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ELECTRICAL CONNECTOR MATEABLE IN A PLURALITY OF ORIENTATIONS

ABSTRACT

1 An interconnection system, comprising: a first connector
2 having an arrangement of contacts therein; and a second
3 connector, mateable with said first connector, and having
4 an arrangement of contacts therein. The second connector
5 can mate with the first connector in a plurality of
6 orientations. An electrical connector, comprising: an
7 insulative housing; and a plurality of contacts in said
8 insulative housing. The connector has four quadrants,
9 with each quadrant housing some of the contacts in an
10 orientation. Each quadrant has an orientation that is
11 different than the other quadrants.

Figures 1a & 1b



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