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USB Socket Solutions

# Volex Wiring Accessories

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The Universal Serial Bus (USB) Type C 24 pin connector design was finalised in 2014, the connector itself gave both physical and functional improvements to its predeceasing Type A connector, which included a smaller reversable connection.

The speed and power attributed to a device with Type A or C is directly linked in parallel to the USB standards. These standards have been evolving for many years, but the new Type C connection allows the evolution of the traditional Type A.

The latest most common iterations of these USB standards vary from versions 3.0, 3.1, 3.2 and 4.0. Each gives an improved power and data transfer to its predecessor. So for example a USB Type C conforming to the 3.1 standard could transfer data speeds up to 10 Gbit/s, but conforming to the 4.0 standard it could increase to 40 Gbit/s.

In addition to these standards the power availability is influenced by several power delivery protocols that it may be compatible with. As an example with the 13A socket outlet, most Type A only products on the market were predominately a 5 Volt output up to 2.4Amps. The new Volex USB A & C Socket outlet however is compatible with Power Delivery (PD), Programmable Power Supply (PPS) and Quick Charge (QC) battery charging protocols. This allows the product to output voltages up to 20 Volts with its 30 Watt version and 12 Volts with the 20 Watt version. The voltages of the sockets are variable and will adjust with the power requirements of your device from 5, 9, 12 and 20 Volts, up to 3 Amps. So not only will devices such as tablets and phones charger quicker (assuming devices are compatible with these protocols), but will also be powerful enough to charge much more power hungry devices such as Laptops.

In 2022, the European Parliament passed a law that in 2024 all phones and small devices must be compatible with a universal charger, this method will be USB Type C. In 2026 this must also apply to laptops. With a large number of devices only supplied with a cable and no charging plug, the demand for Type C charging will only increase. The Volex Accessories solution caters for both now and future changes by its high charging capabilities and by having both Type A and Type C outlets on the socket outlets, understanding there is still a large demand for Type A charging.

### WHITE MOULDED USB SOCKET OUTLETS



VX1500USBC



VX1500USB/D



D1500USBCNR



D1500USBNR

#### 1000 SERIES TYPE A & C USB SOCKET OUTLET

#### Description

VX1500USBC 13A 2 Gang SP Switched Socket & 20 Watt 1xTypeA and 1 x Type C Dual USB

5V to 12V, 3 Amp Max Output, PD/PPS/QC Charing Protocols

Minimum back box depth 25mm, however some installations may require 35mm depending on cable arrangement and back box position

#### 1000 SERIES TYPE A USB SOCKET OUTLET

#### Description

VX1500USB/D 13A 2 Gang DP Switched Socket & 2 x Type A Dual USB

5V, 2.1 Amp Max Output

Minimum back box depth 35mm

#### **CASA TYPE A & C USB SOCKET OUTLET**

#### Description

**D1500USBCNR** 13A 2 Gang SP Switched Socket & 20 Watt 1xTypeA and 1 x Type C Dual USB

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#### **TYPE A & C SOCKET OUTLETS 20 WATTS**



	20 Watts
Voltage (Input)	250 AC 50Hz
Rating	13A
Socket Type	Type G
Switching Type	Single Pole
Product Standard	BS 1363-2
USB Output	Variable 5V to 12V DC
	20 Watts Maximum
	3 Amps Maximum from 1 outlet
	Maximum at 12V is 1.67A
Power shared across both outlets	Yes
Charging Protocol	Power Delivery (PD), Programmable Power Supply (PPS), Quick Charge (QC)
Product Marking	CE,UKCA, G-Mark
Ambient Temprature	-5 to 40°C
Recommended Torque setting	1.2Nm
Terminal Capacity L & N	3 x 2.5mm², 2 x 4mm²
Terminal Capacity E	3 x 2.5mm², 2 x 4mm²
Ingress Protection (IP) Rating	IP20
Light Reflectance Value (LRV)	73
Minimum Back Box	25mm*

 $<sup>^{\</sup>star}$  Minimum back box depth 25mm, however some installations may require 35mm depending on cable arrangement and back box position

#### **TYPE A SOCKET OUTLETS**



	20 Watts
Voltage (Input)	250 AC 50Hz
Rating	13A
Socket Type	Type G
Switching Type	Double Pole
Product Standard	BS 1363-2
USB Output	5V DC
	20 Watts Maximum
	2.1 Amps Maximum
Power shared across both outlets	Yes
Product Marking	CE,UKCA, G-Mark
Ambient Temprature	-5 to 40°C
Recommended Torque setting	1.2Nm
Terminal Capacity L & N	3 x 2.5mm², 2 x 4mm²
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