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Ideal for thin LED lighting-module applications, Molex's Lite-Trap™ SMT wire-to-board connectors offer a low profile, easy wire removal, and low wire insertion and high wire retention forces.

The termination method of Molex's Lite-Trap connector is similar to Molex's Wire Trap connectors. A stripped wire is inserted into the connector and pushes open a gate-style terminal that "traps" the wire. To unmate, a button-style lever on the housing top is pushed down to allow the wire to be disengaged.

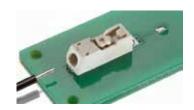
With a profile height of just 4.20mm, Molex's Lite-Trap connectors offer the lowest profile available of similar wire-removable types. Other lower-profile versions are available in the market, but these are permanent one-time connection types that do not allow wire removal.

Molex's wire-removable Lite-Trap connector offers lower wire insertion force than similar types. It also offers a user-friendly latch that is easy for operators to engage and disengage, even without the use of a tool. These features combine to offer easy field assembly and removal if needed for trained or untrained operators.

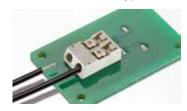
Other features of the Lite-Trap connector include a housing design that accepts more insulation-length range than competitive designs. This provides more stable wire seating for electrical contact assurance. The dual-contact wire-trap clamp design provides further mating assurance.

PRELIMINARY

Lite-Trap™ SMT Wire-to-Board Connector System, Push-**Button Type**



One-Circuit Type



Two-Circuit Type

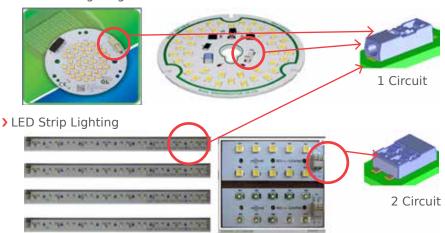
Features and Benefits

Low profile (4.20mm)	Meets needs of thin LED modules and other compact applications
User-friendly push-button latch	Ensures easy wire extraction
Dual-contact gate-style terminal design	Enables secure electrical contact and high wire-retention force
Long wire insulation design	Provides stable wire placement for additional contact assurance
Compact industry-standard PCB pattern layout	Saves space and is drop-in compatible with certain competitive products
Wire stopper feature	Facilitates correct wire insertion depth placement

Markets and Applications

- > Lighting
 - Down Light
 - Strip Light
- > Factory Automation Equipment
- > Consumer Electronics
- > Any application requiring an easyto-use wire insertion/extraction method

> LED Down Lighting





Specifications

REFERENCE INFORMATION

Packaging: Embossed tape Designed in: mm AWG: 18-24 (Solid wire) RoHS Compliant: Yes Halogen Free: Yes

ELECTRICAL

Current: 9.0A max. Voltage: 300V max. Contact Resistance: 10 milliohms max. Insulation Resistance: 1,000 Megohms min.

Dielectric Withstanding Voltage:

1,600 VAC for 1 minute

MECHANICAL

Wire Insertion Force: 15.0N (initial) max. Wire Extraction Force: AWG 24: 28.0N min. AWG 18-22: 50.N min.

PHYSICAL

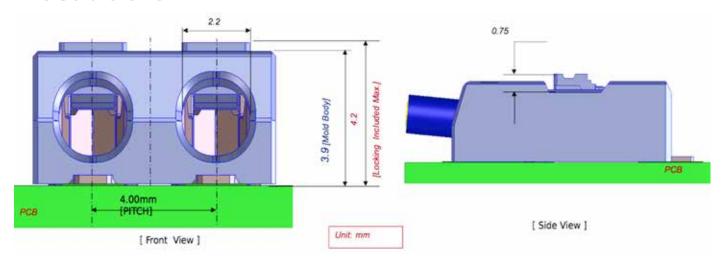
Connector: LCP, UL 94V-0, White Terminal: Phosphor Bronze

Plating: Tin

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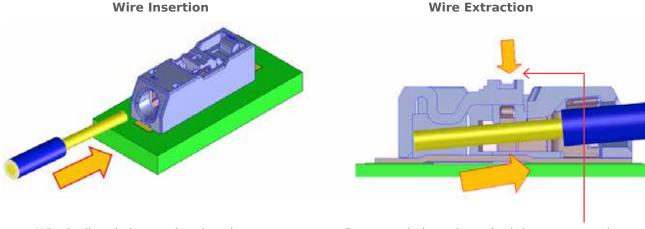
Dimensional Overview



Molex's Lite-Trap™ connectors offer an overall compact size, with the lowest profile available in the industry for wire-removable styles.

Additional Product Features

How the Lite-Trap™ Connector Works



Wire is directly inserted and pushes open low-insertion force gate-style terminal, which "traps" wire in place

Button-style lever is pushed down, gate-style terminal opens, and wire can be freely pulled out.

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