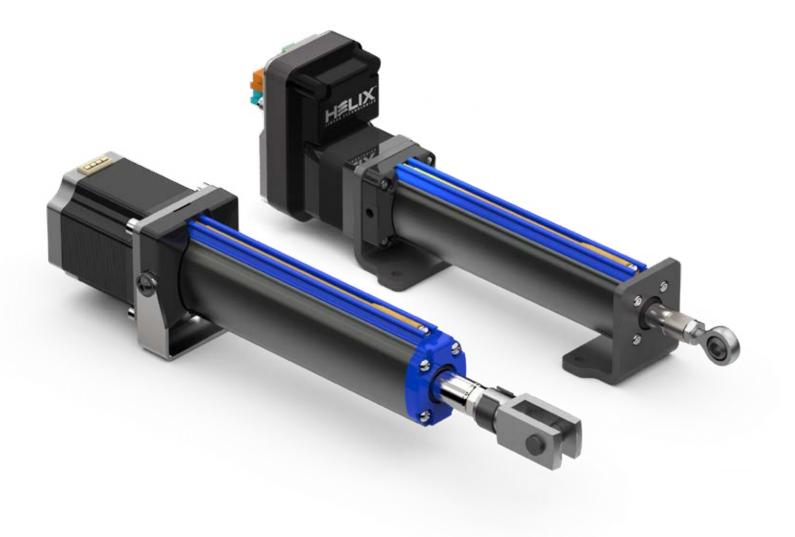


# Ball Screw and Lead Screw Drives







Helix Linear Technologies, Inc., Beachwood, Ohio

## COMPANY

Helix is a global supplier to the Medical Device, Life Science, Security, Semiconductor, Aerospace, Electromechanical and Defense industries. Helix leads the linear motion industry by manufacturing the highest quality linear actuation solutions in the world. We focus entirely on manufacturing electromechanical actuation systems that help our customer be more productive and profitable. Our execution of innovative product designs solves real problems for our customers and builds a foundation for long term success.

#### **HISTORY**

Helix was founded in 2011 to manufacture high-quality lead screws for the growing electromechanical actuation industry. Helix's rapid growth has included the addition of linear actuator solutions to deliver integrated and turnkey solutions.

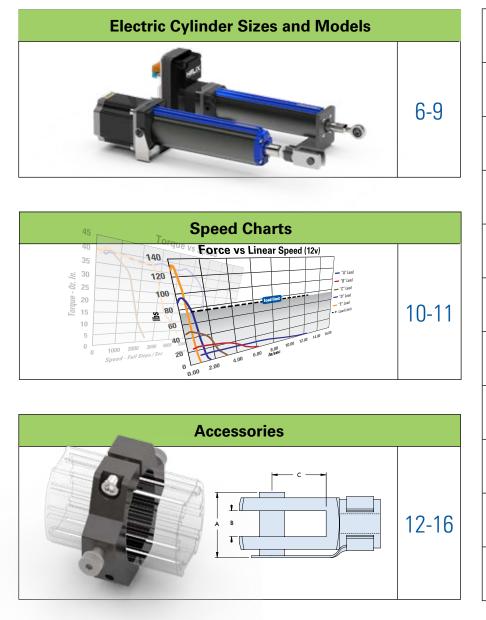
## CULTURE

Our culture is based on a team of smart, happy and competitive professionals focused on manufacturing innovative products centered on delivering precise electromechanical linear motion solutions. We are in the people business, as well as the product business. People make and sell our products and a team of smart, happy and competitive people make a company healthy.

#### **OPERATIONS**

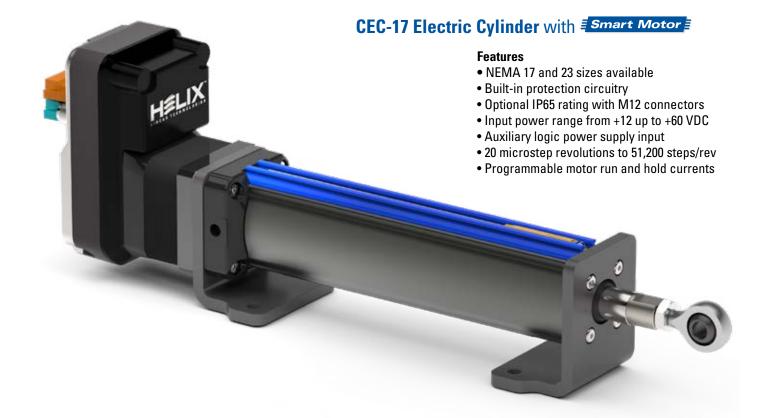
Our company is built to deliver high-quality products and engineering support to solve the most demanding linear motion applications in any industry. We deliver components and subsystem solutions to high volume OEMs and custom machine builders to help secure their success.

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# **CEC-23 Electric Cylinder**

#### Features

- NEMA 17 and 23 sizes available
- Optional mounts and ends available
- Lead screw and ball screw configurations



## FEATURES AND BENEFITS

Helix Electric Cylinders feature smooth, clean, and quiet linear positioning. The Electric Cylinders are built with a 300 series stainless steel lead screw, and coated with the Helix H10X<sup>™</sup> dry coating. The lead screw assembly incorporates either standard

or anti-backlash nuts in order to eliminate rotation. The Electric Cylinders have versatile mounting options. There are multiple options for motor mounts available. Options for sensors include magnetic sensors or sensor strips.

### CAPTIVE ELECTRIC CYLINDER TERMS AND DEFINITIONS

**BACKLASH** - Backlash (lash) is the relative axial movement between a screw and nut without rotation of the screw or nut. Backlash in electric cylinders occurs wherever reversible load conditions exist. Standard lead screw and ball screw nuts = 0.004" backlash. Anti-backlash lead screw nuts = zero backlash. Ball nuts with reduced backlash = 0.001".

#### **TRAVEL LENGTH**

Electric Cylinders are not pre-assembled or stocked with standard length screws. Each cylinder is made to order based on travel length. Cylinders can be built with non-standard lead screws or ball screws to change the cylinder operating speed. Contact Helix Linear for availability of special units.

#### LEAD ACCURACY

Lead accuracy is the difference between the actual distance traveled versus the theoretical distance traveled based on lead. For example: Consider a lead screw with a .5" lead and +/-.004"/ foot lead accuracy. If the shaft is rotated 24 times, the distance the nut moves is 11.996 to 12.004 inches. The rolled thread screws, as employed in products, are held within +/-0.0003" per inch lead error.

#### **DUTY CYCLE**

Duty cycle is the ratio of run time to total cycle time. Some of the electrical energy input to an electric cylinder is converted into heat. The duty cycle is limited by the ability of the electric cylinder to dissipate this heat. An increase in temperature can affect the properties of some components resulting in accelerated wear, damage and possible unexpected failure. The approximate allowable duty cycles for cylinders are:

#### Ball Screw versions = 85% Acme Screw versions = 25%

#### **TEMPERATURE**

All Electric Cylinders are suitable for operation within the specified limits, provided that the housing temperature is not lower than -20°F or higher than +250°F (based on materials in cylinders not motors). Factory supplied grease in standard units will operate in this range. For higher or lower operating temperature ranges contact Helix Linear, for recommendations.

#### **MAXIMUM LOAD**

The maximum thrust load, including shock, that can be applied to the actuator without damaging the assembly.

#### **DYNAMIC CAPACITY**

The maximum allowable thrust load based on horsepower, thrust bearing, and screw limitation.

#### **TENSION LOAD**

A load that tends to "stretch" the screw.

#### **COMPRESSION LOAD**

A load that tends to "squeeze" the screw.

#### LOAD CAPACITY

All anticipated loads should be within the rated capacity of the cylinder. Loads on the cylinder in most applications include: static loads, dynamic or moving loads, cutting or other reaction forces and acceleration/deceleration loads. For shock loads, the peak load must not exceed the rated capacity of the cylinder, and an appropriate design factor should be applied commensurate with the severity of the shock. For accidental overloads not anticipated in the design of the system, cylinders can sustain the following overload conditions without damage: 10% for dynamic loads, 20% for static loads.

#### **COLUMN STRENGTH**

Electric Cylinder capacity may be limited by its column strength. Column strength is the ability of the cylinder to hold compressive loads without buckling. With longer screw lengths, column strength can be substantially lower than nominal cylinder capacity. When the lift screw is in tension only, travel is limited by available screw and/or tube material or by screw critical speed. If there is any possibility for the cylinder to go into compression, the application should be checked for sufficient column strength. The charts on each cylinder specification page are used to determine the cylinder size in applications where the lift screw is loaded in compression. The charts assume proper cylinder alignment with no bending loads present. Effects from side loading are not included in this chart. Also, cylinders operating horizontally with long lift screws can have significant bending from the weight of the screw and tubes. Consult Helix Linear if side loads are anticipated.

#### MAINTENANCE

Electric Cylinders require minimum maintenance. In addition to maintaining lubrication levels in the gearbox and tubes, the following items should be checked:

- The actuator tube should be kept free of dirt. If possible, the actuator should be returned to the retracted position when not in use.
- For acme cylinders, lash between the lift shaft and travel nut greater than 1/4 the screw pitch indicates the need for replacement of the cylinder lift shaft components.



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## **CEC ORDERING GUIDE TABLE**

E	ECI17M1	2 <b>S</b>	AB	- 500	10.00	MP	00	CL	LP	E200	NPNC
Model	Motor Size	Motor Length	Nut Style	Screw Code	Stroke Length (inch)	Motor Mounting	Front Mount	Rod End	Linear Potentiometer	Encoder	Sensors (see pages 22-23)
	<b>17</b> NEMA 17	S Single Stack D Double Stack	<b>S</b> Standard Lead Screw Nut			<b>TR</b> Trunnion Mount	<b>MP</b> Mounting Plate	CL Clevis Rod Ends		<b>00</b> No Encoder	<b>00</b> Cover Strip
	<b>17P*</b> NEMA 17 Smart	00 No Motor	AB Anti-			FC Female Clevis Mount **	TR	SP Spherical Rod Ends	<b>LP</b> Linear Potentiometer	<b>E200</b> 200 CPR	PNPF Wire Lead 9.8 ft. (3.0m)
ECI Inline Mount Electric	Motor <b>17M12*</b> NEMA 17 Smart Motor	<b>S</b> Single Stack	Backlash Lead Screw Nut	See Lead Screw and Ball Screw	IN See Pages <b>6-9</b> for Actuator	MC Male Clevis Mount **	Trunnion Mount	AL Alignment Coupler		<b>E500</b> 500 CPR	NPNF Wire Leads 9.8 ft.
Cylinder	<b>23</b> NEMA 23	Single Stack D Double Stack 00	<b>BN</b> Ball Nut	Code table on Page <b>5</b>	Length Data	<b>FT</b> Foot Mount	<b>FT</b> Foot Mount	ET External Threaded Rod		E1000	(3.0m) <b>PNPC</b> Snap-fit
	<b>23P*</b> NEMA 23 Smart Motor	No Motor	BL			<b>MP</b> Mounting Plate		ETM Metric External Threaded Rod	<b>00</b> w/o Linear Potentiometer	1000 CPR	connector 0.5 ft. (0.15m)
	23M12* NEMA 23 Smart Motor	<b>S</b> Single Stack	Ball Nut with Reduced Lash			<b>00</b> No Motor Mount	<b>00</b> No Front Mount	<b>00</b> Standard Internal Thread		<b>E2000</b> 2000 CPR	Snap-fit connector 0.5 ft. (0.15m)
	Motor				ECI17M1	2S-AB-500	-10 00-MI		E200-NPNC		

\* P suffix = Pluggable connector type M12 suffix = M12 connector type \*\* Only available for NEMA 23 motor size

#### **REQUIRED APPLICATION DATA**

#### Load

- Total maximum thrust load on cylinders
- Total maximum thrust load on any one cylinder
- Number of cylinders

## Travel

- Inches
- Orientation (vertical, horizontal, arc, diagonal, etc.)

#### Travel Rate

- Optimal speed
- Minimal and maximum acceptable speed

#### Duty Cycle

- Distance per cycle
- Number of cycles per time period
- Maximum distance traveled in any year
- Life desired

#### **Configuration**

- Tension, compression, or both
- Driven by motor or other
- Translating, Rotating, or Double Clevis



# LEAD SCREW AND BALL SCREW SIZES

#### **CEC-17 Captive Electric Cylinder**

	NUT TYPE	ECI SIZE	SCREW CODE	MAX Stroke	TPI	LEAD ACCURACY	Backlash
	ITPE	SIZE	CODE	in	Turns/in	in/ft	in
	S	17	050	18	20.0	0.0003"/in	0.0070
	S	17	100	18	10.0	0.0003"/in	0.0070
Standard Lead Screw Nut	S	17	200	18	5.0	0.0003"/in	0.0070
oorow mat	S	17	500	18	2.0	0.0003"/in	0.0070
	S	17	999	18	1.0	0.0003"/in	0.0
Anti-Backlash Lead Screw Nut	AB	17	050	18	20.0	0.0003"/in	0.0
	AB	17	100	18	10.0	0.0003"/in	0.0
	AB	17	200	18	5.0	0.0003"/in	0.0
	AB	17	500	18	2.0	0.0003"/in	0.0
	AB	17	999	18	1.0	0.0003"/in	0.0
Standard Ball Nut	ΒN	17	078	18	12.8	≤ 0.1mm/300mm	0.06 mm
Reduced Lash Ball Nut	BL	17	078	18	12.8	≤ 0.1mm/300mm	0.03mm



#### **CEC-23 Captive Electric Cylinder**

	S	23	157	24	20.00	0.0003"/in	0.0070
	S	23	200	24	10.00	0.0003"/in	0.0070
Standard Lead	S	23	250	24	8.00	0.0003"/in	0.0070
Screw Nut	S	23	375	24	5.00	0.0003"/in	0.0070
	S	23	500	24	2.00	0.0003"/in	0.0070
	S	23	999	24	1.00	0.0003"/in	0.0070
	AB	23	157	24	20.00	0.0003"/in	0.0
	AB	23	200	24	10.00	0.0003"/in	0.0
Anti-Backlash Lead Screw Nut	AB	23	375	24	5.00	0.0003"/in	0.0
	AB	23	500	24	2.00	0.0003"/in	0.0
	AB	23	999	24	1.00	0.0003"/in	0.0
	BN	23	059	24	12.70	≤ 0.1mm/300mm	0.06 mm
	BN	23	079	24	12.70	≤ 0.1mm/300mm	0.06 mm
Standard	BN	23	098	24	10.16	≤ 0.1mm/300mm	0.06 mm
Ball Nut	BN	23	118	24	8.47	≤ 0.1mm/300mm	0.06 mm
	BN	23	197	24	5.08	≤ 0.1mm/300mm	0.06 mm
	BN	23	315	24	3.18	≤ 0.1mm/300mm	0.06 mm
	BL	23	059	24	16.93	≤ 0.1mm/300mm	0.06mm
	BL	23	079	24	12.70	≤ 0.1mm/300mm	0.03mm
Reduced Lash	BL	23	098	24	10.16	≤ 0.1mm/300mm	0.03mm
Ball Nut	BL	23	118	24	8.47	≤ 0.1mm/300mm	0.03mm
	BL	23	197	24	5.08	≤ 0.1mm/300mm	0.03mm
	BL	23	315	24	3.18	≤ 0.1mm/300mm	0.03mm



#### SCREW CODE Description

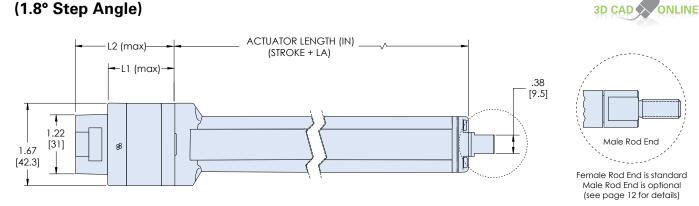
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AB	Anti-Backlash Nut
BN	Ball Nut
BL	Ball Nut with Reduced Lash

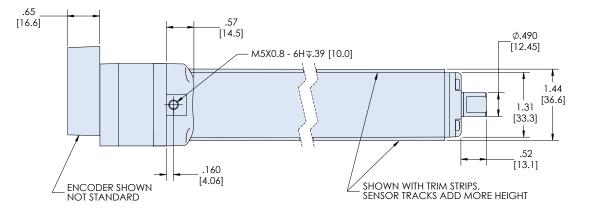
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# **CEC-17 ELECTRIC CYLINDER**

NEMA 17 (1.8° Step Angle)





	LA (length adder)			
NUT STYLE (see page 4)	ECI	No Motor		
S	1.83	3.15		
AB, BN, BL	2.51	3.83		

#### Actuator Length = Stroke + LA (See table above)

We recommend an overtravel of 10mm be added to each end of your desired stroke. 18" maximum stroke length for NEMA 17 electric cylinder (1/2" increments).

Note: Approximate unit weight .7 Lbs., (single stack motor, "0" travel) Add .10 lb per inch of cylinder length.

	L1 (max)	L2 (max) *
Motor Stack Length	Without encoder	With encoder
Single	1.33 (34mm)	1.98 (50.6)
Double	1.89 (48mm)	2.54 (80.6)

\*Represents maximum dimension with encoder/options.



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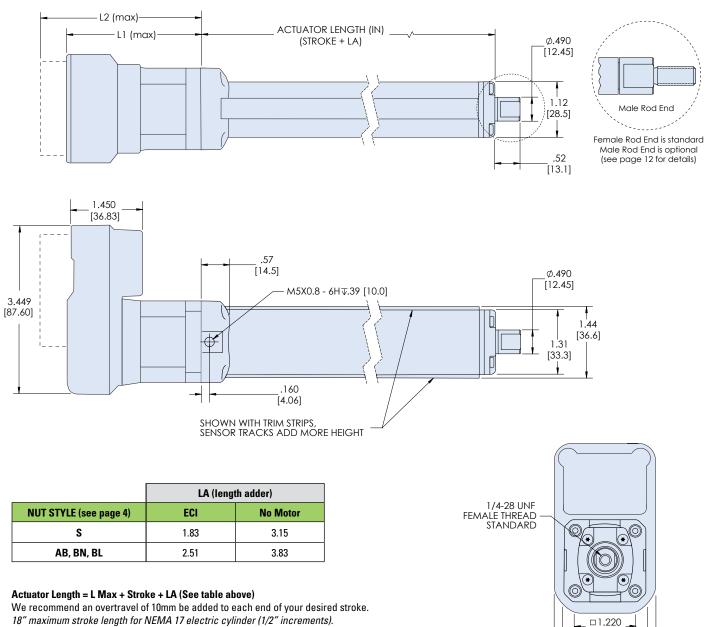
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# CEC-17 ELECTRIC CYLINDER with Smart Motor

(1.8° Step Angle)

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18" maximum stroke length for NEMA 17 electric cylinder (1/2" increments).

**Note:** Approximate unit weight 1.0 Lbs., (single stack motor, 10" length) For cylinders longer than 10" add .10 lb per additional inch of cylinder length.

	L1 (r	nax)	L2 (max) *		
Motor Stack Length	Pluggable connector M12 connector		Pluggable connector	M12 connector	
Single	2.40 (61.0)	2.78 (70.7)	3.22 (81.8)	3.39 (86.0)	

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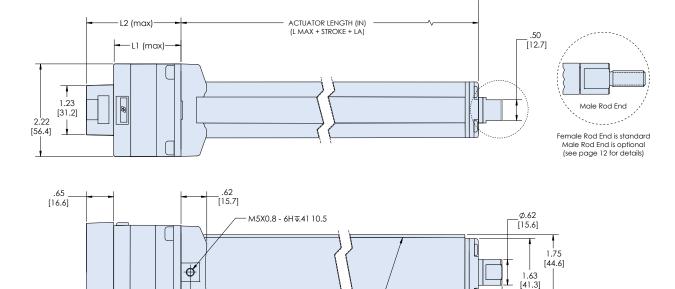
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# **CEC-23 ELECTRIC CYLINDER**

NEMA 23 (1.8° Step Angle)





	LA (length adder)			
NUT STYLE (see page 4)	ECI	No Motor		
S	2.16	3.42		
AB, BN, BL	2.47	3.73		

ENCODER SHOWN

#### Actuator Length = Stroke + LA (See table above)

We recommend an overtravel of 10mm be added to each end of your desired stroke. 24" maximum stroke length for NEMA 23 electric cylinder (1/2" increments).

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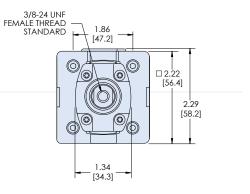
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Note: Approximate unit weight 1.66 Lbs., (single stack motor, "0" travel) Add .12 lb per inch of cylinder length.

	L1 (max)	L2 (max) *
Motor Stack Length	Without encoder	With encoder
Single	1.77 (45mm)	2.42 (61.6)
Double	2.52 (64mm)	3.17 (80.6)

\*Represents maximum dimension with encoder/options.





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SHOWN WITH TRIM STRIPS, SENSOR TRACKS ADD MORE HEIGHT

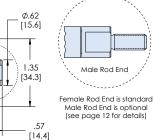
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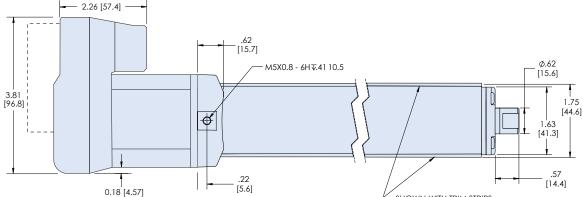
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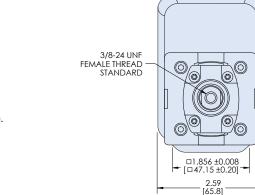
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ACTUATOR LENGTH (IN)





- SHOWN WITH TRIM STRIPS,	
SENSOR TRACKS ADD MORE HEIGHT	



#### AB, BN, BL 2.47 3.73

L2 (max) L1 (max)

#### Actuator Length = Stroke + LA (See table above)

**NUT STYLE** (see page 4)

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We recommend an overtravel of 10mm be added to each end of your desired stroke. 24" maximum stroke length for NEMA 23 electric cylinder (1/2" increments).

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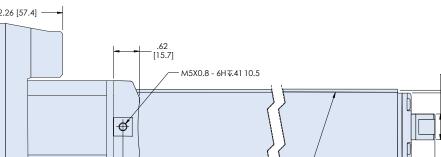
**No Motor** 

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Note: Approximate unit weight 2.0 Lbs., (single stack motor, "0" travel) Add .12 lb per inch of cylinder length.

	L1 (r	nax)	L2 (m	iax) *
Motor Stack Length	Pluggable connector M12 connector		Pluggable connector	M12 connector
Single	3.17 (84.3)	3.32 (84.3)	3.91 (99.3)	4.01 (101.8)

\*Represents maximum dimension with connectors/options.

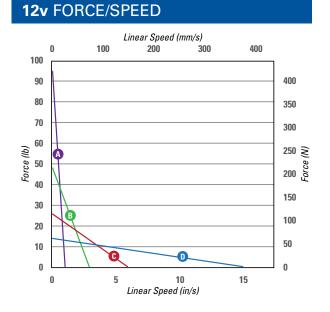


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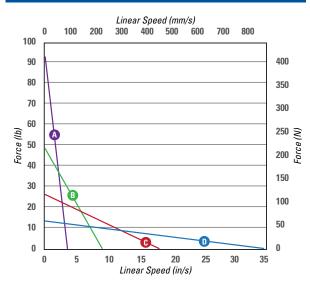
#### **Available Lead Screws**

Model	Screw Diameter	Lead	Travel Per Step	Y Intercept	X Intercept (12)	X Intercept (24)	X Intercept (48)	Lead Type
ECI-17-100	0.2500	0.1000	0.00125	95	2	3	4	А
ECI-17-200	0.2500	0.2000	0.00100	48	3	6	9	B
ECI-17-500	0.2500	0.5000	0.00250	28	7	12	17	C
ECI-17-999	0.2500	1.0000	0.00500	14	15	25	34	D

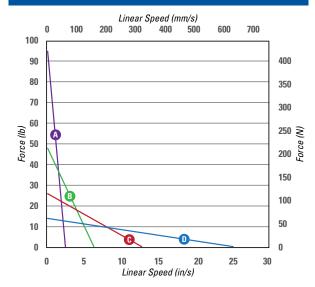
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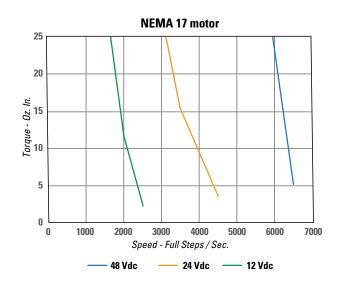
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## 24v FORCE/SPEED



# TORQUE v. SPEED



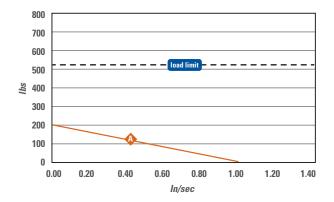


# CEC-17 FORCE/SPEED CHARTS - BALL SCREWS

#### **Available Ball Screws**

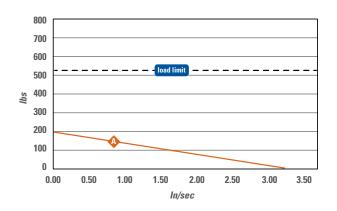
Model	Screw Diameter	Lead	Travel Per Step	Y Intercept	X Intercept (12)	X Intercept (24)	X Intercept (48)	Lead Type
ECI-17-B620	6mm	2mm	0.01mm	200	1.0	2.0	3.25	<b></b>

Additional lead screw sizes available upon request.

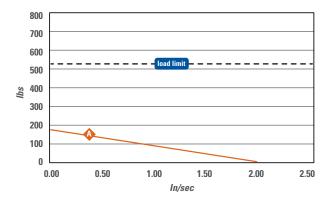


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# 48v FORCE v. LINEAR SPEED



## 24v FORCE v. LINEAR SPEED





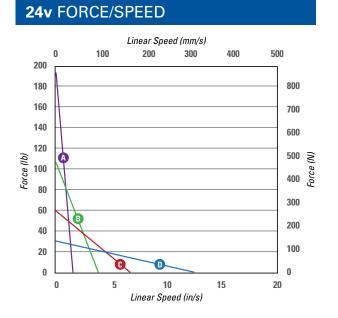
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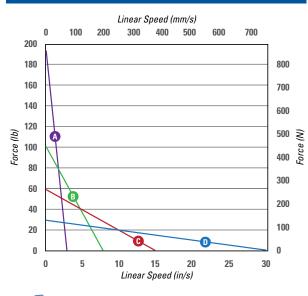
## **Available Lead Screws**

Model	Screw Diameter	Thread Lead	Linear Travel	Y Intercept	X Intercept (24)	X Intercept (48)	X Intercept (60)	Lead Type
ECI-23-157	0.375	0.100	0.0008	190	2	3	4	۵
ECI-23-250	0.375	0.2500	0.0013	105	4	7	8	B
ECI-23-500	0.375	0.5000	0.0025	60	6	14	15	G
ECI-23-999	0.375	1.0000	0.0050	30	12	27	30	0

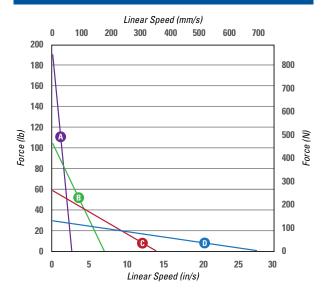
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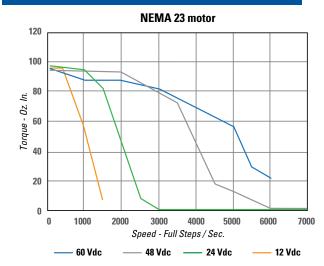
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## 48v FORCE/SPEED



## TORQUE v. SPEED



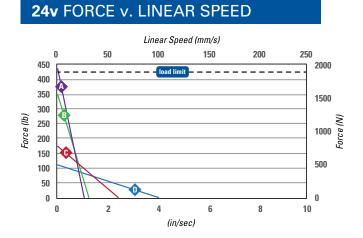


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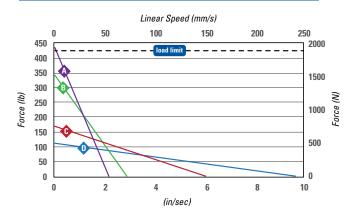
### **Available Ball Screws**

Model	Screw Diameter	Lead	Linear Travel	Y Intercept	X Intercept (24)	X Intercept (48)	X Intercept (60)	Lead Type
ECI-23-B820	8mm	2.0mm	0.0100	440	1	2.1	2.1	<b>A</b>
ECI-23-B825	8mm	2.5mm	0.0125	350	1.2	2.8	2.9	•
ECI-23-B850	8mm	5.0mm	0.0250	175	2.1	5.0	6.0	•
ECI-23-B880	8mm	8.0mm	0.0400	110	4.0	8.9	8.5	•

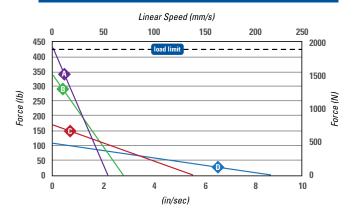
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# 60v FORCE v. LINEAR SPEED



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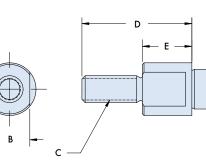
# CYLINDER SHAFT ENDS

## **ROD END - ROD END MALE**

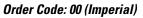
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ROD END - MALE	Α	В	С	D	Е
16082254 (NEMA 17)	Ø.490	.375	1/4 - 28 UNF	1.02	.46
16082255 (NEMA 23)	Ø .615	.500	3/8 - 24 UNF	1.34	.46
18063769 (NEMA 17)	Ø.490	10 mm	M10 x 1.25 6g	1.33	.46
18063770 (NEMA 23)	Ø .615	13 mm	M12 x 1.25 6g	1.40	.46

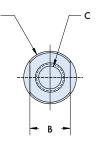


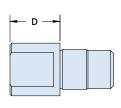
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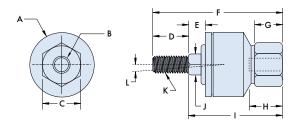
ROD END - FEMALE	A	В	C	D
17062904 (NEMA 17)	Ø .490	.375	1/4-28 UNF .50	.47
17062905 (NEMA 23)	Ø .615	.500	3/8-24 UNR⊽ .75	.46





#### **ROD END - CEC 17 ALIGNMENT COUPLER** Order Code: AL17

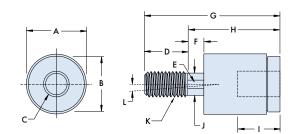




COUPLER - 17	A	В	С	D	E	F	G	н	I.	J	к	L
17123328 (NEMA 17)	0.94	1/4 - 28	.56	.50	.25	1.88	.41	.50	1.38	.31	1/4 - 28	5°

#### **ROD END - CEC 23 ALIGNMENT COUPLER** Order Code: AL23





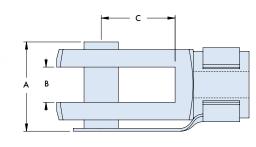
COUPLER - 23	Α	В	С	D	E	F	G	н	I	J	к	L
17123332 (NEMA 23)	.875	.812	3/8 - 24	.625	.312 flats	.250	2.00	1.375	.625	.312	3/8 - 24	2º

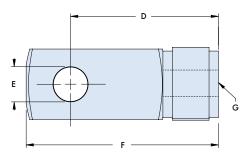


# CYLINDER SHAFT ENDS (continued)

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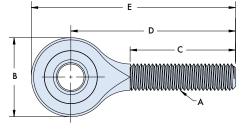


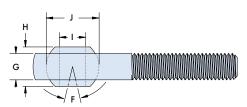


CLEVIS ROD END	А	В	С	D	E	F	G
17123327 (NEMA 17)	.641	.250	.469	.938	.250	1.218	1/4 - 28 UNF
17123331 (NEMA 23)	.953	.375	.781	1.562	.375	2.046	3/8 - 24 UNF

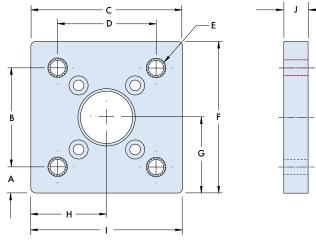
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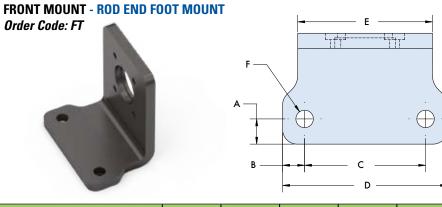
	BALL JOINT ROD END - MALE	Α	В	С	D	E	F	G	Н	I	J
Γ	17123326 (NEMA 17)	1/4-28	.750	1.00	1.562	1.937	27° max.	.250	.375	.250	.500
Γ	17123330 (NEMA 23)	3/8-24	1.00	1.25	1.937	2.437	22° max.	.359	.500	.375	.718

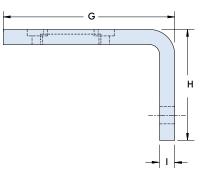


GUIDE ROD ADAPTER PLATE	Α	В	С	D	E	F	G	н	I.	J
18063789 (NEMA 17)	.34	1.280	1.280	.730	M6X1.0 THRU ALL	1.96	.984	.984	1.96	.31
18063790 (NEMA 23)	.38	1.496	1.496	.800	M6X1.0 THRU ALL	2.27	1.142	1.142	2.27	.38



# MOUNTING HARDWARE

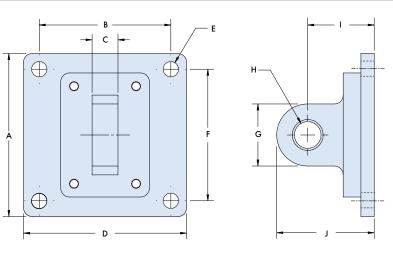




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	17082960 (NEMA 17)	.313	.273	1.500	2.05	1.67	.217	2.13	1.38	.19
	17082986 (NEMA 23)	.313	.235	1.750	2.22	1.67	.26	2.53	1.38	.19

MOTOR MOUNT - CLEVIS MOUNT - MALE Order Code: MC

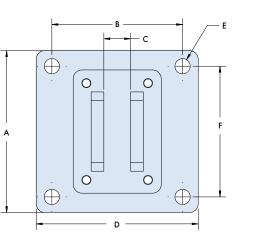


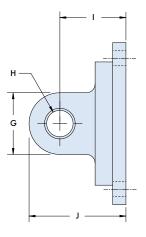


<b>CLEVIS MOUNT - MALE</b>	Α	В	C	D	E	F	G	Н	I	J
17082994 (NEMA 23 only)	2.30	1.856	.365	2.30	.217	1.856	.88	.376	.94	1.38







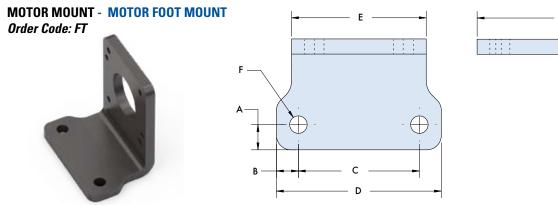


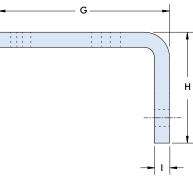
<b>CLEVIS MOUNT - FEMALE</b>	A	В	C	D	E	F	G	н	I.	J
17082993 (NEMA 23 only)	2.30	1.856	.380	2.30	.217	1.856	.88	.376	.94	1.38



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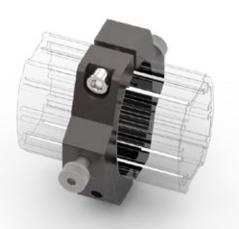
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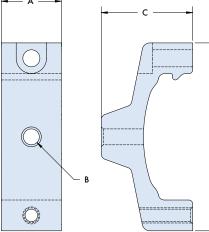


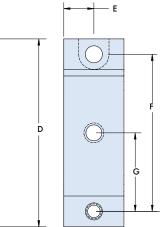


MOTOR FOOT MOUNT	А	В	С	D	E	F	G	Н	I
17082961 (NEMA 17)	.313	.273	1.500	2.05	1.67	.217	2.13	1.38	.19
17082987 (NEMA 23)	.313	.235	1.750	2.22	2.22	.260	2.63	1.38	.19

#### FRONT MOUNT - MID-BODY TRUNNION MOUNT Order Code: TR





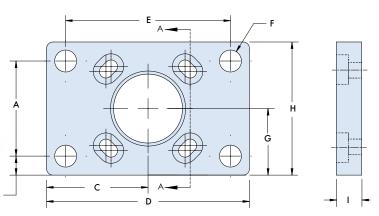


MID-BODY TRUNNION MOUNT	А	В	с	D	E	F	G
17123324 (NEMA 17)	.63	M5x0.8 - 6H Ţ.500 Ø .207 X 90°, near side	.95	1.95	.313	1.633	.816
17123323 (NEMA 23)	.63	M5x0.8 - 6H ∓.500 Ø .217 X 90°, near side	1.08	2.38	.313	2.000	1.000

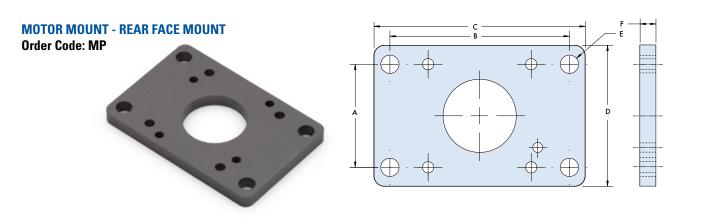


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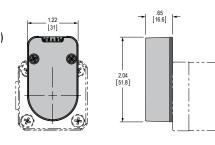
FRONT FACE MOUNT	А	В	С	D	E	F	G	Н	I
17082962 (NEMA 17)	.938	.188	1.00	2.00	1.625	.217	.656	1.31	.250
17082989 (NEMA 23)	1.125	.250	1.107	2.21	1.750	.260	.813	1.63	.250



REAR FACE MOUNT	А	В	С	D	E	F
17082963 (NEMA 17)	1.220	2.125	2.50	1.67	.217	.19
17082988 (NEMA 23)	1.750	2.750	3.25	2.30	.260	.19

OPTICAL ROTARY ENCODERS (Available for standard NEMA Sizes 17 and 23 models only)

- Designed to provide digital feedback information
- Molded polycarbonate enclosure
- 5 or 10-pin finger latching connector (sold separately)
- 32 to 5000 cycles per revolution (CPR)
- 128 to 20000 pulses per revolution (PPR)
- 2 channel quadrature TTL squarewave outputs
- Optional index (3rd channel)
- -25 to +100C operating temperature
- Mounting compatibility with HEDS-5500



#### **ENCODER OPTIONS**

- Optical Rotary Encoders
- 32-5000 CPR available
- 128-20,000 pulses per revolution
- 2-channel quadrature TTL squareware outputs
- 5 pin or 10 pin latching connector



# DRIVE SPECIFICATIONS

			NEMA 17	NEMA 23			
Input power	Voltage	VDC	17 +12+48	+12+60			
	Current maximum (1)	Amp	2.0	3.5			
	Fromo oizo	NEMA	17	23			
	Frame size	mm	42	57			
	Holding torquo	oz-in	44	103			
Motor	Holding torque	N-cm	31	73			
	Premium high torque motor	Option	no	yes			
	Length	Stack sizes	Single	Single			
Thermal	Operating temp	Heat sink maximum	85°C				
	non-condensing	Motor maximum	100°C				
		Temp warning	0 84°C, user se	electable			
Protection	Туре	Earth grounding	via product chassis	s ground lug			
		IP ratings	IP20, IP6	5			
Aux. logic input	Voltage range (2)	VDC	+12+2	4			
		Number of settings	20				
Motion	Microstep resolution	Steps per revolution	200, 400, 800, 1000, 1600, 2000, 3200, 50 00, 6400, 50000, 51200, 36000 (0.01 deg/µstep), 21600 (1 ar				
	Encoder <sup>(3)</sup>	Line count	1000 lines / 4000 edges per rev				
	Encoder <sup>(3)</sup>	Style	internal, mag	netic			
	Analog input	Resolution	12 bit				
	Analog input	Voltage range	0+5 VDC, 0+10 VDC, 0 .	20 mA, 4 20 mA			
	Signal inputs	Voltage range	+5 +24 VDC, TTL lev	vel compatible			
		Protection	current limited 5	-20 volts			
Hardware I/O		Current rating	-100+100	mA			
sourcing or sinking	Power outputs	Voltage range	-24+24 V	DC			
Shiking		Protection	over current, transient voltage su	opression, inductive clamp			
	High-speed signal	Current open collector/ emitter	5.5 mA				
	output	Voltage open collector	+60 VDC	;			
		Voltage open emitter	+7 VDC				
		Ethernet TCP/IP	Profinet, EtherNet/IP (ODVA compliant), Modbu 503	sTCP, MCode/TCP on configuration port			
Communication	Protocol type	CANopen	CANopen CiA DS301, DSP402, 2.0B active wit SDOs, PDOs (variab				
			Baud rate 4.8 115.2 kbps				

Actual power supply current will depend on voltage and load.
 When input voltage is removed, maintains power only to control and feedback circuits. Not applicable to Pulse/Direction products.
 Encoders available - Contact our Application Engineers for more details.



# MOTOR SPECIFICATIONS (smart motors)

#### **SPECIFICATIONS - Programmable Motion Control, CANopen & Ethernet Products**

			NEMA 17	NEMA 23		
		Analog input	1	1		
	Number of I/O (1)	Signal inputs	3	4		
		Power outputs	0	2		
		Signal outputs	1	1		
	Analog input	Resolution	12	bit		
		Voltage range	0+5 VDC, 0+10 VDC	C, 0 20 mA, 4 20 mA		
I/O sourcing or sinking	Signal inputs	Voltage range	+5 +24 VDC, TT	L level compatible		
or sinking		Protection	current limited 5-20 volts			
		Current rating	-100+100mA			
	Power outputs	Voltage range	-24+24 VDC			
		Protection	over current, transient voltage suppression, inductive cla			
		Current open collector/emitter	5.5 mA			
	High-speed signal output	Voltage open collector	+60	VDC		
		Voltage open emitter	+7 \	/DC		
	Counters	Туре	position, en	coder / 32 bit		
		Edge rate maximum	5 N	1Hz		
Motion	Valaaitu	Range	+/- 2,560,000 st	eps per second		
WOUDI	Velocity	Resolution	0.5961 steps	s per second		
		Range	1.5 x 109 step	1.5 x 109 steps per second		
	Accel/ Decel	Range	1.5 x 109 step	s per second		

#### **SPECIFICATIONS - Pulse/Direction Products**

	Number		NEMA 17	NEMA 23			
Signal inputs			2	2			
	Voltage range, isolated		+5+24 VDC sou	urcing or sinking			
	Number		1				
Analog input	Resolution		12 bit				
input	Voltage range		0+5 VDC, 0+10 VDC, 0 20 mA, 4 20 mA				
	Current	Open collector/emitter	5.5 mA				
Attention output		Open collector	+60 \	VDC			
	Voltage	Open emitter	+7 VDC				
	Open loop configuration Opera	ting modes	Pulse/direction, speed control, velocity mode				
	Closed loop configuration, req Operating modes	uires LMD with encoder	Pulse/direction input, variable speed control, constant velocity mode, variable torque mode				
	Encoder Outputs		6 TTL level compatible				
Motion	Digital filter range		50 nS 12.9 μS (10 MHz 38.8 kHz)				
	Clock types (step mode)		Step / direction, quadrature, step up/ step down, clockwise / counterclockwise				
	Stan fraguanay	Maximum	2.56	MHz			
	Step frequency	Minimum pulse width	100 ns				



# MOTOR SPECIFICATIONS - (smart motors) continued



#### **NEMA 17 Motor Specifications**

Motor	Stack length	Single
Holding torque	oz-in	43.9
Holding torque	N-cm	31
Detent termine	oz-in	1.7
Detent torque	N-cm	1.2
Rotor inertia	oz-in-sec²	0.0005
Kolor merlia	kg-cm²	0.038
Radial load limit,	lbs	8.5
center of shaft	kg	3.8
Axial load limit @ 1500 rpm	lbs	10
(5000 full steps/sec)	kg	4.5
Waight (motor driver)	OZ	13.6
Weight (motor+driver)	g	385

#### **NEMA 23 Motor Specifications**

Motor	Stack length	Sir	ıgle	
	Torque level	STD	HIGH	
Holding torque	oz-in	103	152	
	N-cm	73	107	
Detent terrue	oz-in	3.9	8.5	
Detent torque	N-cm	2.7	6.0	
Rotor inertia	oz-in-sec²	0.0025	0.0019	
	kg-cm²	0.18	0.14	
Radial load limit,	lbs	15	15	
center of shaft	kg	6.8	6.8	
Axial load limit @ 1500 rpm	lbs	20	20	
(5000 full steps/sec)	kg	9	9	
Weight (motor , driver)	ΟZ	26.4	26.4	
Weight (motor+driver)	g	748	748	



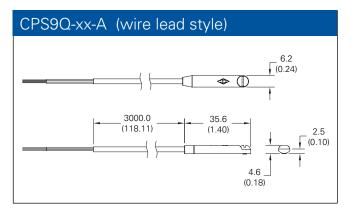
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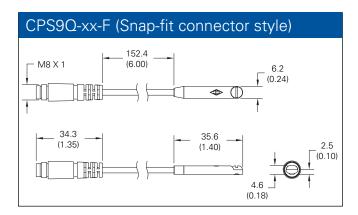
NEMA	Motor	Current Per Phase	Holdin	g Torque		tent rque		otor ertia	Length	Weight	
Rating	Power	А	N∙mm	oz∙in	N•mm	oz∙in	g∙cm2	oz•in2	mm (in)	(g)	
NEMA 17	Single	1.3	280	39.65	16	2.27	34	0.19	34 (1.34)	220	
NEMA 17	Double	1.7	520	73.68	26	3.68	68	0.37	48 (1.89)	350	
NEMA 23	Single	0.6	800	113.29	28	3.96	190	1.04	45 (1.77)	520	
NEMA 23	Double	1.0	1500	212.42	50	7.08	380	2.08	64 (2.52)	850	



# **POSITIONING SENSORS**







Helix sensors are designed to meet the need for low cost position sensing on the Electric Cylinders. It is highly accurate, with sensor repeatability up to  $\pm$  .004" (0.1MM). This design allows users to install and adjust multiple sensors on a single actuator and integrate easily with a motion control system. The sensor system is supplied with two PNP or NPN (normally closed) switches. For additional switches or to order a normally open switch, contact Helix Application Engineers. Helix sensors are designed to allow easy field adjustments. Magnets are secured to the extension tube to ensure a positive response once it passes near the position sensor. To adjust the position sensors simply position the extension tube in the correct position, loosen the locking screw, and then slide the movable sensor to the desired location until the sensor indicates a response. Additional sensors can be added or moved. It is also possible to add multiple sensors to the same slot.

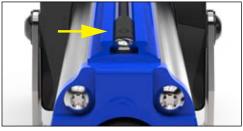
#### DC rated operational voltage: 10-30 VDC DC rated operational amperage: < 150 mA Operating temperature: -13°F to +158°F

Part No.	Output	Connection Type	Description
16011781-021	PNP	Wire leads 9.8 ft. (3.0m)	Electric cylinder switch, for position sensing, magnetic, rectangular, normally open, 3-wire, 5-28 VDC, electronic PNP transistor output, status LED (yellow), 9.8 ft. (3.0m) cable with wire leads. Low profile housing that can be mounted on cylinders with 6.5 x 3.2 mm T-slots.
16011781-011	NPN	Wire leads 9.8 ft. (3.0m)	Electric cylinder switch, for position sensing, magnetic, rectangular, normally open, 3-wire, 5-28 VDC, electronic NPN transistor output, status LED (red), 9.8 ft. (3.0m) cable with wire leads. Low profile housing that can be mounted on cylinders with 6.5 x 3.2 mm T-slots.
18043695-021	PNP	Snap-fit connector 0.5 ft. (0.15m)	Electric cylinder switch, for position sensing, magnetic, rectangular, normally open, 3-wire, 5-28 VDC, electronic PNP transistor output, status LED (yellow), 0.5 ft. (0.15m) cable with M8 snap-fit connector. Low profile housing that can be mounted on cylinders with 6.5 x 3.2 mm T-slots.
18043695-011	NPN	Snap-fit connector 0.5 ft. (0.15m)	Electric cylinder switch, for position sensing, magnetic, rectangular, normally open, 3-wire, 5-28 VDC, electronic NPN transistor output, status LED (red), 0.5 ft. (0.15m) cable with M8 snap-fit connector. Low profile housing that can be mounted on cylinders with 6.5 x 3.2 mm T-slots.



# SWITCH SPECIFICATIONS



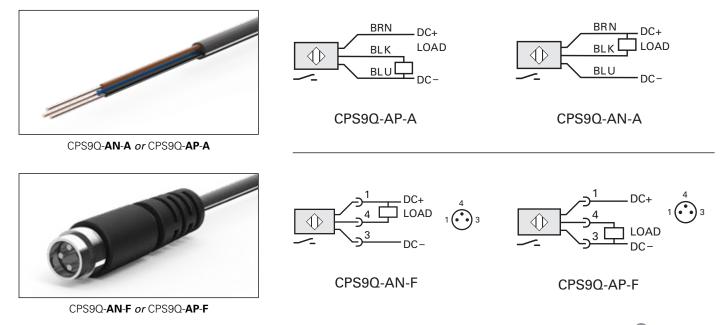


**Detail "A"** illustrating the location of the positioning sensor.

Operating Voltage	5-28 VDC
Voltage Drop	1.0 V
Current Rating	0.2 Amps Max.
Switching Power	4.8 Watts Max.
Switching Speed	4µs operate / 4µs release
Short Circuit Protection	No
<b>Reverse Polarity Protection</b>	Yes
Overload Protection	No
Leakage Current	<0.01 mA
Sensing Technology	GMR
Off Delay Time	150-200 ms
Function Display	PNP switching status yellow / NPN switching status red
Switching Frequency	<1000 Hz
Magnetic Sensitivity	2.5 millitesla (25 gauss)
Housing Material	Ultem
Operation Temperature	-4° to 176°F (-20°C to 80°C)
Protection Rating	NEMA 6 / IP 67
Agency Approvals	CE, RoHS, REACH

HELIX ELECTRIC CYLINDER SWITCH SPECIFICATIONS

## WIRING DIAGRAM

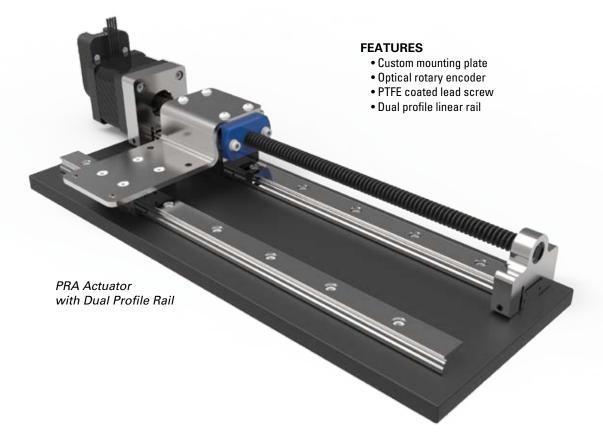




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## **NEMA 17 CUSTOM PRA LINEAR ACTUATOR**



## **NEMA 17 CUSTOM DUAL MPA LINEAR ACTUATORS**

## FEATURES

- Multi-axis design (X-Y-Z)
- Hybrid stepper motors; NEMA 11, 17, 23
- PTFE coated lead screws
- Custom motors available





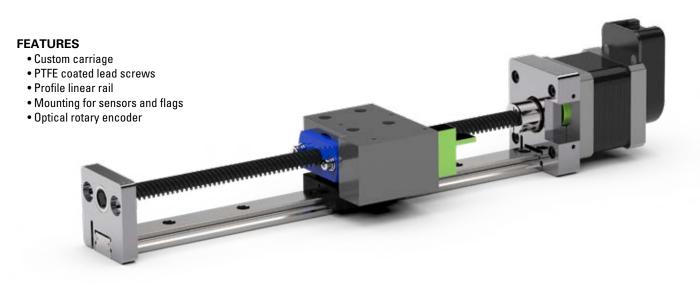
## **NEMA 8 HYBRID STEPPER MOTOR AND LINEAR POTENTIOMETER**

#### FEATURES

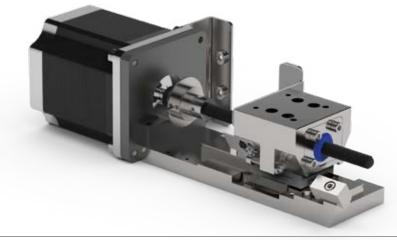
- Profile linear rail
- Linear potentiometer
- PTFE coated lead screw
- Custom base plate
- Optical rotary encoder



## NEMA 17 LINEAR ACTUATOR AND OPTICAL ROTARY ENCODER



## **NEMA 23 CUSTOM LINEAR ACTUATOR**



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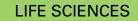
- Anti-backlash nut
- Clean room compatible
- Vacuum rated
- Mounting for flags and sensors

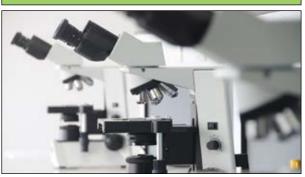


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- Auto samplers
- Syringe pumps
- Microscopes
- MRI scanners
- CT scanners
- Radiographic machines
- In-vitro diagnostics
- Genomics
- Blood gas chemistry

## **PRINTING & BINDING**



- "Z" axis actuators
- Multi-axis gantries
- 3D printing
- Automation / Material handling
- Additive manufacturing (AD)
- Large format sign printing
- Digital offset printing process
- Folding and sealing equipment
- Thermal CTP systems

## **SECURITY - MILITARY**



- Automated door locking systems
- Pan-tilt-zoom cameras
- Automated gates
- Tactical automated security cameras
- Missile fin actuation
- Tank sighting systems
- Drones and UAVs
- Torpedo fin actuation
- Guided munitions

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- Burnishing stages
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