

0.24 mm Pitch Ultra-low Profile FPC Back-lock Connector

FF53 Series [Upper Contact]

DDK Ltd.

OUTLINE

The FF53 connector series utilizes a cable lock mechanism to provide positive retention of the FPC. This LIF connector has a dedicated upper contact to interface with the FPC at a 0.24mm pitch. The ultra-low profile connector has a 0.5mm height, making it one of the smallest board mounted FPC LIF connectors on the market.



FEATURES

- DDK's original cam-type back-lock system provides reliable operation and ensures retention from inadvertent upward pulling of the FPC.
- The FF53 connector has an ultra-low height of 0.5mm.
- Each individual contact is rated to 0.2A current.
- The FPC is mechanically retained within the FF53 with DDK's cable-lock design.
- These ZIF connectors are delivered with the lock lever opened for maximum production efficiency.
- Contacts utilize a nickel barrier to prevent solder wicking.
- The housing and lock lever are made of heat-resistant resin making possible lead-free reflow soldering.
- FF53 ZIF connectors are delivered in a tape and reel package for automated machine processes.

Note: ※ Please do not close the lock lever without inserting the FPC.

※ Since the cable lock tabs electrically conductive on both ends, please do not use the cable lock tabs as ground tabs.

APPLICATIONS

Smartphone, Wearable devices, other Portable devices

SPECIFICATIONS

Rated Voltage	50V AC (r.m.s.)
Rated Current	0.2A / Contact
Dielectric Withstand Voltage	200V AC(r.m.s.) / 1 minute
Insulation Resistance	50 MΩ min. at 250V DC
Contact Resistance	80m Ω max.

MATERIAL/FINISH



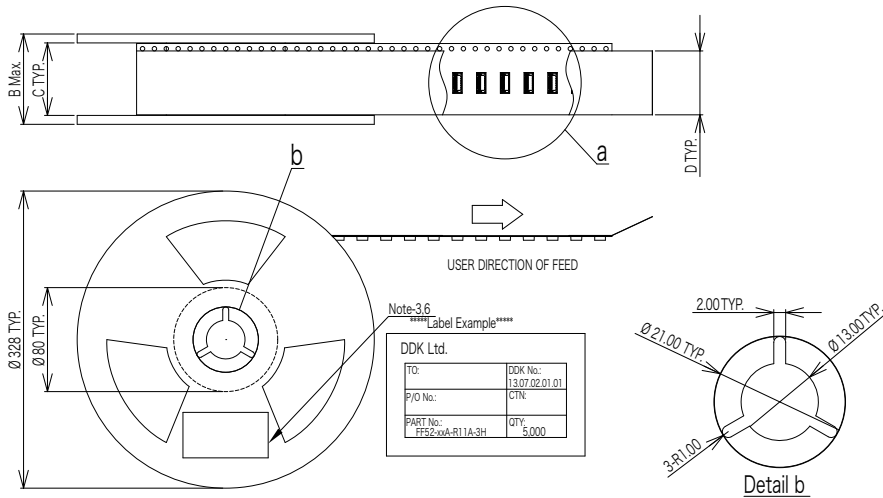
Item	Material / Finish
Contact	Copper Alloy / Au (Flash) over Ni
Housing	LCP Resin (UL94V-0) / Black
Lock Lever	PPS Resin (UL94V-0) / Black
Hold Tab	Copper Alloy / Au over Ni

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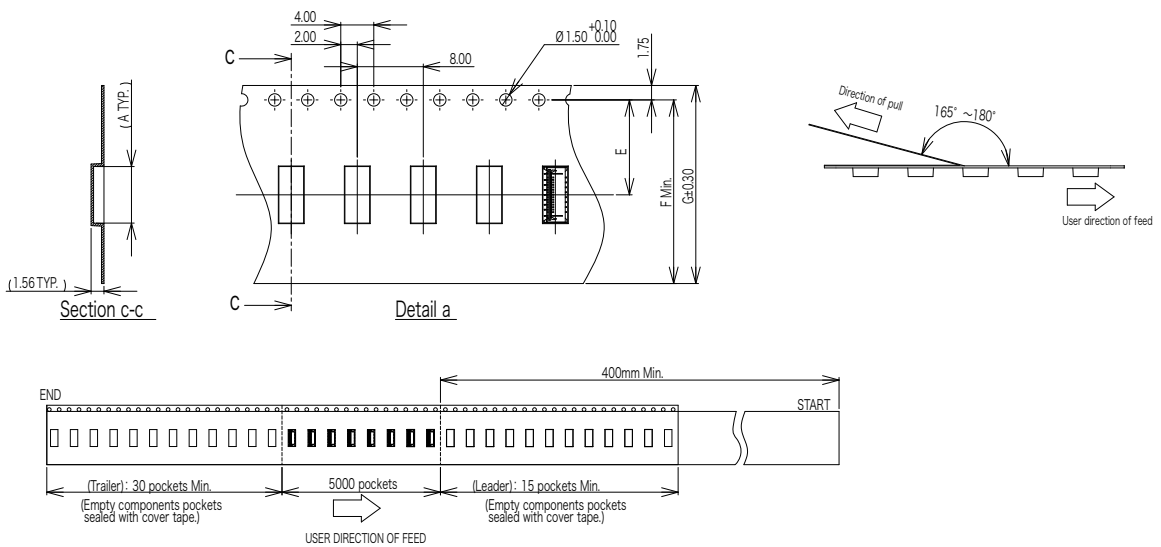
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▶ Packing Specifications

■ Reel Dimensions



■ Emboss Tape Dimensions



Part Number	Number of Contact	A	B	C	D	E	F	G
FF53-12A-R11A-B-3H	12	4.79	22.4	16.4	13.5	7.5	14.3	16

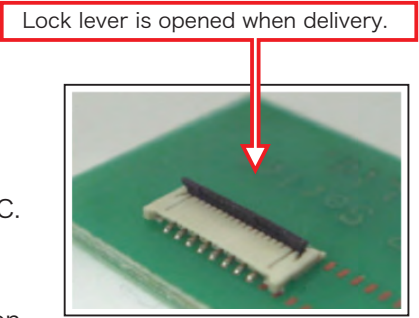
■ Quantity : 5,000pcs./Reel

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▶ Operating Instruction and Cautions

1. Connector mounting Instruction

- Connectors are delivered with the lock lever opened. You do not have to operate the lock lever before inserting FPC. (picture ①)



picture ①

- Please do not re-flow with the lock lever in the closed condition.

- Please do not close the lock lever without inserting FPC. Otherwise, the contact gap will become narrower and FPC insertion force will rise. (picture ②)



picture ②

- Please do not load from the top of the lock lever. (figure ①) And please do not load toward the opposite direction of the lock lever. (figure ②) Otherwise, the lock lever may be broken or contacts may be deformed.

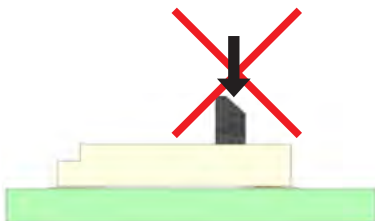


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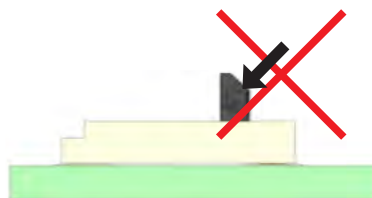


figure ②

- Please do not insert finger nail into the entry as it may damage the connector (figure ③)

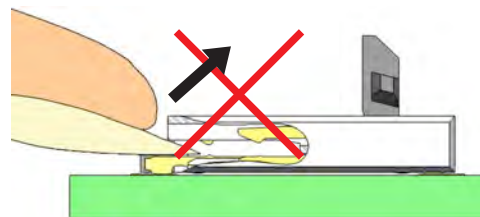


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Cable lock tabs conduct to both ends of contacts.
 Please do not ground the cable lock tab pad on the mounting board. (figure ④)

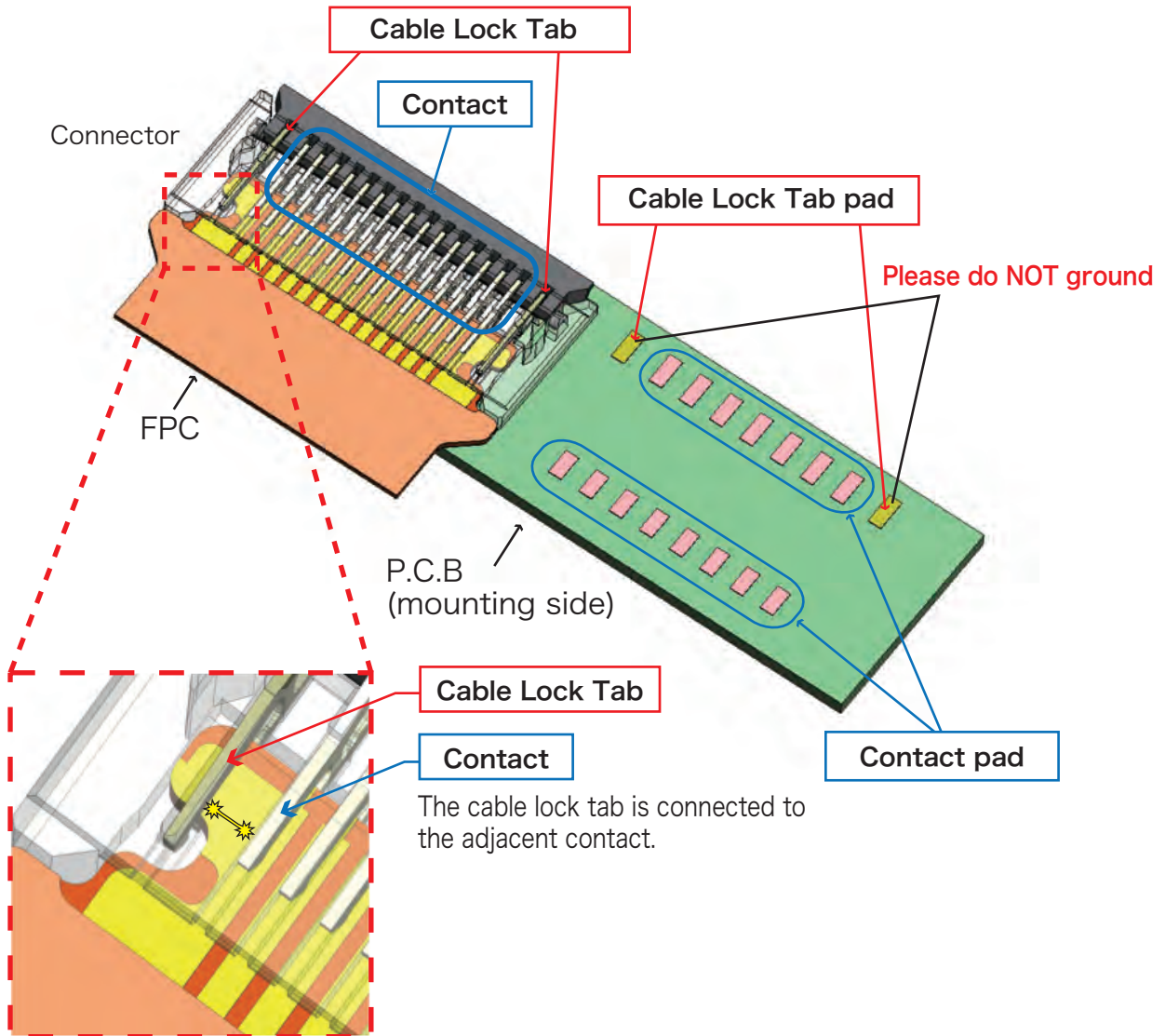
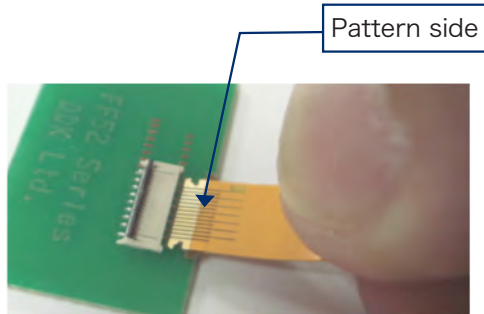


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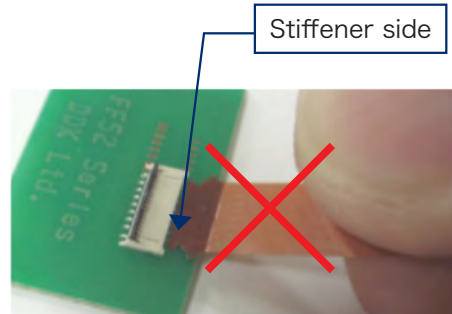
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2. FPC Insertion

- Please insert the FPC with the pattern side up.(correct: picture ③ , wrong : picture ④)

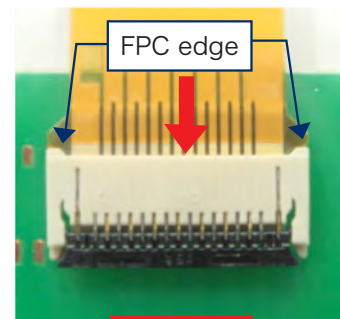


picture ③



picture ④

- Please insert the FPC straight into the connector. Due to the semi-retaining mechanism, some insertion force is necessary when inserting FPC. FPC insertion is completed when the edges of the FPC are touching connector fringe. (picture ⑤)



picture ⑤

3. Correct FPC Insertion Position

- Check line enables a visual verification of the mating position.(figure ⑤) . It prevents shallow and diagonal insertion. (figure ⑥ , picture ⑥ , ⑦ , ⑧)

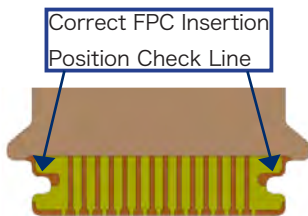


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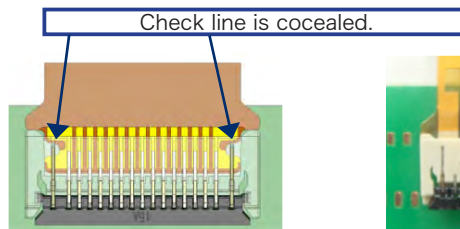
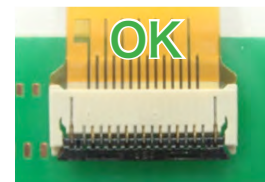
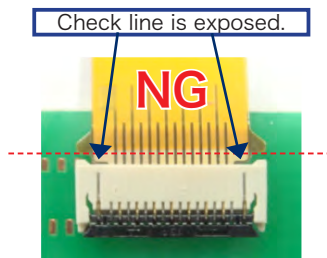


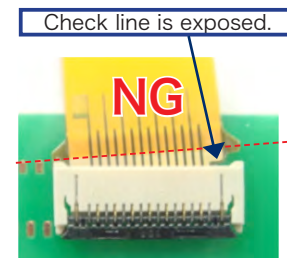
figure ⑥ : Standard insertion



picture ⑥ : Standard insertion



picture ⑦ : Shallow insertion

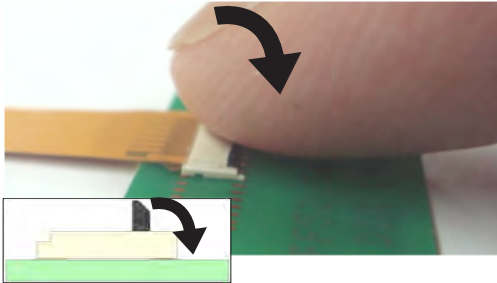


picture ⑧ : Diagonal insertion

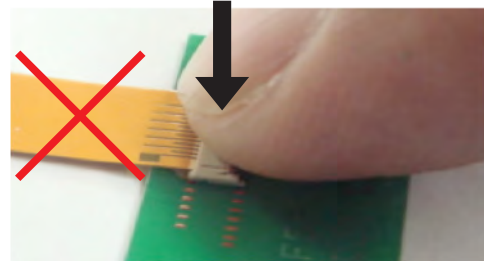
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4. Closing Lock Lever

- Please rotate down the lock lever until firmly closed.(picture ⑨)
Please do not load excessive force on the housing.(picture ⑩)

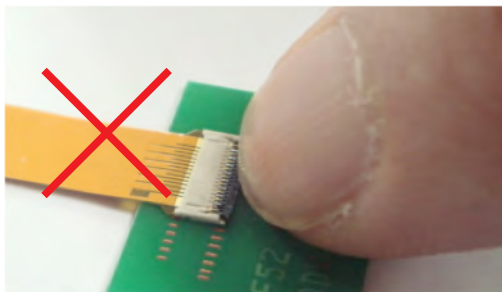


picture ⑨



picture ⑩

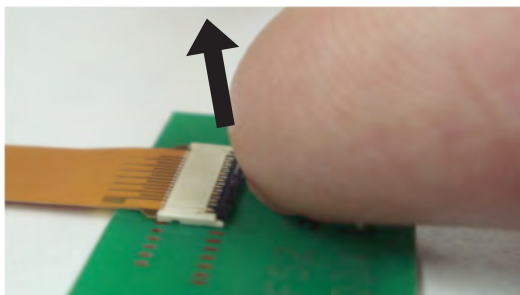
- Please do not close the lock lever by tip of finger nail. (picture ⑪)



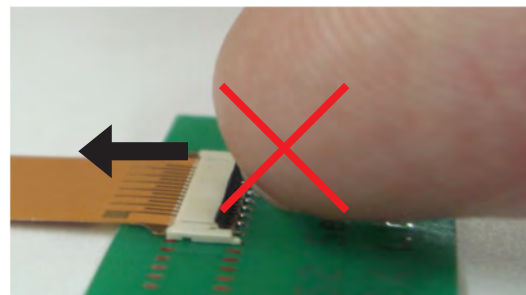
picture ⑪

5. Removing FPC

- Please lift the lock lever by flipping up in the direction of arrow.(picture ⑫)
Please do not load excessive force on the lock lever.(picture ⑬)



picture ⑫



picture ⑬

6. ESD(Electrostatic Discharge)

- This connector does not protect the circuit from ESD.

7. Disposal of connector

- Please dispose the connector as industrial waste.