

**Aerospace —
Nuts, hexagonal, plain,
reduced height, reduced
across flats, with MJ
threads, classifications:
450 MPa (at ambient
temperature)/425 °C,
600 MPa (at ambient
temperature)/235 °C,
600 MPa (at ambient
temperature)/315 °C,
600 MPa (at ambient
temperature)/650 °C,
900 MPa (at ambient
temperature)/235 °C,
900 MPa (at ambient
temperature)/730 °C,
and 1 100 MPa (at ambient
temperature)/600 °C, —
Dimensions**

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Introduction

The dimensions specified in this International Standard have been determined to satisfy the requirements of the procurement specification of ISO 9139.

1 Scope

This International Standard specifies the dimensions of plain, hexagonal nuts, reduced height, reduced across flats, with MJ threads, of classifications: 450 MPa¹/425 C², 600 MPa¹/235 C², 600 MPa¹/315 C², 600 MPa¹/650 C², 900 MPa¹/235 C², 900 MPa¹/730 C² and 1 100 MPa¹/600 C².

Nuts provided with holes are intended to be used with lockwire in conformity with ISO 245.

This International Standard is only applicable for the compilation of aerospace product standards.

2 Normative references

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ISO 245:1986, *Aircraft — Lockwire*.

ISO 5855-2:1988, *Aerospace — MJ threads — Part 2: Limit dimensions for bolts and nuts*.

ISO 8788:1987, *Aerospace — Fasteners — Tolerances of form and position for nuts*.

ISO 9139:—, *Aerospace — Nuts, plain or slotted (castellated) — Procurement specification*³).

3 Configuration and dimensions

See Figure 1 and Table 1. Dimensions and tolerances are expressed in millimetres. They apply after any surface coating(s) but before the application of any lubricant.

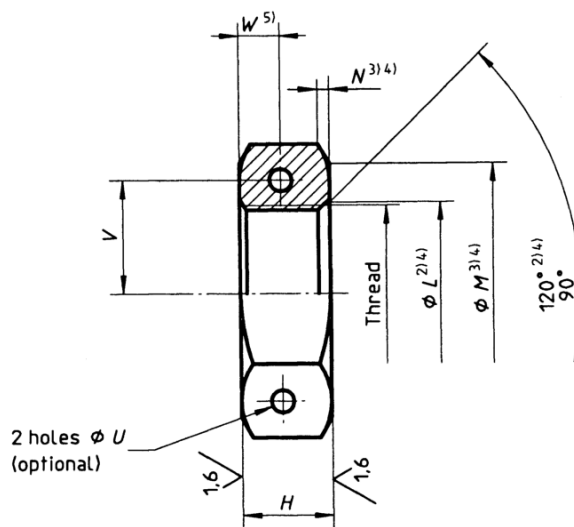
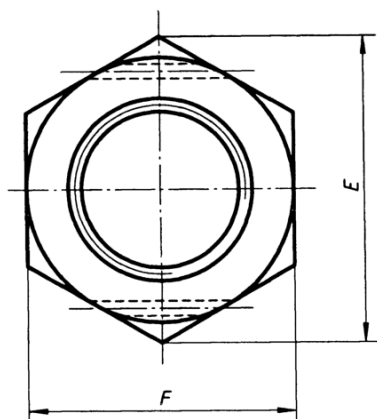
¹) Corresponds to the minimum tensile stress which the nut is able to withstand at ambient temperature without breaking or cracking when tested with a bolt of a higher strength class.

²) Maximum temperature that the nut is able to withstand, without permanent alteration to its original characteristics, after ambient temperature has been restored. The maximum temperature is conditioned by the material or by the surface treatment.

³) To be published.

6,3/ (1,6/)¹⁾

Remove sharp edges 0,1 to 0,4



NOTE Tolerances of form and position shall conform to those specified in ISO 8788.

- 1) These values, in micrometers, apply before any surface coating(s) is (are) applied. The values do not apply to threads the surface texture of which will be as achieved by the usual manufacturing methods.
- 2) All forms of entry (chamfer or radius) permissible within these limiting dimensions.
- 3) Form of contour, within limiting dimensions, is left to the manufacturer's discretion. Diameter *M* may be tangential to, but shall not intrude on the flats.
- 4) Applicable to both faces.
- 5) From either face.

Figure 1

Table 1

Diameter code	Thread ^a	<i>E</i> min.	<i>F</i> h13	<i>H</i> h14	<i>L</i> +0,8 0	<i>M</i> min.	<i>N</i> 0 -0,3	<i>U</i> H13	<i>V</i> - 0,2	<i>W</i> min.	Lockwire diameter ^b
100	MJ10.1,25 – 4H5H	15,5	14	5	10,3	13,2	0,6	1	5,9	2,1	0,8
120	MJ12.1,25 – 4H5H	18,9	17	6	12,3	16			1,5	7,2	
140	MJ14.1,5 – 4H5H	21,1	19	7	14,4	18		8,2		3,1	
160	MJ16.1,5 – 4H5H	24,5	22	8	16,4	21		9,7		3,6	
180	MJ18.1,5 – 4H5H	26,8	24	9	18,4	23		10,8		4,1	1,25
200	MJ20.1,5 – 4H5H	30,2	27	10	20,4	26		12,5		4,6	
220	MJ22.1,5 – 4H5H	33,6	30	11	22,4	29		13,9		5	
240	MJ24.2 – 4H5H	35,8	32	12	24,5	30,9		14,9	5,5		

^a In accordance with ISO 5855-2

^b For information, in conformity with ISO 245

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