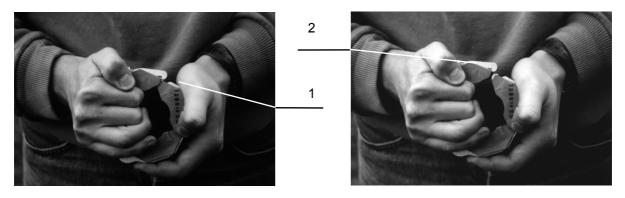
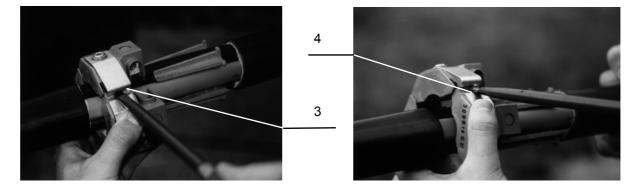


HOW TO OPEN A RING CONNECTOR AFTER ACCIDENTAL CLOSING

Generally ring connectors are supplied opened. In case a ring connector is closed accidentally or is positioned on the mains cable in the wrong direction, there are two means to re-open the ring.



1. Hold the lower ring half (1) at the snap lock with one hand and strongly press on this ring half. At the same time pull on the upper ring half (2) with the other hand. When the snap-lock has opened up sufficiently the ring connector can be opened completely. This method is recommended for ring connectors that were <u>not</u> locked on the mains cable.



2. Insert a screw driver into the gap between the halves of the snap lock and carefully lever the lock open (3). At the same time press the lower ring half with the other hand (4) in order to open the gap between the ring halves further and this way facilitate opening the ring connector.

This method is recommended for ring connectors that were closed over the mains cable. Also is it applicable if hand force for method 1 is insufficient.

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