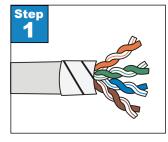


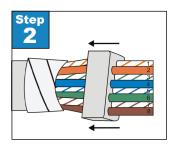
How to Assemble a Category 6 Shielded RJ45 Plug



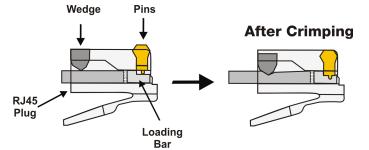
**Step 1.** Carefully strip the outer sheath insulation back 1". Roll back the foil shield insulation and wrap the drain wire around the foil. Do not remove any insulation from the conductors.

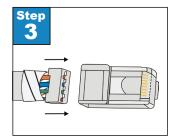
## **Materials Required**

- CAT6 Cable
- CAT6 Plug
- CAT6 Stripper
- Cutters
- RJ45 Crimp Tool
- CAT6 Cable Tester



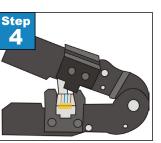
**Step 2.** Untwist the pairs to within 1/8" of the jacket. Arrange the wires according to TIA/ EIA 568A & 568B standards. Flatten and align the wires. Make one straight cut across all the conductors, removing approximately ½". Insert wires into loading bar. Trim excess wires.





**Step 3.** Insert prepared cable into plug. The cable jacket with shield must extend into the connector about 1/4" for strain relief and shield connection.





**Step 4.** Insert the plug into a crimp tool. Firmly squeeze the handles to set the contacts and secure the cable.

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**Step 5.** Test the cable using a cable tester to check for shorts, opens or miswires.