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Introduction

This document is based on CE.T.I.E. (International Technical Centre for Bottling and related Packaging) data sheet GME 32.02 [1].

Efficient packaging is of great importance for the distribution and the protection of goods. Insufficient or inappropriate packaging can lead to damage or wastage of the contents of the pack.

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1 Scope

This European Standard specifies the dimensions of the 28 mm finish for glass containers for pressurised or vacuum liquids designated MCA 7,5 RF.

2 Terms and definitions

For the purposes of this document, the following term and definition applies.

2.1

MCA

(glass) finish designed for the closure of pressurised or vacuum liquids with a tamper-evident closure (metal or plastic)

3 Dimensions

The design and dimensions of the finish shall be as shown in Table 1 and Figures 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5.

Table 1 – Design and dimensions of the finish

Pitch	β	TPI	Ø cutter		
3,387 mm	2° 22'	7,5	12,5 mm		
β = Helix angle or angle or fixture to cutter					
NOTE TPI = Threads per Inch. One inch is equal to 25,4 mm.					

The Tan β of helix angle for cutter is calculated via the following formula:

where

T is the thread diameter;

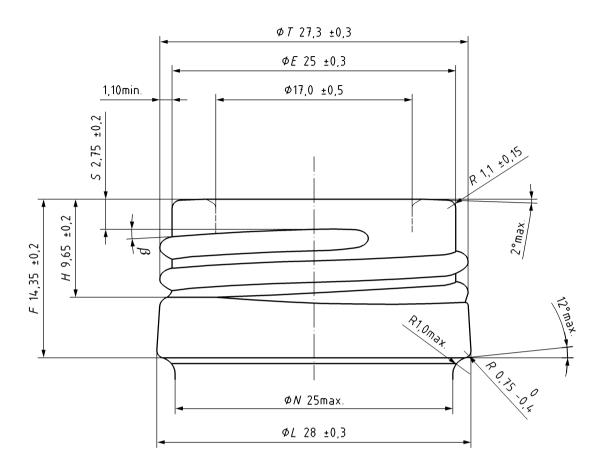
E is the wall diameter of the threaded finish.

The average of the maximum and minimum of "L" diameter is as close as possible to "L" nominal.

The mean diameter
$$L = \frac{\text{diameter max} + \text{diameter min}}{2}$$
 is in the tolerance of \pm 0,2 mm.

Optional: depressed thread at mould parting line (see EN 16292).

Dimensions in millimetres



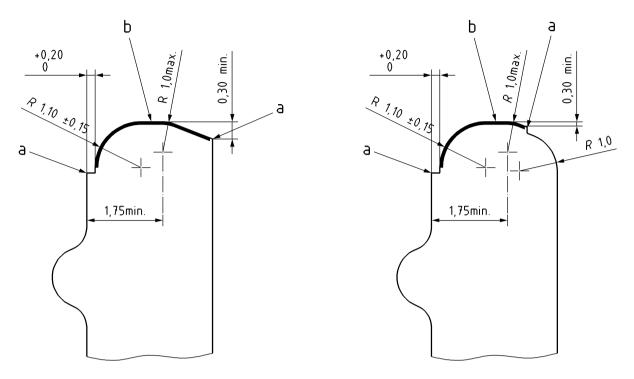
Key

- neck (under bead) diameter
- thread height Н
- S start of thread position from sealing surface to intersection of thread flank
- height of the finish locking bead diameter thread diameter
- Т
- wall diameter of threaded finish

NOTE Bore diameter: 17,0 mm \pm 0,5 mm for a depth of 3mm.

Figure 1 — MCA 7,5 RF finish

Dimensions in millimetres



Key

- a mould parting line
- b sealing surface

The sealing surface is smooth and free of any defects and flash.

Figure 2 — Possible alternative constructions of the bore entrance to suit glass manufacturer

Dimensions in millimetres

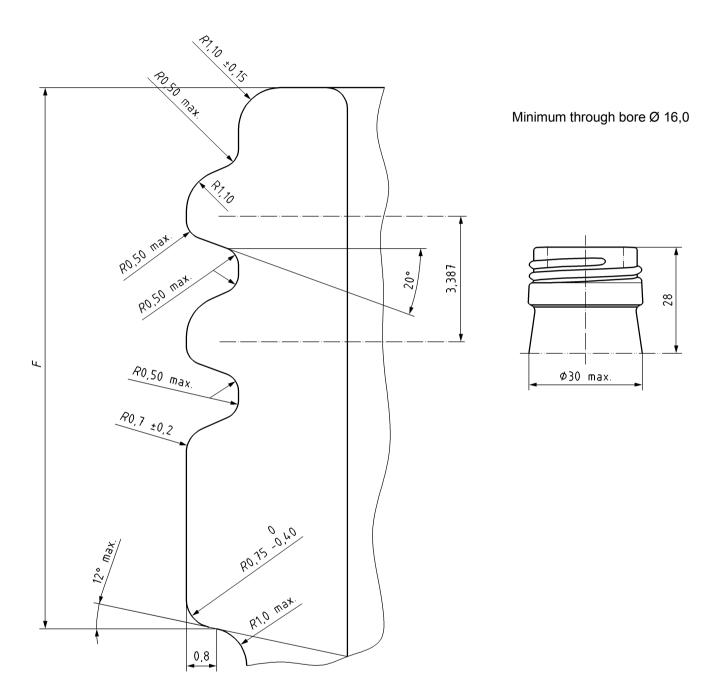
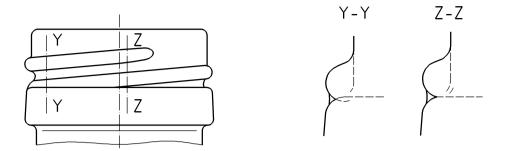


Figure 3 — Detail of the profile



NOTE Z-Z is the last full depth and width of thread. Beyond this point and Y-Y, the thread root is increased gradually to full thread diameter T in 90° .

Figure 4 - Run out of thread

Dimensions in millimetres

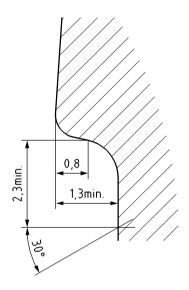


Figure 5 — Limit of construction

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