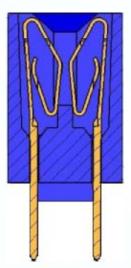
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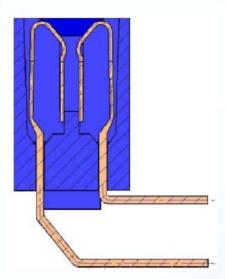
Loop Bellows



- 1. Secondary Spring support on back of pin for added normal force
- 2. High insertion withdraw counts
- 3. Large number of plating options
- 4. Large wiping area
- 5. Produced from wire, giving optimal grain direction of base material
- 6. Low initial contact resistance
- 7. Available in high temperature materials

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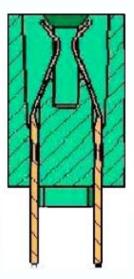
Hairpin



- 1. Lower insertion force than Loop Bellows
- 2. Gold does not wear as fast
- 3. Large number of plating options
- 4. Consistent contact resistance over time

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Cantilever



- 1. Consistent insertion withdraw
- 2. High insertion withdraw counts
- 3. Large number of plating options
- 4. Large wiping area
- 5. Produced from wire, giving optimal grain direction of base material
- 6. Available in high temperature materials

