0.020” & 0.030”
Centers
Micro Series Spring Probes

Board Test Fixture Probes & Receptacles
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Smiths Interconnect offers a wide range of spring contact probes to meet your testing requirements and has long been recognized as the world’s largest probe manufacturer. With over 60 different probe series that includes our standard Board Test Fixture Probes as well as our Specialty Test Probes, we provide a full portfolio designed for general purpose test on bare boards, loaded printed circuit boards, surface mount assemblies and other forms of test.

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<th>MICRO SERIES PROBES</th>
<th>ROTATOR PROBES</th>
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<td>The Micro probe series range in pitch from 0.20” (0.51 mm) to 0.030” (0.76 mm) pitch and are typically between half an inch to an inch in length.</td>
<td>Ideal for non-clean and lead-free applications, this aggressive probe rotates 90° at the rated travel, virtually drilling through contaminants with a low spring force.</td>
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<th>STANDARD PROBES</th>
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<td>Our standard probes range in pitch from 0.039” (1.00 mm) to 0.187” (4.75 mm). Within most series, there are multiple length and travel options, including more aggressive probes dimensionally equivalent to the standard probes.</td>
<td>We offer two different high current probe designs in four different pitches. The SH series features a bias ball, which is the most aggressive biasing technique to aid in assuring a low and consistent resistance, cycle after cycle. The SHE Series features a bias spring, an effective biasing technique for many applications.</td>
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<th>DOUBLE-ENDED PROBES &amp; RECEPTACLES</th>
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<td>Double-ended probes feature both a top-side and bottom-side compliant plunger. Double-ended receptacles are available with a permanent bottom-side plunger and a replaceable probe on the top side. They are also available with both a top and bottom-side replaceable probe.</td>
<td>A Switch Probe is a spring contact probe and receptacle that has two individual current paths. One current path is closed, the other is open and after a designated travel the second current path closes.</td>
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<th>LEAD FREE PROBES</th>
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<td>The Lead Free probe series is based on our ICT Probe Series. The plunger material, plating and tip geometry have been optimized to provide less wear and contamination build-up while using a moderate spring force of 7 to 8 ounces.</td>
<td>The Thermocouple Probe is an ungrounded, thermally conductive probe used for the measurement of variations in temperature. We offer two Thermocouple Probes: Type T for up to 220°F, and Type K for up to 350°F.</td>
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<td>The ICT probe design features a bifurcated barrel with four separate fingers. The barrel is compliant and formed against the plunger, thus eliminating any gap between the plunger and barrel. ICT probes are more accurate and stable in resistance than standard designs.</td>
<td>Our Coax Probes provide a low noise, controlled impedance signal path with reliable, easy connect/disconnect options. Our designs include a spring-loaded signal probe and a spring-loaded shielding plunger for the ground.</td>
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Quad-00 Series

0.020 (0.51) Centers

For Quad-00Rec Series Receptacles see pg. 5

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<tr>
<th>Steel Tip</th>
<th>Diameter</th>
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<td>0.007 (0.18)</td>
<td>60°</td>
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Probe Specifications

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<tr>
<td>Minimum Centers</td>
<td>0.020 (0.51)</td>
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<tr>
<td>Current Rating</td>
<td>0.30 A continuous</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Spring Force</td>
<td>0.75 oz (21 g) @ 0.067 (1.70) travel</td>
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<tr>
<td>Preload Force</td>
<td>0.23 oz (6.5 g)</td>
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<tr>
<td>Typical Resistance</td>
<td>&lt; 160 mΩ</td>
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<tr>
<td>Maximum Travel</td>
<td>0.100 (2.54)</td>
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<tr>
<td>Working Travel</td>
<td>0.067 (1.70)</td>
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Materials

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<th>Component</th>
<th>Material</th>
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<tr>
<td>Barrel</td>
<td>Gold alloy</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Spring</td>
<td>Music wire, gold plated</td>
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<td>Plunger</td>
<td>Steel, gold plated over nickel</td>
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How to Order

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<td>QUAD - 00</td>
<td>B</td>
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Fixturing Options

Dimensions are in inches (mm) | All specifications are subject to change
Quad-O Series

0.020 (0.51) – 0.030 (0.76) Centers

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<td>0.030 (0.76) (with receptacle)</td>
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<tr>
<td>Current Rating</td>
<td>0.50 A continuous</td>
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<tr>
<td>Spring Force</td>
<td>0.70 oz (20 g) @ 0.045 (1.14) travel</td>
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<tr>
<td>Preload Force</td>
<td>0.40 oz (11 g)</td>
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<tr>
<td>Typical Resistance</td>
<td>&lt; 60 mΩ</td>
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<td>Maximum Travel</td>
<td>0.100 (2.54)</td>
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<td>Working Travel</td>
<td>0.045 (1.14)</td>
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### Materials

- **Barrel**: Nickel/silver, gold lined
- **Spring**: Stainless steel, gold plated
- **Plunger**: Steel, gold plated over nickel

### Fixturing

- **Probe Extension**: Probe: 0.110 (2.79)
  - Receptacle: 0.210 (5.33)
- **Drill Size A**: Probe: #78 0.016 (0.41)
  - Receptacle: #72 0.025 (0.64)
- **Drill Size B**: Probe: 0.45 mm: 0.0177 (0.45)
  - Receptacle: 0.70 mm: 0.0276 (0.70)

### How to Order

1. **Series**
   - QUAD - 0
2. **Tip Style**
   - B, C, J
3. **Wire**
   - (00 - 0) No wire
   - (12 - 1) Wire length 12", 1" strip length
   - (36 - 1) Wire length 36", 1" strip length

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1. Unless otherwise specified, wire length 36", strip length 1", 30 gage magnet wire preattached, 12" and 36" standard
2. Probes with wires are not intended for use with receptacles
3. Dimensions are in inches (mm) | All specifications are subject to change
Quad-00Rec Series

0.020 (0.51) Centers
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<tr>
<th>Part Number</th>
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<th>Receptacle Length</th>
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<tr>
<td>QUAD-00REC</td>
<td>Preattached Wire(^{(1)})</td>
<td>0.800 (20.32)</td>
<td>0.910 (23.11)</td>
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**Probe Specifications**

- **Minimum Centers**: 0.020 (0.51)
- **Drill Size**: #78
- **Mounting Hole Size**: 0.016 (0.41)
- **Recommended Wire**: 30 gage
- **Materials**: Nickel/silver, gold lined inside

**How to Order**

- **QUAD-00REC - 36 - 1**
- **1 Series**: QUAD-00REC
- **2 Wire\(^{(1)}\)**: 12 - 1 Wire length 12", 1" trip length
- **36 - 1** Wire length 36", 1" strip length

**Fixturing Options**

- **Board Thickness**: 0.125 (3.18)
- **Top Plate**: #78 0.016 (0.41)
- **Bottom Plate**: 0.45 mm 0.0177 (0.45)

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1. Wire length 36" with a 1" strip length, 12" & 36" standard, blue solid conductor Kynar wire
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Quad-0Rec Series

0.020 (0.51) – 0.030 (0.76) Centers
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<td>QUAD-0REC</td>
<td>Preattached Wire(1)</td>
<td>1.000 (25.40)</td>
<td>1.200 (30.48)</td>
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**Probe Specifications**

- Minimum Centers: 0.020 (0.51) (without receptacle) 0.030 (0.76) (with receptacle)
- Drill Size A: Probe: #78 0.016 (0.41) Receptacle: #72 0.025 (0.64)
- Drill Size B: Probe: 0.45 mm: 0.0177 (0.45) Receptacle: 0.70 mm: 0.0276 (0.70)
- Mounting Hole Size: 0.024/0.025 (0.61/0.64)
- Probe Extension: 0.210 (5.33)
- Recommended Wire: 26 gage
- Materials: Nickel/silver, gold plated

**How to Order**

- QUAD-0REC - 36 - 1

- 1 Series: QUAD-0REC
  - 0 - 0: No wire

- 2 Wire(1)
  - 12 - 1: Wire length 12", 1" strip length
  - 36 - 1: Wire length 36", 1" strip length

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