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## 1 Scope

This European Standard specifies the characteristics of plain, hexagonal nuts, reduced height, normal across flats, with left hand thread, in steel, cadmium plated.

Classification: 900 MPa <sup>1)</sup> / 235 °C. <sup>2)</sup>

## 2 Normative references

The following referenced documents are indispensable for the application of this document. For dated references, only the edition cited applies. For undated references, the latest edition of the referenced document (including any amendments) applies.

EN 2133, *Aerospace series — Cadmium plating of steels with specified tensile strength  $\leq 1\ 450$  MPa, copper, copper alloys and nickel alloys*

EN 2205, *Aerospace series — Steel FE-PL1502 (25CrMo4) —  $900\ \text{MPa} \leq R_m \leq 1\ 100\ \text{MPa}$  — Bars —  $D_e \leq 40\ \text{mm}$*

EN 2424, *Aerospace series — Marking of aerospace products*

EN 2438, *Aerospace series — Steel FE-PL2102 (35NiCr6) —  $900\ \text{MPa} \leq R_m \leq 1\ 100\ \text{MPa}$  — Bars —  $D_e \leq 40\ \text{mm}$*

EN 2444, *Steel FE-PL711 —  $900\ \text{MPa} \leq R_m \leq 1\ 100\ \text{MPa}$  — Bars and wires —  $D_e \leq 45\ \text{mm}$  <sup>3)</sup>*

EN 2448, *Aerospace series — Steel FE-PL1503 (35CrMo4) —  $900\ \text{MPa} \leq R_m \leq 1\ 100\ \text{MPa}$  — Bars —  $D_e \leq 40\ \text{mm}$*

EN 3513, *Aerospace series — Steel FE-PL711 — Hardened and tempered —  $900 \leq R_m \leq 1\ 100\ \text{MPa}$  — Bar and wire —  $D_e \leq 45\ \text{mm}$  <sup>4)</sup>*

EN 9100, *Quality Management Systems — Requirements for Aviation, Space and Defense Organizations*

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

ISO 8788, *Aerospace — Nuts, metric — Tolerances of form and position*

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

ISO 9609, *Aerospace — Nuts, hexagonal, plain, reduced height, normal across flats, with MJ threads, classifications: 450 MPa (at ambient temperature) /120 °C, 450 MPa (at ambient temperature) /235 °C, 600 MPa (at ambient temperature) /425 °C, 900 MPa (at ambient temperature) /235 °C, 900 MPa (at ambient temperature) /315 °C, 900 MPa (at ambient temperature) /650 °C, 1 100 MPa (at ambient temperature) /235 °C, 1 100 MPa (at ambient temperature) /730 °C and 1 250 MPa (at ambient temperature)/600 °C — Dimensions*

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1) Corresponds to strength class of the associated bolt, the 100 % load of which it is able to withstand, when tested at ambient temperature, without breaking or cracking.

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 surface treatment.

3) Inactive for new design. See EN 3513.

4) Published as ASD Prestandard at the date of publication of this standard.

TR 3823, *Aerospace series — Materials for plain, slotted and self-locking by plastic ring hexagonal nuts* <sup>5)</sup>

### 3 Required characteristics

#### 3.1 Configuration — Dimensions — Masses

See Figure 1 and Table 1.

Dimensions and tolerances are in conformity with ISO 9609, expressed in millimetres and apply after surface treatment.

#### 3.2 Materials

EN 2205, EN 2438, EN 2444, EN 2448 or TR 3823.

#### 3.3 Surface treatment

EN 2133, 5 µm minimum on threads and all surfaces which can be contacted by a 20 mm diameter ball. On all other surfaces, a continuous cadmium plating shall be present.

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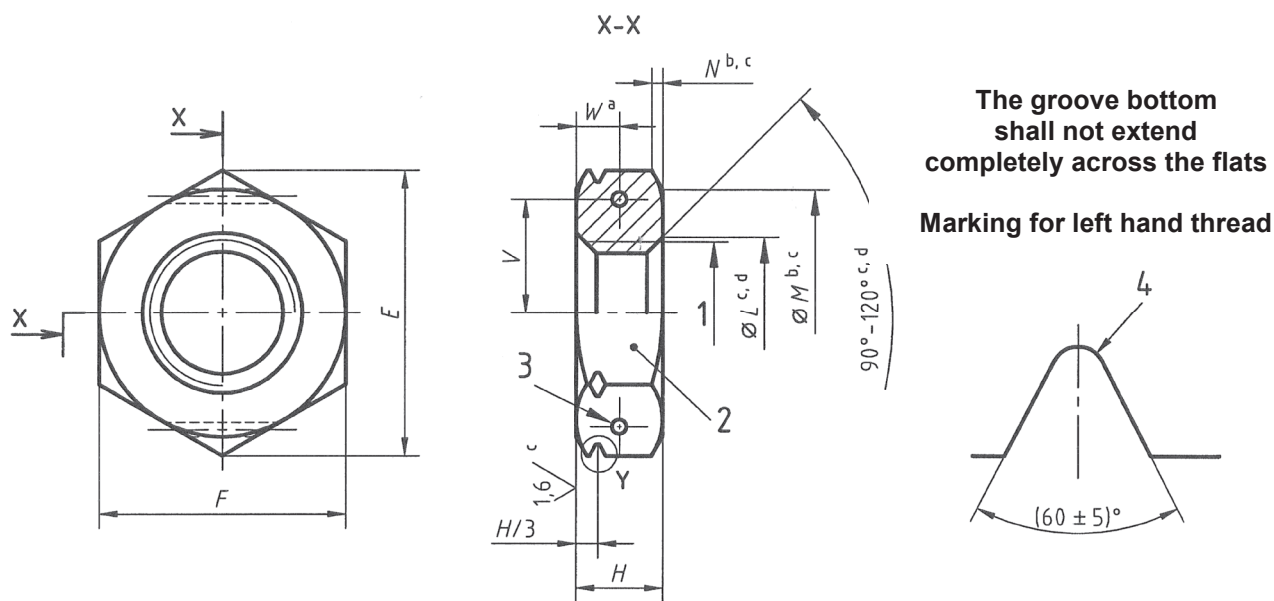
5) Published as ASD Technical Report at the date of publication of this standard.

$\sqrt{6,3}$   $\left[ \sqrt{1,6} \right]$  These values in micrometres, apply before surface treatment. The values do not apply to threads the surface texture of which shall be achieved by usual manufacturing methods.

Break sharp edges 0,1 to 0,4.

Details of form not stated are at the manufacturer's option. Tolerances of form and position shall be in conformity with ISO 8788.

Dimensions in millimetres



**Key**

- 1 Thread
  - 2 Marking
  - 3 Two holes  $\varnothing U$  optional
  - 4  $r = 0,2$  to  $0,5$
- a From either face.
  - b Diameter  $M$  may be tangential to, but shall not intrude on the flats.
  - c Applicable to both faces.
  - d All forms of entry (chamfer or radius) optional within these limiting dimensions.

**Figure 1**



Table 1

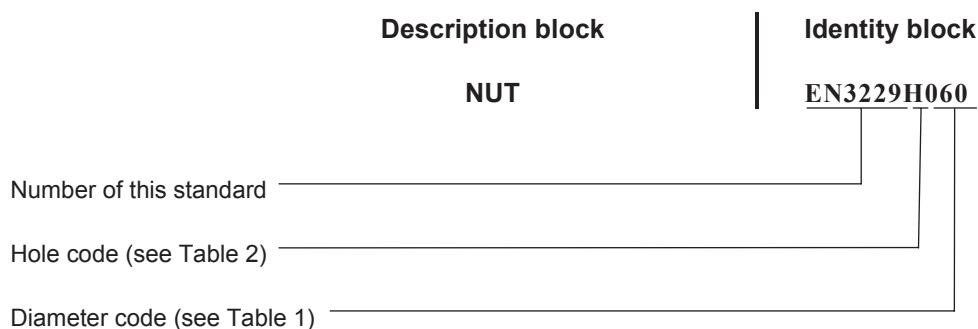
Diameter code	Left hand thread <sup>a</sup>	<i>E</i>		<i>F</i>		<i>H</i>		<i>L</i>		<i>M</i>		<i>N</i>		<i>U</i>	<i>V</i>	<i>W</i>	Mass kg/1 000 pieces approx.			
		min.	Nom.	Nom.	Tol.	h14	Nom.	Tol.	min.	max.	min.	H13	± 0,2	min.						
040	MJ4×0,7-4H6H-LH	7,6	7	h12	2,6	4,2	+ 0,6 0	6,4	0,5	0,2	b	b	b	1	3,9	1,4	0,65			
050	MJ5×0,8-4H6H-LH	8,7	8														3	5,2	7,4	0,9
060	MJ6×1-4H5H-LH	10,9	10	h13	3,5	6,3	+ 0,8 0	9,3	0,6	0,3	1,5	6,9	2,1	6,9	2,1	6,9	1,6			
070	MJ7×1-4H5H-LH	12	11														4	7,3	10,2	2,1
080	MJ8×1-4H5H-LH	14,3	13														4	8,3	12,2	3,1
100	MJ10×1,25-4H5H-LH	18,9	17														5	10,3	16	6,9
120	MJ12×1,25-4H5H-LH	21,1	19														6	12,3	18	8
140	MJ14×1,5-4H5H-LH	24,5	22														7	14,4	21	9,6
160	MJ16×1,5-4H5H-LH	26,8	24														8	16,4	23	10,7
180	MJ18×1,5-4H5H-LH	30,2	27														9	18,4	26	12
200	MJ20×x1,5-4H5H-LH	33,6	30														10	20,4	29	13,4
220	MJ22×1,5-4H5H-LH	35,8	32														11	22,4	30,9	14,4
240	MJ24×2-4H5H-LH	40,4	36														12	24,5	34,9	16,1

<sup>a</sup> In accordance with ISO 5855-2.

<sup>b</sup> Lockwire holes not provided for these diameters.

## 4 Designation

EXAMPLE



NOTE If necessary the originator code I9005 should be placed between the description block and the identity block.

Table 2

Option	Code
Lockwire holes	H
No hole	— (hyphen)

## 5 Marking

See Table 3.

Table 3

Diameter code	EN 2424 Style
040 to 070	N
080 to 160	C
180 to 240	A

## 6 Technical specification

ISO 9139 except for approval of manufacturers: see EN 9100.



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