

ABSTRACT

MALE CONNECTOR FOR FLAT FLEXIBLE CIRCUIT

5 A male connector (60) is provided for electrically interconnecting the conductors (14) of a flat flexible circuit (12) to the conductors of a complementary mating connecting device. The connector includes a male body member (64) on which the flexible circuit (12) is positioned, with the conductors (14) of the circuit facing away from the body member. A yieldable backing structure
10 (66) is disposed on the body member (64) beneath the flexible circuit (12) for resiliently biasing the conductors (14) of the circuit against the conductors of the mating connecting device when the connector (60) is mated with the device.

