

FORKARDT

INDEXING CHUCKS



WORKHOLDING SOLUTIONS WORLDWIDE

This catalogue describes the key components of an indexing chucking system.

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Special Chucks Clamping Jaws

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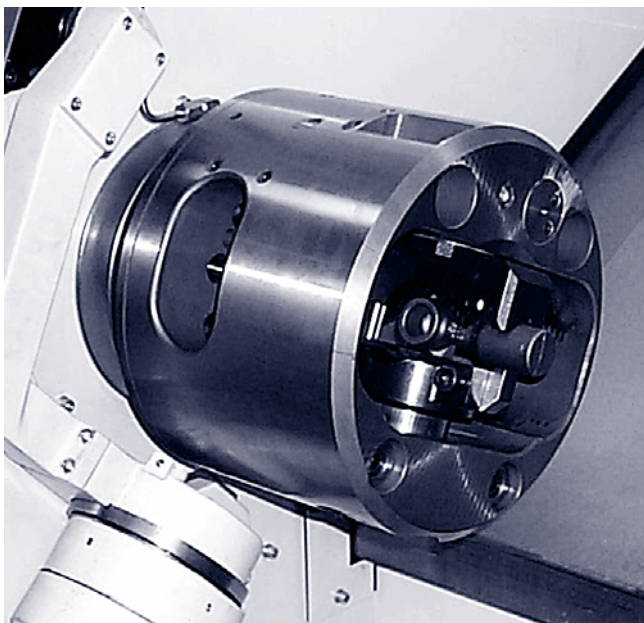
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Indexing Chucks

General

The manufacture and machining of work pieces with crossing axes requires a chucking solution that takes into account the peculiarities of such work pieces. Special machines or transfer lines generate non-productive times equal to conventional lathes in several chucking operations.



The efficient solution from FORKARDT consists of hydraulically operated indexing chucks that offer all features necessary to remain independent of special machines and transfer lines.

The plain design, simple control and flexible mounting options of these indexing chucks make them suitable for use on relatively simple turret-type and NC lathes. Work pieces can be machined in one chucking operation in a fully automatic cycle – with up to six different indexing positions with the machine spindle rotating!

The rationalisation effect for your production is clear: one person can operate several machines that finish machine the parts in one single chucking operation. The number of work pieces that can be efficiently machined with FORKARDT indexing chucks covers diverse applications. FORKARDT hydraulically operated indexing chucks are used not only for large batch production due to their short chucking and indexing times and ease of mounting, but also due to their highly efficient use for small batch production.

This brochure gives an overview of the FORKARDT range of indexing chucks. Special designs developed for special applications are shown briefly. If you should have any specialised requirements, talk to our experts who will be happy to provide sound advice on special chucking systems.



Hydraulic Indexing Chuck Type HSR

Assembly and Function

Clamping, indexing, locking and unclamping of the jaws are performed by integral hydraulic cylinders. The oil is fed to the different cylinders via a multiple oil supply system mounted on the spindle end and a pipe bundle running through the spindle bore.

The rough component is automatically centered by the jaws, prisms and by the concentric clamping pressure. The successive machining cycle produces equal shapes (minimum out of balance) and dimensional accuracy.

The automatic indexing chuck is hydraulically controlled via two four way solenoid valves.

Control cylinder and limit switch are mounted on the hydraulic unit and on the solenoid control block. In case of proximity scanning the indexing mechanism cover will be designed according to the requirements of the customer.

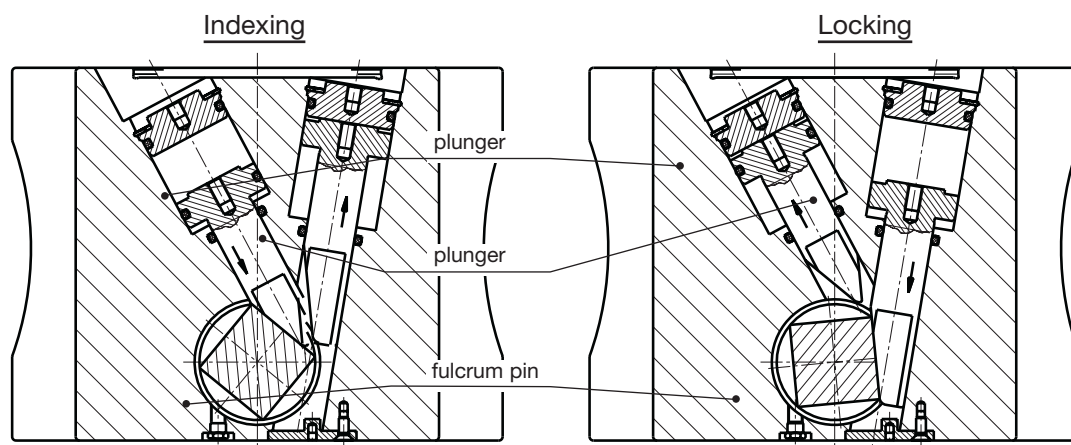
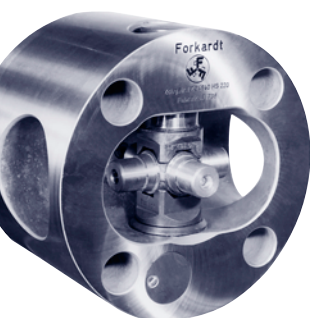
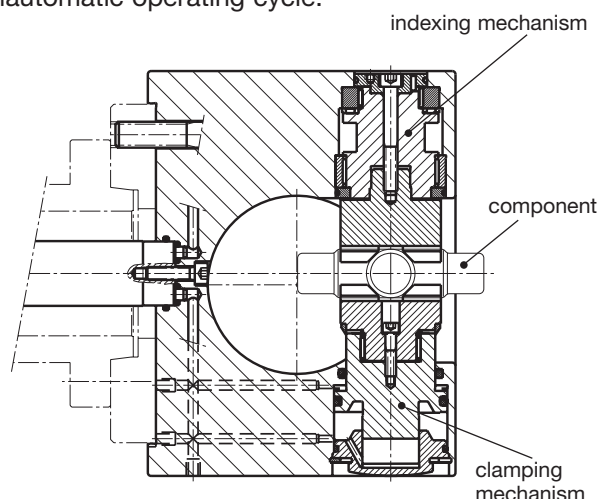
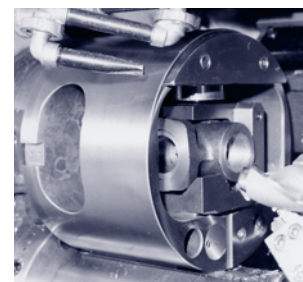
The chuck clamps unilaterally via the clamping piston of the lower jaw. Two hydraulically operated opposed flanges working in sequence, index and lock the fulcrum pin.

The angular position of the jaws is matched to the number of component axes and maintained with a high degree of accuracy.

In addition, the electrical circuit includes an adjustable time lag relay to incorporate a short time lag between the indexing and locking cycles.

The completed indexing cycle is acknowledged via an additional oil channel, operating a control cylinder to actuate a

In this way the appropriate programme sequence of the tools in relation to the work piece position is warranted, so that a multiple machine assignment with sufficient safety and control can be performed at semiautomatic operating cycle.



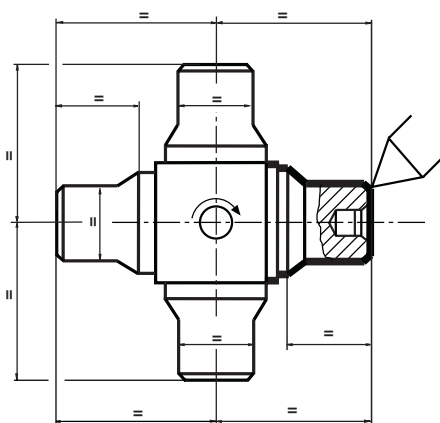
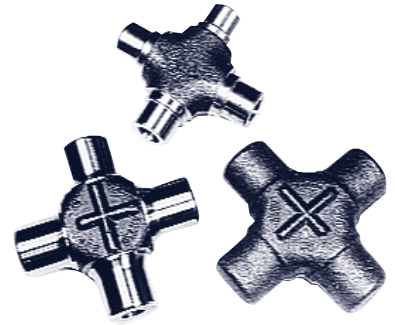
Spider Machining with FORKARDT Chucks Type HSR

Spider machining

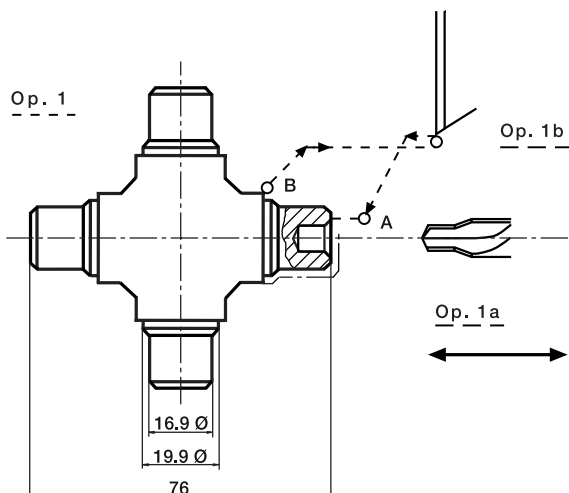
Universal joint shaft spiders, with their symmetrical shape and location of bearing surfaces, are predestined parts for finish processing on machines with stationary tools, bearing in mind what has previously been said about the advantages of complete processing in one chucking operation.

As the bearing surfaces can also be turned for larger batches with one tool on a copy turning lathe with automatic indexing chuck, this method is more economical than using special machines, such as automatic compound table machines and transfer lines

with stationary tool clamping and indexing fixtures. Modern motor-car manufacturers and their subcontractors have discontinued making spiders on special high-volume machines in favour of distributing the production to several copy turning lathes with automatic indexing chucks.



Component: Universal joint spider forged,
stock allowance approx. 2 mm.
Material: 15 CR 3



This also solves the following problem: If the production of spiders is performed on one or a few high-volume special machines, a breakdown of one machine can create a considerable production loss. If, however, the production is distributed to several copy turning lathes with a lower production figure, a breakdown of one machine will not reduce the production figure to a large extent.

It is, of course, also possible to retool a copy turning lathe for components of other types if the necessity arises.

| Sequence of operations: | Time (minutes) |
|--|----------------|
| (1) Spindle idle, remove finished component from chuck, load chuck with rough component and clamp. | 0.12 |
| (1 a) Component pin centering | |
| Drilling speed: | 2350 rpm |
| Cutting speed: | 14 m/minute |
| Feed: | 0.15 mm/rev. |
| (1 b) Copy turn path A - B | |
| Spindle speed: | 1800 rpm |
| Cutting speed: | 14 m/minute |
| Feed: | 0.25 mm/rev. |
| (1 a) and (1 b) change after every 90° indexing cycle of the component at running spindle. | |
| After machining the fourth bearing surface, the spindle is stopped and the chuck positioned for operation (1). | 0.94 |
| Total time | 1.06 |

Spider Machining with FORKARDT Chucks Type HSR

Indexing accuracy

For machining journal crosses in small and medium lot sizes, the accuracy of rough machining is normally adequate. For very large journals such as differential spiders with a total length of 300 mm and longer, the indexing accuracy can be improved by finish machining.

Rough-machining accuracy:

About 0.1 mm at a distance of 100 mm to the indexing centre

Fine-machining accuracy:

About 0.03 – 0.05 mm at a distance of 100 mm to the indexing centre

All journals are initially rough-machined and then finish-machined in a second indexing cycle.

As a matter of fact the accuracy of the machined component is not determined by the chuck mechanism, but only by the secure seating of the component in the clamping jaws. One important prerequisite is that the work piece shape renders a secure gripping and design of the inserts.

Methods of Holding

The best and most reliable type of holding in any indexing chuck is obtained by crossing prisms (cardanic).

For this purpose, the clamping inserts are designed as two crossing prism axes, and with every clamping insert only one prism axis contacts the component during gripping. They are 90° offset at the installed clamping inserts.

The second prism of every clamping insert has only to exert one locating effect and is not in contact after completed gripping operation.



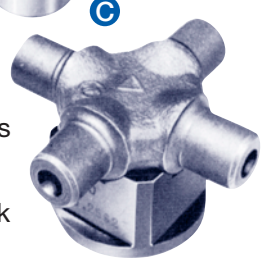
In this way overdetermination on chucking the component is avoided.

The effect of this chucking operation is as follows:

The component is held in the X axis by two clamping Vees in the upper jaw

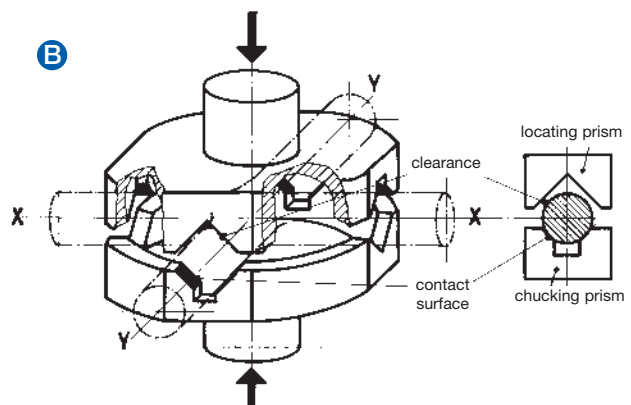
and in the Y axis by two clamping Vees in the lower jaw. The component is automatically set to the accurate position.

In this way a save gripping against all power components of cutting is achieved. Simultaneously, all dimensional fluctuations of the forging blank are compensated.



The opposed free prisms are determined for locating. For distinguishing purposes, the gripping prisms are provided with a groove, whereas the locating prisms are not provided with a groove. (Fig. B and Fig. C).

The operator has to pay attention that in every position a prism with groove stands opposite one without a groove (see Fig. A and Fig. B).



Use of Automatic Indexing Chucks Type HSR

for the Production of Fittings

Machining of fittings

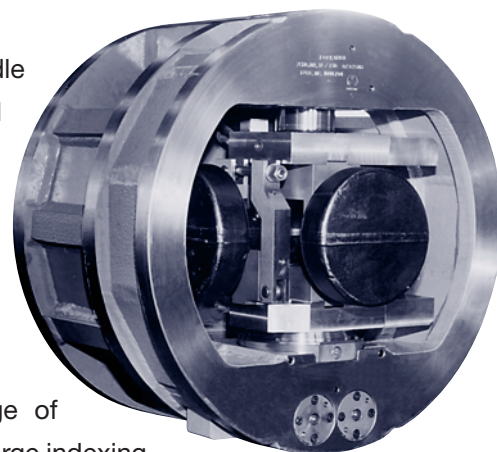
For the manufacture of valves and fittings in small and large lot sizes, the use of automatic indexing chucks is highly economical from a size above 1". The reason for this in addition to the rational relation between setup and machining time lies in the more effective utilisation of machine capacities.

Recommended for the large batch production of valves and fittings in particular is the use of indexing chucks with external diameters of about 1000 mm and indexing radii of 400 mm.

A hydraulic indexing chuck of welded construction with an outside diameter of 1000 mm (40") and an indexing radius of 400 mm (16") was developed to accommodate the shown valve body. It is used as work holder on the rotary table of a vertical boring and turning mill.

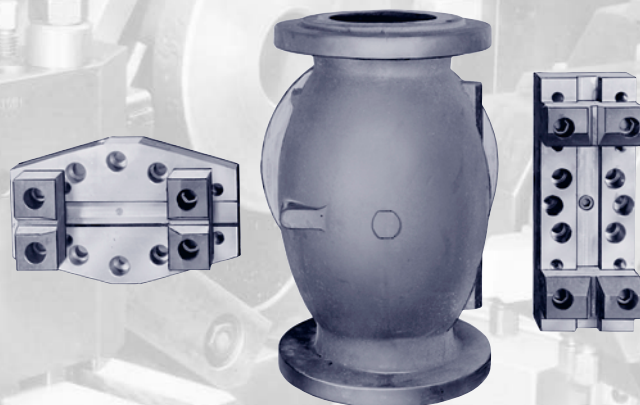
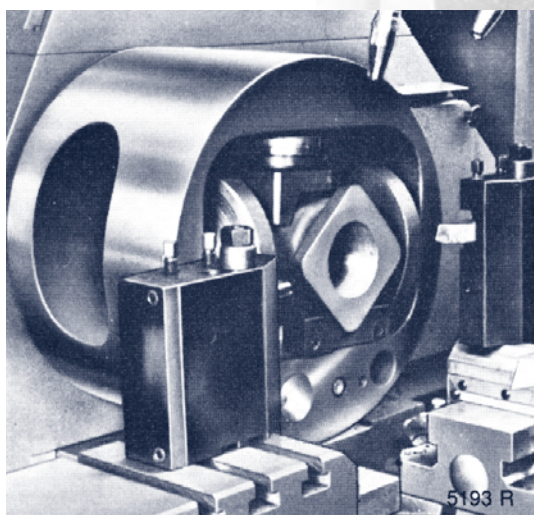
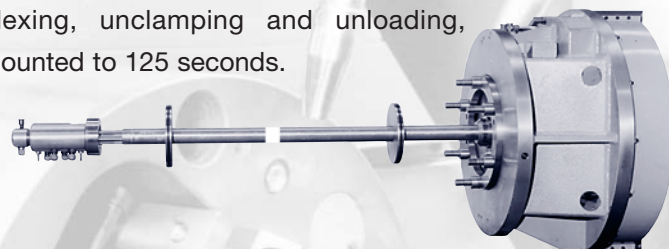
The weight of chuck and component is compensated by thrust bearings in the case of a vertical boring and turning mill, and therefore it does not put a critical

load on the spindle bearing which could result in vibrations which in turn involve poor quality of the turned surface.



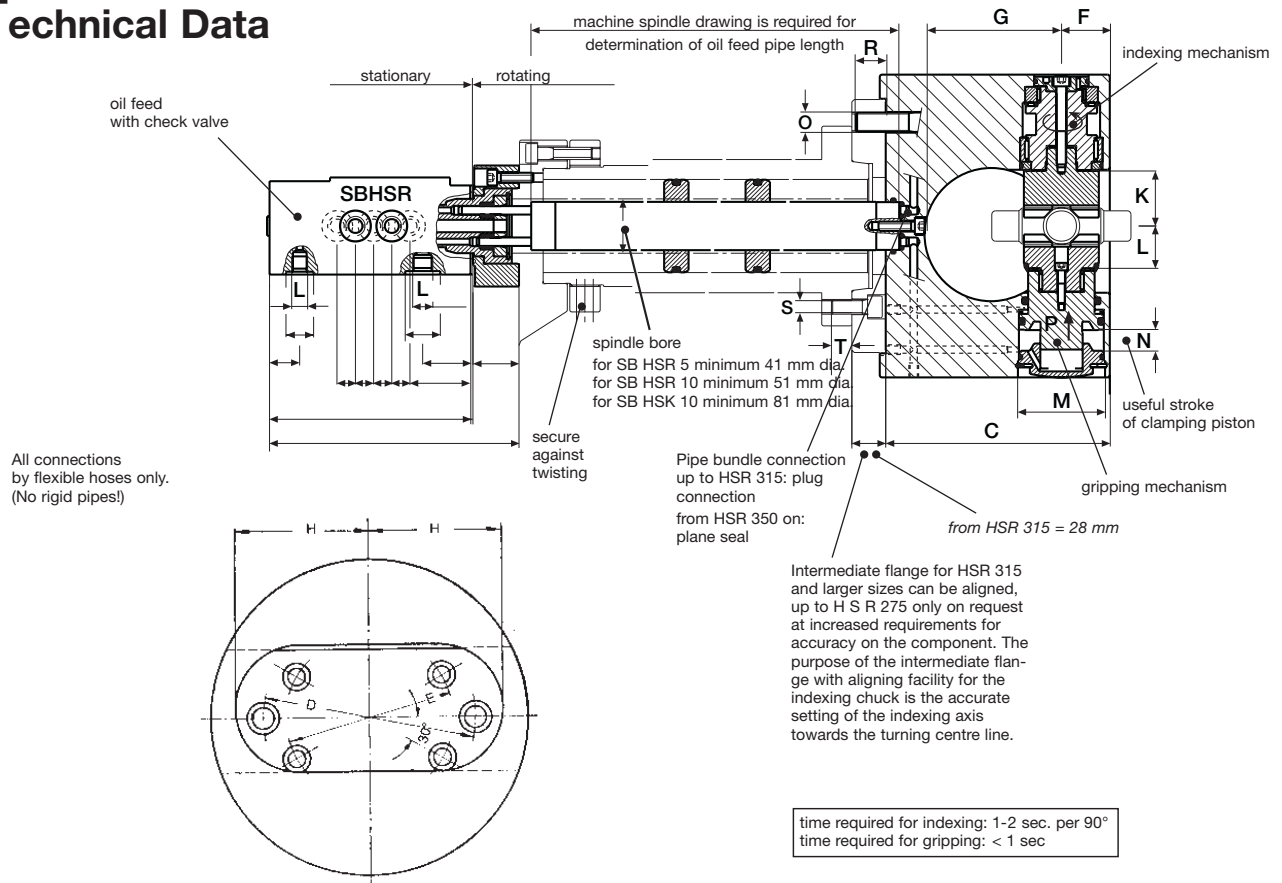
A further advantage of the set up of such large indexing chuck for a vertical boring and turning mill is the high degree of operational safety. This is achieved by enveloping the component in a box type structure, which provides good access for loading and unloading.

The measured floor to floor time, i.e., loading, 4x 90° indexing, unclamping and unloading, amounted to 125 seconds.



Hydraulic Indexing Chuck Type HSR

Technical Data



It can be assumed that the chuck speed at which an indexing of the part during the rotation of the machine spindle can be carried out roughly corresponds to 2/3 of the indicated speed.

The prerequisite for this figure is, however, that the unbalance caused by the clamping inserts and work piece is minimized.

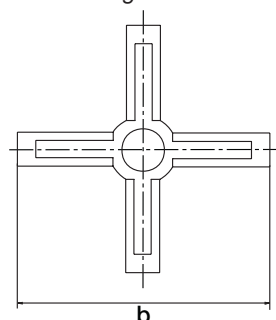
As these phenomena cannot be predicted in advance, the maximum practical machining and indexing speeds are best determined empirically at the machine on the basis of operating smoothness, the degree of precision with which the work piece is machined, the work finish and the correct indexing.

If required, the indexing operations during the full speed of the machine spindle can be controlled through a built in STHS indexing control unit. The index position feedback signal is provided by a system of pneumatic pressure switches.

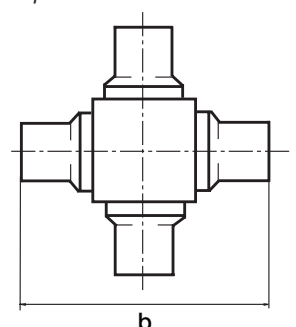
The following sizes are recommended for spiders and differential gears:

| Type | Total width „b“ | | Jaw stroke mm |
|---------|-----------------|---------|---------------|
| HSR 200 | 50 | 2" | 12 |
| HSR 225 | 75 | 3" | 12 |
| HSR 230 | 115 | 4 1/2" | 15 |
| HSR 250 | 180 | 6" | 17 |
| HSR 275 | 215 | 8 1/2" | 17 |
| HSR 315 | 268 | 10 1/2" | 20 |

differential gear



spider



For the installation of an indexing control unit to existing applications, we can recommend our GHS 4. With this unit, as with indexing control units employing proximity switches, the indexing speed has to be reduced to approx. 200 rpm, depending on the initial speed and the diameter of the chuck.

The available indexing space of the different types is also specified in our dimensional sheets. However,

this information alone is not sufficient for the determination of a chuck type.

Decisive factors for the particular processing are:

- Clamping force
- Clamping piston stroke
- Component overhang or total width
°b°.*)

For a qualified consulting please contact our team of experts.

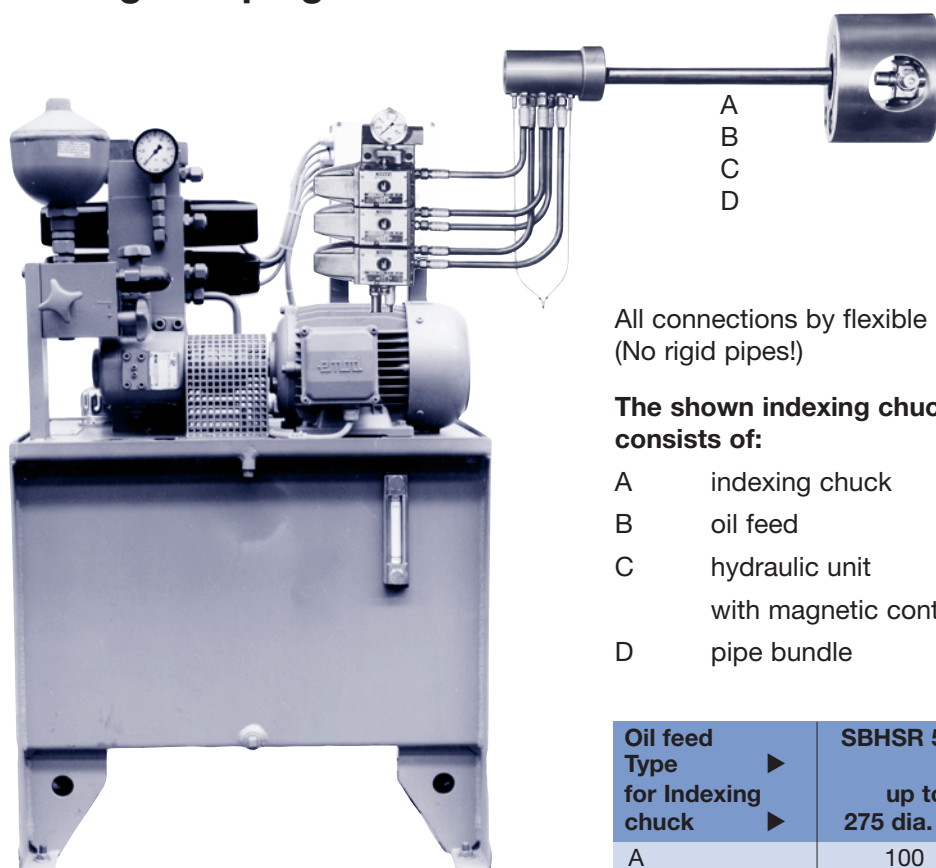
| Type | HSR 200 ◇ | HSR 225 | HSR 250 ◇ | HSR 275 | HSR 315 | HSR 350 ◇ | HSR 400 ◇ | HSR 450 | HSR 500 ◇ | HSR 600 ◇ | HSR 670 | HSR 700 | HSR 820 | HSR 890 |
|--------------------------|--------------|---------|--------------|---------|---------|--------------|--------------|---------|--------------|--------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| A | 200 | 225 | 250 | 275 | 315 | 350 | 400 | 450 | 500 | 600 | 670 | 700 | 820 | 590 |
| BH6 | 185 | 185 | 210 | 210 | 235 | 290 | 290 | 290 | 380 | 380 | 380 | 380 | 380 | 380 |
| C | 141 | 149 | 185 | 208 | 227 | 235 | 253 | 277 | 301 | 375 | 400 | 423 | 500 | |
| D ± 0.2 | 133.4 | | 171.4 | - | - | 235 | 235 | - | 330.2 | 330.2 | 330.2 | 330.2 | 330.2 | 330.2 |
| E ± 0.2 | 104.8 | 133.4 | 133.4 | 171.4 | 171.4 | 171.4 | 171.4 | 235 | 235 | 235 | - | - | - | - |
| F | 30 | 35 | 40 | 48 | 50 | 50 | 60 | 60 | 68 | 70 | 70 | 85 | 85 | 85 |
| G | 82 | 84 | 113 | 126 | 136 | 148 | 170 | 190 | 205 | 268 | 293 | 310 | 325 | 38 |
| H | 85 | 95 | 106 | 125 | 136 | 145 | 170 | 190 | 205 | 280 | 285 | 290 | 325 | 380 |
| K | 38.5 | 46 | 46 | 57 | 69.5 | 83 | 95 | 119 | 131.5 | 181.5 | 206 | 165 | 212 | 247 |
| L | 46 | 58 | 55 | 67 | 85 | 102 | 114 | 133 | 155 | 207 | 232 | 218 | 225 | 310 |
| M | 50 | 60 | 70 | 85 | 85 | 85 | 100 | 100 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 130 | 130 | 130 |
| N | 12 | 12 | 17 | 17 | 20 | 20 | 28 | 28 | 30 | 30 | 30 | 30 | 30 | 30 |
| O | 2xM 12 | - | 2xM 16 | - | - | 4xM 20 | 4xM 20 | - | 4xM 24 | 4xM 24 | 6xM 24 | 6xM 24 | 6xM 24 | 6xM 24 |
| R | 18 | - | 25 | - | - | 25 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| S | 4xM 10 | 4xM 12 | 4xM 12 | 4xM 16 | 4xM 16 | 4xM 16 | 4xM 16 | 4xM 20 | 4xM 20 | 6xM 20 | - | - | - | - |
| T | 15 | 20 | 18 | 25 | 27 | 27 | 25 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Piston surface [cm²] | 19.5 | 28.5 | 38.5 | 56.5 | 56.5 | 56.5 | 75.5 | 78.5 | 103.5 | 103.5 | 103.5 | 103.5 | 132.5 | 132.5 |
| ◆ F _{max} [daN] | 2300 | 3300 | 4600 | 6800 | 6800 | 6800 | 9400 | 9400 | 12400 | 12400 | 12400 | 12400 | 15600 | 15600 |
| J [kg m²] | 0.125 | 0.2 | 0.38 | 0.6 | 1.25 | 2 | 3 | 6.5 | 11 | 20 | 24 | 30 | 40 | 65 |
| GD2 [kpm²] | 0.5 | 0.8 | 1.5 | 2.4 | 5 | 8 | 12 | 26 | 44 | 80 | 96 | 120 | 160 | 260 |
| Weight [kg] | 20 | 26 | 39 | 49 | 73 | 91 | 115 | 175 | 217 | 330 | 350 | 390 | 440 | 610 |
| • nR [1/min] | 4200 | 3800 | 3600 | 3400 | 2600 | 2200 | 2000 | 1800 | 1500 | 1100 | 800 | 650 | 550 | 500 |
| Weight of jaws [kg] | 0.5 | 0.8 | 1.0 | 2.0 | 2.7 | 3.5 | 5.0 | 8.0 | 11.0 | 19 | 25 | 30 | 40 | 50 |
| Δ Main bearing dia. | 70-80 | 90-100 | 100-105 | 120-135 | 120-135 | 120-135 | 135-150 | 160 | 160-170 | 160-170 | 170-190 | 170-190 | 170-190 | 220-000 |
| Δ Spindle head size | 5+6 | 6 | 6+8 | 8 | 8 | 6+11 | 8+11 | 11 | 11+15 | 11+15 | 15 | 15 | 15 | 15+20 |

- ◆ These types are provided with two different pitch circles.
- ◆ Clamping force at 60 bars.
- Indicated speed (DIN 6386) consideration with the jaw weights.

- Δ Our proposal for front spindle main bearing and spindle head size.
- Chuck with 3 x 120° indexing on request.
Chuck body of aluminium is possible for 5 sizes 450 to 500 mm dia.

Assembly of an Indexing Clamping Fixture Type HSR

Indexing Clamping Fixture



All connections by flexible hoses only.
(No rigid pipes!)

The shown indexing chuck clamping fixture consists of:

- A indexing chuck
- B oil feed
- C hydraulic unit
with magnetic control unit
- D pipe bundle

| Oil feed Type for Indexing chuck | SBHSR 5 up to 275 dia. incl. | SBHSR 10 275 dia. and larger | SBHSK 10 HSK |
|--|------------------------------------|------------------------------------|-----------------|
| A | 100 | 120 | 145 |
| B | 80 | 90 | 115 |
| CH7 | 62 | 75 | 95 |
| D | 80 | 100 | 120 |
| E | 168 | 184 | 310 |
| F | 38 | 41 | 46 |
| G | 36 | 30 | 49 |
| H | 20 | 21 | 24 |
| J | 15 | 18 | 24 |
| K | 15 | 18 | 24 |
| L | 30 | 34 | 45 |
| M | R1/4" | R 3.8" | R 3.8 " |
| Quantity | 5 | 5 | 8 |
| N | M8 | M10 | M12 |
| Qty. x pitch | 4 x 90° | 4 x 90° | 4 x 90° |
| O | 26 | 34 | 55 |
| P | 7.2 | 12.2 | 12.2 |
| Qty. x pitch | 5 x 72° | 5 x 72° | 8 x 45° |
| nmax [rpm] | 4200 | 3000 | 2000 |
| Weight [kg] | 8.5 | 13.0 | 31.5 |

Prefix 'R' means: acknowledgement = indexing control for tooling sequence with identical operations on the component.

Prefix 'K' means: oil supply for indexing chuck with auxiliary piston for machining gate valve bodies.

Flange A with bushing B can be turned to every desired position by releasing bolt X.

Bushing B is not part of our supply.

Magnetic Control Unit STHS-R-K

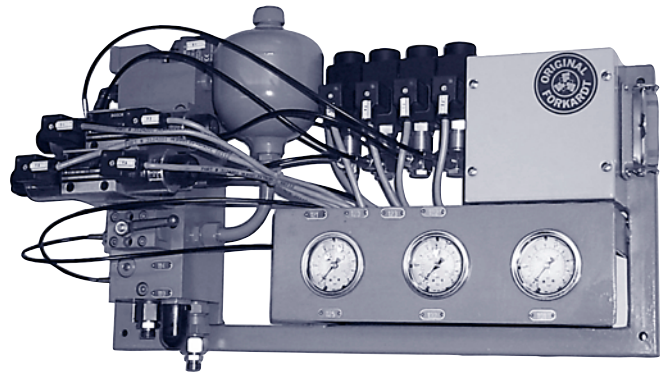
The magnetic control unit is a complete hydraulic control for clamping and unclamping as well as for indexing.

The magnetic control system type STHS-R-K is additionally equipped with an acknowledgement cylinder, a safety valve system, a limit switch, pressure switch, pressure accumulator and accumulator safety system (UVV).

The type STHS-R-K is the standard design for type HSR indexing chucks.

Control units with two pressure device, etc., are supplied on request.

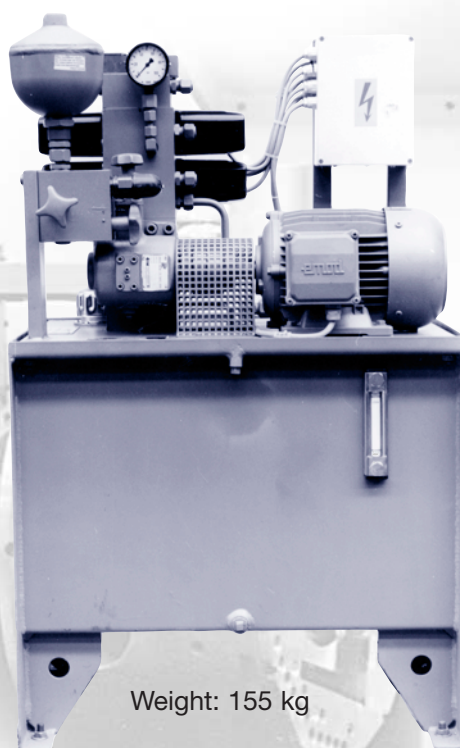
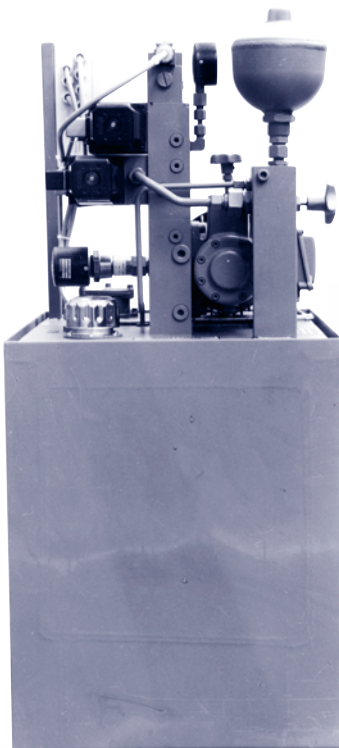
A complete set of pressure hoses and transparent leakage oil hoses ready for connection of the oil supply with the hydraulic unit and the magnetic control system is included in our supply.



A control for two pressure clamping is necessary for the machining of delicate components.

Hydraulic Unit HAHS-R-K

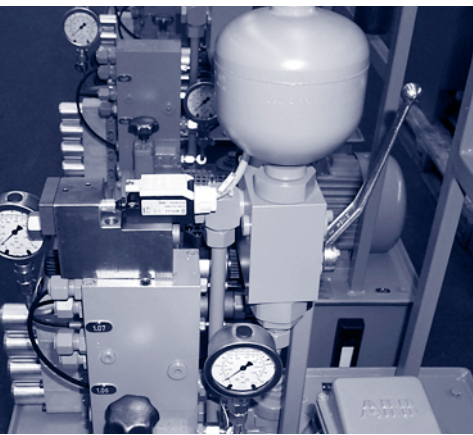
The hydraulic unit is completely equipped with oil pump, motor, pressure accumulator, suction basket, non return valves, solenoid valves and pressure switch.



Weight: 155 kg

Hydraulic Unit HAHS-R-K Hydraulic Control Stand STHS-R-K

STHS-R-K Hydraulic control stand



The STHS-R-K hydraulic control stand has been designed for the control of the HSR chuck. The chuck functions are switched via two solenoid valves. Four pressure switches are provided for monitoring the clamping/releasing function and

The diagrams show the hydraulic control stand and hydraulic unit in a standard version for HSR indexing chucks.

For machining work pieces sensitive to deformation, the use of control stands or units with dual pressure chucking is necessary.

Both the hydraulic units and control stands include a complete set of ready to connect pressure hoses and a transparent leakage oil hose.

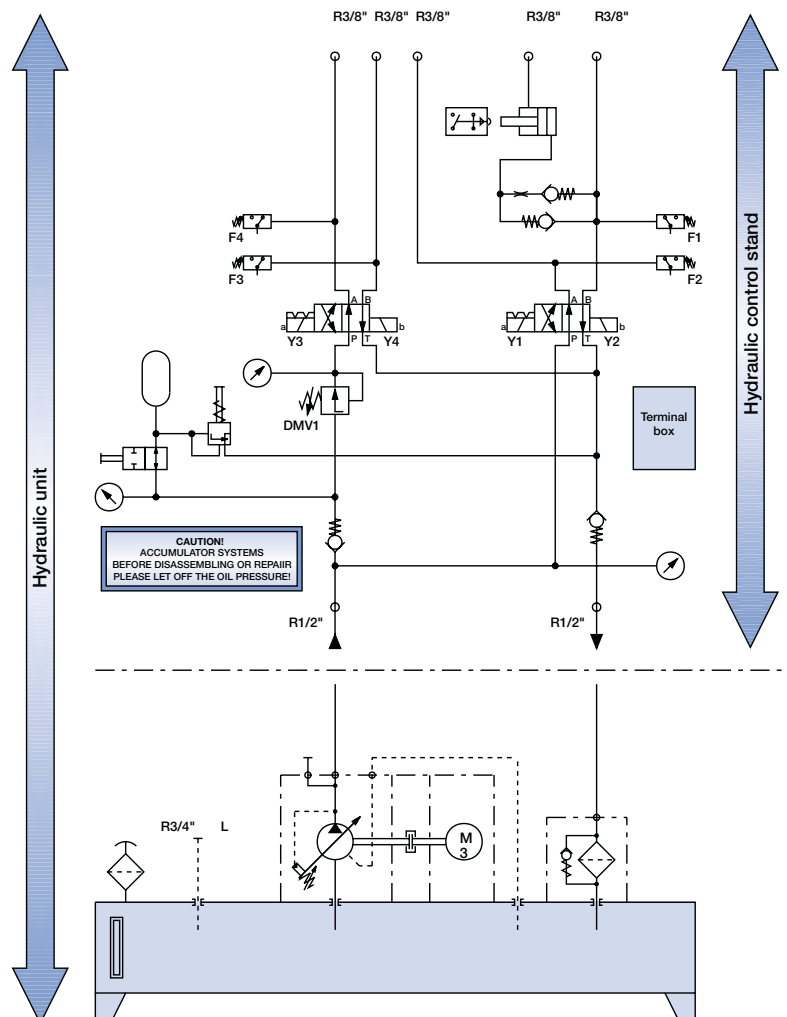
indexing positions.

A feedback cylinder with normally closed contact indicates the indexing operation. The control stand is also provided with a hydraulic accumulator which, in the event of interruption of the oil supply, maintains work piece clamping up to machine spindle standstill.

The hydraulic control stand is electrically prewired. All signals are routed to a switchbox and can be tapped off via a connector.

HAHS-R-K Hydraulic unit

The hydraulic unit is fully equipped with tank, oil pump, electric drive and all hydraulic control stand components. All electrical signals are similarly routed to a switchbox and can be tapped off on a terminal strip.

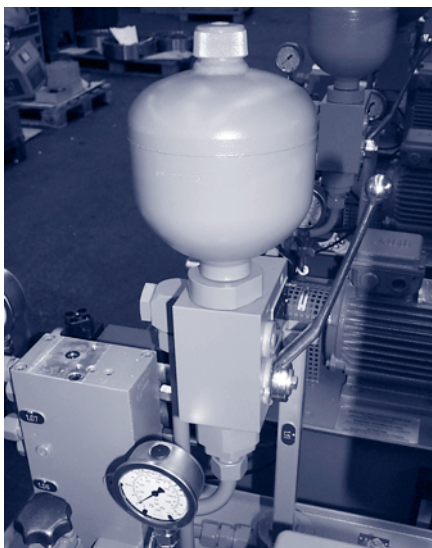


Technical data of HAHA-R-K Hydraulic unit and STHS-R-K Hydraulic control stand

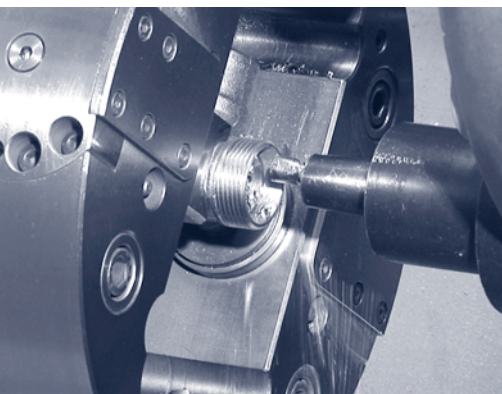
Hydraulic unit

Hydraulic control stand

| | | |
|-------------------------|---|--|
| Hydr. connection | Outlet 1 – 5 Inlet P Outlet T Leakage oil return | R3/8" GE12-LR R1/2" GE15-LR (only control stand) R1/2" GE15-LR (only control stand) R3/4" GE22-LR |
| Feedback cylinder | Function Changeover contact | Hydraulic feedback of indexing movement Switching current 2A at < 30 VDC and ohmic loadt |
| Pressure switch | Pressure range Changeover contact Electrical connection | Adjustable from 5 - 70 bar Switching current 2 A at < 30 VDC und ohmic load Angular socket to DIN 43650/ISO 4400 with LED |
| Solenoid valves | Type Electrical data Electrical connection | Electrically operated, latching NG6 4/2-way valve 24 VDC +/-10%, 30 W, 100% duty cycle Angular socket to DIN 43650/ISO 4400 with LED |
| Pressure indicator | Pressure gauge | 63 mm, 0 - 100 bar, filled with glycerine |
| Pressure reducing valve | Pressure range Operation | Hydraulically adjustable from von 3 - 70 bar Handwheel operated for clamping pressure adjustment |
| Accumulator systems | Diaphragm accumulator Accumulator safety block | 0.7l nominal volume, Pmax 160bar, P0 20bar According to accident prevention regulations |
| <hr/> | | |
| Vane pump | Operating pressure Capacity | p = 20 - 70 bar, Q = 24 l/min |
| Drive motor | Speed Power Operating voltage Degree of protection | n = 1500 1/min P = 1.5 kW 230/400 VAC 50 Hz (3.7 A at 400 VAC) IP54, type B5 |
| Oil tank | Capacity Components | V = 80 l Return filter Oil level indicator Filling filter with magnetic separator and air compensation ISO VG 32/46 DIN 51519 (not filled on delivery) |
| Hydraulic oil | | |
| Dimensions | Height x width x depth Height x width x depth | 1600 x 610 x 450 mm (unit) 380 x 700 x 250 mm (control stand) |



Centrically Clamping Hydraulic Indexing Chucks ZHSR/ZHSRST



The development of the centrally clamping indexing chuck ZHSR is based on the proved HSR chuck design.

For most of the parts the chucks with one movable jaw are practicable and economical.

For some parts (precision cast pieces, pipe couplings etc.), due to the required accuracy between machined and unmachined surfaces, centrally clamping indexing chucks are essential.

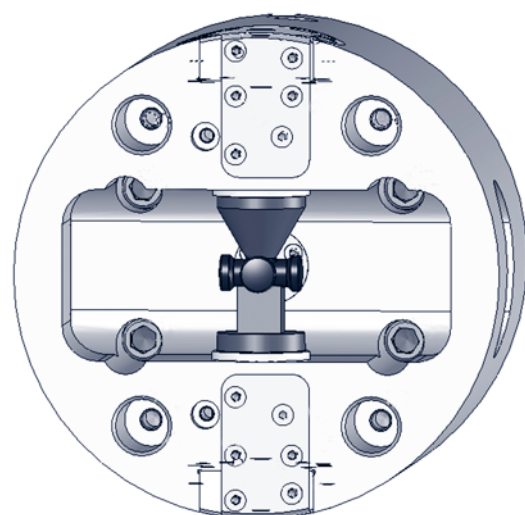
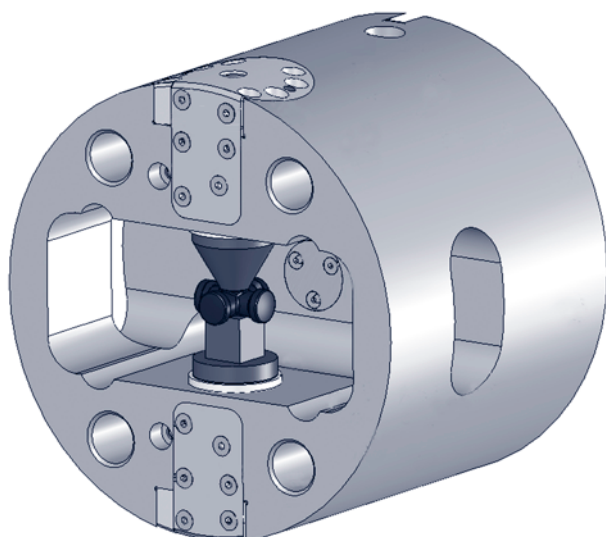
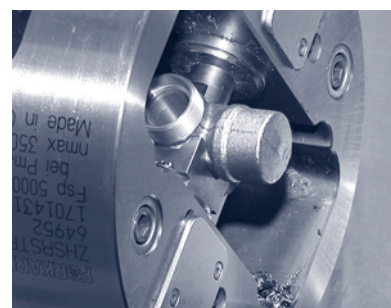
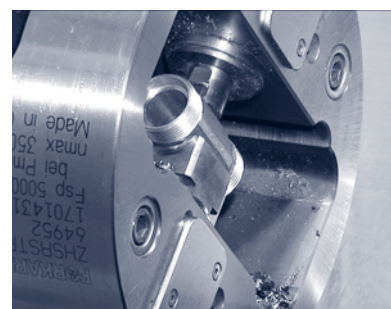
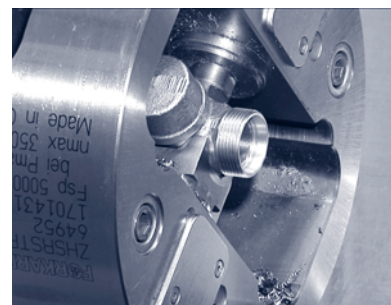
With these chucks the clamping force is obtained by two axial parallel located clamp pistons with wedge onto the cylindrical base jaws. Both base jaws are simultaneously driven. The indexing mechanics correspond to the HSR design.

The centering accuracy is comparable with standard power chucks of same size.

Advantages at a glance:

- large clamping capacity
- rigid closed chuck body
- direct support of the wedges in the chuck body
- proved ram indexing drive
- light weight base jaws
- high clamping force
- no design dependent out of balance in all indexing positions
- jaw fastening from outside

The indication "ST" with the ZHSRST model means air sensing position control.



Indexing Chucks

Technical Data

The maximum speed for indexing the part should not exceed 2/3 of the indicated speed, provided good balancing conditions of clamping inserts and part. Considering the true out of balance at the individual index positions the work speed and the indexing speed have to be reduced.

It must be considered that chip removal at one side of the part will automatically cause out of balance when the part is indexed to the next position. In such cases work and index speed will be subject to reduction.

Because of these unknown parameters the possible work and index speeds should be determined at the

machine in practice. The requested criteria are vibration free running of the machine, achieved accuracy at the machined part surface finish and the trouble free function during the indexing sequence.

On request, the individual indexing position can be monitored at full speed by the FORKARDT indexing control unit STHS-R-K. Pneumatic pressure switches will feedback the indexed position.

The ZHSR chucks are provided to be used in connection with indexing control STHS-R-K.

| Type | ZHSR ZHSRST 200 | ZHSR ZHSRST 235 | ZHSR ZHSRST 260 | ZHSR ZHSRST 280 | ZHSR ZHSRST 315 | ZHSR ZHSRST 355 |
|--------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| A | 200 | 235 | 260 | 280 | 315 | 355 |
| B | 62 | 82 | 94 | 104 | 132 | 162 |
| C | Z6 | Z6 | Z6 | Z6 | Z8 | Z8 |
| D | 38 | 45 | 45 | 55 | 55 | 65 |
| Ident no. | 153174 | 153175 | 153176 | 153177 | 153178 | 153179 |
| B1 | 155 | 180 | 200 | 220 | 250 | 260 |
| E | 170 | 170 | 170 | 170 | 220 | 220 |
| F | 69 | 79 | 79 | 79 | 89 | 89 |
| G | M10 | M12 | M12 | M12 | M16 | M16 |
| H | 163 | 176 | 195 | 230 | 245 | 255 |
| J | 18 | 18 | 24 | 24 | 24 | 24 |
| J1 | 26 | 35 | 35 | 43 | 43 | 48 |
| J2 | 70 | 80 | 90 | 100 | 115 | 120 |
| K | 14 | 14 | 16 | 16 | 16 | 16 |
| L+0.2 | 133.4 | 133.4 | 133.4 | 133.4 | 171.4 | 171.4 |
| M _{min} | 25 | 34 | 38 | 43 | 55 | 70 |
| M _{max} | 30 | 40 | 46 | 51 | 65 | 80 |
| N | 5 | 6 | 8 | 8 | 10 | 10 |
| ♦ F _{max} [daN] | 2300 | 3300 | 4600 | 5800 | 6800 | 6800 |
| J [kgm ²] | 0.15 | 0.3 | 0.5 | 0.8 | 1.4 | 2.2 |
| GD2 [kpm ²] | 0.6 | 1.2 | 2.0 | 2.4 | 5.6 | 8.8 |
| Weight [kg] | 28 | 40 | 52 | 75 | 100 | 145 |
| • n _s [1/min] | 4200 | 3800 | 3600 | 3400 | 2600 | 2200 |
| Jaw weight [kg] | 0.4 | 0.7 | 0.9 | 1.8 | 2.5 | 3.2 |
| Δ Spindle nose size | 6 | 6 | 8 | 8 | 8 | 8/11 |

♦ Total clamping force at 60 bar
• Indicated speed (DIN 6386)
in consideration with
the jaw weights indicated

Δ Our suggestion
for spindle head size

Chuck with 3 x 120° switching on request

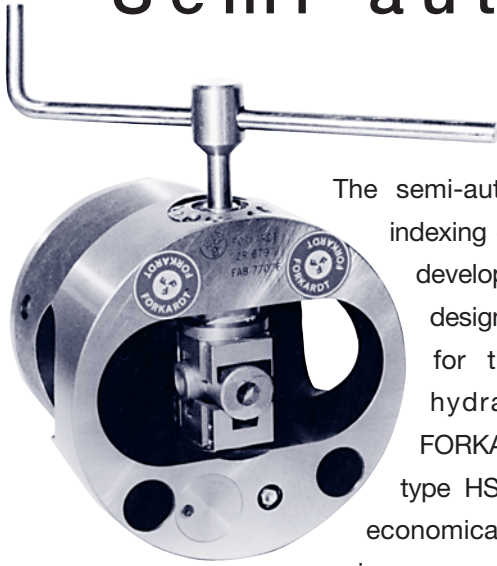
However, this information alone is not sufficient for the determination of a chuck type.

Decisive factors for the particular processing are:

- Clamping force
- Clamping piston stroke
- Component overhang
or total width

If you are in doubt about choosing the right indexing chuck or wish to machine particularly large work pieces, our experienced team of experts will be happy to provide sound technical advice.

Semi-automatic Indexing Chuck



The semi-automatic FORKARDT indexing chuck, type HC, was developed as an alternative design at a favourable price for the fully automatic, hydraulically operated FORKARDT indexing chuck type HSR, and it also is as economical as the automatic version.

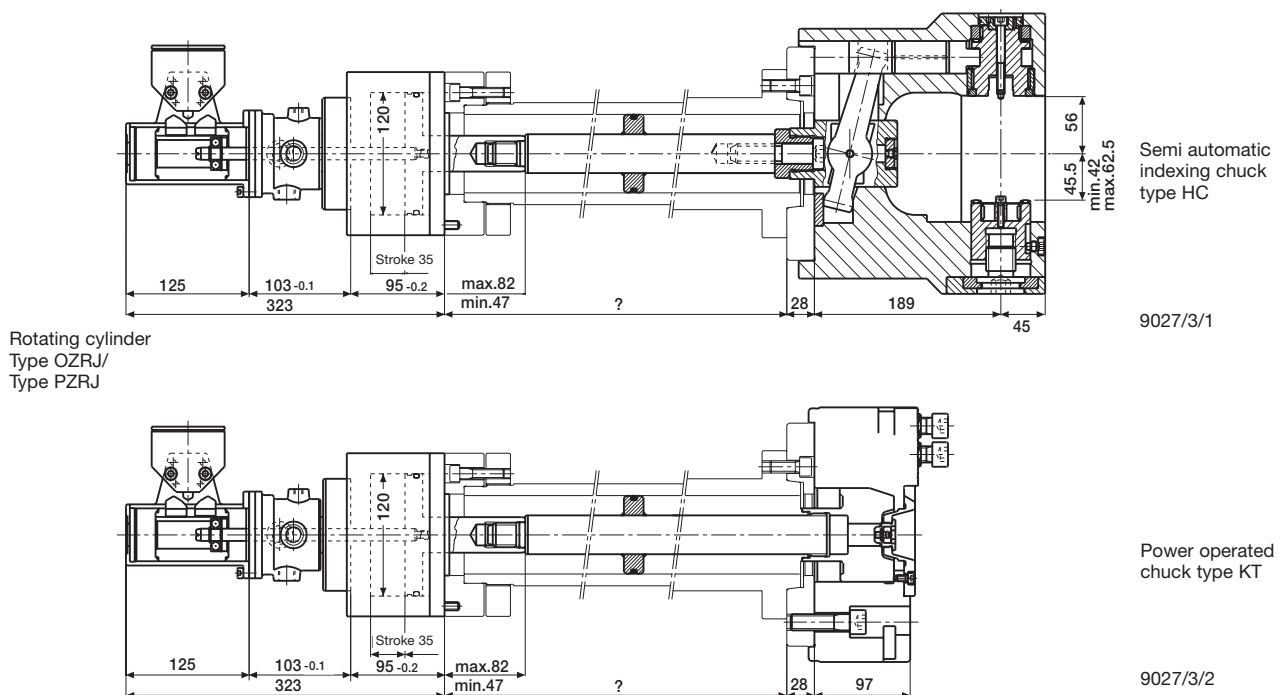
The chuck type HC is used for components in particular which alternately require typical indexing chuck machining and standard power chuck clamping.

The connecting dimensions at the spindle end of the chuck type HC are therefore selected in a way that they correspond to the standard power chuck type KT, and the same actuating cylinders can be used. The clamping insert connecting dimensions are predominantly the

same as with the chuck type HSR so that numerous proved designs for the component holder can be utilized.

The semi-automatic indexing chuck type HC has the following design characteristics:

- Manual clamping of the component by wrench.
- 4x90° automatic indexing of the component with locking after every indexing cycle. The operation is effected by a hydraulic or pneumatic actuating cylinder with travel control of standard design, as it is used for standard chucks. Indexing can be performed while the spindle is running.
- The sequence of operations can be programmed by numerical control.
- Quick and easy mounting on the machine like with a standard turning chuck is particularly suitable for the retooling of existing machines.



HC

Indexing is controlled via two limit switches on the switch panels at the rear end of the actuating cylinder:

First trip cam at the end of the draw movement of the actuating cylinder.

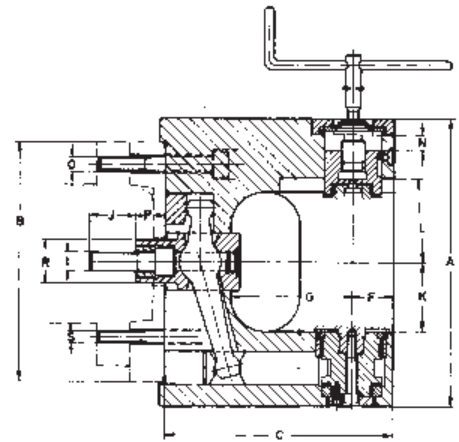
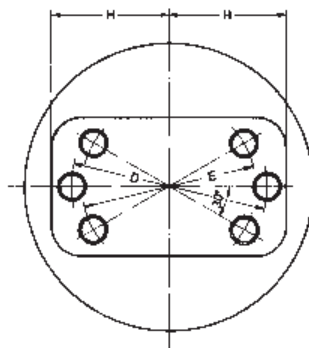
Second trip cam at the end of 75° to 90° indexing with locking.

Indexing time: E.g. type HC 250 about 3 seconds from 0° to 90°.

In case of components with different tool inserts for each working surface, indexing can also be controlled by the pneumatic indexing control unit, type GHS 4.

If components, the working surfaces of which are 90° offset have to be produced

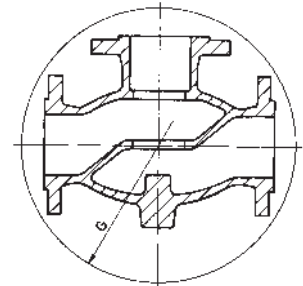
and for which a fully automatic indexing chuck type HSR cannot be employed on a sufficiently economical basis due to small batches, the semi-automatic indexing chuck type HC thus is a suitable solution.



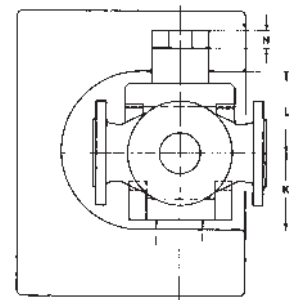
| Type | HC 200 | HC 225 | HC 250 | HC 275 | HC 315 | HC 350 | HC 400 | HC 500 |
|--|-----------|--------|--------|------------|-------------------|------------|------------|--------|
| Direct mounting for spindle size DIN 55021, shape A | 5-6 | 6 | 6 | 6 | 6 | 6-11 | 11 | 11-15 |
| Exchange chucks 2KT, 3KT, 4KT | 160 20 | 200 | 200 | 250 315 | 250 315 400 | 250 315 | 400 500 | 400 |
| A | 200 | 225 | 250 | 275 | 315 | 350 | 400 | 500 |
| B ¹⁶⁰ | 165 | 165 | 210 | 210 | 235 | 290 | 290 | 360 |
| C | 164 | 164 | 224 | 234 | 264 | 260 | 340 | 365 |
| D ± 0.2 | 133.4 | - | 171.4 | - | - | 235 | 235 | 330.2 |
| E ± 0.2 | 104.6 | 133.4 | 133.4 | 171.4 | 171.4 | 171.4 | 171.4 | 235 |
| F | 30 | 30 | 40 | 45 | 50 | 50 | 70 | 65 |
| G | 75 | 75 | 112 | 117 | 140 | 145 | 170 | 205 |
| H | 85 | 95 | 106 | 120 | 136 | 145 | 165 | 205 |
| | M20 | M20 | M20 | M20 | M24 | M24 | M24 | M24 |
| J | 45 | 45 | 45 | 45 | 56 | 56 | 56 | 56 |
| K | 36.5 | 49 | 46.5 | 57 | 70 | 84 | 95 | 131.5 |
| L | 46 | 58.5 | 55 | 67 | 85 | 102 | 114 | 155 |
| N | 12 | 12 | 17 | 17 | 20 | 20 | 28 | 30 |
| G | 2xM 12 | - | 2xM 16 | - | - | 4xM 20 | - | 4xM 24 |
| min. P | 39 | 39 | 39 | 39 | 52 | 52 | 52 | 52 |
| max. P | 50 | 50 | 52 | 52 | 69 | 69 | 69 | 69 |
| R | 50 | 50 | 50 | 50 | 60 | 60 | 68 | 68 |
| S | 4xM10 | 4xM12 | 4xM12 | 4xM16 | 4xM16 | 4xM16 | 4xM20 | 4xM20 |
| F _{max} [daN] | 1200 | 1200 | 1500 | 1500 | 2000 | 2000 | 3000 | 3000 |
| n _{max} [1/min] | 2000 | 2000 | 1800 | 1600 | 1300 | 1000 | 800 | 600 |
| Clamping force daN at torque moment m _{kp} (x10 = Nm) | 850 | 850 | 1200 | 2500 | 2500 | 2500 | 4000 | 4000 |
| Chuck key hexagon SW | 10 | 10 | 14 | 17 | 17 | 17 | 17 | 17 |
| Weight [kg] | 22 | 30 | 44 | 56 | 68 | 100 | 145 | 230 |
| GD ² [kpm ²] | 0.57 | 0.8 | 1.7 | 2.8 | 5.5 | 8.9 | 15.4 | 47 |

Determination of the chuck size

1. Ascertain maximum swing radius G

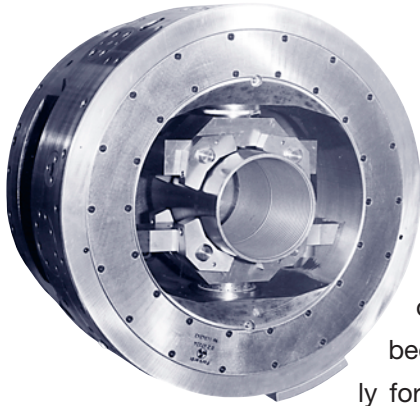


2. Check component thickness to chuck windows L and K



3. Take into consideration design of clamping jaw and useful stroke N of clamping piston

Further powerful solutions by FORK



The extensive FORKARDT archive for indexing chuck in special designs contains a large number of variants that have been developed specially for individual to unusual

chucking problems or specific applications.

For a number of applications it is, however, necessary to use other types of indexing chucks.

Some type designations of current versions as follows:

- HSZ** = indexing chuck with HS principle and rack drive
- ZHSZ** = centrally clamping indexing chuck with HS principle and rack drive
- ZHSZF** = centrally clamping indexing chuck with HS principle and rack drive, with hydraulic centrifugal force compensation

Indexing Chuck Type HSZ / ZHSZ / ZHSZF

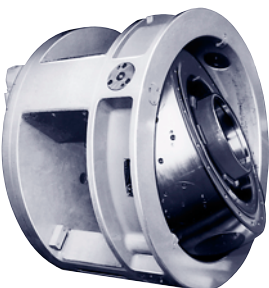
Components with two opposing contours as well as components with crossing axes ($4 \times 90^\circ$) can be machined with these chucks.

Indexing and locking is effected by indexing square and tangential wedge according to the proved HSR principle, and a synchronous ring is provided for the centric movement of the two clamping jaws. The oil feed is in general in accordance with that of the chuck type ZS.

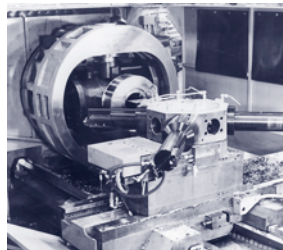
Chucks type ZHS are used for strong cutting and were initially developed for machining couplings on doublespindle lathes for which the use of chucks type ZS is no longer possible on account of space restrictions.

For chucks type HSZ and ZHSZ, indexing is effected via racks with locking of the entire system after the indexing cycle has been finished by means of locking cylinders which are located in the chuck body.

The chuck type ZHSZ can also be supplied with hydraulic centrifugal force compensation (type ZHSZF).



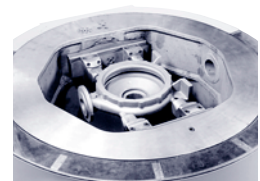
Hydraulically operated self centering indexing chuck with multiple jaws, equally spaced to minimize the deformation of ring shape parts (i. e. couplings)



Hydraulic indexing chuck light weight design for the machining of valve bodies

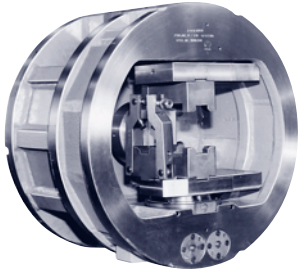


Hydraulic indexing chuck, in small size, for glass bottle moulds

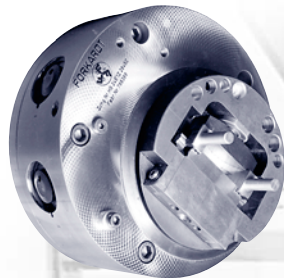


View onto an automatic indexing chuck on a vertical lathe: Processing of pump housings

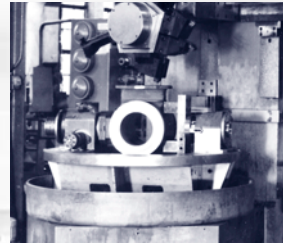
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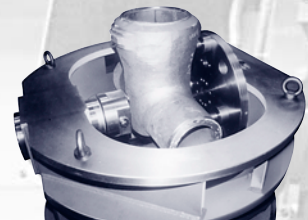
Big hydraulic automatic indexing chuck for machining valve bodies at all four flanges on a vertical lathe



Radial indexing chuck, hydraulically actuated, with eccentrically located part carrier for indexing part 180° for two identic machining operations



Hydraulic indexing chuck with big diameter tooled for the manufacturing of valve bodies



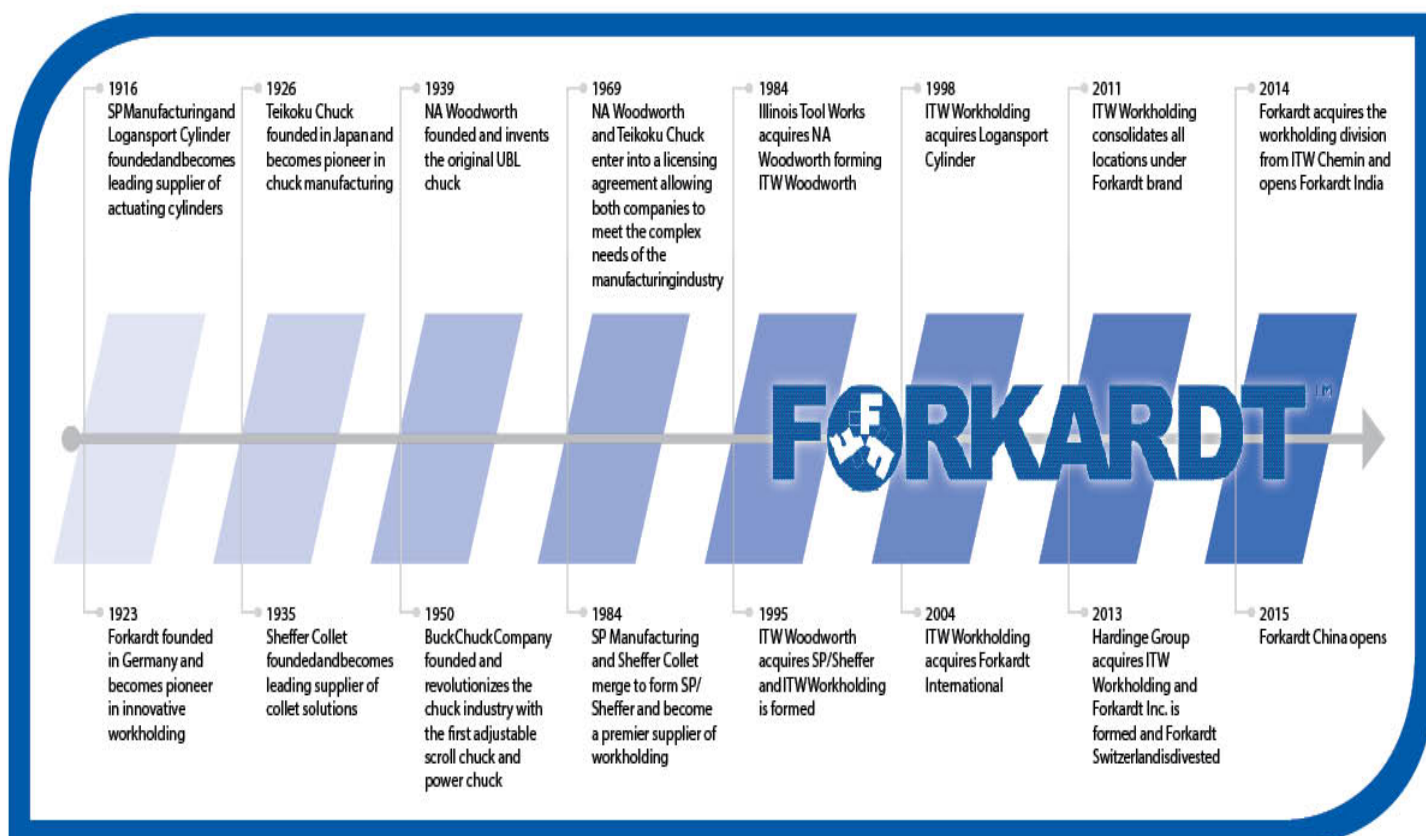
Hydraulic indexing chuck for heavy duty machining, but also precise finishing operations on big parts

Selection criterions of indexing chucks

| Type | for machines... | Chuck indexing position | Full automatic chuck operation | Semi-automatic chuck operation | Chuck with centrifugal force compensation | Typical parts |
|--|---|--|--------------------------------|--------------------------------|---|--|
| HSR Two-jaw consol chuck | Universal NC-lathes, horizontal, Front turning lathes, Chuck diameter up to 800 mm | 4 x 90°, 8 x 45° 3 x 120° 2 x 180° | X | | | Universal joints, Fittings, Bottle molds, Pump bodies, Trunnions |
| ZHST Centrically clamping two-jaw chuck | Universal NC-lathes, Front turning lathes | 4 x 90° 2 x 180° | X | | | Fittings, Bodies, etc. Machining with high accuracy |
| HC Two-jaw consol chuck | Universal NC-lathes, horizontal, Front turning lathes, Chuck diameter up to 500 mm, to be used as exchange to a standard power-operated chuck and to a collet | 4 x 90° 2 x 180° | | X | | Small- and middle-sized lots of fittings, pump bodies etc. |
| HSZ Two-jaw consol chuck | Special designs according to customers° requirements | | X | | | |
| ZHSZ Centrically clamping two-jaw chuck | | | X | | | |
| ZHSZF Centrically clamping two- jaw chuck with centrifugal force compensation | | | X | | X | |



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