



# Counterbalance valves

# COUNTERBALANCE VALVES

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			l/min	US gpm	bar	psi	
	<b>VABAL</b>	Cross-line, relief valves for motion control, anti-shock and anti-cavitation, line mounting, cartridge construction	180	48	350	5100	153

**Operation**

The oil flow is allowed from D1 (D2) to U1 (U2) and is stopped in the opposite way from U1 (U2) to D1 (D2) up to the spring setting value. Free oil flow from U1 (U2) to D1 (D2) is strictly possible when the pilot pressure in D2 and U2 (D1 and U1) is strong enough to pilot the valve poppet.

Use the following formula to assert the applicable pilot pressure:

$$\text{(valve setting - load pressure)} \div \text{pilot ratio} = \text{pilot pressure}$$

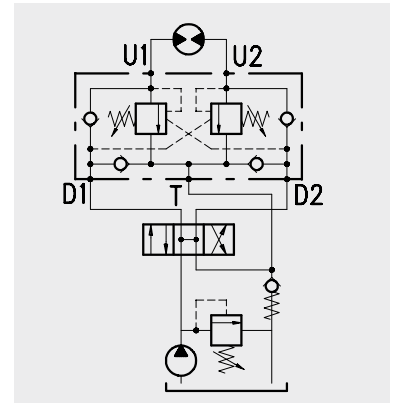
For example:

If your pilot ratio is 1:4, your setting pressure is 250 bar (3600 psi) and your load pressure is 130 bar (1900 psi) then you will need 30 bar (430 psi) pilot pressure in order to displace the load  $[(250 \text{ bar}-3600 \text{ psi} - 130 \text{ bar}-1900 \text{ psi}) \div 4 = 30 \text{ bar}-430 \text{ psi}]$ .

Counterpressure in D1 (D2) increase the setting value (1:1 ratio) of the poppet spring and negatively affect the pilot pressure (1:1 ratio).

Use of two check-valves between D1 (D2) and T avoids cavitation on the pressure line during relief operation. To obtain immediate valve response and no pressure drop, preferably mount this valve next to the application to check.

Lack of overcenter stability and troublesome motion even after complete valve assembly, will suggest that the valve application may require a PG version. Please contact our technical service for action.



**Performance**

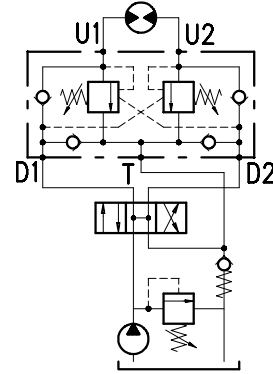
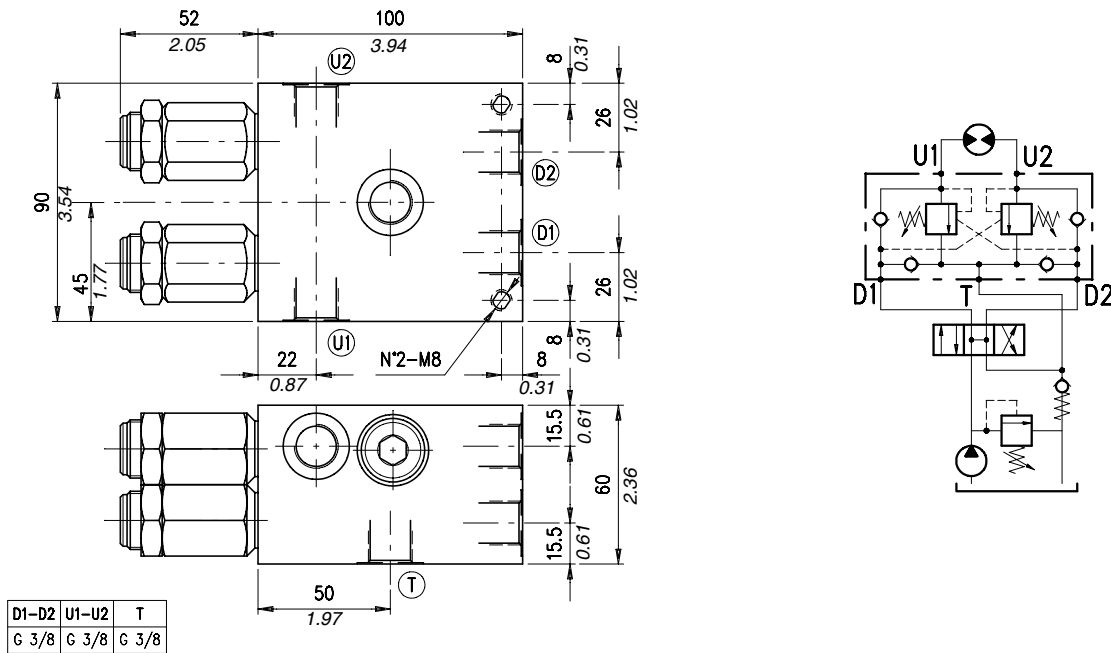
**Body valves**

Type	Maximum flow		Maximum pressure		Application range with standard springs	Oil leakage from A1 (B1) to A (B)	Pilot ratio	Weight		Overcenter cartridge	
	l/min	US gpm	bar	psi				kg	lb		
VABAL 38	35	9.2	210 (alum.) 350 (steel)	3050 (alum.) 5100 (steel)	5÷210 bar -72.5÷3050 psi (test setting 170 bar-2500 psi at 5 l/min.-1.3 US gpm)	0,25 cm <sup>3</sup> /min -15x10 <sup>-3</sup> in <sup>3</sup> /min (5 drops) at 210 bar -3050 psi and 80% of the spring setting value with oil viscosity of 46 cSt.	1:4 (standard type) 1:3 (on request only)	1,95	4.30	VMPD 38	
		aluminium									
		4,01			8.84						
		steel									
VABAL 12	70	18			50÷350 bar -725÷5100 psi (test setting 280 bar-4060 psi at 5 l/min.-1.3 US gpm)			1:7 (standard type) 1:3 (on request only)	2,45	5.40	VMPD 12
		aluminium									
		5,05	11.13								
		steel									
VABAL 34	100	26			100÷700 bar- 1450÷10150 psi (test setting 350 bar-5100 psi at 5 l/min.-1.3 US gpm)			4,42	9.74	VMPD 34	
		aluminium									
		8,73	19.25								
		steel									
VABAL 100	180	46						4,42	9.74		
		aluminium						8,73	19.25		
		steel									

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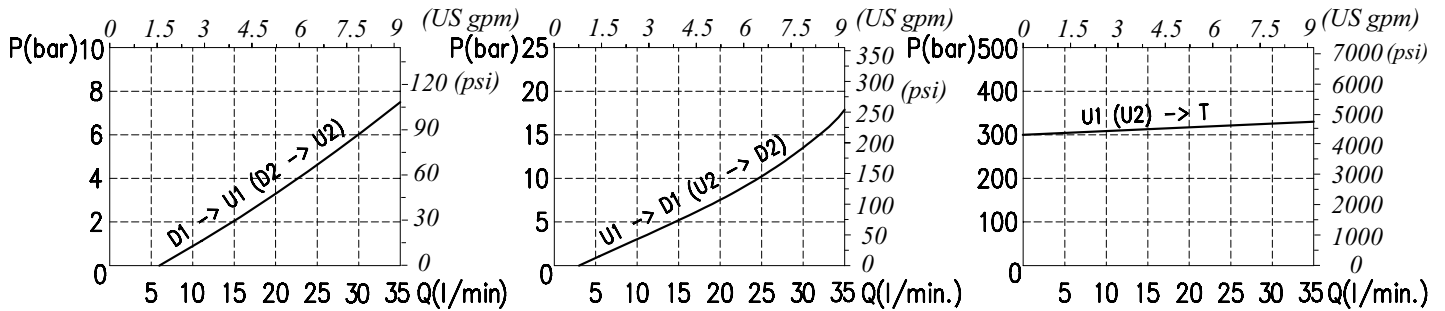
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## Dimensions and hydraulic circuit



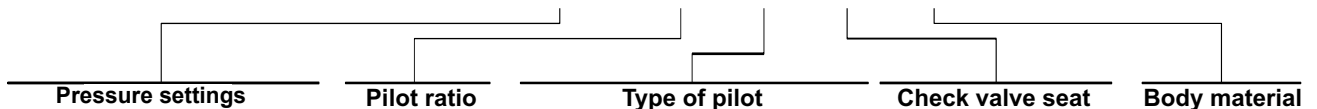
## Rating diagrams

Typical pressure drop vs. flow characteristics



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**TS)** 5÷210 bar (72.5÷3050 psi)  
**TR)** 50÷350 bar (725÷5100 psi)

(Standard)

**TG)** 100÷700 bar (1450÷10150 psi)

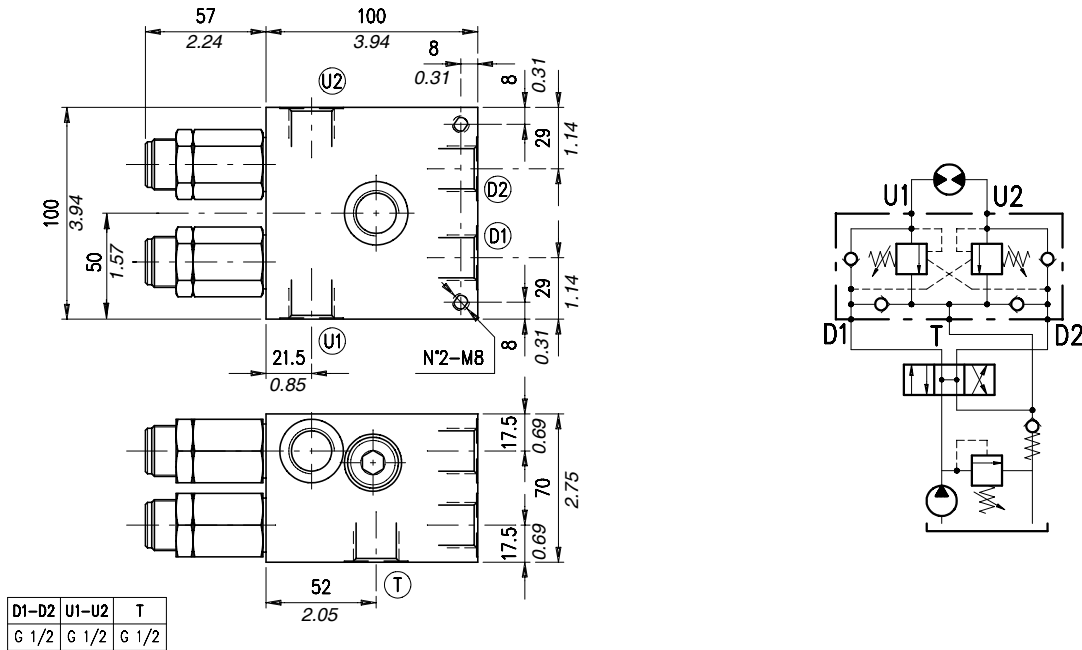
**p3)** 1:3  
**p4)** 1:4  
 (Standard)

**PG)** Without damper (Standard)  
 With damper

**VRR)** See body  
 Hardened steel

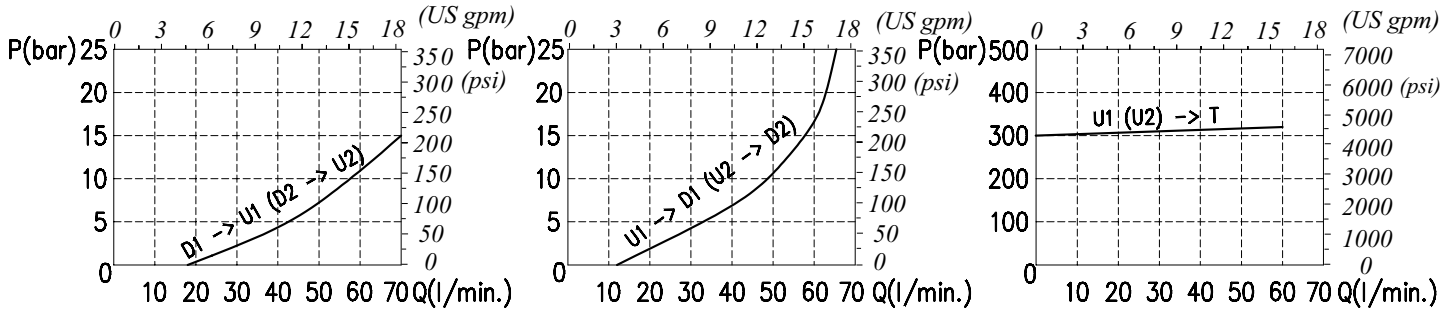
**ac)** Aluminium  
**ac)** Steel

**Dimensions and hydraulic circuit**



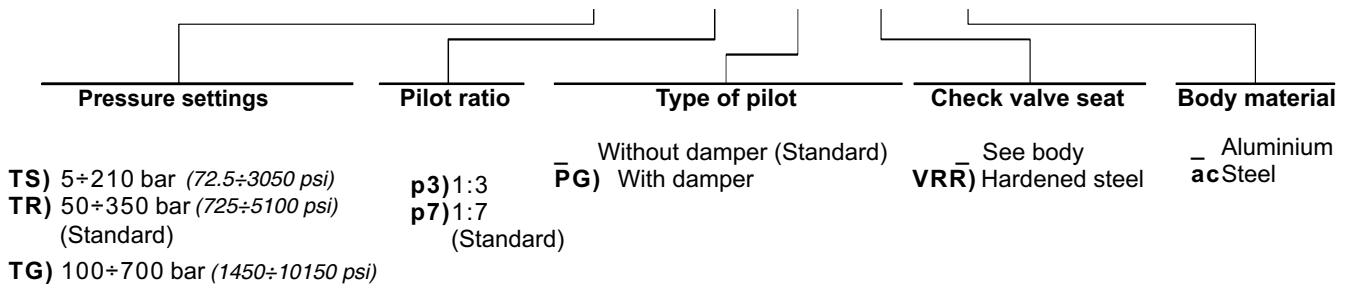
**Rating diagrams**

Typical pressure drop vs. flow characteristics



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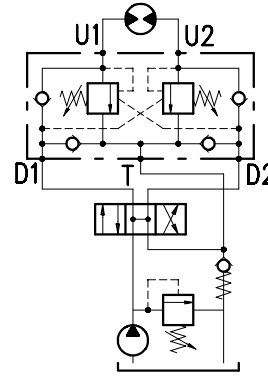
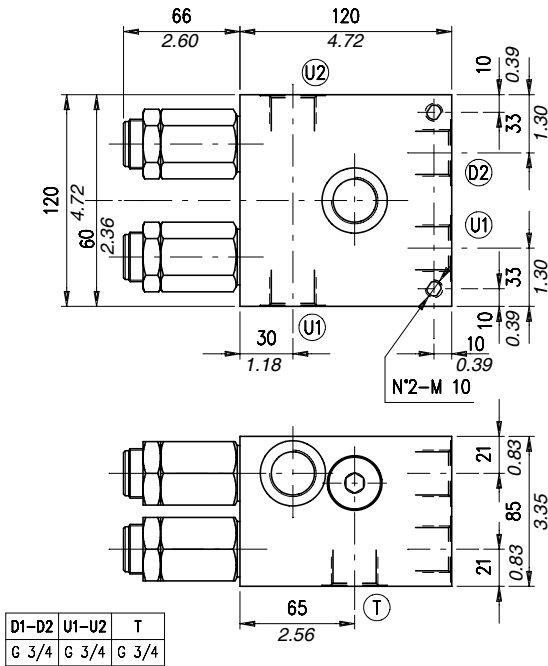
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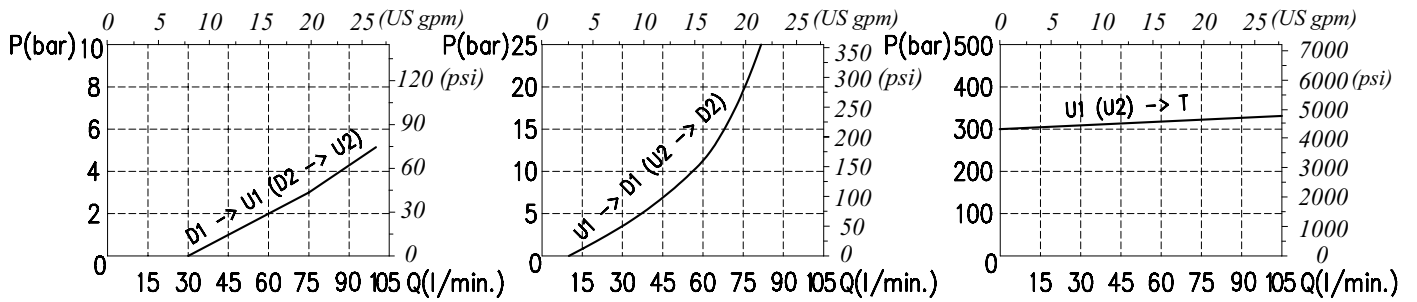
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## Dimensions and hydraulic circuit



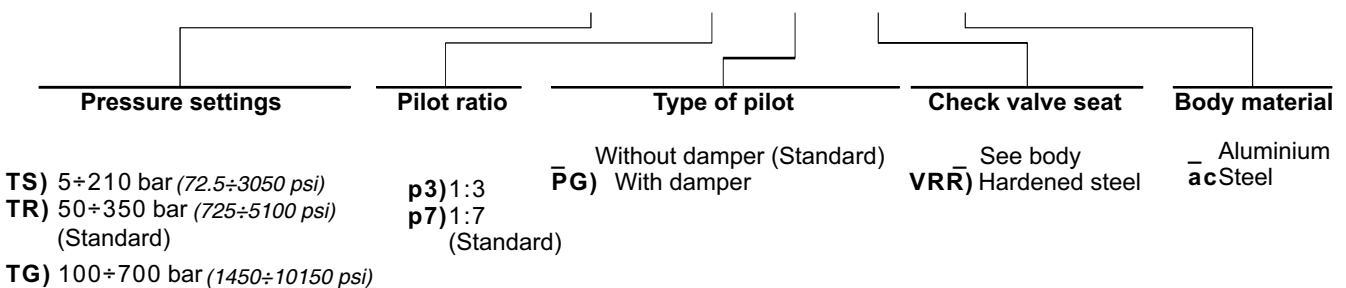
## Rating diagrams

Typical pressure drop vs. flow characteristics

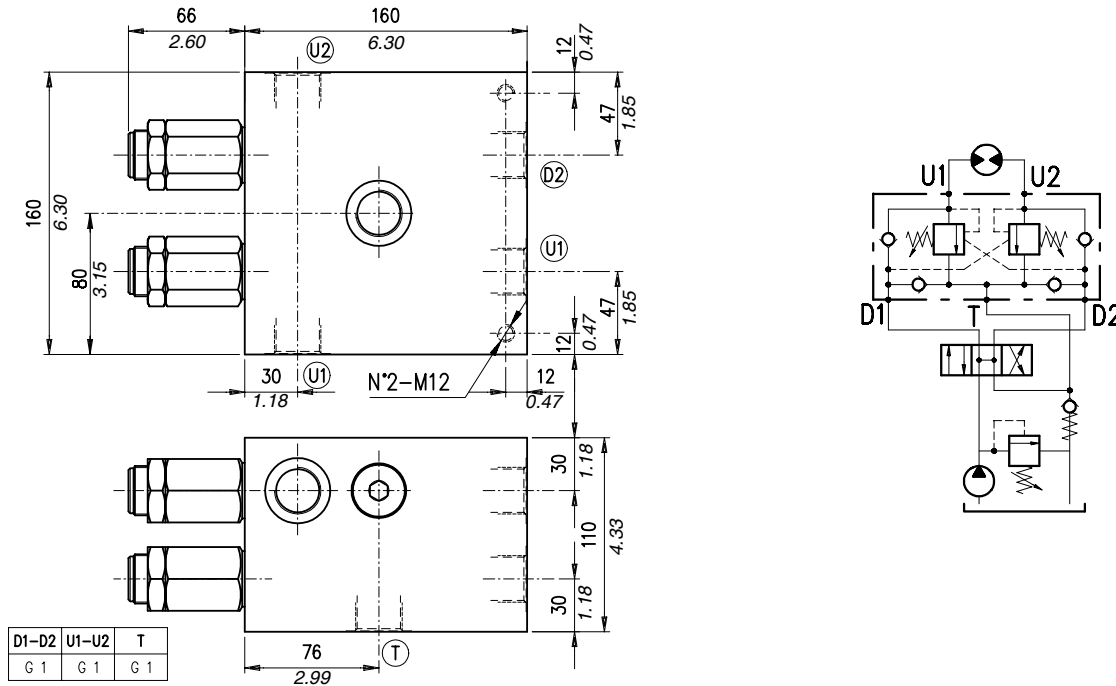


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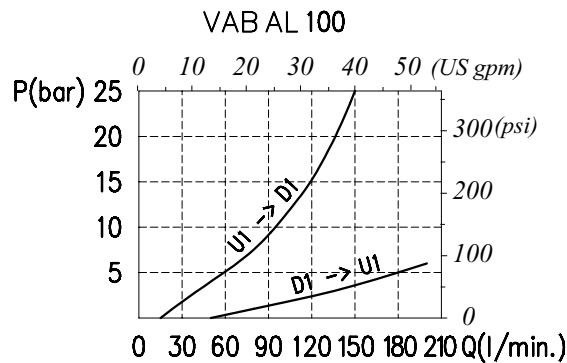


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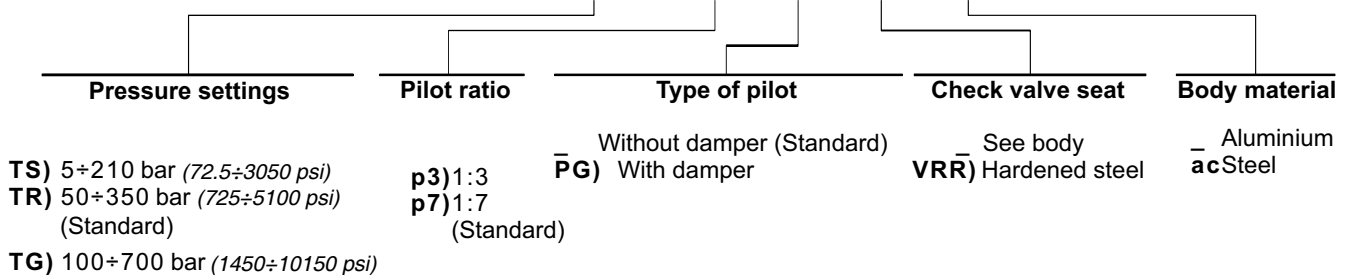
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Typical pressure drop vs. flow characteristics

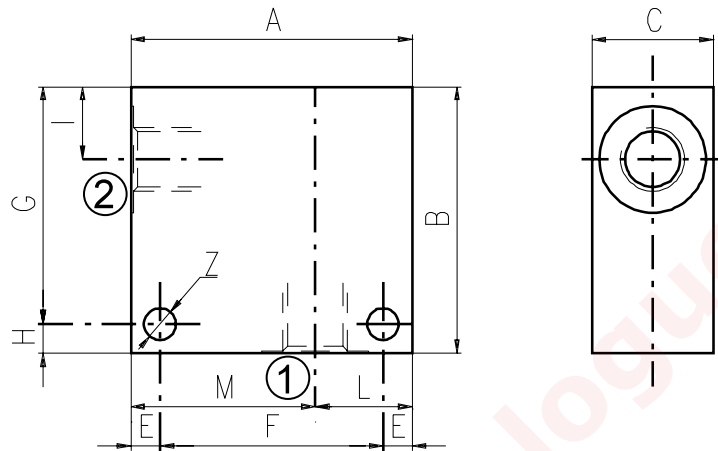


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Material	Max. pressure	
	bar	psi
Alluminium	210	3050
Steel	350	5100



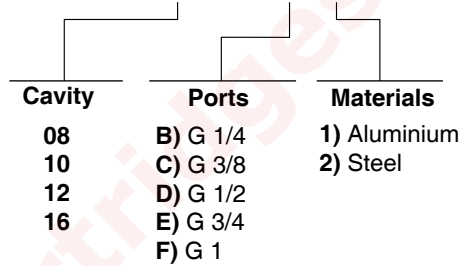
Cavity	Ports		A	B	C	E	F	G	H	I	L	M	Z
SAE 8/2	G 1/2	mm	70	65	35	7	56	53	12	14,5	35	35	6,5
		in	2.75	2.56	1.38	0.27	2.20	2.09	0.47	0.57	1.38	1.38	0.25
	G 1/4	mm	50	50	30	6	38	44	6	14,8	20	30	6,5
		in	1.97	1.97	1.18	0.24	1.50	1.73	0.24	0.58	0.79	1.18	0.25
	G 3/8	mm	50	50	30	6	38	44	6	14,8	20	30	6,5
		in	1.97	1.97	1.18	0.24	1.50	1.73	0.24	0.58	0.79	1.18	0.25
	SAE6	mm	50	50	30	6	38	44	6	14,8	20	30	6,5
		in	1.97	1.97	1.18	0.24	1.50	1.73	0.24	0.58	0.79	1.18	0.25
SAE 10/2	G 1/4	mm	60	60	35	6	48	54	6	18,8	25	35	6,5
		in	2.36	2.36	1.38	0.24	1.89	2.12	0.24	0.74	0.98	1.38	0.25
	G 3/8	mm	60	60	35	6	48	54	6	18,8	25	35	6,5
		in	2.36	2.36	1.38	0.24	1.89	2.12	0.24	0.74	0.98	1.38	0.25
	G 1/2	mm	60	60	35	6	48	54	6	18,8	25	35	6,5
		in	2.36	2.36	1.38	0.24	1.89	2.12	0.24	0.74	0.98	1.38	0.25
	SAE8	mm	60	70	35	6	48	64	6	18,8	25	35	6,5
		in	2.36	2.75	1.38	0.24	1.89	2.52	0.24	0.74	0.98	1.38	0.25
	SAE10	mm	70	70	35	6	58	64	6	18,5	35	35	6,5
		in	2.75	2.75	1.38	0.24	2.28	2.52	0.24	0.73	1.38	1.38	0.25
	SAE12	mm	70	70	40	8	54	62	8	22	30	40	8,5
		in	2.75	2.75	1.57	0.31	2.12	2.44	0.31	0.87	1.18	1.57	0.33
SAE 12/2	G 1/2	mm	70	80	40	8	54	72	8	25	30	40	8,5
		in	2.75	3.15	1.57	0.31	2.12	2.83	0.31	0.98	1.18	1.57	0.33
	G 3/4	mm	70	90	40	8	54	82	8	25	30	40	8,5
		in	2.75	3.54	1.57	0.31	2.12	3.23	0.31	0.98	1.18	1.57	0.33
	SAE10	mm	70	85	40	8	54	77	8	25	30	40	8,5
		in	2.75	3.35	1.57	0.31	2.12	3.03	0.31	0.98	1.18	1.57	0.33
	SAE12	mm	70	85	40	8	54	77	8	25	30	40	8,5
		in	2.75	3.35	1.57	0.31	2.12	3.03	0.31	0.98	1.18	1.57	0.33



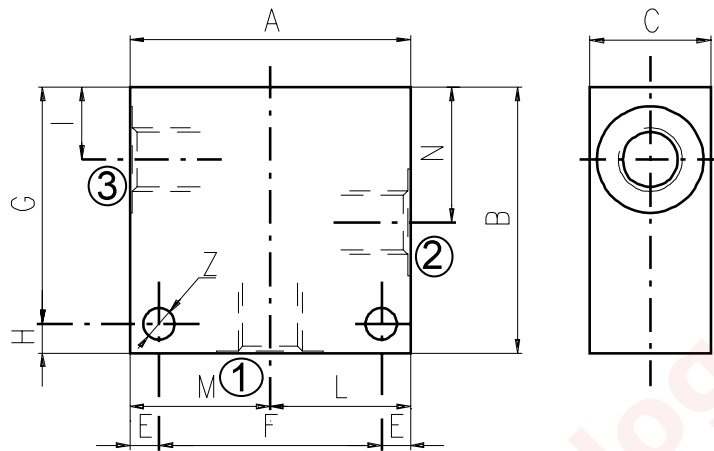
Cavity	Ports	A	B	C	E	F	G	H	I	L	M	Z	
SAE 16/2	G 1/2	mm	80	90	50	10	60	80	10	25	35	45	10,5
		in	3.15	3.54	1.97	0.39	2.36	3.15	0.39	0.98	1.38	1.77	0.41
	G 3/4	mm	80	90	50	10	60	80	10	25	35	45	10,5
		in	3.15	3.54	1.97	0.39	2.36	3.15	0.39	0.98	1.38	1.77	0.41
	G 1	mm	85	100	60	10	65	90	10	23,5	40	45	10,5
		in	3.35	3.94	2.36	0.39	2.56	3.54	0.39	0.92	1.57	1.77	0.41
	SAE12	mm	80	90	50	10	60	80	10	25	35	45	10,5
		in	3.15	3.54	1.97	0.39	2.36	3.15	0.39	0.98	1.38	1.77	0.41
	SAE16	mm	80	100	50	10	60	90	10	25	35	45	10,5
		in	3.15	3.94	1.97	0.39	2.36	3.54	0.39	0.98	1.38	1.77	0.41

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Material	Max. pressure	
	bar	psi
Alluminium	210	3050
Steel	350	5100

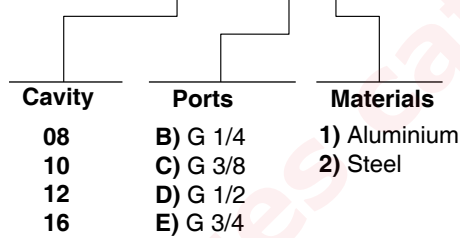


Cavity	Ports		A	B	C	E	F	G	H	I	L	M	N	Z
SAE 8/3	G 1/4	mm	60	60	30	7	46	48	12	14,8	30	30	29,1	6,5
		in	2.36	2.36	1.18	0.27	1.81	1.89	0.47	0.58	1.18	1.18	1.14	0.25
	G 3/8	mm	60	60	30	7	46	48	12	14,5	30	30	29,1	6,5
		in	2.36	2.36	1.18	0.27	1.81	1.89	0.47	0.57	1.18	1.18	1.14	0.25
	G 1/2	mm	70	65	35	7	56	53	12	14,5	35	35	29,1	6,5
		in	2.75	2.56	1.38	0.27	2.20	2.09	0.47	0.57	1.38	1.38	1.14	0.25
SAE6	mm	60	60	30	7	46	48	12	14,5	30	30	29,1	6,5	
	in	2.36	2.36	1.18	0.27	1.81	1.89	0.47	0.57	1.18	1.18	1.14	0.25	
SAE 10/3	G 1/4	mm	60	65	35	6	48	59	6	18	30	30	34,5	7
		in	2.36	2.56	1.38	0.24	1.89	2.32	0.24	0.70	1.18	1.18	1.36	0.27
	G 3/8	mm	60	65	35	6	48	59	6	18,8	30	30	34,5	7
		in	2.36	2.56	1.38	0.24	1.89	2.32	0.24	0.74	1.18	1.18	1.36	0.27
	G 1/2	mm	65	70	35	6	53	64	6	18,8	32,5	32,5	34,5	7
		in	2.56	2.75	1.38	0.24	2.09	2.52	0.24	0.74	1.28	1.28	1.36	0.27
SAE6	mm	65	70	35	6	53	64	6	18,8	32,5	32,5	34,5	7	
	in	2.56	2.75	1.38	0.24	2.09	2.52	0.24	0.74	1.28	1.28	1.36	0.27	
SAE8	mm	65	70	35	6	53	64	6	18,8	32,5	32,5	34,5	7	
	in	2.56	2.75	1.38	0.24	2.09	2.52	0.24	0.74	1.28	1.28	1.36	0.27	
SAE 12/3	G 1/2	mm	70	100	40	8	54	92	8	25	35	35	53,5	8,5
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		in	3.54	3.94	1.97	0.39	2.75	3.54	0.39	0.99	1.77	1.77	2.11	0.41
	SAE10	mm	80	100	40	8	64	92	8	25	40	40	53,5	8,5
		in	3.15	3.94	1.57	0.31	2.52	3.6	0.31	0.98	1.57	1.57	2.11	0.33
SAE12	mm	80	100	45	8	64	92	8	25	40	40	53,5	8,5	
	in	3.15	3.94	1.77	0.31	2.52	3.6	0.31	0.98	1.57	1.57	2.11	0.33	

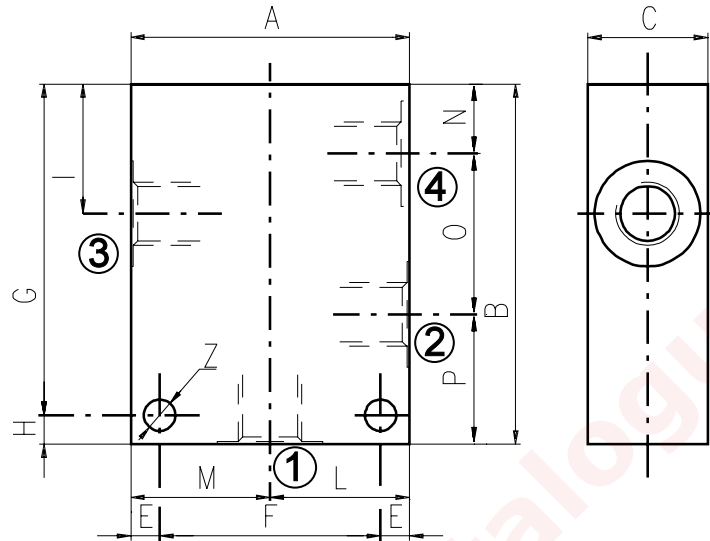
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	SAE12	mm	90	105	50	10	70	95	10	25,1	45	45	53,5	10,5
		in	3.54	4.13	1.97	0.39	2.75	3.74	0.39	0.99	1.77	1.77	2.11	0.41
	SAE16	mm	90	105	50	10	70	95	10	25,1	45	45	53,5	10,5
		in	3.54	4.13	1.97	0.39	2.75	3.74	0.39	0.99	1.77	1.77	2.11	0.41

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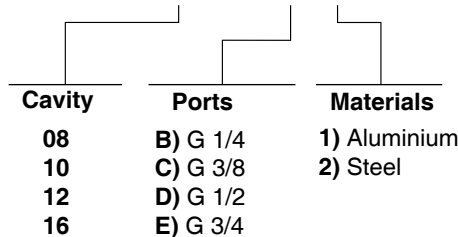
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Alluminium	210	3050
Steel	350	5100



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SAE 8/4	G 1/4	mm	60	75	30	7	46	63	12	29,1	30	30	14,8	29,1	31,1	6,5
		in	2.36	2.95	1.18	0.27	1.81	2.48	0.47	1.14	1.18	1.18	0.58	1.14	1.22	0.25
	SAE6	mm	60	75	30	7	46	63	12	29,1	30	30	14,8	29,1	31,1	6,5
		in	2.36	2.95	1.18	0.27	1.81	2.48	0.47	1.14	1.18	1.18	0.58	1.14	1.22	0.25
SAE 10/4	G 3/8	mm	60	85	35	6	48	79	6	34,5	30	30	18,8	31,7	34,5	7
		in	2.36	3.35	1.38	0.24	1.89	3.11	0.24	1.36	1.18	1.18	0.74	1.25	1.36	0.27
	G 1/2	mm	70	85	35	6	58	79	6	34,5	35	35	18,8	31,7	34,5	7
		in	2.75	3.35	1.38	0.24	2.28	3.11	0.24	1.36	1.38	1.38	0.74	1.25	1.36	0.27
	SAE6	mm	60	85	35	6	48	79	6	34,5	30	30	18,8	31,7	34,5	7
		in	2.36	3.35	1.38	0.24	1.89	3.11	0.24	1.36	1.18	1.18	0.74	1.25	1.36	0.27
SAE8	mm	70	85	35	6	58	79	6	34,5	35	35	18,8	31,7	34,5	7	
	in	2.75	3.35	1.38	0.24	2.28	3.11	0.24	1.36	1.38	1.38	0.74	1.25	1.36	0.27	
SAE 12/4	G 1/2	mm	80	115	40	8	64	107	8	44	40	40	22	44,5	48,5	8,5
		in	3.15	4.53	1.57	0.31	2.52	4.21	0.31	1.73	1.57	1.57	0.87	1.75	1.9	0.33
	SAE10	mm	80	115	40	8	64	107	8	44	40	40	22	44,5	48,5	8,5
		in	3.15	4.53	1.57	0.31	2.52	4.21	0.31	1.73	1.57	1.57	0.87	1.75	1.9	0.33
SAE 16/4	G 3/4	mm	100	130	50	10	80	120	10	53,5	50	50	25,1	56,9	48	10,5
		in	3.94	5.12	1.97	0.39	3.15	4.72	0.39	2.11	1.97	1.97	0.99	2.24	1.89	0.41

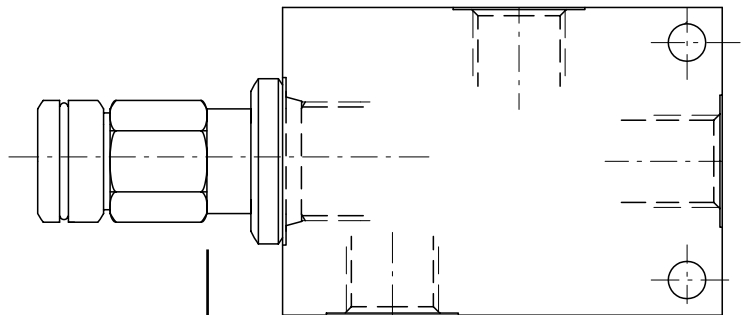
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# Informations

## How to order valves with body



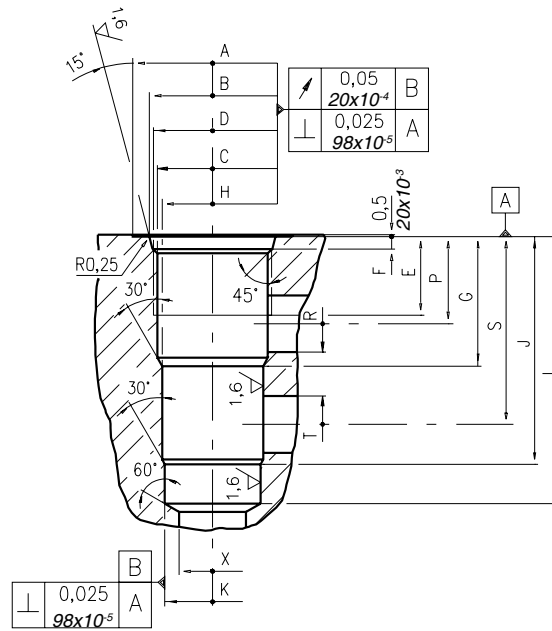
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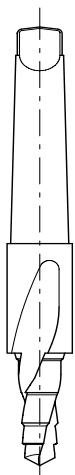
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08	B) G 1/4	1) Aluminium
10	C) G 3/8	
12	D) G 1/2	
16	E) G 3/4	
	F) G 1	
	J) SAE 6	2) Steel
	K) SAE 8	
	L) SAE 10	
	M) SAE 12	
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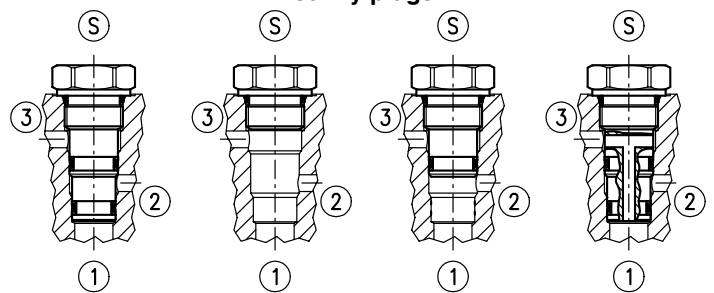
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08/3	mm	27	20,66	17,42	3/4-16 UNF	12,50	2,5	19,10	15,90	33,30	14,30	43,30	-	-	14,30	5,50	28,60	5,50	-	-	12,50	-	-
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	in	1.50	1.15	0.97		0.75	0.14	1.44	0.94	2.5	0.88	2.97			0.96	0.63	2.09	0.63			0.75		
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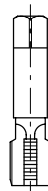
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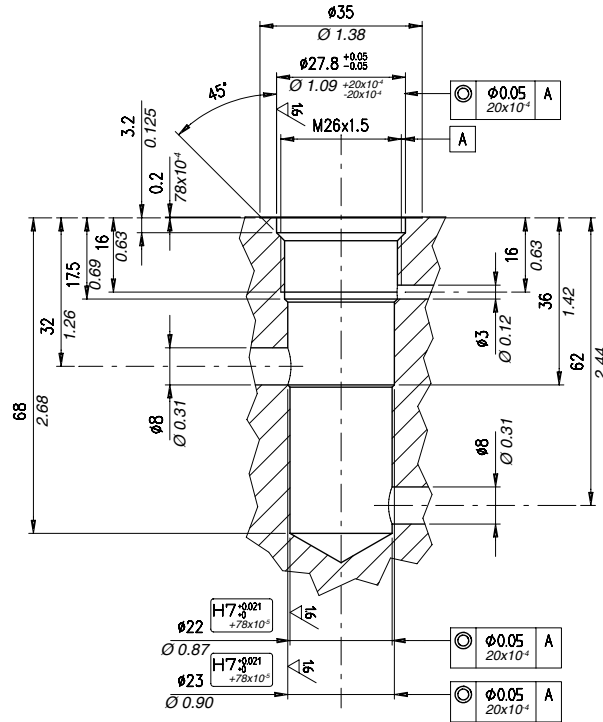


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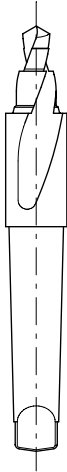
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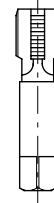
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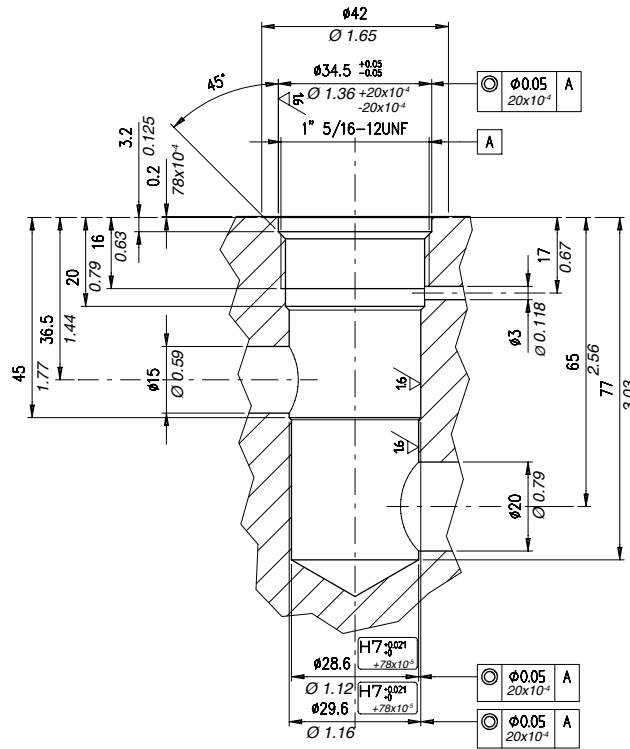


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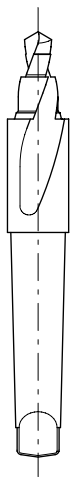




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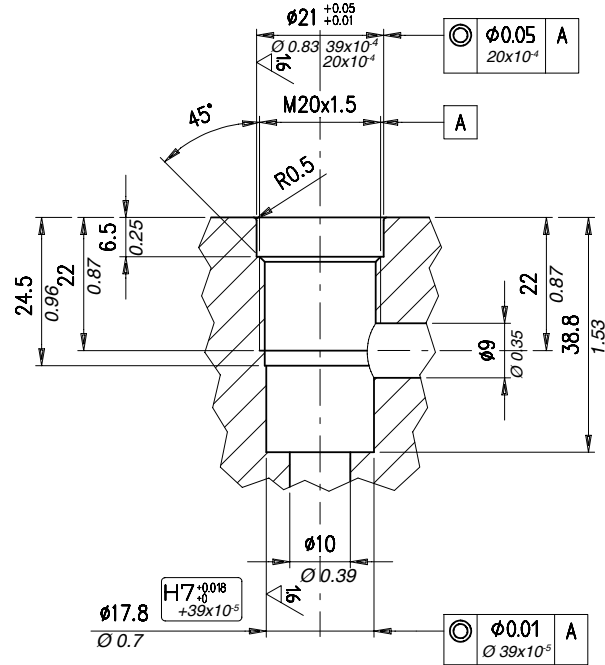
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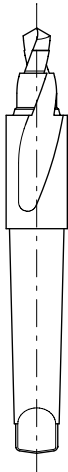


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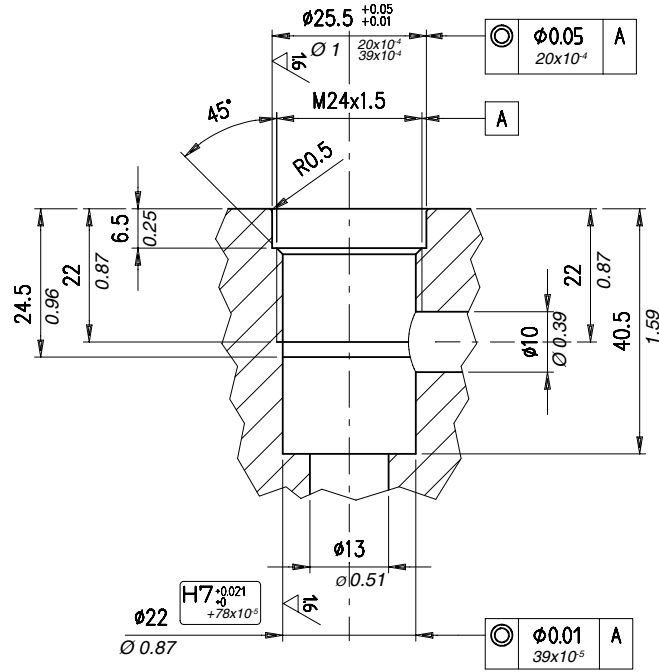
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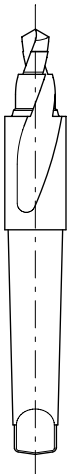
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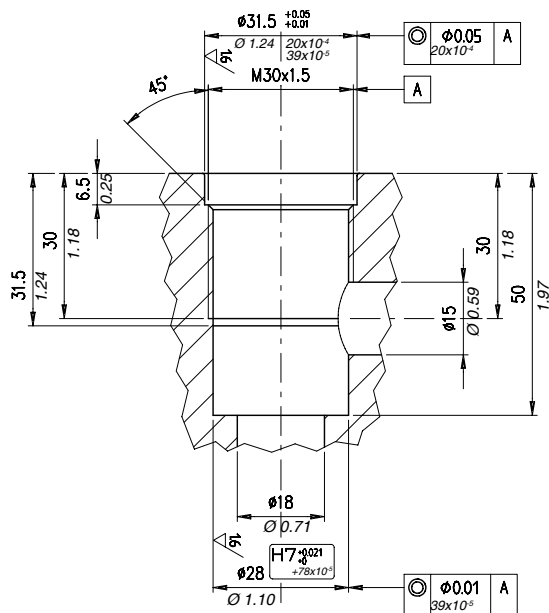
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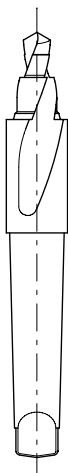
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## Dimensions



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