

## **CATALOG**



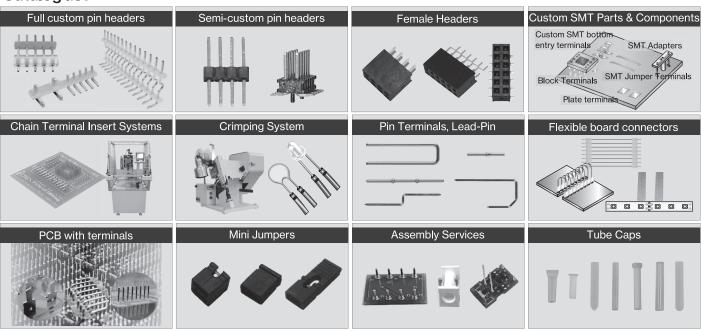
# Problem Resolution <u>Case Studies</u>



ICREX CO., LTD.



#### **Catalog list**

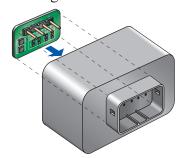


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#### Case 1 Airtight rubber header

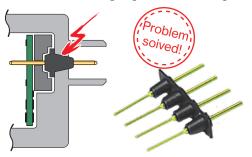
#### **Customer's request**

I want to make a connector connection to get signals from a board that is inside a unit that needs to be airtight.



#### **ICREX** proposal

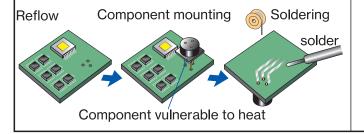
We suggest a method of using rubber as the base of the header to make a connector connection while keeping the unit airtight.



#### Case 2 Reflow heat countermeasure

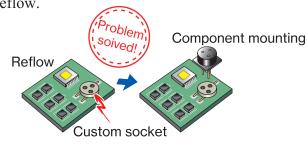
#### **Customer's request**

For components that cannot withstand reflow heat, we have to mount them on the board after reflow. We want to reduce the number of man-hours for this process.



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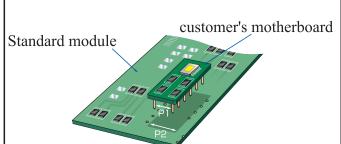
Mount a socket that matches the components' lead pitch and pattern onto the board, then mount the components onto the socket after reflow.



#### **◆ Case 3** Pitch conversion adapter

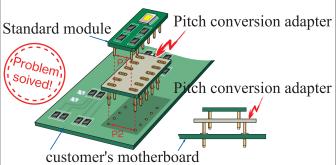
#### Customer's request

Our standard module lead pitch doesn't match our customer's motherboard pitch.



#### **ICREX** proposal

Connect to different pitch modules via a pitch conversion adapter connected to a pattern.



• All of our products are RoHS compliant.

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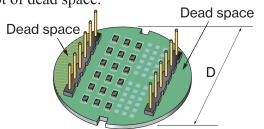
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#### ◆ Case 4 Pin header different shape from base

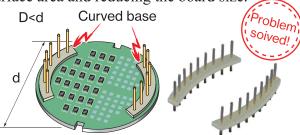
#### **Customer's request**

#### **ICREX** proposal

When a header is attached to a circular board, the board needs to be made smaller, so there is a lot of dead space.



Make the base curved, maintaining the effective surface area and reducing the board size.



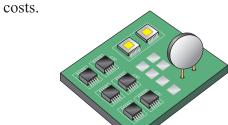
Because the header base uses substrate material CEM-3, it is freely customizable without any initial mold costs.

#### **◆ Case 5** SMT conversion adapter

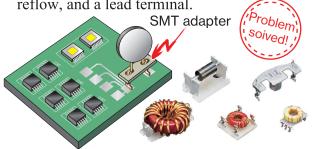
#### **Customer's request**

#### **ICREX** proposal

The discrete components we use are not SMT. We want to stop doing post-soldering and cut costs



Convert to SMT with an adapter composed of a base made of substrate material (CEM-3), which is highly resistant to high temperature reflow, and a lead terminal.

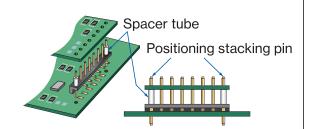


#### **◆ Case 6** Stacking pin headers

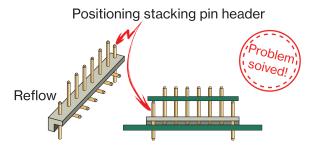
#### **Customer's request**

#### **ICREX** proposal

For board to board connection, we are using spacer tubes to maintain the distances between boards, but it is a time consuming operation.



Use a pin header for the whole length of the SMT connection pin and positioning and stacking pin, and reduce the number of spacer tubes.



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#### Case 7 Metal board interface

#### **Customer's request**

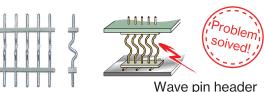
When we connect a daughter board to a metal

Change header terminal shape to a wave shape, reducing stress on the solder parts.

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motherboard, the reflow heat causes the metal to warp and shrink, which places stress on the solder and gives us a lot of problems with cracks and the like.



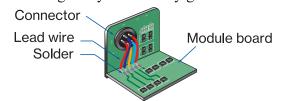


#### Case 8 Board to board connection

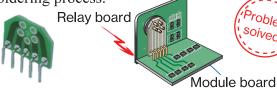
#### **Customer's request**

**ICREX** proposal

We are using lead soldering to make the board and connector connection, but it is very time consuming. Do you have any good ideas?



Use a relay board with terminals to connect the terminals and module board, then the relay board and connectors, and do away with the lead wire soldering process.

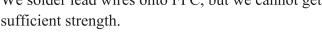


#### Case 9 FPC and lead wire connection

#### **Customer's request**

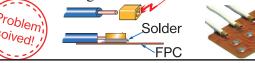
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We solder lead wires onto FPC, but we cannot get sufficient strength.



Mount a square, hollow terminal onto the FPC and then solder the lead wire to the terminal. The larger solder connection area will ensure sufficient strength. Hollow terminal



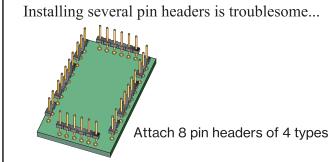


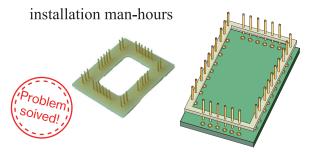
#### Case 10 Reduced man-hours to install pin headers

## **Customer's request**

Pin header assembled on one base reduces

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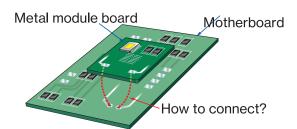
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#### **◆ Case 11** Wire bonding terminal

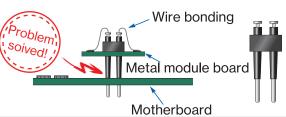
#### Customer's request

**ICREX** proposal

We want to stack a metal module board onto a motherboard and connect the two with wire bonding. Any ideas?



Use a special pin header with a flat section and connect the metal board and flat section of the pin with wire bonding, and then solder the metal module board to the motherboard after mounting.

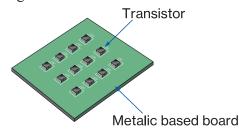


#### ◆ Case 12 Metal board heat dissipation

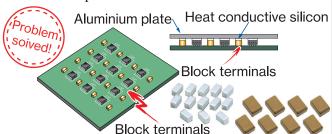
#### **Customer's request**

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I want to be able to efficiently dissipate the heat from a metallic based board within a limited module height.



Arrange copper block terminals around the heat source and then dissipate the heat into an aluminium plate via heat conductive silicon!

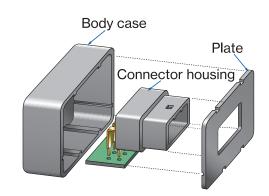


#### ◆ Case 13 Connector housing components reduction

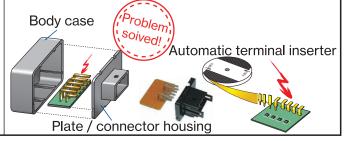
#### **Customer's request**

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We are manually mounting connectors onto the boards, but the cost is prohibitive. We want to reduce the work time and parts costs together to reduce total costs.



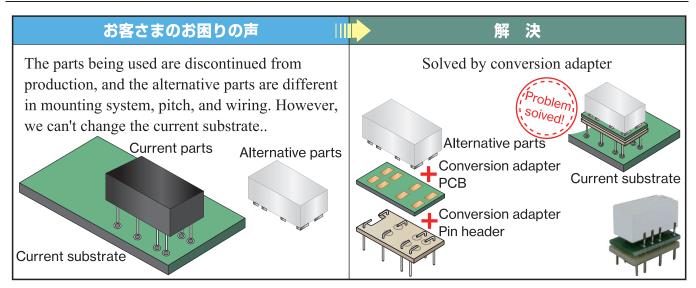
Without using connector housings, the ICREX standard inserter will insert single terminals directly on to the board, vastly reducing the purchase price and reducing man-hours. Also, by combining the connector housings into one with the front case, you will be able to cut the number of components without sacrificing functionality.



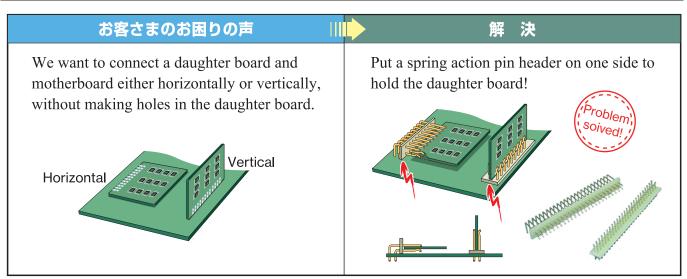
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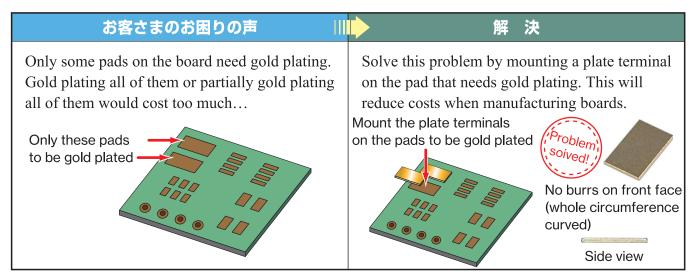
#### ◆ Case 14 Conversion adapter



#### ◆ Case 15 Daughter board connection

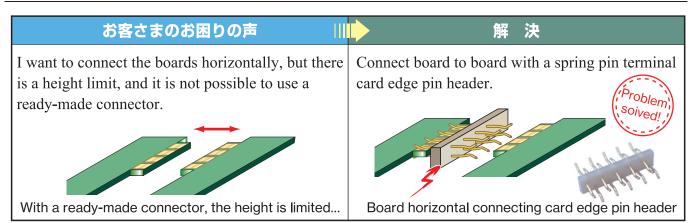


#### Case 16 We want gold plating only where necessary

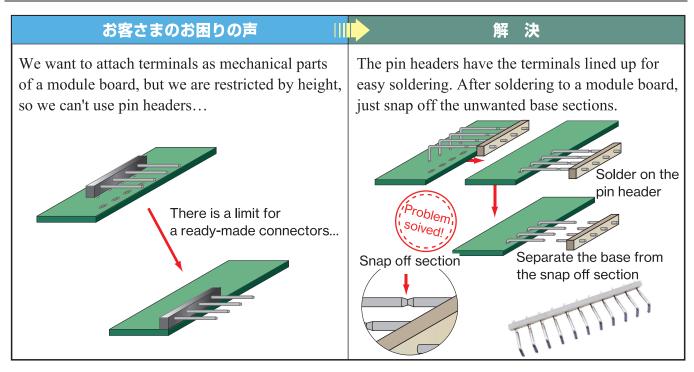


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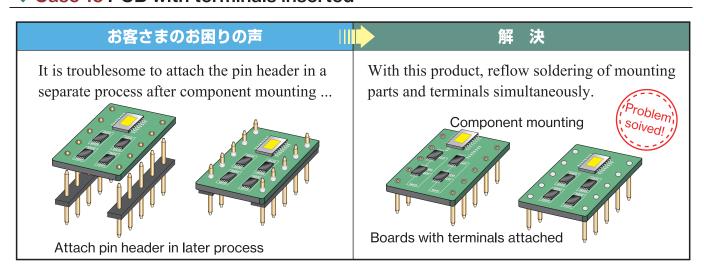
#### Case 17 Board horizontal connecting pin header



#### Case 18 Snap-off solder type pin header

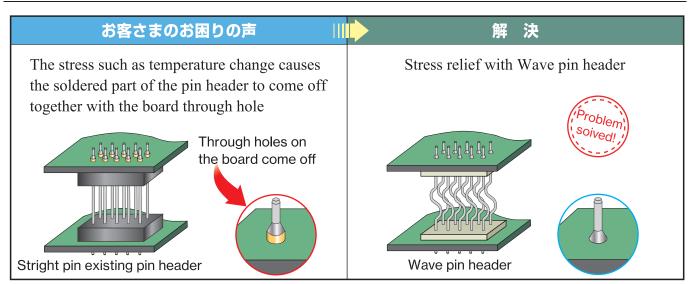


#### ◆ Case 19 PCB with terminals inserted

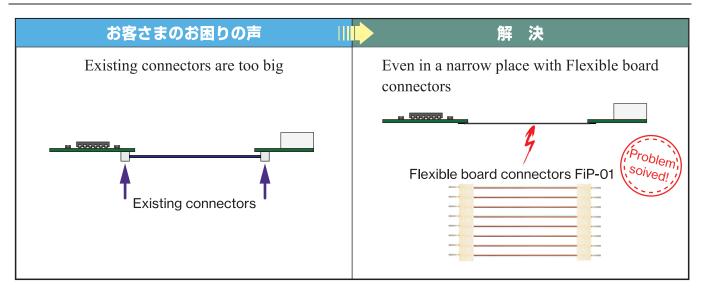


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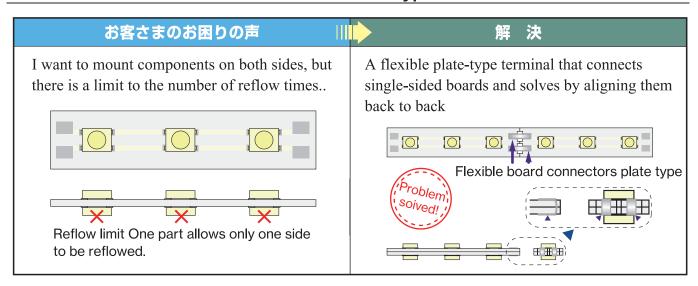
#### Case 20 Stress relief on solder parts



#### ◆ Case 21 Flexible board connectors



#### ◆ Case 22 Flexible board connectors Plate type



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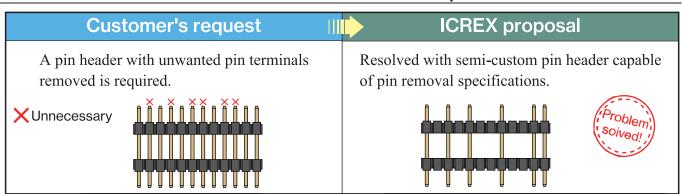
#### Case 23 Countermeasures against semi-custom pin header discontinuity

#### **ICREX** proposal **Customer's request** The off-the-shelf pin header is discontinuous Resolved with semi-custom pin headers that and there is no substitute. can specify dimensions. Designate A, B and C $\Box$

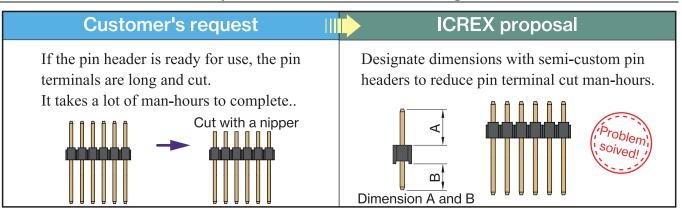
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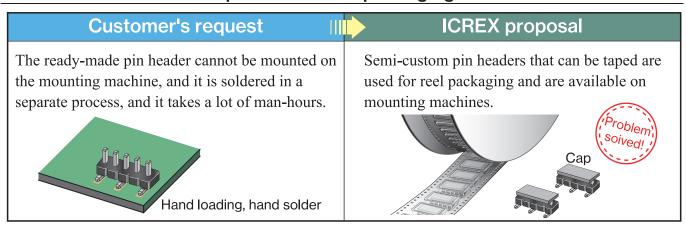
#### Case 24 Semi-custom Pin Header Remove Pin Specifications



#### Case 25 Semi-custom pin header dimension designation



#### Case 26 Semi-custom pin header reel packaging



dimensions to make them equivalent to ready-made

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