MILLING CUTTERS

Selection of Milling Cutters.— The most suitable type of milling cutter for a particular milling operation depends on such factors as the kind of cut to be made, the material to be cut, the number of parts to be machined, and the type of milling machine available. Solid cutters of small size will usually cost less, initially, than inserted blade types; for long-run production, inserted-blade cutters will probably have a lower overall cost. Depending on either the material to be cut or the amount of production involved, the use of carbide-tipped cutters in preference to high-speed steel or other cutting tool materials may be justified.

Rake angles depend on both the cutter material and the work material. Carbide and cast alloy cutting tool materials generally have smaller rake angles than high-speed steel tool materials because of their lower edge strength and greater abrasion resistance. Soft work materials permit higher radial rake angles than hard materials; thin cutters permit zero or practically zero axial rake angles; and wide cutters operate smoother with high axial rake angles. See *Rake Angles for Milling Cutters* on page 801.

Cutting edge relief or clearance angles are usually from 3 to 6 degrees for hard or tough materials, 4 to 7 degrees for average materials, and 6 to 12 degrees for easily machined materials. See *Clearance Angles for Milling Cutter Teeth* on page 800.

The number of teeth in the milling cutter is also a factor that should be given consideration, as explained in the next paragraph.

Number of Teeth in Milling Cutters.— In determining the number of teeth a milling cutter should have for optimum performance, there is no universal rule.

There are, however, two factors that should be considered in making a choice: 1) The number of teeth should never be so great as to reduce the chip space between the teeth to a point where a free flow of chips is prevented; and 2) The chip space should be smooth and without sharp corners that would cause clogging of the chips in the space.

For milling ductile materials that produce a continuous and curled chip, a cutter with large chip spaces is preferable. Such coarse tooth cutters permit an easier flow of the chips through the chip space than would be obtained with fine tooth cutters, and help to eliminate cutter "chatter." For cutting operations in thin materials, fine tooth cutters reduce cutter and workpiece vibration and the tendency for the cutter teeth to "straddle" the workpiece and dig in. For slitting copper and other soft nonferrous materials, teeth that are either chamfered or alternately flat and V-shaped are best.

As a general rule, to give satisfactory performance the number of teeth in milling cutters should be such that *no more than two teeth at a time are engaged in the cut*. Based on this rule, the following formulas are recommended:

For face milling cutters,

$$T = \frac{6.3D}{W} \tag{1}$$

For peripheral milling cutters,

$$T = \frac{12.6D\cos A}{D+4d} \tag{2}$$

where T = number of teeth in cutter; D = cutter diameter in inches; W = width of cut in inches; d = depth of cut in inches; and A = helix angle of cutter.

To find the number of teeth that a cutter should have when other than two teeth in the cut at the same time is desired, Formulas (1) and (2) should be divided by 2 and the result multiplied by the number of teeth desired in the cut.

Example: Determine the required number of teeth in a face mill where D = 6 inches and W = 4 inches. Using Formula (1),

$$T = \frac{6.3 \times 6}{4} = 10$$
 teeth, approximately

Example: Determine the required number of teeth in a plain milling cutter where D = 4 inches and $d = \frac{1}{4}$ inch. Using Formula (2),

$$T = \frac{12.6 \times 4 \times \cos 0^{\circ}}{4 + (4 \times \frac{1}{4})} = 10 \text{ teeth, approximately}$$

In *high speed milling* with sintered carbide, high-speed steel, and cast non-ferrous cutting tool materials, a formula that permits full use of the power available at the cutter but prevents overloading of the motor driving the milling machine is:

$$T = \frac{K \times H}{F \times N \times d \times W} \tag{3}$$

where T = number of cutter teeth; H = horsepower available at the cutter; F = feed per tooth in inches; N = revolutions per minute of cutter; d = depth of cut in inches; W = width of cut in inches; and K = a constant which may be taken as 0.65 for average steel, 1.5 for cast iron, and 2.5 for aluminum. These values are conservative and take into account dulling of the cutter in service.

Example: Determine the required number of teeth in a sintered carbide tipped face mill for high speed milling of 200 Brinell hardness alloy steel if H = 10 horsepower; F = 0.008 inch; N = 272 rpm; d = 0.125 inch; W = 6 inches; and K for alloy steel is 0.65. Using Formula (3),

$$T = \frac{0.65 \times 10}{0.008 \times 272 \times 0.125 \times 6} = 4 \text{ teeth, approximately}$$

American National Standard Milling Cutters.—According to American National Standard ANSI/ASME B94.19-1997 milling cutters may be classified in two general ways, which are given as follows:

By Type of Relief on Cutting Edges: Milling cutters may be described on the basis of one of two methods of providing relief for the cutting edges. Profile sharpened cutters are those on which relief is obtained and which are resharpened by grinding a narrow land back of the cutting edges. Profile sharpened cutters may produce flat, curved, or irregular surfaces. Form relieved cutters are those which are so relieved that by grinding only the faces of the teeth the original form is maintained throughout the life of the cutters. Form relieved cutters may produce flat, curved or irregular surfaces.

By Method of Mounting: Milling cutters may be described by one of two methods used to mount the cutter. Arbor type cutters are those which have a hole for mounting on an arbor and usually have a keyway to receive a driving key. These are sometimes called *Shell type*. Shank type cutters are those which have a straight or tapered shank to fit the machine tool spindle or adapter.

Explanation of the "Hand" of Milling Cutters.—In the ANSI Standard the terms "right hand" and "left hand" are used to describe hand of rotation, hand of cutter and hand of flute helix.

Hand of Rotation or Hand of Cut: is described as either "right hand" if the cutter revolves counterclockwise as it cuts when viewed from a position in front of a horizontal milling machine and facing the spindle or "left hand" if the cutter revolves clockwise as it cuts when viewed from the same position.

C	utter Diame	ter	Range of	H	Iole Diamete	er
Nom.	Max.	Min.	Face Widths Nom. ^a	Nom.	Max.	Min.
			Light-duty Cutters ^b			
2½	2.515	2.485	$\frac{3}{16}, \frac{1}{4}, \frac{5}{16}, \frac{3}{8},$ $\frac{1}{2}, \frac{5}{8}, \frac{3}{4}, 1, 1\frac{1}{2},$ 2 and 3	1	1.00075	1.0000
3	3.015	2.985	$\frac{3}{16}, \frac{1}{4}, \frac{5}{16}, \frac{3}{8}, \frac{5}{8}, \frac{3}{4}, \text{ and } \frac{1}{2}$	1	1.00075	1.0000
3	3.015	2.985	$\frac{1}{2}, \frac{3}{8}, \frac{3}{4},$ 1, 1 $\frac{1}{4}$, 1 $\frac{1}{2}$, 2 and 3	11⁄4	1.2510	1.2500
4	4.015	3.985	$\frac{1}{4}, \frac{5}{16}$ and $\frac{3}{8}$	1	1.00075	1.0000
4	4.015	3.985	$\frac{3}{8}, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{5}{8}, \frac{3}{4},$ 1, 1 $\frac{1}{2}$, 2, 3 and 4	11⁄4	1.2510	1.2500
			Heavy-duty Cuttersc			
2½	2.515	2.485	2	1	1.00075	1.0000
21/2	2.515	2.485	4	1	1.0010	1.0000
3	3.015	2.985	$2, 2\frac{1}{2}, 3, 4$ and 6	11/4	1.2510	1.2500
4	4.015 3.985		2, 3, 4 and 6	11/2	1.5010	1.5000
			High-helix Cutters ^d	•		
3	3 3.015 2.985		4 and 6	11/4	1.2510	1.2500
4	4.015	3.985	8	11/2	1.5010	1.5000

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 a Tolerances on Face Widths: Up to 1 inch, inclusive, \pm 0.001 inch; over 1 to 2 inches, inclusive, +0.010, -0.000 inch; over 2 inches, +0.020, -0.000 inch.

^bLight-duty plain milling cutters with face widths under $\frac{3}{4}$ inch have straight teeth. Cutters with $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch face and wider have helix angles of not less than 15 degrees nor greater than 25 degrees.

^cHeavy-duty plain milling cutters have a helix angle of not less than 25 degrees nor greater than 45 degrees.

^d High-helix plain milling cutters have a helix angle of not less than 45 degrees nor greater than 52 degrees.

All dimensions are in inches. All cutters are high-speed steel. Plain milling cutters are of cylindrical shape, having teeth on the peripheral surface only.

Hand of Cutter: Some types of cutters require special consideration when referring to their hand. These are principally cutters with unsymmetrical forms, face type cutters, or cutters with threaded holes. Symmetrical cutters may be reversed on the arbor in the same axial position and rotated in the cutting direction without altering the contour produced on the work-piece, and may be considered as either right or left hand. Unsymmetrical cutters reverse the contour produced on the work-piece when reversed on the arbor in the same axial position and rotated in the cutting direction. A single-angle cutter is considered to be a right-hand cutter if it revolves counterclockwise, or a left-hand cutter if it revolves clockwise, when cutting a viewed from the side of the larger diameter. The hand of cutter. A single corner rounding cutter is considered to be a right-hand cutter if it revolves counterclockwise, when cutting as viewed from the side of the same as its hand of cutter. A single corner rounding cutter is considered to be a right-hand cutter if it revolves counterclockwise, when cutting as viewed from the side of the angle site and site hand cutter if it revolves counterclockwise, or a left-hand cutter if it revolves counterclockwise, when cutting as viewed from the side of the same as its hand of cutter. A single corner rounding cutter if it revolves clockwise, when cutting as viewed from the side of the sameller diameter.

(Cutter Diamete	er	Range of		Hole Diamete	r
Nom.	Max.	Min.	Face Widths Nom. ^a	Nom.	Max.	Min.
			Side Cutters ^b			
2	2.015	1.985	3/16, 1/4, 3/8	5/8	0.62575	0.6250
21/2	2.515	2.485	1/4, 3/8, 1/2	7/8	0.87575	0.8750
3	3.015	2.985	1/4, 5/16, 3/8, 7/16, 1/2	1	1.00075	1.0000
4	4.015	3.985	1/4, 3/8, 1/2, 5/8, 3/4, 7/8	1	1.00075	1.0000
4	4.015	3.985	1/2, 5/8, 3/4	11/4	1.2510	1.2500
5	5.015	4.985	1/2, 5/8, 3/4	1	1.00075	1.0000
5	5.015	4.985	1/2, 5/8, 3/4, 1	11/4	1.2510	1.2500
6	6.015	5.985	1/2	1	1.00075	1.0000
6	6.015	5.985	$\frac{1}{2}, \frac{5}{8}, \frac{3}{4}, 1$	11/4	1.2510	1.2500
7	7.015	6.985	3/4	11/4	1.2510	1.2500
7	7.015	6.985	3/4	11/2	1.5010	1.5000
8	8.015	7.985	∛₄, 1	11/4	1.2510	1.2500
8	8.015	7.985	¾, 1	1½	1.5010	1.5000
			Staggered-tooth Side Cuttersc			
21/2	2.515	2.485	$\frac{1}{4}, \frac{5}{16}, \frac{3}{8}, \frac{1}{2}$	7∕8	0.87575	0.8750
3	3.015	2.985	³ / ₁₆ , ¹ / ₄ , ⁵ / ₁₆ , ³ / ₈	1	1.00075	1.0000
3	3.015	2.985	1/2, 5/8, 3/4	11/4	1.2510	1.2500
4	4.015	3.985	$\frac{1}{4}, \frac{5}{16}, \frac{3}{8}, \frac{7}{16}, \frac{1}{2},$	11/4	1.2510	1.2500
5	5.015	4.985	1/2, 5%, 3/4	11/4	1.2510	1.2500
6	6.015	5.985	3, 4, 5, 3, 3, 7, 1	11/4	1.2510	1.2500
8	8.015	7.985	3/8, 1/2, 5/8, 3/4, 1	1½	1.5010	1.5000
			Half Side Cutters ^d			
4	4.015	3.985	3/4	11/4	1.2510	1.2500
5	5.015	4.985	3/4	11/4	1.2510	1.2500
6	6.015	5.985	3⁄4	11/4	1.2510	1.2500

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^a Tolerances on Face Widths: For side cutters, +0.002, -0.001 inch; for staggered-tooth side cutters up to $\frac{3}{4}$ inch face width, inclusive, +0.000 -0.0005 inch, and over $\frac{3}{4}$ to 1 inch, inclusive, +0.000 - 0.0010 inch; and for half side cutters, +0.015, -0.000 inch.

^b Side milling cutters have straight peripheral teeth and side teeth on both sides.

^cStaggered-tooth side milling cutters have peripheral teeth of alternate right- and left-hand helix and alternate side teeth.

^d Half side milling cutters have side teeth on one side only. The peripheral teeth are helical of the same hand as the cut. Made either with right-hand or left-hand cut.

All dimensions are in inches. All cutters are high-speed steel. Side milling cutters are of cylindrical shape, having teeth on the periphery and on one or both sides.

Hand of Flute Helix: Milling cutters may have straight flutes which means that their cutting edges are in planes parallel to the cutter axis. Milling cutters with flute helix in one direction only are described as having a right-hand helix if the flutes twist away from the observer in a clockwise direction when viewed from either end of the cutter or as having a left-hand helix if the flutes twist away from the observer in a counterclockwise direction when viewed from either end of the cutter. Staggered tooth cutters are milling cutters with every other flute of opposite (right and left hand) helix.

An illustration describing the various milling cutter elements of both a profile cutter and a form-relieved cutter is given on page 776.

American National Standard Staggered Teeth, T-Slot Milling Cutters with Brown & Sharpe Taper and Weldon Shanks ANSI/ASME B94.19-1997



^a For dimensions of Brown & Sharpe taper shanks, see information given on page 916.

^b Brown & Sharpe taper shanks have been removed from ANSI/ASME B94.19 they are included for reference only.

All dimensions are in inches. All cutters are high-speed steel and only right-hand cutters are standard.

Tolerances: On *D*, +0.000, -0.010 inch; on *W*, +0.000, -0.005 inch; on *N*, +0.000, -0.005 inch; on *L*, $\pm \frac{1}{16}$ inch; on *S*, -00001 to -0.0005 inch.

American National Standard Form Relieved Corner Rounding Cutters with Weldon Shanks ANSI/ASME B94.19-1997

Rad., R	Dia., D	Dia., d	S	L	Rad., R	Dia., D	Dia., d	S	L		
1/16	7/16	1/4	⅔8	2½	⅔8	11/4	3∕8	1/2	31/2		
³∕ ₃₂	1/2	1/4	⅔8	2½	³∕ ₁₆	7⁄8	5/16	3∕₄	31/8		
1/8	5∕8	1/4	1/2	3	1/4	1	∛8	3∕₄	31/4		
⁵ / ₃₂	3∕₄	5∕ ₁₆	1/2	3	⁵ / ₁₆	11/8	⅔	7/8	31/2		
∛16	7%	5∕ ₁₆	1/2	3	3∕8	11/4	⅔	7/8	3¾		
1/4	1	3/8	1/2	3	7/16	13%	⅔	1	4		
5∕16	11/8	3/8	1/2	31/4	1/2	1½	⅔8	1	41%		

All dimensions are in inches. All cutters are high-speed steel. Right-hand cutters are standard. *Tolerances:* On D, ±0.010 inch; on diameter of circle, 2R, ±0.001 inch for cutters up to and including V_8 -inch radius, +0.002, -0.001 inch for cutters over V_8 -inch radius; on S, -0.0001 to -0.0005 inch; and on L, ± V_{16} inch.

(Cutter Diamete	er	Range of		Hole Diamete	r
Nom.	Max.	Min.	Face Widths	Nom.	Max.	Min.
			Plain Metal Slitting Saws ^b			
21/2	2.515	2.485	$y_{32}, y_{44}, y_{16}, y_{32}, y_{8}$	7∕8	0.87575	0.8750
-			$y_{32}, y_{64}, y_{16}, y_{32}, y_{16}, y_{32}$			
3	3.015	2.985	1/8 and 5/32	1	1.00075	1.0000
4	4.015	2.095	$\frac{1}{32}, \frac{3}{64}, \frac{1}{16}, \frac{3}{32}, \frac{1}{8},$	1	1 00075	1.0000
4	4.015	3.985	⁵ / ₃₂ and ³ / ₁₆	1	1.00075	1.0000
5	5.015	4.985	16, 3/32, 1/8	1	1.00075	1.0000
5	5.015	4.985	1/8	11/4	1.2510	1.2500
6	6.015	5.985	16, 3/32, 1/8	1	1.00075	1.0000
6	6.015	5.985	1/8, ³ /16	11/4	1.2510	1.2500
8	8.015	7.985	1/8	1	1.00075	1.0000
8	8.015	7.985	1/8	11/4	1.2510	1.2500
			Metal Slitting Saws with Side Teethe			
21/2	2.515	2.485	Y16, 332, 18	7/8	0.87575	0.8750
3	3.015	2.985	Y ₁₆ , 3 ₃₂ , Y ₈ , 5 ₃₂	1	1.00075	1.0000
4	4.015	3.985	1/16, 3/32, 1/8, 5/32, 3/16	1	1.00075	1.0000
5	5.015	4.985	1/16, 3/32, 1/8, 5/32, 3/16	1	1.00075	1.0000
5	5.015	4.985	1/8	11/4	1.2510	1.2500
6	6.015	5.985	Y16, 32, Y8, 316	1	1.00075	1.0000
6	6.015	5.985	½, 3∕ ₁₆	11/4	1.2510	1.2500
8	8.015	7.985	1/8	1	1.00075	1.0000
8	8.015	7.985	¹ / ₈ , ³ / ₁₆	$1\frac{1}{4}$	1.2510	1.2500
		Metal Slittin	g Saws with Staggered Peripheral and	d Side Teethd		
3	3.015	2.985	₹16	1	1.00075	1.0000
4	4.015	3.985	∛16	1	1.00075	1.0000
5	5.015	4.985	³ / ₁₆ , ¹ / ₄	1	1.00075	1.0000
6	6.015	5.985	³ / ₁₆ , ¹ / ₄	1	1.00075	1.0000
6	6.015	5.985	3/ ₁₆ , 1/ ₄	11/4	1.2510	1.2500
8	8.015	7.985	3/ ₁₆ , 1/ ₄	11/4	1.2510	1.2500
10	10.015	9.985	3/ ₁₆ , 1/ ₄	11/4	1.2510	1.2500
12	12.015	11.985	1/4 , 5/16	11/2	1.5010	1.5000

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^aTolerances on face widths are plus or minus 0.001 inch.

^b Plain metal slitting saws are relatively thin plain milling cutters having peripheral teeth only. They are furnished with or without hub and their sides are concaved to the arbor hole or hub.

^cMetal slitting saws with side teeth are relatively thin side milling cutters having both peripheral and side teeth.

^dMetal slitting saws with staggered peripheral and side teeth are relatively thin staggered tooth milling cutters having peripheral teeth of alternate right- and left-hand helix and alternate side teeth.

All dimensions are in inches. All saws are high-speed steel. Metal slitting saws are similar to plain or side milling cutters but are relatively thin.

Milling Cutter Terms





American National Standard Single- and Double-Angle Milling Cutters ANSI/ASME B94.19-1997

	Cutter Diameter	r			Hole Diameter		
Nom.	Max.	Min.	Nominal Face Width ^a	Nom. Max.			
			Single-angle Cutters ^b				
c11/	1 265	1 225	7/	⅔-24 UNF-2B RH			
174	1.205	1.235	/16	% -24 UNF-2B LH			
°15%	1.640	1.610	%16	½ -20 UNF-2B RH			
2¾	2.765	2.735	1/2	1	1.00075	1.0000	
3	3.015	2.985	½	11/4	1.2510	1.2500	
			Double-angle Cutters ^d				
2¾	2.765	2.735	1/2	1	1.00075	1.0000	

^a Face width tolerances are plus or minus 0.015 inch.

^b Single-angle milling cutters have peripheral teeth, one cutting edge of which lies in a conical surface and the other in the plane perpendicular to the cutter axis. There are two types: one has a plain keywayed hole and has an included tooth angle of either 45 or 60 degrees plus or minus 10 minutes; the other has a threaded hole and has an included tooth angle of 60 degrees plus or minus 10 minutes. Cutters with a right-hand threaded hole have a right-hand hand of rotation and a right-hand hand of cutter. Cutters with a left-hand threaded hole have a left-hand hand of rotation and a left-hand hand of cutter. Cutters with plain keywayed holes are standard as either right-hand or left-hand cutters.

° These cutters have threaded holes, the sizes of which are given under "Hole Diameter."

^d Double-angle milling cutters have symmetrical peripheral teeth both sides of which lie in conical surfaces. They are designated by the included angle, which may be 45, 60 or 90 degrees. Tolerances are plus or minus 10 minutes for the half angle on each side of the center.

All dimensions are in inches. All cutters are high-speed steel.

D												
Dia., D	Width, W	Dia., H	Length, B	Width, C	Depth, E	Radius, F	Dia., J	Dia., K	Angle, L			
inches	inches	inches	inches	inches	inches	inches	inches	degrees	inches			
11/4	1	1/2	5∕8	1/4	⁵ / ₃₂	1/64	11/16	5∕8	0			
11/2	11/8	1/2	5∕8	1/4	5/ ₃₂	1/64	11/16	5∕8	0			
1¾	11/4	3∕₄	3∕4	5∕16	∛16	1/32	15/16	7%	0			
2	1¾	3∕₄	3∕₄	5∕16	∛16	1/32	15/16	7%	0			
21/4	11/2	1	3∕₄	⅔	7/32	1/32	11/4	1¾	0			
21/2	1%	1	3∕₄	⅔	7/32	1/32	13%	1¾	0			
2¾	15%	1	3∕4	⅔	7/32	1/32	1½	13/16	5			
3	1¾	11/4	3∕4	1/2	%32	1/32	121/32	1½	5			
3½	1%	11/4	3∕4	1/2	%22	1/32	111/16	1½	5			
4	21/4	1½	1	5∕8	⅔	1/16	21/ ₃₂	1%	5			
4½	21/4	1½	1	5∕8	⅔	1/16	21/ ₁₆	1%	10			
-	21/.	11/2	1	5/2	3/0	1/16	2%	1%	10			
5	4	- 12	•	· 8	. 9	10	10	0				

American National Standard Shell Mills ANSI/ASME B94.19-1997

All cutters are high-speed steel. Right-hand cutters with right-hand helix and square corners are standard.

Tolerances: On D, $+/_{64}$ inch; on W, $\pm/_{64}$ inch; on H, +0.0005 inch; on B, $+/_{64}$ inch; on C, at least +0.008 but not more than +0.012 inch; on E, $+/_{64}$ inch; on J, $\pm/_{64}$ inch; on K, $\pm/_{64}$ inch.

End Mill Terms



Enlarged Section of End Mill Tooth



Enlarged Section of End Mill

American National Standard Multiple- and Two-Flute Single-End Helical End Mills with Plain Straight and Weldon Shanks ANSI/ASME B94.19-1997

	Cutter Diameter, D		Shank D	viameter, S	Length	Length				
Nom.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	W W	L Uverani,				
	•	Multiple-flu	te with Plain Strai	ght Shanks		•				
1/8	.130	.125	.125	.1245	5∕ ₁₆	11/4				
∛16	.1925	.1875	.1875	.1870	1/2	13⁄8				
1⁄4	.255	.250	.250	.2495	5∕8	111/16				
3∕8	.380	.375	.375	.3745	3⁄4	113/16				
1/2	.505	.500	.500	.4995	15/16	21/4				
3∕4	.755	.750	.750	.7495	11/4	25%				
		Two-flute for Key	way Cutting with	Weldon Shanks						
1/8	.125	.1235	.375	.3745	3/8	2 ⁵ / ₁₆				
∛16	.1875	.1860	.375	.3745	7/16	25⁄ ₁₆				
1/4	.250	.2485	.375	.3745	1/2	25⁄ ₁₆				
5/16	.3125	.3110	.375	.3745	%16	25/16				
3∕8	.375	.3735	.375	.3745	%16	25⁄ ₁₆				
1/2	.500	.4985	.500	.4995	1	3				
5/8	.625	.6235	.625	.6245	15/16	31/16				
3∕4	.750	.7485	.750	.7495	15/16	3%16				
7%	.875	.8735	.875	.8745	11/2	3¾				
1	1.000	.9985	1.000	.9995	1%	41/8				
11/4	1.250	1.2485	1.250	1.2495	1%	41/8				
1½	1.500	1.4985	1.250	1.2495	15%	41/8				

All dimensions are in inches. All cutters are high-speed steel. Right-hand cutters with right-hand helix are standard.

The helix angle is not less than 10 degrees for multiple-flute cutters with plain straight shanks; the helix angle is optional with the manufacturer for two-flute cutters with Weldon shanks.

Tolerances: On $W, \pm \frac{1}{32}$ inch; on $L, \pm \frac{1}{16}$ inch.

ANSI Regular-, Long-, and Extra Long-Length, Multiple-Flute Medium Helix Single-End End Mills with Weldon Shanks ANSI/ASME B94.19-1997



 $^{a}N =$ Number of flutes.

^b In this size of regular mill a left-hand cutter with left-hand helix is also standard.

All dimensions are in inches. All cutters are high-speed steel. Helix angle is greater than 19 degrees but not more than 39 degrees. Right-hand cutters with right-hand helix are standard.

Tolerances: On D, +0.003 inch; on S, -0.0001 to -0.0005 inch; on W, $\pm \frac{1}{32}$ inch; on L, $\pm \frac{1}{16}$ inch.

ANSI Two-Flute, High Helix, Regular-, Long-, and Extra Long-Length, Single-End End Mills with Weldon Shanks ANSI/ASME B94.19-1997

s D - D -													
Cutter]	Regular Mil	1		Long Mill		Ex	tra Long M	fill				
Dia., D	S	S W L S W L S W L											
1/4	∛8	5∕8	21/16	3∕8	11/4	3¼ ₁₆	∛8	1¾	3%16				
5∕ ₁₆	∛8	3∕4	21/2	3∕8	13%	31/8	∛8	2	3¾				
3/8	3∕8	3/4	21/2	3/8	11/2	31/4	⅔	21/2	4¼				
7/16	∛8	1	211/16	1/2	$1\frac{3}{4}$	3¾							
1/2	1/2	$1\frac{1}{4}$	31/4	1/2	2	4	⅓	3	5				
5%	3/8	1%	3¾	3/8	2½	4%	3/8	4	6½				
3∕₄	3∕₄	$1\frac{5}{8}$	31%	3∕₄	3	51/4	3∕₄	4	61/4				
7%	7/8	1%	4½										
1	1	2	4½	1	4	6½	1	6	8½				
11/4	$1\frac{1}{4}$	2	4½	11/4	4	6½	11/4	6	81⁄2				
11/2	$1\frac{1}{4}$	2	4½	11/4	4	6½	11/4	8	10½				
2	$1\frac{1}{4}$	2	4½	11/4	4	6½							

All dimensions are in inches. All cutters are high-speed steel. Right-hand cutters with right-hand helix are standard. Helix angle is greater than 39 degrees.

Tolerances: On *D*, +0.003 inch; on *S*, -0.0001 to -0.0005 inch; on *W*, $\pm \frac{1}{32}$ inch; and on *L*, $\pm \frac{1}{16}$ inch.

Combination Shanks for End Mills ANSI/ASME B94.19-1997

RIGHT-H	HAND CU	Т				LEFT-H	AND CUT				
$K - E + F + A5^{\circ}$ $K - E + F + A5^{\circ}$ $H + H + C + A5^{\circ}$ $A + F + A5^{\circ}$ $H + H + C + A5^{\circ}$ $K - E + F + A5^{\circ}$ $H + H + C + C + C + C + C + C + C + C + $				45°			.015 J 1/2 K			45°	
Dia., A	L^{a}	В	С	D	Ε	F	G	Н	J	K	М
11/2	211/16	13/16	.515	1.406	11/2	.515	1.371	%16	1.302	.377	7/16
2	31/4	1 ²³ / ₃₂	.700	1.900	13⁄4	.700	1.809	5/8	1.772	.440	1/2
21/2	31/2	1 ¹⁵ / ₁₆	.700	2.400	2	.700	2.312	3∕₄	2.245	.503	%16

^aLength of shank.

All dimensions are in inches.

Modified for use as Weldon or Pin Drive shank.



ANSI Roughing, Single-End End Mills with Weldon Shanks, High-Speed Steel ANSI/ASME B94.19-1997

All dimensions are in inches. Right-hand cutters with right-hand helix are standard. *Tolerances:* Outside diameter, +0.025, -0.005 inch; length of cut, $+\frac{1}{3}$, $-\frac{1}{32}$ inch.

American National Standard Heavy Duty, Medium Helix Single-End End Mills, 2½-inch Combination Shank, High-Speed Steel ANSI/ASME B94.19-1997



All dimensions are in inches. For shank dimensions see page 781. Right-hand cutters with right-hand helix are standard. Helix angle is greater than 19 degrees but not more than 39 degrees. *Tolerances*: On D, +0.005 inch; on W, $\pm \frac{1}{22}$ inch; on L, $\pm \frac{1}{16}$ inch.

$\begin{array}{c} & & & \\ & & & & \\ & & & \\ & & & \\ & & & & \\ & & & \\ & &$											
Dia.	Stub I	ength		H	Regular	Length					
D	W		L	W		L					
1/16	³ / ₃₂		2	³ / ₁₆		21/4					
3/32	%		2	%2		21/4					
1/2	3/16		2	3%		21/4					
5/22	15/		2	7/		21/					
3/16	%32		2	1/2		21/4					
Dia			Long I	Length							
D	В		V	V		L					
¥ ₁₆	3∕8		7/3	2		21/2					
³⁄ ₃₂	1/2		%	2		25%					
1/8	3∕4		3/4			31/8					
5/ ₃₂	$\frac{5}{32}$ $\frac{7}{8}$ $\frac{7}{8}$ $\frac{3}{4}$										
³ / ₁₆	1		1			33%					

ANSI Stub-, Regular-, and Long-Length, Four-Flute, Medium Helix, Plain-End, Double-End Miniature End Mills with ³/₁₆-Inch Diameter Straight Shanks ANSI/ASME B94 19-1997

All dimensions are in inches. All cutters are high-speed steel. Right-hand cutters with right-hand helix are standard. Helix angle is greater than 19 degrees but not more than 39 degrees.

Tolerances: On *D*, + 0.003 inch (if the shank is the same diameter as the cutting portion, however, then the tolerance on the cutting diameter is -0.0025 inch.); on *W*, $+\frac{1}{32}$, $-\frac{1}{64}$ inch; and on *L*, $\pm\frac{1}{16}$ inch.

American National Standard 60-Degree Single-Angle Milling Cutters with Weldon Shanks ANSI/ASME B94.19-1997

Dia., D	S	W	L	Dia., D	S	W	L				
3/4	3∕8	5⁄ ₁₆	21/8	17%	7⁄8	13/16	3¼				
13/8	5/8	%16	21/8	21⁄4	1	11/16	3¾				

All dimensions are in inches. All cutters are high-speed steel. Right-hand cutters are standard.

Tolerances: On D, \pm 0.015 inch; on S, - 0.0001 to - 0.0005 inch; on W, \pm 0.015 inch; and on L, $\pm \frac{1}{16}$ inch.

American National Standard Stub-, Regular-, and Long-Length, Two-Flute, Medium Helix, Plain- and Ball-End, Double-End Miniature End Mills with $\frac{1}{16}$ -Inch Diameter Straight Shanks ANSI/ASME B94.19-1997

$D \xrightarrow{V} V \xrightarrow{V} V \xrightarrow{V} D \xrightarrow{V} V \xrightarrow{V} V \xrightarrow{V} D \xrightarrow{V} D \xrightarrow{V} V \xrightarrow{V} V \xrightarrow{V} D \xrightarrow{V} $										
		Stub I	ength			Regular	r Length			
Dia., C and	Plain	End	1.1.8.1.1	Ball End	Plain	End	Ball	End		
D	W	L	W	L	W	L	W	L		
1/20	3/64	2			3/30	21/4				
3/64	1/16	2			%	21/4				
1/ ₁₆	3/ ₃₂	2	3/32	2	∛16	21/4	3/16	21/4		
5/64	1/8	2			15/64	21/4				
3/ ₃₂	%	2	%	2	%22	21/4	%22	21/4		
7/64	5/32	2			²¹ / ₆₄	21/4				
1/8	∛16	2	3/16	2	3∕8	21/4	⅔	21/4		
%	7/32	2			13/ ₃₂	21/4				
5/32	¹⁵ ⁄ ₆₄	2	¹⁵ ⁄ ₆₄	2	7/16	21/4	7/16	21/4		
11/64	1/4	2			1/2	21/4				
³∕ ₁₆	% ₃₂	2	% ₃₂	2	1/2	21/4	1/2	21/4		
				Long l	Length					
Dia.,				Plair	n End					
D		B ^a		I	W		L			
1/16		3/8		7/32			2½			
3/ ₃₂		1/2 1/2 2%								
1/8		3/4		3/4			31/8			
32 2		1/8		7/8			31/4			
-¥ ₁₆		1		1			31/8			

^a B is the length below the shank.

All dimensions are in inches. All cutters are high-speed steel. Right-hand cutters with right-hand helix are standard. Helix angle is greater than 19 degrees but not more than 39 degrees.

Tolerances: On C and D, -0.0015 inch for stub and regular length; +0.003 inch for long length (if the shank is the same diameter as the cutting portion, however, then the tolerance on the cutting diameter is -0.0025 inch.); on W, $+\frac{1}{32}$, $-\frac{1}{36}$ inch; and on L, $\pm\frac{1}{36}$ inch.

American National Standard Multiple Flute, Helical Series End Mills with Brown & Sharpe Taper Shanks

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Dia., D	W	L	Taper No.	Dia., D	W	L	Taper No.
 1/2 3/4	 ¹⁵ / ₁₆ 11/ ₄	 4 ¹⁵ ⁄ ₁₆ 5 ¹ ⁄ ₄	 7 7	1 1¼ 1½ 2	15% 2 2 ¹ / ₄ 2 ³ / ₄	5 ⁵ / ₈ 7 ¹ / ₄ 7 ¹ / ₂ 8	7 9 9 9

All dimensions are in inches. All cutters are high-speed steel. Right-hand cutters with right-hand helix are standard. Helix angle is not less than 10 degrees.

No. 5 taper is standard without tang; Nos. 7 and 9 are standard with tang only.

Tolerances: On D, +0.005 inch; on W, $\pm \frac{1}{32}$ inch; and on $L \pm \frac{1}{16}$ inch.

For dimensions of B & S taper shanks, see information given on page 916.

American National Standard Stub- and Regular-Length, Two-Flute, Medium Helix, Plain- and Ball-End, Single-End End Mills with Weldon Shanks ANSU/ASME B94.19-1997

	Regular Lengt	h — Plain End			Stub Length	— Plain End					
Dia., D	S	W	L	Cutter Dia., D	Shank Dia., S	Length of Cut. W	Length Overall. L				
1/8 3/16 1/4 5/	3⁄8 3∕8 3∕8	3%8 7/16 1/2	25/16 25/16 25/16	1/8 3/16 1/4	3% 3% 3%	³ / ₁₆ %32 3/ ₈	21/8 23/ ₁₆ 21/4				
716 3/8	78 3/8	16 %	25/16 25/16		Regular Lengt	h — Ball End					
% 1∕2 1⁄2 1⁄2 1⁄2	3/8 3/8 1/2 1/2	¹³ / ₁₆ ¹³ / ₁₆ 1 1 ¹ / ₈	2½ 2½ 3 3½	Dia., C and D	Shank Dia., S	Length of Cut. W	Length Overall. L				
% 11∕16 ∛4 %	1/2 1/2 1/2 5/8	1 ¹ / ₈ 1 ⁵ / ₁₆ 1 ⁵ / ₁₆	3½ 3½ 3½ 3½ 3½	1/8 3×16 1/4	38 38 38	378 172 578	25/ ₁₆ 23/ ₈ 27/ ₁₆				
11/16 3/4 13/16 7/8	% % % %	1% ₁₆ 1% ₁₆ 1½ 1½	37/16 37/16 35% 35%	9 ₁₆ 3 ₈ 7 ₁₆	3%8 3%8 1⁄2	3/4 3/4 1	2½ 2½ 3				
1 78 1 1%	% % % %	1½ 1½ 1½ 1½	3% 3¾ 3¾ 3¾ 3¾	½ %16 ∛8	¥2 ¥2 ¥2	1 1½ 1½	3 3½ 3½				
11/4 1 11/8 11/2	7% 1 1	1% 1% 1% 1%	31/8 41/8 41/8 41/8	5% 3/4 3/4	5% 1/2 3/4	1¾ 1½ 1½ 1%	3½ 3½ 3½ 3½				
1 ³ / ₈ 1 ¹ / ₂ 1 ¹ / ₄	1 1 1 ¹ / ₄	15%	41/8 41/8 41/8 41/2	7% 1 1½8	7% 1 1	$2 \\ 2^{1}_{4} \\ 2^{1}_{4}$	4^{1}_{4} 4^{3}_{4} 4^{3}_{4}				
1 ¹ / ₂ 1 ³ / ₄ 2	1 ¹ / ₄ 1 ¹ / ₄ 1 ¹ / ₄	1% 1% 1%	4 ¹ / ₈ 4 ¹ / ₈ 4 ¹ / ₈	1¼ 1½	1¼ 1¼	2½ 2½	5 5				

All dimensions are in inches. All cutters are high-speed steel. Right-hand cutters with right-hand helix are standard. Helix angle is greater than 19 degrees but not more than 39 degrees.

Tolerances: On C and D, -0.0015 inch for stub-length mills, +0.003 inch for regular-length mills; on S, -0.0001 to -0.0005 inch; on W, $\pm \frac{1}{32}$ inch; and on L, $\pm \frac{1}{16}$ inch.

The following single-end end mills are available in premium high speed steel: ball end, two flute, with *D* ranging from $\frac{1}{2}$ to 1 i/₂ inches; ball end, multiple flute, with *D* ranging from $\frac{1}{2}$ to 1 inch; and plain end, two flute, with *D* ranging from $\frac{1}{2}$ to 1 inch; and plain end, two flute, with *D* ranging from $\frac{1}{2}$ to 1 inch; and plain end, two flute, with *D* ranging from $\frac{1}{2}$ to 1 inch; and plain end, two flute, with *D* ranging from $\frac{1}{2}$ to 1 inch; and plain end, two flute, with *D* ranging from $\frac{1}{2}$ to 1 inch; and plain end, two flute, with *D* ranging from $\frac{1}{2}$ to 1 inch; and plain end, two flute, with *D* ranging from $\frac{1}{2}$ to 1 inch; and plain end, two flute, with *D* ranging from $\frac{1}{2}$ to 1 inch; and plain end, two flute, with *D* ranging from $\frac{1}{2}$ to 1 inch; and plain end, two flute, with *D* ranging from $\frac{1}{2}$ to 1 inch; and plain end, two flute, with *D* ranging from $\frac{1}{2}$ to 1 inch; and plain end, two flute, with *D* ranging from $\frac{1}{2}$ to 1 inch; and plain end, two flute, with *D* ranging from $\frac{1}{2}$ to 1 inch; and plain end, two flute, with *D* ranging from $\frac{1}{2}$ to 1 inch; and plain end, two flute, with *D* ranging from $\frac{1}{2}$ to 1 inch; and plain end, two flute, with *D* ranging from $\frac{1}{2}$ to 1 inch; and plain end, two flute, with *D* ranging from $\frac{1}{2}$ to 1 inch; and plain end, two flute, with *D* ranging from $\frac{1}{2}$ to 1 inch; and plain end, two flute, with *D* ranging from $\frac{1}{2}$ to 1 inch; and plain end, two flute, with *D* ranging from $\frac{1}{2}$ to 1 inch; and plain end, two flute, with *D* ranging from $\frac{1}{2}$ to 1 inch; and plain end, two flute, with *D* ranging from $\frac{1}{2}$ to 1 inch; and plain end, two flute, with *D* rangend f

			S	ingle End						
Dia.,		Long Length	— Plain End	0		Long Length	- Ball End			
C and										
D	S	B^{a}	W	L	S	Ba	W	L		
1/8					⅔	13/16	⅔	23/8		
³ / ₁₆					⅔	11/8	1/2	2 ¹¹ / ₁₆		
1/4	⅔	11/2	∜8	31/16	∛8	11/2	5∕8	3 ¹ / ₁₆		
⁵ / ₁₆	⅔	13/4	3∕₄	3 ⁵ / ₁₆	∛8	13/4	3∕₄	3 ⁵ / ₁₆		
3/8	3∕8	1¾	3∕4	3 ⁵ ⁄ ₁₆	⅔	13/4	3∕4	31/16		
7/16					1/2	17%	1	311/16		
1/2	1/2	21/32	1	4	1/2	21/4	1	4		
5/						- 7 -		467		
78	5∕8	2^{23}_{32}	13/8	4%	⅔	$2\gamma_4$	1%	4%		
78 3/4	5/8 3/4	2 ²³ / ₃₂ 3 ¹¹ / ₃₂	1 ³ / ₈ 1 ⁵ / ₈	4% 5%	∛8 3⁄4	2% 3%	1% 1%	4% 5%		
78 3/4 1	$\frac{\frac{5}{8}}{\frac{3}{4}}$	2 ²³ / ₃₂ 3 ¹¹ / ₃₂ 4 ³¹ / ₃₂	1 ³ / ₈ 1 ⁵ / ₈ 2 ¹ / ₂	4% 5% 7¼	*8 *4 1	2 ³ / ₄ 3 ³ / ₈ 5	1% 1% 2½	4% 5% 7¼		

American National Standard Long-Length Single-End and Stub-, and Regular Length, Double-End, Plain- and Ball-End, Medium Helix, Two-Flute End Mills with Weldon Shanks ANSI/ASME B94.19-1997

^a B is the length below the shank.

	Double End												
Dia., C and		Stub Length Plain End	_	R	egular Length Plain End	—	R	egular Lengtl Ball End	n —				
D	S	W	L	S	W	L	S	W	L				
1/8	⅔	³ / ₁₆	2¾	⅔	⅔	31/16	⅔	⅔	31/16				
5/ ₃₂	3∕8	15/64	23/4	3∕8	7/16	31/8							
3∕16	3∕8	%22	23/4	3∕8	7/16	31/8	∛8	7/16	31/8				
7/32	3∕8	²¹ / ₆₄	21%	3∕8	1/2	31/8							
1/4	3∕8	3∕8	21%	3∕8	1/2	31/8	⅔	1/2	31/8				
9/ ₃₂				3∕8	%16	31/8							
5∕ ₁₆				3∕8	%16	31/8	⅔	%16	31/8				
11/32				∛8	%	31/8							
3∕8				∛8	%	31/8	∛8	%	31/8				
13/32				1/2	13/16	3¾							
7/16				1/2	13/16	3¾	1/2	13/16	3¾				
15/32				1/2	13/16	3¾							
1/2				1/2	13/ 16	3¾	1/2	¹³ / ₁₆	3¾				
%16				5∕8	11/8	41/2							
5/8				5∕8	11/8	4½	5∕8	11/8	4½				
11/16				3∕4	15/16	5							
3/4				3∕4	15/16	5	3∕4	11/16	5				
7∕8				7/8	1%	5½							
1				1	1%	5%	1	1%	51%				

All dimensions are in inches. All cutters are high-speed steel. Right-hand cutters with right-hand helix are standard. Helix angle is greater than 19 degrees but not more than 39 degrees.

Tolerances: On *C* and *D*, + 0.003 inch for single-end mills, -0.0015 inch for double-end mills; on *S*, -0.0001 to -0.0005 inch; on *W*, $\pm \frac{1}{32}$ inch; and on *L*, $\pm \frac{1}{16}$ inch.

American National Standard Regular-, Long-, and Extra Long-Length, Three-and Four-Flute, Medium Helix, Center Cutting, Single-End End Mills with Weldon Shanks ANSI/ASME B94.19-1997

			\$ \$ \$				$\langle X \rangle = \langle X $								
						Four	Flu	te							
Dia.,]	Regul	ar Leng	gth			1	Long Length	1			E:	xtra Long	Ler	gth
D	S		W	L		S		W		L	S		W	_	L
26 % 14 % 16 % 16 % 1 1 % 1 1 % 1 1 %	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$					 *** *** *** *** *** *** *** *** ***		$\begin{array}{c} & & & \\ & & & & \\ & & & \\ & & & & \\ & & & & \\ & & & & \\ & & & & \\ & & & & \\ & & & & \\ & & & & \\ & & & & \\ & & & & \\ & & & & \\ &$	 3 3 4 4 5 5 6 6	₹16 18 14 18 14 14 14 14 14 14 14 14 14 14	··· ··· ··· ··· ··· ··· ··· ···		 1 ³ ⁄ ₄ 2 2 ¹ ⁄ ₂ 3 4 4 5 6 6 		 3%6 3%4 4½ 5 6½ 7½ 8½ 8½
						Three	Flu	ıte							
Dia., D	S		1	W		L		Dia., D			S		W		L
1/8 3/16 1/4 5/16 3/8 7/16 1/2	Regu 3 8 3 8 3 8 3 8 3 8 3 8 3 8 3 8 3 8 3	ilar Le	ngth ³ / ₈ ¹ / ₂ ⁵ / ₈ ³ / ₄ ³ / ₄ ¹ 1		$2\frac{5}{16}$ $2\frac{3}{8}$ $2\frac{7}{16}$ $2\frac{1}{2}$ $2\frac{1}{2}$ $2\frac{1}{2}$ $2\frac{1}{16}$ $2\frac{1}{4}$			$ \begin{array}{c} 1\frac{1}{8}\\ 1\frac{1}{4}\\ 1\frac{1}{2}\\ 1\frac{1}{4}\\ 1\frac{1}{2}\\ 1\frac{3}{4}\\ 2\end{array} $		Regula 1 1 1 1 1 1	1/4 1/4 1/4 1/4 1/4	th (c	2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2		$\begin{array}{c} 4\frac{1}{2} \\ 4\frac{1}{2} \end{array}$
1/2 %	1/2		1¼ 1¾			3¼ 3%				L	ong Lei	ngth			
γ_{16} γ_{4} γ_{4} γ_{4} γ_{4} γ_{8} γ_{4} γ_{8} γ_{4} γ_{8} γ_{4} γ_{8} γ_{4} γ_{8} γ_{4} γ_{8} γ_{4} γ_{8} γ_{1} γ_{8} γ_{1} γ_{8} γ_{1} γ_{8} γ_{1} γ_{8} γ_{1} γ_{8} γ_{1} γ_{8} γ_{1} γ_{8} γ_{1} γ_{8} γ_{1} γ_{8} γ_{1} γ_{8} γ_{1} γ_{8} γ_{1} γ_{8} γ_{1} γ_{8} γ_{1} γ_{8} γ_{1} γ_{8} γ_{1} γ_{1} γ_{1} γ_{1} γ_{2} γ_{1} γ_{2} γ_{1} γ_{2} γ_{1} γ_{2} γ_{1} γ_{2} γ_{1} γ_{2} γ_{1} γ_{2} γ_{1} γ_{2} γ_{2} γ_{1} γ_{2}	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1		$1\frac{3}{8}$ $1\frac{3}{8}$ $1\frac{3}{8}$ $1\frac{5}{8}$ $2\frac{5}{8}$ $1\frac{5}{8}$ $2\frac{5}{8}$ $1\frac{5}{8}$ $2\frac{5}{8}$ $1\frac{5}{8}$ $2\frac{5}{8}$ $1\frac{5}{8}$ $2\frac{5}{8}$ $1\frac{5}{8}$ $2\frac{5}{8}$ $1\frac{5}{8}$ $2\frac{5}{8}$ $1\frac{5}{8}$ $2\frac{5}{8}$ $1\frac{5}{8}$ $2\frac{5}{8}$ $1\frac{5}{8}$ $2\frac{5}{8}$ $1\frac{5}{8}$ $2\frac{5}{8}$ $1\frac{5}{8}$ $1\frac{5}{8}$ $2\frac{5}{8}$ $1\frac{5}{8}$ 15			$3\frac{3}{3}\frac{3}{3}\frac{3}{3}\frac{3}{3}\frac{3}{3}\frac{3}{3}\frac{3}{3}\frac{3}{3}\frac{3}{3}\frac{3}{3}\frac{3}{4}\frac{3}{3}\frac{3}{4}\frac{3}{4}\frac{3}{8}\frac{3}{8}\frac{4}{8$		$\frac{1}{4}$ $\frac{1}{5}$ $\frac{1}{6}$ $\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{4}$ $\frac{1}$		1 1 1 1 1	**************************************		$1\frac{1}{3}\frac{1}{8}$ $1\frac{1}{2}\frac{1}{2}$ $1\frac{3}{4}\frac{2}{2}$ $2\frac{1}{2}\frac{1}{2}\frac{1}{2}$ 4 4 4 4		$3^{11} \frac{3^{12}}{8} \\ 3^{12} \frac{3^{12}}{8} \\ 3^{12} \frac{3^{12}}{4} \\ 4^{12} \frac{3^{12}}{8} \\ 5^{12} \frac{4^{12}}{6^{12}} \\ 6^{12} \frac{6^{12}}{6^{12}} \\ 6^{12} 6^{$

All dimensions are in inches. All cutters are high-speed steel. Right-hand cutters with right-hand helix are standard. Helix angle is greater than 19 degrees but not more than 39 degrees.

American National Standard Stub- and Regular-length, Four-flute, Medium Helix, Double-end End Mills with Weldon Shanks ANSI/ASME B94.19-1997



^a In this size of regular mill a left-hand cutter with a left-hand helix is also standard.

All dimensions are in inches. All cutters are high-speed steel. Right-hand cutters with right-hand helix are standard. Helix angle is greater than 19 degrees but not more than 39 degrees.

Tolerances: On *D*, +0.003 inch (if the shank is the same diameter as the cutting portion, however, then the tolerance on the cutting diameter is -0.0025 inch); on *S*, -0.0001 to -0.0005 inch; on *W*, $\pm \frac{1}{32}$ inch; and on *L*, $\pm \frac{1}{36}$ inch.

American National Standard Stub- and Regular-Length, Four-Flute, Medium Helix, Double-End End Mills with Weldon Shanks ANSI/ASME B94.19-1997

	L	- W - I		w -	L S S	W - D	
Dia., D	S	W	L	Dia., D	S	W	L
	Three	e Flute	1		Four	Flute	
1/8	3∕8	3∕8	3½	1/8	3%	3∕8	31/16
³ / ₁₆	3∕8	1/2	31/4	∛16	3∕8	1/2	31/4
1/4	3∕8	5%	33%	1/4	3∕8	5/8	33/8
⁵ / ₁₆	3∕8	3∕4	3½	5/16	3∕8	3/4	31/2
3/8	3∕8	3∕4	3½	3∕8	3∕8	3/4	31/2
7/16	1/2	1	41/8	1/2	1/2	1	41/8
1/2	1/2	1	41/8	5/8	5%	13%	5
%16	5%	13%	5	3/4	3/4	15%	5%
5%	5%	13%	5	7/8	7%	1%	61/8
3/4	3∕4	15%	5%	1	1	11%	63/8
1	1	17/8	6¾				

All dimensions are in inches. All cutters are high-speed steel. Right-hand cutters with right-hand helix are standard. Helix angle is greater than 19 degrees but not more than 39 degrees.

Tolerances: On D, +0.0015 inch; on S, -0.0001 to -0.0005 inch; on W, $\pm l'_{32}$ inch; and on L, $\pm l'_{16}$ inch.





All dimensions are in inches. All cutters are high-speed steel. Right-hand cutters with right-hand helix are standard. Helix angle is greater than 19 degrees but not more than 39 degrees. *Tolerances:* On C and D, +0.005 inch for 2, 3, 4 and 6 flutes: on W, $\pm \frac{1}{16}$ inch; and on L, $\pm \frac{1}{16}$ inch.

Dimensions of American National Standard Weldon Shanks ANSI/ASME B94.19-1997

Shank		F	lat	Sha	ank	Flat		
Dia.	Length	Xa	X ^a Length ^b		Length	Xa	Length ^b	
3∕8	1%	0.325	0.280	1	2%	0.925	0.515	
1/2	125/32	0.440	0.330	11/4	2%2	1.156	0.515	
5/8	12%	0.560	0.400	11/2	211/16	1.406	0.515	
3/4	21/ ₃₂	0.675	0.455	2	31/4	1.900	0.700	
7/8	21/ ₃₂	0.810	0.455	21/2	31/2	2.400	0.700	

^aX is distance from bottom of flat to opposite side of shank.

^b Minimum.

All dimensions are in inches.

Centerline of flat is at half-length of shank except for $1\frac{1}{2}$ -, 2- and $2\frac{1}{2}$ -inch shanks where it is $1\frac{3}{16}$, $1\frac{27}{20}$ and $1\frac{15}{16}$, from shank end, respectively.

Tolerance on shank diameter, -0.0001 to -0.0005 inch.

Amerian National Standard Form Relieved, Concave, Convex, and Corner-Rounding Arbor-Type Cutters ANSI/ASME B94.19-1997

	-H→ D-		↓ ₩ ₩ ₩	c D		I→ D	R R		
	Concave		Con	vex	Corner-rounding				
D	iameter C or Rad	ius R	Cutter Dia	Width W	Diameter of Hole H				
Nom.	Max.	Min.	Da	±.010 ^b	Nom.	Max.	Min.		
			Conca	ve Cutters ^c					
1/8	0.1270	0.1240	21⁄4	1⁄4	1	1.00075	1.00000		
∛16	0.1895	0.1865	21/4	3∕8	1	1.00075	1.00000		
1⁄4	0.2520	0.2490	2½	7⁄ ₁₆	1	1.00075	1.00000		
⁵ / ₁₆	0.3145	0.3115	2¾	%16	1	1.00075	1.00000		
³ / ₈	0.3770	0.3740	23⁄4	5∕8	1	1.00075	1.00000		
7/16	0.4395	0.4365	3	3∕₄	1	1.00075	1.00000		
1/2	0.5040	0.4980	3	¹³ / ₁₆	1	1.00075	1.00000		
5∕8	0.6290	0.6230	31/2	1	11/4	1.251	1.250		
3∕4	0.7540	0.7480	3¾	13/16	11/4	1.251	1.250		
7%	0.8790	0.8730	4	13%	11/4	1.251	1.250		
1	1.0040	0.9980	41⁄4	1%	11/4	1.251	1.250		
			Conve	x Cutters ^c			-		
1/8	0.1270	0.1230	21/4	1/8	1	1.00075	1.00000		
3∕16	0.1895	0.1855	21/4	3/16	1	1.00075	1.00000		
1/4	0.2520	0.2480	2½	1/4	1	1.00075	1.00000		
5/16	0.3145	0.3105	2¾	5/16	1	1.00075	1.00000		
3∕8	0.3770	0.3730	2¾	3%	1	1.00075	1.00000		
7/16	0.4395	0.4355	3	7/16	1	1.00075	1.00000		
1/2	0.5020	0.4980	3	1/2	1	1.00075	1.00000		
5/8	0.6270	0.6230	31/2	5%	11/4	1.251	1.250		
3/4	0.7520	0.7480	3¾	3/4	11/4	1.251	1.250		
7/8	0.8770	0.8730	4	7%	11/4	1.251	1.250		
1	1.0020	0.9980	41/4	1	11/4	1.251	1.250		
			Corner-rou	nding Cutters ^d					
1/8	0.1260	0.1240	21/2	1/4	1	1.00075	1.00000		
1/4	0.2520	0.2490	3	13/32	1	1.00075	1.00000		
⅔	0.3770	0.3740	3¾	%16	11/4	1.251	1.250		
1/2	0.5020	0.4990	41/4	3/4	11/4	1.251	1.250		
5∕8	0.6270	0.6240	41⁄4	15/16	$1\frac{1}{4}$	1.251	1.250		

^a Tolerances on cutter diameter are $+\frac{1}{16}$, $-\frac{1}{16}$ inch for all sizes.

^b Tolerance does not apply to convex cutters.

^c Size of cutter is designated by specifying diameter C of circular form.

^dSize of cutter is designated by specifying radius *R* of circular form.

All dimensions in inches. All cutters are high-speed steel and are form relieved.

Right-hand corner rounding cutters are standard, but left-hand cutter for $\frac{1}{4}$ -inch size is also standard.

For key and keyway dimensions for these cutters, see page 794.

American National Standard Roughing and Finishing Gear Milling Cutters for Gears with 14½-Degree Pressure Angles ANSI/ASME B94.19-1997

						R H		シロフ
	Dia. of	Dia. of		Dia. of	Dia. of		Dia. of	Dia. of
Diametral Pitch	Cutter, D	Hole, H	Diametral Pitch	Cutter, D	Hole, H	Diametral Pitch	Cutter, D	Hole, H
			Roughir	ng Gear Milling	Cutters			
1	81/2	2	3	51/4	11/2	5	33/8	1
11/4	$7\frac{3}{4}$	2	3	4¾	$1\frac{1}{4}$	6	31%	11/2
1½	7	1¾	4	4¾	$1\frac{3}{4}$	6	31/2	11/4
13/4	6½	1¾	4	41/2	11/2	6	31/8	1
2	6½	1¾	4	41/4	$1\frac{1}{4}$	7	33/8	11/4
2	5¾	1½	4	3%	1	7	2%	1
21/2	6½	1¾	5	43%	$1\frac{3}{4}$	8	31/4	11/4
21/2	5¾	11/2	5	41⁄4	1½	8	2%	1
3	5%	1¾	5	3¾	11/4			
	01/		Finishin	g Gear Milling	Cutters		21/	7/
1	81/2	2	0	5%	1%	14	2%	^{1/8}
174	774	2	0	3½ 21/	174	10	272	1 7/
1%	/ 61/	174	7	25/	1	10	2%	⁷ 8
2	6 ¹ /	13/	7	3%	1/2	10	2/8	7/
2	53/	11/4	7	27/	1	20	23/	'8 1
21/2	61/4	13/2	8	31/2	11/2	20	2/8	76
21/2	53%	1%	8	31/	11/2	20	21/.	1
3	5%	13%	8	2%	1	22	2	76
3	51/	1%	9	31%	11/2	24	21/	1
3	43%	11/2	9	23/4	1	24	13%	76
4	43/4	13/	10	3	11/4	26	13/4	7%
4	4%	1%	10	23/4	1	28	13%	76
4	41/4	11/4	10	2%	76	30	13/4	7%
4	3%	1	11	2%	1	32	13/	7%
5	43%	1¾	11	23%	7%	36	13/4	7%
5	41/4	11/2	12	27%	11/4	40	13/4	7/8
5	33/4	11/4	12	25%	1	48	13/4	7%
5	33%	1	12	21/4	7%			
6	41⁄4	1¾	14	21/2	1			

All dimensions are in inches.

All gear milling cutters are high-speed steel and are form relieved.

For keyway dimensions see page 794.

Tolerances: On outside diameter, $+ \frac{1}{16}$, $-\frac{1}{16}$ inch; on hole diameter, through 1-inch hole diameter, +0.00075 inch, over 1-inch and through 2-inch hole diameter, +0.0010 inch.

For cutter number relative to numbers of gear teeth, see page 2021. Roughing cutters are made with No. 1 cutter form only.

	- 2	0	8		
Diametral Pitch	Diameter of Cutter, D	Diameter of Hole, <i>H</i>	Diametral Pitch	Diameter of Cutter, D	Diameter of Hole, <i>H</i>
3	4	11/4	10	23%	7%
4	35%	11/4	12	21/4	7%
5	33%	11/4	14	21/8	7%
6	31%	1	16	21%	7%
7	2%	1	20	2	7%
8	21%	1	24	13/4	7%

American National Standard Gear Milling Cutters for Mitre and Bevel Gears with 14½-Degree Pressure Angles ANSI/ASME B94.19-1997

All dimensions are in inches.

All cutters are high-speed steel and are form relieved.

For keyway dimensions see page 794. For cutter selection see page 2060.

Tolerances: On outside diameter, $+V_{16}$, $-V_{16}$ inch; on hole diameter, through 1-inch hole diameter, +0.00075 inch, for $1V_4$ -inch hole diameter, +0.0010 inch.

To select the cutter number for bevel gears with the axis at any angle, double the back cone radius and multiply the result by the diametral pitch. This procedure gives the number of equivalent spur gear teeth and is the basis for selecting the cutter number from the table on page 2023.

American National Standard Roller Chain Sprocket Milling Cutters ANSI/ASME B94.19-1997



Chordal Pitch	Dia. of Roll	No. of Teeth in Sprocket	Dia. of Cutter,	Width of Cutter,	Dia.of Hole, H
5/6	0.400	18-34	31/2	23/22	1
5%	0.400	35 and over	31/4	11/16	1
3/	0.469	6	31/	29/22	1
3/	0.469	7-8	31/	29/22	1
3/4	0.469	9-11	3%	29/22	1
3/4	0.469	12-17	3%	76	1
3/4	0.469	18-34	3%	27/22	1
3%	0.469	35 and over	3%	13/16	1
1	0.625	6	3%	1%	11/4
1	0.625	7-8	4	1%	11/4
1	0.625	9-11	41%	115/32	11/4
1	0.625	18-34	41/4	113/2	11/4
1	0.625	35 and over	41/4	111/22	11/4
11/2	0.750	6	41/	113/16	11/4
11/2	0.750	7-8	4%	113/16	11/4
11/2	0.750	9-11	4%	125/20	11/4
11/2	0.750	18-34	4%	111/16	11/4
11/2	0.750	35 and over	4%	1%	11/2
1%	0.875	6	43%	113/	11/2
1%	0.875	7-8	41%	113/16	11/2
1%	0.875	9-11	45%	125/20	11/2
11/2	0.875	12-17	4%	1%	11/4
11%	0.875	18-34	43/	111/2	11/2
11/2	0.875	35 and over	43%	15%	11/2
134	1.000	6	5	2.3/22	1%
13/	1.000	7-8	5%	23/2	1%
13%	1.000	9-11	51/	21/2	1%
13%	1.000	12-17	5%	21/2	11/2
13%	1.000	18-34	51%	131/2	1%
13%	1.000	35 and over	51%	1%	1%
2	1.125	6	5%	213/22	1%
2	1.125	7-8	5%	213/22	1%
2	1.125	9-11	5%	2%	11/2
2	1.125	12-17	53%	25%	1%
2	1.125	18-34	5%	21/	1%
2	1.125	35 and over	5%	25/22	1%
21/	1.406	6	5%	211/1	1%
21/	1.406	7-8	6	211/16	11/2
21/4	1.406	9-11	61/4	221/22	11/2
21/4	1.406	12-17	6%	21%2	11/2
21/4	1.406	18-34	61/2	215/20	11/2
21/4	1.406	35 and over	61/2	213/22	11/2
21/2	1.563	6	63,	3	13/
21/2	1.563	7-8	6%	3	13%
21/2	1.563	9-11	63/4	215/16	13%
21/2	1.563	12-17	6%	22%	13/
21/2	1.563	18-34	7	23/	13/
21/2	1.563	35 and over	71/8	211/16	13/
3	1.875	6	7%	31%	2
3	1.875	7-8	73/	31%2	2
3	1.875	9-11	7%	317/22	2
3	1.875	12-17	8	315/22	2
3	1.875	18-34	8	311/22	2
3	1.875	35 and over	81/4	31/32	2

American National Standard Roller Chain Sprocket Milling Cutters ANSI/ASME B94.19-1997

All dimensions are in inches.

All cutters are high-speed steel and are form relieved.

For keyway dimensions see page 794.

Tolerances: Outside diameter, $+V_{16}$, $-V_{16}$ inch; hole diameter, through 1-inch diameter, + 0.00075 inch, above 1-inch diameter and through 2-inch diameter, + 0.0010 inch.

For tooth form, see ANSI sprocket tooth form table on page 2438.

		Cor.	Rad.		↓ ↑ H ↓ ↓	Cor. Rad.								
	ARBOR AND KEYSEAT						FER HOLE	AND KEY	WAY		ARI	BORAND	KEY	
Nom.Arbor	Nom.		Arbor an	d Keyseat			Hole and Keyway				Arbor and Key			
and Cutter Hole Dia.	Size Key (Square)	A Max.	A Min.	B Max.	B Min.	C Max.	C Min.	D ^a Min.	H Nom.	Corner Radius	E Max.	E Min.	F Max.	F Min.
1/2	3/22	0.0947	0.0937	0.4531	0.4481	0.106	0.099	0.5578	3/64	0.020	0.0932	0.0927	0.5468	0.5408
5%	1/2	0.1260	0.1250	0.5625	0.5575	0.137	0.130	0.6985	1/16	1/22	0.1245	0.1240	0.6875	0.6815
3/4	1/8	0.1260	0.1250	0.6875	0.6825	0.137	0.130	0.8225	1/16	1/20	0.1245	0.1240	0.8125	0.8065
76	1/8	0.1260	0.1250	0.8125	0.8075	0.137	0.130	0.9475	1/16	1/20	0.1245	0.1240	0.9375	0.9315
1	1/4	0.2510	0.2500	0.8438	0.8388	0.262	0.255	1.1040	3/32	3/64	0.2495	0.2490	1.0940	1.0880
11/4	5∕ ₁₆	0.3135	0.3125	1.0630	1.0580	0.343	0.318	1.3850	1/8	1/ ₁₆	0.3120	0.3115	1.3750	1.3690
1½	3/8	0.3760	0.3750	1.2810	1.2760	0.410	0.385	1.6660	5/32	1/16	0.3745	0.3740	1.6560	1.6500
1¾	7/16	0.4385	0.4375	1.5000	1.4950	0.473	0.448	1.9480	3/16	1/16	0.4370	0.4365	1.9380	1.9320
2	1/2	0.5010	0.5000	1.6870	1.6820	0.535	0.510	2.1980	³ / ₁₆	1/16	0.4995	0.4990	2.1880	2.1820
2½	5%	0.6260	0.6250	2.0940	2.0890	0.660	0.635	2.7330	7/32	1/16	0.6245	0.6240	2.7180	2.7120
3	3/4	0.7510	0.7500	2.5000	2.4950	0.785	0.760	3.2650	1/4	3⁄32	0.7495	0.7490	3.2500	3.2440
3½	7/8	0.8760	0.8750	3.0000	2.9950	0.910	0.885	3.8900	∛8	3/ ₃₂	0.8745	0.8740	3.8750	3.8690
4	1	1.0010	1.0000	3.3750	3.3700	1.035	1.010	4.3900	⅔	3/ ₃₂	0.9995	0.9990	4.3750	4.3690
4½	11%	1.1260	1.1250	3.8130	3.8080	1.160	1.135	4.9530	7/16	1/8	1.1245	1.1240	4.9380	4.9320
5	11/4	1.2510	1.2500	4.2500	4.2450	1.285	1.260	5.5150	1/2	1/8	1.2495	1.2490	5.5000	5.4940

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^aD max. is 0.010 inch larger than D min.

All dimensions given in inches.



American National Standard Woodruff Keyseat Cutters—Shank-Type Straight-Teeth and Arbor-Type Staggered-Teeth ANSI/ASME B94.19-1997

All dimensions are given in inches. All cutters are high-speed steel.

Shank type cutters are standard with right-hand cut and straight teeth. All sizes have $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch diameter straight shank.

Arbor type cutters have staggered teeth.

For Woodruff key and key-slot dimensions, see pages 2348 through 2350.

Tolerances: Face with *W* for shank type cutters: $\frac{1}{16}$ - to $\frac{5}{32}$ -inch face, +0.0000, -0.0005; $\frac{3}{16}$ to $\frac{7}{32}$, -0.0002, -0.0007; $\frac{1}{4}, -0.0003, -0.0008$; $\frac{7}{16}$ to $\frac{7}{22}$, -0.0002, -0.0007; $\frac{1}{4}, -0.0003, -0.0008$; $\frac{7}{16}$, -0.0004, -0.0009; $\frac{3}{8}$, -0.0003, -0.0008; $\frac{7}{16}$, -0.0004, -0.0009; $\frac{3}{8}$, -0.0005, -0.0005, -0.0008; $\frac{7}{16}$, -0.0004, -0.0009; $\frac{3}{8}$, and over, -0.0005, -0.0010 inch. Hole size *H*: +0.00075, -0.0000 inch. Diameter *D* for shank type cutters: $\frac{1}{4}$ - through $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch diameter, +0.010, +0.015, $\frac{7}{8}$ through $\frac{1}{8}$, +0.012, +0.017; $\frac{1}{4}$ through $\frac{1}{2}$, +0.015, +0.020 inch. These tolerances include an allowance for sharpening. For arbor type cutters *D* is furnished $\frac{1}{32}$ inch larger than listed and a tolerance of ± 0.002 inch applies to the oversize diameter.

Setting Angles for Milling Straight Teeth of Uniform Land Width in End Mills, Angular Cutters, and Taper Reamers.—The accompanying tables give setting angles for the dividing head when straight teeth, having a land of uniform width throughout their length, are to be milled using single-angle fluting cutters. These setting angles depend upon three factors: the number of teeth to be cut; the angle of the blank in which the teeth are to be cut; and the angle of the fluting cutter. Setting angles for various combinations of these three factors are given in the tables. For example, assume that 12 teeth are to be cut on the end of an end mill using a 60-degree cutter. By following the horizontal line from 12 teeth, read in the column under 60 degrees that the dividing head should be set to an angle of 70 degrees and 32 minutes.



The following formulas, which were used to compile these tables, may be used to calculate the setting-angles for combinations of number of teeth, blank angle, and cutter angle not covered by the tables. In these formulas, A = setting-angle for dividing head, B = angle of blank in which teeth are to be cut, C = angle of fluting cutter, N = number of teeth to be cut, and D and E are angles not shown on the accompanying diagram and which are used only to simplify calculations.

$$\tan D = \cos(360^{\circ}/N) \times \cot B \tag{1}$$

$$\sin E = \tan(360^{\circ}/N) \times \cot C \times \sin D \tag{2}$$

Setting-angle
$$A = D - E$$
 (3)

Example: Suppose 9 teeth are to be cut in a 35-degree blank using a 55-degree single-angle fluting cutter. Then, N = 9, $B = 35^{\circ}$, and $C = 55^{\circ}$.

$$\tan D = \cos(360^{\circ}/9) \times \cot 35^{\circ} = 0.76604 \times 1.4281 = 1.0940; \text{ and } D = 47^{\circ}34'$$

$$\sin E = \tan(360^{\circ}/9) \times \cot 55^{\circ} \times \sin 47^{\circ}34' = 0.83910 \times 0.70021 \times 0.73806$$

$$= 0.43365; \text{ and } E = 25^{\circ}42'$$

Setting angle
$$A = 47^{\circ}34' - 25^{\circ}42' = 21^{\circ}52'$$

For end mills and side mills the angle of the blank B is 0 degrees and the following simplified formula may be used to find the setting angle A

$$\cos A = \tan(360^{\circ}/N) \times \cot C \tag{4}$$

Example: If in the previous example the blank angle was 0 degrees,

$$\cos A = \tan \left(360^{\circ} / 9 \right) \times \cot 55^{\circ}$$

 $= 0.83910 \times 0.70021 = 0.58755$; and setting-angle $A = 54^{\circ}1'$

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Angles of Elevation for Milling Straight Teeth in 0-, 5-, 10-, 15-, 20-, 25-	,
30-, and 35-degree Blanks Using Single-Angle Fluting Cutters	

No.					Angle of F	luting Cutter				
Teeth	90°	80°	70°	60°	50°	90°	80°	70°	60°	50°
		0° 1	Blank (End l	Mill)		5° Blank				
6		72° 13'	50° 55'			80° 4'	62° 34'	41° 41'		
8		79 51	68 39	54° 44'	32° 57'	82 57	72 52	61 47	48° 0'	25° 40'
10		82 38	74 40	65 12	52 26	83 50	76 31	68 35	59 11	46 4
12		84 9	77 52	70 32	61 2	84 14	78 25	72 10	64 52	55 5
14		85 8	79 54	73 51	66 10	84 27	79 36	74 24	68 23	60 28
16		85 49	81 20	76 10	69 40	84 35	80 25	75 57	70 49	64 7
18		86 19	82 23	77 52	72 13	84 41	81 1	77 6	72 36	66 47
20		86 43	83 13	79 11	74 11	84 45	81 29	77 59	73 59	68 50
22		87 2	83 52	80 14	75 44	84 47	81 50	78 40	75 4	70 26
24		87 18	84 24	81 6	77 0	84 49	82 7	79 15	75 57	71 44
			10° Blank					15° Blank		
6	70° 34'	53° 50'	34° 5'			61° 49'	46° 12'	28° 4'		
8	76 0	66 9	55 19	41° 56'	20° 39'	69 15	59 46	49 21	36° 34'	17° 34'
10	77 42	70 31	62 44	53 30	40 42	71 40	64 41	57 8	48 12	36 18
12	78 30	72 46	66 37	59 26	49 50	72 48	67 13	61 13	54 14	45 13
14	78 56	74 9	69 2	63 6	55 19	73 26	68 46	63 46	57 59	50 38
16	79 12	75 5	70 41	65 37	59 1	73 50	69 49	65 30	60 33	54 20
18	79 22	75 45	71 53	67 27	61 43	74 5	70 33	66 46	62 26	57 0
20	79 30	76 16	72 44	68 52	63 47	74 16	71 6	67 44	63 52	59 3
22	79 35	76 40	73 33	69 59	65 25	74 24	71 32	68 29	65 0	60 40
24	79 39	76 59	74 9	70 54	66 44	74 30	71 53	69 6	65 56	61 59
			20° Blank					25° Blank		
6	53° 57'	39° 39'	23° 18'			47° 0'	34° 6'	19° 33'		
8	62 46	53 45	43 53	31° 53'	14° 31'	56 36	48 8	38 55	27° 47'	11° 33'
10	65 47	59 4	51 50	43 18	32 1	60 2	53 40	46 47	38 43	27 47
12	67 12	61 49	56 2	49 18	40 40	61 42	56 33	51 2	44 38	36 10
14	68 0	63 29	58 39	53 4	46 0	62 38	58 19	53 41	48 20	41 22
16	68 30	64 36	60 26	55 39	49 38	63 13	59 29	55 29	50 53	44 57
18	68 50	65 24	61 44	57 32	52 17	63 37	60 19	56 48	52 46	47 34
20	69 3	65 59	62 43	58 58	54 18	63 53	60 56	57 47	54 11	49 33
22	69 14	66 28	63 30	60 7	55 55	64 5	61 25	58 34	55 19	51 9
24	69 21	66 49	64 7	61 2	57 12	64 14	61 47	59 12	56 13	52 26
			30° Blank					35° Blank		
6	40° 54'	29° 22'	16° 32'			35° 32'	25° 19'	14° 3'		
8	50 46	42 55	34 24	24° 12'	10° 14'	45 17	38 5	30 18	21° 4'	8° 41'
10	54 29	48 30	42 3	34 31	24 44	49 7	43 33	37 35	30 38	21 40
12	56 18	51 26	46 14	40 12	32 32	51 3	46 30	41 39	36 2	28 55
14	57 21	53 15	48 52	43 49	37 27	52 9	48 19	44 12	39 28	33 33
16	58 0	54 27	50 39	46 19	40 52	52 50	49 20	45 56	41 51	36 45
18	58 26	55 18	51 57	48 7	43 20	53 18	50 21	47 12	43 36	39 8
20	58 44	55 55	52 56	49 30	45 15	53 38	50 59	48 10	44 57	40 57
22	58 57	56 24	53 42	50 36	46 46	53 53	51 29	48 56	46 1	42 24
24	59 8	56 48	54 20	51 30	48 0	54 4	51 53	49 32	46 52	43 35

Angles of Elevation for Milling Straight Teeth in 40-, 45-, 50-, 55-, 60-, 65-, 70-, and 75-degree Blanks Using Single-Angle Fluting Cutters

No.					Angle of Fl	luting Cutte	r			
Teeth	90°	80°	70°	60°	50°	90°	80°	70°	60°	50°
			40° Blank					45° Blank		
6	30° 48'	21° 48'	11° 58′			26° 34'	18° 43'	10° 11'		
8	40 7	33 36	26 33	18° 16'	7° 23'	35 16	29 25	23 8	15° 48'	5° 58'
10	43 57	38 51	33 32	27 3	18 55	38 58	34 21	29 24	23 40	16 10
12	45 54	41 43	37 14	32 3	25 33	40 54	37 5	33 0	28 18	22 13
14	4/ 3	43 29	39 41	35 19	29 51	42 1	38 46	35 17	31 18	26 9
10	4/ 45	44 39	41 21	37 33	32 50	42 44	39 54	36 52	33 24	28 57
18	48 14	45 29	42 34	39 13	35 5	45 15	40 42	38 1	34 50 26 9	30 1
20	40 55	40 7	43 30	40 50	20 47	45 54	41 16	20 24	27 5	24 57
24	40 1	40 50	44 13	41 30	30 15	43 49	41 40	39 34 40 7	37 50	35 55
24	49 1	40 58	44 48	42 19	39 13	44 0	42 /	40 /	57 50	35 55
			50° Blank	1				55° Blank		
6	22° 45'	15° 58'	8° 38'			19° 17'	13° 30'	7° 15'		
8	30 41	25 31	19 59	13° 33'	5° 20	26 21	21 52	17 3	11° 30	4° 17
10	34 10	30 2	25 39	20 32	14 9	29 32	25 55	22 3	17 36	11 52
12	30 U	32 34	28 55	24 42	19 27	31 14	28 12	24 59	21 17	10 32
14	3/ 3	34 9	31 1	27 20	22 58	32 15	29 39	20 55	25 45	19 40
10	29 15	35 15	32 29	29 22	23 30	22 21	30 38	20 12	25 20	21 34
20	29 25	35 38	33 33	30 40	27 21	22 40	21 51	29 10	20 43	23 55
20	38 50	36 58	34 21	32 14	20 47	33 54	32 15	29 34	27 42	24 55
22	39 1	37 19	35 30	33 25	30 52	34 5	32 34	30 57	29 7	26 46
21		57 17	60° Blank	55 25	50 52	5. 5	52 51	65° Blank	27 1	20 10
6	16° 6'	11° 12′	6° 2'			13° 7′	9° 8′	4° 53'		
8	22 13	18 24	14 19	9° 37′	3° 44'	18 15	15 6	11 42	7° 50′	3° 1'
10	25 2	21 56	18 37	14 49	10 5	20 40	18 4	15 19	12 9	8 15
12	26 34	23 57	21 10	17 59	14 13	21 59	19 48	17 28	14 49	11 32
14	27 29	25 14	22 51	20 6	16 44	22 48	20 55	18 54	16 37	13 48
16	28 5	26 7	24 1	21 37	18 40	23 18	21 39	19 53	17 53	15 24
18	28 29	26 44	24 52	22 44	20 6	23 40	22 11	20 37	18 50	16 37
20	28 46	27 11	25 30	23 35	21 14	23 55	22 35	21 10	19 33	17 34
22	29 0	27 34	26 2	24 17	22 8	24 6	22 53	21 36	20 8	18 20
24	29 9	27 50	26 26	24 50	22 52	24 15	23 8	21 57	20 36	18 57
			70° Blank					75° Blank		
6	10° 18'	7° 9′	3° 48′			7° 38′	5° 19'	2° 50'		
8	14 26	11 55	9 14	6° 9′	2° 21'	10 44	8 51	6 51	4° 34'	1° 45'
10	16 25	14 21	12 8	9 37	6 30	12 14	10 40	9 1	78	4 49
12	17 30	15 45	13 53	11 45	98	13 4	11 45	10 21	8 45	6 47
14	18 9	16 38	15 1	13 11	10 55	13 34	12 26	11 13	9 50	8 7
16	18 35	17 15	15 50	14 13	12 13	13 54	12 54	11 50	10 37	97
18	18 53	17 42	16 26	14 59	13 13	14 8	13 14	12 17	11 12	9 51
20	19 6	18 1	16 53	15 35	13 59	14 18	13 29	12 38	11 39	10 27
22	19 15	18 16	17 15	16 3	14 35	14 25	13 41	12 53	12 0	10 54
24	19 22	18 29	17 33	16 25	15 5	14 31	13 50	13 7	12 18	11 18

No.of	Angle of Fluting Cutter									
Teeth	90°	80°	70°	60°	50°	90° 8	80°	70°	60°	50°
	80° Blank						85°	Blank		
6	5° 2'	3° 30'	1° 52'			2° 30′ 1°	44′ 0°	55'		
8	76	5 51	4 31	3° 2'	1° 8'	3 32 2	55 2	15	1° 29'	0° 34'
10	8 7	7 5	5 59	4 44	3 11	4 3 3	32 2	59	2 21	1 35
12	8 41	7 48	6 52	5 48	4 29	4 20 3	53 3	25	2 53	2 15
14	9 2	8 16	7 28	6 32	5 24	4 30 4	7 3	43	3 15	2 42
16	9 15	8 35	7 51	7 3	6 3	4 37 4	17 3	56	3 30	3 1
18	9 24	8 48	8 10	7 26	6 33	4 42 4	24 4	5	3 43	3 16
20	9 31	8 58	8 24	7 44	6 56	4 46 4	29 4	12	3 52	3 28
22	9 36	96	8 35	7 59	7 15	4 48 4	33 4	18	3 59	3 37
24	9 40	9 13	8 43	8 11	7 30	4 50 4	36 4	22	4 5	3 45

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Spline-Shaft Milling Cutter.—The most efficient method of forming splines on shafts is by hobbing, but special milling cutters may also be used. Since the cutter forms the space between adjacent splines, it must be made to suit the number of splines and the root diameter of the shaft. The cutter angle *B* equals 360 degrees divided by the number of splines. The following formulas are for determining the chordal width *C* at the root of the splines or the chordal width across the concave edge of the cutter. In these formulas, A = angle between center line of spline and a radial line passing through the intersection of the root circle and one side of the spline; W = width of spline; N = number of splines.

$$\sin A = \frac{W}{d}$$
 $C = d \times \sin\left(\frac{180}{N} - A\right)$

Splines of involute form are often used in preference to the straight-sided type. Dimensions of the American Standard involute splines and hobs are given in the section on splines.



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Wheels for Sharpening Milling Cutters.—Milling cutters may be sharpened either by using the periphery of a disk wheel or the face of a cup wheel. The latter grinds the lands of the teeth flat, whereas the periphery of a disk wheel leaves the teeth slightly concave back of the cutting edges. The concavity produced by disk wheels reduces the effective clearance angle on the teeth, the effect being more pronounced for wheels of small diameter than for wheels of large diameter. For this reason, large diameter wheels are preferred when sharpening milling cutters with disk type wheels. Irrespective of what type of wheel is used to sharpen a milling cutter, any burrs resulting from grinding should be carefully removed by a hand stoning operation. Stoning also helps to reduce the roughness of grinding marks and improves the quality of the finish produced on the surface being machined. Unless done very carefully, hand stoning may dull the cutting edge. Stoning may be avoided and a sharper cutting edge produced if the wheel rotates toward the cutting edge, which requires that the operator maintain contact between the tool and the rest while the wheel rotation is trying to move the tool away from the rest. Though slightly more difficult, this method will eliminate the burr.

Cutter		Gri	nding Wheel		
Material	Operation	Abrasive Material	Grain Size	Grade	Bond
Carbon Tool Steel	Roughing Finishing	Aluminum Oxide Aluminum Oxide	46–60 100	K H	Vitrified Vitrified
High-speed Steel:					
18/1 (Roughing	Aluminum Oxide	60	K,H	Vitrified
10-4-1	Finishing	Aluminum Oxide	100	Н	Vitrified
1942 (Roughing	Aluminum Oxide	80	F,G,H	Vitrified
10-4-2 {	Finishing	Aluminum Oxide	100	Н	Vitrified
Cast Non-Ferrous Tool Material	Roughing Finishing	Aluminum Oxide Aluminum Oxide	46 100–120	H,K,L,N H	Vitrified Vitrified
Sintered	Roughing after Brazing	Silicon Carbide	60	G	Vitrified
Carbide	Roughing	Diamond	100	а	Resinoid
	Finishing	Diamond	Up to 500	а	Resinoid
Carbon Tool Steel and High-Speed Steel ^b	Roughing Finishing	Cubic Boron Nitride Cubic Boron Nitride	80–100 100–120	R,P S,T	Resinoid Resinoid

Specifications of Grinding Wheels for Sharpening Milling Cutters

^aNot indicated in diamond wheel markings.

^bFor hardnesses above Rockwell C 56.

Wheel Speeds and Feeds for Sharpening Milling Cutters.—Relatively low cutting speeds should be used when sharpening milling cutters to avoid tempering and heat checking. Dry grinding is recommended in all cases except when diamond wheels are employed. The surface speed of grinding wheels should be in the range of 4500 to 6500 feet per minute for grinding milling cutters of high-speed steel or cast non-ferrous tool material. For sintered carbide cutters, 5000 to 5500 feet per minute should be used.

The maximum stock removed per pass of the grinding wheel should not exceed about 0.0004 inch for sintered carbide cutters; 0.003 inch for large high-speed steel and cast nonferrous tool material cutters; and 0.0015 inch for narrow saws and slotting cutters of highspeed steel or cast non-ferrous tool material. The stock removed per pass of the wheel may be increased for backing-off operations such as the grinding of secondary clearance behind the teeth since there is usually a sufficient body of metal to carry off the heat.

Clearance Angles for Milling Cutter Teeth.— The clearance angle provided on the cutting edges of milling cutters has an important bearing on cutter performance, cutting efficiency, and cutter life between sharpenings. It is desirable in all cases to use a clearance angle as small as possible so as to leave more metal back of the cutting edges for better heat dissipation and to provide maximum support. Excessive clearance angles not only weaken the cutting edges, but also increase the likelihood of "chatter" which will result in poor finish on the machined surface and reduce the life of the cutter. According to The Cincinnati Milling Machine Co., milling cutters used for general purpose work and having diameters from $\frac{1}{8}$ to 3 inches should have clearance angles from 13 to 5 degrees, respectively, decreasing proportionately as the diameter increases. General purpose cutters over 3 inches in diameter should be provided with a clearance angle of 4 to 5 degrees. The land width is usually $\frac{1}{16}$, $\frac{1}{16}$, and $\frac{1}{16}$ inch, respectively, for small, medium, and large cutters.

The primary clearance or relief angle for best results varies according to the material being milled about as follows: low carbon, high carbon, and alloy steels, 3 to 5 degrees; cast iron and medium and hard bronze, 4 to 7 degrees; brass, soft bronze, aluminum, magnesium, plastics, etc., 10 to 12 degrees. When milling cutters are resharpened, it is customary to grind a secondary clearance angle of 3 to 5 degrees behind the primary clearance angle to reduce the land width to its original value and thus avoid interference with the surface to be milled. A general formula for plain milling cutters, face mills, and form relieved cutters which gives the clearance angle C, in degrees, necessitated by the feed per revolution F, in inches, the width of land L, in inches, the depth of cut d, in inches, the cutter diameter D of the work being cut is:

$$C = \frac{45860}{DB} \left(1.5L + \frac{F}{\pi D} \sqrt{d(D-d)} \right)$$

Rake Angles for Milling Cutters.—In peripheral milling cutters, the rake angle is generally defined as the angle in degrees that the tooth face deviates from a radial line to the cutting edge. In face milling cutters, the teeth are inclined with respect to both the radial and axial lines. These angles are called *radial* and *axial* rake, respectively. The radial and axial rake angles may be positive, zero, or negative.

Positive rake angles should be used whenever possible for all types of high-speed steel milling cutters. For sintered carbide tipped cutters, zero and negative rake angles are frequently employed to provide more material back of the cutting edge to resist shock loads.

Rake Angles for High-speed Steel Cutters: Positive rake angles of 10 to 15 degrees are satisfactory for milling steels of various compositions with plain milling cutters. For softer materials such as magnesium and aluminum alloys, the rake angle may be 25 degrees or more. Metal slitting saws for cutting alloy steel usually have rake angles from 5 to 10 degrees, whereas zero and sometimes negative rake angles are used for saws to cut copper and other soft non-ferrous metals to reduce the tendency to "hog in." Form relieved cutters usually have rake angles of 0, 5, or 10 degrees. Commercial face milling cutters usually have 10 degrees positive radial and axial rake angles for general use in milling cast iron, forged and alloy steel, brass, and bronze; for milling castings and forgings of magnesium and free-cutting aluminum and their alloys, the rake angles may be increased to 25 degrees positive or more, depending on the operating conditions; a smaller rake angle is used for abrasive or difficult to machine aluminum alloys.

Cast Non-ferrous Tool Material Milling Cutters: Positive rake angles are generally provided on milling cutters using cast non-ferrous tool materials although negative rake angles may be used advantageously for some operations such as those where shock loads are encountered or where it is necessary to eliminate vibration when milling thin sections.

Sintered Carbide Milling Cutters: Peripheral milling cutters such as slab mills, slotting cutters, saws, etc., tipped with sintered carbide, generally have negative radial rake angles of 5 degrees for soft low carbon steel and 10 degrees or more for alloy steels. Positive axial rake angles of 5 and 10 degrees, respectively, may be provided, and for slotting saws and cutters, 0 degree axial rake may be used. On soft materials such as free-cutting aluminum alloys, positive rake angles of 10 to so degrees are used. For milling abrasive or difficult to machine aluminum alloys, small positive or even negative rake angles are used.

Eccentric Type Radial Relief.—When the radial relief angles on peripheral teeth of milling cutters are ground with a disc type grinding wheel in the conventional manner the ground surfaces on the lands are slightly concave, conforming approximately to the radius of the wheel. A flat land is produced when the radial relief angle is ground with a cup

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wheel. Another entirely different method of grinding the radial angle is by the eccentric method, which produces a slightly convex surface on the land. If the radial relief angle at the cutting edge is equal for all of the three types of land mentioned, it will be found that the land with the eccentric relief will drop away from the cutting edge a somewhat greater distance for a given distance around the land than will the others. This is evident from a study of Table entitled, "Indicator Drops for Checking Radial Relief Angles on Peripheral Teeth." This feature is an advantage of the eccentric type relief which also produces an excellent finish.

	Recom.			Recom.			
	Range of		For Flat an	d Concave	For Ec	centric	Max.
Cutter	Radial	Checking	Re	lief	Re	lief	Land
Diameter,	Angles,	Distance,					Width,
Inch	Degrees	Inch	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Inch
1/16	20-25	.005	.0014	.0019	.0020	.0026	.007
³ / ₃₂	16-20	.005	.0012	.0015	.0015	.0019	.007
1/8	15-19	.010	.0018	.0026	.0028	.0037	.015
⁵ / ₃₂	13-17	.010	.0017	.0024	.0024	.0032	.015
³ / ₁₆	12-16	.010	.0016	.0023	.0022	.0030	.015
7/32	11-15	.010	.0015	.0022	.0020	.0028	.015
1/4	10-14	.015	.0017	.0028	.0027	.0039	.020
% ₃₂	10-14	.015	.0018	.0029	.0027	.0039	.020
5∕ ₁₆	10-13	.015	.0019	.0027	.0027	.0035	.020
11/32	10-13	.015	.0020	.0028	.0027	.0035	.020
3/8	10-13	.015	.0020	.0029	.0027	.0035	.020
13/32	9-12	.020	.0022	.0032	.0032	.0044	.025
7/16	9-12	.020	.0022	.0033	.0032	.0043	.025
15/32	9-12	.020	.0023	.0034	.0032	.0043	.025
1/2	9-12	.020	.0024	.0034	.0032	.0043	.025
×16	9-12	.020	.0024	.0035	.0032	.0043	.025
5%	8-11	.020	.0022	.0032	.0028	.0039	.025
11/16	8-11	.030	.0029	.0045	.0043	.0059	.035
3/4	8-11	.030	.0030	.0046	.0043	.0059	.035
13/16	8-11	.030	.0031	.0047	.0043	.0059	.035
7%	8-11	.030	.0032	.0048	.0043	.0059	.035
15/16	7-10	.030	.0027	.0043	.0037	.0054	.035
1	7-10	.030	.0028	.0044	.0037	.0054	.035
11/8	7-10	.030	.0029	.0045	.0037	.0053	.035
11/4	6–9	.030	.0024	.0040	.0032	.0048	.035
13/8	6–9	.030	.0025	.0041	.0032	.0048	.035
11/2	6–9	.030	.0026	.0041	.0032	.0048	.035
1 %	6–9	.030	.0026	.0042	.0032	.0048	.035
13/4	6–9	.030	.0026	.0042	.0032	.0048	.035
11%	6–9	.030	.0027	.0043	.0032	.0048	.035
2	6–9	.030	.0027	.0043	.0032	.0048	.035
21/4	5-8	.030	.0022	.0038	.0026	.0042	.040
21/2	5-8	.030	.0023	.0039	.0026	.0042	.040
2¾	5-8	.030	.0023	.0039	.0026	.0042	.040
3	5-8	.030	.0023	.0039	.0026	.0042	.040
31/2	5-8	.030	.0024	.0040	.0026	.0042	.047
4	5-8	.030	.0024	.0040	.0026	.0042	.047
5	4-7	.030	.0019	.0035	.0021	.0037	.047
7	4-7 4-7	.030	.0019	.0035	.0021	.0037	.047
8	4-7	.030	.0020	.0036	.0021	.0037	.060
10	4-7	.030	.0020	.0036	.0021	.0037	.060
12	4–7	.030	.0020	.0036	.0021	.0037	.060

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The setup for grinding an eccentric relief is shown in Fig. 2. In this setup the point of contact between the cutter and the tooth rest must be in the same plane as the centers, or axes, of the grinding wheel and the cutter. A wide face is used on the grinding wheel, which is trued and dressed at an angle with respect to the axis of the cutter. An alternate method is to tilt the wheel at this angle. Then as the cutter is traversed and rotated past the grinding wheel while in contact with the tooth rest, an eccentric relief will be generated by the angular face of the wheel. This type of relief can only be ground on the peripheral teeth on milling cutters having helical flutes because the combination of the angular wheel face and the twisting motion of the cutter is required to generate the eccentric relief. Therefore, an eccentric relief cannot be ground on the peripheral teeth of straight fluted cutters.

Table 4 is a table of wheel angles for grinding an eccentric relief for different combinations of relief angles and helix angles. When angles are required that cannot be found in this table, the wheel angle, W, can be calculated by using the following formula, in which R is the radial relief angle and H is the helix angle of the flutes on the cutter.

$\tan W = \tan R \times \tan H$

Radial			Helix Angle of Cutter Flutes, H, Degrees											
Relief Angle R	12	18	20	30	40	45	50	52						
Degrees				Wheel An	gle, W, Degre	es		•						
1	0°13′	0°19′	0°22′	0°35′	0°50′	1°00′	1°12′	1°17′						
2	0°26′	0°39′	0°44′	1°09′	1°41′	2°00′	2°23′	2°34′						
3	0°38′	0°59′	1°06′	1°44′	2°31′	3°00′	3°34′	3°50′						
4	0°51′	1°18′	1°27′	2°19′	3°21′	4°00′	4°46′	5°07′						
5	1°04′	1°38′	1°49′	2°53′	4°12′	5°00′	5°57′	6°23′						
6	1°17′	1°57′	2°11′	3°28′	5°02′	6°00′	7°08′	7°40′						
7	1°30′	2°17′	2°34′	4°03′	5°53′	7°00′	8°19′	8°56′						
8	1°43′	2°37′	2°56′	4°38′	6°44′	8°00′	9°30′	10°12′						
9	1°56′	2°57′	3°18′	5°13′	7°34′	9°00′	10°41′	11°28′						
10	2°09'	3°17′	3°40'	5°49′	8°25′	10°00'	11°52′	12°43′						
11	2°22′	3°37′	4°03′	6°24′	9°16′	11°00′	13°03′	13°58'						
12	2°35′	3°57′	4°25′	7°00′	10°07′	12°00′	14°13′	15°13′						
13	2°49′	4°17′	4°48′	7°36′	10°58'	13°00'	15°23'	16°28′						
14	3°02′	4°38′	5°11′	8°11′	11°49′	14°00'	16°33'	17°42'						
15	3°16′	4°59′	5°34′	8°48′	12°40′	15°00'	17°43′	18°56'						
16	3°29′	5°19′	5°57′	9°24′	13°32′	16°00'	18°52'	20°09'						
17	3°43′	5°40′	6°21′	10°01'	14°23′	17°00'	20°01'	21°22′						
18	3°57′	6°02′	6°45′	10°37′	15°15′	18°00'	21°10'	22°35′						
19	4°11′	6°23′	7°09′	11°15′	16°07′	19°00'	22°19′	23°47′						
20	4°25′	6°45′	7°33′	11°52′	16°59′	20°00'	23°27′	24°59'						
21	4°40'	7°07′	7°57′	12°30′	17°51′	21°00'	24°35′	26°10'						
22	4°55′	7°29′	8°22′	13°08′	18°44′	22°00′	25°43'	27°21′						
23	5°09′	7°51′	8°47′	13°46'	19°36′	23°00′	26°50'	28°31'						
24	5°24′	8°14′	9°12′	14°25′	20°29'	24°00'	27°57′	29°41'						
25	5°40′	8°37′	9°38′	15°04′	21°22′	25°00′	29°04′	30°50′						

Table 4. Grinding Wheel Angles for Grinding Eccentric Type Radial Relief Angle

Indicator Drop Method of Checking Relief and Rake Angles.— The most convenient and inexpensive method of checking the relief and rake angles on milling cutters is by the indicator drop method. Three tables, Tables , 5 and 6, of indicator drops are provided in this section, for checking radial relief angles on the peripheral teeth, relief angles on side and end teeth, and rake angles on the tooth faces.



Fig. 1. Setup for Checking the Radial Relief Angle by Indicator Drop Method



Fig. 2. Setup for Grinding Eccentric Type Radial Relief Angle

Table 5. Indicator Drop	s for Checkin	g Relief Angles on	Side Teeth and End Teeth

				Give	en Relief A	ngle			
Checking Distance	1°	2°	3°	4°	5°	6°	7°	8°	9°
Inch				Indi	cator Drop,	inch			
.005	.00009	.00017	.00026	.00035	.0004	.0005	.0006	.0007	.0008
.010	.00017	.00035	.00052	.0007	.0009	.0011	.0012	.0014	.0016
.015	.00026	.0005	.00079	.0010	.0013	.0016	.0018	.0021	.0024
.031	.00054	.0011	.0016	.0022	.0027	.0033	.0038	.0044	.0049
.047	.00082	.0016	.0025	.0033	.0041	.0049	.0058	.0066	.0074
.062	.00108	.0022	.0032	.0043	.0054	.0065	.0076	.0087	.0098

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Table 6. Indicator Drops for Checking Rake Angles on Milling Cutter Face



Set indicator to read zero on horizontal plane passing through cutter axis. Zero cutting edge against indicator.



Move cutter or indicator measuring distance.

	Ν	Aeasuring D	istance, inc	h		Measuring Distance, inch					
Rate	.031	.062	.094	.125	Rate	.031	.062	.094	.125		
Deg.		Indicator l	Drop, inch		Deg.	Indicator Drop, inch					
1	.0005	.0011	.0016	.0022	11	.0060	.0121	.0183	.0243		
2	.0011	.0022	.0033	.0044	12	.0066	.0132	.0200	.0266		
3	.0016	.0032	.0049	.0066	13	.0072	.0143	.0217	.0289		
4	.0022	.0043	.0066	.0087	14	.0077	.0155	.0234	.0312		
5	.0027	.0054	.0082	.0109	15	.0083	.0166	.0252	.0335		
6	.0033	.0065	.0099	.0131	16	.0089	.0178	.0270	.0358		
7	.0038	.0076	.0115	.0153	17	.0095	.0190	.0287	.0382		
8	.0044	.0087	.0132	.0176	18	.0101	.0201	.0305	.0406		
9	.0049	.0098	.0149	.0198	19	.0107	.0213	.0324	.0430		
10	.0055	.0109	.0166	.0220	20	.0113	.0226	.0342	.0455		

The setup for checking the radial relief angle is illustrated in Fig. 1. Two dial test indicators are required, one of which should have a sharp pointed contact point. This indicator is positioned so that the axis of its spindle is vertical, passing through the axis of the cutter. The cutter may be held by its shank in the spindle of a tool and cutter grinder workhead, or between centers while mounted on a mandrel. The cutter is rotated to the position where the vertical indicator contacts a cutting edge. The second indicator is positioned with its spindle axis horizontal and with the contact point touching the tool face just below the cutting edge. With both indicators adjusted to read zero, the cutter is rotated a distance equal to the checking distance, as determined by the reading on the second indicator. Then the indicator drop is read on the vertical indicator and checked against the values in the tables. The indicator drops for radial relief angles ground by a disc type grinding wheel and those ground with a cup wheel are so nearly equal that the values are listed together; values for the eccentric type relief are listed separately, since they are larger. A similar procedure is used to check the relief angles on the side and end teeth of milling cutters; however, only one indicator is used. Also, instead of rotating the cutter, the indicator or the cutter must be moved a distance equal to the checking distance in a straight line.



Various Set-ups Used in Grinding the Clearance Angle on Milling Cutter Teeth

Distance to Set Center of Wheel Above the Cutter Center (Disk Wheel)

Dia.					Desired	1 Clearanc	e Angle, l	Degrees				
of	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
Inches			a	Distance to	o Offset W	/heel Cent	er Above	Cutter Ce	enter, Inch	es		
3	.026	.052	.079	.105	.131	.157	.183	.209	.235	.260	.286	.312
4	.035	.070	.105	.140	.174	.209	.244	.278	.313	.347	.382	.416
5	.044	.087	.131	.174	.218	.261	.305	.348	.391	.434	.477	.520
6	.052	.105	.157	.209	.261	.314	.366	.417	.469	.521	.572	.624
7	.061	.122	.183	.244	.305	.366	.427	.487	.547	.608	.668	.728
8	.070	.140	.209	.279	.349	.418	.488	.557	.626	.695	.763	.832
9	.079	.157	.236	.314	.392	.470	.548	.626	.704	.781	.859	.936
10	.087	.175	.262	.349	.436	.523	.609	.696	.782	.868	.954	1.040

^a Calculated from the formula: Offset = Cutter Diameter $\times \frac{1}{2} \times \text{Sine of Clearance Angle}$.

Dia.	Desired Clearance Angle, Degrees											
of Cutter	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
Inches			a]	Distance to	o Offset W	Vheel Cent	ter Below	Cutter Ce	nter, Inch	es		
2	.017	.035	.052	.070	.087	.105	.122	.139	.156	.174	.191	.208
3	.026	.052	.079	.105	.131	.157	.183	.209	.235	.260	.286	.312
4	.035	.070	.105	.140	.174	.209	.244	.278	.313	.347	.382	.416
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Distance to Set Center of Wheel Below the Cutter Center (Disk Wheel)

Distance to Set Tooth Rest Below Center Line of Wheel and Cutter.—When the clearance angle is ground with a disk type wheel by keeping the center line of the wheel in line with the center line of the cutter, the tooth rest should be lowered by an amount given by the following formula:

Distance to Set Tooth Rest Below Cutter Center When Cup Wheel is Used.—When the clearance is ground with a cup wheel, the tooth rest is set below the center of the cutter the same amount as given in the table for "Distance to Set Center of Wheel Below the Cutter Center (Disk Wheel)."