# **PowerSAFE**



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As a result of the increased demand for temporary power generators which operate with high-voltage current in the areas of entertainment and industrial applications, selection of the high-current connector is particularly important, in order to guarantee safety and reliability for any application.

The single-pole PowerSAFE connectors were developed for the connection of single- and three-phase high-current circuits. They have been used and tested in the world's harshest environments, from the oil fields of Canada to data processing centres in the Arctic Circle. They are the right choice for demanding applications on account of their impressive technical capacity, safety functions, robust design, reliability and quality.

The standard safety functions include an additional locking system which requires a key to activate the connection. In addition, all electrical contacts on all plugs have finger-proof protection against electric shock, whereby the risk of accidental contact when switching on the connector is reduced.

The connectors are available in line and panel mount format with either crimp or screw contacts. The PowerSAFE connectors can be used with single-core cables between 25 and 300 mm² for high current connections up to 800 A and are currently the highest rated and safest connectors of their type on the market.





#### Video tutorial for PowerSAFE assembly

You will find further technical information in the PowerSAFE connector crimping guide

#### High current carrying capacity

The PowerSAFE connector's advanced contact design achieves its 800 A\* continuous rating by utilising an arrangement of 29 transfer bridges. Each transfer bridge is rated at 30 A, giving a total of 870 A per contact. \*Subject to environmental factors, cable choice, etc.

#### **Technical Data**

No. of contacts: 1

Max. continuous current rating: up to 800 A
Surrge current: 75 kA
Short circuit rating: up to 35.5 kA
Cable cross sectional area C.S.A: 25 mm² to 300 mm²

Contact termination:

Mating method:

Operating voltage:

Max. rated voltage to earth:

Min. flashover:

Screw or crimp connection

Bayonet lock

1'000 VAC

2kVAC/3kVDC

9.5kVDC

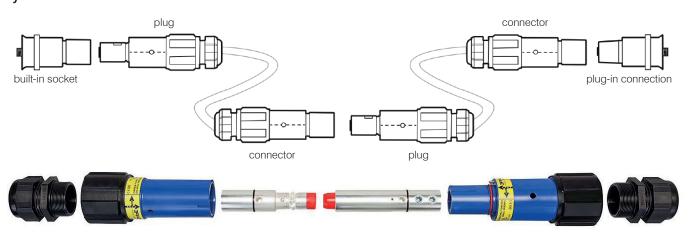
Insulation resistance: >5MOhm@500VDC

Protection category: IP67
Protection against electric shock: IP2X
Flammability: UL94-V0
Mating cycles: > 500
Material housing: thermoplastic
Contact area: silver

#### Product features

- maximum continuous current rating 800 A
- colour coded and mechanically keyed to prevent connection errors
- Flame retardant UL94-V0
- Locking mechanism to prevent accidental disconnection under load
- Finger proof contacts both genders (IP2X) to prevent access to electrical contacts when uncoupled
- silver-coated, self-cleaning contacts
- enhanced impact-resistant housing
- Protection category IP67
- for cables between 25 mm<sup>2</sup> and 300 mm<sup>2</sup>
- temperature resistant materials
- integrated cable strain relief
- Cable glands with generous clamping range
- Rubber protective caps to protect connectors from moisture, dirt and abrasion when uncoupled (optional)
- compatible with PowerLock
- CE-konform in EN 60309-1, DIN-EN 61984 and IEC 60900

#### System



## Plugs and connecteurs



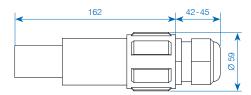
#### Plug

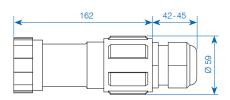
\*\* Item no. 136411





Connector with Rotalock





#### Plug

			Cable diameter 25-150mm <sup>2</sup> Screw connection		Cable diameter 185mm <sup>2</sup> crimp connection		Cable diameter 240mm <sup>2</sup> crimp connection	Protective cap		р
			max. 500A		max. 800A		max. 800A		IP44	IP67
			Item no.		Item no.		Item no.		Item no.	Item no.
L1	brown	✓	037821*	<b>√</b>	242728	✓	104992	✓	257463 🗸	106545
L2	black	<b>√</b>	037822*	<b>√</b>	242729	✓	104993	✓	257463 🗸	106547
L3	grey	<b>√</b>	037823*	<b>√</b>	242730	✓	104994	✓	257463 🗸	106548
N	blue	<b>√</b>	037824*	<b>√</b>	242731	✓	104995	✓	257463 🗸	106544
PE	yellow-green	<b>√</b>	037825*	<b>√</b>	242732	✓	104996	✓	257463 🗸	106543

 $PowerSAFE\ reduction\ sleeve\ set\ 95\,mm^2/70\,mm^2/50\,mm^2/35\,mm^2/25\,mm^2\ (ltem\ no.\ 147795)\ incl.\ nozzle$ 

#### Connector with Rotalock

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			Cable diameter       Cable diameter       Cable diameter         25-150mm²       185mm²       240mm²         Screw connection       Screw connection		Protective ca	p				
			max. 500A		max. 800A		max. 800A		IP44	IP67
			Item no.		Item no.		Item no.		Item no.	Item no.
L1	brown	✓	037816*	✓	242722	✓	104981	✓	257462 🗸	106540
L2	black	✓	037817*	✓	242724	✓	104982	✓	257462 🗸	106541
L3	grey	✓	037818*	✓	242725	✓	104984	✓	257462 🗸	106542
N	blue	✓	037819*	✓	242726	✓	104985	✓	257462 🗸	106539
PE	yellow-green	✓	037820*	✓	242727	✓	104986	✓	257462 🗸	106538

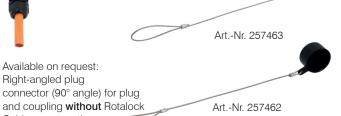
PowerSAFE reduction sleeve set  $95\,\text{mm}^2/70\,\text{mm}^2/50\,\text{mm}^2/35\,\text{mm}^2/25\,\text{mm}^2$  (Item no. 147795) incl. nozzle Accessories/spare parts: Item no. 136411 (47 mm)



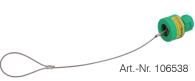


Available on request: Right-angled plug

Cable cross-section max. 240 mm<sup>2</sup>/800 A





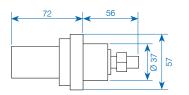


Accessories/spare parts: Item no. 136411 (47 mm)

## Plug-in connections and Build-in sockets

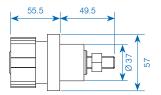
#### Plug-in connection





#### Built-in socket with Rotalock





#### Plug-in connection

			Screw connection		Screw connection		Protective cap		
			thread M12 max. 500A		thread M12 max. 800A		Protective	ca	þ
							IP44		IP67
			Item no.		Item no.		Item no.		Item no.
L1	brown	✓	038856	✓	104997	✓	257465	✓	113312
L2	black	✓	038857	✓	104998	✓	257465	$\checkmark$	113313
L3	grey	✓	038858	✓	104999	✓	257465	✓	113314
Ν	blue	✓	038859	✓	105000	✓	257465	✓	113315
PE	yellow-green	✓	038860	✓	105001	✓	257465	✓	113316

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> 45° adapter kit incl. screws for mounting

#### Built-in socket with Rotalock

			Screw connection thread M12 max. 500A			Protective ca		p
							IP44	IP67
			Item no.		Item no.		Item no.	Item no.
L1	brown	<b>√</b>	038851	<b>√</b>	104987	✓	257464 🗸	105561
L2	black	<b>√</b>	038852	<b>√</b>	104988	✓	257464 🗸	105563
L3	grey	<b>√</b>	038853	<b>√</b>	104989	✓	257464 ✓	105564
N	blue	<b>√</b>	038854	<b>√</b>	104990	✓	257464 🗸	113311
PE	yellow-green	<b>√</b>	038855	<b>√</b>	104991	✓	257464 🗸	105565

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> 45° adapter kit incl. screws for mounting



### PowerSAFE compact switchbox/Dimensions





The PowerSAFE Box is a connecting unit for connecting to a generator or the mains. The sequence of connecting and disconnecting is predetermined to ensure the safety circuits (PE+N) are the first to be connected and the last to be disconnected. The coded connections also prevent the possibility of incorrect contacts.

#### Functional description

- The cover of the earth connection is opened by rotating it clockwise using the special key provided. Insert the PE high current plug to the end stop and then rotate it clockwise (lock).
- After inserting the earth conductor properly, the protective cover of the neutral conductor opens – also insert the neutral conductor to the end stop and then rotate it clockwise.
- Connect all L1 to L3 phase conductors to the switchbox in the same way – comply with correct sequence!
  - Then the L3 phase conductor contact must also be locked with the special key in the clockwise direction. L3 is now also locked and unwanted disconnection is prevented.
- 4. This process triggers two processes:
  - a) It closes the L3 connection to prevent accidental interruptions under load and also prevents access to the device..
  - b) The microswitch (toggle function) is also activated and can therefore switch the switchbox on or off via an external contactor. (Leading or lagging) The load can be regulated in a controlled manner by connecting this switch to the power distribution.
- The removing and unplugging of the individual conductors is carried out in reverse order and procedure: Open the lock at L3 using the special key L3 and undo all connections beginning with L3.
- Important: All protective covers close automatically after removing the plug. (touch protection).

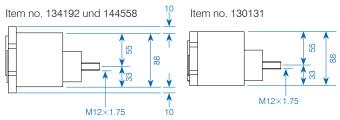
# 1. Plug to connector Special key

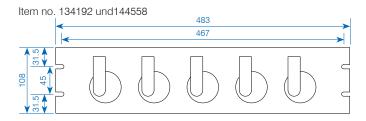
#### Dimensions Item no. 134192 and 144558:

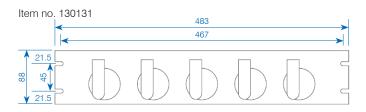
Version for installation in housing/wall 108×483×149 mm (H×W×D)

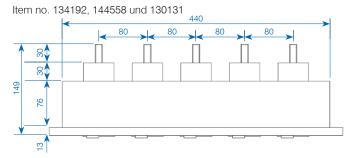
#### Dimensions Item no. 130131:

Rack installation version 88×483×149 mm (H×W×D)









In any case, it must be excluded that the conductors could be connected or unplugged accidentally in the wrong order or individually to/from the unit

#### Built-in connector box

	Item no.	Designation
<b>√</b>	144558	PowerSAFE Panel Box bis 800 A 3 LNPE 108×483×149 mm (H×B×T), wall/housing assembly, 5-fold unit with built-in connection

#### Built-in socket box

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	Item no.	Designation						
	177113	PowerSAFE Panel Box up to 800 A 3 LPE 108 × 483 × 149 mm (H × B × T), wall/housing assembly, 4-fold unit with built-in sockets						
✓	134192	PowerSAFE Panel Box up to 800 A 3 LNPE 108×483×149 mm (H×B×T), wall/housing assembly, 5-fold unit with built-in sockets						
	130131	PowerSAFE Panel Box up to 800 A 3 LNPE 2 HE 88×483×149 mm (H×W×D), for Rack mounting, 5-fold unit with built-in sockets						

from stock, offer subject to prior sale

# Connecting and extension lines with single conductor cable

Connecting cable set 3P+N+NE completely ready-made and labelled

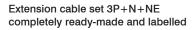


	Item no.	Plug	Cable	Length	Cable socket
Ī	157660	500 A	4×95 mm <sup>2</sup> /1×50 mm <sup>2</sup>	5m	95 mm²/M12
	157661	500 A	4×120 mm²/1×95 mm²	5m	120 mm <sup>2</sup> /M12
	157893	500 A	4×120 mm <sup>2</sup> /1×95 mm <sup>2</sup>	10 m	120 mm <sup>2</sup> /M12
	141731	500 A	4×150 mm <sup>2</sup> /1×95 mm <sup>2</sup>	5m	150 mm <sup>2</sup> /M12
	148347	500 A	4×150 mm <sup>2</sup> /1×95 mm <sup>2</sup>	10 m	150 mm <sup>2</sup> /M12

Coupling cable set 3P+N+NE completely ready-made and labelled

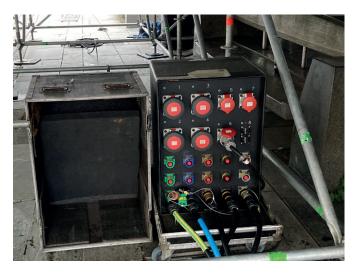


Item no.	Connector	Cable	Length	Cable socket
180157	500 A	4×95 mm <sup>2</sup> /1×50 mm <sup>2</sup>	5m	95 mm²/M12
175473	500 A	4×120 mm <sup>2</sup> /1×95 mm <sup>2</sup>	5m	120 mm <sup>2</sup> /M12
180158	500 A	$4 \times 120  \text{mm}^2 / 1 \times 95  \text{mm}^2$	10 m	120 mm²/M12
180159	500 A	4×150 mm <sup>2</sup> /1×95 mm <sup>2</sup>	5m	150 mm <sup>2</sup> /M12
180160	500 A	4×150 mm <sup>2</sup> /1×95 mm <sup>2</sup>	10 m	150 mm <sup>2</sup> /M12





Item no.	Plug	Cable	Length	Connector
157812	500 A	4×95 mm²/1×50 mm²	5m	500 A
161262	500 A	4×95 mm <sup>2</sup> /1×50 mm <sup>2</sup>	20 m	500 A
157813	500 A	4×120 mm²/1×95 mm²	5m	500 A
157895	500 A	4×120 mm <sup>2</sup> /1×95 mm <sup>2</sup>	10 m	500 A
163908	500 A	4×120 mm <sup>2</sup> /1×95 mm <sup>2</sup>	50 m	500 A
157814	500 A	4×150 mm <sup>2</sup> /1×95 mm <sup>2</sup>	5m	500 A
157816	500 A	4×150 mm <sup>2</sup> /1×95 mm <sup>2</sup>	10 m	500 A





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