

## **FEATURES**

- A full cycle ratcheting hand tool ensures complete crimps
- Long handles for comfortable crimping with reduced crimping force
- A precision user-friendly terminal locator wire stop holds terminals in the proper crimping position
- Single color-coded crimp pocket eliminates the possibility of using the wrong pocket

## SCOPE

AviKrimp® Fully Insulated Quick Disconnect Female Couplers and, Perma-Seal™ Fully Insulated Snap Plug Receptacles 10 - 16 AWG.

#### Testing

#### Mechanical

The tensile test, or pull test, is a means of evaluating the mechanical properties of the crimped connections. The following charts show the UL specifications for various wire sizes. The tensile strength is shown in pounds and indicates the minimum acceptable force to break or separate the terminal from the conductor.

Wire Size (AWG)	*UL - 486 A	*UL - 310
16	30	30
14	50	50
12	70	70
10	80	80

UL - 310 - Quick Disconnects Couplers

\*UL - 486 A - Terminals (Copper conductors only)

The following is a partial list of the product part numbers and their specifications that this tool is designed to run. We will be adding to this list and an up to date copy is available on <u>www.molex.com</u>.

Wire Size: 14 - 16 AWG 2.00 - 1.30 mm <sup>2</sup>					
Terminal No.	Terminal Eng No. (REF)	Wire Strip Length		Insul. Dia. Max.	
terminal No.	rerminar Eng No. (KEF)	In	mm	In	mm
19164-0054	SBRB-8156N	.300	7.60	N/A	N/A
19164-0055	SBRB-8180N	.300	7.60	N/A	N/A

Wire Size: 10 – 12 AWG 5.00 – 3.30 mm <sup>2</sup>					
Terminal No.	Terminal Eng No. (REF)	Wire Strip Length		Insul. Dia. Max.	
Terminar No.		In	mm	In	mm
19005-0010	C-2265	.313	7.94	.275	6.99

# **OPERATION**



Open the tool by first closing the jaws sufficiently for the ratchet mechanism to release.

#### **Crimping Terminals**

- 1. Adjust the locator up or down until the terminal being run sits flat and straight in the tool.
- Position the terminal with the barrel facing up into the color-coded nest. Make sure the end of the terminal fits into the locator pocket securely and the front edge of the barrel is flush against the front edge of the locator, (See Figure 1).
- 3. Partially close the tool to hold the terminal in place (See Figure 2).
- 4. Insert the properly stripped wire into the terminal barrel (See Figure 2 and 3). The wire insulation will stop against the taper of the terminal. Cycle the tool.

**Note:** The tamper proof ratchet action will not release the tool until it has been fully closed.

- 5. Remove the crimp and inspect for proper crimp location, and check for insulation closure. Molex offers a Crimp Inspection Handbook for closed barrel industrial product. See our website or contact your sales engineer.
- 6. If the insulation part of the crimp needs to be adjusted, first loosen the M4 screw on the bottom tool jaw, then insert a 3/32 hex wrench (supplied) into the bottom of the lower die (See Figure 4). A clockwise (CW) rotation decreases insulation crimp while a counter-clockwise (CCW) rotation increases insulation crimp. After adjusting retighten the M4 screw.



## Maintenance

It is recommended that each operator of the tool be made aware of, and responsible for, the following maintenance steps:

- 1. Remove dust, moisture and other contaminants with a clean brush, or soft, lint-free cloth.
- 2. Do not use any abrasive materials that could damage the tool.
- 3. Make certain all pin, pivot points and bearing surfaces are protected with a thin coat of high quality machine oil. Do not oil excessively. The 64001-4900 (RHT-2251-CC) was engineered for durability, but like any fine piece of



equipment it needs cleaning and lubrication for a maximum service life of trouble-free crimping. A light oil, such as 30 weight automotive oil used at the oil points shown in Figure 4, every 5,000 crimps or 3 months will significantly enhance the tool life and ensure a stable calibration.

4. When tool is not in use, keep the handles closed to prevent objects from becoming lodged in the crimping dies, and store the tool in a clean, dry area.

## **Miscrimps or Jams**

Should this tool ever become stuck or jammed in a partially closed position, **Do Not** force the handles open or closed. The tool will open easily by pressing the ratchet release lever (See Figure 5).

## How To Adjust Tool Preload (See Figure 5)

Over the life of the tool, it may be necessary to adjust tool handle preload force. Listed below are the steps required to adjust the crimping force of the hand tool to obtain proper crimp conditions:

- 1. Remove the screw and plastic cover washer. Note the setting wheel position.
- 2. Lift the setting wheel off the axle. Turn the eccentric axle with a screwdriver.
- 3. Turning the eccentric axle counter-clockwise will increase handle force.
- 4. Replace the setting wheel to the axle, aligning the nearest notch in the setting wheel to the dowel pin.
- 5. Replace the plastic cover washer and screw.
- 6. Check the crimp specifications after tool crimp force is adjusted.



#### **Tool Calibration**

A Certificate of Calibration (see last page) was supplied with the tool. To recalibrate this tool, pin gauge measurements should be taken in each conductor nest and compared to this chart. The tool should be lubricated prior to recalibration to ensure consistent measurements. Handle preload is factory set to 25-45 LBS. See How to Adjust Tool Preload (See Figure 5) to recalibrate.





Nest Color Code	Wire Range		"X" Cone	′ Dimei luctor (	Crimp Inspection	
	AWG	mm <sup>2</sup>	Mean	Go	No Go	Marking
Yellow	10 - 12	5.00 - 3.30	.127	.124	.132	0
Tenow	14 - 16	1.30 - 2.00	.127	.124	.132	0

#### Warranty

This tool is for electrical terminal crimping purposes only. This tool is made of the best quality materials. All vital components are long-life tested. All tools are warranted to be free of manufacturing defects for a period of 30 days. Should such a defect occur, we will repair or exchange the tool free of charge. This repair or exchange will not be applicable to altered, misused or damaged tools. This tool is designed for hand use only. Any clamping, fixturing, or use of handle extensions voids this warranty.

Hand held crimping tools are intended for low volume, prototyping, or repair requirements only.

**Caution:** Repetitive use of this tool should be avoided.

# **PARTS LIST**

ltem	Order No	Description	Quantity			
	64001-4900	Hand Crimp Tool	(Fig. 6)			
1	64000-0076	Repair Kit (Springs, Pins and E-Rings)	1			
2	63810-0000	Handle	1			
3	64001-4975	Locator Assembly	]			
4	64001-4970	Tooling Kit	]			
	Tooling Kit Only					
5	64001-4802	Conductor Punch	1			
6	64001-4801	Conductor Anvil	]			
7	64001-4904	Insert Punch	]			
8	64001-4911	Insert Anvil	]			
9	N/A	4 mm Dia. by 5.0 mm Lg.Roll Pins	2**			
10	N/A	#10-32 by 5/16" Lg. Cup Pt. Set Screw	]**			

\*\* The following purchased parts are available from an Industrial supply company such as MSC (1-800-645-7270).



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	molex®	
	Certificate of Calibration	
Tool Order Number		
Tool Eng. Number		
Tool Revision		
Serial Number		
Date of Manufacture		
	Handle Load Range at 1 inch f	rom the Tips =
		Actual =
Range Conductor Nest # 1 =   Range Conductor Nest # 2 =   N/A   Range Conductor Nest # 3 =	Actual =	
Technician		
Date of Calibration		
Calibration should be done every 5,000 cycle Tools should be lubricated during this operati		
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