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Radiall and Molex Introduces the Expansion of the SMP-MAX Series of RF Coaxial Interconnect Solutions

April 2011 - Radiall and Molex Incorporated expands their cost-effective SMP-MAX series with new symmetrical adapters and RF coaxial interconnect solutions for board-to-board, module-to-module and panel-to-panel telecom applications. As a second source, Molex will manufacture and market the connectors.

The new SMP-MAX symmetrical adapters eliminate the risk of assembly errors during manufacturing.

In addition, an unprecedented number of over 60 specific SMP-MAX connector designs have been developed over a very short 18 month period for global telecom customers, making SMP-MAX one of the fastest growing series in the RF industry. SMP-MAX is currently being deployed in numerous wireless telecom projects in North America, Europe, and Asia, as a cost-effective solution that is adaptable to virtually any configuration.

The SMP-MAX can handle a maximum board-to-board distance tolerance of up to at least 0.078" (2 mm) gap without a spring—which is 300 percent more than the standard SMP. It also features a 3 degree tilt (radial travel), it has an operating frequency range of DC-6 GHz, a 1.2 max VSWR guaranteed up to 3 GHz, and it can handle up to 300 Watts of power at 2.7 GHz.

For further information on the SMP-MAX series, please contact a Radiall or Molex sales representative, distributor or visit www.radiall.com or www.molex.com.

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About Radiall

Radiall is a global manufacturer of leading-edge interconnect solutions. The company offers an extensive range of RF coaxial connectors and cable assemblies, coaxial switches, fiber optic and microwave components, multipin connectors and more. Radiall has sales offices and subsidiaries throughout the world, R&D in the U.S., Europe and China, along with manufacturing facilities strategically located in the U.S., Mexico, India, and China.

About Molex

Molex Incorporated is a 71-year-old global manufacturer of electronic, electrical and fiber optic interconnection systems. Based in Lisle, Illinois, USA, the company operates 41 manufacturing locations in 17 countries. www.molex.com.

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