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 [Printer-friendly format](#) **3M™ Highland™ Vinyl Insulated Locking Fork LfV18-**

## 8L

**This terminal has a wire range of 22-18 AWG and a stud size of 8. 10 bags per case (50 per bag).**

GTIN(UPC/EAN) : 0 00 54007 70304 4  
3M Id : 80-6105-8817-2

### Additional Information

The spring-like tongue locks into place around the stud even when the mount screw is not tightened. Extra force is required to remove it from the stud.

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[Terminal Stud Size Chart - Product Selection Guide \(PDF 5.2 K\)](#)

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### Characteristics

<b>Agency Approvals</b>	UL and CSA
<b>Barrel Style</b>	Butted
<b>China RoHS - Below MCV</b>	No
<b>CSA File Number</b>	LR22190
<b>EU RoHS Compliant</b>	No
<b>Insulation Material</b>	Vinyl
<b>Stud Size</b>	8 American Wire Gauge (AWG)
<b>Terminal Style</b>	Locking
<b>Terminal Type</b>	Fork

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<b>UL File Number</b>	E23438
<b>Wire Gauge Range</b>	18 to 22 American Wire Gauge (AWG)

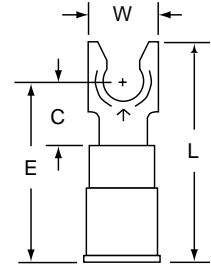
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# Highland™ Terminals

LFV10-6 thru LFV18-8

Locking Fork, Vinyl Insulated, Butted Seam



## Data Sheet

Product Number	Wire Range (AWG)	Stud Size	Max Lock Width	W	C	L	E	Thickness	Barrel Length	Barrel I.D.	Maximum Insulation Diameter
LFV10-6	12-10	6	0.30	0.28	0.28	1.03	0.83	0.040	0.25	0.135	0.250
LFV10-8	12-10	8	0.35	0.32	0.28	1.03	0.83	0.040	0.25	0.135	0.250
LFV10-10	12-10	10	0.36	0.32	0.28	1.03	0.83	0.040	0.25	0.135	0.250
LFV10-14	12-10	¼	0.48	0.43	0.44	1.24	0.99	0.040	0.25	0.135	0.250
LFV14-6	16-14	6	0.27	0.25	0.25	0.88	0.70	0.030	0.25	0.090	0.170
LFV14-8	16-14	8	0.34	0.30	0.25	0.88	0.70	0.030	0.25	0.090	0.170
LFV14-10	16-14	10	0.35	0.32	0.25	0.88	0.70	0.030	0.25	0.090	0.170
LFV18-4	22-18	4	0.27	0.25	0.25	0.88	0.70	0.030	0.25	0.070	0.145
LFV18-6	22-18	6	0.27	0.25	0.25	0.88	0.70	0.030	0.25	0.070	0.145
LFV18-8	22-18	8	0.34	0.30	0.25	0.88	0.70	0.030	0.25	0.070	0.145



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NO. 0. 65  
3M FILE NO. LR22190

## Installation Information

### ⚠ WARNING

Turn power off before installing or removing terminal. All electrical work should be done according to appropriate electrical codes.

UL Listed and CSA Certified for use on stranded copper (AWG) wire only.


Strip away the end 3/8 inch of wire insulation.

Make the crimp in the proper station of a recommended 3M crimp tool: TH-440, TH-450 (scissor style), or TR-490 (ratchet style) hand tools.

## Specifications

Wire Size: See Table Above  
Barrel Seam: Butted  
Max. Voltage Rating: 600 V Building Wire  
1000 V Signs, Fixtures and Luminaires  
Max. Temperature Rating: 221°F (105°C)  
Max. Current: Same as Wire  
Insulator Material: Vinyl  
Terminal Material: ETP Copper  
Plating: Tin



 Barrel Crimp (Electrical)

## Engineering Specification

Crimp-type terminals shall, electrically and mechanically, connect to a pre-stripped end of a stranded copper wire: and have a flat tongue portion with a central opening for mounting around a screw or stud.

The terminal line shall offer tongue variations in hole (stud) size (6, 8 10, etc.) and configuration (ring, fork, block fork, flanged block fork, locking fork, etc.): and barrel variations in wire (AWG) size (22-18, 16-14, 12-10, etc.) and construction (non-insulated brazed seam, vinyl insulated butted seam, nylon insulated with insulation grip, etc.). The terminal line shall have regulatory agency coverage (UL Listing, CSA Certification). The terminal tongue shall be marked with the wire range and manufacturer's symbol (↑).

The vinyl-insulated, butted seam locking fork terminal shall be tin-plated, annealed copper, with the tongue having a specified stud slot (size 4 thru 1/4 in.) and a butted seam barrel covered by a molded vinyl funnel entry sleeve, color coded and sized, for a specified (AWG) wire range (22-18, 16-14, 12-10).

Insulated terminals shall be UL Listed and CSA Certified for 600 Volts maximum building wire: 1000 Volts maximum in signs, fixtures and luminaries and have a maximum operating temperature of 221°F (105°C).

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