

# **SOLUTIONS FOR ALL-ELECTRIC** PROJECTION WELDING

### **Benefits of Full Electric Projection Welding Systems:**

**GREATER CONTROL** 

with real time force and position control

**REDUCED DOWNTIME** 

with greatly reduced maintenance requirements compared to pneumatic or hydraulic solutions

**INCREASED THROUGHPUT** 

with coordinated moves



# SERVOWELD<sup>TM</sup> PROJECTION

# High Force Precision During the Collapse of Projections

- Assures weld quality with high process control
- Perfect solution to your metal fabricating challenges
- Outstanding performance, durability and reliability, for over 20 million cycles

Tolomatic has solved the principle challenges of projection nut and stud welding by achieving a rapid follow-up stroke during projection collapse and minimizing weld force fluctuations. The ServoWeld™ Projection Welding Actuator produces nearly instantaneous stroke compensation to maintain optimal weld forces throughout the projection welding sequence. This is accomplished when the stored potential energy in the spring stack is converted to kinetic energy, driving the thrust tube, moving the electrode forward.

Advantages of ServoWeld™	Disadvantage of Pneumatic
20+ million welds	Frequent repair and maintenance
Soft touch	Greater tool wear due to impacts
High force control	Limited force control
High efficiency	Low efficiency

Tolomatic electric linear actuators (along with the encoder, servo motor & screw) make it possible to detect a misplaced workpiece without expensive external sensors.

#### PROJECTION / PEDESTAL WELDING FOR NUTS AND STUDS

Challenge	Solution	Benefits
Achieving a rapid following stroke during the projection collapse	Tolomatic actuator with integrated servo motor designed to provide rapid	More consistent weld quality
Minimizing weld force fluctuation	mechanical reaction to projection collapse that ensures weld forces are	Advanced motion control for high force
• Issues of cost of ownership with pneumatic cylinder systems	maintained throughout the projection weld sequence	• Increased productivity

#### ENDURANCE TECHNOLOGY

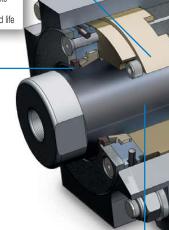
A Tolomatic Design Principle

#### **ROBUST BUSHINGS**

- Large bushings provide additional side loading support for the thrust tube protecting the screw assembly
- · Eliminates external guide on RSW chassis
- Protects guided mechanism in RSW environment

#### ROD WIPER WITH SCRAPER

Prevents contaminants from entering the actuator for extended life



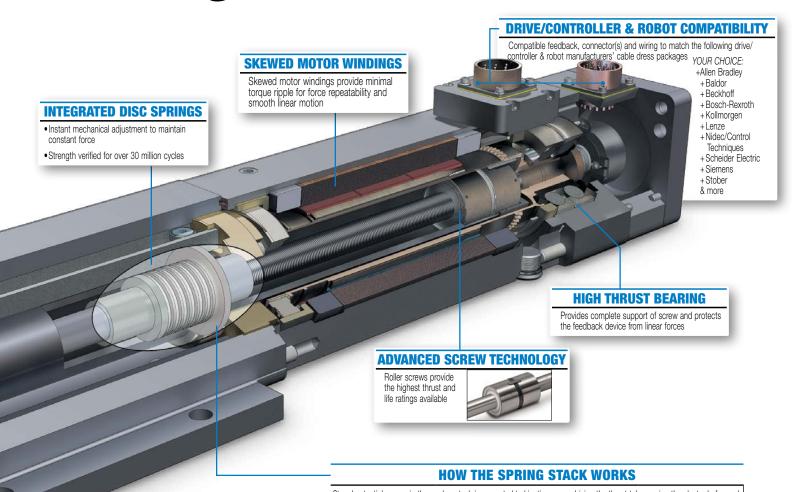
#### **THRUST TUBE**

- •Steel thrust tube supports extremely high force capabilities
- Salt bath nitride treatment provides excellent corrosion resistance, surface hardness and is very resistant to adherence of weld slag, water and other potential contaminants
- · Large diameter guided thrust tube

SPECIFICATIONS		
Max.	6 in	
Stroke:	152 mm	
Max.	3300 lbf	
Force:	14.7 kN	
Max.	23 in/sec	
Speed:	584 mm/sec	



# **Welding Actuators**



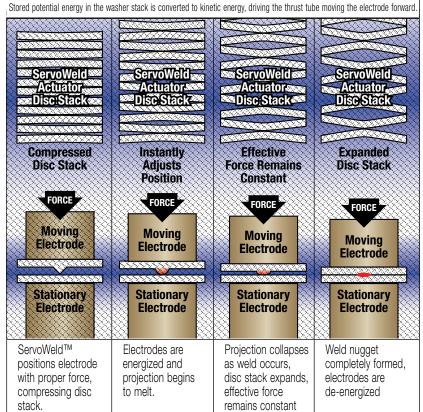
#### **IP65**

IP65 rating protects actuator from ingress of water, weld slag and other debris (static)

#### **OPTIONS**

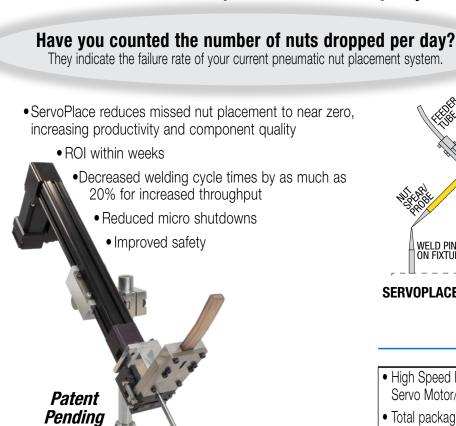
- Brake Spring held / 24V electrically released
- Water Cooling
- Rear Trunnion Mounting

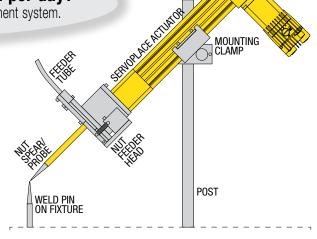
# FORCE PROFILES - M10 WELD STUD WELD FORCE: 1500 (lbf) / WELD CURRENT: 22000 (A) / WELD TIME: 133 (msec) 1800 ServoWeld Projection Weld Actuator 1512 6228 Standard Weld Actuator 1000 TIME (msec)



# SERVOPLACE<sup>TM</sup> Precision Nut Placement Actuator

Precision fastener placement for projection and stud welding





#### SERVOPLACE IN A TYPICAL NUT PLACEMENT SYSTEM

#### **HOW IT WORKS**

- High Speed Electric Rod-Style Actuator + ACSI Integrated Servo Motor/Drive/Controller
- Total package matched for optimal performance
- ServoPlace<sup>™</sup> provides feedback to the weld cell controller to improve process control, minimize component wear and prevent damage
- No minimum or maximum install angle required. Accurate performance even when mounted vertically
- Adapts to your preferred nut placing head

Application Challenges with Pneumatic Cylinders	Advantages with ServoPlace™
Limited control and inconsistent air flow	Significant improvements in accuracy and repeatability with "smart" servo-electric motion control (accel, decel, velocity)
Time consuming setup and changeover with pneumatic flow controls	Simple setup and change-over with programmable electric system: pneumatic mode servo or through PLC via Ethernet plug and play
Dedicated units often required for various fastener sizes	Multiple size nuts can be placed by the same actuator with minimal programming
Inevitable leaks in pneumatic components reduce system performance and cause costly downtime	Longer life, consistent performance. Tested for millions of cycles with no maintenance required



# **ELECTRIC LINEAR ACTUATORS** for Parts Positioning

Rodless or Rod Style Actuator Designs for Precision Placement of Workpieces

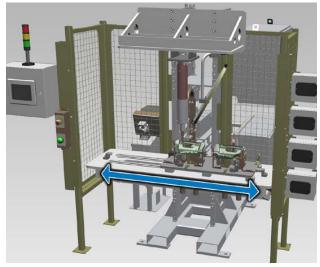


Figure 1: Projection weld actuator and ServoPlace actuator fixed and rodless linear actuators move parts into position.

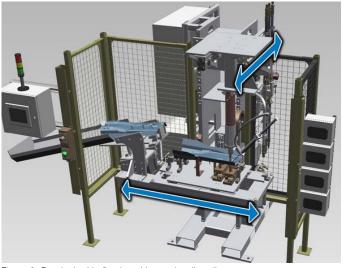


Figure 2: Part locked in fixed position and rodless linear actuators move Projection weld actuator and ServoPlace actuator into position.

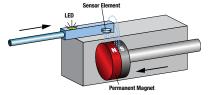
#### X-Y POSITIONING OF WELD FIXTURE

Challenge	Solution	Benefits	
Poor position and speed control with pneumatic solution	Tolomatic MX actuator to replace the pneumatic solution to provide the precision, repeatability	Reduced maintenance and operating costs through higher quality product production (reduced scrap)	
Weld contamination	and speed control needed to meet the application	Compatibility with various motor	
Poor technical support	requirements	suppliers for easy start-up	

	dvantages of using electric actuators for all axes uding weld force and all fixture & parts positioning
Faster th	roughput with coordinated axes
Variations	s of air pressure have no effect
Instantan	eous and continuous monitoring of position and force
	ositional accuracy vs magnetic limit switches. (On or off within as high as 1in [25mm])
24/7 reli	ability
Reduced	maintenance

#### A Note About Limit Switches:

Hydraulic and pneumatic cylinders rely on magnetic switches to provide position information. The sensors get triggered on the stroke length above which there is enough magnetic intensity to trigger the sensor element. If magnet is strong, a longer section of the stroke will cause the sensor to trigger. It's not precise at all. If precision position feedback is required expensive linear sensors must be used.



Servo-motors integrate a very precise encoder or resolver. They provide tens of thousands of positions per screw turn. This translates in linear position information measured in microns.

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# **ROD STYLE SCREW DRIVE**



#### **SOLUTION FOR:**

- Pneumatic cylinder replacement
- General automation

Models: ERD10, ERD15, ERD20

#### **SPECIFICATIONS** (UP TO):

MAX. STROKE	MAX. FORCE	MAX. SPEED
24 in	500 lbf	40 in/sec
609 mm	2.2 kN	1016 mm/sec



- Pneumatic & hydraulic replacement
- General automation

Models: ST: RSA12, RSA16, RSA24. RSA32, RSA50, RSA64;

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#### SPECIFICATIONS (UP TO):

MAX. STROKE	MAX. FORCE	MAX. SPEED
60 in	13039 lbf	58 in/sec
1524 mm	58 kN	1473 mm/sec



#### **SOLUTION FOR:**

- Hydraulic replacement
- Heavy duty applications

Models: RSX080, RSX096, RSX128

#### **SPECIFICATIONS (UP TO):**

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MAX. STROKE	MAX. FORCE	MAX. SPEED
35 in	50000 lbf	29.9 in/sec
891 mm	222 kN	759 mm/sec



#### **SOLUTION FOR:**

- Pneumatic & hydraulic replacement
- High performance applications

Models: IMA22, IMA33, IMA44, IMA55

#### **SPECIFICATIONS (UP TO):**

MAX. STROKE	MAX. FORCE	MAX. SPEED
18 in	6875 lbf	52.5 in/sec
457 mm	31 kN	1334 mm/sec

#### **DRIVE ACTUATORS**



#### **SOLUTION FOR:**

• Externally guided, supported loads

Models: MXB16N, MXB25N, MXB32N, MXB40N, MXB50N, MXB63N

#### **SPECIFICATIONS** (UP TO):

MAX. Stroke	MAX. Force	MAX. Speed	MAX. Load
200 in	418 lbf	200 in/sec	NA
5080 mm	1.9 kN	5080 mm/sec	NA





#### **SOLUTION FOR:**

Light to moderate loads & moments

Models: MXB16S, MXB25S, MXB32S, MXB40S, MXB50S, MXB63S

#### SPECIFICATIONS (UP TO):

STROKE	FORCE	SPEED	LOAD
200 in	418 lbf	100 in/sec	520 lb
5080 mm	1.9 kN	2540 mm/sec	2313 N

<sup>\*</sup>Auxiliary carrier option offers increased load and bending moment capacity

#### **MXB-P** PROFILED RAIL BEARING



#### **SOLUTION FOR:**

Moderate to high loads and moments

Models: MXB16P, MXB25P, MXB32P, MXB40P, MXB50P, MXB63P

#### **SPECIFICATIONS (UP TO):**

MAX. Stroke	MAX. Force	MAX. Speed	*MAX. Load
200 in	418 lbf	150 in/sec	1292 lb
5080 mm	1.9 kN	3810 mm/sec	5745 N

<sup>\*</sup>Auxiliary carrier option offers increased load and bending moment capacity

#### **B3W** INTERNAL V-WEDGE BEARING



#### **SOLUTION FOR:**

- Moderate to high loads and moments
- Stable, precision load guidance

Models: B3W10, B3W15, B3W20, B3W10D, B3W15D, B3W20D

#### **SPECIFICATIONS (UP TO):**

MAX. Stroke	MAX. Force	MAX. Speed	*MAX. Load
207 in	325 lbf	200 in/sec	2008 lb
5258 mm	1.4 kN	5080 mm/sec	8932 N

\*Dual 180° & auxiliary carrier options offer increased load and bending moment capacity



# **OVEN AUTOMOTIVE INDUSTRY PERFORMANCE**

#### ACTUATORS



#### **SOLUTION FOR:**

- 7th axis robotic resistance spot welding
- Pedestal / projection welding

Models: CSW, CSWX

#### **SPECIFICATIONS** (UP TO):

MAX. STROKE	MAX. FORCE	MAX. Speed
11.8 in	4047 lbf	27.5 in/sec
300 mm	18 kN	700 mm/sec



#### **SOLUTION FOR:**

- 7th axis robotic resistance spot welding
- Pedestal / projection welding

Models: SWA, SWB, GSWA

#### **SPECIFICATIONS** (UP TO):

MAX. STROKE	MAX. FORCE	MAX. SPEED
18 in	5500 lbf	24 in/sec
457 mm	24.5 kN	610 mm/sec



#### **SOLUTION FOR:**

- 7th axis robotic resistance spot welding
- Pedestal/projection welding

Models: SWA, SWB, GSWA

#### **SPECIFICATIONS** (UP TO):

MAX. STROKE	MAX. FORCE	MAX. SPEED
18 in	5500 lbf	24 in/sec
457 mm	24.5 kN	610 mm/sec



#### **SOLUTION FOR:**

- Merchant roller screws for installation in your actuators
- High performance applications

**Models:** 15.04, 15.05, 15.10, 20.04, 20.05, 20.10, 30.05, 30.10, 36.05, 36.10, 39.10, 48.12, 63.10

#### **SPECIFICATIONS** (UP TO):

MAX. STROKE	MAX. FORCE
40 in	50000 lbf
1036 mm	222 kN

#### **RODLESS SCREW DRIVE ACTUATORS**



#### **SOLUTION FOR:**

 Light to moderate loads & moments
 Models: MXE16S, MXE25S, MXE32S, MXE40S, MXE50S, MXE63S

#### **SPECIFICATIONS** (UP TO):

MAX. Stroke	MAX. Force	MAX. Speed	*MAX. Load
178 in	4300 lbf	60 in/sec	520 lb
4521 mm	19 kN	1524 mm/sec	2313 N

\*Auxiliary carrier option offers increased load and bending moment capacity



#### **SOLUTION FOR:**

• Moderate to high loads & moments

**Models:** MXE16P, MXE25P, MXE32P, MXE40P, MXE50P, MXE63P

#### **SPECIFICATIONS** (UP TO):

MAX. Stroke	MAX. Force	MAX. Speed	*MAX. Load
178 in	4300 lbf	60 in/sec	1292 lb
4521 mm	19 kN	1524 mm/sec	5745 N

\*Auxiliary carrier option offers increased load and bending moment capacity



#### **SOLUTION FOR:**

- Moderate to high loads & moments
- Stable, precision load guidance

**Models:** B3S10, B3S15, B3S20, B3S10D, B3S15D, B3S20D

#### SPECIFICATIONS (UP TO):

MAX. Stroke	MAX. Force	MAX. Speed	*MAX. Load
178 in	4300 lbf	60 in/sec	1292 lb
4521 mm	19 kN	1524 mm/sec	5745 N
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# MODIFIED & CUSTOM



High accuracy applications

**Models:** 100, 165



**SOLUTION FOR:** 

High accuracy applications

#### The Tolomatic Difference Expect More From the Industry Leader:



Unique linear actuator solutions with Endurance Technology<sup>SM</sup> to solve your challenging application requirements.



The fastest delivery of catalog products... Built-to-order with configurable stroke lengths and flexible mounting options.



Online sizing that is easy to use, accurate and always up-to-date. Find a Tolomatic electric actuator to meet your requirements.



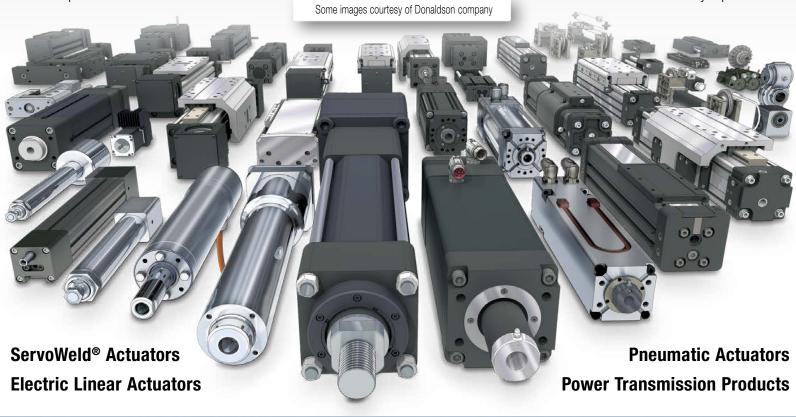
Match your motor with compatible mounting plates that ship with any Tolomatic electric actuator.



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