



TURNKEY

INTERCONNECT ASSEMBLIES WIRED CABLE, CONDUIT, FIBER OPTICS AND FLEX

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ilitary, aerospace, and harsh-environment industrial interconnect applications require EWIS cabling of a caliber not generally found on consumer-grade applications such as desktop computers or automobiles. In fact, the typical interconnect cable assembly made for high performance applications - from fighter jets to dismounted soldier systems-has little in common with their more pedestrian cousins in the consumer product arena including better shielding from electromagnetic interference, higher levels of environmental sealing and superior all-around mechanical performance.

Glenair: Where Connector Manufacturing Meets Cable Harness Assembly

If there is one thing we understand well at Glenair, it's This special overview of Glenair's interconnect wire how to build interconnect assemblies for high-reliability harness, conduit, fiber optic and flex capabilities covers systems. In fact, when it comes to protecting both the interconnect environments, materials, and design electrical and optical media from mechanical stress, regimens that go into building high-reliability cable and conduit assemblies that meet even the most stringent corrosion damage, lightning strike, physical abuse, electrical, mechanical, and environmental performance nuclear, biological, or chemical contamination and requirements. The montage below illustrates the many more, there is no more experienced cable operation application environments where Glenair interconnect in the business than Glenair. In large part this is due cable assemblies have proven their value and to our extensive interconnect component design performance since 1956.



and manufacturing capabilities combined with our many years of experience in military grade and harsh environmental commercial cable harness fabrication.

SERIOUS **Interconnect Cable Capabilities** *Glenair*.

Environmental and Mechanical Stress Factors that Impact Cable Design

Application environment and user mechanics define the stress factors a cable or harness must endure. "Build to print" specifications typically spell out cable assembly sealing levels, mechanical durability, shielding levels as well as preferred materials and design. Glenair's cable/ harness engineering team can also suggest design ideas, material types and fabrication processes that we know from experience best meet application needs in each specific environment. Careful attention to caustic chemicals and fuel types, UV exposure and mechanical

abrasion can significantly improve cable durability. optics, these many unique requirements Shielding material choices that resist windowing can demonstrably impact harness improve electrical grounding throughout the life of design and construction the system. The judicious use of speciality fabrication including length, shielding processes, such as overmolding and the banding layers, and bend moment. termination of shields, result in robust cable strain relief Glenair is well known as the goand reduced stress on wire junctions. to supplier for assemblies of this type. Our complete control of component part **High-Speed Performance Requirements** manufacture also allows us to offer accelerated lead High-speed protocol specifications also dictate material times, improved quality control, and advantageous and design decisions for wires, cables, connectors, pricing on a complete range of assemblies incorporating shielding, and grounding. In specialty cable assemblies, advanced EMI/RFI filter, lightweight shielding and such as RF, gigabit Ethernet and high-bandwidth fiber impedance-control technologies. MIL-DTL-83513 _ Micro-D and Harsh-environment, field-MIL-DTL-32139 Nano F/A-18 hybrid multibranch deployable MIL-DTL-83526 type Certified laboratory and space- missile telemetry cable GFOCA spooled cable assemblies radar pantograph grade ECSS-E-ST-50-12C assemblies interconnect cable assembly SpaceWire data transmission cable assemblies Pure air interconnect assembly for infrared **Complex multibranch** detectors and other cryogenic coolin



annlications



Terminated, tested, and ready for use, Glenair complex cable assemblies may be supplied with MIL-M-24041 overmolding materials such as Viton[®], Duralectric[™], polyurethane, EPDM, Santoprene[™], polyamide and more. Rugged overbraided assemblies for superior mechanical protection and flexibility are also a specialty. Fast turnaround and quality fabrication in complex cable assemblies depends on capital investment in tooling, injection molding equipment, planetary wire stranders, braiding machines and more.

Advantages of Overmolding

- Waterproof sealing
- Robust mechanical protection
- Permanent protection of terminations
- Resistance to chemicals and fuels
- No induced cold flow stress
- Electrical isolation and insulation
- Reduced damage from wear
- Flexible routing/cable entry
- Repeatable assembly performance

Color-coded overmolded power and signal cable assembly

> Overmolded TurboFlex[™] power and signal tank pylon assembly







Lightweight microfilament (ArmorLite™) EMI/RFI shielded assembly for a non-environmental aerospace application

Hybrid fabric overbraided assembly with overmolded bracket mounts and wire-to-connector junctions



Glenair. FIBER OPTIC



Glenair manufactures every mission-critical fiber optic interconnect system including MIL-DTL-38999 type, MIL-DTL-64266 NGCON, MIL-PRF-28876,

ARINC 801, and more. Our turnkey fiber optic cable assembly team can integrate each fiber optic connection system with appropriate, termini, backshell accessories, and in-house produced cables into finished assemblies-terminated, tested, and ready for immediate use. Examples shown below range from inside-the-box pigtail assemblies to harsh environmental fiber optic cables, junction boxes, and integrated assemblies.





Demo assembly illustrating MT fiber optic board terminations





fiber optic cable assembly, MIL-DTL-38999 type with 29504/8 /9 QPL termini



Harsh environment overmolded MIL-DTL-38999 Series III type composite



Cable reels and field-deployment technologies for both Glenair GFOCA and Eye-Beam® GMA fiber optic systems



Inside-the-box MIL-DTL-38999 type I/O connector to board









Point-to-point fiber optic cable with integrated strain relief

High-speed video fiber optic switch and cable iunction box assembly

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Glenair offers turnkey fiber optic maintenance kits and on-site fiber optic technician certification training



Glenair. GROUND SOLDIER



Glenair STAR-PAN[™] USB hub and power distribution interconnect systems are optimized with embedded power conditioning and charging electronics which allow the hub to utilize both primary battery power as well as scavenged power from direct current sources.

Dedicated adapters and cabling for all charging functions as well as interconnect cabling for the broad range of soldier peripherals, radios, and computer EUDs are also supplied. Glenair STAR-PAN[™] system cables utilize field-proven Mighty Mouse Series 804 connectors, and are optimized for durability, flexibility, and environmental sealing.

General-Purpose STAR-PAN[™] System Cables



NETT Warrior (C1) Extension Cable 808-047

Host USB-A Cable 808-079

STAR-PAN[™] Peripheral Device Cables





Radio Adapter Cable 808-080

TacROVER-e Cable 808-043



DAGR GPS/Navigation Cable 808-040

TacROVER-p ISR Receiver Cable 808-045

PLRF-15C/25C Laser Range Finder Cable 808-049

C4 Micro USB EUD Host Cable 808-046

USB 2.0 Adapter Cable 808-053

STAR-PAN[™] Radio Data / Power Cables and Adapters





Microlight Radio Data PRC-117G Radio Data Cable 808-044

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Harris Radio Adapter Cable 808-035 Cable 808-088

PRC-148 Radio Data Adapter 808-039



PRC-152A Radio Data PRC-154 Rifleman Radio Data Adapter 808-051

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Glenair. WIRED CONDUIT



Rugged, lightweight, flexible solutions

All of the metal-core conduit and polymer-core convoluted tubing systems we fabricate at Glenair may be wired and assembled at our factory with tamper-proof crimp ring or solder terminations according to customer

requirements. Reduced size and weight factory terminated conduit assemblies-from simple point-topoint to elaborate multibranch configurations-offer the utmost in environmental ruggedness, reliability and durability. Certified factory assemblers and calibrated tooling guarantee reliable long-term performance.

Glenair's expertise in wired conduit systems extends from simple point-to-point jumpers to complex multibranch assemblies as well as turnkey integrated systems and LRUs with flexible conduit interconnect cabling.

Ultra-flexible polymer-core fiber optic conduit assembly

Lightweight multibranch wire protection conduit / box assembly with high-temperature polymer-core convoluted tubing

Complex multibranch fighter jet electrical wire conduit assembly

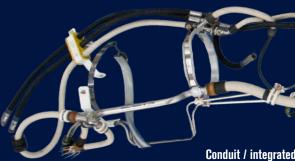
> Lightweight, halogen-free rail industry wire conduit

assembly

Crush-resistant commercial aerospace metal-core conduit assembly



Turnkey integrated box assembly and wired polymer-core interconnect system with NAVSEA-gualified Navy junction boxes



Splash zone, above-deck shipboard conduit assembly with Marine Bronze Geo-Marine connectors

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Multibranch demo assembly: left: stainless steel metal-core overbraided; middle: polymercore abrasion protection; and right: high-temperature, halogen-free PEEK

Conduit / integrated junction box aerospace assembly

High-performance electric vehicle power-train conduit assembly



Lightweight composite junction box and polymer core conduit wire protection assembly



Rectangular connectors deliver optimized interconnection of circuits with higher-density and less wasted space compared to circulars. Efficient use of space goes handin-hand with contact density to enable rectangular shaped connectors to better fit into reduced size and weight applications. Because of their overall shorter length, lower shell profile and the fact that rectangulars do not need as much adjacent space for manual mating and de-mating, they are typically the connector of choice for low profile devices such as backplane and blade-type applications.

Glenair manufactures the complete range of rectangular connectors and connectorized interconnect assemblies from Nano and Microminiature to larger form-factor M24308 D-Subs and filtered ARINC 400 / 600.



- Circular/rectangular assembly with custom breakout iunctions and low-profile broom stitch cabling
- Micro-D assembly with machined chassis and custom connector packaging



Open-loom Micro-D wire harness for an industrial robotic application



Hybrid Nano circular, D-Sub, and RF overmolded cable assembly



High-speed / RF cable assembly with overmolded Series 79 I/O connector and Mighty Mouse quick-disconnect cable connector



Back-to-back shielded Micro-D assembly

HiPer-D, Micro-D, Nanominiature, and Series 79 Interconnect Assemblies: Factory-Terminated and Ready for Immediate Use

> Multibranch Micro-D / Mighty Mouse cable assembly with ArmorLite™ lightweight EMI shield overbraiding



Repairable backshell-equipped Micro-D open loom cable assembly with MIL-DTL-28840 circulars for a **US Navy application**





High pressure, up to 10K psi open-face deep water connectors, complex cables, and PBOF assemblies

All connectors and assemblies fully tested and qualified in-house in Glenair's state-of-the-art hydrostatic test lab.



Glenair's hydrostatic test lab control room: modular consoles provide for up to 8 pressure circuits, operating in manual or automated mode. Each circuit is capable of a maximum of 16.5K psi.



SuperG55 series cables undergoing qualification testing



Glenair's hydrostatic test lab accommodates pressure testing of discrete connectors as well as large multibranch assemblies

> SeaKing[™] PBOF hose attachment accessories feature adjustable hose routing/angle adjustment and 340° hose swivel action



SeaKing

SeaKing is an innovative new connector series that eliminates a broad range of mechanical design weaknesses found in many of today's high-pressure subsea connector families. From its double O-ring seals and retractable engaging nut, to its multi-keyed mating interface, the SeaKing represents a bold new approach to subsea power and signal connectivity.



Transparent overmold test sample shows Glenair's harsh-environment, high-pressure cable overmolding and termination expertise (no voids, 360° material adhesion and cosmetic perfection)

> Special high-speed application 10K psi overmolded 75 Ohm Coax hybrid assemblies

Series 70 SeaKing™

10K PSI / 700 Bar / 7000m open-face or mated, dual O-ring equipped, high-density, high-voltage, fiber optic and hybrid electrical/optical subsea connectors.



Geo-Marine®

Geo-Marine® plugs are equipped with arctic coupling nuts-made from marine-grade naval bronze-with easy-to-grip castellated knurling and a powerful ratcheted anti-decoupling mechanism which guarantees reliable mating and demating performance in even the harshest environments. Supplied as discrete connectors-or more typically in build-to-print overmolded cable assemblies-the Series 22 Geo-Marine® has delivered reliable, proven performance in high-pressure subsea applications.



High pressure environmental and

DOWN HOLE

Series 22 Geo-Marine®



Geo-Marine catalog cordset hermetically sealed cable Marine-grade naval bronze for a field geophysical interconnects in a ultra harshenvironment subsea cable assembly SuperG55 right-angle overmolded high-pressure 10K psi sealed cable connector plug (CCP) SuperG55™ The SuperG55[™] family of drymate deep sea-high pressure connectors is a revolutionary new design of the popular industry-standard used in SuperG55 PBOF hose countless ROV. underwater attachment accessories feature adjustable hose routing/ angle adjustment and 340° hose swivel action SuperG55 Factory-terminated

camera, diver communications, lights, pan and tilts, and other subsea applications. Available in multiple shell sizes, the SuperG55[™] is manufactured from 316L Stainless Steel with insert molded contact assemblies designed for pressuresealed applications up to 10K psi mated and unmated. Intermateable and intermountable with other "55" series connectors, the Glenair solution introduces a long list of product innovations designed to improve performance overmolded high-pressure 10K psi and durability. sealed cable connector plug (CCP)







Printed Circuit Board and Flex Circuit interconnect Assemblies

Electrical wire interconnect designers are increasingly turning to small form-factor

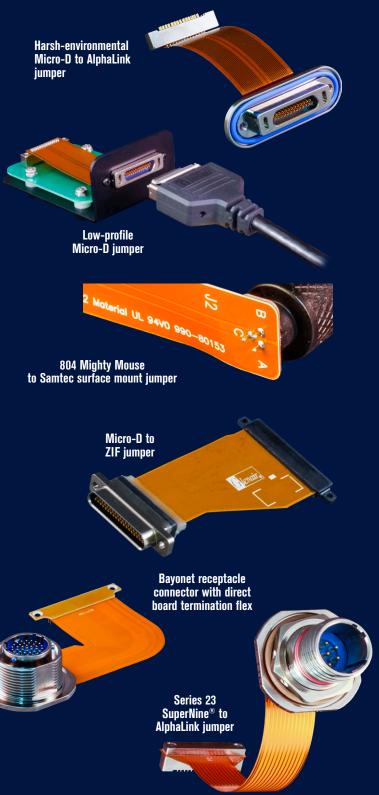
flex circuitry to replace board-to-I/O wiring. Glenair offers turnkey PCB/Flex interconnect design and assembly. PCB/flex circuits offer unsurpassed size and weight reduction compared to cable bundles, especially in tight spaces with multi-branch routing. Flex circuitry offers outstanding mechanical performance, being able to withstand extreme vibration environments and capable of extended duty even through thousands of flexing cycles. Replacing complicated wire bundle assemblies with high-density flex assures faster, error-free assembly.

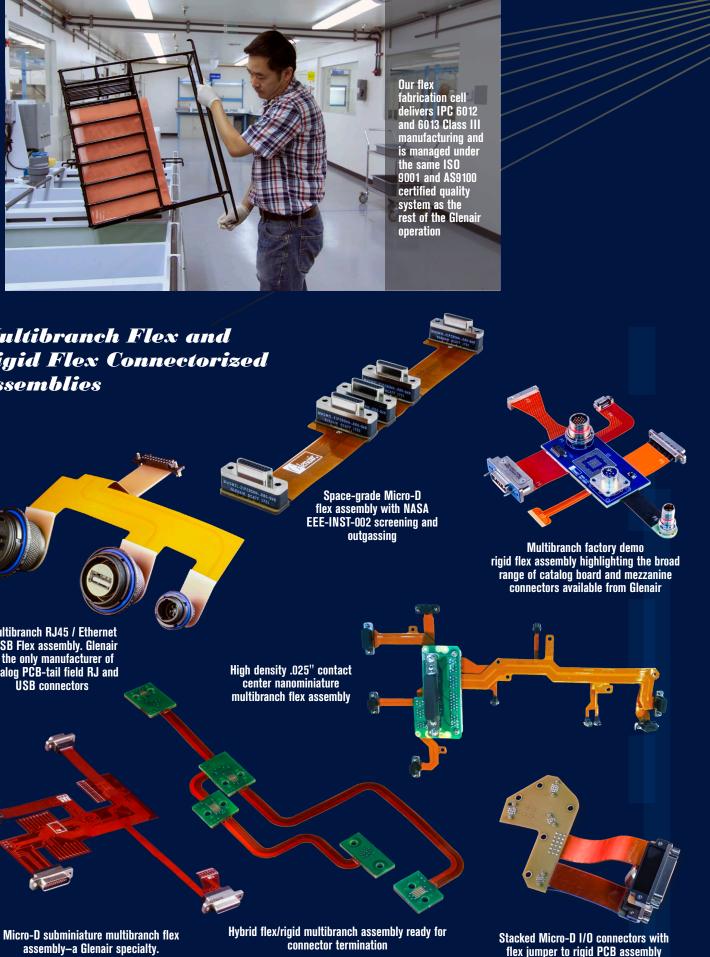
From concept drawings and fabrication data packages, to PCB/flex fabrication and assembly, we offer a complete solution. Termination to Glenairmanufactured printed circuit board connectors ensures high guality and technical performance to even the most challenging delivery requirements.

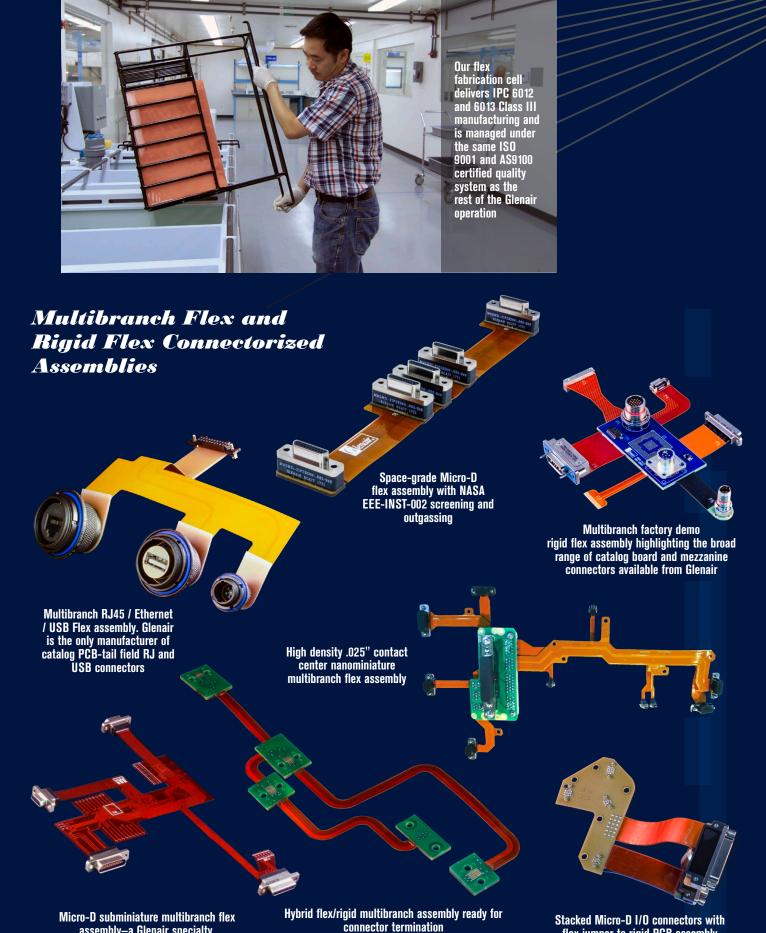
The ability to deliver connectorized flex and rigid flex assemblies is an important enabling technology contributing to our overall embedded subsystem electronics offering. We offer IPC Class III manufacturing for multiple panel sizes and panel thicknesses up to .5 inch. A broad variety of materials are available including Polyimide, FR-4, Rogers 4003, and Isola. Available surface finishes include ENIG, HASL, Ni/Au and more. Our PCB/ Flex Interconnect team offers:

- Circuit design and generation of PCB/Flex fabrication data packages
- Full component-level documentation
- Assembly drawings and BOM management
- 200+ certified PCB and cable assemblers
- IPC-6012 Class I, II, III, types 1-4; ISO 9001, AS9100
- ESD management
- NADCAP certification for special processes
- Tests such as DWV/IR, continuity, and others.
- Overmolding with multiple materials, including Hysol for PCB terminations

Point-to-Point Connectorized Flex and Rigid Flex Jumpers







assembly-a Glenair specialty.

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Turnkey, precision-machined structural components / enclosures *plus* Glenair-built interconnect cabling

Glenair, together with our precision machining partner Dynomax, is able to offer our defense and aerospace customers fast, turnkey build-to-print integrated system solutions. From landing gear assemblies to in-flight entertainment platforms, Glenair is uniquely positioned to leverage our component manufacturing, interconnect cable assembly and structural member fabrication capabilities to meet the broadest range of integrated system requirements. Our US-based factories in Glendale, California and Chicago, Illinois are FAA, Mil and ISO certified, and ready to tackle any integrated system requirement for today's high-performance military and aerospace applications. Best of all, our design and manufacturing team is ready to provide start-to-finish engineering and assembly support on every project.



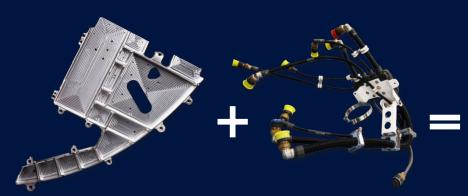
Complex integrated Micro-D assembly with machined chassis

and custom connectors

Integrated cockpit chassis and interconnect harnessing

Fully connectorized and wired power console

Glenair integrated systems value proposition



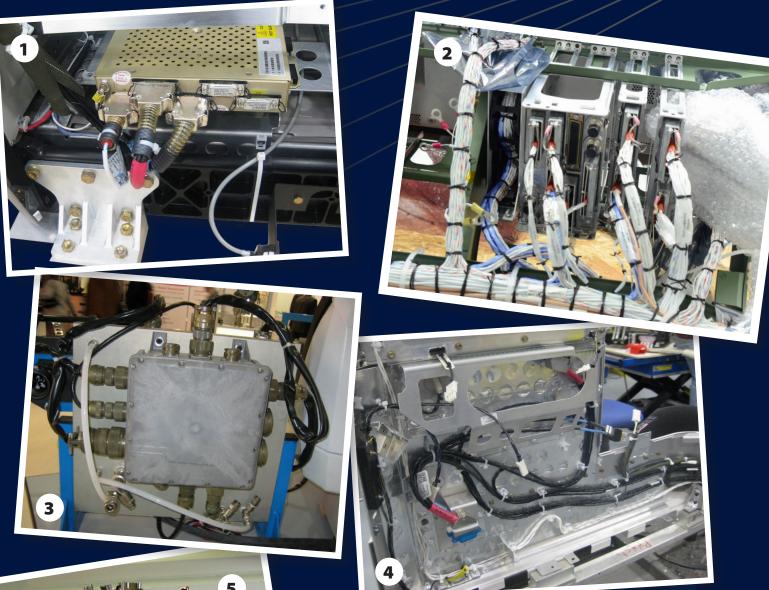
Precision-machined, injection molded or stamped-and-formed boxes and structural members

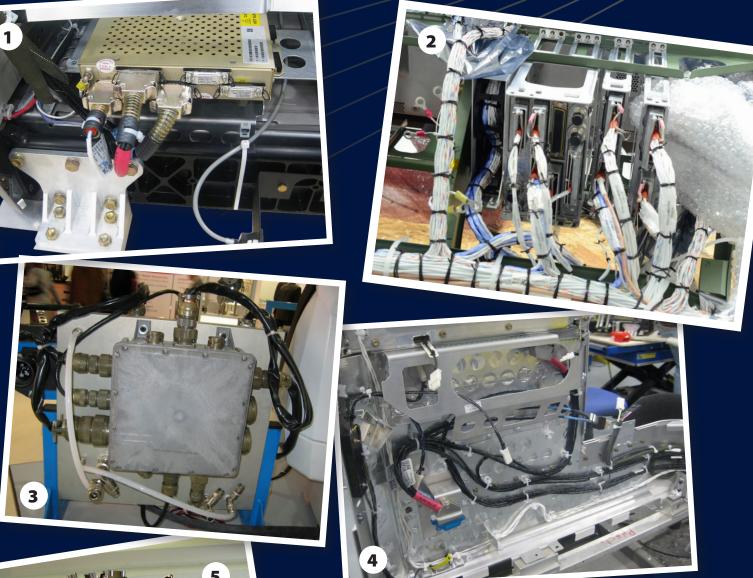
Multibranch interconnect cable harnesses and assemblies-terminated, tested, and ready for use

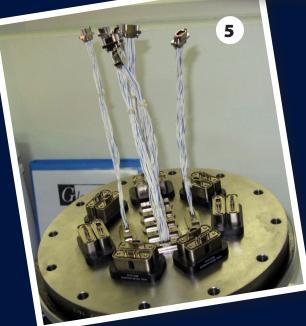
Turnkey integrated system components: Vertically integrated manufacturing, from backplanes to avionic control panels

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Turnkey complex cable assemblies • junction boxes avionic control panels • connectorized backplanes







Integrated Systems: all interconnect components, boxes and machined chassis manufactured by Glenair. All cabling and final integration completed by Glenair. Glenair engineering provides extensive design support throughout.

Figure 1: Integrated in-flight entertainment console and cabling Figure 2: Wired unmanned vehicle control module

Figure 3: Rail industry corrosion-resistant junction box assembly

Figure 4: Business-class seat chassis with integrated cabling

Figure 5: Stainless steel vacuum plate with machineintegrated Micro-D connectors and jumpers





Glenair's Complex Cable Group (CCG) has delivered creative engineering, high-quality workmanship, fast response, and on-time delivery to countless mission-critical interconnect customers for over 60 years. The operation-from cable design through fabrication, test, and delivery-is fully integrated into Glenair's Glendale campus, ISO 9001 and AS9100 guality system, and high availability business model.



Multibranch assembly with lightweight ArmorLite™ microfilament **EMI/RFI** overbraid

Commander Ed White's "Golden Umbilical," with space-grade radiation shielding

Continuity testing standard on all cable circuits

Reliable Band-Master ATS® EMI/RFI shield termination technology used extensively throughout the shop

 CCG manufacturing engineering team designs and builds custom jigs and fixtures

▲ ArmorLite microfilament overbraided EMI/RFI

assembly

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- This complex cable assembly is a unique combination of electrical wiring, hydraulic coolant hoses, and pressurized air lines integrated within a pair of articulated aluminum frames. The entire system, including coolant hoses, is assembled and tested according to customer specifications.
 - Creative and practical: layout boards ensure final fit and function

Skilled technicians produce madeto-measure multi-branch assemblies to exact dimensional tolerances

Complete coverage of cable interstices in overbraided assemblies



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