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Pneumatic Tie Rod Style Cylinders

Series VE for Valve Actuation







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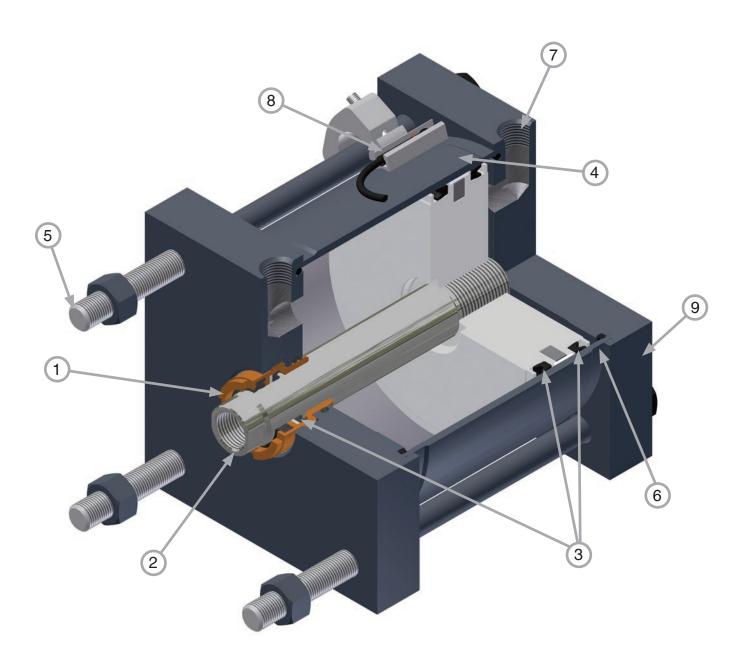


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Series VE Pneumatic Tie Rod Cylinders



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Features Description

"Jewel" Rod Gland Assembly is externally removable without disassembling the cylinder. The "Jewel" rod gland incorporates a primary and secondary seal to assure leak-free service and longevity. The secondary seal acts as a rod wiper to prevent contamination from entering the cylinder. In addition, the secondary seal acts as a back up in the event of primary seal failure.

All piston rod assemblies utilize induction case hardened, medium carbon steel. All piston rods are hard chrome plated and polished to a 10 RMS surface finish. Each piston rod assembly comes standard with two wrench flats to facilitate rod end attachment.

Wear compensating lip seals are used throughout the rod gland and piston assembly to assure leak free operation and optimal performance over the life of the cylinder.

Cylinder body material options include steel with chrome plated I.D., aluminum, and composite to suit demanding application requirements.

All tie rods are made from high strength 100,000 psi minimum yield material.

Align-A-Groove design provides a 3/16" wide surface machined at each end of the cylinder body to assure tube to head alignment and leak free operation.

7 NPT ports are standard throughout the entire bore range.

Magnetic piston sensing option relays piston position throughout the entire stroke range. Solid state or reed switches are available with quick disconnect or flying lead terminations. This option is available on all bore sizes. Note: Wear band supplied with magnetic piston only.

Heads and caps are made from heavy duty steel and are machined to provide concentricity.

The Series VE cylinder provides OEM's and End Users a durable yet cost effective solution for knife gate valve actuation. Innovative options offer the ability to sense piston rod position, reduce weight, and increase corrosion resistance – resulting in improved system efficiency and reduced maintenance costs. Atlas Cylinders' utilization of cutting edge design systems, proven seal technology, the highest quality materials, and stringent quality standards assure reliable service in the most demanding applications.



Standard Specifications

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- Bore Diameters 2.00" to 24.00"
- Maximum Working Pressure 150 PSI Pneumatic
- Piston Rod Diameters .625" to 3.500"
- Stroke Lengths Bore Diameter Dependant
- Single and Double Piston Rod Construction Available
- Spring Extend or Retract
- Double Acting

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Seal Class Table

Seal Classes	Typical Fluids	Temperature Range
1 - Standard Nitrile	Compressed Air (pneumatic)	-10°F (-23°C) to +165°F (+74°C)
4 - Optional (at extra cost) Low Temp Nitrile Seals	Compressed Air (pneumatic) Low Temperature	-50°F (-46°C) to +150°F (+66°C)
5 - Optional (at extra cost) ¹ Fluorocarbon Seals	Compressed Air (pneumatic) High Temperature	-10°F (-23°C) to + 250°F (+121°C)

¹Class 5 Seals are limited to bore diameters up to 14.00".

Cylinder Weight Chart

Bore Ø	Rod Ø	Weight at Zero Stroke with Steel Tube & Cast Iron Piston (lbs.)		Weight at Zero Stroke with Aluminum Tube & Aluminum Piston (lbs.)	Weight per in Stroke w/ Aluminum Tube & Aluminum Piston (lbs.)	Weight at Zero Stroke with Composite Tube & Cast Iron Piston (lbs.)	Weight per in Stroke w/ Composite Tube & Cast Iron Piston (lbs.)
2.00	0.625	6.50	0.50	6.00	0.40	-	-
2.50	0.625	9.00	0.60	8.50	0.50	-	-
3.25	1.000	12.97	0.70	10.78	0.47	12.63	0.43
4.00	1.000	17.10	0.87	13.75	0.50	16.57	0.45
5.00	1.000	27.45	1.09	21.25	0.63	26.66	0.57
6.00	1.000	37.24	1.40	29.11	0.67	36.15	0.60
7.00	1.000	51.50	1.71	39.8	0.97	50.06	0.75
8.00	1.000	66.17	2.13	50.65	1.00	64.15	0.78
10.00	1.000	125.56	2.63	-	-	123.22	1.18
12.00	1.375	181.23	3.16	-	-	178.39	1.47
14.00	1.375	277.02	3.70	-	-	273.58	1.74
16.00	1.750	384.26	6.09	-	-	377.17	2.55
18.00	2.000	526.85	7.09	-	-	517.89	3.11
20.00	2.000	668.35	7.91	-	-	657.34	3.51
22.00	3.000	899.78	12.10	-	-	881.66	5.20
24.00	3.500	1295.20	14.99	-	-	1269.61	6.08

Cylinder Weight Chart

Bore Ø	Rod Ø	Weight at Zero Stroke with Composite Tube & Aluminum Piston (lbs.)	Weight per in Stroke w/ Composite Tube & Aluminum Piston (lbs.)
2.00	0.625	-	-
2.50	0.625	=	=
3.25	1.000	10.73	0.43
4.00	1.000	13.69	0.45
5.00	1.000	21.26	0.57
6.00	1.000	29.02	0.6
7.00	1.000	39.47	0.75
8.00	1.000	50.32	0.78
10.00	1.000	99.82	1.18
12.00	1.375	143.4	1.47
14.00	1.375	224.19	1.74
16.00	1.750	303.44	2.55
18.00	2.000	412.92	3.11
20.00	2.000	513.34	3.51
22.00	3.000	698.71	5.20
24.00	3.500	1031.15	6.08

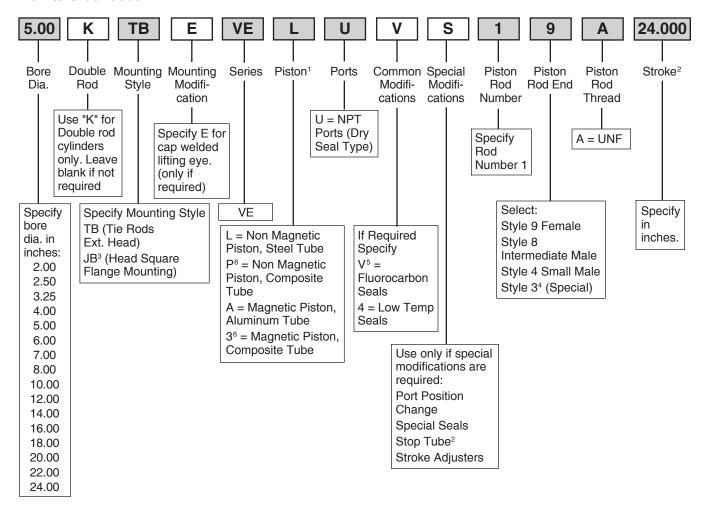
Weight Adder Double Rod Cylinders

Bore Ø	Rod Ø	0" Stroke	Per Inch Adder
2.00	0.625	0.10	0.22
2.50	0.625	0.10	0.22
3.25	1.000	0.17	0.22
4.00	1.000	0.17	0.22
5.00	1.000	0.17	0.22
6.00	1.000	0.19	0.22
7.00	1.000	0.19	0.22
8.00	1.000	0.19	0.22
10.00	1.000	0.22	0.22
12.00	1.375	0.42	0.42
14.00	1.375	0.42	0.42
16.00	1.750	0.85	0.68
18.00	2.000	1.33	0.89
20.00	2.000	1.33	0.89
22.00	3.000	4.50	2.00
24.00	3.500	6.12	2.72



How to Order Series VE Air Cylinders for Valve Actuation

How to Order Code



Available Special Options

- Stainless Steel Piston Rods
- Spring Extend or Retract
- · Double Rod End Style
- High Temperature Seals
- Water Service consult factory for applications above 100°F (38°C)
- Lifting Eyes (welded on cap face)
- Stroke Adjuster (infrequent)
- Tie Rods Extended Head and Cap (Consult Factory)
- Low Temperature Nitrile Seals

Shaded boxes identify required model number fields.

¹ Lipseal Piston is Standard for all piston options.

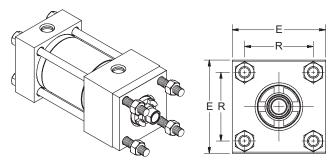
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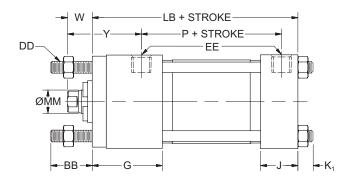
- L Steel Tube is Standard for 2.00" 8.00" bore (Non Magnetic Piston); Optional at extra cost 10.00" 24.00"
- $\textbf{P} \text{Composite Tube is Optional for 3.25"} 8.00" \ (\text{Non Magnetic Piston}); \ Standard \ 10.00" 24.00" \ (\text{Non Magnetic Piston}); \ Standard \ 10.00" \ (\text{Non Magnetic Piston}); \ Standard \ 10.00"$
- A Aluminum Tube is Standard for 2.00" 8.00" (Magnetic Piston); not available 10.00" 24.00"
 3 Composite Tube is Optional for 3.25" 8.00" (Magnetic Piston); Standard 10.00" 24.00"
- ² If stop tube is required, please provide gross stroke length (gross stroke = stop tube + net stroke).
- ³ JB Mount is available in bore diameters 7.00" through 20.00" only.
- ⁴ Style #3 Rod End is deemed a "special". When ordering, please supply KK, A and W Dimensions.
- ⁵ Class 5 Seals are limited to bore diameters up to 14.00".
- $^{\rm 6}$ Composite tubing is not to be exposed to fluids which have a pH level lower than 3 or higher than 11.

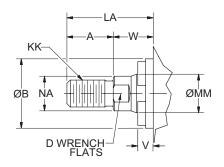


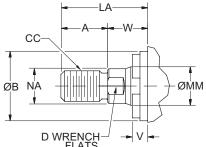
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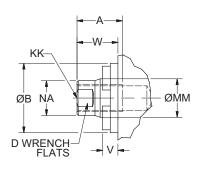
Cylinder Dimensions 2.00" - 2.50"











Style 4 - Small Male

Style 8 - Intermediate Male

Style 9 - Female

Cylinder Dimensional Table

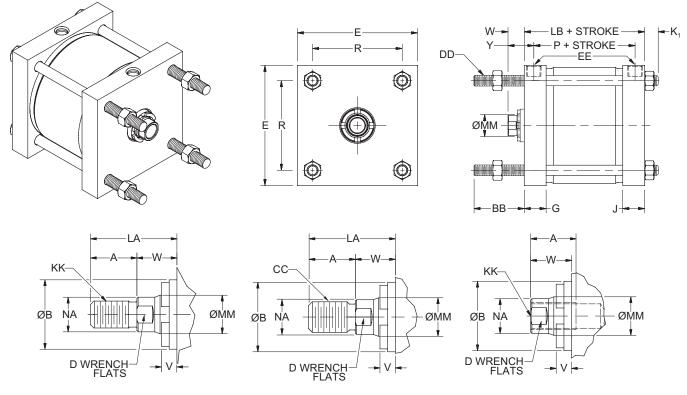
Bore	MM	ВВ	DD	E	EE	G	J	K 1	R	Υ	Add 9	Stroke	Max
Ø	Rod Ø				(NPTF)						LB	P	Stroke
2.00	0.625	1.13	5/16-24	2.50	1/4	1.88	1.00	0.44	1.84	1.94	4.00	2.25	60"
2.50	0.625	1.13	5/16-24	3.00	1/4	1.88	1.00	0.44	2.19	1.94	4.12	2.38	50"

Bore Ø	MM Rod Ø	Style 4 KK	Style 8 CC	Style 9 KK	Α	B Ø +.000 002	D	LA	NA	V	W
2.00	0.625	7/16-20	1/2-20	7/16-20	0.75	1.124	0.50	1.38	0.56	0.25	0.63
2.50	0.625	7/16-20	1/2-20	7/16-20	0.75	1.124	0.50	1.38	0.56	0.25	0.63



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Cylinder Dimensions 3.25" - 8.00"



Style 4 - Small Male

Style 8 - Intermediate Male

Style 9 - Female

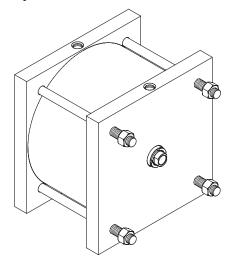
Cylinder Dimensional Table

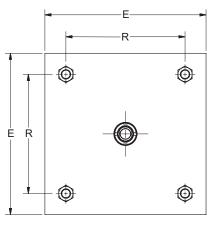
Bore	MM	BB	DD	E	EE	G	J	K 1	R	Υ	Add Stroke		Max
Ø	Rod Ø				(NPTF)						LB	Р	Stroke
3.25	1.000	1.38	3/8-24	4.00	1/4	1.00	1.00	0.50	2.76	1.19	3.25	2.38	100"
4.00	1.000	1.38	3/8-24	4.50	3/8	1.00	1.00	0.50	3.32	1.19	3.25	2.38	80"
5.00	1.000	1.81	1/2-20	5.50	3/8	1.00	1.00	0.62	4.10	1.19	3.50	2.62	65"
6.00	1.000	1.81	1/2-20	6.50	3/8	1.00	1.00	0.62	4.88	1.31	3.38	2.50	55"
7.00	1.000	2.00	5/8-18	7.50	3/8	1.00	1.00	0.75	5.73	1.31	3.50	2.62	45"
8.00	1.000	2.00	5/8-18	8.50	3/8	1.00	1.00	0.75	6.44	1.31	3.50	2.62	40"

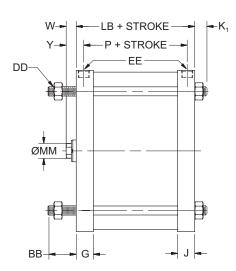
Bore Ø	MM Rod Ø	Style 4 KK	Style 8 CC	Style 9 KK	Α	B Ø +.000 002	D	LA	NA	V	W
3.25	1.000	3/4-16	7/8-14	3/4-16	1.12	1.499	0.88	1.88	0.94	0.31	0.75
4.00	1.000	3/4-16	7/8-14	3/4-16	1.12	1.499	0.88	1.88	0.94	0.31	0.75
5.00	1.000	3/4-16	7/8-14	3/4-16	1.12	1.499	0.88	1.88	0.94	0.31	0.75
6.00	1.000	3/4-16	7/8-14	3/4-16	1.12	1.499	0.88	2.00	0.94	0.38	0.88
7.00	1.000	3/4-16	7/8-14	3/4-16	1.12	1.499	0.88	2.00	0.94	0.38	0.88
8.00	1.000	3/4-16	7/8-14	3/4-16	1.12	1.499	0.88	2.00	0.94	0.38	0.88

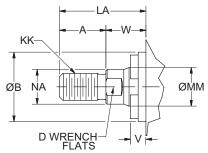


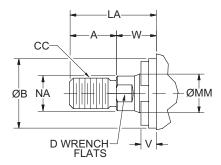
Cylinder Dimensions 10.00" - 24.00"

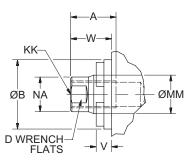












Style 4 - Small Male

Style 8 - Intermediate Male

Style 9 - Female

Cylinder Dimensional Table

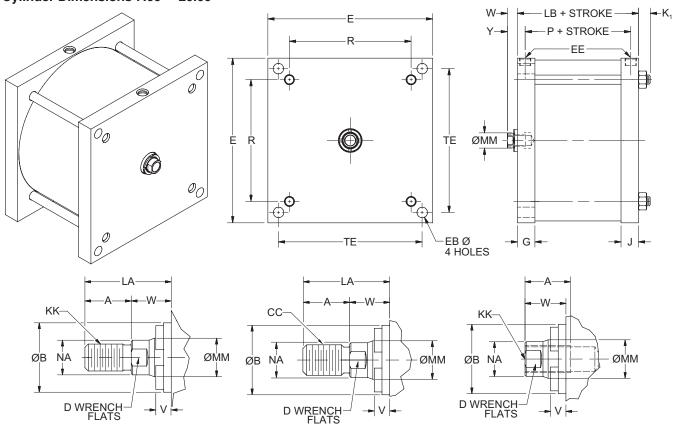
Bore	MM	ВВ	DD	E	EE	G	J	K ₁	R	Υ	Add S	Stroke	Max
Ø	Rod Ø				(NPTF)						LB	Р	Stroke
10.00	1.000	2.25	3/4-16	10.63	1/2	1.31	1.31	0.88	7.92	1.56	4.25	3.12	30"
12.00	1.375	2.25	3/4-16	12.75	1/2	1.31	1.31	0.88	9.40	1.56	4.31	3.19	50"
14.00	1.375	2.50	7/8-14	14.75	3/4	1.56	1.56	1.00	10.90	1.68	4.88	3.50	40"
16.00	1.750	2.75	1-14	17.00	3/4	1.56	1.56	1.12	12.59	1.94	5.12	3.75	60"
18.00	2.000	3.25	1 1/8-12	19.00	3/4	1.69	1.69	1.25	14.14	2.19	5.62	4.25	70"
20.00	2.000	3.25	1 1/4-12	21.00	3/4	1.69	1.69	1.38	15.77	2.19	5.88	4.50	65"
22.00	3.000	3.50	1 1/4-12	23.00	3/4	1.94	1.94	1.38	17.18	3.19	6.50	4.62	60"
24.00	3.500	3.50	1 1/4-12	25.25	3/4	2.44	2.44	1.38	18.74	3.69	7.75	4.88	60"

Bore Ø	MM Rod Ø	Style 4 KK	Style 8 CC	Style 9 KK	Α	B Ø +.000 002	D	LA	NA	V	W
10.00	1.000	3/4-16	7/8-14	3/4-16	1.13	1.499	0.88	2.13	0.94	0.38	1.00
12.00	1.375	1-14	1 1/4-12	1-14	1.63	1.999	1.13	2.63	1.31	0.38	1.00
14.00	1.375	1-14	1 1/4-12	1-14	1.63	1.999	1.13	2.63	1.31	0.38	1.00
16.00	1.750	1 1/4-12	1 1/2-12	1-14	1.63	2.374	1.50	2.88	1.69	0.50	1.25
18.00	2.000	1 1/2-12	1 3/4-12	1 1/2-12	2.25	2.624	1.69	3.75	1.94	0.56	1.50
20.00	2.000	1 1/2-12	1 3/4-12	1 1/2-12	2.25	2.624	1.69	3.75	1.94	0.56	1.50
22.00	3.000	2 1/4-12	2 3/4-12	2 1/4-12	3.50	3.749	2.63	5.75	2.88	0.62	2.25
24.00	3.500	2 1/2-12	3 1/4-12	2 1/2-12	3.50	4.249	3.00	5.75	3.38	0.62	2.25



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Cylinder Dimensions 7.00" - 20.00"



Style 4 - Small Male

Style 8 - Intermediate Male

Style 9 – Female

Cylinder Dimensional Table

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Bore	MM	E	EB	EE	G	J	K ₁	R	TE	Υ	Add S	Stroke	Max	
Ø	Rod Ø			(NPTF)							LB	Р	Stroke	
7.00	1.000	7.50	0.56	3/8	1.00	1.00	0.75	5.73	6.75	1.31	3.50	2.62	45"	
8.00	1.000	8.50	0.69	3/8	1.00	1.00	0.75	6.44	7.57	1.31	3.50	2.62	40"	
10.00	1.000	10.63	0.81	1/2	1.31	1.31	0.88	7.92	9.40	1.56	4.25	3.12	30"	
12.00	1.375	12.75	0.81	1/2	1.31	1.31	0.88	9.40	11.10	1.56	4.31	3.19	50"	
14.00	1.375	14.75	0.94	3/4	1.56	1.56	1.00	10.90	12.87	1.68	4.88	3.50	40"	
16.00	1.750	17.00	1.06	3/4	1.56	1.56	1.12	12.59	14.85	1.94	5.12	3.75	60"	
18.00	2.000	19.00	1.19	3/4	1.69	1.69	1.25	14.14	16.69	2.19	5.62	4.25	70"	
20.00	2.000	21.00	1.31	3/4	1.69	1.69	1.38	15.77	18.46	2.19	5.88	4.50	65"	

Bore Ø	MM Rod Ø	Style 4 KK	Style 8 CC	Style 9 KK	Α	B Ø +.000 002	D	LA	NA	V	W
7.00	1.000	3/4-16	7/8-14	3/4-16	1.13	1.499	0.88	2.00	0.94	0.38	0.88
8.00	1.000	3/4-16	7/8-14	3/4-16	1.13	1.499	0.88	2.00	0.94	0.38	0.88
10.00	1.000	3/4-16	7/8-14	3/4-16	1.13	1.499	0.88	2.13	0.94	0.38	1.00
12.00	1.375	1-14	1 1/4-12	1-14	1.63	1.999	1.13	2.63	1.31	0.38	1.00
14.00	1.375	1-14	1 1/4-12	1-14	1.63	1.999	1.13	2.63	1.31	0.38	1.00
16.00	1.750	1 1/4-12	1 1/2-12	1-14	1.63	2.374	1.50	2.88	1.69	0.50	1.25
18.00	2.000	1 1/2-12	1 3/4-12	1 1/2-12	2.25	2.624	1.69	3.75	1.94	0.56	1.50
20.00	2.000	1 1/2-12	1 3/4-12	1 1/2-12	2.25	2.624	1.69	3.75	1.94	0.56	1.50



Lifting Eyes / Tie Rod Torque

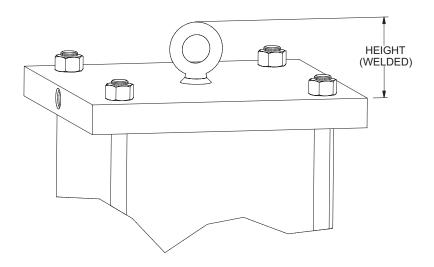


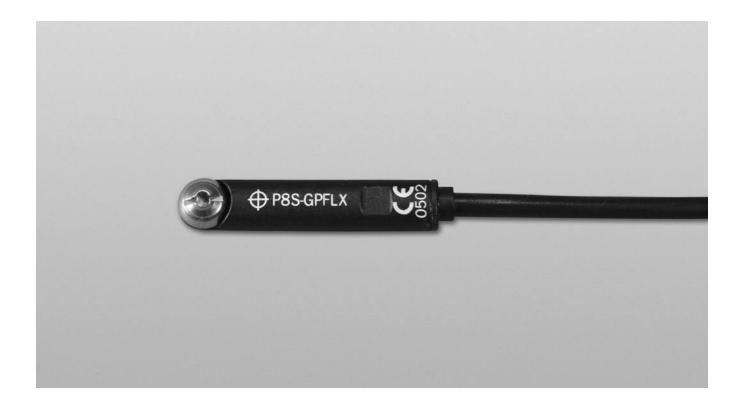
Table 1 – Lifting Eyes

Bore Ø	Welded Lifting Eye Height	Welded Lifting Eye Capacity (lbs. per eye)
2.00	1.63	500
2.50	1.63	500
3.25	3.19	2000
4.00	3.19	2000
5.00	3.19	4000
6.00	3.19	4000
7.00	3.19	4000
8.00	3.19	4000
10.00	3.19	4000
12.00	3.19	4000
14.00	3.19	4000
16.00	3.19	4000
18.00	3.19	4000
20.00	3.19	4000
22.00	3.19	4000
24.00	3.19	4000

Table 2 – Tie Rod Torque

Bore Ø	Tie Rod Size (inches)	Tie Rod Nut Torque Steel Tube ft. lbs. N-m		Tie Rod Nut Torque Aluminum Tube ft. lbs. N-m		Tie Rod Nut Torque Composite Tube ft. lbs. N-m	
2.00	5/16-24	12	16	6	8	-	-
2.50	5/16-24	12	16	6	8	-	-
3.25	3/8-24	25	34	18	24	13	17
4.00	3/8-24	25	34	18	24	13	17
5.00	1/2-20	60	81	37	50	30	41
6.00	1/2-20	60	81	37	50	30	41
7.00	5/8-18	90	122	60	81	55	75
8.00	5/8-18	110	149	60	81	55	75
10.00	3/4-16	148	201	-	-	78	106
12.00	3/4-16	172	233	-	-	78	106
14.00	7/8-14	275	373	-	-	118	160
16.00	1-14	390	529	-	-	250	339
18.00	1 1/8-12	540	732	-	-	350	475
20.00	1 1/4-12	745	1010	-	-	450	610
22.00	1 1/4-12	745	1010	-	-	500	678
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Global Position Sensing Switches



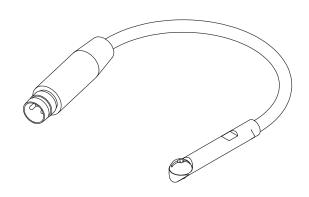
- Low Profile Keeps Switch Within Cylinder Envelope
- Both Reed and Solid State Switch Versions
- Switches Available World-Wide
- Solid State Switches use GMR Technology
- 5 Different Connection Styles
- Allow Position Sensing Anywhere Along Cylinder Stroke
- CE Approved

Solid State Switch Part Numbers

PNP	Wiring	NPN	Wiring
P8S-GPFLX	3m flying leads	P8S-GNFLX	3m flying leads
P8S-GPFTX	10m flying leads	P8S-GNFTX	10m flying leads
P8S-GPSHX	.2m lead with 8mm connector	P8S-GNSHX	.2m lead with 8mm connector
P8S-GPMHX	.2m lead with 12mm connector	P8S-GNMHX	.2m lead with 12mm connector
P8S-GPSCX	1m lead with 8mm connector	P8S-GNSCX	1m lead with 8mm connector

Solid State Switch Specifications

Solid State Switch Specifica	tions
Туре	Electronic
Output Function	
Switching Output	PNP/NPN
Operating Voltage	10 - 30VDC
Continuous Current	100 mA max.
Response Sensitivity	2.8 mT min.
Switching Frequency	5 KHz
Power Consumption	10 mA max.
Voltage Drop	2 VDC max.
Ripple	10% of Operating Voltage
Hysteresis	1.5 mm max.
Repeatability	0.1 mm max.
EMC	EN 60 947-5-2
Short-circuit Protection	
Power-up Pulse Suppression	Yes
Reverse Polarity Protection	
Enclosure Rating	IP 67
Shock and Vibration Stress	
Operating Temperature Range	
Housing Material	PA 12, Black
Connector Cable	
Connector	PUR cable w/8 or 12 mm conn.

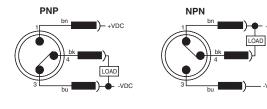


Solid State Switch Wiring Connection

Flying Lead or 8 mm Connector (shown)



Pin	Wire	Function
1	Brown	Operating Voltage (+VDC)
4	Black	Output signal (N.O.)
3	Blue	-VDC

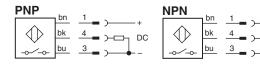


12 mm Connector



Pin	Wire	Function
1	Brown	Operating Voltage (+VDC)
4	Black	Output Signal (N.O.)
2 ¹	White	Not Used
3	Blue	-VDC

¹Pin 2 not present.

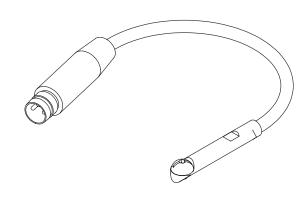


Reed Switch Part Numbers

Reed	Wiring
P8S-GRFLX	3m flying leads
P8S-GRFTX	10m flying leads
P8S-GRSHX	.2m lead with 8mm connector
P8S-GRMHX	.2m lead with 12mm connector
P8S-GRSCX	1m lead with 8mm connector

Reed Switch Specifications

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Type	. Reed
Output Function	. Normally Open
Operating Voltage	. 10 - 120 VAC ²
	. 10 - 30 VDC
Continuous Current	. 100 mA max.
Response Sensitivity	. 2.5 mT min.
Switching Frequency	. 400 Kz
Voltage Drop	.3 V max.
Ripple	
Hysteresis	. 1.5 mm max.
Repeatability	. 0.2 mm max.
EMC	. EN 60 947-5-2
Reverse Polarity Protection	. Yes
Enclosure Rating	. IP 67
Shock and Vibration Stress	. 30g, 11 ms, 10 to 55 Hz, 1 mm
Operating Temperature Range	25°C to +75°C
Housing Material	. PA 12, Black
Connector Cable	.PVC
Connector	. PUR cable w/8 or 12 mm conn.



REED SWITCH - WIRING CONNECTION						
Flying Lead or 8 mm Connector						
4	Pin	Wire	Function			
	1	Brown	Operating Voltage (+V)			
1 ((• •)) 3	4	Black	Not Used			
	3	Blue	Output Signal (-V or Ground)			
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3 21 4 Pin 2 not present.

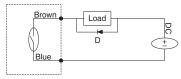
12 mm Connector				
Pin	Wire	Function		
1	Brown	Operating Voltage (+V)		
2 ¹	White	Not Used		
3	Blue	Output Signal (-V or Ground)		
4	Black	Not Used		

Circuit for Switching Contact Protection (Inductive Loads)

(Required for proper operation 24V DC)

²8mm connector rated for 75 VAC max.

Put Diode parallel to loads following polarity as shown below.



D: Diode: select a Diode with the breakdown voltage and current rating according to the load.

Typical Example—100 Volt, 1 Amp Diode CR: Relay coil (under 0.5W coil rating)

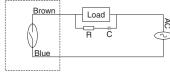
(Recommended for longer life 125 VAC)

Put a resistor and capacitor in parallel with the load. Select the resistor and capacitor according to the load.

Typical Example:

CR: Relay coil (under 2W coil rating) R: Resistor 1 K Ω - 5 K Ω , 1/4 W

C: Capacitor 0.1 μF, 600 V



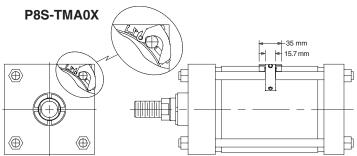
- Use an ampmeter to test reed switch current. Testing devices such as incandescent light bulbs may subject the reed switch to high increase loads.
- NOTE: When checking an unpowered reed switch for continuity with a digital ohmmeter the resistance reading will change from infinity to a very large resistance (2 M ohm) when the switch is activated. This is due to the presence of a diode in the reed switch.
- Anti-magnetic shielding is recommended for reed switches exposed to high external RF or magnetic fields.
- The magnetic field strength of the piston magnet is designed to operate with our switches. Other manufacturers' switches or sensors may not operate correctly in conjunction with these magnets.
- Use relay coils for reed switch contact protection.
- The operation of some 120 VAC PLC's (especially some older Allen-Bradley PLC's) can overload the reed switch. The switch may fail to release after the piston magnet has passed. This problem may be corrected by the placement of a 700 to 1K OHM resistor between the switch and the PLC input terminal. Consult the manufacturer of the PLC for appropriate circuit.
- Switches with long wire leads (greater than 15 feet) can cause capacitance build-up and sticking will result. Attach a resistor in series with the reed switch (the resistor should be installed as close as possible to the switch). The resistor should be selected such that R (ohms) >E/0.3.



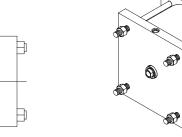
Tie Rod Bracket Assembly Part Number and Dimensions

Global switch bracket fits 2.00"-24.00" bore cylinders. Cylinder bore sizes 2.00" through 12.00" do not incorporate an extra tie rod for switch mounting. Bore sizes 14.00" through 24.00" utilize a fifth tie rod to

facilitate switch mounting. Please note the standard location of this tie rod as depicted below. For alternate locations, please consult factory. Global switches and bracket assembles must be ordered separately.



2.00" - 12.00" Bore



14.00" - 24.00" Bore

Connector.....Oil resistant polyurethane body

8mm and 12mm Cordset for Global Switches

A female connector is available for all switches with the male 8mm and 12mm quick connect option. The cordsets are available with a right angle or straight connector. Cordset part numbers are listed below.

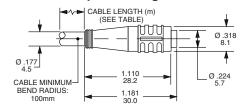
8mm Cordset

Cable Length	Threaded Connector	Snap On Connector
5 meters	086620T005	086620S005
2 meters	086620T002	086620S002

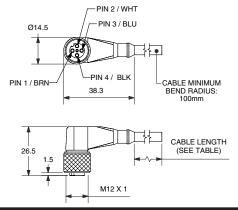
12mm Cordset

Cable Length	Threaded Connector	Right Angle Connector
5 meters	9126487205	9126487305
2 meters	9126487202	9126487302

8mm Snap-On Straight Connector



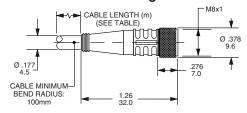
12mm Right Angle Connector



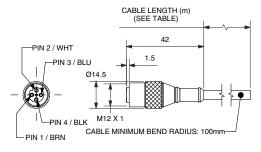
Cordset Specifications

	material, PA 6 (Nylon) contact carrier, spacings to VDE 0110 Group C, (150 AC/DC)
Contacts	.Gold plated beryllium copper, machined from solid stock
Coupling Method	.Snap-Lock or chrome plated brass nut
Cord Construction	Oil resistant black PUR jacket, non-wicking, non-hygroscopic, 300V. Cable end is stripped and tinned.
Conductors	Extra high flex stranding, PVC insulation
Temperature	40 to 194°F (-40 to 90°C)
Protection	.NEMA 1, 3, 4, 6P and IEC 1P67
Cable Length	.6.56 ft (2m) or 16.4 ft (5m)

8mm Threaded Straight Connector



12mm Straight Connector



Safety Guide for Selecting and Using Hydraulic, Pneumatic Cylinders and Their Accessories

WARNING: \triangle FAILURE OF THE CYLINDER, ITS PARTS, ITS MOUNTING, ITS CONNECTIONS TO OTHER OBJECTS, OR ITS CONTROLS CAN RESULT IN:

- Unanticipated or uncontrolled movement of the cylinder or objects connected to it.
- Falling of the cylinder or objects held up by it.
- Fluid escaping from the cylinder, potentially at high velocity.

THESE EVENTS COULD CAUSE DEATH OR PERSONAL INJURY BY, FOR EXAMPLE, PERSONS FALLING FROM HIGH LOCATIONS, BEING CRUSHED OR STRUCK BY HEAVY OR FAST MOVING OBJECTS, BEING PUSHED INTO DANGEROUS EQUIPMENT OR SITUATIONS, OR SLIPPING ON ESCAPED FLUID.

Before selecting or using Parker Hannifin Corporation (the Company) cylinders or related accessories, it is important that you read, understand and follow the following safety information. Training is advised before selecting and using the Company's products.

1.0 General Instructions

- 1.1 Scope This safety guide provides instructions for selecting and using (including assembling, installing, and maintaining) cylinder products. This safety guide is a supplement to and is to be used with the specific Company publications for the specific cylinder products that are being considered for USA.
- 1.2 Fail Safe Cylinder products can and do fail without warning for many reasons. All systems and equipment should be designed in a fail-safe mode so that if the failure of a cylinder product occurs people and property won't be endangered.
- 1.3 Distribution Provide a free copy of this safety guide to each person responsible for selecting or using cylinder products. Do not select or use the Company's cylinders without thoroughly reading and understanding this safety guide as well as the specific Company publications for the products considered or selected.
- 1.4 User Responsibility Due to very wide variety of cylinder applications and cylinder operating conditions, the Company does not warrant that any particular cylinder is suitable for any specific application. This safety guide does not analyze all technical parameters that must be considered in selecting a product. The hydraulic and pneumatic cylinders outlined in this catalog are designed to the Company's design guidelines and do not necessarily meet the design guideline of other agencies such as American Bureau of Shipping, ASME Pressure Vessel Code etc. The user, through its own analysis and testing, is solely responsible for:
- Making the final selection of the cylinders and related accessories.
- Determining if the cylinders are required to meet specific design requirements as required by the Agency(s) or industry standards covering the design of the user's equipment.
- Assuring that the user's requirements are met, OSHA requirements are met, and safety guidelines from the applicable agencies such as but not limited to ANSI are followed and that the use presents no health or safety hazards.
- Providing all appropriate health and safety warnings on the equipment on which the cylinders are used.
- 1.5 Additional Questions Call the appropriate Company technical service department if you have any questions or require any additional information. See the Company publication for the product being considered or used, or call 1-847-298-2400, or go to www.parker.com, for telephone numbers of the appropriate technical service department.

2.0 Cylinder and Accessories Selection

2.1 Seals – Part of the process of selecting a cylinder is the selection of seal compounds. Before making this selection, consult the "seal information page(s)" of the publication for the series of cylinders of interest.

The application of cylinders may allow fluids such as cutting fluids, wash down fluids etc. to come in contact with the external area of the cylinder. These fluids may attack the piston rod wiper and or the primary seal and must be taken into account when selecting and specifying seal compounds.

Dynamic seals will wear. The rate of wear will depend on many operating factors. Wear can be rapid if a cylinder is mis-aligned or if the cylinder has been improperly serviced. The user must take seal wear into consideration in the application of cylinders.

- 2.2 Piston Rods Possible consequences of piston rod failure or separation of the piston rod from the piston include, but are not limited to are:
- · Piston rod and or attached load thrown off at high speed.
- High velocity fluid discharge.
- Piston rod extending when pressure is applied in the piston retract mode.

Piston rods or machine members attached to the piston rod may move suddenly and without warning as a consequence of other conditions occurring to the machine such as, but not limited to:

• Unexpected detachment of the machine member from the piston rod.

- Failure of the pressurized fluid delivery system (hoses, fittings, valves, pumps, compressors) which maintain cylinder position.
- Catastrophic cylinder seal failure leading to sudden loss of pressurized fluid.
- · Failure of the machine control system.

Follow the recommendations of the "Piston Rod Selection Chart and Data" in the publication for the series of cylinders of interest. The suggested piston rod diameter in these charts must be followed in order to avoid piston rod buckling

Piston rods are not normally designed to absorb bending moments or loads which are perpendicular to the axis of piston rod motion. These additional loads can cause the piston rod to fail. If these types of additional loads are expected to be imposed on the piston rod, their magnitude should be made known to our engineering department.

The cylinder user should always make sure that the piston rod is securely attached to the machine member.

On occasion cylinders are ordered with double rods (a piston rod extended from both ends of the cylinder). In some cases a stop is threaded on to one of the piston rods and used as an external stroke adjuster. On occasions spacers are attached to the machine member connected to the piston rod and also used as a stroke adjuster. In both cases the stops will create a pinch point and the user should consider appropriate use of guards. If these external stops are not perpendicular to the mating contact surface, or if debris is trapped between the contact surfaces, a bending moment will be placed on the piston rod, which can lead to piston rod failure. An external stop will also negate the effect of cushioning and will subject the piston rod to impact loading. Those two (2) conditions can cause piston rod failure. Internal stroke adjusters are available with and without cushions. The use of external stroke adjusters should be reviewed with our engineering department.

The piston rod to piston and the stud to piston rod threaded connections are secured with an anaerobic adhesive. The strength of the adhesive decreases with increasing temperature. Cylinders which can be exposed to temperatures above +250°F (+121°C) are to be ordered with a non studded piston rod and a pinned piston to rod joint.

2.3 Cushions – Cushions should be considered for cylinder applications when the piston velocity is expected to be over 4 inches/second.

Cylinder cushions are normally designed to absorb the energy of a linear applied load. A rotating mass has considerably more energy than the same mass moving in a linear mode. Cushioning for a rotating mass application should be review by our engineering department.

2.4 Cylinder Mountings – Some cylinder mounting configurations may have certain limitations such as but not limited to minimum stroke for side or foot mounting cylinders or pressure de-ratings for certain mounts. Carefully review the catalog for these types of restrictions.

Always mount cylinders using the largest possible high tensile alloy steel socket head cap screws that can fit in the cylinder mounting holes and torque them to the manufacturer's recommendations for their size.

2.5 Port Fittings – Hydraulic cylinders applied with meter out or deceleration circuits are subject to intensified pressure at piston rod end.

The rod end pressure is approximately equal to:

operating pressure x effective cap end area effective rod end piston area

Contact your connector supplier for the pressure rating of individual connectors.

3.0 Cylinder and Accessories Installation and Mounting

3.1 Installation

3.1.1 – Cleanliness is an important consideration, and cylinders are shipped with the ports plugged to protect them from contaminants entering the ports. These plugs should not be removed until the piping is to be installed. Before making the connection to the cylinder ports, piping should be thoroughly cleaned to remove all chips or burrs which might have resulted from threading or flaring operations.



Pneumatic Tie Rod Cylinders Series VE

- 3.1.2 Cylinders operating in an environment where air drying materials are present such as fast-drying chemicals, paint, or weld splatter, or other hazardous conditions such as excessive heat, should have shields installed to prevent damage to the piston rod and piston rod seals.
- 3.1.3 Proper alignment of the cylinder piston rod and its mating component on the machine should be checked in both the extended and retracted positions. Improper alignment will result in excessive rod gland and/or cylinder bore wear. On fixed mounting cylinders attaching the piston rod while the rod is retracted will help in achieving proper alignment.
- 3.1.4 Sometimes it may be necessary to rotate the piston rod in order to thread the piston rod into the machine member. This operation must always be done with zero pressure being applied to either side of the piston. Failure to follow this procedure may result in loosening the piston to rod-threaded connection. In some rare cases the turning of the piston rod may rotate a threaded piston rod gland and loosen it from the cylinder head. Confirm that this condition is not occurring. If it does, re-tighten the piston rod gland firmly against the cylinder head.

For double rod cylinders it is also important that when attaching or detaching the piston rod from the machine member that the torque be applied to the piston rod end of the cylinder that is directly attaching to the machine member with the opposite end unrestrained. If the design of the machine is such that only the rod end of the cylinder opposite to where the rod attaches to the machine member can be rotated, consult the factory for further instructions.

3.2 Mounting Recommendations

- **3.2.1** Always mount cylinders using the largest possible high tensile alloy steel socket head screws that can fit in the cylinder mounting holes and torque them to the manufacturer's recommendations for their size.
- **3.2.2** Side-Mounted Cylinders In addition to the mounting bolts, cylinders of this type should be equipped with thrust keys or dowel pins located so as to resist the major load.
- **3.2.3** Tie Rod Mounting Cylinders with tie rod mountings are recommended for applications where mounting space is limited. The standard tie rod extension is shown as BB in dimension tables. Longer or shorter extensions can be supplied. Nuts used for this mounting style should be torqued to the same value as the tie rods for that bore size.
- 3.2.4 Flange Mount Cylinders The controlled diameter of the rod gland extension on head end flange mount cylinders can be used as a pilot to locate the cylinders in relation to the machine. After alignment has been obtained, the flanges may be drilled for pins or dowels to prevent shifting.
- 3.2.5 Trunnion Mountings Cylinders require lubricated bearing blocks with minimum bearing clearances. Bearing blocks should be carefully aligned and rigidly mounted so the trunnions will not be subjected to bending moments. The rod end should also be pivoted with the pivot pin in line and parallel to axis of the trunnion pins.
- **3.2.6** Clevis Mountings Cylinders should be pivoted at both ends with centerline of pins parallel to each other. After cylinder is mounted, be sure to check to assure that the cylinder is free to swing through its working arc without interference from other machine parts.

4.0 Cylinder and Accessories Maintenance, Troubleshooting and Replacement

- **4.1 Storage** At times cylinders are delivered before a customer is ready to install them and must be stored for a period of time. When storage is required the following procedures are recommended.
 - **4.1.1** Store the cylinders in an indoor area which has a dry, clean and noncorrosive atmosphere. Take care to protect the cylinder from both internal corrosion and external damage.
 - 4.1.2 Whenever possible cylinders should be stored in a vertical position (piston rod up). This will minimize corrosion due to possible condensation which could occur inside the cylinder. This will also minimize seal damage.
 - **4.1.3** Port protector plugs should be left in the cylinder until the time of installation.
 - $\label{eq:constraint} \textbf{4.1.4} \text{If a cylinder is stored full of hydraulic fluid, expansion of the fluid due to temperature changes must be considered. Installing a check valve with free flow out of the cylinder is one method.}$
 - **4.1.5** When cylinders are mounted on equipment that is stored outside for extended periods, exposed unpainted surfaces, e.g. piston rod, must be coated with a rust-inhibiting compound to prevent corrosion.

4.2 Cylinder Trouble Shooting

4.2.1 - External Leakage

4.2.1.1 – Rod seal leakage can generally be traced to worn or damaged seals. Examine the piston rod for dents, gouges or score marks, and replace piston rod if surface is rough.

Rod seal leakage could also be traced to gland wear. If clearance is excessive, replace rod bushing and seal. Rod seal leakage can also be traced to seal deterioration. If seals are soft or gummy or brittle, check compatibility of seal material with lubricant used if air cylinder, or operating fluid if hydraulic cylinder. Replace with seal material, which is compatible with these fluids. If the seals are hard or have lost elasticity, it is usually due to exposure to temperatures in excess of 165°F. (+74°C). Shield the cylinder from the heat source to limit temperature to 350°F. (+177°C.) and replace with fluorocarbon seals.

4.2.1.2 – Cylinder body seal leak can generally be traced to loose tie rods. Torque the tie rods to manufacturer's recommendation for that bore size.

Excessive pressure can also result in cylinder body seal leak. Determine maximum pressure to rated limits. Replace seals and retorque tie rods as in paragraph above. Excessive pressure can also result in cylinder body seal leak. Determine if the pressure rating of the cylinder has been exceeded. If so, bring the operating pressure down to the rating of the cylinder and have the tie rods replaced.

Pinched or extruded cylinder body seal will also result in a leak. Replace cylinder body seal and retorque as in paragraph above.

Cylinder body seal leakage due to loss of radial squeeze which shows up in the form of flat spots or due to wear on the O.D. or I.D. – Either of these are symptoms of normal wear due to high cycle rate or length of service. Replace seals as per paragraph above.

4.2.2 - Internal Leakage

- **4.2.2.1** Piston seal leak (by-pass) 1 to 3 cubic inches per minute leakage is considered normal for piston ring construction. Virtually no static leak with lipseal type seals on piston should be expected. Piston seal wear is a usual cause of piston seal leakage. Replace seals as required.
- **4.2.2.2** With lipseal type piston seals excessive back pressure due to over-adjustment of speed control valves could be a direct cause of rapid seal wear. Contamination in a hydraulic system can result in a scored cylinder bore, resulting in rapid seal wear. In either case, replace piston seals as required.
- **4.2.2.3** What appears to be piston seal leak, evidenced by the fact that the cylinder drifts, is not always traceable to the piston. To make sure, it is suggested that one side of the cylinder piston be pressurized and the fluid line at the opposite port be disconnected. Observe leakage. If none is evident, seek the cause of cylinder drift in other component parts in the circuit.

4.2.3 - Cylinder Fails to Move the Load

- **4.2.3.1** Pneumatic or hydraulic pressure is too low. Check the pressure at the cylinder to make sure it is to circuit requirements.
- **4.2.3.2** Piston Seal Leak Operate the valve to cycle the cylinder and observe fluid flow at valve exhaust ports at end of cylinder stroke. Replace piston seals if flow is excessive.
- 4.2.3.3 Cylinder is undersized for the load Replace cylinder with one of a larger bore size.

4.3 Erratic or Chatter Operation

- **4.3.1** Excessive friction at rod gland or piston bearing due to load misalignment Correct cylinder-to-load alignment.
- **4.3.2** Cylinder sized too close to load requirements Reduce load or install larger cylinder.
- **4.3.3** Erratic operation could be traced to the difference between static and kinetic friction. Install speed control valves to provide a back pressure to control the stroke.
- 4.4 Cylinder Modifications, Repairs, or Failed Component Cylinders as shipped from the factory are not to be disassembled and or modified. If cylinders require modifications, these modifications must be done at company locations or by the Company's certified facilities. The Cylinder Division Engineering Department must be notified in the event of a mechanical fracture or permanent deformation of any cylinder component (excluding seals). This includes a broken piston rod, tie rod, mounting accessory or any other cylinder component. The notification should include all operation and application details. This information will be used to provide an engineered repair that will prevent recurrence of the failure.

It is allowed to disassemble cylinders for the purpose of replacing seals or seal assemblies. However, this work must be done by strictly following all the instructions provided with the seal kits.



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- 2. Payment: Payment shall be made by Buyer net 30 days from the date of delivery of the items purchased hereunder. Amounts not timely paid shall bear interest at the maximum rate permitted by law for each month or portion thereof that the Buyer is late in making payment. Any claims by Buyer for omissions or shortages in a shipment shall be waived unless Seller receives notice thereof within 30 days after Buyer's receipt of the shipment.
- 3. Delivery: Unless otherwise provided on the face hereof, delivery shall be made F.O.B. Seller's plant. Regardless of the method of delivery, however, risk of loss shall pass to Buyer upon Seller's delivery to a carrier. Any delivery dates shown are approximate only and Seller shall have no liability for any delays in delivery.
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