# 3M<sup>™</sup> Direct Bury Splice Kit DBR/Y-6





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## **Applications**

The 3M<sup>™</sup> Direct Bury Splice Kit DBR/Y-6 is used to electrically connect two or more prestripped copper wires and moisture seal the connection for direct burial.

The kit includes a 3M<sup>™</sup> Performance Plus Wire Connector R/Y+ and a high impact, UV-resistant polypropylene tube prefilled with moisture-resistant grease.

## Agency Approvals & Self Certifications

- C UL US Listed, UL Standard 486D, File No. E102356
- Listed for use in wet, damp, direct bury and submersible locations with UF type cable
- Meets European Standard EN 61984
- Applicable ratings under this standard: IP68, Pollution Degree 3
- Not recommended for long-term continuous submersion
- For RoHS and REACH information, please visit www.3M.com/regs

## **Specifications**

Maximum Voltage Rating: 600 V

Application Temperature: 32°F to 120°F (0°C to 49°C)
Operating Temperature: -40°F to 221°F (-40°C to 105°C)

#### Construction:

Tube: Impact and UV Resistant Light Blue Polypropylene Dimensions: Length: 3.7in., Cover: 1.5in.x 1.1in., Diameter: 1in.

Grease: 711B

R/Y+ Connector: Steel Spring, Flame Retardant Insulator

#### Wire Combinations Copper wire only Solid or Stranded

\*see chart for all combinations\*

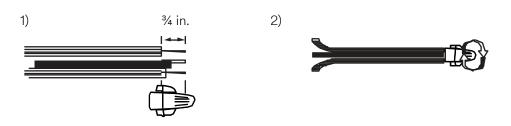


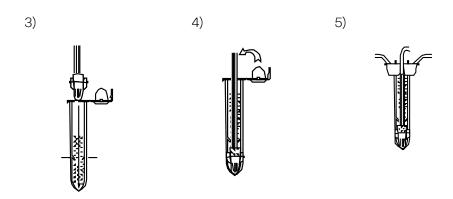
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## Installation Instructions

## ⚠ Warning

Turn power off before installing or removing connector. All electrical work should be done according to appropriate electrical codes.





- 1) Strip insulation ¾ in.
- 2) With wire ends even, insert wires into the connector and tighten until secure.
- 3) Insert the connector all the way into the tube until the connector rests on the bottom.
- 4) Fold the wire into the channels.
- 5) Close the cap.

## Installation Tip:

If having difficulty getting the twist-on connector down into the tube when using small gauge wires, use a thin non-conductive object to push the connector to the bottom of the tube. Upon removal of the object, ensure that no voids or water paths remain in the grease.

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**Combination Chart** Example: 3 #14 SOL and • • 1 #12 STR 10 STR 10 SOL 10 10 18 STR 18 SOL 16 STR 16 SOL 14 STR 14 SOL 12 STR 12 SOL SOL

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Shelf Life & Storage	This product has a 5-year shelf life from date of manufacture when stored in a humidity controlled storage (10°C/50°F to 27°C/80°F and <75% relative humidity).
Availability	From your local distributor; or from 3M.com/electrical [Where to Buy] or call 1.800.245.3573.

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