# Instructions

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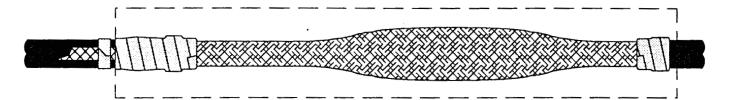
## SG-2 Hi-Amp

**Splice Grounding Accessory Kit** 

For L.C. Shielded and Tape Shielded Cable

#### **Kit Contents**

- 1 Copper Screen Sleeve
- 3 Mastic Seal Strips
- 2 Constant-Force Springs
- 1 Preformed Ground Braid
- 1 Instruction Sheet

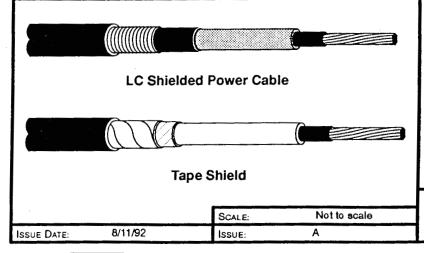


#### **Cable Accommodation Chart**

(Final determining factor is cable shield diameter)

Product	Insulation Class	Conductor Range (kcm)
	15 kV (.175)	
	15 kV (.220)	
SG-2	25 kV (.260)	350 – 1000
	25 kV (.280)	
	35 kV (.345)	

Table 1



SG-2 Hi-Amp Splice Grounding Accessory Kit

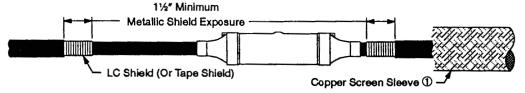
Primary Short Circuit Capacity Rated 15 kA - 15 $\sim$ 

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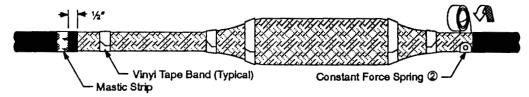
### Splice Shield and Grounding Kit Installation

1. Position copper screen sleeve ① over cable jacket prior to connecting cable ends.

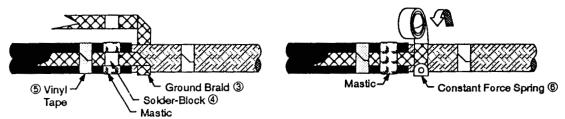
NOTE: When rejacketing with cold shrink PST or heat shrink sleeve, position the unit over the cable jacket (opposite side) prior to connecting cable ends.



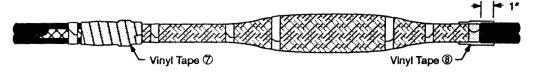
2. Install splice according to supplier recommendations. Maintain a minimum 11/2"(38 mm) metallic shield exposure on each side.



- 3. Position copper screen sleeve over center of splice opening and, starting on the splice body, form the sleeve to the shapes covered. Vinyl tape bands will aid in this forming.
  - NOTE: Tape bands should not extend beyond metallic shield edge on each side.
- 4. Wrap one of two constant force springs (supplied) over screen sleeve and metallic shield 1/2" (13 mm) from jacket cut edge ② (side opposite to ground strap attachment; determined by user).
- 5. Trim ends of screen sleeve to align with jacket cut edge using scissors or diagonal cutters. Screen sleeve should not extend onto cable jacket.
- 6. Select one of three mastic strips from kit. Remove liners and wrap mastic around cable jacket ½" (13 mm) from cut edge (see STEP 2 sketch). Discard any excess from this piece.



- 7. Position twin pre-formed ground braid ③ with one tail along jacket and solder-block ④ centered on mastic strip. A temporary binder of vinyl tape ⑤ will ease strap installation.
- 8. Wrap braid around copper screen sleeve and secure in place with constant force spring (supplied). Cinch (tighten) last lap of spring.
- 9. Repeat (STEP 7.) to position second ground braid tail (not shown in sketch) and apply second mastic strip layer over solder-block position.
- 10. Starting on the cable metallic shield (ahead of constant force spring) wrap two half-lapped layers vinyl tape  $\mathfrak{D}$  (not supplied) extending  $\frac{1}{4}$ " (6 mm) beyond mastic onto cable jacket. Return to starting point to complete second layer. Overwrap constant force spring on opposite end with two half-lapped layers vinyl tape  $\mathfrak{B}$  extending 1" (25 mm) onto cable jacket.



11. Rejacket splice according to supplier recommendations and connect braid tails to ground according to current practice.

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