



Standard Specification for Interchangeable Taper-Ground Stopcocks And Stoppers¹

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1. Scope

1.1 The specification provides standard dimensional requirements for obtaining, within practical limits, interchangeability in stopcocks and stoppers for ordinary laboratory and industrial applications. It covers dimensional interchangeability of the ground surfaces only and does not involve design characteristics of the item except where specified.

NOTE 1—The dimensions pertaining to stopcocks and stoppers were taken from the Commercial Standard CS 21 of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

NOTE 2—Although glass is the most commonly used material for stopcocks and stoppers, other materials may be used as specified. Stopcocks and stoppers constructed from glass should conform to Specifications E 438 and E 671.

2. Referenced Documents

2.1 ASTM Standards:

- E 438 Specification for Glasses in Laboratory Apparatus²
- E 671 Specification for Maximum Permissible Thermal Residual Stress in Annealed Glass Laboratory Apparatus²
- E 920 Specification for Commercially Packaged Laboratory Apparatus²
- E 921 Practice for Export Packaged Laboratory Apparatus²
- E 1133 Practice for Performance Testing of Packaged Laboratory Apparatus United States Government Procurement²
- E 1157 Specification for Sampling and Testing Reusable Laboratory Glassware²

2.2 U.S. Department of Commerce Standard:

- CS 21 Interchangeable Taper-Ground Joints, Stopcocks, Stoppers, and Spherical-Ground Joints³

3. Requirements for Single Straight-Bore Taper-Ground Stopcocks

3.1 The designations and dimensions for single straight-bore stopcocks shall be as shown in Fig. 1 and Table 1.

3.2 *Taper*—All straight-bore stopcocks shall have a taper of 1 ± 0.006 mm of diameter per 10 mm of length (1 to 10).

3.3 *Master Gages*—Dimensions and tolerances for master gages shall be as shown in Fig. 2 and Fig. 3, and Table 2 and

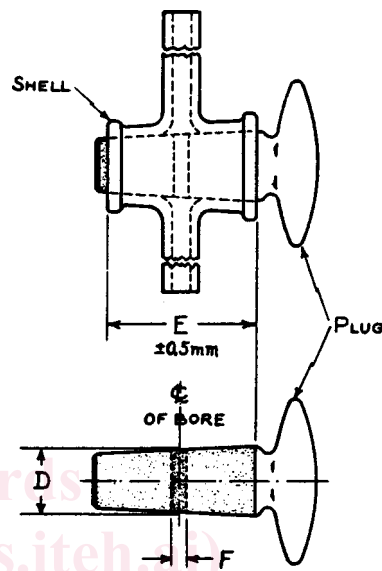


FIG. 1 Stopcock

Table 3. Overall diameter of ring gage shall be approximately twice the diameter of the bore at the reference line in the window, but not less than 25 mm.

3.3.1 *Plug Gage*—Plug shall have two short axial lines $180 \pm 0.5^\circ$ apart intersecting the reference line for checking location of bore hole. In addition to the two axial lines 180° apart intersecting the reference line on the 4 and 6-mm plugs, two additional axial lines shall be provided on each of these plugs for checking the location of the bore hole of T-bore and 120-deg bore stopcocks. These two additional axial lines shall be placed 90 and $120^\circ (\pm 0.5^\circ)$ from one of the first two axial lines.

TABLE 1 Single Straight-Bore Stopcocks

| Stopcock Designation | Diameter of Plug at Center-Line of Bore, mm <i>D</i> | Length of Shell, ± 0.5 mm <i>E</i> | Diameter of Bore Hole in Plug, mm <i>F</i> |
|----------------------|---|---|---|
| 1-M ⁴ | 7 | 20 | 1 |
| 1 | 12 | 30 | 1½ |
| 1½ | 12 | 30 | 1 |
| 2 | 12 | 30 | 2 |
| 3 | 17 | 40 | 3 |
| 4 | 17 | 40 | 4 |
| 5 | 20 | 44 | 5 |
| 6 | 20 | 44 | 6 |
| 8 | 25 | 52 | 8 |
| 10 | 35 | 56 | 10 |

⁴ Micro size.

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² Annual Book of ASTM Standards, Vol 14.04.

³ Discontinued 1979—U.S. Department of Commerce, Washington, DC 20234.

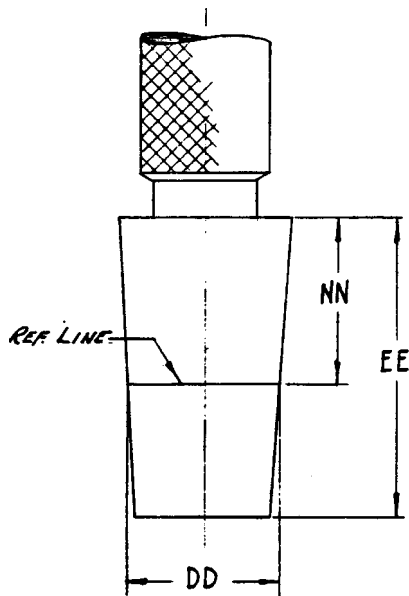


FIG. 2 Master Plug Gage for Single Straight-Bore Stopcocks

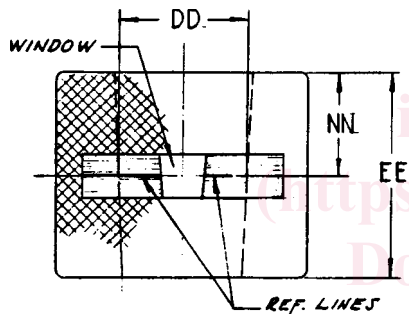


FIG. 3 Master Ring Gage for Single Straight-Bore Stopcocks

TABLE 2 Master Plug Gages for Single Straight-Bore Stopcocks

| Stopcock Designation | Length of Tapered Portion +2.0 mm, -0 mm <i>EE</i> | Diameter at Gaging Point ± 0.003 mm <i>DD</i> | Distance from Large End of Tapered Portion to Gaging Point, mm <i>NN</i> |
|----------------------|---|--|---|
| 1-M ^A | 32 | 7 | 20 |
| 1 | 42 | 12 | 25 |
| 1½ | 42 | 12 | 25 |
| 2 | 42 | 12 | 25 |
| 3 | 52 | 17 | 30 |
| 4 | 52 | 17 | 30 |
| 5 | 56 | 20 | 32 |
| 6 | 56 | 20 | 32 |
| 8 | 64 | 25 | 36 |
| 10 | 68 | 35 | 38 |

^A Micro size.

TABLE 3 Master Ring Gages for Single Straight-Bore Stopcocks

| Stopcock Designation | Length of Ring, +0.2 mm, -0 mm <i>EE</i> | Inside Diameter at Gaging Point, ± 0.003 mm <i>DD</i> | Distance from Top to Gaging Point, mm <i>NN</i> |
|----------------------|---|--|--|
| 1-M ^A | 20 | 7 | 10 |
| 1 | 30 | 12 | 15 |
| 1½ | 30 | 12 | 15 |
| 2 | 30 | 12 | 15 |
| 3 | 40 | 17 | 20 |
| 4 | 40 | 17 | 20 |
| 5 | 44 | 20 | 22 |
| 6 | 44 | 20 | 22 |
| 8 | 52 | 25 | 26 |
| 10 | 56 | 35 | 28 |

^A Micro size.

4. Requirements for Single Oblique-Bore Stopcocks

4.1 Design, dimensions, and tolerances for 1, 1½, 2, 3, and 4-mm oblique-bore stopcocks shall be as shown in Fig. 4 and Table 4.

4.2 *Taper*—All single oblique-bore stopcocks shall have a taper of 1 ± 0.006 mm of diameter per 10 mm of length (1 to 10).

4.3 *Master Gages*—The dimensions and tolerances for master gages shall be as shown in Fig. 5 and Fig. 6 and Table 5 and Table 6. The overall diameter of the ring gage shall be approximately twice the diameter of the bore at its midpoint, but not less than 25 mm.

4.3.1 *Plug Gage*—The upper circumferential reference line shall be the gaging point. Each reference line shall have a short axial line intersecting it, the two axial lines being on opposite sides of the plug and in the same plane running through the axis ($180 \pm 0.5^\circ$ apart) for checking location of bore holes.

4.3.2 *Ring Gage*—The width of the milled recesses, or windows, measured parallel with the axis shall be approximately one fourth of the length of the ring, and the width of the opening at the inner surface of ring, measured perpendicular to the axis, shall not exceed one fourth of the length of the ring. The recesses shall be so placed that the reference lines fall approximately midway in the recess.

4.3.3 *Fit of Product in Working Gages*—The product (both inner and outer members) shall fit the corresponding working gages so that the centerlines through the openings correspond with the reference lines on the gages within ± 0.3 mm for 1, 1½, and 2-mm bores, and ± 0.5 mm for 3 and 4-mm bores.

3.3.2 *Ring Gage*—The central milled recess, or window, shall be placed approximately midway between the ends of the ring gage. Width of recess measured parallel with the axis shall be approximately one fourth of the length of the ring, and the width of the opening at the inner surface of ring, measured perpendicular to the axis, shall not exceed one fourth of the length of the ring. Reference line in recess shall be placed approximately midway between ends of ring gage.

3.3.3 *Fit of Product in Working Gages*—The product (both inner and outer members) shall fit the corresponding working gages so that the centerline through the bore corresponds with the reference line on the gage within ± 0.3 mm for 1, 1½, and 2-mm bores; ± 0.5 mm for 3 and 4-mm bores; and ± 1.0 mm for 5-mm and larger bores.

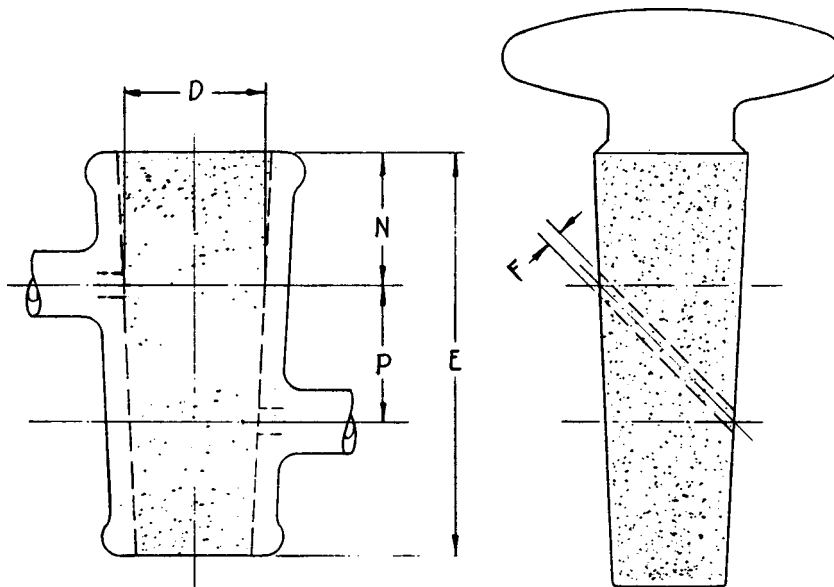


FIG. 4 Single Oblique-Bore Stopcock

TABLE 4 Single Oblique-Bore Stopcock

| Stopcock Designation | Diameter of Plug at Gaging Point, mm <i>D</i> | Length of Shell, ±0.5 mm <i>E</i> | Diameter of Bore in Plug, mm <i>F</i> | Distance from Large End of Shell to Gaging Point, ±0.5 mm <i>N</i> | Distance between Bore Holes, <i>P</i> ^A |
|----------------------|--|--------------------------------------|--|---|--|
| 1 | 12.60 | 40 | 1 | 14.0 | 12 |
| 1½ | 12.60 | 40 | 1½ | 14.0 | 12 |
| 2 | 12.60 | 40 | 2 | 14.0 | 12 |
| 3 | 17.35 | 50 | 3 | 16.5 | 17 |
| 4 | 17.35 | 50 | 4 | 16.5 | 17 |

^A See 3.3.3.

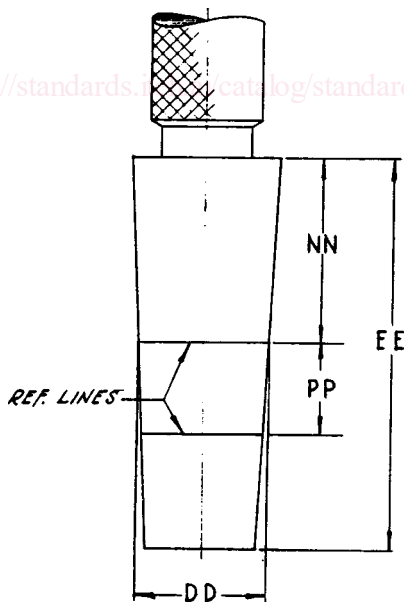


FIG. 5 Master Plug Gage for Single Oblique-Bore Stopcocks

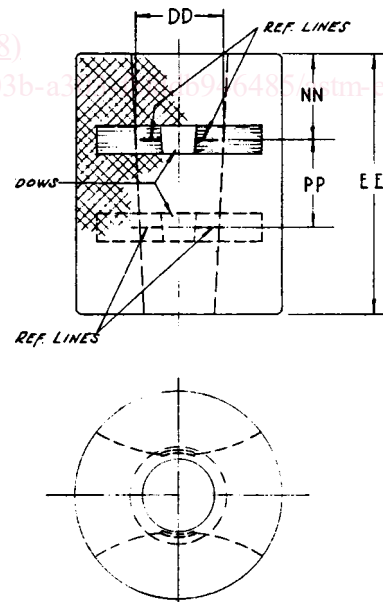


FIG. 6 Master Ring Gage for Single Oblique-Bore Stopcocks

5. Requirements for Double Oblique-Bore (Three-Way) Stopcocks

5.1 Design, dimensions, and tolerances for 1, 1½, 2, 3, and 4-mm, three-way bore stopcocks shall be as shown in Fig. 7 and Table 7.

5.2 *Taper*—All double oblique-bore stopcocks shall have a taper of 1 ± 0.006 mm of diameter per 10 mm of length (1 to 10).

5.3 *Master Gages*—Dimensions and tolerances for master gages shall be as shown in Fig. 8 and Fig. 9 and Table 8 and

TABLE 5 Master Plug Gages for Single Oblique-Bore Stopcocks

| Stopcock Designation | Length of Tapered Portion, +2.0 mm, -0 mm <i>EE</i> | Diameter at Gaging Point, ± 0.003 mm <i>DD</i> | Distance from Large End of Tapered Portion to Gaging Point +1.5 mm, -0 mm <i>NN</i> | Distance from Gaging Point to Lower Reference Line ± 0.03 mm <i>PP</i> |
|----------------------|--|---|--|---|
| 1 | 52 | 12.60 | 24.5 | 12 |
| 1½ | 52 | 12.60 | 24.5 | 12 |
| 2 | 52 | 12.60 | 24.5 | 12 |
| 3 | 62 | 17.35 | 27.0 | 17 |
| 4 | 62 | 17.35 | 27.0 | 17 |

TABLE 6 Master Ring Gages for Single Oblique-Bore Stopcocks

| Stopcock Designation | Length of Ring, +0.2 mm, -0 mm <i>EE</i> | Inside Diameter at Gaging Point, ± 0.003 mm <i>DD</i> | Distance from Top to Gaging Point (Approximate) <i>NN</i> | Distance from Gaging Point to Lower Reference Point, ± 0.03 mm <i>PP</i> |
|----------------------|---|--|--|---|
| 1 | 40 | 12.60 | 14.0 | 12 |
| 1½ | 40 | 12.60 | 14.0 | 12 |
| 2 | 40 | 12.60 | 14.0 | 12 |
| 3 | 50 | 17.35 | 16.5 | 17 |
| 4 | 50 | 17.35 | 16.5 | 17 |

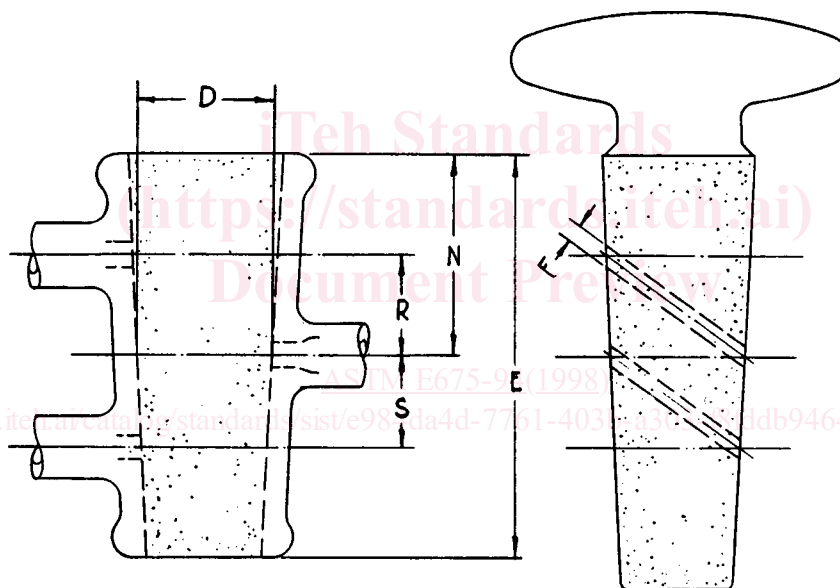


FIG. 7 Double Oblique-Bore Stopcock

Table 9. The overall diameter of the ring gage shall be approximately twice the diameter of the bore at the reference line in the central window.

5.3.1 *Plug Gage*—The central circumferential reference line shall be the gaging point. A short axial reference line shall intersect each of the circumferential reference lines. The axial line intersecting the central circumferential reference line shall be on the opposite side of the plug from the other two axial lines. All three axial lines shall be in the same plane running through the axis ($180 \pm 0.5^\circ$) to check the location of the bore holes.

5.3.2 *Ring Gage*—The width of the milled recesses, or windows, measured parallel with the axis shall be approximately one fourth of the length of the ring, and the width of the opening at the inner surface of ring, measured perpendicular to the axis, shall not exceed one fourth of the length of the ring.

The recesses shall be so placed that the reference lines fall approximately midway in the recesses.

5.3.3 *Fit of Product in Working Gages*—The product (both inner and outer members) shall fit the corresponding working gages so that the centerlines through the openings correspond with the reference lines on the gage within ± 0.3 mm for 1, 1½, and 2-mm bores, and ± 0.5 mm for 3 and 4-mm bores.

6. Requirements for T-Bore and 120-deg Bore Stopcocks

6.1 These stopcocks are designated by the nominal bore size. With the exception of the bore sizes, the dimensions and tolerances for 1, 1½, and 2-mm T-bore and 120-deg bore stopcocks shall be the same as for the 4-mm single straight-bore stopcocks. Dimensions and tolerances for 3 and 4-mm T-bore and 120-deg bore stopcocks shall be the same as for the 6-mm single-bore stopcocks. (See Table 1.)