

## Antenna couplers

## RX SERIES



Solexy's patented (7,057,577) Explosion-Proof Antenna Coupler permits the installation of non-Ex certified antennas in hazardous areas.

This coupler is designed to be used directly with listed explosion proof housings or conduit fittings.

An integrated blocking circuit prevents hazardous energy reaching the antenna if a radio, modem or access point failure occurs. It also allows for antenna removal in hazardous areas.

The coupler's robust design allows for connection to practically any radio and antenna. It is a highly flexible and cost effective solution to hazardous area radio system deployment. The coupler can also be used as a cable bulkhead.

Fitting is approved for hazardous locations and can be installed with a simple wrench.



## FEATURES

## ✔ SHORT CIRCUIT PROTECTION

Includes integrated blocking circuitry.

## ✔ ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

All required circuitry is recessed into fitting and encapsulated against harsh environments.

## ✔ CERTIFICATION

The RX Series is certified Atex, IECEx and for USA&Canada as an apparatus, and can be installed per the conditions of acceptability, without further assessment.

North America approval (USA&Canada) includes class & divisions and zones.

IECEx certification is issued from an Australian notified body, therefore RX can be installed in Queensland mines.

## ✔ NO SEALING FITTING REQUIRED

Permits a wide variety of passive antennas to be installed in hazardous areas. Antennas may be removed and/or installed with power on. Perfect for a cable bulkhead connection.

## ✔ ISOLATED ANTENNA GROUND

Optional antenna ground isolation (RX1) from housing ground, combined with a capacitive circuit, solves ground loop issues in case of remote mounted antennas and prevents potential ground noise to interfere with RF signal (patent pending).

## NOMENCLATURE

## a Antenna Side Connector

N N Female

1 N Female (ground isolated)

## b Thread Connection

3 3/4" NPT

M M25x1.5

## c Housing Material

S AISI 303 (standard)

L AISI 316L

## dd Coax cable length radio side (optional on request)

00 no cable (with connector on body)

## e Version (frequency range)

J optimized from 100 MHz to 3 GHz

R optimized from 500 MHz to 3.9 GHz and from 4.6 GHz to 6 GHz

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## ff Approval

NO USA&Canada apparatus (Class&Divisions and Zones)

X0 IECEx and ATEX apparatus

XN IECEx, ATEX, USA&Canada apparatus

B0 INMETRO apparatus


XJ IECEx, ATEX, JPEX (Japan)

## Extensions

-13 Max RF input 6W (see ambient temperature range section)  
(standard max RF input is 2W)



# SPECIFICATIONS

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| <b>ATEX certification</b><br>nr. TÜV CY 18 ATEX<br>0206158 X |  Ex I M2 (M1) Ex db mb [ia Ma] I Mb<br>II 2 (1) G Ex db mb [ia Ga] IIA/IIB/IIC T5...T6 Gb<br>II 2 (1) D Ex mb tb [ia Da] IIIC T80°C...T100°C Db   |                |                |                |                |                |                |                |              |                |                |                |              |
| Standard Ref.  | EN 60079-0, EN 60079-1, EN 60079-11, EN 60079-18, EN 60079-31  |                |                |                |                |                |                |                |              |                |                |                |              |
| <b>IECEx certification</b><br>nr. IECEx MSC 19.0001X         | Ex db mb [ia Ma] I Mb<br>Ex db mb [ia Ga] IIA/IIB/IIC T5....T6 Gb<br>Ex mb tb [ia Da] IIIC T80°....T100°C Db   |                |                |                |                |                |                |                |              |                |                |                |              |
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| <b>USA &amp; Canada certification</b><br>cQPSus LR-1504-3    | Class I, Division 1, GROUP ABCD; Class II, Division 1, GROUP EFG<br>[Ex ia Ga] IIC; [Ex ia Da] IIIC<br>Class I, Zone 1, AEx db mb [ia Ga] IIA/IIB/IIC T6...T5 Gb<br>Zone 21, AEx mb tb [ia Da] IIIC T80°C...100°C Db<br>Ex db mb [ia Ga] IIA/IIB/IIC T6...T5 Gb<br>Ex mb tb [ia Da] IIIC T80°C...T100°C Db   |                |                |                |                |                |                |                |              |                |                |                |              |
| Standard Ref.  | CAN/CSA C22.2 No. 60079-0      UL 60079-0<br>CAN/CSA C22.2 No. 60079-1      UL 60079-1<br>CAN/CSA C22.2 No. 60079-11      UL 60079-11<br>CAN/CSA C22.2 No. 60079-18      UL 60079-18<br>CAN/CSA C22.2 No. 60079-31      UL 60079-31<br>CAN/CSA C22.2 No. 60950-1      UL 60950-1<br>CAN/CSA C22.2 No. 25-17      UL 1203<br>CAN/CSA C22.2 No. 30-M1986<br>CAN/CSA C22.2 No 157      UL 913      UL 508<br>CAN/CSA C22.2 No. 94.2-15      UL 50E      NEMA 250-2014 |                |                |                |                |                |                |                |              |                |                |                |              |
| <b>Maximum Fault Voltage</b>                                 | 250VDC, 250VAC 50-60Hz   |                |                |                |                |                |                |                |              |                |                |                |              |
| <b>Typical Insertion Loss @ 20°C (dB)</b>                    | <b>Frequency</b>   | <b>100 MHz</b> | <b>169 MHz</b> | <b>433 MHz</b> | <b>500 MHz</b> | <b>900 MHz</b> | <b>1.9 GHz</b> | <b>2.4 GHz</b> | <b>3 GHz</b> | <b>3.5 GHz</b> | <b>4.6 GHz</b> | <b>5.8 GHz</b> | <b>6 GHz</b> |
|  | J version  | -1.1           | -0.6           | -0.5           | -0.6           | -0.6           | -0.7           | -0.8           | -1           | -              | -              | -              | -            |
|  | R version  | -              | -              | -              | -1.5           | -1.2           | -0.5           | -0.7           | -0.7         | -1.6           | -1.2           | -2.4           | -2.1         |
| <b>Approximate Weight</b>                                    | 0.32 kg (70.6 lb)  |                |                |                |                |                |                |                |              |                |                |                |              |
| <b>NEMA rating</b>   | Provides a NEMA 4X connection when connected to a NEMA 4X rated enclosure  |                |                |                |                |                |                |                |              |                |                |                |              |
| <b>Impedance</b>   | 50 Ω   |                |                |                |                |                |                |                |              |                |                |                |              |
| <b>Ambient Temperature Range</b>                             | -40°C (-40°F) to +85°C (+185°F) when max RF input = 2W (T5)<br>-40°C (-40°F) to +80°C (+176°F) when max RF input = 6W (T5)<br>-40°C (-40°F) to +70°C (+158°F) when max RF input = 2W (T6)<br>-40°C (-40°F) to +65°C (+149°F) when max RF input = 6W (T6)   |                |                |                |                |                |                |                |              |                |                |                |              |

## DIMENSIONAL DRAWINGS [inch]

