Centaur

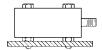


Low Cost Mounting

Flush bottom cylinder mounts directly onto a base plate with only two bolts...needs no mounting brackets or other hardware. The pivot bracket is built-in for easy pivoting at the inlet axis. The bracket pivots within the cylinder length to save space and to eliminate one entire bracket that would be needed to mount other cylinders.

Because Centaur's trunnions serve both as mounts and as assembly elements, they cost less than any other trunnion mount on the market.

Flush Bottom (FB)



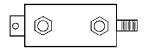
Trunnion Rear (TR) Trunnion Front (TF)



Flush Rear (FR) 11/8" bore only

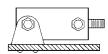
Pivot Extended (PE)

11/8", 11/2" & 2" bores only



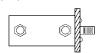
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Pivot Bracket (PB)



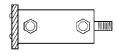
Flush Front (FF)

11/2", 2", 21/2" & 3" bores only



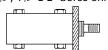
Flush Rear (FR)

11/2", 2", 21/2" & 3" bores only



Threaded Nose (NS)

Std. on all $1\frac{1}{8}$ " bore mounts $1\frac{1}{8}$ ", $1\frac{1}{2}$ " & 2" bores only



Technical Specifications

Hard Coated Aluminum

Pressure: 150 PSI Air, 250 PSI Hydraulic

Bore Sizes: $1\frac{1}{8}$ ", $1\frac{1}{2}$ ", 2", $2\frac{1}{2}$ " and 3"

Rod Bearing: Oil Impregnated Porous Bronze

Temperature Range: -40°F to +250°F (to +400°F on request)

Economical & Repairable

Mead Centaur cylinders are built to match tie-rod performance, but are up to 45% less expensive and offer lubrication-free service. Centaur cylinders are not permanently crimped like most other round cylinders...so they can be disassembled for maintenance.

Teflon® Seals Create Smooth Breakaway

Centaur's unique Teflon® piston seal eliminates the forward lurch that occurs when rubber seals breakaway from the cylinder tube surface. Rod motion remains smooth throughout the stroke.



Non-Lube

During the cylinder break-in period, molecules from the unique graphite-filled Teflon® piston seal became embedded in the pores of the hard coated

aluminum cylinder tube. This forms a long-lasting, super-smooth, self-lubricated surface.

Built-In Bumpers Absorb Impact



Rubber bumpers are built into each cylinder head to eliminate the metallic "clank" that occurs at stroke completion.

Self Aligning Rod Couplers



Rod couplers simplify cylinder alignment problems by compensating for 2° angular error and 1/16" lateral misalignment on both extension and retraction strokes.

* see page 30 for complete listing of Mead's self aligning rod couplers.

Model	C-112	C-150	C-200	C-250	C-300
Rod Coupler	DMA-312	DMA-500	DMA-625	DMA-750	DMA-1000

Proximity Switches



Hall Effect & Reed switches can sense rod position anywhere within the stroke. A stainless steel clamp facilitates mounting at any location along the cylinder tube. Switches may be used singly or in multiples and positioned at any point around the cylinder tube. The cylinder must have a magnetic piston. For technical information see pg. 33.

Model	C-112	C-150	C-200	C-250	C-300
Sinking	N/A	CS-6100N-150	CS-6100N-200	CS-6100N-250	CS-6100N-300
Sourcing	N/A	CS-6100P-150	CS-6100P-200	CS-6100P-250	CS-6100P-300
Reed	N/A	CS-6100R-150	CS-6100R-200	CS-6100R-250	CS-6100R-300

For exploded views of models visit our website at www.mead-usa.com

Centaur Dimensions and Ordering Information

Hall Effect Basic Dimensions Flush Bottom (FB) Pivot Bracket (PB) Pivot Extended (PE) 11/8", 11/2" & 2" bores only Flush Rear (FR) Flush Rear (FR) Flush Front (FF) 11/4" bore only 11/2", 2", 21/2" & 3" bores only 11/2", 2", 21/2" & 3" bores only Threaded Nose (NS) Trunnion Rear (TR) **Trunnion Front (TF)** Std. on all 11/8" bore mounts

	Bore Sizes						
	11/8″	11/2"	2"	21/2"	3″		
Α	1³/ ₈	1 ³ / ₄	2 ¹ / ₄	23/4	31/4		
В	5/8	13/16	13/16	-	-		
C1	5/8	1 ⁵ /8	17/8	-	-		
C2	-	1 ⁷ / ₁₆	111/16	1³/₄	21/16		
D	1/2	1 1/4	11/2	11/2	13/4		
F	5/16	1/2	5/8	3/4	1		
G	5/16-24	1/2-20	⁵ / ₈ -18	³/4-16	1-14		
Н	3/4-16	1-14	11/4-12	-	-		
L	23/32	21/8	2 ⁵ / ₈	31/8	35/8		
M	¹/₅NPT*	1/4NPSF	¹/₄NPSF	¹/₄NPSF	¹/₄NPSF		
N	7/16	51/64	51/64	51/64	51/64		
P+Stroke	121/64	1 ²⁷ / ₃₂	159/64	2 ³ / ₆₄	211/64		
Q+Stroke	213/64	37/16	31/2	3⁵/8	33/4		
R	10-32	³/s-24	³/s-24	³/s-24	3/8-24		
Υ	5/8	¹⁵ / ₁₆	11//8	-	-		
Z	3/8	11/16	3/4	-	-		
AB	1/4	3/8	1/2	-	-		
AC	3/8	9/16	5/8	-	-		
AD	5/8	1	11/4	-	-		
AE	<u>-</u>	1 ½	11/2	13/4	2		
AH	-	1/2	5/8	3/4	7/8		
AJ	-	1/4-28	5/16-24	³/s-24	1/2-20		
AK	1 ⁵ / ₈	21/4	21/4	27/8	31/8		
AL	11/4	1 ⁵ /8	15/8	21/8	23/8		
AN	1³/ ₄	2 ¹³ / ₃₂	2 ²⁹ / ₃₂	313/32	329/32		
AP	1	11/8	15/8	21/8	25/8		
AQ	13/64	9/32	9/32	9/32	9/32		
AR	31/32	19/16	1 13/16	1 15/16	2 ⁵ / ₁₆		
AT	.418	.731	.731	.731	.731		
AV	25/32	3 ⁵ / ₈	41/8	45/8	51/8		
AW	2 ¹⁷ / ₆₄	2 ¹³ / ₁₆	35/16	313/16	4 ⁵ / ₁₆		
YY+ (2 X STK)	423/32	65/16	6 ⁷ / ₈	7 ½	71/8		

Accessories

11/8", 11/2" & 2" bores only

Rod Clevis w/Pin (CEC) 1\%" \(\text{8} \) 1\%" bores 2" \(\text{9} \) 3" bores 1\%", 1\%" \(\text{9} \) 2" bores only

Note: For DMC-4, refer to pages 45.

Rod Clevis Accessory Dimensions

Bore	E	CA	СВ	CE	DD
1 1/8″	-	¹⁹ / ₆₄	11/32	1 3/ ₁₆	5/16
11/2"	-	15/32	⁹ / ₁₆	1 13/16	1/2
2″	11/4	7/16	5/8	21/16	1/2
21/2"	11/2	3/4	1 ¹/₄	23/8	3/4
3″	11/4	7/16	5/8	21/16	1/2

Model Numbers

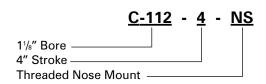
Bore Sizes Accessory	1 1/8″	11/2"	2"	2 ½″	3″
Rod Clevis, Pin	CEC-112	CEC-150	CEC-200	DMC-4	CEC-300
Nose Nut	CN-112	CN-150	CN-200	-	-

Air Reservoirs

Two Centaur rear heads and a tube form an economical air tank. Consult factory for more information. Simply add AR to model.

Ordering Information

When ordering Centaur cylinders, list the model number, stroke length and mounting option(s) required. Please consult the factory for stainless steel rods, air reservoirs or any special cylinder need.



Bore Model	11/8" C-112	1½″ C-150	2" C-200	2½" C-250	3" C-300
Nose Mount (NS)	<	<	<	NA	NA
Flush Bottom (FB)	<	<	<	(<
Flush Front (FF)	NA	<	<	(<
Flush Rear (FR)	<	<	<	(<
Pivot Bracket (PB)	<	<	<	<	<
Pivot Extended (PE)	<	<	<	NA	NA
Trunnion Front (TF)	<	<	<	<	<
Trunnion Rear (TR)	<	<	((<
Other Options:					
Double Rod (DR)	$\langle \Delta$	<	<	(<
Dupont Viton Seals(VI)	<	<	<	<	<
Magnetic Piston (MP)	NA	<	<	<	<
Air Reservoir (AR)	((<	(<

 $[\]Delta$ $\,$ Nose (NS) mounts standard on both ends of 11/8" bore model with double rod.