

CBD SERIES

SCREW TERMINAL BLOCKS



Type of connection:

It is with a screw, on both sides, indirect and self-locking. The clamping screws are accessible only with a special screwdriver and the particular shape of the head makes them impossible to lose. The screw clamping offers the best guarantees of a mechanical seal and of effective passage of the current and is suitable for the connection, with or without special preparation, of conductors of all sections. The tightening and loosening operations are extremely simple and are carried out with commonly-used tools, namely screwdrivers; it is however important, in any case, to use screwdrivers of the right characteristics and dimensions so as not to cause damage either to the screw itself or to the insulating base.

Conducting body:

of the sleeve type, **made entirely of copper-zinc alloy with nickel-plating treatment**; the characteristics of the material used and the manufacturing methods are such as to avoid the phenomenon of possible breakages, known as "seasoning cracks".

Tightening reliability:

opportune orthogonal ribs, at the bottom of the sleeve and on the lower surface of the clamping platelets, ensure in the various situations perfect electrical contact with the conductors and efficient mechanical locking. The grip on the conductor is made particularly effective by the elastic function performed by the clamping platelet; this, in particular, under the pressure of the screw, tends to bend, thus exercising a reaction applied to the head of the screw itself, which opposes unscrewing, even in the presence of dynamic stresses (vibrations).

Ease of insertion:

Inserting the conductor in the terminal block is facilitated:

- by the inclined invitation surfaces made on the insulating base
- by the rounded shape of the clamping platelet
- by the adequate size of the introduction hole with respect to the diameter of the maximum insertable conductor. The conductor introduction depth is limited by a barrier fitted on the insulating base.

Other functions:

besides their main function of feed-through terminal blocks, the CBD terminal blocks are designed and made so as to be able to perform other functions. In fact, using a hole made in the upper part of the conducting body it is possible:

- to create a fixed or switchable transversal connection (cross connection) between two adjoining terminal blocks
- to create a multiple common bar connection between several adjoining terminal blocks
- to insert a socket for a test plug
- to insert a composable test plug for multiple signal testing.

Marking: all CBD terminal blocks offer the possibility of coding, on both sides, using the CNU/8, SNZ or CSC marking tags (this last system enables the composition of alphanumeric codes up to a maximum of four characters, six with the ADR/6 adapter).

Mounting: the polyamide terminal blocks of the CBD Series are made ready to be mounted indifferently on supporting rails of G32 or TH/35 type (IEC 60715 standard), with evident advantages and facilitations in procuring, managing and in general using the product.



TH/35-7.5 rail



TH/35-15 rail



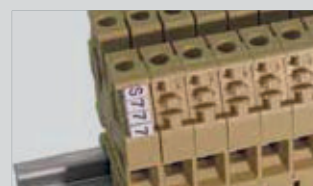
"G 32"-type rail



SNZ marking



CNU/8 marking



CSC marking

