# **Description**

Developed in the late 1940's, the BNC is a miniature version of the Type C. BNC stands for Bayonet Neill Concelman and is available in 50 Ohm and 75 Ohm impedance versions.

The BNC product line is a miniature quick connect / disconnect RF connector. It features two bayonet lugs on the female connector; mating is achieved with only a quarter turn of the coupling nut.

Primary Applications - Ideally suited for cable termination for miniature to subminiature coaxial cable (RG-58, 59, to RG-179, RG-316, etc.)

#### Features/Benefits

- Bayonet coupling mechanism provides quick mating and unmating.
- 50 and 75 ohm impedance designs allow customers to match impedance to system requirements.
- 50 and 75 ohm connectors are intermateable to ensure nondestructive mating.
- Three grades of connectors are available for military, industrial and commercial applications.

## **Applications**

- Antennas
- Automotive (GPS)
- Base Stations
- Broadcast (75 ohm)
- Cable Assemblies
- Cable Modems
- Components
- Computers/LANs
- Instrumentation

- Network Analyzers
- Oscilloscopes
- Medical Equipment
- Mil-Aerospace
- Networks
- Radios
- Satcom
- Surge Protection
- Telecom



# 50 ohm BNC Cable Connectors

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# **Description**

Amphenol 50 ohm BNC connectors are miniature, lightweight units designed to operate up to 11 GHz and typically yield low reflection through 4 GHz. Designed to accomodate a large variety of RG and industry standard cables, BNC connectors are available in crimpcrimp, clamp-solder, SURETWIST®, and field serviceable termination styles. A full line of printed circuit board receptacles, bulkhead receptacles, resistor terminations, and other accessories complement the product offering.

#### Features/Benefits

Amphenol manufactures a full line of BNC connectors to meet all users' needs. Parts which are listed with the appropriate M39012 number in the catalog are Military Grade connectors produced in accordance with and actively qualified to the military specification MIL-C-39012. Connectors not listed with the M39012 number constitute the Industrial Grade product offering. These connectors provide comparable performance and generally feature nickel plated brass bodies, Teflon insulators, and either gold or silver plated center contacts. Amphenol's Commercial Grade connector offering carries the part number designation "RFX" for easy recognition. These low cost connectors typically utilize diecast and molded components. While



performance will not be equal to the Industrial or Military grade products, these connectors are ideal for use on a variety of commercial applications.

Amphenol's 50 ohm BNC connectors (where indicated) are recognized under the Component Program of Underwriter's Laboratories, Inc. They are ideal for use with medical equipment and test instrumentation where safety cannot be compromised.

#### **Applications**

- Computers/LANs
- Test and Measurement
- Medical Equipment
- Telecommunications
- Wireless/Networks

# **50** ohm

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# **BNC**Specifications

#### **ELECTRICAL**

Impedance	50 ohms nominal ■
Frequency range	0-4 Ghz w/low reflection
Voltage rating	500 volts peak
Dielectric withstanding voltage	1,500 volts rms.
VSWR	M39012 straight connectors: 1.3 max. 0-4 GHz M39012 right angle: 1.35 max. 0-4 GHz
Other (MIL-C-39012 cable connectors)	Contact resistance: center contact 1.5 milliohm
	outer contact 0.2 milliohm
	Braid to body 0.1 milliohm
	RF leakage: - 55 dB minimum at 3 GHz
	Insertion loss: 0.2 dB maximum at 3 GHz
	Insulation resistance: 5000 megohms (min.)

#### **MECHANICAL**

Mating	2-stud bayonet coupling per M39012
Cable affixment (braid or jacket)	All crimps: hex braid crimp.
	Clamps: screw-thread nut and braid clamp.
Cable affixment (center conductor)	Crimps: crimp or solder All others: solder only
Captivated contact	All crimps Others: where specified.
Cable retention	Crimps: 20-100 lbs. All others: 30-70 lbs.

#### **MATERIAL**

Center contacts	Male: brass Female: Beryllium copper or phosphor bronze. Silver or gold plated
Other metal parts	Brass, Nickel finish except M39012 silver.
Insulators	TFE; copolymer of styrene, glass-TFE (hermetically sealed)
Clamp gaskets	Synthetic rubber, Silicone rubber
Crimp ferrule	Copper / Brass

#### **ENVIRONMENTAL**

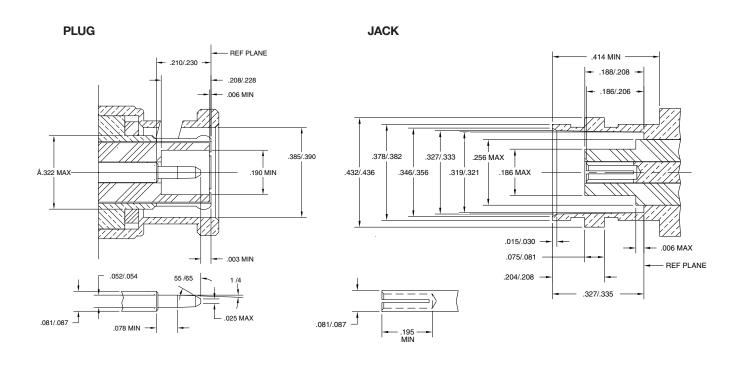
Temperature range	TFE insulators: - 65°C to + 165°C Copolymer of Styrene: - 55°C to + 85°C
Weatherproof	Clamps with clamp gaskets. Crimps with heat-shrink tubing.
Hermetic seals	Pass helium leak test of 2 X 10 <sup>-8</sup> cc/sec
Shock	MIL-Std. 202 method 202
Vibration	MIL-Std. 202 method 204 (test cond. D)
Moisture resistance	MIL-Std. 202 method 106
Corrosion	MIL-Std. 202 method 101 (test cond. B)
Temperature cycling	MIL-Std. 202 method 102 (test cond. D)
Altitude	MIL-Std. 202 method 105 (test cond. C)

#### **MILITARY SPECIFICATIONS**

	MIL-C-39012	Where applicable
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NOTE: These characteristics are typical and may not apply to all connectors.

■ Also see 75 ohm BNC connectors in the following section





### **Description**

To meet the need for higher performance, impedance matched cable interconnections, Amphenol offers a full line of 75 ohm BNC connectors. These connectors can be used in a variety of applications where true 75 ohm performance is needed to insure lower signal distortion.

#### Features/Benefits

Designed for the most popular 75 ohm cables used in broadcast and CATV applications as well as for plenum cables and others — these connectors feature crimp-crimp cable affixment for quick and reliable installation.

Two distinct types of  $75\Omega$  BNCs are available. Both types mate with each other and with  $50\Omega$  BNCs.

- Type 1 is designated  $75\Omega$  BNC-T1 and provides constant  $75\Omega$  perfomance with low VSWR DC to 4 GHz.
- $\bullet$  Type 2 is designated 75  $\Omega$  BNC-T2 and is usable with low reflection DC to 1 GHz. For applications above 1 GHz, Type 1 is recommended.

#### **Applications**

- Broadcast
- Satellite TV Farth Stations
- Telecommunications
- LAN
- Test and Measurement
- Security Transmission Systems
- Telecom
- Computer Networks
- HDTV

#### **75 ohm**

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#### **ELECTRICAL**

Impedance	75 ohms nominal
Frequency range	0-4 GHz
Voltage rating	500 volts rms
Dielectric withstanding voltage	1,500 volts rms.
Insulation resistance	5,000 megohms min.
VSWR	Type 1: 1.5 + 0.1 f(GHz) DC to 4 GHz
	Type 2: 1.00 + 0.25 f(GHz) DC to 1 GHz

<sup>\*</sup> These characteristics are typical and may not apply to all connectors.

#### **MATERIAL**

Body, coupling sleeve, male contact	Brass
Female contact	Beryllium copper or phosphor bronze
Crimp ferrule	Copper alloy
Plating	Contacts: gold
	Other metal parts: Nickel

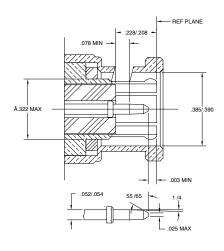
# **MECHANICAL**

Mating	2-stud bayonet lock
Cable affixment	Crimp-Crimp

#### **ENVIRONMENTAL**

Temperature range	TFE insulators: - 65°C to + 165°C Copolymer of Styrene: - 55°C to + 85°C
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**PLUG** 



#### **JACK**

