



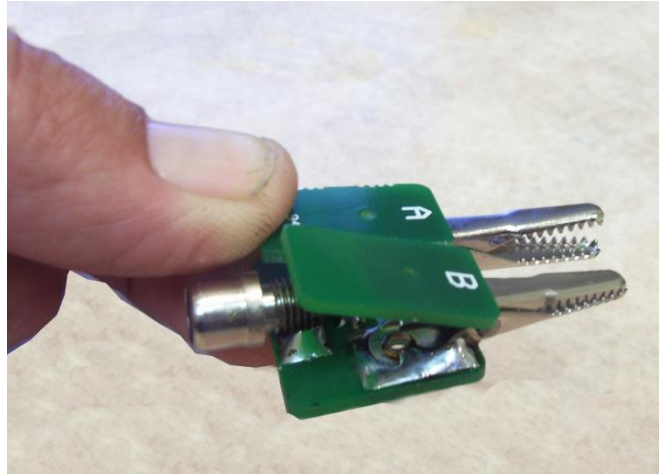
## SM218 PILLAR CLIP INFORMATION BRIEF

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*A time saver for Telecom staff*



*The clip has independent action on each side*

### GENERAL DESCRIPTION

This is a useful item for Telephone Company staff that must make frequent connections to pillars and cabinets in the field. The two clips are spaced for standard pillar terminals and have an independent action. . A good time saver for repetitive work.

Normally, connections to a cable pair in the field are made via individual clips. Often these are not insulated and they short together or the second clip shorts between cable pairs below while the first clip is being connected. This is slow and disruptive to telephone services.

The SM218 Pillar Clip is ideal for repetitive work, such as cable validation services where the linesman must make contact with hundreds or thousands of pairs in a single day.

The tips of the clip are sharp and can bite through dust and light corrosion with ease. They are spaced exactly 8mm apart to make them compatible with most street connections in Australia.

Wherever repetitive work takes place with wires, the cables are flexed often and have a limited life span. For this reason a common RCA socket has been attached to the rear of the connector so that readily available RCA Audio patch leads may be used and discarded as necessary. Staff in the field in remote locations can always be assured of purchasing replacement cables locally from any audio or hi-fi store.

This product has been used extensively for many years and its usefulness and reliability are well established.

