

Structure and Features

The Rod End is a self-aligning plain bearing that uses a spherical inner ring which has the same level of accuracy and hardness as bearing steel balls and in which only the spherical area is hard chrome plated. With the combination of a spherical inner ring whose sliding surface is mirror-finished and a rationally designed holder, the Rod End ensures play-free, extremely smooth rotary and rocking motion.

Types and Features

Model PHS (Provided with a Female Thread)



With model PHS, a special copper alloy with high conformability is inserted between the color chromate finished steel holder and the spherical inner ring in which only the spherical area is hard chrome plated. This structure ensures high rigidity, high wear resistance and high corrosion resistance.

The grease nipple on the holder allows grease to be applied to the sliding surface as necessary.

Model RBH (Die Cast, Low-price Type)



This model is a high-accuracy, low-cost rod end in which the spherical inner ring serves as the core and the holder is formed by die-casting. The holder is made of a high-strength zinc alloy (see page s-5), which is superb in mechanical properties and bearing characteristics.

Model NHS-T (Lubrication-free Type)



This lubrication-free rod end uses self-lubricating synthetic resin formed between the steel holder and the spherical inner ring. Since the clearance on the sliding surface is minimized, an accurate link motion is achieved.

Model HS (Lubrication-free, Corrosion-resistant Type)



This lubrication-free rod end uses a special fluorocarbon sheet adhering to the holder's spherical area. It is more resistant to corrosion than a stainless steel type. Since the holder is made of an aluminum alloy, this model is extremely light.

Model POS (Male-thread Type)



This model is a highly rigid rod end that is basically the same as the female-screw type model PHS, but has a male thread on the holder end.

Model NOS-T (Lubrication-free, Male-thread Type)



This model is a lubrication-free rod end that is basically the same as the female-screw type model NHS-T, but has a male thread on the holder end.

Model PB (Standard Type)



With model PB, a special copper alloy with high conformability is inserted between the steel outer ring and the spherical inner ring in which only the spherical area is hard chrome plated. This structure makes this model a high rigid spherical bearing with high corrosion resistance and high wear resistance. The oil groove and the greasing hole on the outer ring allow grease to be applied to the sliding surface as necessary.

Model PBA (Die Cast Type)



This model is a high-accuracy, low-cost spherical bearing in which the spherical inner ring serves as the core and the outer ring is formed by die-casting. The outer ring is made of a high-strength zinc alloy (see page s-5), which is superb in bearing characteristics.

Model NB-T (Lubrication-free Type)



This lubrication-free bearing uses self-lubricating synthetic resin formed between the steel outer ring and the spherical inner ring.

Model HB (Lubrication-free Type)



This lubrication-free spherical bearing uses a special fluorine sheet adhering to the outer ring's spherical area.

High-strength Zinc Alloy

The high-strength zinc alloy, developed as an alloy for bearings, is composed of Al, Cu, Mg, Be and Ti as well as zinc as the base. It is excellent in mechanical properties, seizure resistance and wear resistance.

Composition

Table 1 Composition of the High-strength Zinc Alloy
Unit: %

| | |
|----|-------------------|
| Al | 3 to 4 |
| Cu | 3 to 4 |
| Mg | 0.03 to 0.06 |
| Be | 0.02 to 0.06 |
| Ti | 0.04 to 0.12 |
| Zn | Remaining portion |

Mechanical Properties

| | |
|------------------------------------|--|
| Tensile strength: | 275 to 314 N/mm ² |
| Tensile yield strength (0.2%): | 216 to 245 N/mm ² |
| Compressive strength: | 539 to 686 N/mm ² |
| Compressive yield strength (0.2%): | 294 to 343 N/mm ² |
| Fatigue strength | 132 N/mm ² ×10 ⁷ (Schenk bending test) |
| Charpy impact strength: | 0.098 to 0.49 N-m/mm ² |
| Elongation: | 1 to 5 % |
| Hardness: | 120 to 145 HV |

Physical Properties

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|-------------------------|---------------------|
| Specific gravity: | 6.8 |
| Melting point: | 390 °C |
| Specific heat: | 460 J/(kg·K) |
| Linear expansion ratio: | 24×10 ⁻⁶ |

Wear Resistance

The wear resistance of the high-strength zinc alloy is superior to that of class-3 brass and class-3 phosphor bronze, almost equal to that of class-2 phosphor bronze.

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| Amsler wear-tester: | |
| Test piece rotation speed: | 185 min ⁻¹ |
| Load: | 392 N |
| Lubricant: | Dynamo oil |

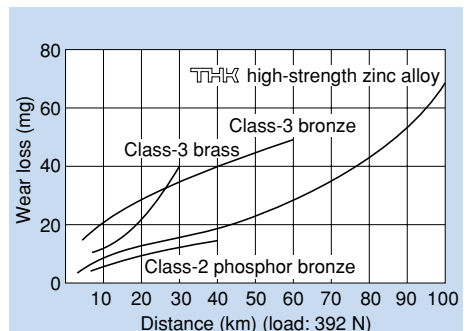


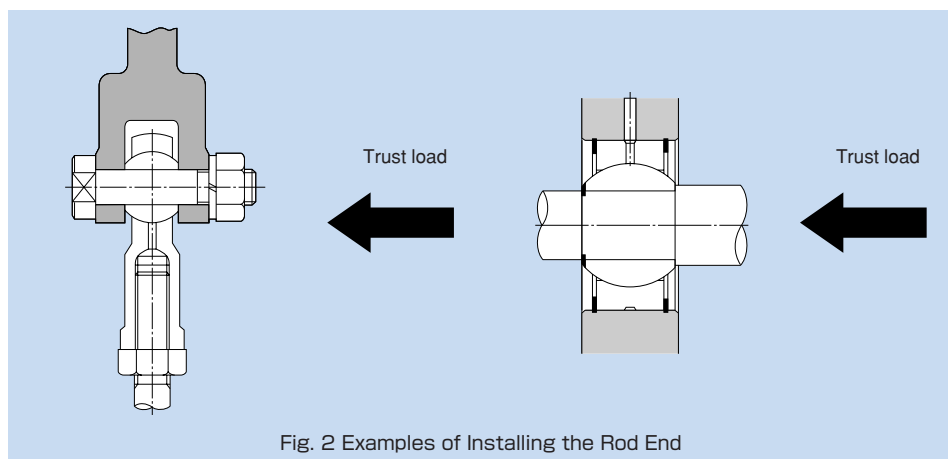
Fig. 1 Wear Resistance of the High-strength Zinc Alloy

Service Temperature

If any of models RBH, PBA, HS and HB, all of which use the high-strength zinc alloy and an aluminum alloy in the holder and the outer ring, and of models NHS-T, NOS-T and NB-T, which use synthetic-resin bushes, is to be used at temperature of 80°C or higher, or receives an impact at low temperature, contact **THK**.

Installation

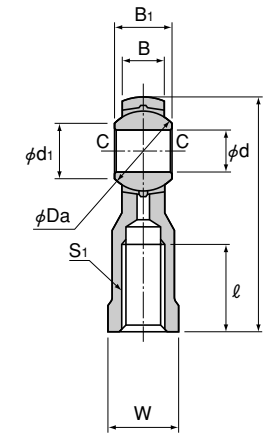
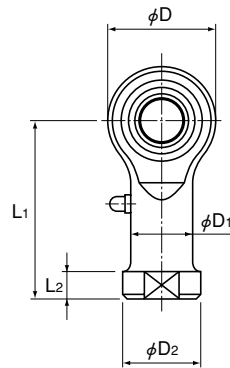
Please note that the Rod End is not capable of receiving a thrust load indicated in Fig. 2.



Model PHS

Female-thread Type

s. Rod End



Unit: mm

| Model No. | Outer dimensions | | | Thread S ₁ JIS Class 2 | Holder dimensions | | | | | | | Grease nipple | Spherical inner ring dimensions | | | | Permissible tilt angle | | | Static applied load Radial C _S N | Mass g |
|-----------|------------------|---------------|--------------------------------------|---|-------------------|----------------|----------------|-----------|----------------|----------------|----|---------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------------|----------------|-----|------------------------|------------------|------------------|---|-----------|
| | Length L | Diameter D | Width B ₁ 0 -0.1 | | W 0 -0.2 | D ₁ | D ₂ | B ±0.1 | L ₁ | L ₂ | ℓ | | d H7 | Ball diameter Da mm (inch) | d ₁ | C | α ₁ ° | α ₂ ° | α ₃ ° | | |
| PHS 5 | 35 | 16 | 8 | M5X0.8 | 9 | 9 | 11 | 6 | 27 | 4 | 14 | PB107 | 5 | 11.112 (7/16) | 7.7 | 0.3 | 8 | 13 | 30 | 5590 | 16.5 |
| PHS 6 | 39 | 18 | 9 | M6X1 | 11 | 10 | 13 | 6.75 | 30 | 5 | 14 | | 6 | 12.7 (1/2) | 9 | 0.3 | 8 | 13 | 30 | 6860 | 25 |
| PHS 8 | 47 | 22 | 12 | M8X1.25 | 14 | 12.5 | 16 | 9 | 36 | 5 | 17 | | 8 | 15.875 (5/8) | 10.4 | 0.5 | 8 | 14 | 25 | 9800 | 43 |
| PHS 10 | 56 | 26 | 14 | M10X1.5 | 17 | 15 | 19 | 10.5 | 43 | 6.5 | 21 | | 10 | 19.05 (3/4) | 12.9 | 0.5 | 8 | 14 | 25 | 13200 | 72 |
| PHS 12 | 65 | 30 | 16 | M12X1.75 | 19 | 17.5 | 22 | 12 | 50 | 6.5 | 24 | | 12 | 22.225 (7/8) | 15.4 | 0.5 | 8 | 13 | 25 | 16700 | 107 |
| PHS 14 | 74 | 34 | 19 | M14X2 | 22 | 20 | 25 | 13.5 | 57 | 8 | 27 | | 14 | 25.4 (1) | 16.9 | 0.7 | 10 | 16 | 24 | 20600 | 160 |
| PHS 16 | 83 | 38 | 21 | M16X2 | 22 | 22 | 27 | 15 | 64 | 8 | 33 | | 16 | 28.575 (1 1/8) | 19.4 | 0.7 | 9 | 15 | 24 | 25000 | 210 |
| PHS 18 | 92 | 42 | 23 | M18X1.5 | 27 | 25 | 31 | 16.5 | 71 | 10 | 36 | | 18 | 31.75 (1 1/4) | 21.9 | 0.7 | 9 | 15 | 24 | 29400 | 295 |
| PHS 20 | 100 | 46 | 25 | M20X1.5 | 30 | 27.5 | 34 | 18 | 77 | 10 | 40 | | 20 | 34.925 (1 3/8) | 24.4 | 0.7 | 9 | 15 | 24 | 34300 | 380 |
| PHS 22 | 109 | 50 | 28 | M22X1.5 | 32 | 30 | 37 | 20 | 84 | 12 | 43 | A-M6F | 22 | 38.1 (1 1/2) | 25.8 | 0.7 | 10 | 15 | 23 | 41200 | 490 |
| PHS 25 | 124 | 60 | 31 | M24X2 | 36 | 33.5 | 42 | 22 | 94 | 12 | 48 | | 25 | 42.862 (1 11/16) | 29.6 | 0.8 | 9 | 15 | 23 | 72500 | 750 |
| PHS 30 | 145 | 70 | 37 | M30X2 | 41 | 40 | 50 | 25 | 110 | 15 | 56 | | 30 | 50.8 (2) | 34.8 | 0.8 | 10 | 17 | 23 | 92200 | 1130 |

Material

Holder: S35C (color chromate finish)
Spherical inner ring: SUJ2, 58 HRC or higher (hard chrome plated)
Bush: Special copper alloy

Fitting with the Shaft

| Service conditions | Dimensional tolerance of the shaft |
|--------------------|------------------------------------|
| Normal load | h7 |
| Indeterminate load | p6 |

Clearance

Unit: mm

| | |
|------------------|---------------|
| Radial clearance | 0.035 or less |
| Axial clearance | 0.1 or less |

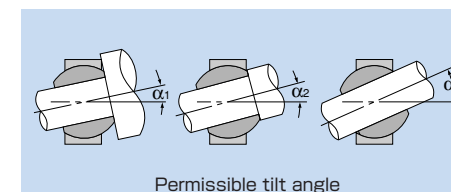
Lubrication

The holder has a greasing hole and an oil groove; they allow grease to be replenished through the grease nipple as necessary.

Identification of Left-hand Thread

If the female thread is left-hand, symbol "L" is added.

The actual product is marked with symbol "L" on the holder.



Permissible tilt angle

Model number coding

PHS10 L

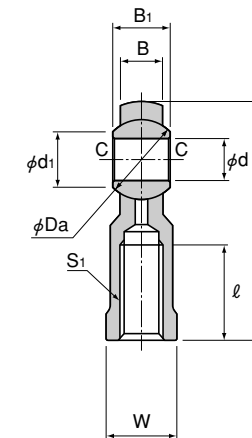
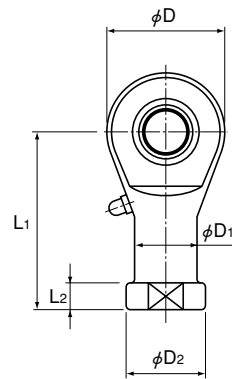
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1 Model number 2 Left-hand thread

Model RBH

Die Cast, Low-price Type

s. Rod End



Unit: mm

| Model No. | Outer dimensions | | | Screw S ₁ JIS Class 2 | Holder dimensions | | | | | | | Grease nipple | Spherical inner ring dimensions | | | | Permissible tilt angle | | | Static applied load C _S N | Mass g |
|-----------|------------------|---------------|--------------------------------------|--|-------------------|----------------|----------------|------|----------------|----------------|----|---------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------------|----------------|-----|------------------------|------------------|------------------|--|-----------|
| | Length L | Diameter D | Width B ₁ 0 -0.1 | | W 0 -0.3 | D ₁ | D ₂ | B | L ₁ | L ₂ | ℓ | | d H7 | Ball diameter Da mm (inch) | d ₁ | C | α ₁ ° | α ₂ ° | α ₃ ° | | |
| RBH 5 | 35.5 | 17 | 8 | M5X0.8 | 9 | 9 | 11 | 6 | 27 | 4 | 16 | PB107 | 5 | 11.112 (7/16) | 7.7 | 0.3 | 8 | 13 | 30 | 5490 | 16 |
| RBH 6 | 39.7 | 19.5 | 9 | M6X1 | 11 | 10 | 13 | 6.75 | 30 | 5 | 16 | | 6 | 12.7 (1/2) | 9 | 0.3 | 8 | 13 | 30 | 6760 | 21 |
| RBH 8 | 48 | 24 | 12 | M8X1.25 | 14 | 12.5 | 16 | 9 | 36 | 5 | 19 | | 8 | 15.875 (5/8) | 10.4 | 0.5 | 8 | 14 | 25 | 9610 | 43 |
| RBH 10 | 57 | 28 | 14 | M10X1.5 | 17 | 15 | 19 | 10.5 | 43 | 6.5 | 23 | | 10 | 19.05 (3/4) | 12.9 | 0.5 | 8 | 14 | 25 | 13000 | 68 |
| RBH 12 | 66 | 32 | 16 | M12X1.75 | 19 | 17.5 | 22 | 12 | 50 | 6.5 | 27 | | 12 | 22.225 (7/8) | 15.4 | 0.5 | 8 | 13 | 25 | 16400 | 100 |
| RBH 14 | 75 | 36 | 19 | M14X2 | 22 | 20 | 25 | 13.5 | 57 | 8 | 30 | | 14 | 25.4 (1) | 16.9 | 0.7 | 10 | 16 | 24 | 20200 | 142 |
| RBH 16 | 84 | 40 | 21 | M16X2 | 22 | 22 | 27 | 15 | 64 | 8 | 36 | | 16 | 28.575 (1 1/8) | 19.4 | 0.7 | 9 | 15 | 24 | 24600 | 185 |
| RBH 18 | 93.5 | 45 | 23 | M18X1.5 | 27 | 25 | 31 | 16.5 | 71 | 10 | 40 | | 18 | 31.75 (1 1/4) | 21.9 | 0.7 | 9 | 15 | 24 | 28800 | 265 |
| RBH 20 | 101.5 | 49 | 25 | M20X1.5 | 30 | 27.5 | 34 | 18 | 77 | 10 | 43 | | 20 | 34.925 (1 3/8) | 24.4 | 0.7 | 9 | 15 | 24 | 33600 | 334 |
| RBH 22 | 111 | 54 | 28 | M22X1.5 | 32 | 30 | 37 | 20 | 84 | 12 | 47 | | 22 | 38.1 (1 1/2) | 25.8 | 0.7 | 10 | 15 | 23 | 40400 | 454 |

Material

Holder: High-strength zinc alloy
(see page s-5)
Spherical inner ring: SUJ2, 58 HRC or higher
(hard chrome plated)

Fitting with the Shaft

| Service conditions | Dimensional tolerance of the shaft |
|--------------------|------------------------------------|
| Normal load | h7 |
| Indeterminate load | p6 |

Clearance

Unit: mm

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|------------------|--------------|
| Radial clearance | 0.03 or less |
| Axial clearance | 0.1 or less |

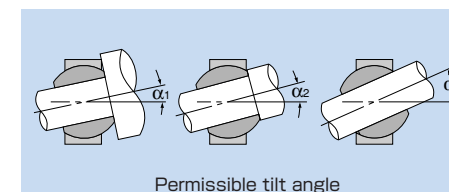
Lubrication

The holder has a greasing hole and an oil groove; they allow grease to be replenished through the grease nipple as necessary.

Identification of Left-hand Thread

If the female thread is left-hand, symbol "L" is added.

The actual product is marked with symbol "L" on the holder.



Permissible tilt angle

Model number coding

RBH10 L

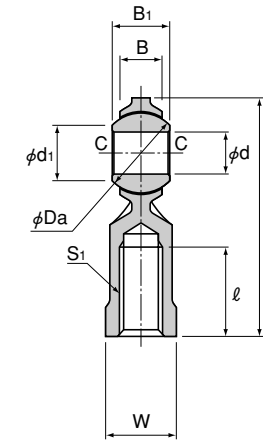
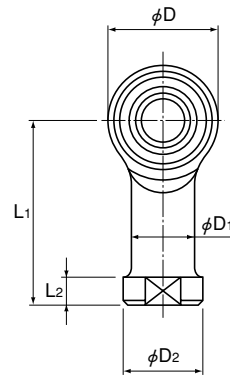
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1 Model number 2 Left-hand thread

Model NHS-T

Lubrication-free Type

s. Rod End



Unit: mm

| Model No. | Outer dimensions | | | Screw S ₁ JIS Class 2 | Holder dimensions | | | | | | | | Spherical inner ring dimensions | | | | Permissible tilt angle | | | Static applied load Radial C _s N | Mass g |
|-----------|------------------|---------------|---------------------------------|--|-------------------|----------------|----------------|-------------------|----------------|----------------|----|---------|---------------------------------|----------------|-----|------------------|------------------------|------------------|-------|--|---------------|
| | Length L | Diameter D | Width B ₀ -0.1 | | W 0 -0.2 | D ₁ | D ₂ | B +0.1 -0.4 | L ₁ | L ₂ | ℓ | d H7 | Ball diameter Da mm (inch) | d ₁ | C | α ₁ ° | α ₂ ° | α ₃ ° | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| NHS 3T | 27 | 12 | 6 | M3X0.5 | 7 | 6.5 | 8 | 4.5 | 21 | 3 | 10 | 3 | 9.525 (3/8) | 7.4 | 0.3 | 8 | 10 | 42 | 1570 | 6.5 | |
| NHS 4T | 31 | 14 | 7 | M4X0.7 | 8 | 8 | 9.5 | 5.3 | 24 | 4 | 12 | 4 | 10.319 (13/32) | 7.6 | 0.3 | 9 | 11 | 35 | 2250 | 10 | |
| NHS 5T | 35 | 16 | 8 | M5X0.8 | 9 | 9 | 11 | 6 | 27 | 4 | 14 | 5 | 11.112 (7/16) | 7.7 | 0.3 | 8 | 13 | 30 | 3920 | 16.5 | |
| NHS 6T | 39 | 18 | 9 | M6X1 | 11 | 10 | 13 | 6.75 | 30 | 5 | 14 | 6 | 12.7 (1/2) | 9 | 0.3 | 8 | 13 | 30 | 5000 | 25 | |
| NHS 8T | 47 | 22 | 12 | M8X1.25 | 14 | 12.5 | 16 | 9 | 36 | 5 | 17 | 8 | 15.875 (5/8) | 10.4 | 0.5 | 8 | 14 | 25 | 7450 | 43 | |
| NHS 10T | 56 | 26 | 14 | M10X1.5 | 17 | 15 | 19 | 10.5 | 43 | 6.5 | 21 | 10 | 19.05 (3/4) | 12.9 | 0.5 | 8 | 14 | 25 | 9410 | 72 | |
| NHS 12T | 65 | 30 | 16 | M12X1.75 | 19 | 17.5 | 22 | 12 | 50 | 6.5 | 24 | 12 | 22.225 (7/8) | 15.4 | 0.5 | 8 | 13 | 25 | 11000 | 107 | |
| NHS 14T | 74 | 34 | 19 | M14X2 | 22 | 20 | 25 | 13.5 | 57 | 8 | 27 | 14 | 25.4 (1) | 16.9 | 0.7 | 10 | 16 | 24 | 15200 | 160 | |
| NHS 16T | 83 | 38 | 21 | M16X2 | 22 | 22 | 27 | 15 | 64 | 8 | 33 | 16 | 28.575 (1 1/8) | 19.4 | 0.7 | 9 | 15 | 24 | 20200 | 210 | |
| NHS 18T | 92 | 42 | 23 | M18X1.5 | 27 | 25 | 31 | 16.5 | 71 | 10 | 36 | 18 | 31.75 (1 1/4) | 21.9 | 0.7 | 9 | 15 | 24 | 25200 | 295 | |
| NHS 20T | 100 | 46 | 25 | M20X1.5 | 30 | 27.5 | 34 | 18 | 77 | 10 | 40 | 20 | 34.925 (1 3/8) | 24.4 | 0.7 | 9 | 15 | 24 | 27800 | 380 | |
| NHS 22T | 109 | 50 | 28 | M22X1.5 | 32 | 30 | 37 | 20 | 84 | 12 | 43 | 22 | 38.1 (1 1/2) | 25.8 | 0.7 | 10 | 15 | 23 | 35900 | 490 | |

Material

Holder: S35C (color chromate finish)
Spherical inner ring: SUJ2, 58 HRC or higher
(hard chrome plated)
Bush: Self-lubricating synthetic resin

Fitting with the Shaft

| Service conditions | Dimensional tolerance of the shaft |
|--------------------|------------------------------------|
| Normal load | h7 |
| Indeterminate load | p6 |

Clearance

Unit: mm

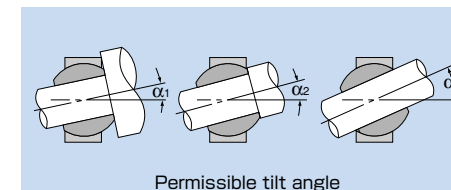
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| Radial clearance | 0.035 or less |
| Axial clearance | 0.1 or less |

Initial Lubrication

This model can be used without lubrication. However, if desiring to provide initial lubrication, apply oil or grease to the spherical area.

Identification of Left-hand Thread

If the female thread is left-hand, symbol "L" is added.
The actual product is marked with symbol "L" on the holder.



Permissible tilt angle

Model number coding

NHS10T L

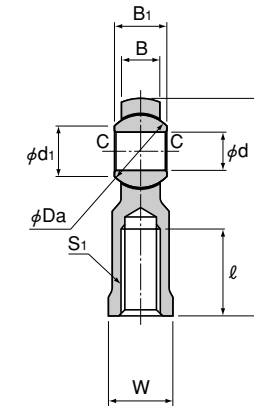
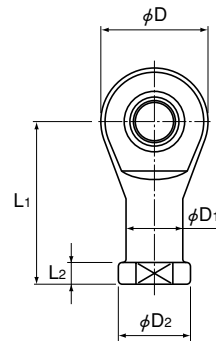
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1 Model number 2 Left-hand thread

Model HS

Lubrication-free, Corrosion-resistant Type

s. Rod End



Unit: mm

| Model No. | Outer dimensions | | | Screw S ₁ JIS Class 2 | Holder dimensions | | | | | | | Spherical inner ring dimensions | | | | Permissible tilt angle | | | Static applied load Radial C _s N | Yield point strength P _K N | Mass g |
|-----------|------------------|---------------|--------------------------------------|--|-------------------|----------------|----------------|------|----------------|----------------|----|---------------------------------|-------------------------------|----------------|-----|------------------------|------------------|------------------|--|---|-----------|
| | Length L | Diameter D | Width B ₁ 0 -0.1 | | W 0 -0.3 | D ₁ | D ₂ | B | L ₁ | L ₂ | ℓ | d G7 | Ball diameter Da mm (inch) | d ₁ | C | α ₁ ° | α ₂ ° | α ₃ ° | | | |
| HS 5 | 35.5 | 17 | 8 | M5X0.8 | 9 | 9 | 11 | 6 | 27 | 4 | 16 | 5 | 11.112 (7/16) | 7.7 | 0.3 | 7 | 13 | 30 | 5590 | 3920 | 9 |
| HS 6 | 39.7 | 19.5 | 9 | M6X1 | 11 | 10 | 13 | 6.75 | 30 | 5 | 16 | 6 | 12.7 (1/2) | 9 | 0.3 | 7 | 13 | 30 | 6860 | 5290 | 15 |
| HS 8 | 48 | 24 | 12 | M8X1.25 | 14 | 12.5 | 16 | 9 | 36 | 5 | 19 | 8 | 15.875 (5/8) | 10.4 | 0.5 | 8 | 14 | 25 | 9800 | 8330 | 26 |
| HS 10 | 57 | 28 | 14 | M10X1.5 | 17 | 15 | 19 | 10.5 | 43 | 6.5 | 23 | 10 | 19.05 (3/4) | 12.9 | 0.5 | 8 | 14 | 25 | 13200 | 10800 | 41 |
| HS 12 | 66 | 32 | 16 | M12X1.75 | 19 | 17.5 | 22 | 12 | 50 | 6.5 | 27 | 12 | 22.225 (7/8) | 15.4 | 0.5 | 8 | 13 | 25 | 16700 | 14700 | 60 |

Material

Holder: A-1 alloy
Spherical inner ring: SUJ2, 600 Hv or higher
(corrosion resistant coated)
Bush: Special fluorine resin with net

Fitting with the Shaft

| Service conditions | Dimensional tolerance of the shaft |
|--------------------|------------------------------------|
| Normal load | h7 |
| Indeterminate load | n6,p6 |

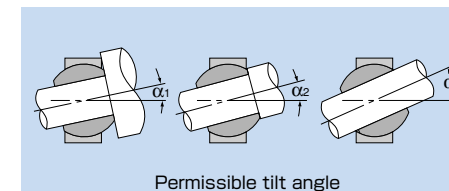
Clearance

Unit: mm

| | |
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| Radial clearance | 0.03 or less |
| Axial clearance | 0.1 or less |

Identification of Left-hand Thread

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Model number coding

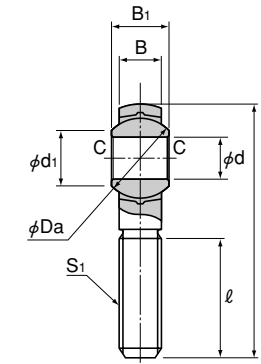
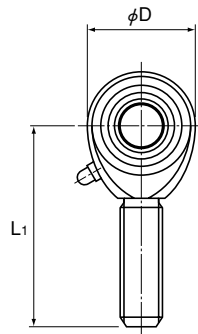
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1 Model number 2 Left-hand thread

Model POS

Male-thread Type

s. Rod End



Unit: mm

| Model No. | Outer dimensions | | | Screw S ₁ JIS Class 2 | Holder dimensions | | | Grease nipple | Spherical inner ring dimensions | | | | Permissible tilt angle | | | Static applied load Radial C _S N | Mass g |
|-----------|------------------|---------------|--------------------------------------|--|-------------------|----------------|----|---------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------------|----------------|-----|------------------------|------------------|------------------|--|-----------|
| | Length L | Diameter D | Width B ₁ 0 -0.1 | | B ±0.1 | L ₁ | ℓ | | d H7 | Ball diameter Da mm (inch) | d ₁ | C | α ₁ ° | α ₂ ° | α ₃ ° | | |
| POS 5 | 41 | 16 | 8 | M5X0.8 | 6 | 33 | 20 | PB107 | 5 | 11.112 (7/16) | 7.7 | 0.3 | 8 | 13 | 30 | 3430 | 12.5 |
| POS 6 | 45 | 18 | 9 | M6X1 | 6.75 | 36 | 22 | | 6 | 12.7 (1/2) | 9 | 0.3 | 8 | 13 | 30 | 4900 | 19 |
| POS 8 | 53 | 22 | 12 | M8X1.25 | 9 | 42 | 25 | | 8 | 15.875 (5/8) | 10.4 | 0.5 | 8 | 14 | 25 | 6860 | 32 |
| POS 10 | 61 | 26 | 14 | M10X1.5 | 10.5 | 48 | 29 | | 10 | 19.05 (3/4) | 12.9 | 0.5 | 8 | 14 | 25 | 10800 | 54 |
| POS 12 | 69 | 30 | 16 | M12X1.75 | 12 | 54 | 33 | | 12 | 22.225 (7/8) | 15.4 | 0.5 | 8 | 13 | 25 | 16700 | 85 |
| POS 14 | 77 | 34 | 19 | M14X2 | 13.5 | 60 | 36 | | 14 | 25.4 (1) | 16.9 | 0.7 | 10 | 16 | 24 | 20600 | 126 |
| POS 16 | 85 | 38 | 21 | M16X2 | 15 | 66 | 40 | | 16 | 28.575 (1 1/8) | 19.4 | 0.7 | 9 | 15 | 24 | 25000 | 185 |
| POS 18 | 93 | 42 | 23 | M18X1.5 | 16.5 | 72 | 44 | | 18 | 31.75 (1 1/4) | 21.9 | 0.7 | 9 | 15 | 24 | 29400 | 260 |
| POS 20 | 101 | 46 | 25 | M20X1.5 | 18 | 78 | 47 | | 20 | 34.925 (1 3/8) | 24.4 | 0.7 | 9 | 15 | 24 | 34300 | 340 |
| POS 22 | 109 | 50 | 28 | M22X1.5 | 20 | 84 | 51 | | 22 | 38.1 (1 1/2) | 25.8 | 0.7 | 10 | 15 | 23 | 41200 | 435 |
| POS 25 | 124 | 60 | 31 | M24X2 | 22 | 94 | 57 | A-M6F | 25 | 42.862 (1 11/16) | 29.6 | 0.8 | 9 | 15 | 23 | 72500 | 650 |
| POS 30 | 145 | 70 | 37 | M30X2 | 25 | 110 | 66 | | 30 | 50.8 (2) | 34.8 | 0.8 | 10 | 17 | 23 | 92200 | 1070 |

Material

Holder: S35C (color chromate finish)
Spherical inner ring: SUJ2, 58 HRC or higher
(hard chrome plated)
Bush: Special copper alloy

Fitting with the Shaft

| Service conditions | Dimensional tolerance of the shaft |
|--------------------|------------------------------------|
| Normal load | h7 |
| Indeterminate load | p6 |

Clearance

Unit: mm

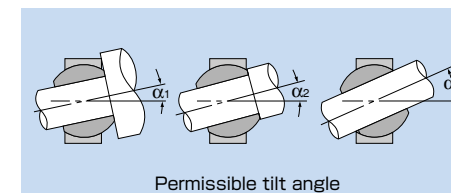
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| Radial clearance | 0.035 or less |
| Axial clearance | 0.1 or less |

Lubrication

The holder has a greasing hole and an oil groove; they allow grease to be replenished through the grease nipple as necessary. To lubricate the product, replenish grease from the holder greasing hole for models POS5 and 6, or from the grease nipple for other models.

Identification of Left-hand Thread

If the male thread is left-hand, symbol "L" is added. The actual product is marked with symbol "L" on the holder.



Permissible tilt angle

Model number coding

POS10 L

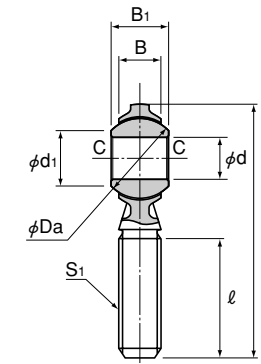
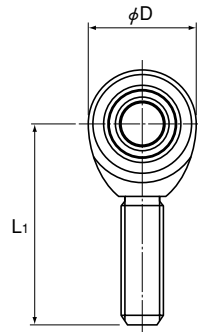
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1 Model number 2 Left-hand thread

Model NOS-T

Lubrication-free, Male-thread Type

s. Rod End



Unit: mm

| Model No. | Outer dimensions | | | Screw S ₁ JIS Class 2 | Holder dimensions | | | Spherical inner ring dimensions | | | | Permissible tilt angle | | | Static applied load Radial C _s N | Mass g |
|-----------|------------------|---------------|--------------------------------------|--|-------------------|----------------|----|---------------------------------|-------------------------------|----------------|-----|------------------------|------------------|------------------|--|-----------|
| | Length L | Diameter D | Width B ₁ 0 -0.1 | | B +0.1 -0.4 | L ₁ | ℓ | d H7 | Ball diameter Da mm (inch) | d ₁ | C | α ₁ ° | α ₂ ° | α ₃ ° | | |
| NOS 3 T | 33 | 12 | 6 | M3X0.5 | 4.5 | 27 | 15 | 3 | 9.525 (3/8) | 7.4 | 0.3 | 8 | 10 | 42 | 1570 | 4.5 |
| NOS 4 T | 37 | 14 | 7 | M4X0.7 | 5.3 | 30 | 17 | 4 | 10.319 (13/32) | 7.6 | 0.3 | 9 | 11 | 35 | 2250 | 7 |
| NOS 5 T | 41 | 16 | 8 | M5X0.8 | 6 | 33 | 20 | 5 | 11.112 (7/16) | 7.7 | 0.3 | 8 | 13 | 30 | 3430 | 12.5 |
| NOS 6 T | 45 | 18 | 9 | M6X1 | 6.75 | 36 | 22 | 6 | 12.7 (1/2) | 9 | 0.3 | 8 | 13 | 30 | 4900 | 19 |
| NOS 8 T | 53 | 22 | 12 | M8X1.25 | 9 | 42 | 25 | 8 | 15.875 (5/8) | 10.4 | 0.5 | 8 | 14 | 25 | 6860 | 32 |
| NOS 10 T | 61 | 26 | 14 | M10X1.5 | 10.5 | 48 | 29 | 10 | 19.05 (3/4) | 12.9 | 0.5 | 8 | 14 | 25 | 9410 | 54 |
| NOS 12 T | 69 | 30 | 16 | M12X1.75 | 12 | 54 | 33 | 12 | 22.225 (7/8) | 15.4 | 0.5 | 8 | 13 | 25 | 11000 | 85 |
| NOS 14 T | 77 | 34 | 19 | M14X2 | 13.5 | 60 | 36 | 14 | 25.4 (1) | 16.9 | 0.7 | 10 | 16 | 24 | 15200 | 126 |
| NOS 16 T | 85 | 38 | 21 | M16X2 | 15 | 66 | 40 | 16 | 28.575 (1 1/8) | 19.4 | 0.7 | 9 | 15 | 24 | 20200 | 185 |
| NOS 18 T | 93 | 42 | 23 | M18X1.5 | 16.5 | 72 | 44 | 18 | 31.75 (1 1/4) | 21.9 | 0.7 | 9 | 15 | 24 | 25200 | 260 |
| NOS 20 T | 101 | 46 | 25 | M20X1.5 | 18 | 78 | 47 | 20 | 34.925 (1 3/8) | 24.4 | 0.7 | 9 | 15 | 24 | 27800 | 340 |
| NOS 22 T | 109 | 50 | 28 | M22X1.5 | 20 | 84 | 51 | 22 | 38.1 (1 1/2) | 25.8 | 0.7 | 10 | 15 | 23 | 35900 | 435 |

Material

Holder: S35C (color chromate finish)
Spherical inner ring: SUJ2, 58 HRC or higher
(hard chrome plated)
Bush: Self-lubricating synthetic resin

Fitting with the Shaft

| Service conditions | Dimensional tolerance of the shaft |
|--------------------|------------------------------------|
| Normal load | h7 |
| Indeterminate load | p6 |

Clearance

Unit: mm

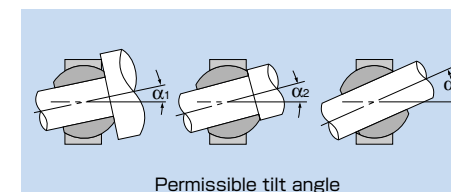
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| Radial clearance | 0.035 or less |
| Axial clearance | 0.1 or less |

Initial Lubrication

This model can be used without lubrication. However, if desiring to provide initial lubrication, apply oil or grease to the spherical area.

Identification of Left-hand Thread

If the male thread is left-hand, symbol "L" is added.



Model number coding

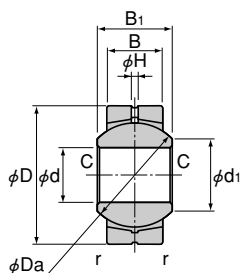
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1 Model number 2 Left-hand thread

Model PB

Standard Type



Unit: mm

| Model No. | Major dimensions | | | | | | | Ball diameter Da mm (inch) | Permissible tilt angle | | | Static applied load Radial Cs N | Mass g |
|-----------|---------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------------|------|-----|-----|----------------------------------|------------------------|-----|-----|---------------------------------------|-----------|
| | Inner diameter d H7 | Outer diameter D h6 | Outer ring width B ±0.1 | Inner ring width B1 0 -0.1 | d1 | H | C,r | | α1° | α2° | α3° | | |
| PB 5 | 5 | 16 | 6 | 8 | 7.7 | 1 | 0.3 | 11.112 (7/16) | 8 | 13 | 30 | 7840 | 8.5 |
| PB 6 | 6 | 18 | 6.75 | 9 | 9 | 1 | 0.3 | 12.7 (1/2) | 8 | 13 | 30 | 9800 | 13 |
| PB 8 | 8 | 22 | 9 | 12 | 10.4 | 1 | 0.5 | 15.875 (5/8) | 8 | 14 | 25 | 16700 | 24 |
| PB 10 | 10 | 26 | 10.5 | 14 | 12.9 | 1.2 | 0.5 | 19.05 (3/4) | 8 | 14 | 25 | 23500 | 39 |
| PB 12 | 12 | 30 | 12 | 16 | 15.4 | 1.5 | 0.5 | 22.225 (7/8) | 8 | 13 | 25 | 31400 | 58 |
| PB 14 | 14 | 34 | 13.5 | 19 | 16.9 | 1.5 | 0.7 | 25.4 (1) | 10 | 16 | 24 | 40200 | 84 |
| PB 16 | 16 | 38 | 15 | 21 | 19.4 | 2.5 | 0.7 | 28.575 (1 1/8) | 9 | 15 | 24 | 50000 | 111 |
| PB 18 | 18 | 42 | 16.5 | 23 | 21.9 | 2.5 | 0.7 | 31.75 (1 1/4) | 9 | 15 | 24 | 61800 | 160 |
| PB 20 | 20 | 46 | 18 | 25 | 24.4 | 2.5 | 0.7 | 34.925 (1 3/8) | 9 | 15 | 24 | 73500 | 210 |
| PB 22 | 22 | 50 | 20 | 28 | 25.8 | 2.5 | 0.7 | 38.1 (1 1/2) | 10 | 15 | 23 | 88200 | 265 |
| PB 25 | 25 | 56 | 22 | 31 | 29.6 | 3 | 0.8 | 42.862 (1 11/16) | 9 | 15 | 23 | 111000 | 390 |
| PB 30 | 30 | 66 | 25 | 37 | 34.8 | 3 | 0.8 | 50.8 (2) | 10 | 17 | 23 | 148000 | 610 |

Material

Outer ring: S35C
Spherical inner ring: SUJ2, 58 HRC or higher
(hard chrome plated)
Bush: Special copper alloy

Clearance

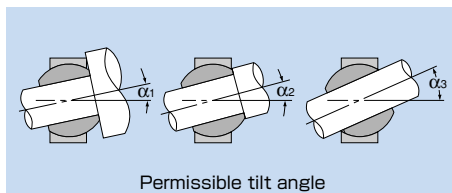
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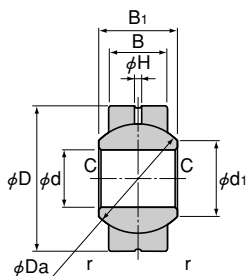
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|------------------|---------------|
| Radial clearance | 0.035 or less |
| Axial clearance | 0.1 or less |

Fitting with the Shaft

For the fitting between the shaft and the housing, the following values are recommended.

| Service conditions | | Shaft | Housing |
|--------------------|--------------------|-------|---------|
| Inner ring | Normal load | m6 | H7 |
| | Indeterminate load | n6 | |
| Outer ring | Normal load | h7 | M7 |
| | Indeterminate load | k6 | |





Unit: mm

| Model No. | Major dimensions | | | | | | | Ball diameter Da mm (inch) | Permissible tilt angle | | | Static applied load Radial C _S N | Mass g |
|-----------|---------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------------------|---|----------------|-----|------|----------------------------------|------------------------|------------------|------------------|--|-----------|
| | Inner diameter d H7 | Outer diameter D h8 | Outer ring width B ±0.1 | Inner ring width B ₁ 0 -0.1 | d ₁ | H | C, r | | α ₁ ° | α ₂ ° | α ₃ ° | | |
| PBA 5 | 5 | 16 | 6 | 8 | 7.7 | 1 | 0.3 | 11.112 (7/16) | 8 | 13 | 30 | 7840 | 8.5 |
| PBA 6 | 6 | 18 | 6.75 | 9 | 9 | 1 | 0.3 | 12.7 (1/2) | 8 | 13 | 30 | 9800 | 13 |
| PBA 8 | 8 | 22 | 9 | 12 | 10.4 | 1 | 0.5 | 15.875 (5/8) | 8 | 14 | 25 | 16700 | 24 |
| PBA 10 | 10 | 26 | 10.5 | 14 | 12.9 | 1.2 | 0.5 | 19.05 (3/4) | 8 | 14 | 25 | 23500 | 39 |
| PBA 12 | 12 | 30 | 12 | 16 | 15.4 | 1.5 | 0.5 | 22.225 (7/8) | 8 | 13 | 25 | 31400 | 58 |
| PBA 14 | 14 | 34 | 13.5 | 19 | 16.9 | 1.5 | 0.7 | 25.4 (1) | 10 | 16 | 24 | 40200 | 84 |
| PBA 16 | 16 | 38 | 15 | 21 | 19.4 | 2.5 | 0.7 | 28.575 (1 1/8) | 9 | 15 | 24 | 50000 | 111 |
| PBA 18 | 18 | 42 | 16.5 | 23 | 21.9 | 2.5 | 0.7 | 31.75 (1 1/4) | 9 | 15 | 24 | 61800 | 160 |
| PBA 20 | 20 | 46 | 18 | 25 | 24.4 | 2.5 | 0.7 | 34.925 (1 3/8) | 9 | 15 | 24 | 73500 | 210 |
| PBA 22 | 22 | 50 | 20 | 28 | 25.8 | 2.5 | 0.7 | 38.1 (1 1/2) | 10 | 15 | 23 | 88200 | 265 |

Material

Outer ring: High-strength zinc alloy
(see page s-5)
Spherical inner ring: SUJ2, 58 HRC or higher
(hard chrome plated)

Clearance

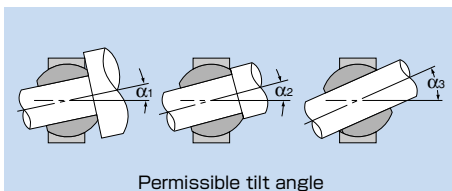
Unit: mm

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|------------------|---------------|
| Radial clearance | 0.035 or less |
| Axial clearance | 0.1 or less |

Fitting with the Shaft

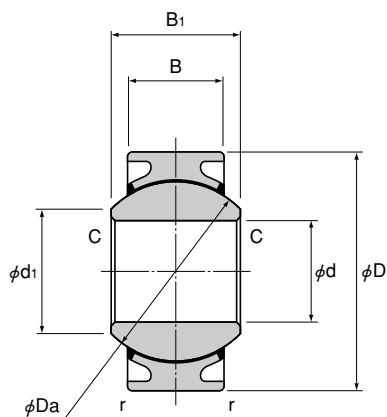
For the fitting between the shaft and the housing, the following values are recommended.

| Service conditions | | Shaft | Housing |
|--------------------|--------------------|-------|---------|
| Inner ring | Normal load | m6 | H7 |
| | Indeterminate load | n6 | |
| Outer ring | Normal load | h7 | M7 |
| | Indeterminate load | k6 | |



Model NB-T

Lubrication-free Type



Unit: mm

| Model No. | Major dimensions | | | | | | Ball diameter Da mm (inch) | Permissible tilt angle | | | Static applied load Radial Cs N | Mass g |
|-----------|---------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------------|------|-----|---|------------------------|------------------|------------------|---------------------------------------|-----------|
| | Inner diameter d H7 | Outer diameter D h7 | Outer ring width B ±0.1 | Inner ring width B1 0 -0.1 | d1 | C,r | | α ₁ ° | α ₂ ° | α ₃ ° | | |
| NB 14T | 14 | 34 | 13.5 | 19 | 16.9 | 0.7 | 25.4 (1) | 10 | 16 | 24 | 20200 | 84 |
| NB 16T | 16 | 38 | 15 | 21 | 19.4 | 0.7 | 28.575 (1 ¹ / ₈) | 9 | 15 | 24 | 25200 | 111 |
| NB 18T | 18 | 42 | 16.5 | 23 | 21.9 | 0.7 | 31.75 (1 ¹ / ₄) | 9 | 15 | 24 | 30800 | 160 |
| NB 20T | 20 | 46 | 18 | 25 | 24.4 | 0.7 | 34.925 (1 ³ / ₈) | 9 | 15 | 24 | 36900 | 210 |
| NB 22T | 22 | 50 | 20 | 28 | 25.8 | 0.7 | 38.1 (1 ¹ / ₂) | 10 | 15 | 23 | 44800 | 265 |

Material

Outer ring: S35C
Spherical inner ring: SUJ2, 58 HRC or higher
(hard chrome plated)
Bush: Self-lubricating synthetic resin

Clearance

Unit: mm

| | |
|------------------|---------------|
| Radial clearance | 0.035 or less |
| Axial clearance | 0.1 or less |

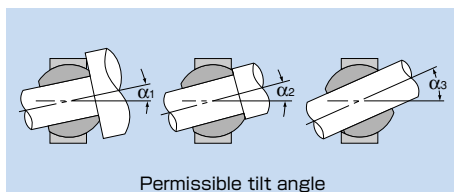
Fitting with the Shaft

For the fitting between the shaft and the housing, the following values are recommended.

| Service conditions | | Shaft | Housing |
|--------------------|--------------------|-------|---------|
| Inner ring | Normal load | m6 | H7 |
| | Indeterminate load | n6 | |
| Outer ring | Normal load | h7 | M7 |
| | Indeterminate load | k6 | |

Initial Lubrication

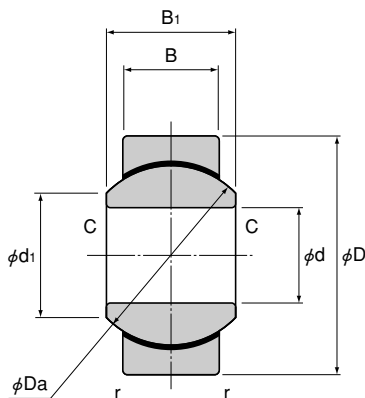
This model can be used without lubrication. However, if desiring to provide initial lubrication, apply oil or grease to the spherical area.



Model HB

Lubrication-free Type

s. Rod End



Unit: mm

| Model No. | Major dimensions | | | | | | Ball diameter Da mm (inch) | Permissible tilt angle | | | Static applied load Radial Cs N | Mass g |
|-----------|---------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------------|------|-----|----------------------------------|------------------------|------------------|------------------|--|-----------|
| | Inner diameter d H7 | Outer diameter D h7 | Outer ring width B ±0.1 | Inner ring width B1 0 -0.1 | d1 | C,r | | α_1° | α_2° | α_3° | | |
| HB 5 | 5 | 16 | 6 | 8 | 7.7 | 0.3 | 11.112 ($7/16$) | 7 | 13 | 30 | 13100 | 8.5 |
| HB 6 | 6 | 18 | 6.75 | 9 | 9 | 0.3 | 12.7 ($1/2$) | 7 | 13 | 30 | 16900 | 13 |
| HB 8 | 8 | 22 | 9 | 12 | 10.4 | 0.5 | 15.875 ($5/8$) | 8 | 14 | 25 | 28000 | 24 |
| HB 10 | 10 | 26 | 10.5 | 14 | 12.9 | 0.5 | 19.05 ($3/4$) | 8 | 14 | 25 | 39200 | 39 |
| HB 12 | 12 | 30 | 12 | 16 | 15.4 | 0.5 | 22.225 ($7/8$) | 8 | 13 | 25 | 52500 | 58 |

Material

Outer ring: Zinc alloy
Spherical inner ring: SUJ2, 600 Hv or higher
(corrosion resistant coated)
Bush: Special fluorine resin with net

Clearance

Unit: mm

| | |
|------------------|--------------|
| Radial clearance | 0.03 or less |
| Axial clearance | 0.1 or less |

Fitting with the Shaft

For the fitting between the shaft and the housing, the following values are recommended.

| Service conditions | | Shaft | Housing |
|-------------------------------|--------------------|-------|---------|
| Inner ring rotational load | Normal load | m6 | H7 |
| | Indeterminate load | n6 | |
| Outer ring rotational load | Normal load | h7 | M7 |
| | Indeterminate load | k6 | |

