# SERIES 77 Shrink Boots



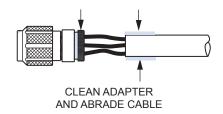
# Heat Shrink Boot with 'R' Pre-Coat Adhesive Epoxy Installation Guide

### INSTALLATION OF HEAT SHRINK BOOTS WITH 'R' PRE-COATED, HOT MELT EPOXY ADHESIVE

The following instructions apply to Type 1, 2 and 5 material heat shrink boots with 'R' epoxy. These boots are pre-coated at the factory.

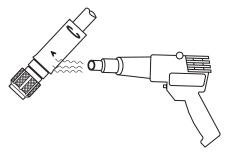
# **Surface Preparation**

- 1. No preparation of the heat shrink boot is required.
- 2. Degrease the adapter using isopropyl alcohol or IPA impregnated wipes.
- 2. Abrade the cable jacket thoroughly with 100 grit emery cloth in the region where the part will recover. Remove loose particles with a dry tissue.



#### **Installation**

- 1. Set heat gun temperature to 230-250° C (446°-482°F), measured at 25mm (1") from the nozzle exit.
- 2. Allow the heat gun 2 minutes to stabilize.
- 3. Recover boot in accordance with the general installation procedures, except as follows:
  - Do not apply hot air directly onto the adhesive lining of the boot as this may cause premature curing of the epoxy.
  - After the boot has been recovered remove any excess adhesive with a tissue.
  - Apply a post heat period of 2 minutes to both the "A" and "C" end to ensure full cure of the adhesive.



## **Post Installation and Inspection**

- 1. Allow the part two hours before the inspection stage; however, once the part has cooled the harness can be handled with care.
- 2. Joints should be inspected per the General Installation Guide.
- When inspecting boots with Type R epoxy pre-coat, it is acceptable
  to see a slight opening on the extreme edge of the cable to a
  maximum of 1mm (.040").

