SWITCH-RATED PLUGS & RECEPTACLES

For Easier
PUMP MAINTENANCE
at Wastewater, Food & Beverage, Manufacturing and other Industrial Facilities

Ideal for pump connections up to 60 hp or 200A. Using Decontactors to connect power to pumps
instead of hardwiring can reduce downtime related
to pump servicing by 50% or more.

Ensure Arc Flash Protection
Prevents exposure to arc flash and live parts, simplifies
NEC/CEC and NFPA 70E/CSA Z462 compliance.

Safely Make/Break Motor Connections
Rated to make and break motor loads safely while
providing operators with significant protection in the
event of overloads or short circuits. No waiting for
an electrician to perform field wiring. No “suiting-up”
or extraordinary electrical precautions.

Motor & Branch Circuit Switching
Decontactors are UL and CSA rated for “motor circuit”
and “branch circuit” disconnect switching and are an
approved NEC/CEC “line of sight” disconnect switch.

Ideal for connecting power to...

- SUBMERSIBLE PUMPS: To simplify pump maintenance
- MULTIPLE PUMPS: Convenient, cord drop or
  wall-mounted connections
- PASTEURIZER PUMPS: For easy motor change-outs –
  Simplifies NFPA70E/CSA Z462 compliance
- PORTABLE PUMPS: For safe connect and disconnect

PLUG and PLAY SIMPLICITY: Meltric Decontactors are designed
for safety. They eliminate the hazards associated with pin &
sleeve devices. Their unique features allow pumps, motors and
other equipment to be safely connected with plug & play
simplicity. When disconnected, Decontactors provide positive
visual verification that power is off.

OFF Button
Provides push button
circuit disconnection

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IDEAL FOR PUMP CONNECTIONS...
Application Challenge: During the construction of a wastewater treatment plant, the submersible pumps for effluent water were hardwired. But shortly after operations began, one of the pumps had to be replaced. It took the maintenance crew about a day to replace the pump with most of the time devoted to disconnecting the pump and re-wiring a new one.

Connection Solution: To circumvent the time consuming and expensive process of unwiring/wiring the effluent water pumps, Meltric Decontactors were installed on all the pumps in order to prevent delays on future pump replacements. They allow the pumps to be connected and disconnected safely with plug-and-play simplicity. Now, the maintenance technicians can easily replace or service the pumps without needing an electrician or needing to don cumbersome PPE (personal protective equipment), as required by NFPA 70E.

Decontactors are ideal for connecting submersible pumps in both indoor and outdoor applications. Their spring-loaded, silver-nickel, butt-style contacts provide consistent and superior electrical performance over thousands of operations. In addition, they are resistant to wear, corrosion, oxidation and other factors that contribute to the premature failure of pin & sleeve devices.

All Decontactors have dead front construction, enclosed arc chambers and a short circuit, “make and withstand” rating of at least 65kA. The dead front prevents user access to live parts and the short circuit rating ensures safety during insertion, even under overload or locked rotor conditions.