

IEEE Welcome to







A Simple Production Solution: EESeal® Silicone Rubber Inserts for Connectors



Scott Lindberg

Mr. Lindberg is the Vice President at Quell Corporation, Albuquerque, NM. Scott has been in electronics industry for over 30 years and previously worked in the semiconductor industry as VP of Sales & Marketing Operations for Microsemi Corporation. Throughout his career he has served on many boards and committees and occupied most of the executive committee positions for the Electronics Representative Association (ERA). He became a Certified Professional Manufacturer's Representative (CPMR) early in the program and then became a member and officer for the Board of Governors that has oversight of the program. He also was a member of the executive committee of the Manufacturer's Representative Educational Research Foundation (MRERF). Lindberg received a B.A. degree in Business Administration from the University of New Mexico



Content

- About Quell
- Silicone Rubber Packaging Technology
 - How it works
 - EMI Filtering, ESD Protection, etc.
- Applications
- Where to get more information

Your Quell EESeal Electronic Rep — WI and IL!





About US...

- Quell's mission is to provide the best niche product, delivery, quality & service available in the EMI/ESD/TVS suppression market
- 12,000 sq. ft. facility in Albuquerque
- 50+ dedicated Quellians
- Quality Management System registered to:
 - ISO 9001:2015
 - AS9100D
 - Proudly made in the USA





History...



1994 - Founded Metatech Commercial Products Div - ABQ



1995 – Applied for EESeal® Patent



2003 – Quell Corporation spun-off from Metatech



2009 - AS9100 quality certification



2012 – Expansion into new 12,000 sq ft facility



2013 - Over 1,000,000 EESeals® sold



2014 – Manufacturers Representatives & Distributors



2015 – EESeal+, EESeal Inside the connector



2016 - Patent received for EESeal+®



2019 – Acquired by HEICO Corporation



EESeal ® is our Silicone Rubber Packaging Technology.

 EESeal's® unique elastomeric body & adaptive interconnect system* suspends, isolates & protects discrete electrical components

Entire assembly can radically change shape and size in response to external forces

 Individual components and interconnections move as body changes shape while maintaining electrical and mechanical integrity

- Body acts as conformal coat & electrical isolation for suspended components
- Natural compressive forces exploited to create re-usable electrical contacts that can withstand extreme abuse
 - Severe misalignments, vibration, wrong pin sizes...
- Environmental seal created for the host location



* US Pat 5,686,697



EESeal ® is our Silicone Rubber Packaging Technology.

- EESeal inserts in to any connector in seconds
 - -no soldering
 - no tools required
 - Multiple Uses
 - EMI/RFI Filtering
 - Transient Protection
 - Add pull up resistors
 - Short pins, redistribute power
 - Add Grounding Short coax shields

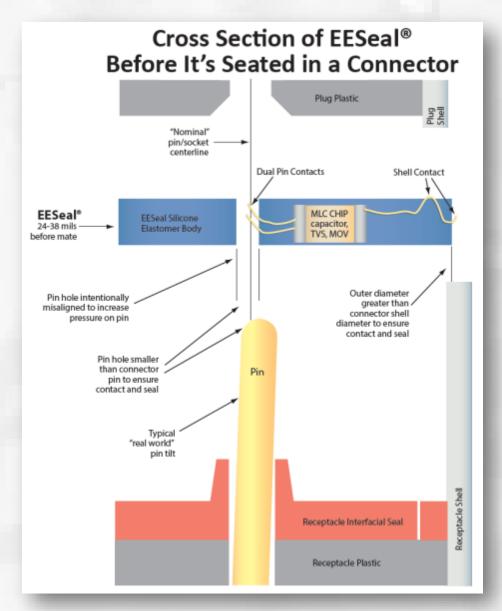




Patented *EESeal®* Design is Unique...

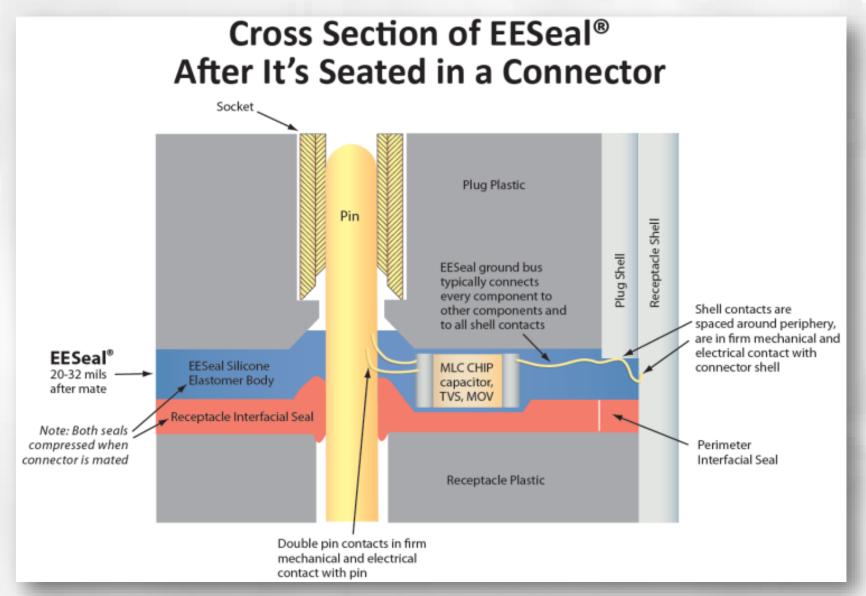
No "brittle" spring metal contacts (e.g., BeCu)

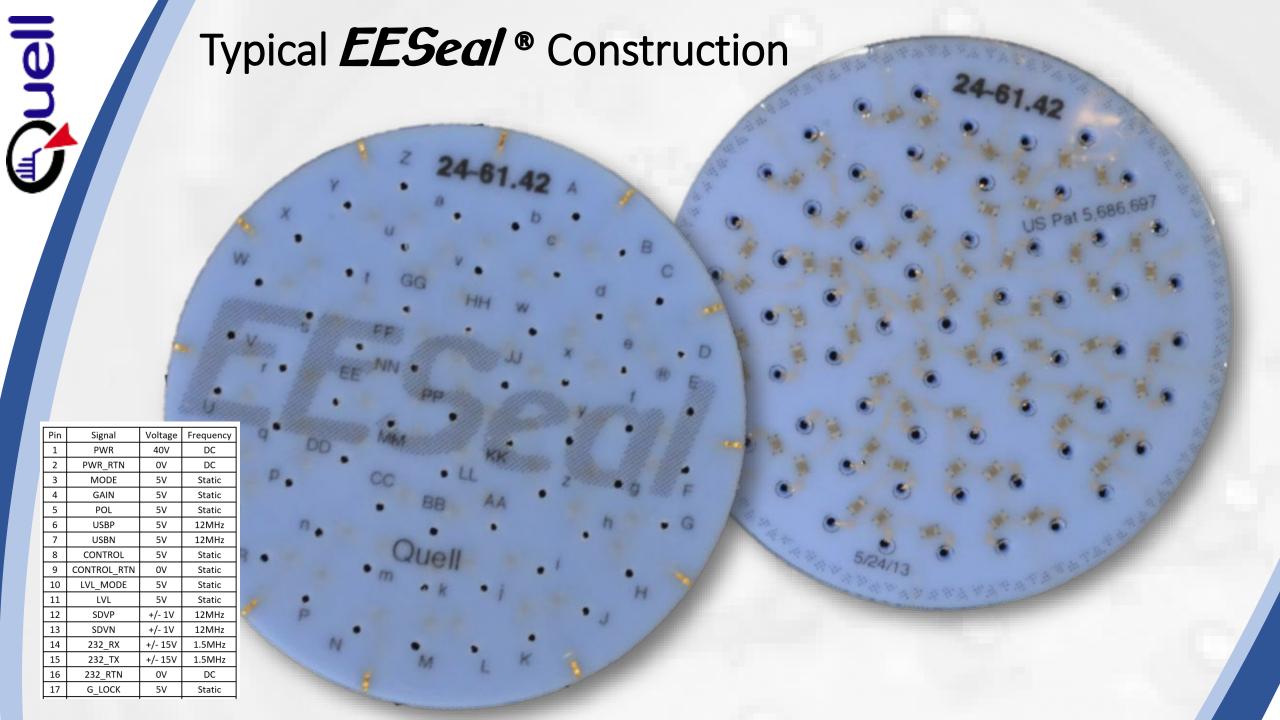
- Designed to accommodate severe misalignment and mismatch
- Will not be over "sprung" by any overstress during installation or use





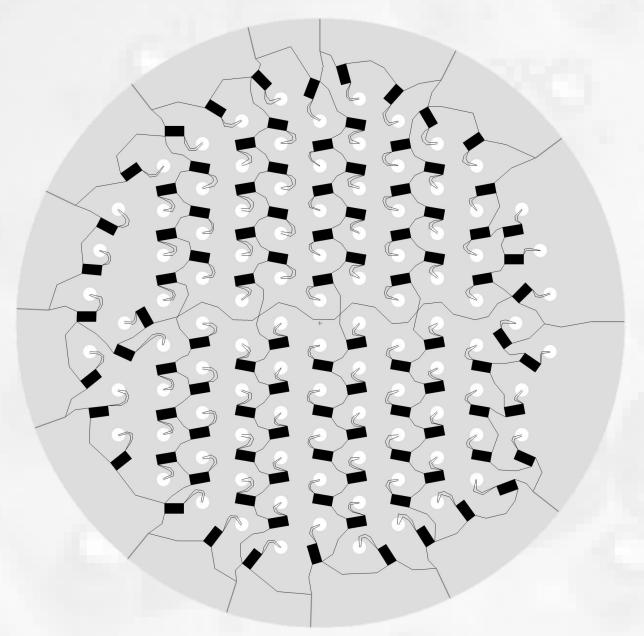
EESeal® "At Home" at the Connector Interface







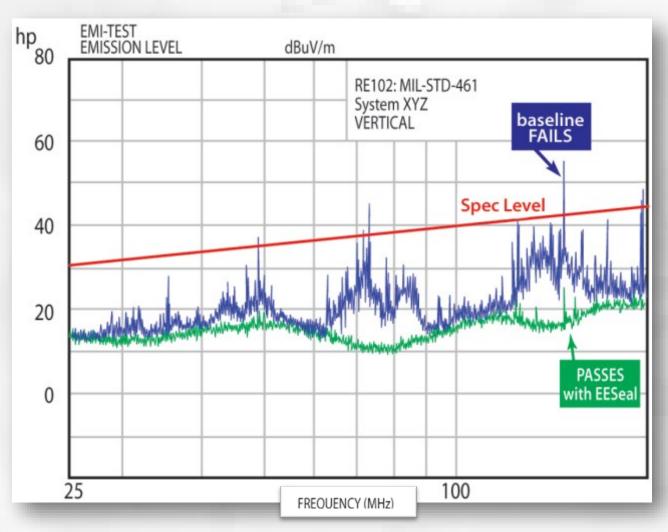
Typical *EESeal* ® Construction





EESeal® in Action...

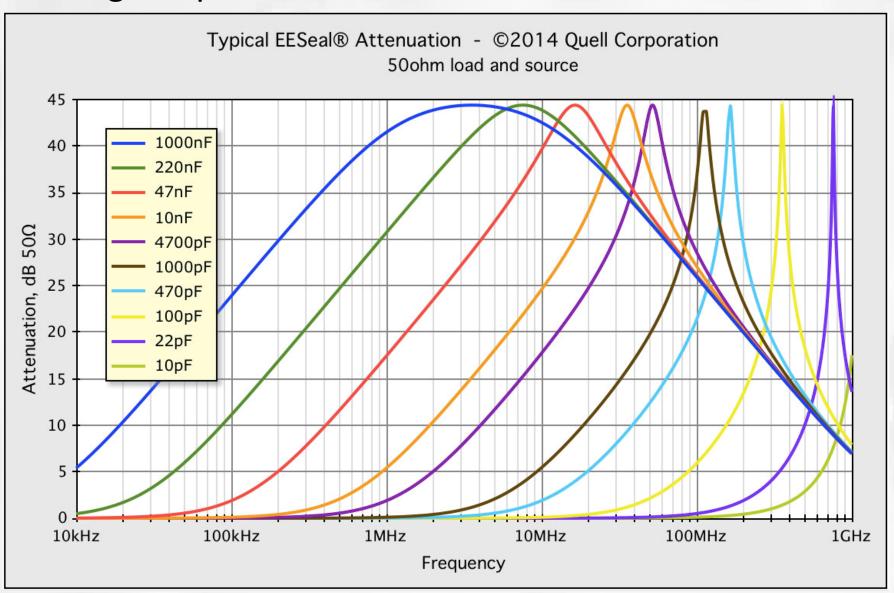
• The EESeal "Quells" the frequencies needed to meet compliance. Fixes MIL-STD-461 Radiated Emissions Problems.





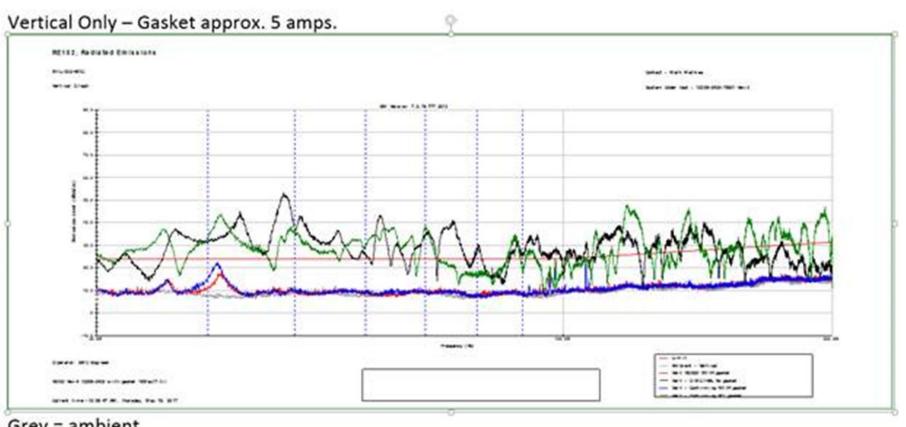
Typical *EESeal*® Attenuation

Single Capacitor – Pin to Shell





(ABC) Corporation – "WOW!!"



Grey = ambient

Black = ORIGINAL no gasket Red = RETEST with gasket

Green = Confirming NO gasket Blue = Confirming with gasket

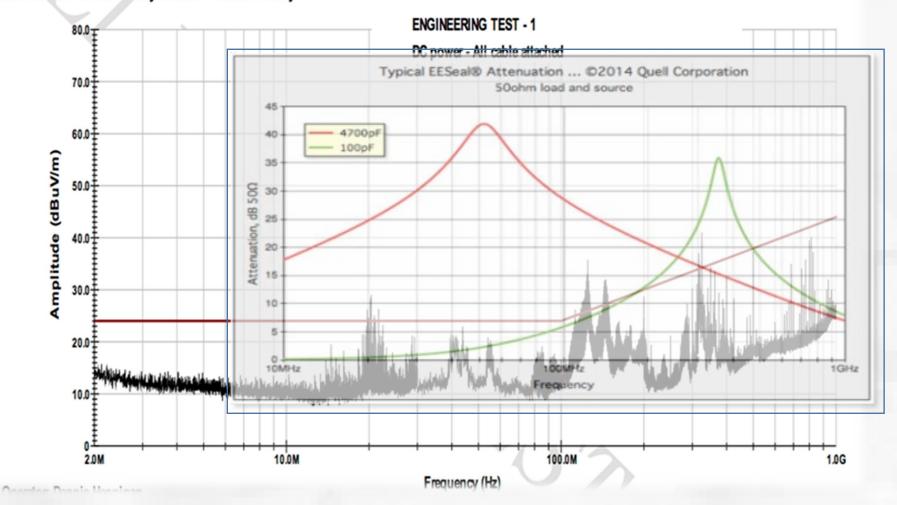


Parallel Capacitor Example

CHOMERICS TEST SERVICES

DCS

MIL-STD 461F RE 102-4 Army Ground Vertical Polarity







EESeal® for Transient Protection

TVS Diode Arrays

- ESD, IEC61000-4-2, ±30kV contact, ±30kV air
- EFT, IEC61000-4-4, 40A (5/50ns)
- Lightning, IEC61000-4-5, 8A (tP=8/20μs, SPHV12-C)
- Low clamping voltage & Low leakage current

Varistors

- Multilayer ceramic construction technology
- -55°C to +125°C operating temp. range
- Operating voltage range VM(DC) = 5.5V to 120V
- ESD rated to IEC61000-4-2, Level 4: Air Discharge 15KV and Contact Discharge 8KV
- RoHS compliant

• Others??

• We can incorporate virtually any 0402 or 0603 SMD





EESeal® for Lightning Protection

- Aircraft electronic boxes were sustaining lightning damage – resulting in aircraft grounding
- Box manufacturer needed to protect against 250A lightning on a ground return pin and approached Quell



- After several iterations, an EESeal® design with 15 MOVs in parallel successfully passed lightning test
- Box, with EESeal® installed, environmentally qualified to customer spec
- EESeal® retrofitted into fielded aircraft and EESeal® is now installed in all new production units
- Today, this commercial aircraft has 75-100 EESeals® on board >92,989 ordered with no reports of failures (as of 02/18/2020)



Environmental Capabilities...

EESeal® Withstand Extreme Mechanical & Environmental Conditions

• Environmental and mechanical tests conducted by independent laboratories show that even severe environments do not affect the integrity of EESeal® FilterSeal EMI Filter Inserts or the host connectors*

Shock

MIL-STD-1344A Method 2004.1, Test Condition C (except 150g instead of 100g): 1/2 sine, 6 ms, 6 shocks/axis, total 3 axes

Vibration

MIL-STD-1344A Method 2005.1, Test Condition IV: 10-2000Hz, 20g, 4 hours/axis, total 3 axes and MIL-STD-810E paragraph 514.4: 3.75Hz @ 0.07g to 33.75Hz @ 2.5g to 500Hz @ 0.002g2/Hz, 4 hours/axis, total 3 axes

Salt Spray

Method 1001.1: 48 hr exposure at 95F

Thermal Cycling

RTCA/DO160C: -55C to +125C, 20 cycles

Humidity Exposure

RTCA/DO160C Category A: 95%RH @ 50C for 24hr, @ 30C for 24hr



^{*}Nearly every EESeal insert is custom designed for your specific application and connector. Whenever a particular environmental feature is critical to your application, we recommend that you test the specific EESeal and connector combination to verify its suitability for your use.



Environmental Capabilities...

EESeal® Withstand Extreme Mechanical & Environmental Conditions

• Environmental and mechanical tests conducted by independent laboratories show that even severe environments do not affect the integrity of EESeal® FilterSeal EMI Filter Inserts or the host connectors*

Temperature-Altitude

• MIL-STD-5400 4.6.2.3 Class 1A: -55C to 125C, 30,000 ft

Durability

MIL-STD-1344A Method 2016: 250, 375 & 500 mate/demate cycles

Fluid Immersion

• MIL-STD-1344A Method 1016, Fluids a, c, d & e, with connectors mated: 5 minute immersion @ 85C in each of Hydraulic Fluid, 2 Lubricating Oils & JP-5

Removal Re-Use Assessment

128pin EESeal completely removed from connector and re-inserted 12 times

Porosity

• MIL-STD-1344A Method 1017: Contacts exposed to 70% HNO3 (concentrated reagent grade nitric acid) for 75 minutes at 23C, 10 minutes in air @ 125C, no corrosion observed

Out-gassing

• ASTM E-595-07, TML <1%; CVCM <.01%, Post bake required

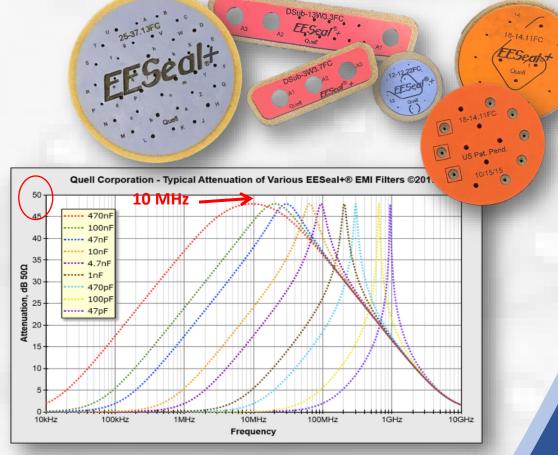
^{*}Nearly every EESeal insert is custom designed for your specific application and connector. Whenever a particular environmental feature is critical to your application, we recommend that you test the specific EESeal and connector combination to verify its suitability for your use.



Our Next Generation - EESeal +®

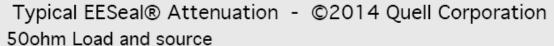
- Conductive Silicone pin contacts and ground plane
 - Lowers contact resistance
 - Lowers Inductance
 - 45-50dB attenuation
 - Mitigation up do 20-40GHz
- Versions with...
 - Discrete Capacitors
 - Integral Capacitors
 - Discrete & Integral Capacitors
- Not 100% Environmentally Qualified

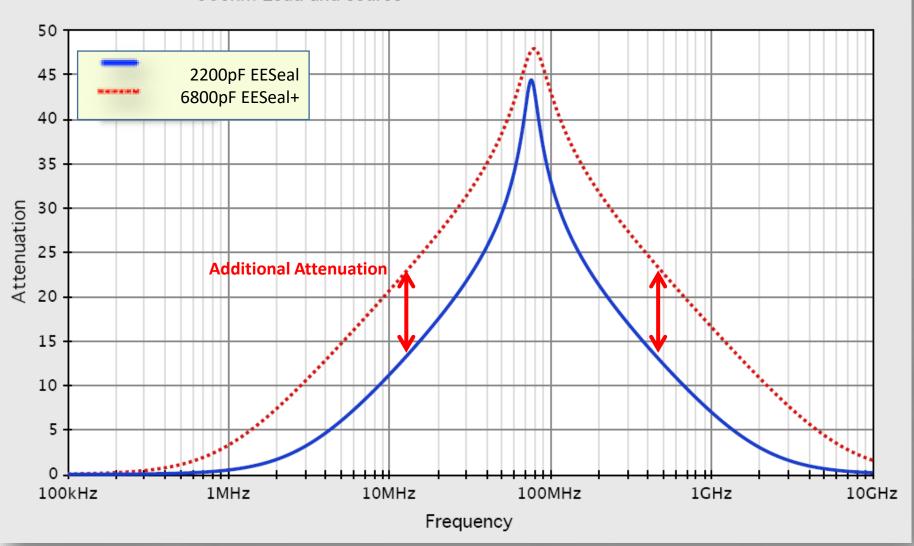






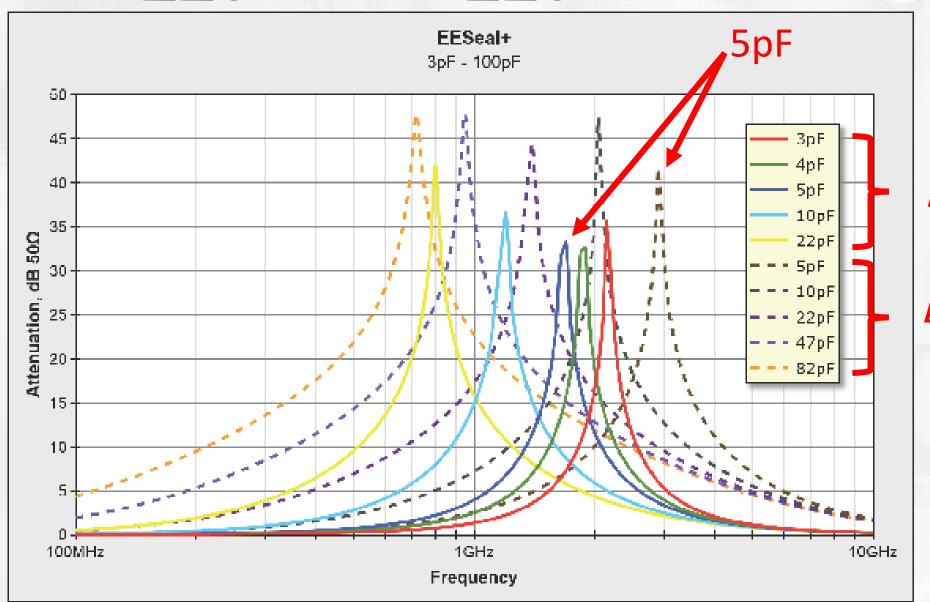
EESeal ® vs. EESeal +®







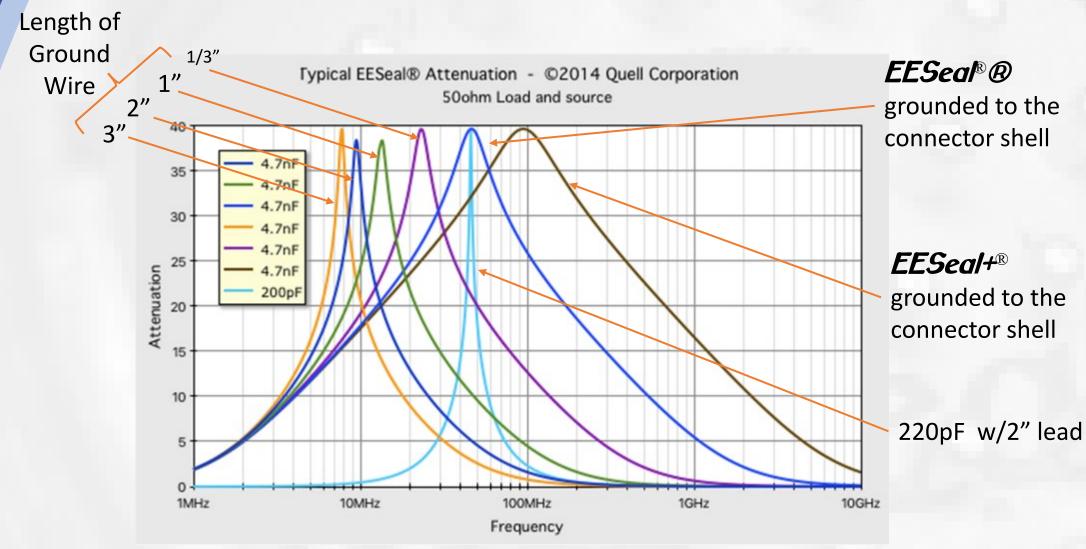
EESeal ® vs. EESeal +®



EESeal

EESeal+

Lead Length vs. Attenuation for a 4.7nF capacitor



Attenuation plots of our 4.7nF filter with a 1" lead length to ground (green line), 2" lead length to ground (dark blue line), 3" lead length (gold line). The Blue is our standard part grounded to the connector shell. The brown line is the EESeal+® with about 0.5nH of inductance. The light blue line is a 200pF capacitor with a 2 inch lead.



High Frequency Attenuation Performance

6 ♥ S12

Baseline Scan

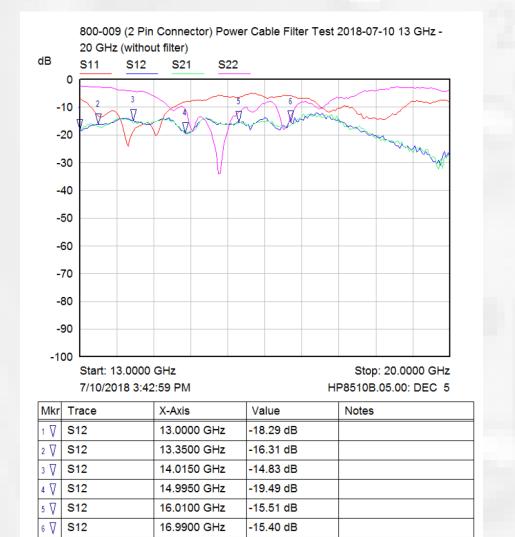
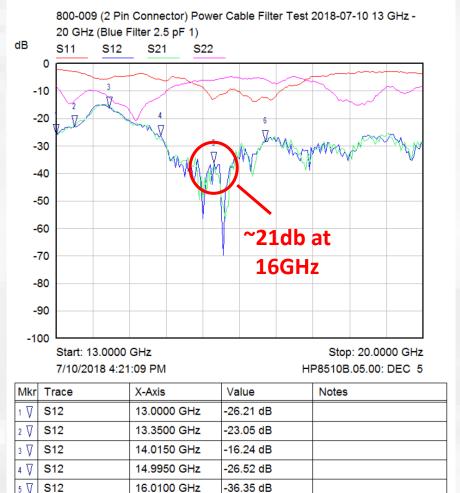


Figure 5. Baseline Results for Pins 1 & 4

• 6-7.11FC (2.5pF)



Mighty Mouse connector

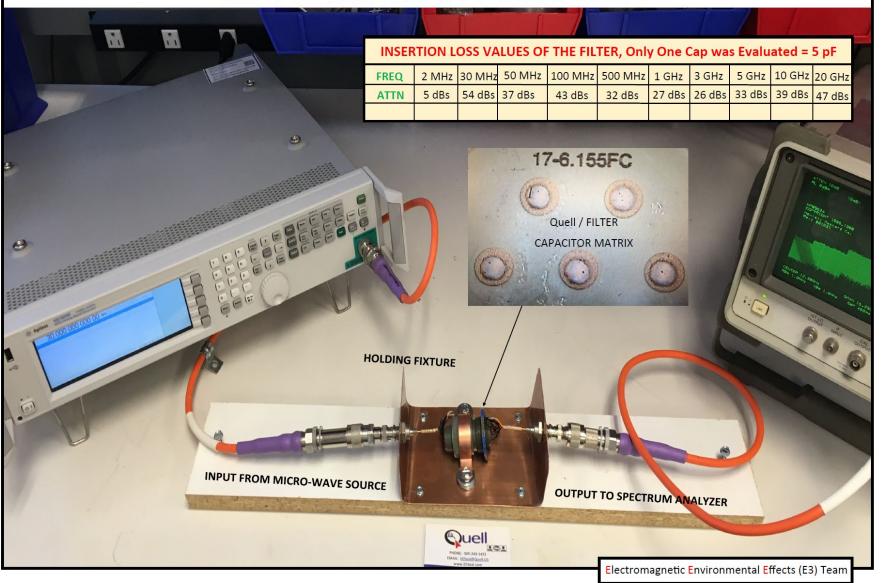
Figure 10. Test Results for EMI Filter 6-7.11FC (1)

16.9900 GHz

-28.29 dB



FILTERED SAVO CONNECTOR - RF ATTENUATION MEASUREMENT RESULTS





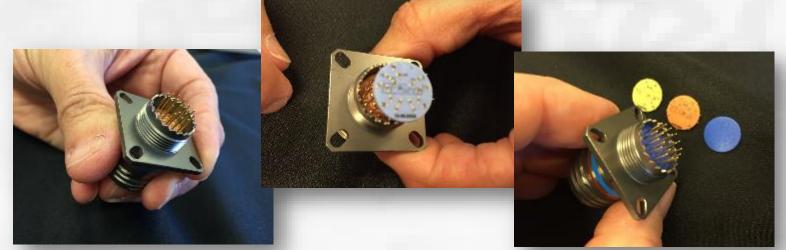
EESeals® Inside...

Allows for both sockets and pins

- Multiple EESeals
 - More capacitance
 - Higher voltage
 - Wider frequency capabilities
 - Invisible









EESeal® Benefits...

- Custom!
 - Matches your exact application
 - Application dependent
 - Pin to Pin, pin to shell, Capacitors, Resistors, ESD - MOV/diodes, shorts, opens, etc....
 - Every pin exactly the way you need it...
 - No tooling
 - Light weight
 - < 1 gram
 - No additional space needed
 - Field Installable/Replaceable (Retrofit)
 - Custom labeling, colors, etc.



EESeal ® Benefits...

- Fast!
 - FREE Samples in 24-48 hours.
 - Production orders in 6-8 weeks. ... or better if needed...

Cost!

- Competitively priced as a long-term, permanent solution vs. Filtered Connectors.
- No redesign or schedule delays
- Ease of assembly



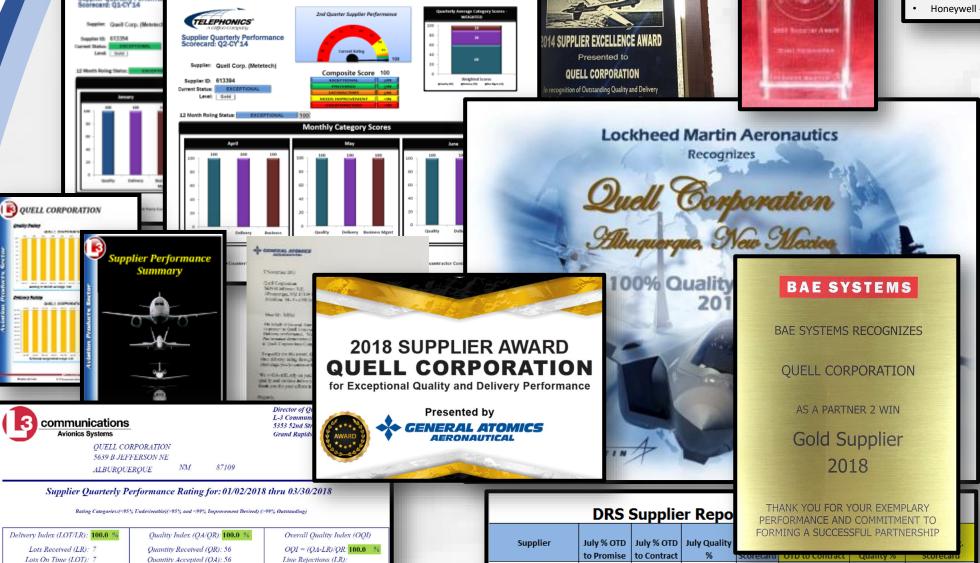
100% Quality & Delivery...





Quality Audits:

- Boeing 2012 Added to ASL
- NQA 2013 Annual surveillance audit
- Northrop Grumman 2012 Product Audit
- JLG 2013 Automotive Standards
- JPL Added to AVL
- SpaceX 2015
- Israeli Aircraft Industries 2016
- Panasonic 2016
- Honeywell 2016



QUELL CORPORATION





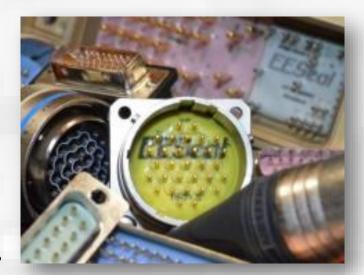
2012 Quell Corporation



Where to use an **EESeal**®?

At ANY connector Interface.

- ANY style connector
 - MIL-Circular
 - MIL-C-38999, MIL-C-26482, MIL-C-5015, Mighty Mouse, & many others....
 - **D-Subminiature**
 - MDM/Micro D
 - ARINC
 - Plastic
 - Non-conductive connectors and more...



- Any Manufacturer
 - Molex, Deutsch, Souriau, Amp, etc.

```
Circular Connectors
∘MIL-C-38999 s1 plug
```

MIL-C-38999 s1 receptade.

MIL-C-38999 s2 plug

MIL-C-38999 s2 receptade

MIL-C-38999 s3 plug

MIL-C-38999 s3 receptade

MIL-C-38999 s4 plug

MIL-C-38999 s4 receptade

MIL-C-26482 s1&2 plug

MIL-C-26482 s1&2 receptacle

MIL-C-5015 plug

MIL-C-5015 receptade

MIL-C-83723 s3 plug

MIL-C-83723 s3 receptade

MIL-C-81511 s2 receptade

•MIL-C-81511 s3 receptade

MIL-C-26500 receptacle

MIL-C-55181 plug

JN1003 Eurofighter receptacle

JN1003 Eurofighter plug

MIL-C-28840 receptacle

DSub Connectors

DSubminiature 9, 15, 25, 37, 50, combos.

Micro-DSub (MDM) 9, 15, 21, 25, 31, 37,

51, 69, 100, combos

Double & High Density DSub 15, 19, 26,

31, 44, 52, 62, 78, 104 combos

Combo DSub

Headers

Centronix

Header

DIN

• circular DIM

ominiDIN .

rectangular DIN

ARINC & Rack

ARINC404

ARINCGOO

ITT Cannon DPDMA insert

 LEMO various connectors. Custom Connectors and More



Who uses **EESeals** ®?

A Few Quell Customers...





LMCO "Black" Satellite, F-35 Lightning, B1 Lancer, A10 Thunderbolt, A400M, F-18 Growler, C5 Galaxy, Boeing 787, Eclipse 500, Embraer 160/170, Cessna Citation X, AH-64 Apache, UH-60 Seahawk, V-22 Osprey, OH-58 Kiowa, CH-47 Chinook, HH-65 Eurocopter, Humvee 1, MRAP, M1128 Mobile Gun System, M1A Abrams, M109 Paladin Howitzer, Boeing GBU-39 (SDB), TIM-162 Sea Sparrow, RQ-1/MQ-1, Predator, JDAM, NGC X-47B, RQ-4/MQ-4 Global Hawk, MQ-8 Fire Scout, SpaceX Dragon



What we need...

- 1. What is the connector p/n?
- 2. What are the frequency issues, scans and/or Capacitor values you would like?
- 3. What are the voltages on each of your pins?
- 4. What is the data rates on each pin? (RS422, ethernet, video, etc.)
- 5. Any transient or lightnining specifications?
- 6. What is the best shipping address for your FREE EESeal samples?

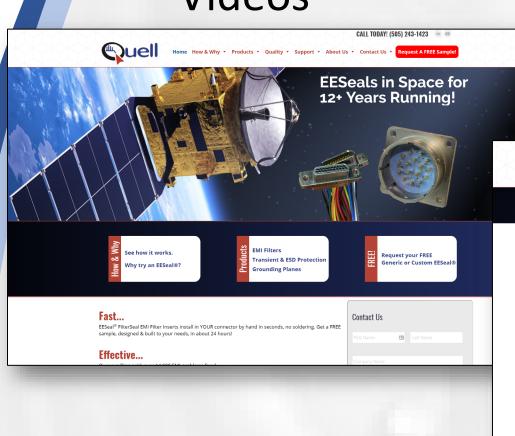


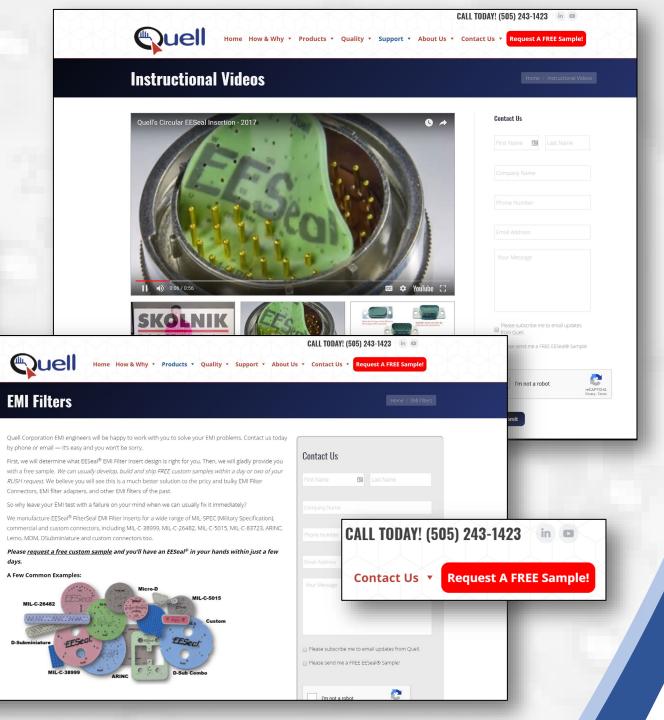




Website...

- Free Sample Link
- Videos





Please reach out to **Brainard-Nielsen** at rich@bnmsales.com if you have a Quell EESeal applications...

Thank You!!!

Brainard-Nielsen Marketing, Inc.





www.EESeal.com

Bring out the "Goodness."