

Type TW18 WEH® Connector for pneumatic and hydraulic pressure and function testing

of components with male thread



General

DESCRIPTION



Features

- Connection in seconds
- No hand tightening required
- WEH® Jaw locking mechanism
- Ergonomic design
- High-grade materials
- Different actuations
- Automation possible
- Testing devices are eliminated

The WEH® TW18 Quick connector establishes pressure-tight connections to components with male thread within seconds. Only place the connector onto the thread of the test piece, the clamping jaws grip on the thread and a pressure-tight connection is made.

The WEH® TW18 Connector is available with different actuations:

TW18H - Manual actuation via lever

TW18V - Pneumatic actuation via valve head

TW18P - Pneumatic actuation for external manual, semi or fully automatic control systems

The actuation can be easily changed at any time by simply unscrewing the rear part of the connector and replacing it with the chosen actuation.

Application

Quick connector for pneumatic and hydraulic pressure and function testing of components with male thread, e.g. engines, cylinders, pressure vessels, hoses, fixtures, etc.

Note: For using the WEH[®] Connectors with pneumatic actuation and clamping jaws in an automated system please observe the technical note on page 89 in catalog no. 35.

TECHNICAL DATA

| Characteristics | Basic version |
|------------------------|--|
| Operating pressure PS | Vacuum up to max. 5,000 psi |
| Pilot pressure | 90 - 175 psi compressed air |
| Pilot pressure port P1 | 1/8" NPT female thread |
| Pilot pressure port P2 | 1/4" NPT female thread |
| Temperature range | +41 °F up to +176 °F |
| Leak rate | 1 x 10 ⁻³ mbar x l/s |
| Actuation | H = manual actuation via lever V = pneumatic actuation via valve head P = pneumatic actuation for external manual, semi or fully automatic control systems |
| Material | Corrosion resistant stainless steel, anodized aluminium |
| Sealing material | NBR |

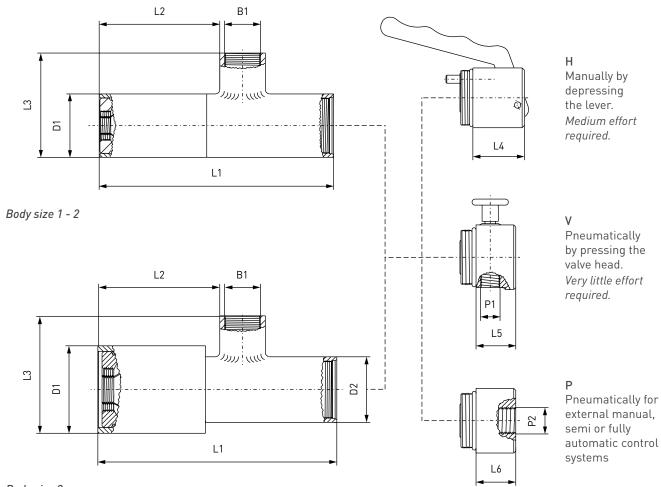
Other designs on request

Example of use:



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approx. dimensions (mm)

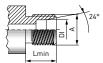


Body size 3

| Body size | Inlet B1 (female thread) | D1 | D2 | L1 | L2 | L3 | L4 | L5 | L6 |
|-----------|-----------------------------|------|------|-------|------|------|------|------|------|
| 1 | G1/2"* | 32.0 | - | 134.0 | 65.0 | 57.5 | 25.0 | 18.0 | 18.0 |
| 2 | G1/2"* | 39.0 | - | 142.0 | 71.0 | 64.5 | 32.0 | 18.0 | 18.0 |
| 3 | G1/2"* | 52.0 | 39.0 | 142.0 | 70.5 | 64.5 | 32.0 | 18.0 | 18.0 |

^{*} G1/2" is compatible to 1/2" NPT

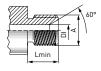
Tube fitting to ISO 8434-1



| Part No. | Body size | Thread A (male thread) | Max. operating pressure** | DI max. | Series | Lmin* |
|---------------|-----------|---------------------------|---------------------------|---------|--------|-------|
| TW18W8133-085 | 1 | M8x1.0 | 1,450 psi | 4.0 | LL | 8.0 |
| TW18W8134-085 | 1 | M10x1.0 | 1,450 psi | 6.0 | LL | 8.0 |
| TW18W8135-085 | 1 | M12x1.0 | 1,450 psi | 8.0 | LL | 9.0 |
| TW18W8136-085 | 1 | M12x1.5 | 3,600 psi | 6.0 | L | 10.0 |
| TW18W8137-085 | 1 | M14x1.5 | 3,600 psi | 8.0 | L | 10.0 |
| TW18W8138-085 | 1 | M16x1.5 | 3,600 psi | 10.0 | L | 11.0 |
| TW18W8139-085 | 2 | M18x1.5 | 3,600 psi | 12.0 | L | 11.0 |
| TW18W8140-085 | 2 | M22x1.5 | 3,600 psi | 15.0 | L | 12.0 |
| TW18W8141-085 | 3 | M26x1.5 | 2,320 psi | 18.0 | L | 12.0 |
| TW18W8142-085 | 3 | M30x2.0 | 2,320 psi | 22.0 | L | 14.0 |

^{*} Lmin: minimum thread length

Threaded stem to DIN 7631 / DIN 7647 - Plane surface burr free



| Part No. | Body size | Thread A (male thread) | DI max. | Lmin* |
|---------------|-----------|---------------------------|---------|-------|
| TW18W8151-085 | 1 | M10x1.0 | 3.0 | 8.0 |
| TW18W8152-085 | 1 | M12x1.5 | 4.0 | 10.0 |
| TW18W8153-085 | 1 | M14x1.5 | 6.0 | 10.0 |
| TW18W8154-085 | 1 | M16x1.5 | 8.0 | 11.0 |
| TW18W8155-085 | 2 | M18x1.5 | 10.0 | 11.0 |
| TW18W8214-085 | 2 | M20x1.5 | 11.0 | 11.0 |
| TW18W8156-085 | 2 | M22x1.5 | 12.0 | 12.0 |
| TW18W8157-085 | 3 | M26x1.5 | 15.0 | 12.0 |
| TW18W8158-085 | 3 | M30x1.5 | 19.0 | 14.0 |

^{*} Lmin: minimum thread length

^{**} acc. to ISO 8434-1

Whitworth tube thread to DIN EN ISO 228-1 - Plane surface burr free



| Part No. | Body size | Thread A (male thread) | DI max. | Lmin* |
|---------------|-----------|---------------------------|---------|-------|
| TW18W8127-085 | 1 | G1/8" | 5.0 | 12.0 |
| TW18W8128-085 | 1 | G1/4" | 6.0 | 12.0 |
| TW18W8129-085 | 1 | G3/8" | 9.0 | 12.0 |
| TW18W8130-085 | 2 | G1/2" | 14.5 | 12.0 |
| TW18W8131-085 | 3 | G3/4" | 18.0 | 12.0 |
| TW18W8132-085 | 3 | G1" | 18.0 | 12.0 |

^{*} Lmin: minimum thread length

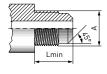
NPT thread (ANSI/ASME B1.20.1-1983) - acc. to SAE J476a, plane surface smooth and burr free



| Part No. | Body size | Thread A (male thread) | DI max. | Lmin* |
|---------------|-----------|---------------------------|---------|-------|
| TW18W8208-085 | 1 | 1/8" NPT | 5.0 | 10.0 |
| TW18W8207-085 | 1 | 1/4" NPT | 7.0 | 14.0 |
| TW18W8209-085 | 1 | 3/8" NPT | 10.5 | 14.0 |
| TW18W8210-085 | 2 | 1/2" NPT | 14.0 | 19.0 |
| TW18W8211-085 | 3 | 3/4" NPT | 18.0 | 19.0 |
| TW18W8212-085 | 3 | 1" NPT | 18.0 | 20.5 |

^{*} Lmin: minimum thread length

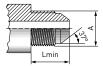
SAE J512 (45° cone), SAE J513



| Part No. | Body size | Thread A (UNF/UN male thread) | Lmin* |
|---------------|-----------|----------------------------------|-------|
| TW18W8100-085 | 1 | -2 (5/16"-24) | 11.0 |
| TW18W8101-085 | 1 | -3 (3/8"-24) | 11.5 |
| TW18W8102-085 | 1 | -4 (7/16"-20) | 13.0 |
| TW18W8103-085 | 1 | -5 (1/2"-20) | 14.5 |
| TW18W8104-085 | 1 | -6 (5/8"-18) | 16.0 |
| TW18W8105-085 | 2 | -7 (11/16"-16) | 17.5 |
| TW18W8106-085 | 2 | -8 (3/4"-16) | 19.0 |
| TW18W8107-085 | 2 | -10 (7/8"-14) | 22.5 |
| TW18W8108-085 | 3 | -12 (1 1/16"-14) | 25.5 |

^{*} Lmin: minimum thread length

SAE J514 JIC 37°



| Part No. | Body size | Thread A (UNF/UN male thread) | Lmin* |
|---------------|-----------|----------------------------------|-------|
| TW18W8117-085 | 1 | -2 (5/16"-24) | 11.5 |
| TW18W8118-085 | 1 | -3 (3/8"-24) | 12.5 |
| TW18W8119-085 | 1 | -4 (7/16"-20) | 14.0 |
| TW18W8120-085 | 1 | -5 (1/2"-20) | 14.0 |
| TW18W8121-085 | 1 | -6 (9/16"-18) | 14.5 |
| TW18W8122-085 | 2 | -8 (3/4"-16) | 17.0 |
| TW18W8123-085 | 2 | -10 (7/8"-14) | 19.5 |
| TW18W8124-085 | 3 | -12 (1 1/16"-12) | 22.0 |

^{*} Lmin: minimum thread length

Other connector sizes and versions on request.

Required information for ordering see page 9, catalog no. 35.

When ordering WEH® TW18 please indicate in addition to the details requested on page 9 in catalog no. 35 the following information:

1. Part No.

Please insert within the part no. the letter corresponding to the desired type of actuation (H, V or P) in place of the position indicator (...)

Example: TW18**H**-W8133-085

2. Pressure range

Please add LP = low pressure version (up to 725 psi) or HP = high pressure version (up to 5,000 psi) at the end of the part number.

Example: TW18H-W8133-085/HP

Accessories

ACCESSORIES

The following accessories are available for WEH® TW18:

Screw plug

If the WEH® Connector is to be used as a plug, the media inlet 'B1' will be sealed with a screw plug of brass (PVC sealing ring) for low pressure range or alternatively of stainless steel (O-ring of NBR 70° Shore) for high pressure range. It is recommended that the media compatibility of the seal be tested by the customer!

Low pressure



| Part No. G-thread* | Description | Connection (male thread) | Pressure range |
|-----------------------|----------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------------|
| E69-9230 | Screw plug (low pressure) | G1/2" | 0 - 725 psi (0 - 50 bar) |
| W9332 | Screw plug (high pressure) | G1/2" | 725 - 5,000 psi (50 - 350 bar) |

^{*} NPT-thread on request

SPECIAL SOLUTIONS

Examples:



TW18H with extended clamping jaws for testing of ball valves



TW18Z with pneumatic actuation, central flow and lateral pressure support

Other products

OTHER PRODUCTS

You will find more products in our current catalog no. 35



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Abbreviations/Definition

Explanation of abbreviations see technical appendix in the catalogue or www.weh.com

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