

# PLANETARY ROLLER SCREWS

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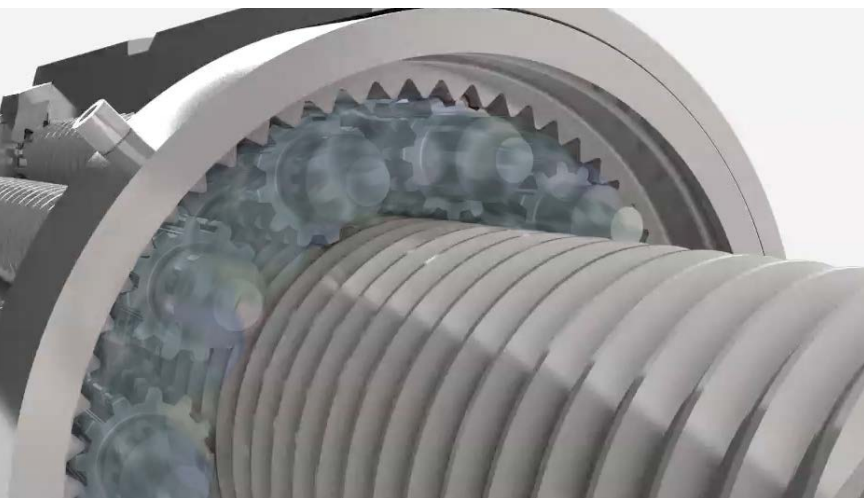


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# Planetary Roller Screws

## PLANETARY ROLLER SCREW OVERVIEW

Roller screws are designed to provide high force and efficient operation in a compact package. This unique design offers higher forces and longer life in a smaller package compared to ball screws, increasing a machine designer's ability to create compact machine concepts. Tolomatic roller screws are manufactured using state-of-the-art equipment to meet strict tolerances and the highest quality standards ensuring that each roller screw provides top-tier performance.



### Tolomatic's Planetary Roller Screws:

- Verified and tested extensively in Tolomatic's research & development lab
- Proven long, reliable life in thousands of demanding applications world-wide through use in Tolomatic's RSH, IMA, RSA, RSX, TRS, ServoChoke, and ServoWeld actuator platforms.
- Configurable stroke lengths
- Option to machine screw ends to OEM specifications
- Industry best lead times

## Available Configurations










SCREW SIZE	LEAD
mm	mm
15	4, 5, 10
20	4, 5, 10
30	5, 10
36	5, 10
39	10
48	12
63	10

See page 6 for complete list of screw sizes, lead availability, dimensions and specifications



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### Need a complete solution? Roller screws used in these Tolomatic products

	RSH	RSA	RSX	IMA	TRS	ServoChoke	CSWX
							
	Hygienic Rod-Style Actuator	Rod-Style Actuator	Rod-Style Actuator	Integrated Servo Actuator	Rodless Actuator	Integrated Servo Actuator	Integrated Servo Actuator
Force up to:	7,900 lbf (35.3 kN)	13,000 lbf (58.0 kN)	50,000 lbf (222.4 kN)	6,900 lbf (30.6 kN)	562 lbf (2.5 kN)	15,000 lbf (66.7 kN)	4,047 lbf (18.0 kN)
Speed up to:	20 in/sec (500 mm/sec)	123 in/sec (3,124 mm/sec)	30 in/sec (760 mm/sec)	53 in/sec (1,334 mm/sec)	36 in/sec (910 mm/sec)	0.77 in/sec (19.6 mm/sec)	27.6 in/sec (700 mm/sec)
Stroke Length up to:	48 in (1,200 mm)	60 in (1,520 mm)	35 in (890 mm)	18 in (460 mm)	43 in (1,090 mm)	3.75 in (95.3 mm)	6.3 in (160 mm)
Screw/ Nut Type	Ball & Roller	Solid, Ball & Roller	Roller	Ball & Roller	Ball & Roller	Roller	Roller
For complete information see <a href="https://www.tolomatic.com">www.tolomatic.com</a> or literature number:							
Literature Number:	2100-4010	3600-4166	2171-4001	2700-4000	3600-4222	2600-4000	2750-4024

(Not all models deliver maximum values listed, i.e.: Maximum thrust may not be available with maximum speed)

# Roller Screws vs. Ball Screws

## Roller Screw



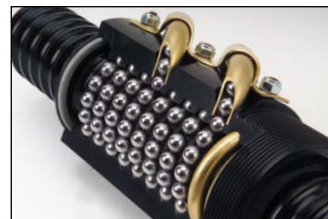
Capable of handling heavy loads, planetary roller screws contain precision ground rollers engaged with a precision ground screw. When compared with a ball screw of the same size and lead, the roller screw components are designed to have increased points of contact and a larger contact radius. This results in less stress per point of contact and allows roller screws to carry higher loads.

- Higher DLR = longer life
- Higher loads per given size
- Allows for smaller, lighter weight designs and machine concepts
- Compact design allows for flexibility in machine design
- Quiet, efficient operation

## ROLLER AND BALL SCREW PERFORMANCE COMPARISONS

	ROLLER SCREW	BALL SCREW
<b>Dynamic load rating</b>	Very High	Medium
<b>Lifetime</b>	Very long life, many times greater than ball screw	Moderate
<b>Shock Loads</b>	Very high	Moderate
<b>Relative Space Required</b>	Minimal	Moderate
<b>Acceleration</b>	High	Moderate

## Ball Screw



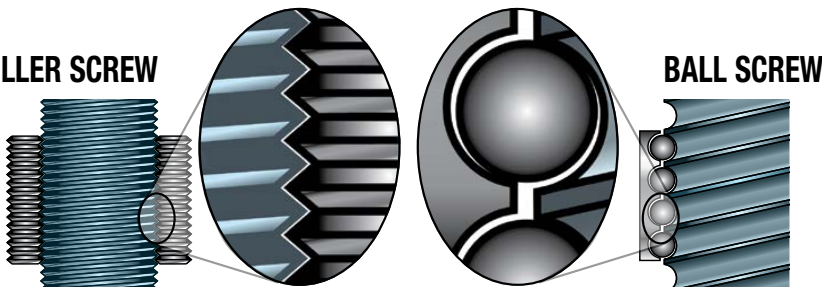
Capable of handling moderate loads, ball screw nut assemblies contain multiple ball bearings that cannot be made below a minimum size. When compared to a roller screw of similar size and lead, the ball bearings' radius requires a coarser pitch resulting in fewer points of contact. This pitch combined with the smaller contact radius and a design that allows the bearings to contact each other, limits the ball screw's DLR leading to lower forces and shorter life than a roller screw.



**DLR (Dynamic Load Rating)** is an industry standard term that represents an applicable constant load (in direction and magnitude) where a ball bearing device (or power screw) will achieve 1,000,000 revolutions of rated life or L10 life estimation at 90% reliability.

## PLANETARY ROLLER SCREW

**Roller screws have significantly more contact points in the same space compared to ball screws**



## BALL SCREW

## Estimating Life

*NOTE: The  $L_{10}$  expected life of a roller screw is expressed as the linear travel distance that 90% of properly maintained roller screw manufactured are expected to meet or exceed. This is not a guarantee and the following equations should be used for estimation purposes only.*

The underlying formula that defines this value is:

$$L_{10} = \left( \frac{C}{P_e} \right)^3 \cdot \ell =$$

$L_{10}$  Travel life in millions of units (in or mm), where:

$C$  = Dynamic load rating (lbf) or (N)

$P_e$  = Equivalent load (lbf) or (N)

If load is constant across all movements then:

actual load = equivalent load

$\ell$  = Screw lead (in/rev) (mm/rev)

Use the "Equivalent Load" calculation below, when the load is not constant throughout the entire stroke. In cases where there is only minor variation in loading, use greatest load for life calculations.

$$P_e = \sqrt[3]{\frac{L_1(P_1)^3 + L_2(P_2)^3 + L_3(P_3)^3 + L_n(P_n)^3}{L}}$$

Where:

$P_e$  = Equivalent load (lbf) or (N)

$P_n$  = Each increment at different load (lbf) or (N)

$L$  = Total distanced traveled per cycle (extend + retract stroke)  
[ $L = L_1 + L_2 + L_3 + L_n$ ]

$L_n$  = Each increment of stroke at different load (in) or (mm)



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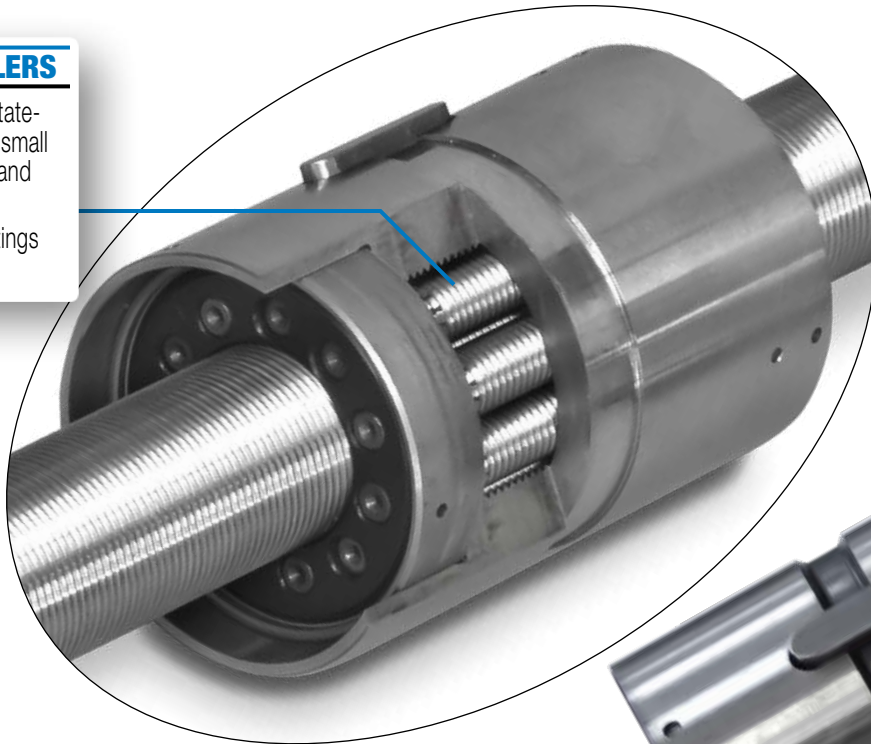
A Tolomatic Design Principle

*Endurance Technology features are designed for maximum durability to provide extended service life.*

Tolomatic planetary roller screws offer machine designers a robust, compact, high force linear motion solution. Long life, flexible design, and efficient operation ensure minimal downtime and maximize ROI. Available in standard sizes, leads, and in lengths that are built-to-order.

### PLANETARY ROLLERS

- Precision ground on state-of-the-art machines to small tolerances for smooth and efficient operation
- High dynamic load ratings for long life



### FAST DELIVERY\*

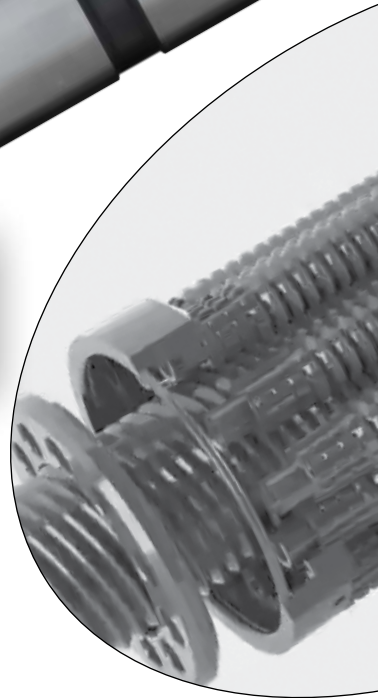
\*Lead times are dependent on quantity and machined end specifications

### ROLLER NUT

Increased contact points for high load carrying capacity

### ROLLER SCREW

State-of-the-art manufacturing coupled with extensive statistical testing methods ensures high performance within tight specifications



# Tolomatic™... MAXIMUM DURABILITY

EXCELLENCE *IN MOTION*

## HARDENED STEEL

- Screw, nut and rollers are manufactured with specially hardened steel for maximum durability and long life
- Designed and tested for demanding applications
- High load capacities

## MACHINED ENDS

- Screw ends and bearing journals custom machined to fit most application requirements upon request
- Easy integration into machine designs and concepts

## PLANETARY GEARS

High tech quality control & measurement lab assures superior performance for every component

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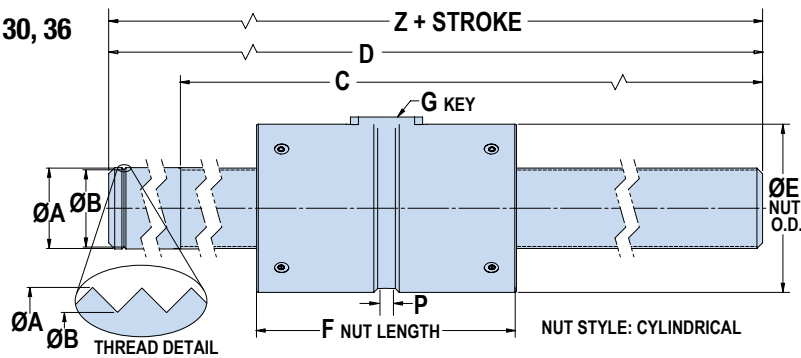


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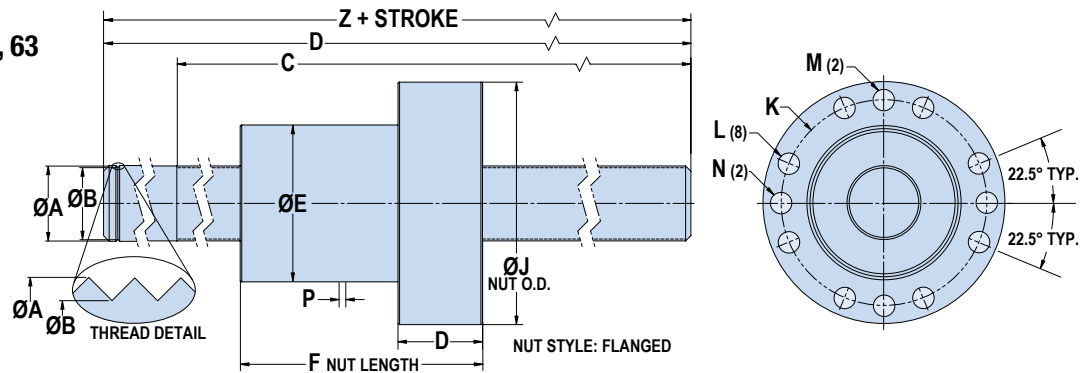
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## DIMENSIONS & SPECIFICATIONS:

Cylinder; Size: 15, 20, 30, 36



Flange; Size: 39, 48, 63



Size: All

	CONFIG. CODE	SCREW SIZE	LEAD	NOMINAL DIAMETER	ROOT DIAMETER	MAX. THREAD LENGTH *	MAX. SHAFT LENGTH *	NUT O.D.	NUT LENGTH	KEY SIZE HxWxL	LUBE PORT	DEAD LENGTH	DLR (C)	SLR (Co)	MAX. ROTATIONAL VELOCITY	INERTIA		
				A	B	C	D	E	F	G	P	Z				SCREW	NUT	ROLLER
		mm	mm	mm	mm	mm	mm	mm	mm	mm	mm	mm	kN	kN	RPM	kgmm <sup>2</sup> /25mm	kgmm <sup>2</sup>	kgmm <sup>2</sup>
CYLINDRICAL	15.4	15	4	15.29	14.59	743.9	990.6	34.983	44.88	4x4x14	2.0	291.58	41.1	38.7	5,500	0.95	35.78	1.28
	15.5	15	5	15.29	14.44	743.9	990.6	34.983	44.88	4x4x14	2.0	291.58	53.6	34.9	5,500	0.93	35.74	1.28
	15.10	15	10	15.55	13.94	743.9	990.6	34.983	44.88	4x4x14	2.0	291.58	47.2	47.3	5,500	0.92	36.32	1.28
	20.4	20	4	19.80	19.15	1,101.1	1,219.2	41.981	64.87	4x4x18	3.0	182.97	67.2	83.9	5,200	2.75	93.82	4.99
	20.5	20	5	19.80	19.05	1,101.1	1,219.2	41.981	64.87	4x4x18	3.0	182.97	73.3	70.9	5,200	2.70	84.96	4.87
	20.5XR	20	5	19.80	19.05	1,101.1	1,219.2	41.981	64.87	4x4x18	3.0	182.97	91.7	78.1	5,200	2.70	93.36	5.02
	20.10	20	10	20.07	18.37	1,101.1	1,219.2	41.981	64.87	4x4x18	3.0	182.97	76.4	74.0	5,200	2.63	93.60	4.85
	30.5	30	5	30.37	29.54	1,049.0	1,219.2	61.976	68.85	5x5x22	3.0	239.05	65.5	104.6	4,700	15.31	417.83	33.52
	30.10	30	10	30.71	29.10	1,049.0	1,219.2	61.976	68.85	5x5x22	3.0	239.05	116.1	105.0	4,700	15.27	429.39	33.43
	36.5	36	5	36.32	35.54	1,036.3	1,219.2	74.983	81.85	5x5x22	3.0	264.75	96.6	175.3	4,400	31.71	1,096.03	89.21
FLANGED	36.10	36	10	36.75	35.16	1,036.3	1,219.2	74.983	81.85	5x5x22	3.0	264.75	160.8	160.1	4,400	31.86	1,095.21	89.02
	39.10	39	10	39.70	38.11	1,003.3	1,219.2	80.000	91.83	—	See table below	307.73	182.7	214.3	4,200	43.70	3,001.59	116.09
	48.12	48	12	48.56	48.05	971.6	1,219.2	85.976	140.87	—		288.47	269.3	485.6	3,800	99.84	6,521.10	134.96
	63.10	63	10	63.70	62.18	906.8	1,219.2	126.974	169.80	—		482.20	442.9	818.7	3,000	298.59	43,326.34	990.57

Size: 39, 48, 63

	CONFIG. CODE	SCREW SIZE	LEAD	FLANGE THICKNESS	FLANGE DIAMETER	BOLT CIRCLE	HOLE DIAMETER	HOLE DIAMETER	HOLE DIAMETER	LUBE PORT	PILOT
				H	J	K	L	M	N	P	R
		mm	mm	mm	mm	mm	mm	mm	mm	mm	
FLANGED	39.10	39	10	25.0	108.0	94.00	9.00	7.92 / 8.08	11.50	1/4-28 x 4.6mm	Ø72.08 / 73.02 x 2.02 DP
	48.12	48	12	35.0	122.0	104.00	11.00	9.53 / 9.70	13.50	1/4-28 x 4.6mm	Ø78.00 / 78.04 x 2.02 DP
	63.10	63	10	45.0	187.0	158.00	16.27	12.00 / 12.18	16.27	1/4-28 x 4.6mm	Ø116.86 / 116.90 x 3.30 DP

\* For longer lengths, contact Tolomatic.

Screw Lead Accuracy: 0.023 mm/300 mm Backlash: 0.03 mm; for all sizes and leads

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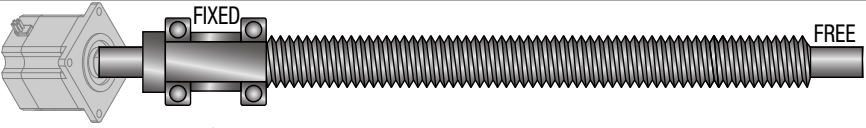
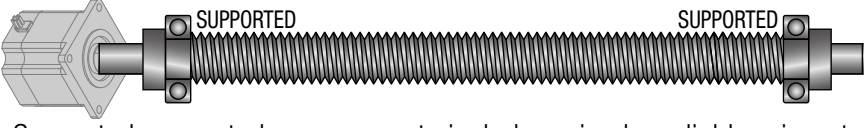
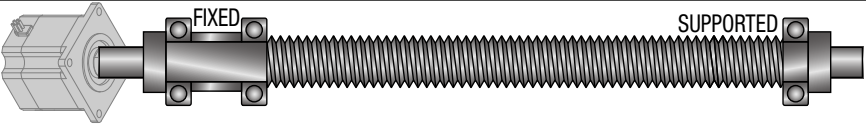
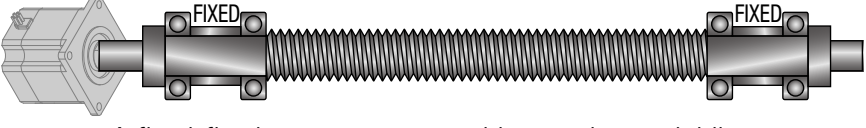
<b>MODEL</b>	<b>LEAD</b>	<b>STROKE LENGTH</b>
PRS Planetary Roller Screw	See page 6 for valid roller screw lead & diameter combinations 04, 05, 10, 12	SM ____ Enter desired stroke length in millimeters (round to nearest mm) See page 6 for maximum stroke length for DIAMETER and LEAD chosen
<b>DIAMETER</b>		
15, 20, 30, 36, 39, 48, 63		

To order with machined ends contact Tolomatic

## Selection Formula

Use the following equations to help verify your choice of roller screw. Visit [tolomatic.com/ask](http://tolomatic.com/ask) for tech support.

<b>Critical speed</b> of screw shaft (RPM)	$n_{cr} = 490 \cdot 10^5 \cdot \frac{f_1 A}{l^2}$	<b>A</b> = outside diameter of the shaft (mm) <b>l</b> = free length, or the distance between the two support bearings (mm) <b>f<sub>1</sub></b> = mounting correction factor (see below)
<b>Buckling strength</b> (N)	$F_c = \frac{34,000 \cdot f_3 \cdot B^4}{l^2}$	<b>B</b> = root diameter (mm) <b>l</b> = free length, or the distance between the two support bearings (mm) <b>f<sub>3</sub></b> = mounting correction factor (see below)

	MOUNTING CORRECTION FACTOR
 <p>Fixed-free arrangements provide the least rigidity.</p>	<b>f<sub>1</sub> = 0.90</b> <b>f<sub>3</sub> = 0.25</b>
 <p>Supported-supported arrangements include a simple radial bearing at each end.</p>	<b>f<sub>1</sub> = 2.50</b> <b>f<sub>3</sub> = 1.00</b>
 <p>A fixed-supported arrangement has bearings at both ends, with a thrust bearing at the motor end.</p>	<b>f<sub>1</sub> = 3.80</b> <b>f<sub>3</sub> = 2.00</b>
 <p>A fixed-fixed arrangement provides maximum rigidity.</p>	<b>f<sub>1</sub> = 5.60</b> <b>f<sub>3</sub> = 4.00</b>



# The Tolomatic Difference Expect More From the Industry Leader:



## INNOVATIVE PRODUCTS

Solutions with Endurance Technology<sup>SM</sup> for challenging applications.



## FAST DELIVERY

Built-to-order with configurable stroke lengths and flexible mounting options.



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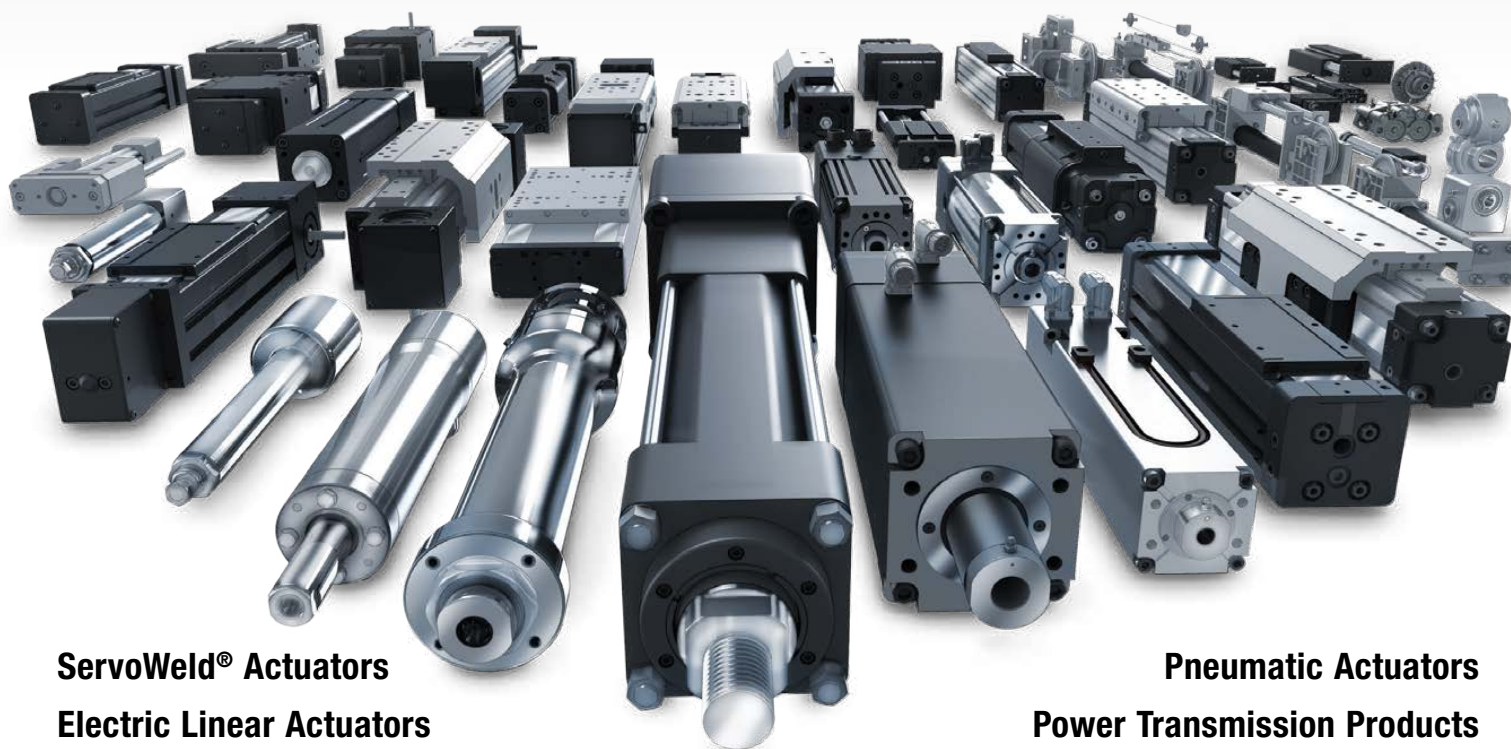
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