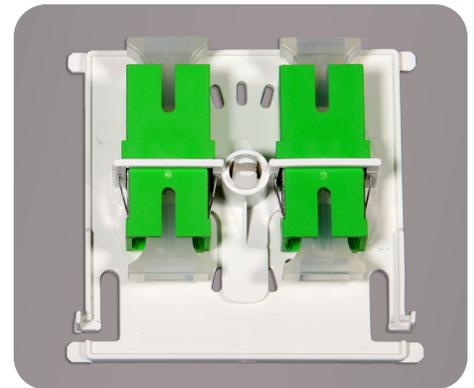
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BULKHEAD ADAPTER KIT FOR APEX® SPLICE TRAY

AFL's Apex Bulkhead Adapter Kit provides secure, physical splice tray attachment and storage of bulkhead adapters. The holders utilize the same snap-in technology as current splice holders and are easily installed into an available Apex splice tray splice holder location. The bulkhead adapter provides parking lot for test/monitor/connectors and allows rotation of the bulkhead orientation to align with measurement equipment launch tails without removing the adapter from the tray. Units are available in both SC/UPC and SC/APC configurations.

Bulkhead Adapter Kits can be supplied separately for field installation or as part of included accessory kit shipped with factory-assembled integrated xWDM module Apex splice trays.



Kit contents include Plate with pre-installed SC Adapters

Ordering Information

DESCRIPTION	AFL NO.
Apex Bulkhead Kit with Plate SC/APC Adapters, 1 kit	AX-TRAY-ASC
Apex Bulkhead Kit with Plate with SC/UPC Adapters, 1 kit	AX-TRAY-USC
Apex Bulkhead Kit with Plate SC/APC Adapters, 6 pc kit	AX-TRAY-ASC-6
Apex Bulkhead Kit with Plate SC/UPC Adapters, 6 pc kit	AX-TRAY-USC-6

INSTALLING BULKHEAD ADAPTERS IN APEX SPLICE TRAY

The Adapter Module must be installed in the Apex splice tray in a specific orientation. The Apex Adapter can be field installed in any open slot in an Apex splice tray (**Figure 1**). Remove Splice Module(s) if present.

Splice Tray Adapter Module Capacity:

- Apex X-2S closure – up to 2 modules (4 SC bulkheads)
- Apex X-2 closure – up to 4 modules (8 SC bulkheads)

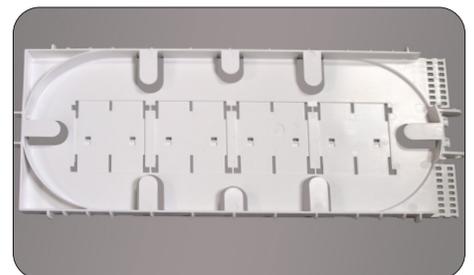
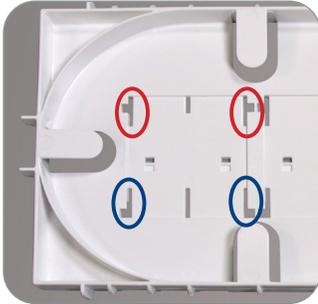
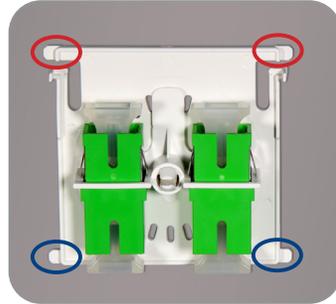


Figure 1

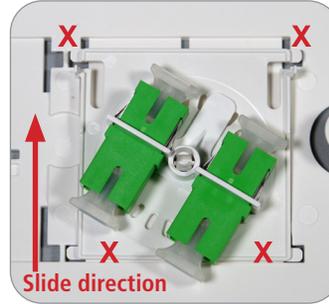
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1: The blue circles are the reference openings and the red circles are the locking openings.



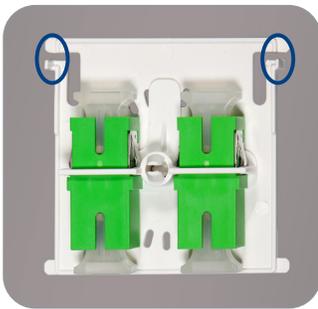
2: The reference tabs of the adapter module will be set in place where the blue circles are.



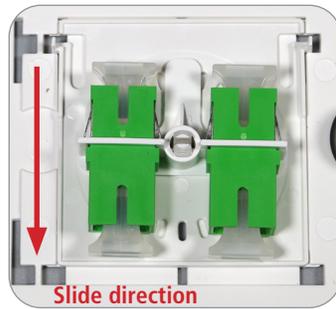
3: Align the four (4) tabs of module as shown to be locked into splice tray. Ensure all four (4) tabs are in place. Press down at the four X marks and slide forward to engage in the tray.



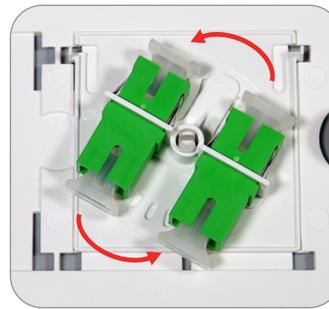
4: All four (4) tabs are engaged and under the splice tray lock tabs.



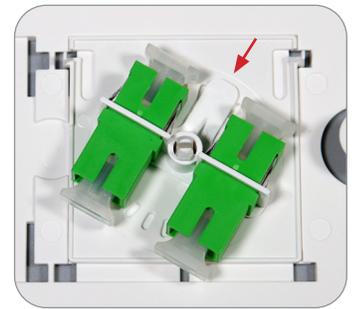
5: To remove adapter modules, simply pull back gently on locking tabs.



6: Then slide module out of retention slots.



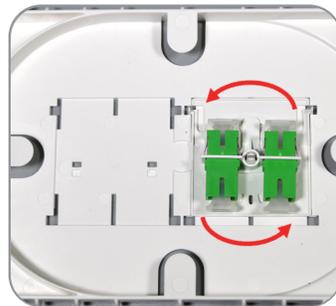
7: The modules may be rotated to provide the best bend radius for many applications.



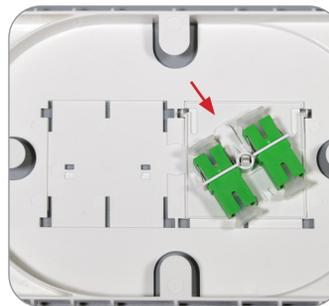
8: To rotate, simply lift the locking arm slightly to allow adapter frame to rotate and allow locking arm to re-engage in the desired position.



9: In this orientation, the ferrules meet in the center of the splice tray.



10: Rotate adapter frame 180 degrees (see Step 8) and the ferrules will meet off center and allow a larger boot on one side of the adapter frame.



11: The module can be rotated in any position needed as long as the locking arm engages.