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New EX-MATE Exd explosion proof connector range

With ever increasing requirements for connectors to operate in hazardous environments and many applications now requiring quick and safe disconnection of connectors to be used in these environments, SEA CON® has developed a new robust range of Exd connectors due to be released soon.

The EX-MATE is based around SEA CON®'s existing and successful SEA-MATE connector range and can be wet-mated in depths of up to 50m in addition to its suitability for use in explosive environments. This new series will be available in 4 shell sizes (G, K, L, M) with between 2 & 37 contact configurations, however like the SEA-MATE range this series has interchangeable inserts so can be adapted to a number of pin configurations. In addition, the EX-MATE incorporates an ATEX approved gland system for the cable which is encapsulated within the overmold, making it suitable for a number of applications including Topside FPSO, Drilling Vessels or other potentially explosive environments as covered by the extensive qualification testing.

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