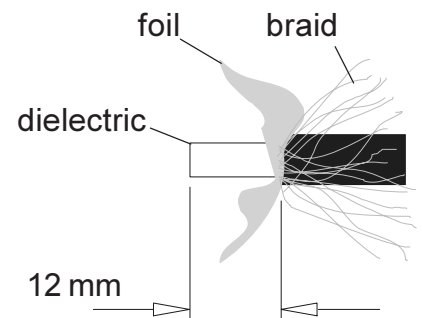


Fitting coaxial connectors

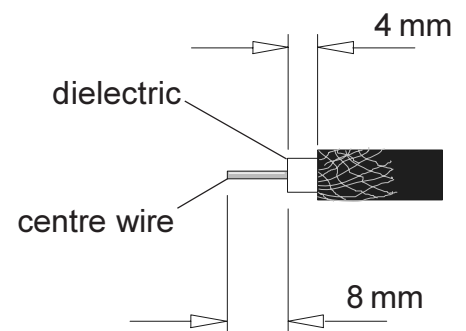
Type-f connectors

Screw-on connector

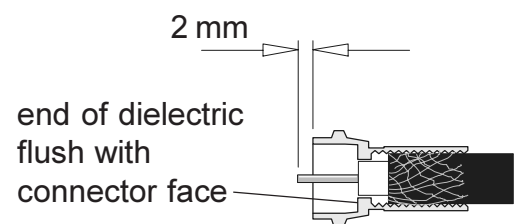
1. Trim off approximately 12 mm of the outer cable sheath with a craft knife or similar to expose the braid (and foil if double screened). Fold back braid over sheath to expose dielectric.



2. Cut away foil flush to the outer sheath. Trim off dielectric as shown to expose the centre copper wire. Ensure that none of the copper braid touches the centre wire.



3. Pass the connector over the cable and twist on until the dielectric is flush with the bottom face of the connector. Approximately 2 mm of the centre wire should protrude from the connector (trim if necessary).

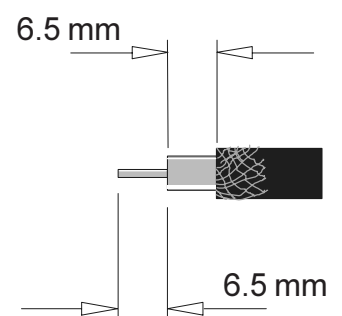


Crimp connectors

This section gives general guidance only. Always use the connector manufacturer's instructions if available.

Trim off 12 mm of the outer cable sheath to expose the braid (and foil if double screened). Trim off 6.5 mm of the dielectric to expose the centre copper wire. Fold back braid as shown, leave foil in place. Pass connector over cable and work down until the dielectric is flush with the bottom face of the connector. Approximately 2 mm of the centre wire should protrude from the connector. Crimp using the correct crimp tool (these vary depending on the connector size).

Note: Cables vary in size depending on manufacturer and type. Care should be exercised when selecting a connector, ensuring it is suitable for the cable chosen.



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- aerial mounting
- reception problems
- distributing TV signals around the home
- general recommendations