

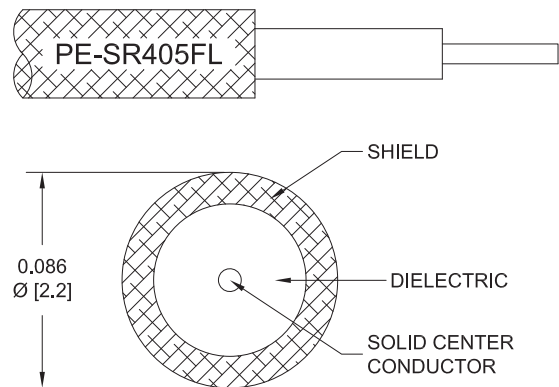
## BMZ Size 8 D38999 Contact Socket to BMZ Size 8 D38999 Contact Socket Cable Using PE- SR405FL Coax with HeatShrink, LF Solder



### PE3M0398

#### Configuration

- Connector 1: Push-on BMZ Socket
- Connector 2: Push-on BMZ Socket
- Cable Type: PE-SR405FL
- Coax Flex Type: Formable



#### Features

- Max Frequency: 20 GHz
- Can be installed in all D38999 size 8 inserts
- Lot traceability
- High speed RF cable assembly

#### Applications

- Military and Aerospace
- Avionics
- Industrial Automation

#### Description

The PE3M0398 from Pasternack is a D38999 cable assembly that is built with a size 8 BMZ Socket contact on one end and a BMZ Socket connector on the other. Pasternack MIL-DTL-38999 (also known as D38999 or 38999) coaxial cable assembly products are used in applications requiring high quality such as laboratory RF test and measurement, rugged and designed for defense/military, production environments, general use, etc. This BMZ to BMZ cable assembly is a part of one of the largest selections of same-day ship coaxial cables for RF, microwave, and millimeter wave interconnect solutions. This high frequency D38999 cable assembly operates at a maximum frequency of 20 GHz.

This radio frequency cable assembly can withstand temperatures ranging from -65 to 165 degrees C. Our BMZ Socket to BMZ Socket cable has a maximum VSWR of 1.4:1. This formable RF cable assembly with a 0.5-inch diameter has copper clad steel as the cable's inner conducting material and PTFE dielectric type. The PE3M0398 in-series RF cable has 0.78 inches of repeated minimum bend radius.

BMZ Socket to BMZ Socket cable assembly is built with PE-SR405FL, which is a flexible coax type. The Pasternack PE3M0398 formable cable assembly has a 50 Ohm impedance and is single shielded. Additional dimensions, specifications, and CAD drawings for this BMZ to BMZ RF cables are available on our downloadable PDF datasheet.

BMZ Socket to BMZ Socket cable assembly is just one of more than one million in-stock RF products available. Pasternack is where to buy high quality custom RF cable assembly products for rugged and MIL-STD designed military/defense, aerospace, outdoor and harsh environment, microwave and millimeter wave radio transmitter receiver, component inter-connection and more for RF test & measurement labs, telecom, phase stable, phase and delay matching, and other radio frequency applications can be manufactured. Variations of BMZ cable assemblies can also be built and will ship on the same day as well, search this website or contact us for assistance. For further information on similar products, our expert technical support and trained sales team can get you the ideal BMZ to BMZ RF cable assembly as per your requirements.

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**Referenced Specifications**

|                |   |
|----------------|---|
| IPC J-STD-001  | Requirements for Soldered Electrical and Electronic Assemblies  |
| IPC J-STD-006  | Requirements for Electronic Grade Solder Alloys and Fluxed and Non-Fluxed Solid Solders for Electronic Soldering Applications   |
| IPC/WHMA-A-620 | Requirements and Acceptance for Cable and Wire Harness Assemblies   |
| MIL-DTL-17     | Cables, Radio Frequency, Flexible and Semirigid, General Specification for  |
| MIL-PRF-39012  | Connectors, Coaxial, Radio Frequency, General Specification for   |
| MIL-STD-348    | Radio Frequency Connector Interfaces for MIL-DTL-3643, MIL-DTL-3650, MIL-DTL-3655, MIL-DTL-25516, MIL-PRF-31031, MIL-PRF-39012, MIL-PRF-49142, MIL-PRF-55339, MIL-DTL-83517 |
| SAE AS22520    | Crimping Tools, Wire Termination, General Specification For   |
| SAE AS23053    | Insulation Sleeving, Electrical, Heat Shrinkable, General Specifications For  |
| SAE AS5942     | Marking of Electrical Insulating Materials  |
| IPC J-STD-001  | Requirements for Soldered Electrical and Electronic Assemblies  |

**Material Specifications**

| Component     | Specification                                      |
|---------------|--|
| Cable         | PE-SR405FL in accordance with PE-SR405FL datasheet |
| Connector 1   | in accordance with MIL-DTL-38999                   |
| Connector 2   | in accordance with MIL-DTL-38999                   |
| Heat Shrink 1 | M23053/5-105-0 in accordance with SAE AS23053      |
| Heat Shrink 2 | M23053/5-105-0 in accordance with SAE AS23053      |
| Solder        | SAC305 in accordance with J-STD-006                |

**Electrical Specifications**

| Description                   | Minimum | Typical       | Maximum | Units           |
|-------------------------------|---------|---------------|---------|-----------------|
| Frequency Range               | DC      |               | 20      | GHz             |
| VSWR                          |         |               | 1.4:1   |                 |
| Velocity of Propagation       |         | 69.5          |         | %               |
| Capacitance                   |         | 29 [95.14]    |         | pF/ft [pF/m]    |
| DC Resistance Inner Conductor |         | 65.7 [215.55] |         | Ω/1000ft [Ω/Km] |
| DC Resistance Outer Conductor |         | 10.2 [33.46]  |         | [Ω/Km]          |

**Specifications by Frequency**

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| Part Number | Length                   | Description           | F1        | F2   | F3   | F4   | F5   | Units | Weight (lbs) |
|-------------|--------------------------|-----------------------|-----------|------|------|------|------|-------|--------------|
|             |                          |                       | Frequency |      | 1000 | 2000 | 4500 | 9000  |              |
| PE3M0398    | Custom Lengths Available | Insertion Loss (Typ.) | 0.23      | 0.31 | 0.51 | 0.76 | 1.2  | dB/ft |              |
|             |                          |                       | 0.74      | 1.01 | 1.67 | 2.5  | 3.94 | dB/m  |              |
| PE3M0398-6  | 6 inch                   | Insertion Loss (Typ.) | 0.32      | 0.36 | 0.46 | 0.58 | 0.8  | dB    | 0.0255       |
| PE3M0398-12 | 12 inch                  | Insertion Loss (Typ.) | 0.43      | 0.51 | 0.71 | 0.96 | 1.4  | dB    | 0.031        |
| PE3M0398-24 | 24 inch                  | Insertion Loss (Typ.) | 0.65      | 0.82 | 1.22 | 1.72 | 2.6  | dB    | 0.042        |
| PE3M0398-36 | 36 inch                  | Insertion Loss (Typ.) | 0.88      | 1.12 | 1.73 | 2.48 | 3.8  | dB    | 0.053        |
| PE3M0398-48 | 48 inch                  | Insertion Loss (Typ.) | 1.1       | 1.43 | 2.24 | 3.24 | 5    | dB    | 0.064        |
| PE3M0398-60 | 60 inch                  | Insertion Loss (Typ.) | 1.33      | 1.73 | 2.74 | 4    | 6.2  | dB    | 0.075        |

The insertion loss data for the base model does not include loss due to the connectors. Each length includes insertion loss due to the connectors.

Loss due to Connector 1: 0.1 dB  
 Loss due to Connector 2: 0.1 dB  
 Base Weight: 0.031 pounds  
 Additional Weight per Foot: 0.011 pounds

Electrical Specification Notes:  
 Values at 25°C, sea level.

**Mechanical Specifications**

**Cable Assembly**

| Description                  | Minimum | Typical       | Maximum | Units   |
|------------------------------|---------|---------------|---------|---------|
| Weight                       |         | 0.031 [14.06] |         | lbs [g] |
| Repeated Minimum Bend Radius | 0.78    |               |         | in      |

**Cable Characteristics**

| Description                            | Specification             |
|--|---------------------------|
| Cable Type                             | PE-SR405FL                |
| Impedance                              | 50 Ohms                   |
| Inner Conductor Type                   | Solid                     |
| Inner Conductor Material and Plating   | Copper Clad Steel, Silver |
| Dielectric Type                        | PTFE                      |
| Number of Shields                      | 1                         |
| Outer Conductor 1 Material and Plating | Copper, Tin               |

**Connector Characteristics**

| Description   | Connector 1   | Connector 2   |
|---------------|---------------|---------------|
| Type          | BMZ Socket    | BMZ Socket    |
| Specification | MIL-DTL-38999 | MIL-DTL-38999 |
| Impedance     | 50 Ohms       | 50 Ohms       |

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### Connector Characteristics

| Description                          | Connector 1            | Connector 2            |
|--------------------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|
| Configuration                        | Straight               | Straight               |
| Connection Method                    | Push-on                | Push-on                |
| Contact Size                         | 8                      | 8                      |
| Mating Cycles                        | 1,000                  | 1,000                  |
| Contact Material and Plating         | Beryllium Copper, Gold | Beryllium Copper, Gold |
| Dielectric Type                      | PTFE                   | PTFE                   |
| Outer Conductor Material and Plating | Stainless Steel, Gold  | Stainless Steel, Gold  |
| Body Material and Plating            | Stainless Steel, Gold  | Stainless Steel, Gold  |

Mechanical Specification Notes:

### Environmental Specifications

| Description                 | Specification     |
|-----------------------------|-------------------|
| Temperature Operating Range | -65 to +165 deg C |

**Compliance Certifications** (see [product page](#) for current document)

### Plotted and Other Data

Notes:  
Values at 25°C, sea level.

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**How to Order**

Part Number Configuration:

**PE3M0398 - xx uu**



Example: PE3M0398-12 = 12 inches long cable  
PE3M0398-100cm = 100 cm long cable

Cable Assembly Length Tolerances:

| Imperial English    |                 | Metric              |                  |
|---------------------|-----------------|---------------------|------------------|
| "L" ≤ 1 ft          | +0.5 in / -0 in | "L" ≤ 0.3 m         | +12.5 mm / -0 mm |
| 1 ft < "L" ≤ 5 ft   | +1 in / -0 in   | 0.3 m < "L" ≤ 1.5 m | +25 mm / -0 mm   |
| 5 ft < "L" ≤ 10 ft  | +2 in / -0 in   | 1.5 m < "L" ≤ 3 m   | +50 mm / -0 mm   |
| 10 ft < "L" ≤ 25 ft | +3 in / -0 in   | 3 m < "L" ≤ 7.5 m   | +75 mm / -0 mm   |
| 25 ft < "L"         | +2%"L" / -0%"L" | 7.5 m < "L"         | +2%"L" / -0%"L"  |

\* Cable Length = "L"

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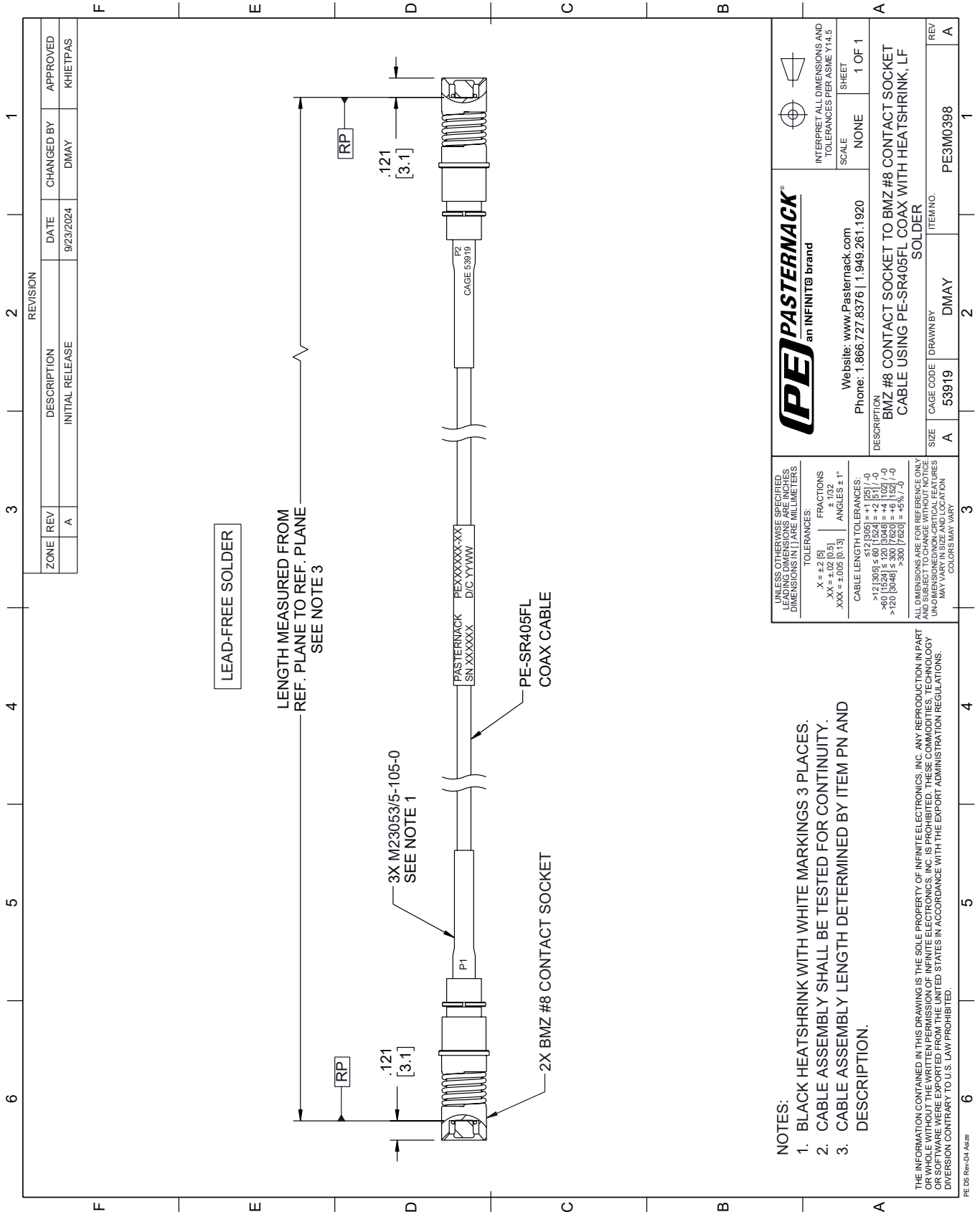
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# PE3M0398 CAD Drawing

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| REVISION        |     | DATE      | CHANGED BY | APPROVED |
|-----------------|-----|-----------|------------|----------|
| ZONE            | REV | 9/23/2024 | DMAY       | KHETTPAS |
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| DESCRIPTION     |     |           |            |          |
| INITIAL RELEASE |     |           |            |          |

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SCALE: NONE  
SHEET: 1 OF 1

DESCRIPTION: BMZ #8 CONTACT SOCKET TO BMZ #8 CONTACT SOCKET  
CABLE USING PE-SR405FL COAX WITH HEATSHRINK, LF SOLDER

SIZE: A  
CAGE CODE: 53919  
DRAWN BY: DMAY  
ITEM NO.: PE3M0398

REV: A

**NOTES:**

1. BLACK HEATSHRINK WITH WHITE MARKINGS 3 PLACES.
2. CABLE ASSEMBLY SHALL BE TESTED FOR CONTINUITY.
3. CABLE ASSEMBLY LENGTH DETERMINED BY ITEM PN AND DESCRIPTION.

UNLESS OTHERWISE SPECIFIED, LEADING DIMENSIONS ARE IN INCHES, DIMENSIONS IN [ ] ARE MILLIMETERS.

TOLERANCES:  
 .X = ±.2 [5]  
 .XX = ±.02 [0.5]  
 .XXX = ±.005 [0.13]

FRACTIONS:  
 ± 1/32  
 ANGLES ± 1°

CABLE LENGTH TOLERANCES:  
 <12 [305] ≤ 60 [1524] = ±.2 [5] / -0  
 >60 [1524] ≤ 120 [3048] = ±.4 [102] / -0  
 >120 [3048] ≤ 300 [7620] = ±.6 [15] / -0

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