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Electrical Terminals—Eyelet and Spade Type

1. Scope—This SAE Standard covers general requirements and dimensions of various sizes of eyelet and spade type terminals.

1.1 Rationale—J561 has been reaffirmed to comply with the SAE 5-Year Review policy.

2. References

2.1 Applicable Publication—The following publications form a part of this specification to the extent specified herein. The latest issue of SAE publications shall apply.

2.1.1 SAE PUBLICATION—Available from SAE, 400 Commonwealth Drive, Warrendale, PA 15096-0001, Tel: 877-606-7323 (inside USA and Canada) or 724-776-4970 (outside USA), www.sae.org.

SAE J163—Low Tension Wiring and Cable Terminals and Splice Clips

3. General Requirements—The eyelet and spade type terminals listed in Tables 1A and 1B and Figures 1 through 5 of this document may be used for terminating wire ends or for terminating circuits on devices other than wire. Performance requirements for low tension wire terminals are specified in SAE J163.

Terminal sizes other than those listed are permissible, providing they meet the general requirements of this document and the performance requirements of SAE J163.

Terminals shall be free from burrs, corrosion, or any foreign matter, and shall be of a temper that will permit attachment to wires or circuits on devices without fracturing or cracking.

Terminals may be applied to wire by crimping, welding, swaging, soldering, or any combination thereof at the conductor grip. Insulation grips shall be used on all terminals assembled to 8 gage (8 mm²) and smaller insulated wire except where usage provides other means of relieving strain.

Materials should be of copper, brass, or other copper alloys. Minimum metal thickness is the nominal thickness shown less a standard strip stock tolerance. Thickness is based on SAE CA260 (UNS C26000) brass conductivity and may be adjusted for use with other materials. Unless otherwise noted, all dimensions shall be held to a tolerance of ± 0.25 mm (± 0.010 in).

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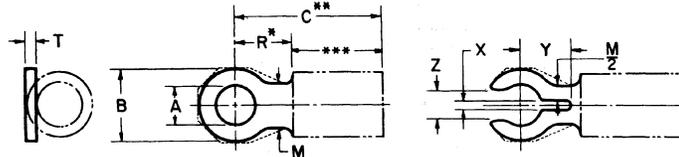
TABLE 1A—METRIC STUD OR SCREW AND HOLE OR SLOT SIZES

| SAE No. | Metric Stud or Screw Size Nominal | Metric Stud or Screw Size Max | Hole or Slot Size For Eyelet or Spade, A Min | Hole or Slot Size For Eyelet or Spade, A Max |
|---------|---|-------------------------------------|---|---|
| 1M | M3 | 3.0 mm | 3.2 mm | 3.4 mm |
| 2M | M4 | 4.0 mm | 4.2 mm | 4.4 mm |
| 3M | M5 | 5.0 mm | 5.3 mm | 5.5 mm |
| 4M | M6 | 6.0 mm | 6.3 mm | 6.5 mm |
| 5M | M8 | 8.0 mm | 8.4 mm | 8.6 mm |
| 6M | M10 | 10.0 mm | 10.5 mm | 10.7 mm |
| 7M | M12 | 12.0 mm | 12.5 mm | 12.9 mm |
| 8M | M14 | 14.0 mm | 14.6 mm | 15.0 mm |
| 9M | M16 | 16.0 mm | 16.7 mm | 17.1 mm |

TABLE 1B—STUD OR SCREW AND HOLE OR SLOT SIZES

| SAE No. | Stud or Screw Size Nominal | Stud or Screw Size Max | Hole or Slot Size For Eyelet or Spade, A Min | Hole or Slot Size For Eyelet or Spade, A Max |
|---------|----------------------------------|------------------------------|---|---|
| 1 | 4 | 0.112 in | 0.123 in | 0.129 in |
| 2 | 6 | 0.138 in | 0.144 in | 0.150 in |
| 3 | 8 | 0.164 in | 0.170 in | 0.176 in |
| 4 | 10 | 0.190 in | 0.201 in | 0.207 in |
| 5 | 1/4 | 0.250 in | 0.279 in | 0.285 in |
| 6 | 5/16 | 0.313 in | 0.342 in | 0.348 in |
| 7 | 3/8 | 0.375 in | 0.404 in | 0.410 in |
| 8 | 7/16 | 0.438 in | 0.466 in | 0.476 in |
| 9 | 1/2 | 0.500 in | 0.528 in | 0.538 in |

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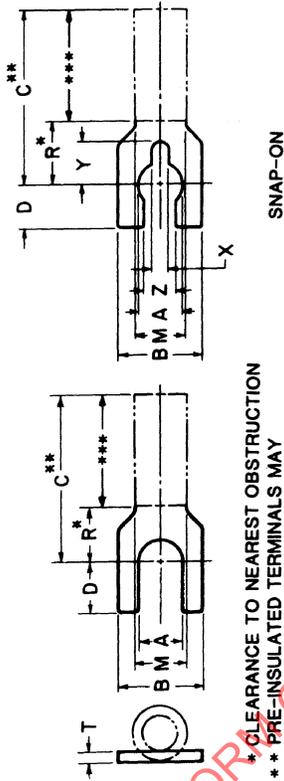


* CLEARANCE TO NEAREST OBSTRUCTION
 ** PRE-INSULATED TERMINALS MAY EXCEED THIS DIMENSION
 *** DETAIL DESIGN IS MANUFACTURER'S OPTION

SNAP-ON

| SAE No. | Screw Size | A Min mm | A Min In | A Max mm | A Max In | B Min mm | B Min In | C Max mm | C Max In | M Min mm | M Min In | R Min mm | R Min In | T Nom mm | T Nom In | X mm | X In | Y mm | Y In | Z mm ±0.13 | Z In ±0.005 |
|---|------------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|------|------|------|------|------------|-------------|
| To Use on SAE No. 18 and No. 20 (0.8 mm ² and 0.5 mm ²) Wire | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| A001 | 4 | 3.13 | 0.123 | 3.27 | 0.129 | 6.1 | 0.24 | 16.0 | 0.63 | 3.9 | 0.15 | 4.9 | 0.19 | 0.64 | 0.025 | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| A002 | 6 | 3.66 | 0.144 | 3.81 | 0.150 | 6.1 | 0.24 | 16.7 | 0.66 | 3.9 | 0.15 | 6.4 | 0.25 | 0.64 | 0.025 | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| A003 | 8 | 4.32 | 0.170 | 4.47 | 0.176 | 8.7 | 0.34 | 17.7 | 0.70 | 3.9 | 0.15 | 7.7 | 0.30 | 0.64 | 0.025 | 1.5 | 0.06 | 4.6 | 0.18 | 3.56 | 0.140 |
| A004 | 10 | 5.11 | 0.201 | 5.25 | 0.207 | 8.7 | 0.34 | 17.7 | 0.70 | 3.9 | 0.15 | 7.7 | 0.30 | 0.64 | 0.025 | 1.5 | 0.06 | 7.4 | 0.29 | 3.81 | 0.150 |
| A005 | 1/4 | 7.09 | 0.279 | 7.23 | 0.285 | 11.0 | 0.43 | 21.5 | 0.85 | 3.9 | 0.15 | 9.4 | 0.37 | 0.64 | 0.025 | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| A006 | 5/16 | 8.69 | 0.342 | 8.83 | 0.348 | 11.0 | 0.43 | 21.5 | 0.85 | 3.9 | 0.15 | 11.0 | 0.43 | 0.64 | 0.025 | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| To Use on SAE No. 14 and No. 16 (2.0 mm ² and 1.0 mm ²) Wire | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| B101 | 4 | 3.13 | 0.123 | 3.27 | 0.129 | 6.1 | 0.24 | 19.3 | 0.76 | 4.4 | 0.17 | 4.9 | 0.19 | 0.72 | 0.028 | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| B102 | 6 | 3.66 | 0.144 | 3.81 | 0.150 | 6.1 | 0.24 | 19.3 | 0.76 | 4.4 | 0.17 | 6.4 | 0.25 | 0.72 | 0.028 | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| B103 | 8 | 4.32 | 0.170 | 4.47 | 0.176 | 8.7 | 0.34 | 20.8 | 0.82 | 4.4 | 0.17 | 7.7 | 0.30 | 0.72 | 0.028 | 1.5 | 0.06 | 4.6 | 0.18 | 3.56 | 0.140 |
| B104 | 10 | 5.11 | 0.201 | 5.25 | 0.207 | 8.7 | 0.34 | 20.8 | 0.82 | 4.4 | 0.17 | 7.7 | 0.30 | 0.72 | 0.028 | 1.5 | 0.06 | 7.4 | 0.29 | 3.81 | 0.150 |
| B105 | 1/4 | 7.09 | 0.279 | 7.23 | 0.285 | 11.0 | 0.43 | 22.3 | 0.88 | 4.4 | 0.17 | 9.4 | 0.37 | 0.72 | 0.028 | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| B106 | 5/16 | 8.69 | 0.342 | 8.83 | 0.348 | 14.0 | 0.55 | 26.4 | 1.04 | 4.6 | 0.18 | 11.0 | 0.43 | 0.72 | 0.028 | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| B107 | 3/8 | 10.27 | 0.404 | 10.41 | 0.410 | 14.0 | 0.55 | 26.4 | 1.04 | 4.6 | 0.18 | 12.7 | 0.50 | 0.72 | 0.028 | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| To Use on SAE No. 10 and No. 12 (5.0 mm ² and 3.0 mm ²) Wire | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| B203 | 8 | 4.32 | 0.170 | 4.47 | 0.176 | 8.7 | 0.34 | 24.3 | 0.96 | 6.1 | 0.24 | 7.7 | 0.30 | 1.02 | 0.040 | 1.5 | 0.06 | 4.6 | 0.18 | 3.56 | 0.140 |
| B204 | 10 | 5.11 | 0.201 | 5.25 | 0.207 | 8.7 | 0.34 | 24.3 | 0.96 | 6.1 | 0.24 | 7.7 | 0.30 | 1.02 | 0.040 | 1.5 | 0.06 | 7.4 | 0.29 | 3.81 | 0.150 |
| B205 | 1/4 | 7.09 | 0.279 | 7.23 | 0.285 | 12.7 | 0.50 | 26.4 | 1.04 | 6.1 | 0.24 | 9.4 | 0.37 | 1.02 | 0.040 | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| B206 | 5/16 | 8.69 | 0.342 | 8.83 | 0.348 | 17.3 | 0.68 | 29.4 | 1.16 | 6.1 | 0.24 | 11.0 | 0.43 | 1.02 | 0.040 | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| B207 | 3/8 | 10.27 | 0.404 | 10.41 | 0.410 | 17.3 | 0.68 | 29.4 | 1.16 | 6.1 | 0.24 | 12.7 | 0.50 | 1.02 | 0.040 | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| B208 | 7/16 | 11.84 | 0.466 | 12.09 | 0.476 | 17.3 | 0.68 | 29.4 | 1.16 | 7.7 | 0.30 | 15.8 | 0.62 | 1.02 | 0.040 | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| B209 | 1/2 | 13.42 | 0.528 | 13.66 | 0.538 | 17.3 | 0.68 | 29.4 | 1.16 | 7.7 | 0.30 | 15.8 | 0.62 | 1.02 | 0.040 | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| To Use on SAE No. 8 (8.0 mm ²) Wire | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| B304 | 10 | 5.11 | 0.201 | 5.25 | 0.207 | 8.7 | 0.34 | 28.7 | 1.13 | 6.1 | 0.24 | 7.7 | 0.30 | 1.15 | 0.045 | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| B305 | 1/4 | 7.09 | 0.279 | 7.23 | 0.285 | 12.7 | 0.50 | 28.7 | 1.13 | 6.1 | 0.24 | 9.4 | 0.37 | 1.15 | 0.045 | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| B306 | 5/16 | 8.69 | 0.342 | 8.83 | 0.348 | 17.3 | 0.68 | 32.0 | 1.26 | 6.1 | 0.24 | 11.0 | 0.43 | 1.15 | 0.045 | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| B307 | 3/8 | 10.27 | 0.404 | 10.41 | 0.410 | 17.3 | 0.68 | 32.0 | 1.26 | 6.1 | 0.24 | 12.7 | 0.50 | 1.15 | 0.045 | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| B308 | 7/16 | 11.84 | 0.466 | 12.09 | 0.476 | 17.3 | 0.68 | 35.0 | 1.38 | 7.7 | 0.30 | 15.8 | 0.62 | 1.15 | 0.045 | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| B309 | 1/2 | 13.42 | 0.528 | 13.66 | 0.538 | 17.3 | 0.68 | 35.0 | 1.38 | 7.7 | 0.30 | 15.8 | 0.62 | 1.15 | 0.045 | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |

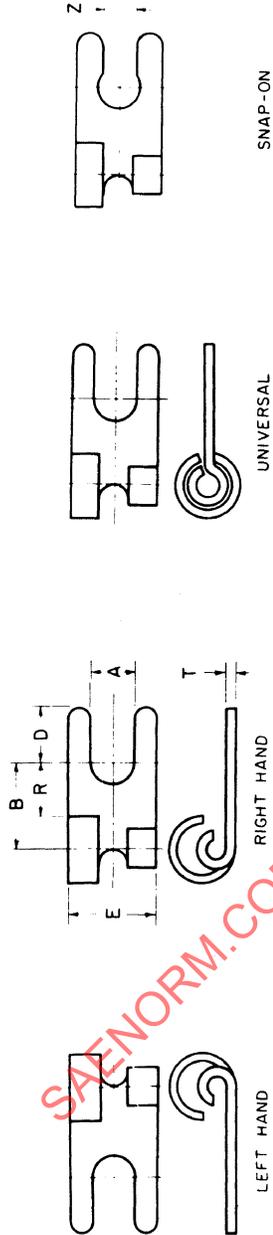
FIGURE 1—STRAIGHT-TYPE EYELET AND SNAP-ON EYELET TERMINALS



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| SAE No. | Screw Size | A | | B | | C | | D | | M | | R | | T | | X | | Y | | Z | | | |
|---|------------|------|-------|------|-------|-----|------|------|------|-----|------|-----|------|-----|------|------|-------|---------|-----------|---------|-----------|------|-------|
| | | Min | Max | Min | Max | Min | Max | Min | Max | Min | Max | Min | Max | Min | Max | Min | Max | Min | Max | Min | Max | | |
| To Use on SAE No. 18 and No. 20 (0.8 mm ² and 0.5 mm ²) Wire | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| H003 | 8 | 4.32 | 0.170 | 4.47 | 0.176 | 9.4 | 0.37 | 20.8 | 0.82 | 6.4 | 0.25 | 3.9 | 0.15 | 7.7 | 0.30 | 0.64 | 0.025 | 1.5-2.5 | 0.06-0.10 | 3.8-5.3 | 0.15-0.21 | 3.76 | 0.148 |
| H004 | 10 | 5.11 | 0.201 | 5.25 | 0.207 | 9.4 | 0.37 | 20.8 | 0.82 | 6.4 | 0.25 | 3.9 | 0.15 | 7.7 | 0.30 | 0.64 | 0.025 | 1.5-2.5 | 0.06-0.10 | 3.8-5.3 | 0.15-0.21 | 4.44 | 0.175 |
| To Use on SAE No. 14 and No. 16 (2.0 mm ² and 1.0 mm ²) Wire | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| H103 | 8 | 4.32 | 0.170 | 4.47 | 0.176 | 9.4 | 0.37 | 20.8 | 0.82 | 6.4 | 0.25 | 4.4 | 0.17 | 7.7 | 0.30 | 0.72 | 0.028 | 1.5-2.5 | 0.06-0.10 | 3.8-5.3 | 0.15-0.21 | 3.76 | 0.148 |
| H104 | 10 | 5.11 | 0.201 | 5.25 | 0.207 | 9.4 | 0.37 | 20.8 | 0.82 | 6.4 | 0.25 | 4.4 | 0.17 | 7.7 | 0.30 | 0.72 | 0.028 | 1.5-2.5 | 0.06-0.10 | 3.8-5.3 | 0.15-0.21 | 4.44 | 0.175 |
| To Use on SAE No. 10 and No. 12 (5.0 mm ² and 3.0 mm ²) Wire | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| H203 | 8 | 4.32 | 0.170 | 4.47 | 0.176 | 9.4 | 0.37 | 20.8 | 0.82 | 6.4 | 0.25 | 6.1 | 0.24 | 7.7 | 0.30 | 1.02 | 0.040 | 1.5-2.5 | 0.06-0.10 | 3.8-5.3 | 0.15-0.21 | 3.76 | 0.148 |
| H204 | 10 | 5.11 | 0.201 | 5.25 | 0.207 | 9.4 | 0.37 | 20.8 | 0.82 | 6.4 | 0.25 | 6.1 | 0.24 | 7.7 | 0.30 | 1.02 | 0.040 | 1.5-2.5 | 0.06-0.10 | 3.8-5.3 | 0.15-0.21 | 4.44 | 0.175 |
| To Use on SAE No. 8 (6.0 mm ²) Wire | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| H304 | 10 | 5.11 | 0.201 | 5.25 | 0.207 | 9.4 | 0.37 | 28.7 | 1.13 | 6.4 | 0.25 | 6.1 | 0.24 | 7.7 | 0.30 | 1.15 | 0.045 | 1.5-2.5 | 0.06-0.10 | 3.8-5.3 | 0.15-0.21 | 4.44 | 0.175 |

FIGURE 2—STRAIGHT-TYPE SPADE TERMINALS



| SAE No. | Screw Size | A | | B | | D | | E | | R | | T | | Z | |
|---|------------|------|------|------|-------|------|-----|------|-----|------|-----|------|-------|------|-------|
| | | Min | Max | Min | Max | Min | Max | Min | Max | Min | Max | Min | Max | Min | Max |
| M103 | 8 | 4.32 | 4.47 | 8.7 | 0.176 | 0.34 | 6.4 | 0.25 | 9.7 | 0.38 | 7.7 | 0.72 | 0.028 | 3.76 | 0.148 |
| M104 | 10 | 5.11 | 5.25 | 8.7 | 0.207 | 0.34 | 6.4 | 0.25 | 9.7 | 0.38 | 7.7 | 0.72 | 0.028 | 4.44 | 0.175 |
| To Use on No. 14 (2.0 mm ²) Wire and Smaller | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| M203 | 8 | 4.32 | 4.47 | 9.4 | 0.176 | 0.37 | 6.4 | 0.25 | 9.7 | 0.38 | 7.7 | 1.02 | 0.040 | 3.76 | 0.148 |
| M204 | 10 | 5.11 | 5.25 | 9.4 | 0.207 | 0.37 | 6.4 | 0.25 | 9.7 | 0.38 | 7.7 | 1.02 | 0.040 | 4.44 | 0.175 |
| To Use on SAE No. 10 and No. 12 (5.0 mm ² and 3.0 mm ²) Wire | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| To Use on SAE No. 8 (8.0 mm ²) Wire | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| M304 | 10 | 5.11 | 5.25 | 10.2 | 0.207 | 0.40 | 6.4 | 0.25 | 9.7 | 0.38 | 7.7 | 1.15 | 0.045 | 4.44 | 0.175 |

FIGURE 3—SIDE-TYPE SPADE TERMINALS