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for power tools**

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## FOREWORD

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Draft International Standards adopted by the Technical Committees are circulated to the Member Bodies for approval before their acceptance as International Standards by the ISO Council.

Prior to 1972, the results of the work of the Technical Committees were published as ISO Recommendations; these documents are now in the process of being transformed into International Standards. As part of this process, Technical Committee ISO/TC 29 has reviewed ISO Recommendation R 1173 and found it technically suitable for transformation. International Standard ISO 1173 therefore replaces ISO Recommendation R 1173-1970 to which it is technically identical.

ISO Recommendation R 1173 was approved by the Member Bodies of the following countries :

Australia	Hungary	Sweden
Belgium	India	Switzerland
Brazil	Ireland	Thailand
Czechoslovakia	Israel	Turkey
Egypt, Arab Rep. of	Italy	United Kingdom
France	Poland	U.S.S.R.
Germany	Portugal	Yugoslavia
Greece	Spain	

No Member Body expressed disapproval of the Recommendation.

No Member Body disapproved the transformation of ISO/R 1173 into an International Standard.

# Assembly tools for bolts and screws – Hexagon drive ends for power tools

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## 1 SCOPE AND FIELD OF APPLICATION

This International Standard, relating to assembly tools for bolts and screws, specifies hexagon drive ends for power tools. It includes two tables, the first showing the dimensions of male hexagons and the other the dimensions of female hexagons.

## 2 INTERCHANGEABILITY

Hexagon maximum and minimum dimensions have been selected so as to allow for interchangeability between metric and inch productions.

Deviations between maximum and minimum dimensions of  $s_1$  and  $s_2$  correspond to tolerances of grade 10\*.

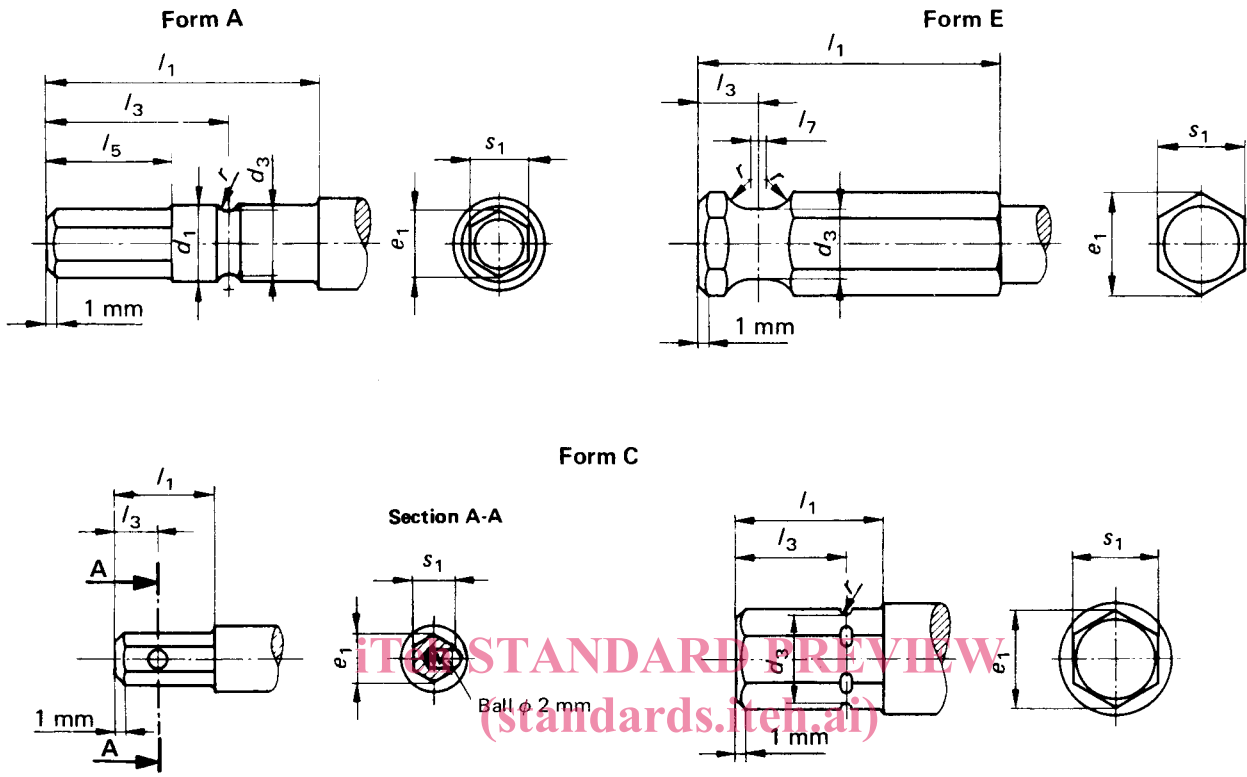
Sizes  $e$  have been calculated by using the formula  $e = 1,13 s$ .

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\* See ISO/R 286, ISO system of limits and fits – Part 1 : General, tolerances and deviations.

3 DIMENSIONS

3.1 Male hexagons



Nominal dimension 4

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Nominal dimensions 6,3 and 8

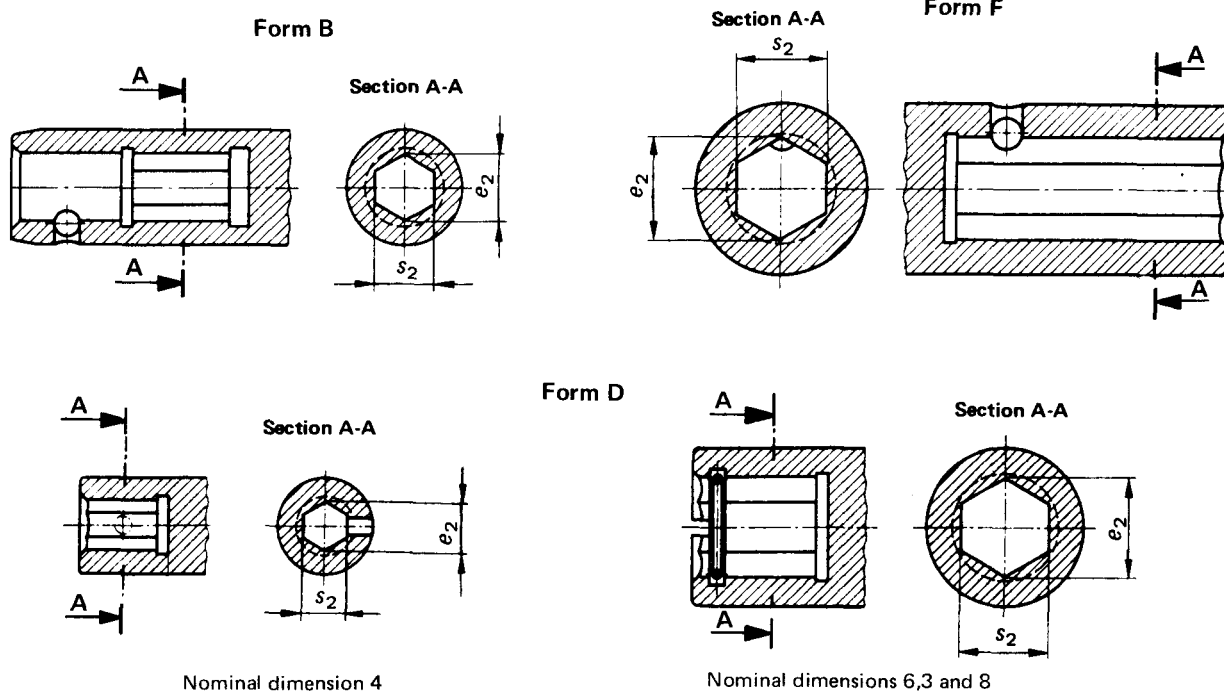
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Dimensions in millimetres

Form	Nominal dimensions	$s_1$		$d_1$ h9	$d_3$ h12	$e_1$		$l_1$ min.	$l_3$ tol.	$l_5$ $\pm 0,1$	$l_7$	$r$	Nominal dimensions in inches	
		max.	min.			max.	min.							
A	3	3,000	2,960	3,6	3,0	3,39	3,34	19,5	11,9	$\pm 0,11$	7,5	1,0	—	
	5,5	5,500	5,452	6,7	5,7	6,21	6,16	24,0	16,0	$\pm 0,11$	11,0	1,25	—	
C	4	3,962	3,914	—	—	4,48	4,42	9,0	4,0	$\pm 0,07$	—	—	$\frac{5}{32}$	
	6,3	6,350	6,292	—	6,7	7,18	7,11	11,0	8,2	$\pm 0,09$	—	0,3	$\frac{1}{4}$	
	8	7,930	7,872	—	8,2	8,96	8,90	13,5	10,2	$\pm 0,11$	—	0,3	$\frac{5}{16}$	
E	6,3	6,350	6,292	—	4,7	7,18	7,11	25,0	9,5	$\pm 0,09$	—	1,0	2,4	$\frac{1}{4}$
	(8)	7,930	7,872	—	6,3	8,96	8,90	27,0	5,4	$\pm 0,07$	—	1,2	2,4	$\frac{5}{16}$
	11,2	11,112	11,042	—	8,7	12,56	12,48	31,5	6,7	$\pm 0,09$	—	1,2	2,8	$\frac{7}{16}$
	16	15,875	15,805	—	13,5	17,94	17,86	44,0	8,7	$\pm 0,09$	—	1,6	4,0	$\frac{5}{8}$
	(20)	19,050	18,966	—	16,7	21,53	21,43	50,0	8,7	$\pm 0,09$	—	1,6	4,0	$\frac{3}{4}$

Dimensions placed between parentheses should be avoided as far as possible.

3.2 Female hexagons



Nominal dimension 4

Nominal dimensions 6,3 and 8

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Form	Nominal dimensions	$s_2$		$e_2$	Nominal dimensions in inches
		max.	min.	min.	
B	3	3,060	3,020	3,41	—
	5,5	5,578	5,530	6,25	
D	4	4,040	3,992	4,51	$\frac{5}{32}$
	6,3	6,448	6,390	7,22	$\frac{1}{4}$
	8	8,028	7,970	9,00	$\frac{5}{16}$
F	6,3	6,448	6,390	7,22	$\frac{1}{4}$
	(8)	8,028	7,970	9,00	$\frac{5}{16}$
	11,2	11,232	11,162	12,61	$\frac{7}{16}$
	16	15,995	15,925	18,00	$\frac{5}{8}$
	(20)	19,199	19,115	21,60	$\frac{3}{4}$

Dimensions placed between parentheses should be avoided as far as possible.

Female hexagons should be produced by the manufacturer in such a way that they perfectly fit the male hexagons.

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