

SERIES S1

Standard version rodless cylinders



SERIES S5

Rodless cylinders with integrated guides



SERIES VL1

Rodless cylinders with 90° integrated guides





EXAMINATION AND VERIFICATION OF THE CUSHIONING

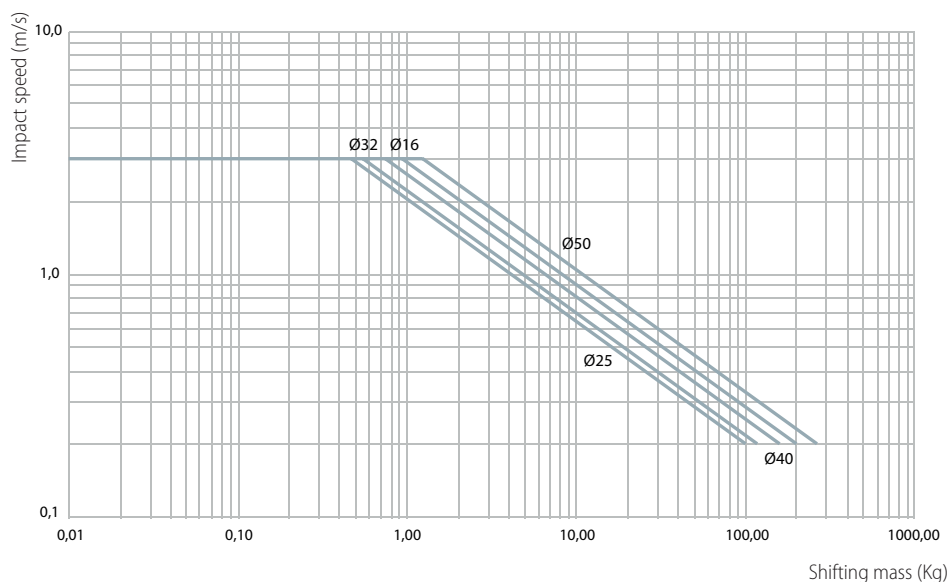
In a system with moving masses, as in the case of rodless cylinders, it is essential to control the dissipation of the system's kinetic energy as it is brought to a stop. First of all, it is necessary to establish and verify the most suitable method for cushioning the system, in order to avoid the moving mass (carriage with load) striking against the end-caps and compromising the life of the cylinder.

If the point corresponding to a given load and speed lies beneath the appropriate curve, the cushioning is able to absorb the kinetic energy of the system.

Vice versa if the point lies above the curve, the cushioning is not able to absorb the kinetic energy. In that case you must:

- decrease the load and maintain the translation speed
- decrease the speed and maintain the load
- select a cylinder with a bigger bore or with twin chambers

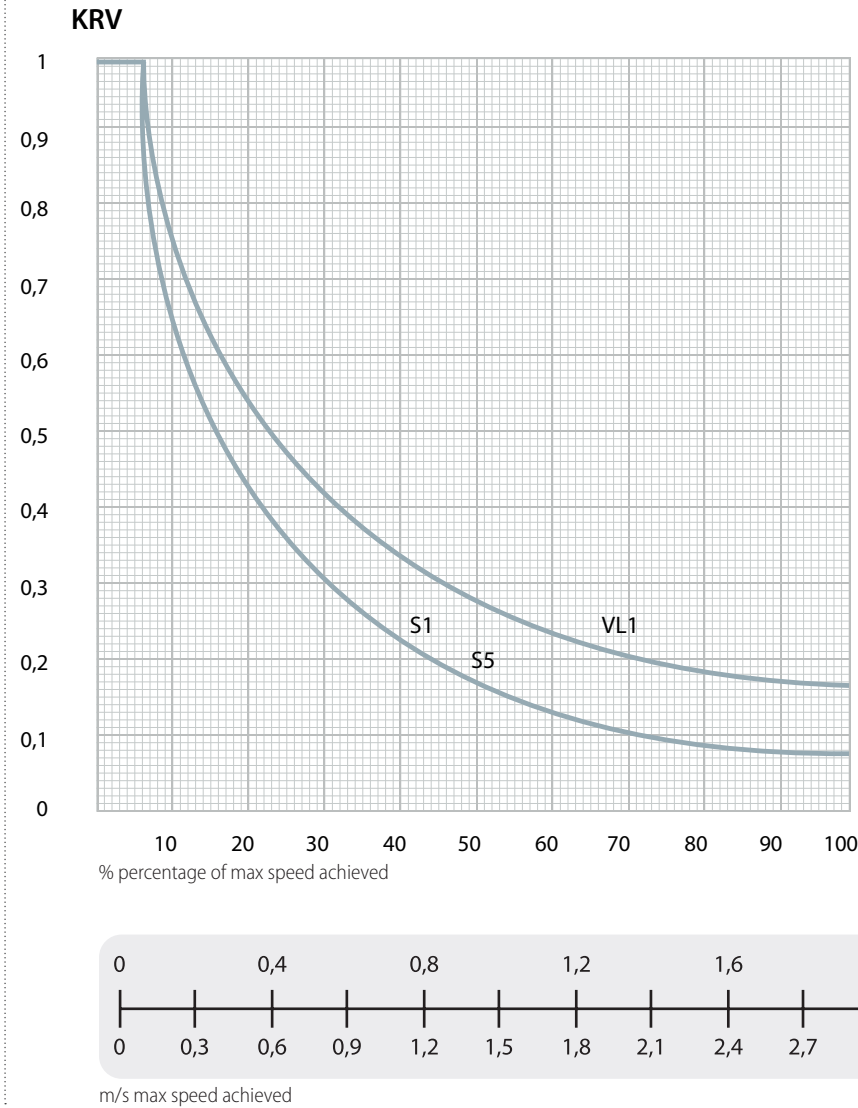
The cushioning capacity is shown in the diagram below, referenced to the final speed as the carriage approaches the end-caps for S1- S5 - VL1 series.



As a result, if cushionings can not absorb the kinetic energy and changing the working parameters is not possible, it is necessary to provide an additional hydraulic shock absorber (YDA / YDR series) to reduce the load speed before the cushionings operate.



DYNAMIC LOAD CAPACITY



1. Calculation of the operational speed percentage in relation to the max allowable speed:

$$\% = \frac{\text{Operational speed (m/s)}}{\text{Max. allowable speed (m/s)}} \cdot 100$$

2. Apply the following formula for the calculation of the max. dynamic load:

$$CD = CM \cdot KRV$$

CD = Max. dynamic load (N)

CM = Max. static load (N). See relevant load tables for the various series

KRV = System coefficient (which acts to reduce the max. load based on the system speed)



CYLINDER SELECTION

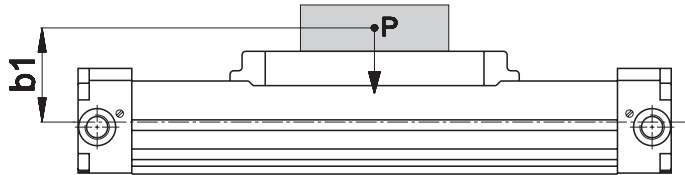
As previously discussed, it is necessary to produce (for a correct use of the cylinder) a gradual deceleration of the moving mass.



CYLINDER WITH LOAD MOUNTED DIRECTLY ON THE CARRIAGE (EXAMPLE A)

Let us consider the case of a S1 series cylinder with a load of 50 N placed on the carriage, at the max. translation speed of 1,2 m/s., as shown in the picture. Verify the cushioning capacity and calculate the capacity of the dynamic load and of the torque and bending moments..

P 50 N
V 1,2 m/s
b1 110 mm



VERIFICATION OF THE CUSHIONING CAPACITY

According to the graph 50 bore size cylinder is able to absorb the developed kinetic energy developed by the application in the picture above, since the intersection point corresponding to the speed and load lies beneath the cushioning curve.



VERIFICATION AND CALCULATION OF THE DYNAMIC LOAD CAPACITY

Using the equation 1, we can calculate the percentage between the operation speed and allowable speed.

$$\% = \frac{\text{Operational speed (m/s)}}{\text{Max. allowable speed (m/s)}} \cdot 100 = \frac{1,2 \text{ m/s}}{3 \text{ m/s}} \cdot 100 = 40\%$$

From the graph we can determine the KRV (coefficient of speed reduction)

$$\text{KRV} = 0,24$$

Applying the equation 2 we can determine the max. permitted dynamic load.

$$\text{CD} = \text{CM} \cdot \text{KRV}$$

CD = Dynamic load

CM = Static load 500 N (see table for S1 50mm cylinder series - P1)

$$\text{CD} = 500 \cdot 0,24 = 120 \text{ N}$$

As $P (50 \text{ N}) < \text{CD} (120 \text{ N})$ the S1 series 50 bore cylinder is suitable for the application

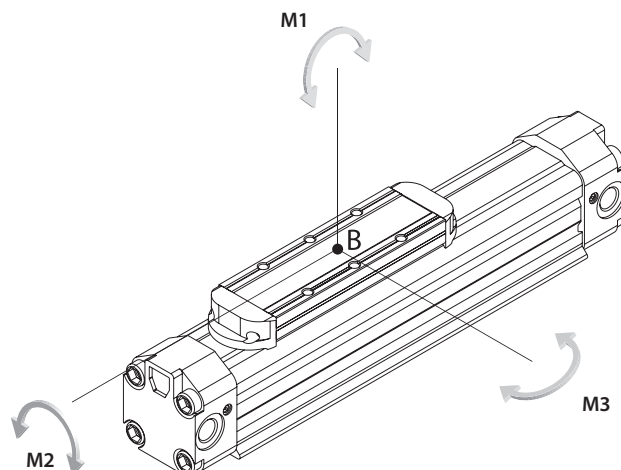


CARRIAGE STRESSES

Different load applications have different moments M1 - M2 - M3, which directly influence the life of the cylinder.

By selecting a cylinder that can support off-set loads, we can avoid compromising the cylinder life.

Load must be applied, if possible, so that it acts through the centre point B (see picture).





CALCULATION OF THE TORQUE M1 - M2 - M3

In order to calculate the various moments, which act on the carriage, we must calculate the force, generated by the load, when it is subjected to accelerations and decelerations.

$$a = \frac{V^2}{2L \cdot 10^{-3}} = (\text{m/sec.}^2)$$

$$a = \frac{1,22}{2 \cdot 52 \cdot 10^{-3}} = 13,8 (\text{m/sec.}^2)$$

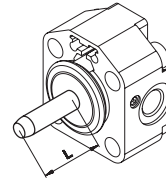
$$F = m \cdot a$$

$$F = \text{Force} \quad m = \text{Mass (P/9,81)}$$

$$F = \frac{50}{9,81} \cdot 13,8 = 70 \text{ N}$$

$$M1 = F \cdot b1$$

CUSHION LENGTH



Ø	L mm
16	16,5
25	25
32	32,5
40	41,5
50	52

a = Acceleration/deceleration

V = Speed in m/s.

L = Cushion length in mm

M1 = Torque

b1 = Distance between the centre of gravity of load P and the centre of gravity through the cylinder centre line.

The **example A** is subjected to the moment M1 as the load decelerates through the cushion.

$$M1 = 70 \cdot 110 = 7700 \text{ N mm} = 7,7 \text{ Nm}$$

The equation gives the following result:

$$M1 = 7,7 \text{ Nm} < 19 \text{ Nm (see table for S1 50mm cylinder series - M1)}$$

Thus S1 series, bore size 50, with standard carriage is suitable for the movement of the load in the given conditions. If the calculated value is equal to or higher than the value given in the table, it is necessary to select a different size of carriage, or a different type of rodless cylinder (e.g with integrated slide)

ATTENTION!

If the translation speed of **example A** is 2 m/s instead of 1,2 m/s, the cushioning capacity of the cylinder, given in the example, will not be enough to absorb the kinetic energy generated by the moving load. Therefore it is necessary to reduce the translation speed before reaching the cushion, by means of shock absorbers until the value is 1,2 m/s (for example).



SIZING OF A POSSIBLE HYDRAULIC SHOCK ABSORBER

The hydraulic shock absorber must be mounted, so as to strike the centre of gravity of the load.

$$Ec = \frac{1}{2} \cdot m \cdot V^2$$

Ec = Kinetic energy

m = Mass (P/9,81)

V = Translation speed (2 m/s)

P = Weight 50 N

9,81 = Acceleration of the centre of gravity

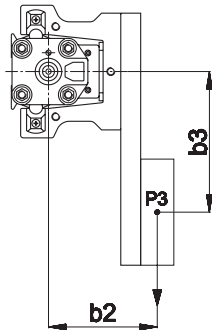
$$Ec = \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{50}{9,81} \cdot 2^2 = \frac{200}{19,62} = 10 \text{ Nm}$$

In this case the hydraulic shock absorber must have a capacity greater than or equal to 10 Nm.



CYLINDER WITH MISALIGNED LOAD (PICTURE B)

Let us suppose that we want to move a load of 50 N displaced at a distance B3 from the central axis, at a maximum translation speed of 1,2 m/s. Due to the misaligned load a cylinder with an external carriage is required and we must verify if a S5 cylinder with integrated slide is suitable for this application.



$$P3 = 50 \text{ N}$$

$$V = 1,2 \text{ m/s}$$

$$b2 = 150 \text{ mm}$$

$$b3 = 200 \text{ mm}$$



VERIFICATION OF THE CUSHIONING CAPACITY

The S5 series cylinder (graph on page 22), 40 mm bore, can absorb the kinetic energy developed by the 50 N load at a speed of 1,2 m/s.



VERIFICATION AND CALCULATION OF THE CARRIAGE MOMENTS

Using the equation we can calculate the percentage of the max. speed as follows.

$$\% = \frac{\text{Operational speed (m/s)}}{\text{Max. allowable speed (m/s)}} \cdot 100 = \frac{1,2 \text{ m/s}}{3 \text{ m/s}} \cdot 100 = 40\%$$

From the graph given on page 23 we can determine the KRV coefficient.

$$KRV = 0,24$$

Applying the equation 2 on page 23 we can determine the max. allowable dynamic load.

$$CD = CM \cdot KRV$$

CD = Dynamic load

CM = Static load 600 N (see table for S5 50mm cylinder series)

$$CD = 600 \cdot 0,24 = 144 \text{ N}$$

As $P3 (50 \text{ N}) < CD (144 \text{ N})$ the S5 series 40 bore cylinder is suitable for the application.



CALCULATION AND VERIFICATION OF THE CARRIAGE MOMENTS

As load P is misaligned (B3) from the central axis of the cylinder, the carriage is acted on by a significant moment M3, so that it is necessary to use a cylinder with an external carriage.



CALCULATION OF THE MOMENTS M1 - M2 - M3 AND CARRIAGE SELECTION

$$a = \frac{V^2}{2 \cdot L \cdot 0,3} = (\text{m/sec.}^2)$$

$$a = \frac{1,2^2}{2 \cdot 41,5 \cdot 10^{-3}} = 17,3 (\text{m/sec.}^2)$$

$$F = m \cdot a = \frac{P}{9,81} \cdot 17,3 = \frac{50}{9,81} \cdot 17,3 = 88 \text{ N}$$

a = Acceleration/deceleration

m = Mass (P/9,81)

F = Force

P = Weight in N

9,81 = Centre of gravity acceleration

L = Length in mm of the internal cushion (see on page 25)

V = Speed in m/s

THE EXAMPLE IS SUBJECTED TO MOMENTS M1 - M2 - M3

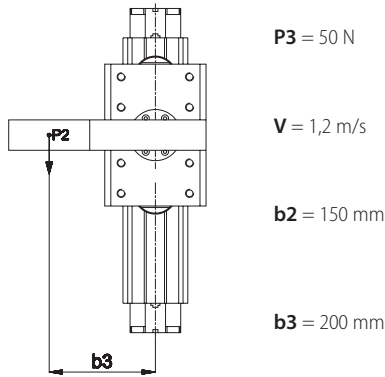
torque	Torque calculation	Maximum allowable torque
$M1 = F \times b2$	$88 \times 150 = 13200 \text{ N-mm} = 13,2 \text{ N-m}$	60 Nm
$M2 = P \times b2$	$50 \times 150 = 7500 \text{ N-mm} = 7,5 \text{ N-m}$	30 Nm
$M3 = F \times b3$	$88 \times 200 = 17600 \text{ N-mm} = 17,6 \text{ N-m}$	80 Nm

By comparing the calculated values to the max values on page 12, it can be deduced that the medium carriage is suitable for this application.



CYLINDER WITH MISALIGNED LOAD IN VERTICAL POSITION

In this instance let us suppose to verify if a 40 mm bore VL1 series cylinder, in the vertical plane, is sufficient to move a 50 N load misaligned at a distance b_3 , at a speed of 1,2 m/s.



ATTENTION!

By checking the data given in the example, we note that the cylinder, in the vertical position, is not able to cushion the load and it is therefore necessary to use a 50 mm bore cylinder or an external shock absorber (see on page 26). Now we must calculate the dynamic load capacity and the developed moments. To obtain the value of the KRV coefficient follow the procedure as given in the examples, which will result in a coefficient of KRV 0,24 (SEE PICTURES A AND B).

$$CD = CM \cdot KRV = 1100 \cdot 0,24 = 264 \text{ N}$$

$$P < CD$$

The cylinder is therefore able to move the applied load.

In this application the moment M_2 is not generated, as no force is acting transversally to the moving axis; therefore we must calculate only the moments M_1 and M_3 .

$$F = m \cdot a$$

$$a = \frac{V^2}{2L \cdot 10^{-3}} = 17,3 \text{ (m/sec}^2\text{) (esempio B)}$$

$$F = m \cdot a = 88 \text{ N (esempio B)}$$

THE EXAMPLE IS SUBJECTED TO MOMENTS M_1 - M_2 - M_3

torque	Torque calculation	Maximum allowable torque
$M_1 = F \times b_1$	$88 \times 110 = 9680 \text{ Nmm} = 9,68 \text{ Nm}$	120 Nm
$M_3 = F \times b_3$	$88 \times 200 = 17600 \text{ Nmm} = 17,6 \text{ Nm}$	120 Nm

By comparing the obtained values with the maximum values in table at page 18, we can verify that the cylinder is proper, but in order to cushion the vertical load, we must either use an external cushion, increase the cylinder bore size or use another cylinder series.

FOR A CORRECT USE SEE THE FOLLOWING INSTRUCTIONS:

1. For a longer life of the cylinder it is suggested to use the cylinder at a speed of 1 m/s
2. If the cushioning value is in proximity to the max. value, please apply an additional shock absorber
3. If the cylinder is used vertically, the cushioning capacity is reduced by 40%.
4. Maintain a correct and constant lubrication.

SERIES S1 - RODLESS CYLINDERS STANDARD VERSION



TECNICAL CHARACTERISTICS

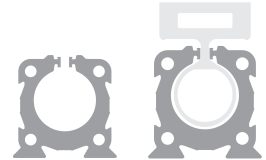


Reference standard

II 2G Ex h IIC T5 Gb



II 2D Ex h IIC T100°C Db



Pressure

3 bar ÷ 10 bar



Temperature

- 20 °C ÷ + 80 °C



Fluid

filtered air, with or without lubrication



Recommended sensors

DH- DHF
DF only for Ø 16



Bore

16 - 25 - 32 - 40 - 50 mm



Standard strokes

Strokes up to 6000 mm



Operation

Double-acting, magnetically cushioned rodless cylinder. Aluminium profile, Ø16-50 mm, high-speed operation up to 3 m/s. Customizable configurations with carriage and integrated guide available on request.



Materials and Components

- End caps: zinc alloy (Ø16), die-cast aluminium (Ø25-50)
- Barrel: anodized aluminium
- Piston: aluminium
- Guide carriage: acetal resin
- Double-lip NBR piston seal
- NBR cushioning pads on both ends
- Neodymium magnet

Series	Type	Left-hand side power supply	Right-hand side power supply	Bore (mm)	Stroke (mm)	Magnetic variant
S 1	0	1	1	2 5	1 0 0 0	M
S1 Rodless Cylinders Standard version standard Ø 16÷50 mm	0 Standard carriage 2 Medium carriage (except for Ø16) 3 Long carriage (except for Ø16)	0 No supply port (both chambers are supplied from the right end-cap) 1 Side supply port (except for Ø16) 2 Bottom supply port (except for Ø16) 3 Rear supply port (except for Ø16)	1 Side supply port (except for Ø16) 2 Bottom supply port (except for Ø16) 3 Bottom supply port (except for Ø16) 4 Rear supply ports for both chambers on the right end-cap 5 Side supply ports for both chambers on the right end-cap (only for Ø16)	16 = Ø16 25 = Ø25 32 = Ø32 40 = Ø40 50 = Ø50	Up to 5000 (Ø 16) Up to 6000 (Ø 25÷50)	M Standard magnetic version

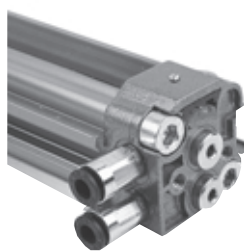


END-CAPS

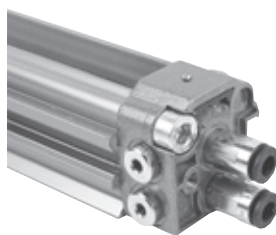
End-caps in die-cast light alloy with various supply port options. The unique method of stripseal attachment permits easy assembly and disassembly, without the need for tools or the necessity for continuous adjustment.

Ø 16 MM

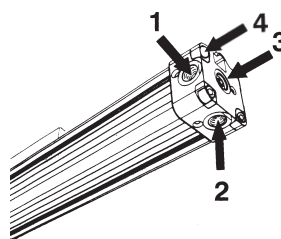
Ø 25 ÷ 50 MM



Double side supply ports



Double rear supply ports



0 = no supply port (on left end-cap only when both chambers are supplied from the right end-cap)

1= side

2= bottom

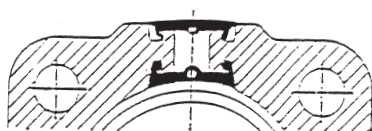
3= rear

4= both chambers supplied from one end-cap



SLIDEWAY SEALING

The pneumatic sealing is achieved through an axial elastomer stripseal reinforced with Kevlar. This system guarantees dimensional stability even with high speeds. The external protection seal consists of a thermoplastic stripseal reinforced with Kevlar.



PISTON-CARRIAGE ASSEMBLY

In extruded aluminium alloy with thermoplastic plane guide bearings. The piston is fitted with double lip seals which automatically self-compensate against wear. Pistons with permanent magnets are available upon request (S1 series only).

BARREL

In extruded aluminium alloy with internal and external anodisation.

CUSHIONINGS

Pneumatic adjustable cushionings with two regulation screws in each end-cap allow an improved regulation of piston deceleration.

MECHANICAL SHOCK ABSORBERS

Mechanical rubber shock absorbers avoid mechanical stress and reduce machinery noise (below 50 dB).

STROKE TOLERANCES

Ø	mm
16	+2,5 -0
25	+2,5 -0
32	+3,2 -0
40	+3,2 -0
50	+3,2 -0

Ø	CYLINDER MASS STANDARD CARRIAGE	CYLINDER MASS MEDIUM CARRIAGE	CYLINDER MASS LONG CARRIAGE	Increase for 100 mm stroke
	Cylinder - stroke 0 g	Cylinder - stroke 0 g	Cylinder - stroke 0 g	
16	310	-	-	104
25	750	840	1050	210
32	1310	1480	1930	325
40	2600	2910	3800	555
50	4785	5550	7330	955


Theoretical forces (N) at different working pressure (bar) Static load value (N) and torque (Nm)

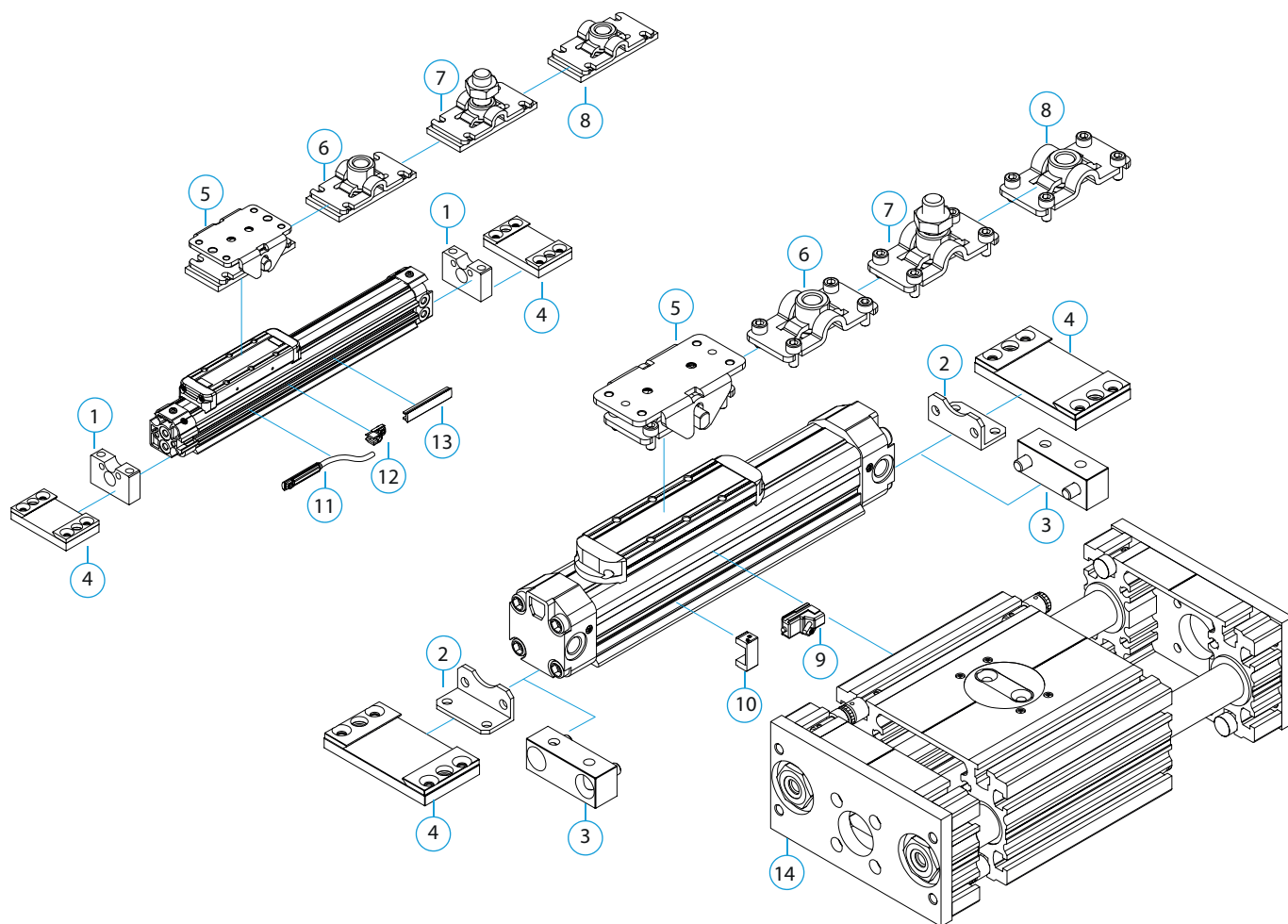
Please note that in dynamic conditions, the load must be reduced due to effects associated with the speed.

A moment is the product of the load (Newton) and the arm (meters), i.e the distance between the centre of gravity of the load and the longitudinal axis of the piston.

Force 6 bar	P1	Load P2	P3	Bending moment M1	Torque M2	Bending moment M3

Ø	Force F (N)	Load			Standard carriage			Medium carriage			Long carriage		
		P1 (N)	P2 (N)	P3 (N)	M1 (Nm)	M2(a) (Nm)	M3 (Nm)	M1 (Nm)	M2(a) (Nm)	M3 (Nm)	M1 (Nm)	M2 (Nm)	M3 (Nm)
16	125	100	100	25	5	0,2	0,8	-	-	-	-	-	-
25	250	200	200	50	8	2	3	14	3	5	15	6	9
32	420	250	250	65	9	3	4	15	4	7	28	8	12
40	640	350	350	90	11	9	14	16	14	20	31	27	39
50	1050	500	500	125	19	13	19	29	20	30	52	36	53

(a) = Using the cylinder with heavy stress is not recommended

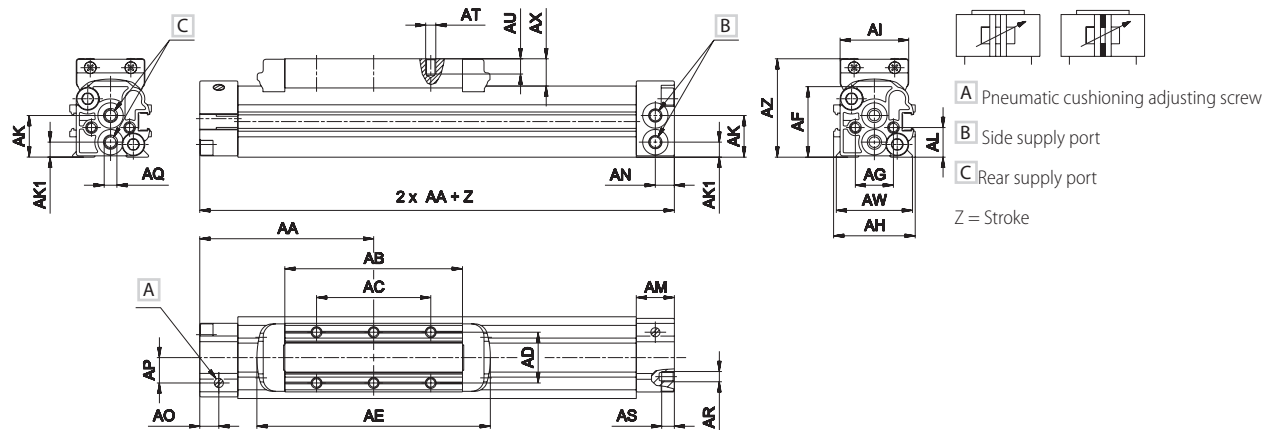
FIXING ELEMENTS AND ACCESSORIES


1	Bracket Ø16 SF-13
2	Angle bracket Ø25-32 SF-13
3	Bracket Ø40-50 SF-13
4	Fixing plate SF-12
5	Oscillating bracket SF-24
6	Female threaded connection SF-26
7	Male threaded pin SF-27
8	Female connection without thread SF-28
9	sensor DH
10	sensor fixing plate DH-S
11	DF sensor (Ø16 only)
12	Cable clamping for DF sensor (Ø16 only) DF-001
13	DHF covering strip (Ø16 only) DHF-0020100
14	Slide unit J30A

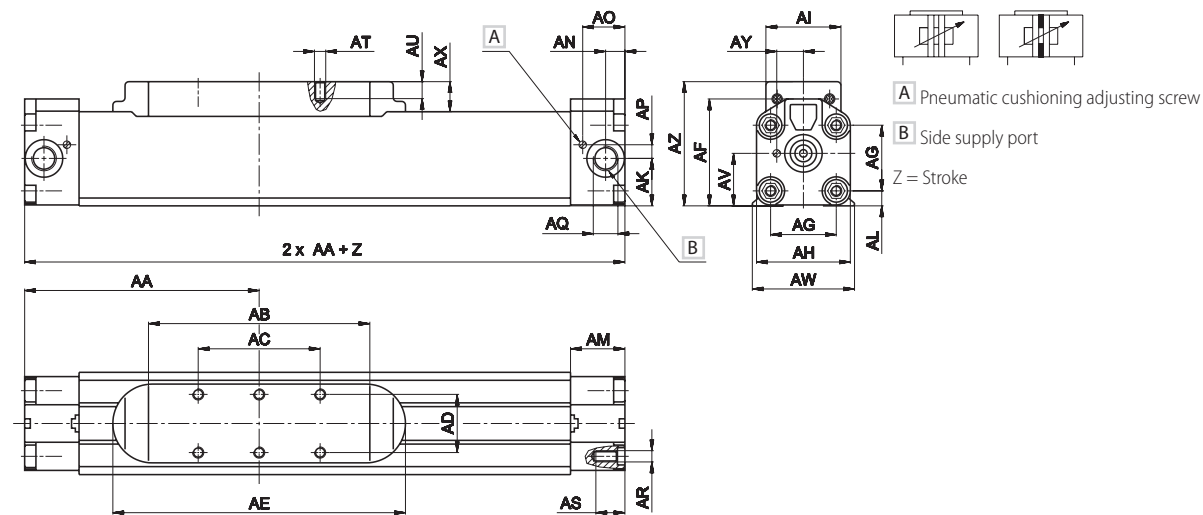
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RODLESS CYLINDER WITH STANDARD CARRIAGE - 6 FIXING HOLES

Ø 16 MM



Ø 25÷50 MM

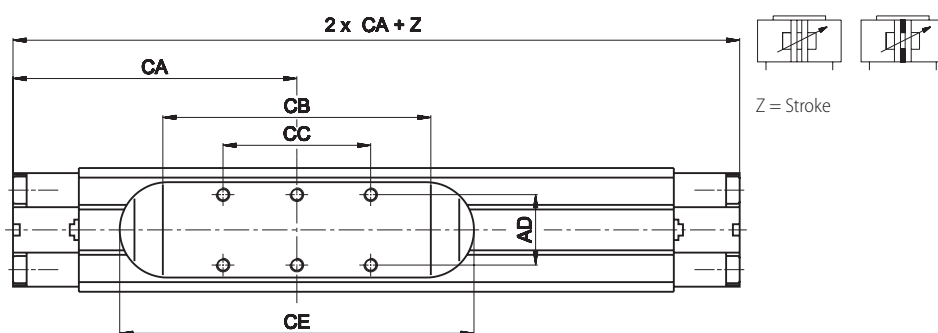


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16	7,5	7,5	10	M5	M4	5	M4	6	-	30	11	-	39
25	7,4	18,2	5,7	G1/8	M5	12	M5	9	22,8	42,8	16	12,2	57,6
32	10,3	22,5	7,3	G1/4	M6	15,5	M6	9	28	54,5	16	14,2	66,2
40	12,5	26,5	8,7	G3/8	M8	20	M6	11	37	67	19,5	16,5	85,8
50	14,2	25,7	11,8	G3/8	M10	20	M8	12	47,7	86	20,5	19,1	103

Ø	AA	AB	AC	AD	AE	AF	AG	AH	AI	AK	AK	AL	AM
16	68,5	70	45	20	92	30	18	32	27	16,5	6	11,5	15
25	100	95	50	24	130	48,3	28	40,5	33	20,2	-	7	24
32	125	118	65	31	156	57	35	50	40	25,3	-	8	29
40	150	134	65	31	177	74	44	64	44	33,8	-	11,8	33
50	175	164	105	39	211	90,7	55	80	54	41,4	-	14,7	33

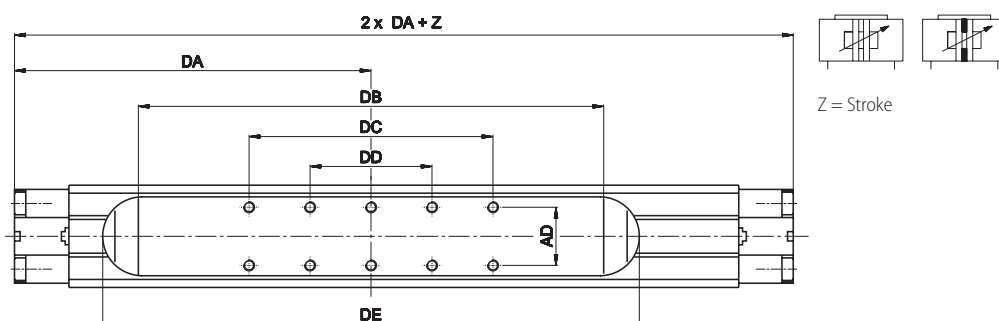
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RODLESS CYLINDER WITH MEDIUM CARRIAGE - 6 FIXING HOLES Ø 25 ÷ 50 MM



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RODLESS CYLINDER WITH LONG CARRIAGE - 10 FIXING HOLES Ø 25 ÷ 50 MM

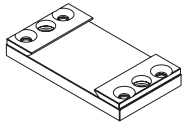


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25	24	114,5	125	50	160	147,5	190	100	50	225
32	31	142,5	153	65	191	190	248	130	65	286
40	31	169	172	65	215	225	284	130	65	327
50	39	205	224	105	271	277	364	315	105	411

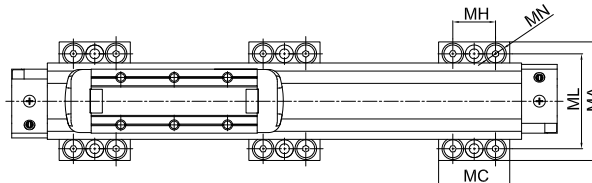
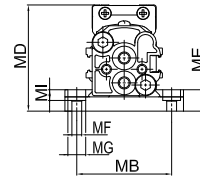
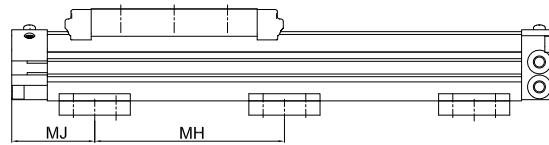
FIXING ELEMENTS AND ACCESSORIES

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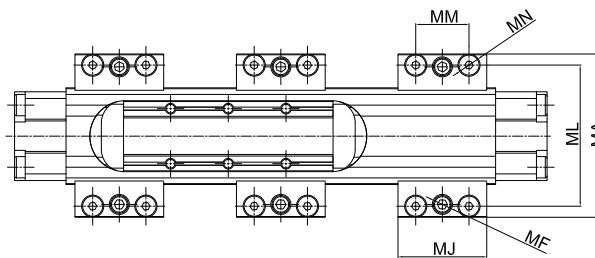
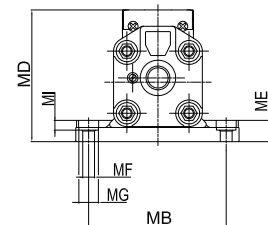
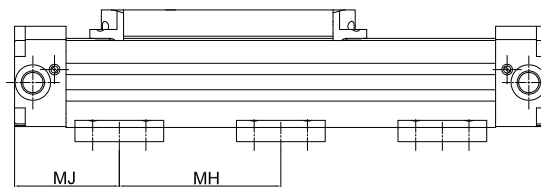
FIXING PLATE



Ø 16 mm



Ø 25÷50 mm



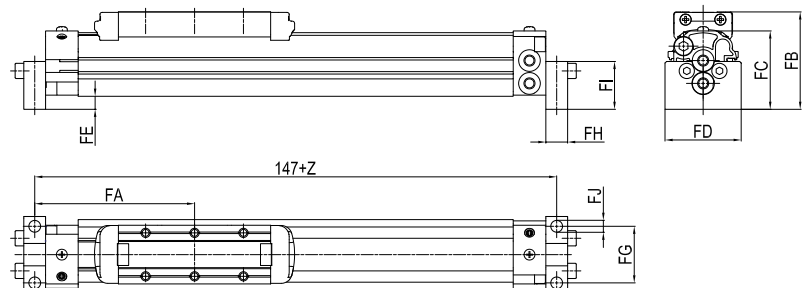
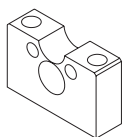
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SF-12016	16	50	40	30	44,8	9	M5	8	400	4,5	35	40	-	M6	83
SF-12025	25	78,5	63,5	50	65,6	12	M8	11	500	6,5	55	65,5	30	M6	310
SF-12032	32	92	77,5	50	74,2	12	M8	11	600	8,5	60	79,5	30	M6	340
SF-12040	40	117	96	60	95,8	15	M10	14	700	8	70	96	37,5	M8	660
SF-12050	50	136	115	60	113	15	M10	14	800	8	70	115	37,5	M8	700

(a) = Max allowable dimension to limit the bending of the cylinder according to the stroke and to provide a correct fixing

Material: zinc-plated steel

SF-13

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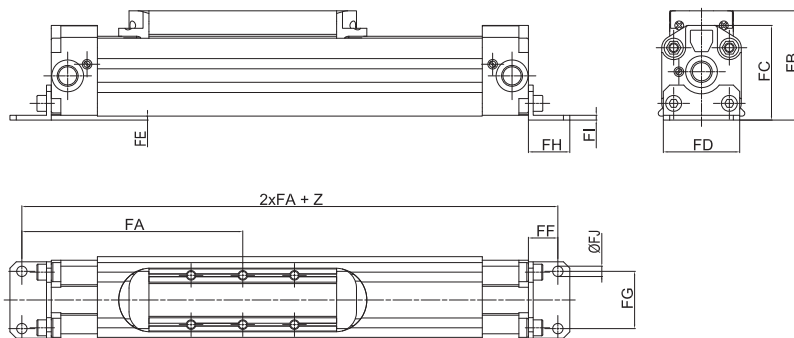
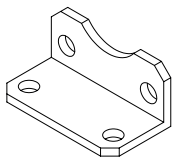


	Ø	FA	FB	FC	FD	FE	FG	FH	FI	FJ	Mass g
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Material: Anodized aluminium

SF-13

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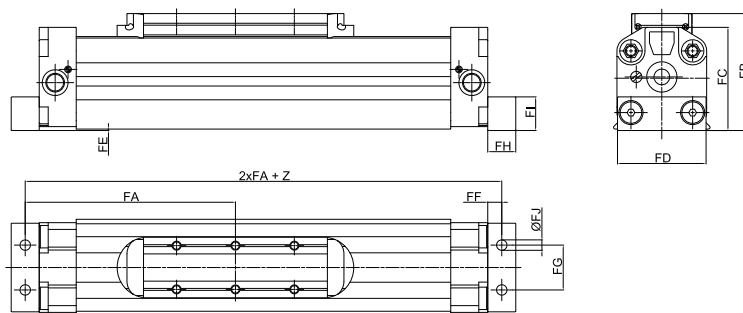
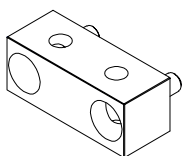


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SF-13025	25	116	58,1	48,8	40	0,5	16	27	22	2,5	5,5	34
SF-13032	32	143,5	68,7	59,2	48	2,5	18,5	36	26	3	6,5	53

Material: Zinc-plated steel

SF-13

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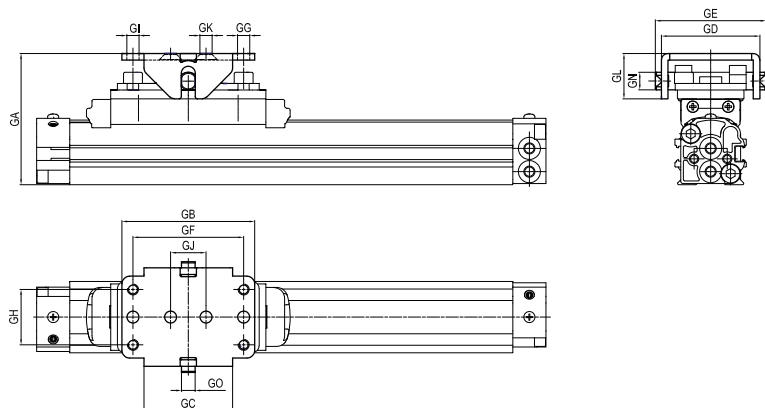
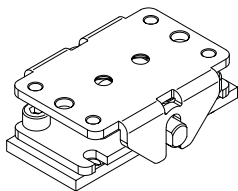


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SF-13040	40	162,5	86,5	74,9	63	0,7	12,5	30	25	25	9	116
SF-13050	50	187,5	104,3	92,4	79	1,3	12,5	40	25	30	9,3	170

Material: Anodized aluminium

SF-24

OSCILLATING BRACKET



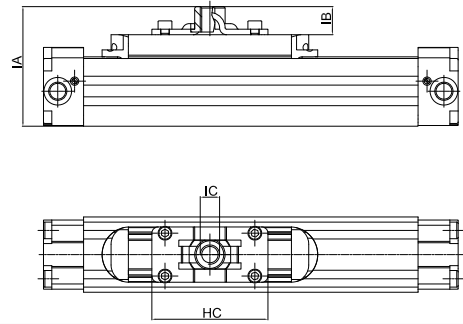
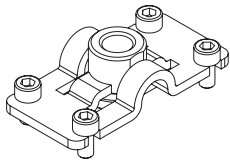
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SF-24016	16	58	60	40	44,5 ± 0,25	50	50	5,5	25	M5	16	5,5	20,5	3	8	6	195
SF-24025	25	73,5 ± 2,5	60	40	44,5 ± 2,5	50	50	5,5	25	M5	16	5,5	20,5	3	8	6,15	142
SF-24032	32	89 ± 4	100	60	56 ± 4	64	80	5,5	30	M6	40	6,5	30	4	12	8,2	362
SF-24032	40	108,5 ± 4	100	60	56 ± 4	64	80	5,5	30	M6	40	6,5	30	4	12	8,2	362

Use in case of external guide

Material: Zinc-plated steel

SF-26

FEMALE THREADED CONNECTION

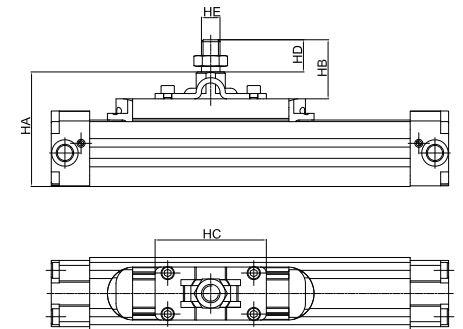
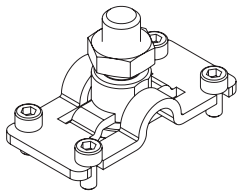


	Ø	IA	IB	IC	HC	Mass g
SF-26016	16	61	22	M12	64	132
SF-26025	25	75,6	18	M12	64	76
SF-26032	32	87,2	21	M14	84	157
SF-26032	40	106,8	21	M14	84	157

Material: Zinc-plated steel

SF-27

MALE THREADED PIN

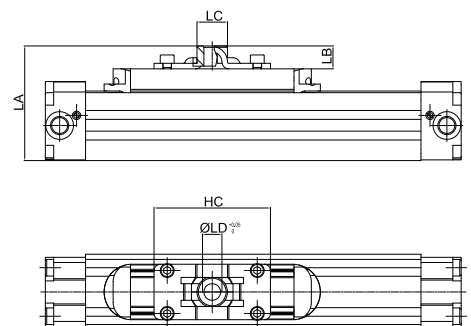
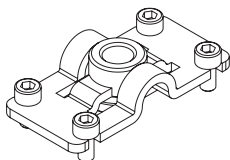


	Ø	HA	HB	HC	HD	HE	Mass g
SF-27016	16	76,5	37,5	64	22	M12	160
SF-27025	25	91,1	33,5	64	22	M12	105
SF-27032	32	107,7	41,5	84	24,3	M14	260
SF-27032	40	127,3	41,5	84	24,3	M14	260

Material: Zinc-plated steel

SF-28

FEMALE CONNECTION WITHOUT THREAD



	Ø	LA	LB	LC	LD	LH	Mass g
SF-28016	16	56	17	18	10	64	129
SF-28025	25	70,6	13	18	10	64	73
SF-28032	32	83,4	17,2	22	12	84	152
SF-28032	40	103	17,2	22	12	84	152

Material: Zinc-plated steel