







# MINIATURE COLD HEADED FASTENERS & COMPONENTS

For over three decades, Semblex Corporation has been a major supplier of engineered threaded fasteners to the automotive industry and the industrial marketplace. Providing quality fasteners & services requires ever expanding manufacturing, engineering and service capabilities to respond to ever expanding customer needs and requirements.



The demand for miniature cold headed fasteners and components is increasing at accelerating rates. Consumer and industrial products continue to be manufactured smaller and smaller, as well as, more efficiently. Product downsizing of growth products is driving the demand; in the electronics through the

telecommunications industry; from notebook computers to cellular phones and pagers; in numerous electronic components and sub-assemblies for industrial and consumer products,



for automobiles through major appliances. Cost reduction, quality, fastener strength and assembly integrity have cold headed miniature fasteners and components replacing (higher cost, chip and burr contaminated) traditional screw machine parts. **APPLICATION** Computer Chip **PRODUCT** IC Lead

Collar Pin



**APPLICATION** Computer Inkjet Printer **PRODUCT** 

Multi-die Cold Headed Brass Pin **Cost savings** 

(replaced screw machine part)



**APPLICATION** 

Automotive

**PRODUCT** 

Firing Pin

**Ignition System** 

**APPLICATION Electrical Controls** 

**PRODUCT** Copper Multi-die Terminal Pin



**A**PPLICATION **Electrical Switch P**RODUCT Semi-tubular

**Brass Contact Pin** 



**A**PPLICATION





**APPLICATION Telecommunications Apparatus** 

**PRODUCT Contact Pin** 



**A**PPLICATION **Telecommunications Product** Copper contact inside phone

**Telecommunications** 



**PRODUCT Copper Terminal** telecommunications apparatus

**APPLICATION** 



**APPLICATION** Eye Glasses

**PRODUCT** Cold Headed Screw

**Cost savings** (replaced screw machine part)



**A**PPLICATION Ballpoint Pen **P**RODUCT Multi-die Pin **Cost savings** (replaced screw machine part)

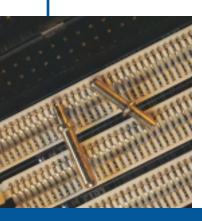


**A**PPLICATION **Food Processing** Blender

**PRODUCT Copper Pedestal** Contact



# DESIGN FOR MANUFACTURING



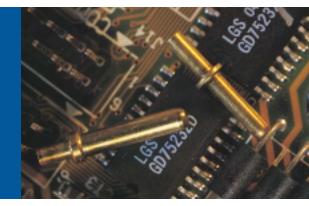
# Multi-die cold heading conversion of miniature screw machine parts

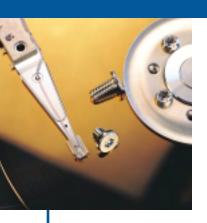
cost reduction: lower cost manufacturing process; machining scrap eliminated

improves quality: chips and burrs eliminated

improves strength: work hardened grain structure vs. cut and weakened part, from milling

Semblex Is Product Integrity





# **Electropolished fasteners for HDA** -Head Disc Assemblies and other high tech applications

Electro-chemical process cleans and polishes fastener surface

cost reduction: reduces thread galling and assembly drive torque improves quality: satisfies Class 100 clean room requirements

improves strength: reduces torsional stress

# **INDUSTRY / APPLICATION**

### **Business Equipment** Computers

Connectors Disc Drives Fax Machines Keyboards Modems **Photocopiers** 

**Printers** 

#### **Telecommunications**

Cellular Telephones Fibre Optics Pagers Telephone Apparatus and Equipment Television Cable Boxes

Television Sets

VCR's

Video Cassettes Wireless Communications Industrial **Appliance** Automotive

Video Cameras

Cameras Clocks Controls

Dental Products

Injection Molded Products

Instrumentation Medical Products

Motors

**Optical Products** 

Switches Thermostats Watches

# DESIGN FOR ASSEMBLY

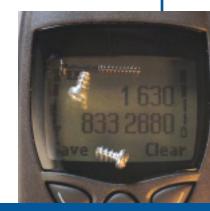
# Miniature thread forming screws for plastic

Polyfast® Plastilok® Plasto-Driv® PTR PT® Duro-PT® PT® Type DG® Fasteners Design assistance matches proper screw with specific plastic

cost reduction: increases productivity

**improves quality**: reduces strip-out; reduces rework

**improves strength**: reduces boss stress; increases joint integrity



# Improved operating efficiencies through engineered fastening solutions.

# Miniature thread forming screws for metal

Rolok® Tapmate™ TR PT®Type DG® Fasteners

cost reduction: eliminates tapping

improves quality: interference-fit, roll-formed mating threads create a locking feature

improves strength: work hardened, roll-formed mating threads increase joint integrity

## Miniature radius point screws

**cost reduction:** self aligning feature increases productivity

improves quality: reduces rework; smooth point improves assembler and consumer safety

improves strength: reduces cross threading; increases joint integrity







# FASTENERS AND COMPONENTS MANUFACTURING CAPABILITIES

# SIZE RANGE

#### **Non-threaded Products**

Inch

Minimum Diameter: 0.0120"

Minimum Length: 1/16" (0.0625")

Metric

Minimum Diameter: M.3 (0.3mm) / (0.0118")

Minimum Length: 1.5mm / (0.0590")

#### **Threaded Products**

Inch

Minimum Diameter: #000 (0.0340")

Minimum Length: 1/16" (0.0625")

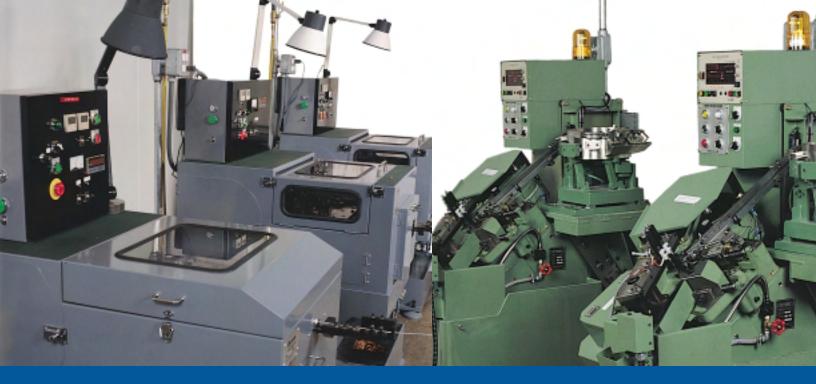
Metric

Minimum Diameter: M.6 (0.6mm) / (0.0236")

Minimum Length: 1.5mm / (0.0590")

## **Materials**

- Carbon Steel
- Alloy Steel
- Stainless Steel
- Copper
- Brass
- Bronze
- Aluminum
- other materialsupon request



# Quality, Technology, Service... Semblex

Semblex Corporation, a leader in the fastener industry, has responded to the challenges of product down sizing, cost reduction, continuous quality improvement and assembly integrity by establishing a miniature fastener and component division. This high tech division is equipped with precision micro former single and multi-die cold heading and thread rolling machines. Tight tolerance machine capabilities produce semi - tubular parts, special extrusions, and parts with shoulders and collars.

