Indexing Mechanisms

Steel / Stainless Steel

SPECIFICATION

Version in Steel

Types

- Type A: Knob, blackened, without scale
- Type **AS**: Knob, matte chrome plated, with scale 0...50, 60
- · Type B: With 1 tension lever
- Type **C**: With 2 tension levers

Steel

- · Blackened for type A / B / C
- · Matte chrome plated for type AS
- Scale laser-engraved, black
- Reference line on location ring
- Keyway
- Tolerance slot width P9
- Bore K 10: DIN 6885-1
- Bore K 12 ... K 16: DIN 6885-2

Fixed cylindrical handles GN 539 for type B / C

Plastic, phenolic resin (PF) Black, shiny finish

Version in Stainless Steel

Types

- · Type A: Without scale
- Type AS: With scale 0...50, 60 graduations

Stainless steel AISI 303 NI

- · Scale for type AS
- Laser-engraved, black
- Reference line on locating ring
- · Keyway
- Tolerance slot width P9
- Bore K 10: DIN 6885-1
- Bore K 12... K 16: DIN 6885-2

INFORMATION

Indexing mechanisms GN 200 replace and simplify complicated indexing and safety mechanisms, such as indenting levers, latching mechanisms, indexing pins and other securing elements.

Besides the standard scale (Type AS) the control knob version may be supplied with any scale. In such cases, it is recommended to use the matte chrome plated version since the color contrast is better. (Version in Steel ST)

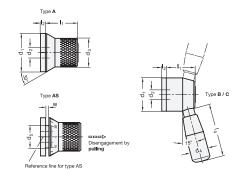
Regarding design, numbering run, numbering position and numbering sequence of the scale please see the layout for scale rings on the order sheet "How to order graduations" (see page 594).

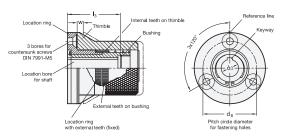
• Special graduations (see "How to order graduations" (see page

TECHNICAL INFORMATION

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- Stainless Steel Characteristics (see page A26)







Type A

Type **AS**

Reference line for type AS

 d_{2}



A S B C C Knob, blackened, without scale Knob, matte chrome plated, with scale 0...50, 60 graduations With 1 tension lever With 2 tension levers AS

GN 200-ST

Description	d 1	d ₂ H7 Bore with keyway	d 3	d4	d 5	d ₆ P.C.D. Ø for fixing screws	lı	l2	l ₃ Bore length	I 4	w Stroke	Δ'Δ
GN 200-44-K10-*	44	K 10	33	23	23	33	37	6	31	75	4	309
GN 200-44-K12-*	44	K 12	33	23	23	33	37	6	31	75	4	310
GN 200-52-K12-*	52	K 12	42	26	31.5	41.8	37.5	6	31.5	90	4	478
GN 200-52-K14-*	52	K 14	42	26	31.5	41.8	37.5	6	31.5	90	4	467
GN 200-52-K16-*	52	K 16	42	26	31.5	41.8	37.5	6	31.5	90	4	455

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Knob, blackened, without scale Knob, matte chrome plated, with scale 0...50, 60 graduations

GN 200-NI									STAINLESS STEEL		
Description	d ı	d ₂ H7 Bore with keyway	d 3	d 5	d6 P.C.D. Ø for fixing screws	lı	l2	l ₃ Bore length	w Stroke	2,7	
GN 200-44-K10-*-NI	44	K 10	33	23	33	37	6	31	4	309	
GN 200-44-K12-*-NI	44	K 12	33	23	33	37	6	31	4	310	
GN 200-52-K12-*-NI	52	K 12	42	31.5	41.8	37.5	6	31.5	4	478	
GN 200-52-K14-*-NI	52	K 14	42	31.5	41.8	37.5	6	31.5	4	467	
GN 200-52-K16-*-NI	52	K 16	42	31.5	41.8	37.5	6	31.5	4	455	

Weight type A

Control elements

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Reference line

 d_6

Pitch circle diameter for fastening holes Keyway

Functional and technical information

Location ring

3 bores for countersunk screws DIN 7991-M5

> Location bore for shaft

Thimble

External teeth on bushing

Applications

Indexing mechanisms can be used to adjust shafts or spindles by an angle of rotation of 6° (or a multiple thereof) and subsequently secure them against rotation by engaging in a serration.

Internal teeth on thimble

Bushina

Description

The indexing mechanism is a selfcontained unit with all adjustment and securing elements accommodated in the smallest possible space. It consists of three main parts:

The bushing is connected to the shaft with a parallel key/keyway or crossdowel.

Location ring

with external teeth (fixed)

- The location ring is fixed; it is mounted on the bushing and connected to the machine by 3 contersunk screws (e.g. DIN 7991-M5).
- The **knurled hub** connects the fixed location ring and the shaft which can be adjusted.

When locked, the internal toothing of the knurled hub (60 teeth) simultaneously engages with the external toothing of both the fixed location ring and the bushing connected to the shaft. To adjust the shaft, the knurled hub is pulled against spring pressure, disengaging from the location ring. The knurled hub however remains positively connected with the shaft via the external toothing of the bushing. By turning the knurled hub the shaft can now be adjusted.

More information

With 60 teeth, the following divisions can be achieved: 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 10, 20, 30. A simple method provides indexing of the shaft to limited number of positions only, i.e. every 120°. For this purpose, the location ring is manufactured with a dowel which allows engagement only when the bushing is provided with a corresponding hole (see assembly examples). This hole can be manufactured oversize as the dowel is for rough positioning only. Accurate positioning is maintained via the teeth.

For adjustment with a threaded spindle, it is recommended to assign the the 1.5 mm thread pitch to the standard scale with 60 graduation marks (type AS): 1 graduation = 0.025 mm.

The serration ensures more accurate and wear-free indexing than individual dowel pins.

If a very high torque has to be overcome during adjustment, unlocking and locking is more difficult due to the low backlash respectively the friction in the tooth flanks. In this case, it is recommended to use indexing levers GN 215.

