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Explosion Proof Solutions: Amphenol PCD Atex Rugged Ethernet Connection System

Mansfield, Texas, USA — November 25, 2009 - Mouser Electronics, Inc., known for its rapid introduction of the newest products, today announced it is stocking new product from Amphenol PCD.

The Amphenol PCD ATEX Rugged Ethernet Connection System features the first Ethernet connectors for applications in zone 2 and Class I Division 2 explosive environments in response to the current trend in the ATEX market toward limiting the expensive equipment in zone 1 and installing it in zone 2, where constraints are much less demanding. The Amphenol PCD ATEX Rugged Ethernet Connection System is an extension of the RJ FIELD and USB FIELD ranges, incorporating their patented and recognized RJStop® connection system for simple, rapid conversion of any standard Ethernet cable into a connection with IP68 ingress protection against shocks, dust, and fluids. The metal cases have been strengthened to meet the mechanical resistance criteria of EN 60079-15. To learn more, visit <http://www.mouser.com/amphenolpcd>.

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About Amphenol PCD

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