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Charger and vehicle plug 1.

Basic set components

Plug housing	Main contact pin	Contact lock (slider)	Strain relief

Optional additional components

		or optionally			
Reducing bushings for main contacts for	Keying 24-36-48-72-80-96 V - Blue: Lithium-ion battery	1x pilot contact adapter incl. 2x pin	Auxiliary contacts	Reducing bushings for pilot/auxiliary	Handle - Screw-on, black
reducing the con- nection cross section	- Red: Wet-cell battery, high	contacts	(2x pin	contacts for reduc- ing the connection	incl. screws
- from 25 to 10 mm ²	- Grey: Wet-cell battery	or optionally	contacts)	cross section	- Screw-on, red incl. screws
- from 25 to 16 mm ²	- Green: Dry-cell battery	1x air tube			
- from 50 to 25 mm ²	- Yellow: Vehicle plug, uni-			- from 2.5 to 1.0 mm ²	- Snap-on, red
- from 50 to 35 mm ²	versal			- from 2.5 to 0.5 mm ²	

Cable preparation 1.1

Tools required

- Insulation stripping tool
- Crimping tools, crimp inserts (see section "4. Tools")
- Heat-shrink device, e.g. hot air gun

Strip off the insulation from the cables for the main contacts

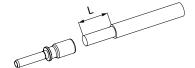


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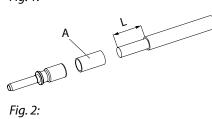


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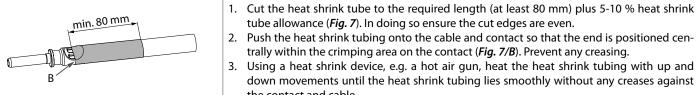
1. Strip cables for the main contacts - depending on the series and wire cross-section - to length L as indicated in the table below (Fig. 1).

If a reduction of the connection cross section is necessary, use reducing bushing (A) (Fig. 2).

Series	Wire cross section [mm ²]	With reducing bushing (A)	Stripping length L [mm]
LV80/120	10	Rb-25/10	
	16	Rb-25/16	18
	25	-	
LV160/250	25	Rb-50/25	
	35	Rb-50/35	20
	50	-	
LV320/400	35	Rb-50/35	
	50	-	20
	70	-	
	95	-	25
	AWG 4/0	-	25
LV500	AWG 4/0	-	25

2 Crimp the cables at the main contacts						
	Without use of reducing sleeves: 1. Push the bare cable braid into the connection area of the contact (<i>Fig. 3</i>). With use of reducing bushings:					
Fig. 3:	 Push the reducing bushing (A) as shown in <i>Fig. 4</i> onto the bare cable braid and push the cable braid together with the reducing bushing into the connection area of the contact. 					
	2. When doing so, ensure that the gap between insulation and contact is not more than 3 mm (<i>Fig. 5</i>).					
Fig. 4:	 Insert a crimp insert suitable for the wire cross section into the crimp tool (see section "4. <i>Tools</i>"). 					
max. 3 mm	 4. Crimp contact and cable (if necessary including the reducing bushing) as shown in <i>Fig. 6</i>. 					
Fig. 5:						
Fig. 6:						
3 Fit the heat shrink tube for	the main contacts					

tube for the main contacts



tube allowance (*Fig. 7*). In doing so ensure the cut edges are even. Push the heat shrink tubing onto the cable and contact so that the end is positioned centrally within the crimping area on the contact (*Fig. 7/B*). Prevent any creasing. 3. Using a heat shrink device, e.g. a hot air gun, heat the heat shrink tubing with up and down movements until the heat shrink tubing lies smoothly without any creases against

Fig. 7:

4 Strip the cables for pilot/auxiliary contacts (optional additional component).

the contact and cable.

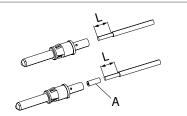
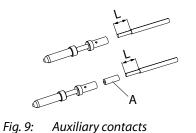


Fig. 8: Pilot contacts

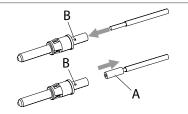


1. Strip the cables for the pilot/auxiliary contacts to length L as indicated in the table below (Fig. 8 or Fig. 9).

If a reduction of the connection cross section is necessary, use reducing bushing (A) (Fig. 8 or Fig. 9).

Series	Wire cross section [mm ²]	With reducing bush- ing (A)	Stripping length L [mm]
LV80/120	0.5	Rb-2.5/0.5	
LV160/250	1.0	Rb-2.5/1.0	7.5
LV320/400	1.5	Rb-2.5/1.5	7.5
LV500	2.5	-	

5) Crimp the cables to the pilot/auxiliary contacts (optional additional component).



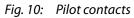




Fig. 11: Pilot contacts

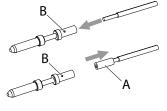


Fig. 12: Auxiliary contacts



Fig. 13: *Auxiliary contacts*

Note: For series LV80/120, pilot and auxiliary contacts have the same design.

Without use of reducing sleeves:

1. Push the bare cable braid into the connection area of the contact (*Fig. 10* or *Fig. 12*).

With use of reducing bushings:

- 1. Push the reducing bushing (A) as shown in *Fig. 10* or *Fig. 12* onto the bare cable braid and push the cable braid together with the reducing bushing into the connection area of the contact.
- 2. Push the cable braid (if necessary including the reducing bushing)into the contact until it is visible in the checking hole (*Fig. 10/B* or *Fig. 12/B*)
- 3. Crimp contact and cable (if necessary including the reducing bushing) using the crimping tool (see section *"4. Tools"*), as shown in *Fig. 11* or *Fig. 13*.

Assembling the charger and vehicle plug 1.2

Tools required

- Crosshead screwdriver PH2 and PH3
- Slotted screwdriver no. 3
- Torque wrench

Assembly steps overview

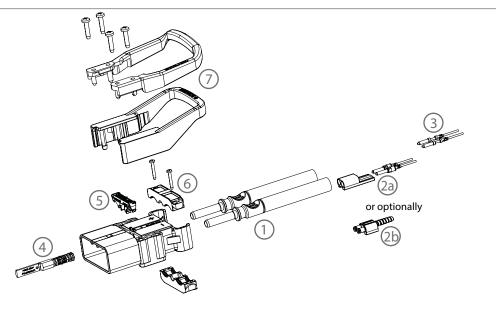
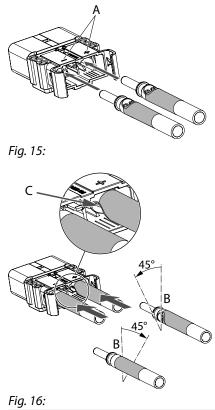


Fig. 14:

The assembly steps (1) to (7) are described in detail on the following pages.

Install the main contacts in the charger/vehicle plug



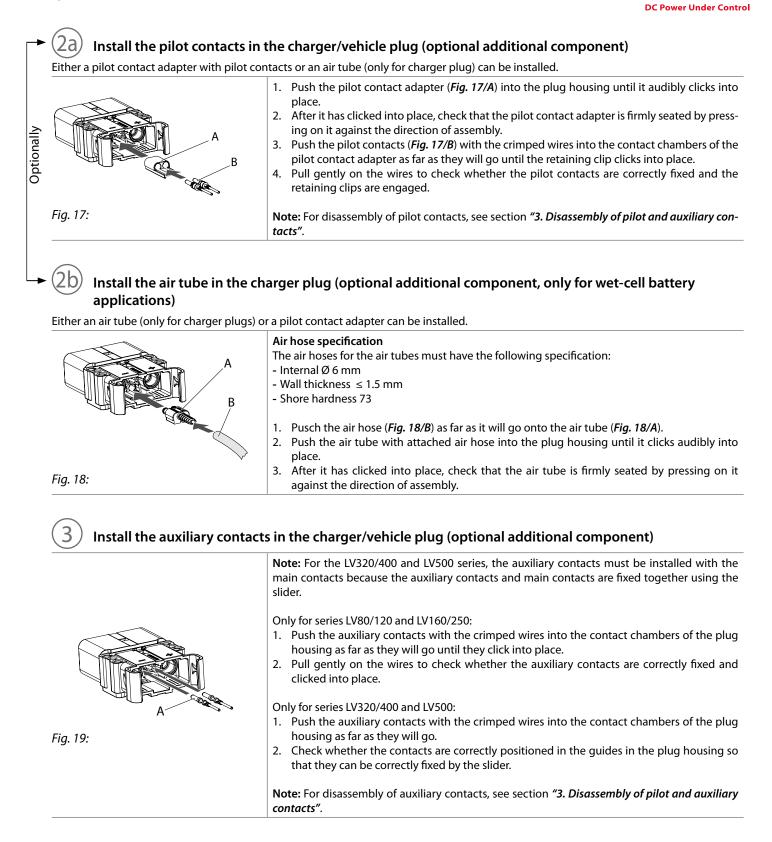
WARNING

An incorrect connection could result in a fatal electric shock. Observe the polarity markings (+) and (-) on the housing of the charger/vehicle plug (Fig. 15/A).

1. Push in the main contacts with crimped cables as far as they will go into the plug housing (Fig. 15).

Note: Only applies for contact sizes 95 mm² and AWG 4/0.

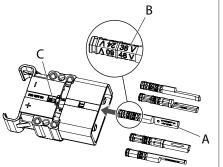
- 1. Turn the crimp area (B) to about 45° from vertical (*Fig. 16/B*).
- 2. Push in the main contacts so that the crimping area points downwards at an angle towards the inside of the plug, as shown in (Fig. 16/C).





(4) Install the coding pin in the charger/vehicle plug (optional additional component)

the plug and insert it again.



- 1. Rotate the coding pin (*Fig. 20/A*) for the required voltage so that the voltage indication faces upwards.
 - For charger/vehicle plugs, the voltage indication on the front part of the coding pin is defining (*Fig. 20/B*).
 - After insertion, the voltage indication (B) on the coding pin must be visible in the housing cut-out (*Fig. 20/C*).
- 2. Push the coding pin from the front into the coding pin receiver in the plug and press in firmly until it audibly clicks into place.
 - The voltage indication (B) on the coding pin must now be visible in the housing cut-out (C).

If the coding pin has been incorrectly inserted, drive the coding pin out from the back of

Fig. 20:

5) Install the slider in the charger/vehicle plug

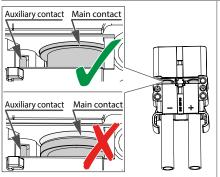
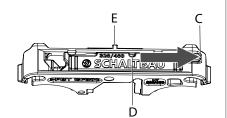
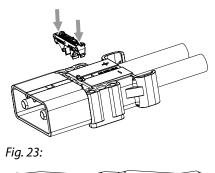


Fig. 21:







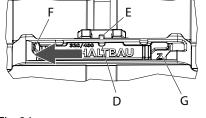


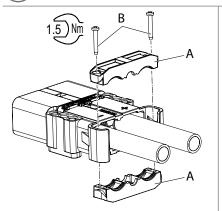
Fig. 24:

Notes:

- For the LV320/400 series, the auxiliary contacts (where used) must be installed with the main contacts because the auxiliary contacts and main contacts are fixed together using the slider.
 For the LV80/120 series, the coding pin for the voltage coding must be fitted before the slider is fitted in place.
- There is no latch on the slider for the LV80/120 series.
- 1. Ensure that the main contacts and the auxiliary contacts (where used) are correctly positioned in the guides in the housing (*Fig. 21*).
- 2. Ensure that the latch on the slider is in the unlocked position (Fig. 22).
 - Latch pushed fully to the right (C).
 - Recess (D) of the latch and bar (E) of the main body are not aligned over each other.
- 3. Insert the slider into the housing so that when it is unlocked the logo can be read when viewed from the insertion side.
- 4. Push the slider in on both sides until it audibly clicks into place (*Fig. 23*).
- 5. Use a slotted screwdriver to push the latch on the slider as far as it will go (about 4 to 5 mm) into the locked position (*Fig. 24/F*).
- 6. Ensure that the latch is in the locked position (*Fig. 24*).
 - The latch must be pushed fully to the left into position (F)
 - Recess (D) of the latch and bar (E) of the main body must be aligned over each other.
 - Letter "Z" or a lock symbol is visible to the right on the slider (G).



(6) Install the strain relief on the charger/vehicle plug



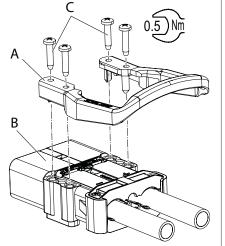
Recommendation: Before tightening the strain relief screws (*Fig. 25/B*), connect the charger/ vehicle plug to a battery socket and only then tighten the strain relief screws of the plug. This will result in alignment of the main contacts.

- 1. Position the upper and lower clamp (*Fig. 25/A*) of the strain relief on the cable.
- 2. Align the cables of the main contacts (as well as the auxiliary contacts/pilot contacts or air hose, where used).
- 3. Using a PH2 crosshead screwdriver, uniformly tighten the clamps (A) using both screws (B). In doing so, ensure
 - that both screws (B) are uniformly tightened,
 - that the clamps (A) are not tilted or skewed.
- 4. Tighten both screws (B) to a torque of 1.5 Nm.
- 5. Check that all cables are reliably secured against strain/pulling.

Fig. 25:



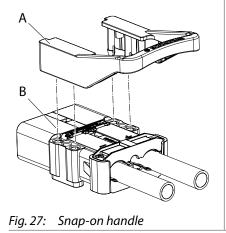
) Install the handle on the charger/vehicle plug (optional additional component)



Screw-on handle (Fig. 26)

- 1. Insert the screw-on handle (A) into the provided securing holes on the housing (B).
- 2. Screw on the handle with a PH3 crosshead screwdriver using the four mounting screws (C).
- 3. Tighten the four mounting screws to a torque of 0.5 Nm.

Fig. 26: Screw-on handle



Snap-on handle (Fig. 27)

1. Press the snap-on handle (A) into the provided securing holes on the housing (B).

2. Battery socket

Basic set components

or			
Battery socket housing for pilot contacts or optionally battery socket housing with air tube	Main contacts socket	Contact lock (slider)	Strain relief

Optional additional components

Reducing bushings for main contacts for	Keying 24-36-48-72-80-96 V - Blue: Lithium-ion battery	2x pilot contact socket	2x auxiliary contact socket	Reducing bushings for pilot/auxiliary	Handle - Screw-on, black incl.
reducing the con-	- Red: Wet-cell battery, high	contact societ	JOERET	contacts for reduc-	screws
nection cross section	power			ing the connection	- Screw-on, red
- from 25 to 10 mm ²	- Grey: Wet-cell battery			cross section	incl. screws
- from 25 to 16 mm ²	- Green: Dry-cell battery			- from 2.5 to 1.5 mm ²	· · ·
- from 50 to 25 mm ²				- from 2.5 to 1.0 mm ²	- Snap-on, red
- from 50 to 35 mm ²				- from 2.5 to 0.5 mm ²	

2.1 Cable preparation

Tools required

- Insulation stripping tool

- Crimping tools, crimp inserts, (see section "4. Tools")

- Heat-shrink device, e.g. hot air gun

Strip off the insulation from the cables for the main contacts

(Fig. 29).

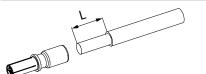


Fig. 28:

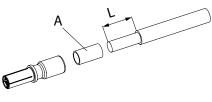
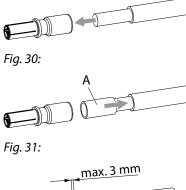


Fig. 29:

2. Strip cables for the main contacts - depending on the series and wire cross-section - to length L as indicated in the table below (Fig. 28). If a reduction of the connection cross section is necessary, use reducing bushing (A)

Series	Wire cross section [mm ²]	With reducing bushing (A)	Stripping length L [mm]
LV80/120	10	Rb-25/10	
	16	Rb-25/16	18
	25	-	
LV160/250	25	Rb-50/25	
	35	Rb-50/35	20
	50	-	
LV320/400	35	Rb-50/35	
	50	-	20
	70	-	
	95	-	25
	AWG 4/0	-	- 25
LV500	AWG 4/0	-	25

Crimp the cables at the main contacts



Without use of reducing bushings:

1. Push the bare cable braid into the connection area of the contact (Fig. 30).

With use of reducing bushings:

- 1. Push the reducing bushing (A) as shown in *Fig. 31* onto the bare cable braid and push the cable braid together with the reducing bushing into the connection area of the contact.
- 2. When doing so, ensure that the gap between insulation and contact is not more than 3 mm (*Fig. 32*). Insert a crimp insert suitable for the wire cross section into the crimp tool (see section

4. Crimp contact and cable (if necessary including the reducing bushing) as shown in Fig. 33.



Fig. 32:

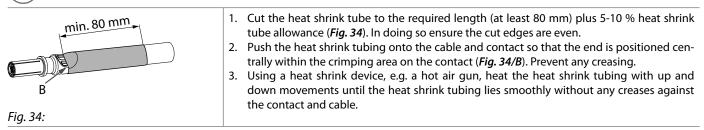


Fig. 33:

Fit the heat shrink tube for the main contacts

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4 Strip the cables for pilot/auxiliary contacts (optional additional component).

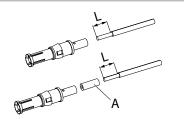


Fig. 35: Pilot contacts

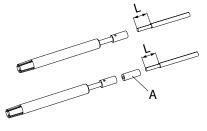
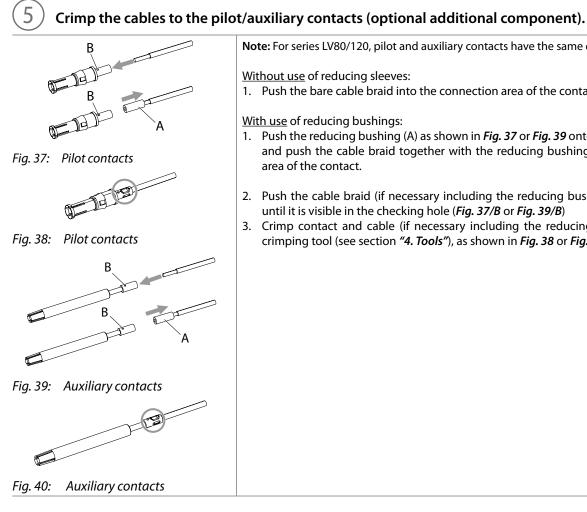


Fig. 36: Auxiliary contacts



1. Strip the cables for the pilot/auxiliary contacts to length L as indicated in the table below (Fig. 35 or Fig. 36).

If a reduction of the connection cross section is necessary, use reducing bushing (A) (Fig. 35 or Fig. 36).

Series	Wire cross section [mm ²]	With reducing bushing (A)	Stripping length L [mm]
LV80/120	0.5	Rb-2.5/0.5	
LV160/250	1.0	Rb-2.5/1.0	76
LV320/400	1.5	Rb-2.5/1.5	7.5
LV500	2.5	-	

Note: For series LV80/120, pilot and auxiliary contacts have the same design.

Without use of reducing sleeves:

1. Push the bare cable braid into the connection area of the contact (Fig. 37 or Fig. 39).

<u>With use of reducing bushings:</u>

- 1. Push the reducing bushing (A) as shown in Fig. 37 or Fig. 39 onto the bare cable braid and push the cable braid together with the reducing bushing into the connection area of the contact.
- 2. Push the cable braid (if necessary including the reducing bushing)into the contact until it is visible in the checking hole (Fig. 37/B or Fig. 39/B)
- 3. Crimp contact and cable (if necessary including the reducing bushing) using the crimping tool (see section "4. Tools"), as shown in Fig. 38 or Fig. 40.

2.2 Assembling the battery socket

Tools required

- Crosshead screwdriver PH2 and PH3
- Slotted screwdriver no. 3
- Torque wrench

Assembly steps overview

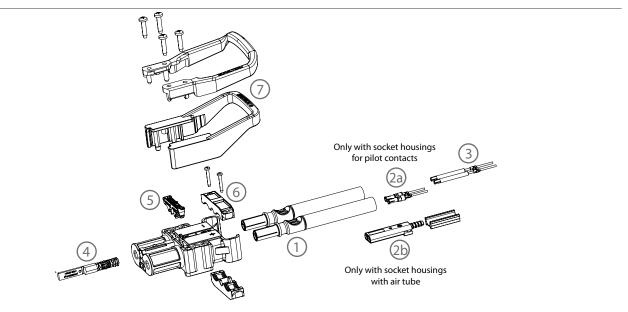
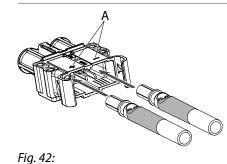


Fig. 41:

The assembly steps (1) to (7) are described in detail on the following pages.







WARNING

An incorrect connection could result in a fatal electric shock. Observe the polarity markings (+) and (-) on the battery socket (*Fig. 42/A*).

1. Push in the main contacts with crimped cables as far as they will go into the battery socket housing (Fig. 42).

Note: Only applies for contact sizes 95 mm² and AWG 4/0:

- 1. Turn the crimp area (B) to about 45° from vertical (*Fig. 43/B*).
- 2. Push in the main contacts so that the crimping area points downwards at an angle towards the inside of the socket, as shown in (Fig. 43/C).

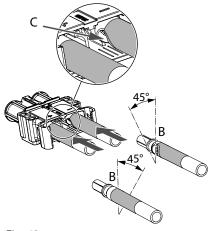
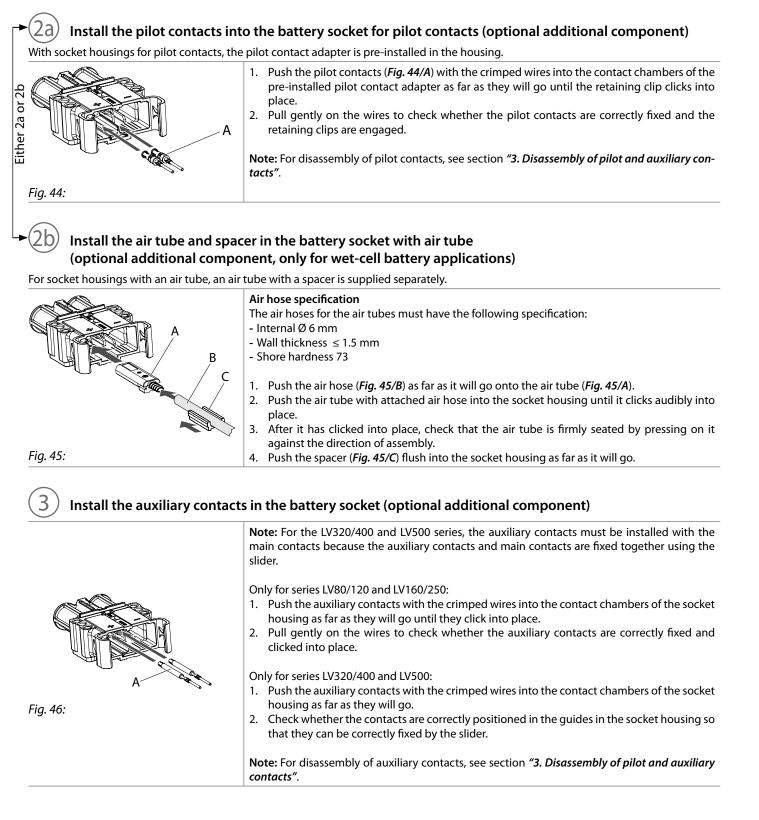
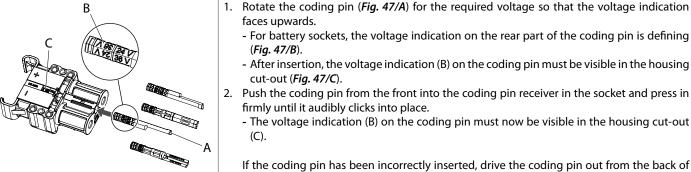


Fig. 43:





4 Install the coding pin in the battery socket (optional additional component)



- 1. Rotate the coding pin (Fig. 47/A) for the required voltage so that the voltage indication faces upwards.
 - For battery sockets, the voltage indication on the rear part of the coding pin is defining (Fig. 47/B).
 - After insertion, the voltage indication (B) on the coding pin must be visible in the housing cut-out (Fig. 47/C).
- 2. Push the coding pin from the front into the coding pin receiver in the socket and press in firmly until it audibly clicks into place.
 - The voltage indication (B) on the coding pin must now be visible in the housing cut-out (C).

Fig. 47:

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Install the slider in the battery socket

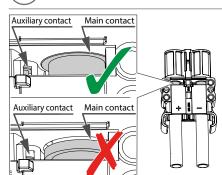


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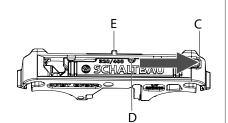


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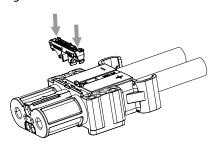


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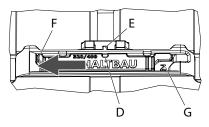


Fig. 51:

- Notes: - For the LV320/400 series, the auxiliary contacts (where used) must be installed with the main contacts because the auxiliary contacts and main contacts are fixed together using the slider. - For the LV80/120 series, the coding pin for the voltage coding must be fitted before the slider is fitted in place.
- There is no latch on the slider for the LV80/120 series.

the socket and insert it again.

- 1. Ensure that the main contacts and the auxiliary contacts (where used) are correctly positioned in the guides in the housing (Fig. 48).
- Ensure that the latch on the slider is in the unlocked position (Fig. 49). 2. - Latch pushed fully to the right (C).
- Recess (D) of the latch and bar (E) of the main body are not aligned over each other.
- 3. Insert the slider into the housing so that when it is unlocked the logo can be read when viewed from the insertion side.
- 4. Push the slider in on both sides until it audibly clicks into place (Fig. 50).
- Use a slotted screwdriver to push the latch on the slider as far as it will go (about 4 to 5 mm) 5. into the locked position (Fig. 51/F).
- 6. Ensure that the latch is in the locked position (Fig. 51).
 - The latch must be pushed fully to the left into position (F)
 - Recess (D) of the latch and bar (E) of the main body must be aligned over each other.
 - Letter "Z" or a lock symbol is visible to the right on the slider (G).

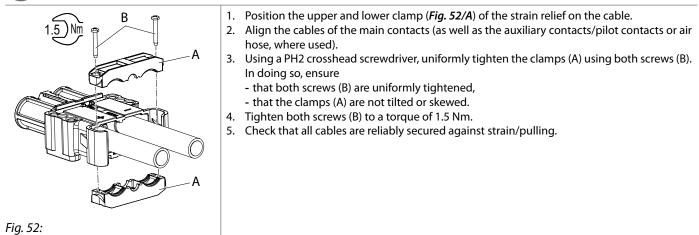
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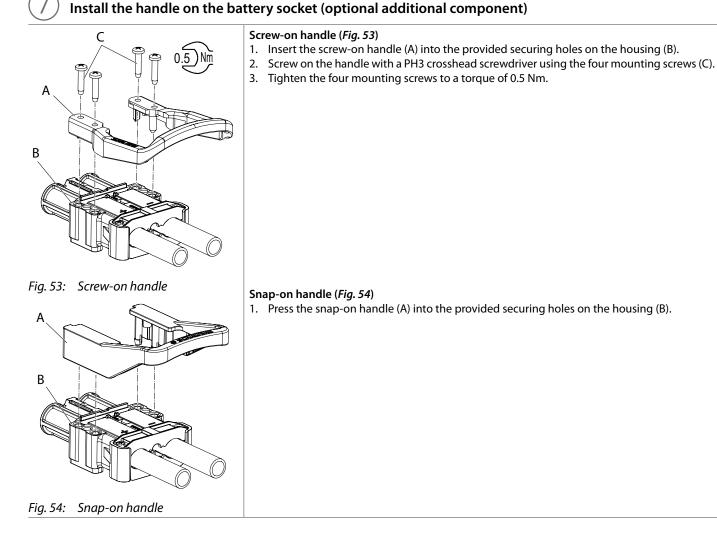
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6 Install the strain relief in the battery socket

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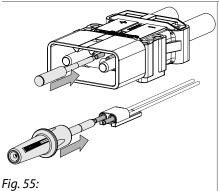


3. Disassembly of pilot and auxiliary contacts

Tools required

- Extraction tools (see section "4. Tools")

1) Disassemble pilot and auxiliary contacts



Note: Here disassembly of pilot and auxiliary contacts is illustrated using the example of a charger/vehicle plug. Disassembly for a battery socket takes place in the same way.

- 1. Insert the appropriate extraction tool (see section *"4. Tools"*) over the contact as far as it will go. This unlocks the retaining clip used to secure the contact.
- Press the contacts backwards out of the contact chambers as shown in *Fig. 55*.
 With the extraction tools LV80/120-ET-Pc/Ac and LV160/250-ET-Ac the pressing out is performed by a plunger.
 - With the extraction tool ETC-C/H the pressing out is performed by a sprung plunger.
- 3. Pull the contacts completely out of the housing by pulling gently on the cable.

4. Tools

4.1 Crimping tools



The holders for the crimp inserts for crimping tools CTH-U/≤300 and CTE-U/≤400 are standardised for 130 kN. In this way, other crimp inserts/ crimp formers can be used so that the crimping tools can be used universally.

4.2 Crimp insert sets for CTH-U/≤300 and CTE-U/≤400 for main contacts

Series	Wire cross section main contacts [mm ²]	With reducing bushing	1x set crimp insert, ordering code	ltem no.	Figure
	10	Rb-25/10		1-1440-354253	
LV80/120	16	Rb-25/16	CID-W-25/S		TRA
	25	-			
	25	Rb-50/25			
LV160/250	35	Rb-50/35	CID-W-50/S	1-1440-354255	
-	50	-			
	35	Rb-50/35			
	50	-			
LV320/400	70	-	CID-W-70/S	1-1440-354256	
	95	-	CID-W-95/S	1-1440-354258	
	AWG 4/0	-	CID-W-4/0/S		
LV500	AWG 4/0	-	CID-W-4/0/S	1-1440-354259	

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4.3 Extraction tools for pilot and auxiliary contacts

Special extraction tools are necessary for disassembly of pilot and auxiliary contacts. The extraction tools are suitable for pin contacts (for charger and vehicle plugs) as well as for socket contacts (for battery sockets). You can determine the correct extraction tool for the series using the following table.

Extraction tools,	ltem no.	Description	Series				Figure
ordering code			LV80/120	LV160/250	LV320/400	LV500	
ETC-C/H	1-1440-267598	Extraction tool for pilot contacts		•	•	•	
LV160/250-ET-Ac	1-1448-151481	Extraction tool for auxiliary contacts		•	1)	1)	
LV80/120-ET-Pc/Ac	1-1448-135003	Extraction tool for pilot and auxiliary contacts	•				

¹⁾ For series LV320/400 and LV500, the auxiliary contacts are locked using the slider.

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Contactors Emergency disconnect switches	 Single and multi-pole DC contactors High-voltage AC/DC contactors Contactors for battery powered vehicles and power supplies Contactors for railway applications Terminal bolts and fuse holders DC emergency disconnect switches Special contactors to suit customer requirements
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