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## Technical drawings — Simplified representation of centre holes

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# Technical drawings — Simplified representation of centre holes

## 1 Scope and field of application

This International Standard specifies the simplified representation of centre holes and their designation. Simplified representation of centre holes may be used particularly when it is not necessary to show the exact form and size and where the designation of standardized centre holes is sufficient for information.

## 2 References

ISO 128, *Technical drawings — General principles of presentation*.

ISO 866, *Centre drills for centre holes without protecting chamfers — Type A*.

ISO 2540, *Centre drills for centre holes with protecting chamfers — Type B*.

ISO 2541, *Centre drills for centre holes with radius form — Type R*.

ISO 3098/1, *Technical drawings — Lettering — Part 1: Currently used characters*.

ISO 6428, *Technical drawings — Requirements for micro-copying*.<sup>1)</sup>

## 3 Indication on drawings

### 3.1 Requirements

Generally, three different requirements may be defined on technical drawings for the form and size of centre holes, namely :

- a) centre hole is required on the finished part;
- b) centre hole can be accepted on the finished part, but is not a fundamental requirement;
- c) centre hole shall not exist on the finished part.

<sup>1)</sup> At present at the stage of draft.

**3.2 Simplified representation**

The symbols representing centre holes and their application to the end face of a shaft are shown in column 2 of table 1.

**3.3 Designation of centre holes**

The designation of centre holes is dependent on the drill and may be indicated with reference either to an International Standard or to any other standard dealing with this subject.

The designation of the centre hole itself consists of

- a reference to this International Standard;
- the letter for the type (R, A or B);
- the pilot diameter  $d$ ;

- the outside countersink centre hole diameter  $D$ .

The two values are separated by a solidus.

*Example* : a centre hole<sup>1)</sup>, type B with  $d = 2,5$  mm and  $D_3 = 8$  mm may be indicated on the drawing as :

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**4 Interpretation of indication**

The relationship between the various designations used to specify the centre holes, the dimensions represented by the given designations, and dimensions depending on the centre drill used are shown in table 2.

Further details specifying the dimensions of the centre hole, to be indicated preferably on the drawings, are given in annex A.

**Table 1 — Representation and designation of centre holes on drawings**

Dimensions in millimetres

Requirement	Representation	Designation
Centre hole is required on the finished part		
Centre hole may remain on the finished part		
Centre hole shall not exist on the finished part		

1) For the machining of such a centre hole, a drill with  $d = 2,5$  and  $d_1 = 10$  according to ISO 2540 is used.