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FOREWORD

Development of this Standard began in 2004 and was completed in 2009 by B18 Subcommittee 6. This Standard was originally published by the Industrial Fasteners Institute (IFI) as IFI-156 in 2002. IFI agreed to participate in the conversion of this Standard from an IFI standard to an ASME standard. Since the completion of this ASME Standard, IFI-156 has been withdrawn from circulation. ASME B18.6.8 is the only standard covering the inch series for thumb and wing screws.

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THUMB SCREWS AND WING SCREWS (INCH SERIES)

1 INTRODUCTORY NOTES

1.1 Scope

1.1.1 This Standard covers the general and dimensional data for the various types of thumb screws and wing screws recognized as standard.

1.1.2 The inclusion of dimensional data in this Standard is not intended to imply that all of the products described are stock production sizes. Purchasers must consult with suppliers concerning stock sizes.

1.2 Comparison With ISO Standards

There are no ISO standards at this time for these products.

1.3 Dimensions

All dimensions are in inches unless otherwise stated in this Standard. When nominal sizes are designated in decimals, zeros in the fourth place shall be omitted.

1.4 Terminology

For definition of terms other than those defined below relating to fasteners or components thereof used in this Standard, refer to ASME B18.12.

thumb screw: a screw with a flattened head designed for manual turning without a driver or wrench. The thumb screws covered by this Standard are classified by types on the basis of design characteristics. They consist of the following:

Type A thumb screws: forged one-piece screws with a shoulder under head that are available in two series: regular and heavy. Dimensions are given in Tables 1 and 2, respectively.

Type B thumb screws: forged one-piece screws without shoulder that are available in two series: regular and heavy. Dimensions are given in Tables 3 and 4, respectively.

wing screw: a screw with a wing-shaped head designed for manual turning without a driver or wrench. The wing screws covered by this Standard are classified first by type, on the basis of the method of manufacture, and secondly by style, on the basis of design characteristics. They consist of the following:

Type A wing screws: screws of two-piece construction with cold-formed or cold-forged wing portions of moderate height. In some sizes they are produced in regular, light, and heavy series to best suit the requirements of specific applications. Dimensions are given in Table 5.

Type B wing screws: screws of hot-forged one-piece construction available in two wing styles: Style 1, with wings of moderate height; and Style 2, with high wings. Dimensions are given in Tables 6 and 7, respectively.

Type C wing screws: screws available in two styles: Style 1, a one-piece die-cast construction with wings of moderate height; and Style 2, a two-piece construction with a die-cast wing portion of moderate height. Dimensions are given in Tables 8 and 9, respectively.

Type D wing screws: screws of two-piece welded construction with stamped sheet metal wing portions of moderate height. Dimensions are given in Table 10.

1.5 Referenced Standards

Unless otherwise specified, the referenced standards shall be the most recent issue.

ASME B1.1, Unified Inch Screw Threads (UN and UNR Thread Form)

ASME B1.3, Screw Thread Gaging Systems for Acceptability — Inch and Metric Screw Threads (UN, UNR, UNJ, M, and MJ)

ASME B18.2.9, Straightness Gage and Gaging for Bolts and Screws

ASME B18.12, Glossary of Terms for Mechanical Fasteners

ASME B18.18.2, Inspection and Quality Assurance for High-Volume Machine Assembly Fasteners

ASME B18.24, Part Identifying Number (PIN) Code System Standard for B18 Fastener Products

Publisher: The American Society of Mechanical Engineers (ASME), Three Park Avenue, New York, NY 10016-5990; Order Department: 22 Law Drive, P.O. Box 2900, Fairfield, NJ 07007-2900 (www.asme.org)

ASTM D5-56I, Metals & Alloys in the Unified Numbering System (UNS)

ASTM F 788/788M, Standard Specification for Surface Discontinuities of Bolts, Screws, and Studs, Inch and Metric Series

ASTM F 1941, Standard Specification for Electrodeposited Coatings on Threaded Fasteners [Unified Inch Screw Threads (UN/UNR)]

Publisher: American Society for Testing and Materials (ASTM International), 100 Barr Harbor Drive, P.O. Box C700, West Conshohocken, PA 19428-2959 (www.astm.org)

1.6 Related Standards

ASME B18.6.9, Wing Nuts (Inch Series)

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2 GENERAL DATA

2.1 Heads and Wings

The details of head and wing contour shall be optional when the manufacturer provides and maintains dimensions in the applicable table. The design of two-piece wing screws shall be such that the wing portions shall be retained on and not rotate about the shank portions where screws are tightened and loosened with finger pressure.

2.2 Bearing Surface

The bearing surface of the shoulder on all wing screws and on Type A thumb screws shall be at right angles to the axis of the screw shank within a tolerance of 4 deg. The surface shall be free from burrs, fins, and protruding surface irregularities.

2.3 Length

2.3.1 Measurement. The length, L , of thumb or wing screws shall be measured parallel to the axis of the screw from the intersection of the head or shoulder with the shank to the extreme end of the screw.

2.3.2 Standard Lengths. The standard lengths within the practical screw length ranges specified in the respective dimensional tables for the various types and sizes of thumb and wing screws shall be as tabulated in Table 11.

2.3.3 Tolerance on Length. The tolerance on length of screw shall be as tabulated in Table 12.

2.4 Threads

Threads for all types of thumb screws and wing screws shall be in conformance with ASME B1.1, Class 2A, before plating or coating. The applicable thread size limits after plating or coating shall be Class 3A maximum and Class 2A minimum. Thread acceptability shall be determined using ASME B1.3, System 21.

2.5 Length of Thread

Screws shall have thread lengths conforming to Table 13.

2.6 Points

Thumb and wing screws shall be supplied with plain sheared ends. When specified, screws may be obtained with cone, cup, dog, flat, or oval points conforming to dimensions shown in Table 14.

2.7 Straightness

Wing and thumb screws shall be straight within the limits of 0.006 in./in. using the gage and procedure in ASME B18.2.9.

2.8 Material

2.8.1 Thumb Screws

2.8.1.1 Thumb screws of all types shall be made from low carbon steel per UNS designation G10060 or higher, having 48,000 psi min. ultimate tensile strength.

2.8.1.2 When specified, case-hardened thumb screws shall be supplied when using UNS designated low carbon steel G10180 or higher as defined in ASTM DS-56I.

2.8.1.3 Thumb screws may also be made from corrosion-resistant steel, brass, aluminum, or other materials as agreed upon by the supplier and purchaser.

2.8.2 Wing Screws

2.8.2.1 Type A. Type A wing screws shall be supplied in carbon steel with the shank portion case hardened. When specified, they may also be made from corrosion-resistant steel, brass, aluminum, or other materials as agreed upon by the supplier and purchaser.

2.8.2.2 Type B. Both portions of Type B wing screws shall be made from carbon steel per UNS designation G10060 or higher. When specified, they may also be made from corrosion-resistant steel, brass, aluminum, or other materials as agreed upon by the supplier and purchaser.

2.8.2.3 Type C. Type C, Style 1 wing screws shall be supplied only in die-cast zinc alloy such as UNS designation Z33520.

Type C, Style 2 wing screws shall have wing portion made from die-cast zinc alloy such as UNS designation Z33520 with shank portion made from low carbon steel per UNS designation G10060 or higher. When specified, the shank portion may be made from corrosion-resistant steel, brass, aluminum, or other materials as agreed upon by the supplier and purchaser.

2.8.2.4 Type D. Both portions of Type D wing screws shall be supplied in carbon steel per UNS designation G10060 or higher. When specified, they may also be made from corrosion-resistant steel, brass, aluminum, or other materials as agreed upon by the supplier and purchaser. See Table 15.

2.9 Finish

Unless otherwise specified, thumb screws and wing screws shall be supplied with a plain (unplated or uncoated) finish. When an electrodeposited finish is required, appropriate finish code in ASTM F 1941 shall be referenced.

2.10 Workmanship

Thumb and wing screws shall not contain an excess of surface imperfections that might affect their serviceability, such as burrs, seams, laps, loose scale, and other irregularities. When specified on the purchase order, surface discontinuities shall meet the requirements of ASTM F 788/788M for screws $\frac{1}{4}$ in. size and larger.

2.11 Designation

When specifying thumb and wing screws, the following data shall be included in this sequence:

- (a) ASME B18.6.8
- (b) standard type (wing screw or thumb screw)
- (c) thread size including nominal diameter and threads per inch
- (d) length (fractions or decimal equivalents)
- (e) style and/or series
- (f) point type (if other than sheared point)

(g) material

(h) finish

EXAMPLES: ASME B18.6.8, wing screw, $\frac{3}{8}$ -16 $\times$ 2.00, Type B, Style 2, dog point, steel per UNS G10060, zinc plated per ASTM F 1941, Fe/Zn 3A

ASME B18.6.8, thumb screw, 10-32 $\times$ 1.00, Type A, regular, stainless steel per UNS S30400, plain finish

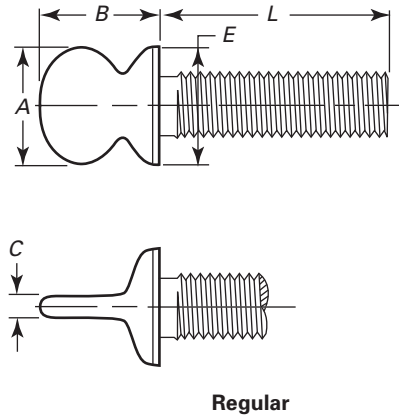
NOTE: The ASME product numbering system ASME B18.24 does not currently cover these products, but it may be added in the future.

2.12 Manufacturer's Identification

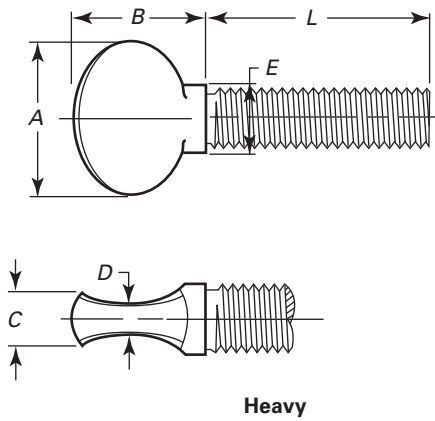
Manufacturer's identification is not required unless specified by the purchaser.

2.13 Quality Assurance

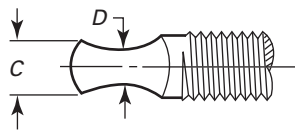
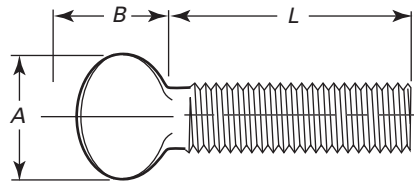
Unless otherwise specified, wing screw and thumb screw acceptability shall be determined in accordance with ASME B18.18.2.

Table 1 Dimensions of Type A, Regular Thumb Screws**Regular**

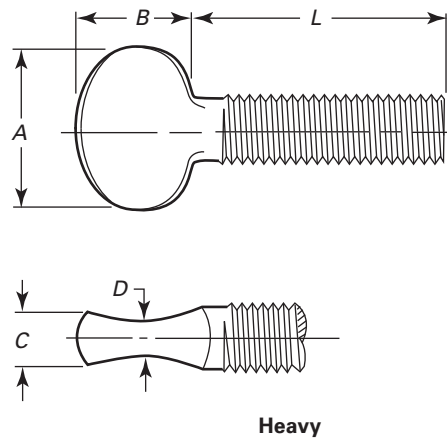
Nominal Size or Basic Screw Diameter	Threads per Inch	Head Width, <i>A</i>		Head Height, <i>B</i>		Head Thickness, <i>C</i>		Shoulder Diameter, <i>E</i>		Practical Screw Lengths, <i>L</i>	
		Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.
6 (0.1380)	32	0.31	0.29	0.33	0.31	0.05	0.04	0.25	0.23	0.75	0.25
8 (0.1640)	32	0.36	0.34	0.38	0.36	0.06	0.05	0.31	0.29	0.75	0.38
10 (0.1900)	24 and 32	0.42	0.40	0.48	0.46	0.06	0.05	0.35	0.32	1.00	0.38
12 (0.2160)	24	0.48	0.46	0.54	0.52	0.06	0.05	0.40	0.38	1.00	0.38
$\frac{1}{4}$ (0.2500)	20	0.55	0.52	0.64	0.61	0.07	0.05	0.47	0.44	1.50	0.50
$\frac{5}{16}$ (0.3125)	18	0.70	0.67	0.78	0.75	0.09	0.07	0.59	0.56	1.50	0.50
$\frac{3}{8}$ (0.3750)	16	0.83	0.80	0.95	0.92	0.11	0.09	0.76	0.71	2.00	0.75

Table 2 Dimensions of Type A, Heavy Thumb Screws

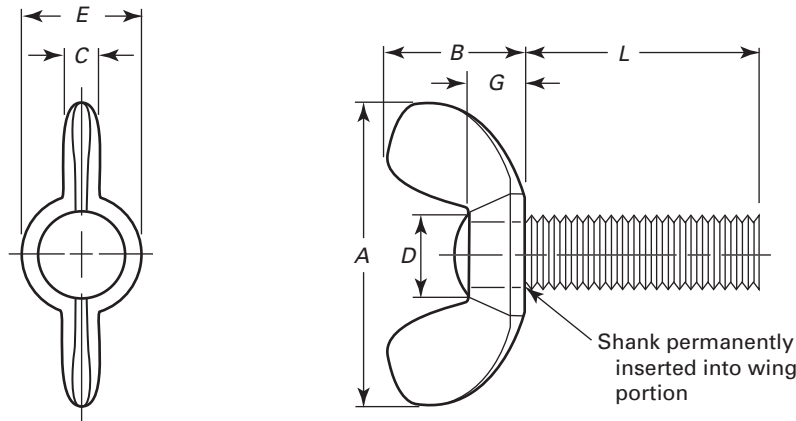
Nominal Size or Basic Screw Diameter	Threads per Inch	Head Width, <i>A</i>		Head Height, <i>B</i>		Head Thickness, <i>C</i>		Head Thickness, <i>D</i>		Shoulder Diameter, <i>E</i>		Practical Screw Lengths, <i>L</i>	
		Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.
10 (0.1900)	24	0.89	0.83	0.84	0.72	0.18	0.16	0.10	0.08	0.33	0.31	2.00	0.50
$\frac{1}{4}$ (0.2500)	20	1.05	0.99	0.94	0.81	0.24	0.22	0.10	0.08	0.40	0.38	3.00	0.50
$\frac{5}{16}$ (0.3125)	18	1.21	1.15	1.00	0.88	0.27	0.25	0.11	0.09	0.46	0.44	4.00	0.50
$\frac{3}{8}$ (0.3750)	16	1.41	1.34	1.16	1.03	0.30	0.28	0.11	0.09	0.55	0.53	4.00	0.50
$\frac{7}{16}$ (0.4375)	14	1.59	1.53	1.22	1.09	0.36	0.34	0.13	0.11	0.71	0.69	2.50	1.00
$\frac{1}{2}$ (0.5000)	13	1.81	1.72	1.28	1.16	0.40	0.38	0.14	0.12	0.83	0.81	3.00	1.00

Table 3 Dimensions of Type B, Regular Thumb Screws**Regular**

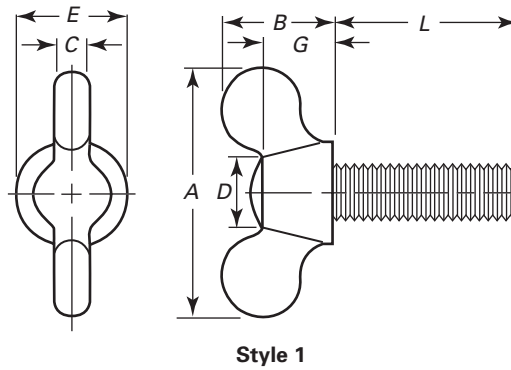
Nominal Size or Basic Screw Diameter	Threads per Inch	Head Width, A		Head Height, B		Head Thickness, C		Head Thickness, D		Practical Screw Lengths, L	
		Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.
6 (0.1380)	32	0.45	0.43	0.28	0.26	0.08	0.06	0.03	0.02	1.00	0.25
8 (0.1640)	32	0.51	0.49	0.32	0.30	0.09	0.07	0.04	0.02	1.00	0.38
10 (0.1900)	24 and 32	0.58	0.54	0.39	0.36	0.10	0.08	0.05	0.03	2.00	0.38
12 (0.2160)	24	0.71	0.67	0.45	0.43	0.11	0.09	0.05	0.03	2.00	0.38
$\frac{1}{4}$ (0.2500)	20	0.83	0.80	0.52	0.48	0.16	0.14	0.06	0.03	2.50	0.50
$\frac{5}{16}$ (0.3125)	18	0.96	0.91	0.64	0.60	0.17	0.14	0.09	0.06	3.00	0.50
$\frac{3}{8}$ (0.3750)	16	1.09	1.03	0.71	0.67	0.22	0.18	0.11	0.08	3.00	0.75
$\frac{7}{16}$ (0.4375)	14	1.40	1.35	0.96	0.91	0.27	0.24	0.14	0.11	4.00	1.00
$\frac{1}{2}$ (0.5000)	13	1.54	1.46	1.09	1.03	0.33	0.29	0.15	0.11	4.00	1.00

Table 4 Dimensions of Type B, Heavy Thumb Screws**Heavy**

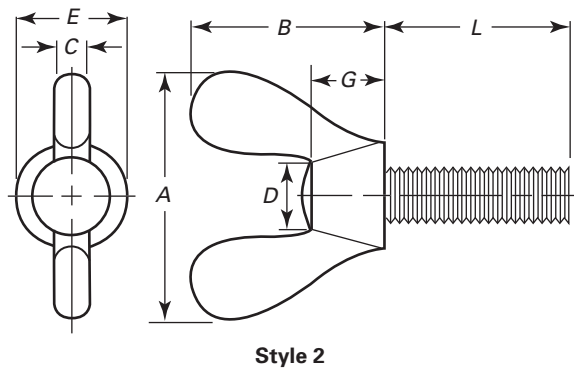
Nominal Size or Basic Screw Diameter	Threads per Inch	Head Width, A		Head Height, B		Head Thickness, C		Head Thickness, D		Practical Screw Lengths, L	
		Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.
10 (0.1900)	24	0.89	0.83	0.78	0.66	0.18	0.16	0.08	0.06	2.00	0.50
$\frac{1}{4}$ (0.2500)	20	1.05	0.99	0.81	0.72	0.24	0.22	0.11	0.09	3.00	0.50
$\frac{5}{16}$ (0.3125)	18	1.21	1.15	0.88	0.78	0.27	0.25	0.11	0.09	4.00	0.50
$\frac{3}{8}$ (0.3750)	16	1.41	1.34	0.94	0.84	0.30	0.28	0.14	0.12	4.00	0.50
$\frac{7}{16}$ (0.4375)	14	1.59	1.53	1.00	0.91	0.36	0.34	0.14	0.12	3.00	1.00
$\frac{1}{2}$ (0.5000)	13	1.81	1.72	1.09	0.97	0.40	0.38	0.18	0.16	3.00	1.00

Table 5 Dimensions of Type A, Wing Screws

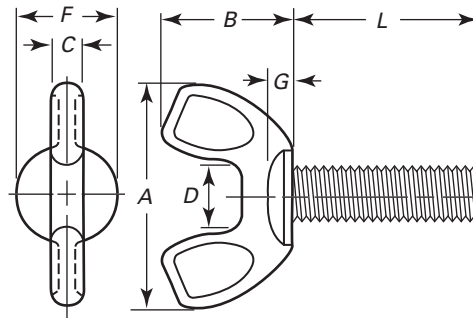
Nominal Size or Basic Screw Diameter	Threads per Inch	Series	Head Blank Size (Ref)	Wing Spread, A		Wing Height, B		Wing Thickness, C		Between Wings, D		Boss Diameter, E		Boss Height, G		Practical Screw Lengths, L	
				Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.
4 (0.1120)	40	Heavy	AA	0.72	0.59	0.41	0.28	0.11	0.07	0.21	0.17	0.33	0.29	0.14	0.10	0.75	0.25
6 (0.1380)	32	Light	AA	0.72	0.59	0.41	0.28	0.11	0.07	0.21	0.17	0.33	0.29	0.14	0.10	0.75	0.25
		Heavy	A	0.91	0.78	0.47	0.34	0.14	0.10	0.27	0.22	0.43	0.39	0.18	0.14	0.75	0.25
8 (0.1640)	32	Light	A	0.91	0.78	0.47	0.34	0.14	0.10	0.27	0.22	0.43	0.39	0.18	0.14	0.75	0.38
		Heavy	B	1.10	0.97	0.57	0.43	0.18	0.14	0.33	0.26	0.50	0.45	0.22	0.17	0.75	0.38
10 (0.1900)	24 and 32	Light	A	0.91	0.78	0.47	0.34	0.14	0.10	0.27	0.22	0.43	0.39	0.18	0.14	1.00	0.38
		Heavy	B	1.10	0.97	0.57	0.43	0.18	0.14	0.33	0.26	0.50	0.45	0.22	0.17	1.00	0.38
12 (0.2160)	24	Light	B	1.10	0.97	0.57	0.43	0.18	0.14	0.33	0.26	0.50	0.45	0.22	0.17	1.00	0.38
		Heavy	C	1.25	1.12	0.66	0.53	0.21	0.17	0.39	0.32	0.58	0.51	0.25	0.20	1.50	0.38
1/4 (0.2500)	20	Light	B	1.10	0.97	0.57	0.43	0.18	0.14	0.33	0.26	0.50	0.45	0.22	0.17	1.50	0.50
		Regular	C	1.25	1.12	0.66	0.53	0.21	0.17	0.39	0.32	0.58	0.51	0.25	0.20	1.50	0.50
		Heavy	D	1.44	1.31	0.79	0.65	0.24	0.20	0.48	0.42	0.70	0.64	0.30	0.26	1.50	0.50
5/16 (0.3125)	18	Light	C	1.25	1.12	0.66	0.53	0.21	0.17	0.39	0.32	0.58	0.51	0.25	0.20	1.50	0.50
		Regular	D	1.44	1.31	0.79	0.65	0.24	0.20	0.48	0.42	0.70	0.64	0.30	0.26	1.50	0.50
		Heavy	E	1.94	1.81	1.00	0.87	0.33	0.26	0.65	0.54	0.93	0.86	0.39	0.35	1.50	0.50
3/8 (0.3750)	16	Light	D	1.44	1.31	0.79	0.65	0.24	0.20	0.48	0.42	0.70	0.64	0.30	0.26	2.00	0.75
		Regular	E	1.94	1.81	1.00	0.87	0.33	0.26	0.65	0.54	0.93	0.86	0.39	0.35	2.00	0.75
		Heavy	F	2.76	2.62	1.44	1.31	0.40	0.34	0.90	0.80	1.19	1.13	0.55	0.51	2.00	0.75
7/16 (0.4375)	14	Light	E	1.94	1.81	1.00	0.87	0.33	0.26	0.65	0.54	0.93	0.86	0.39	0.35	4.00	1.00
		Heavy	F	2.76	2.62	1.44	1.31	0.40	0.34	0.90	0.80	1.19	1.13	0.55	0.51	4.00	1.00
1/2 (0.5000)	13	Light	E	1.94	1.81	1.00	0.87	0.33	0.26	0.65	0.54	0.93	0.86	0.39	0.35	4.00	1.00
		Heavy	F	2.76	2.62	1.44	1.31	0.40	0.34	0.90	0.80	1.19	1.13	0.55	0.51	4.00	1.00
5/8 (0.6250)	11	Heavy	F	2.76	2.62	1.44	1.31	0.40	0.34	0.80	1.19	0.19	1.13	0.55	0.51	4.00	1.25

Table 6 Dimensions of Type B, Style 1 Wing Screws

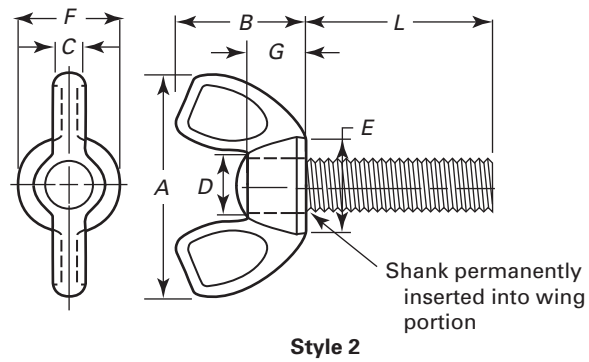
Nominal Size or Basic Screw Diameter	Threads per Inch	Wing Spread, <i>A</i>		Wing Height, <i>B</i>		Wing Thickness, <i>C</i>		Between Wings, <i>D</i>		Boss Diameter, <i>E</i>		Boss Height, <i>G</i>		Practical Screw Lengths, <i>L</i>	
		Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.
10 (0.1900)	24	0.97	0.91	0.45	0.39	0.15	0.12	0.34	0.28	0.39	0.36	0.28	0.22	2.00	0.50
$\frac{1}{4}$ (0.2500)	20	1.16	1.09	0.56	0.50	0.17	0.14	0.41	0.34	0.47	0.44	0.34	0.28	3.00	0.50
$\frac{5}{16}$ (0.3125)	18	1.44	1.38	0.67	0.61	0.18	0.15	0.50	0.44	0.55	0.52	0.41	0.34	3.00	0.50
$\frac{3}{8}$ (0.3750)	16	1.72	1.66	0.80	0.73	0.20	0.17	0.59	0.53	0.63	0.60	0.47	0.41	4.00	0.50
$\frac{7}{16}$ (0.4375)	14	2.00	1.94	0.91	0.84	0.21	0.18	0.69	0.62	0.71	0.68	0.53	0.47	3.00	1.00
$\frac{1}{2}$ (0.5000)	13	2.31	2.22	1.06	0.94	0.23	0.20	0.78	0.69	0.79	0.76	0.62	0.50	3.00	1.00
$\frac{5}{8}$ (0.6250)	11	2.84	2.72	1.31	1.19	0.27	0.23	0.94	0.84	0.96	0.92	0.75	0.62	2.50	1.00

Table 7 Dimensions of Type B, Style 2 Wing Screws

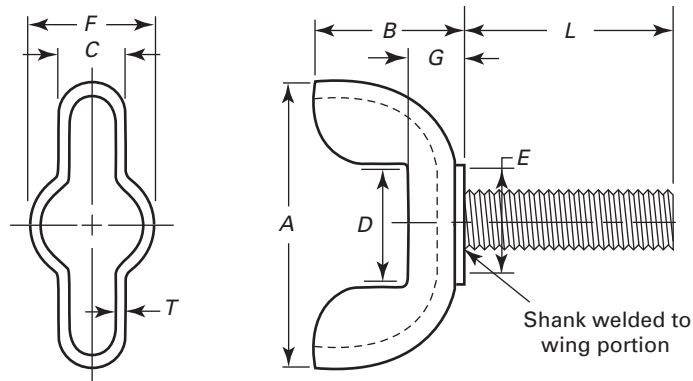
Nominal Size or Basic Screw Diameter	Threads per Inch	Wing Spread, A		Wing Height, B		Wing Thickness, C		Between Wings, D		Boss Diameter, E		Boss Height, G		Practical Screw Lengths, L	
		Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.
10 (0.1900)	24	1.01	0.95	0.78	0.72	0.14	0.11	0.35	0.29	0.39	0.36	0.28	0.22	1.25	0.50
$\frac{1}{4}$ (0.2500)	20	1.22	1.16	0.94	0.88	0.16	0.13	0.41	0.35	0.47	0.44	0.34	0.28	2.00	0.50
$\frac{5}{16}$ (0.3125)	18	1.43	1.37	1.09	1.03	0.17	0.14	0.48	0.42	0.55	0.52	0.41	0.34	2.00	0.50
$\frac{3}{8}$ (0.3750)	16	1.63	1.57	1.25	1.19	0.18	0.15	0.55	0.49	0.63	0.60	0.47	0.41	2.00	0.50

Table 8 Dimensions of Type C, Style 1 Wing Screws**Style 1**

Nominal Size or Basic Screw Diameter	Threads per Inch	Wing Spread, <i>A</i>		Wing Height, <i>B</i>		Wing Thickness, <i>C</i>		Between Wings, <i>D</i>		Boss Diameter, <i>F</i>		Boss Height, <i>G</i>		Practical Screw Lengths, <i>L</i>	
		Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.
6 (0.1380)	32	0.85	0.83	0.45	0.43	0.15	0.12	0.18	0.16	0.41	0.39	0.12	0.07	0.75	0.25
8 (0.1640)	32	0.85	0.83	0.45	0.43	0.15	0.12	0.29	0.27	0.41	0.39	0.12	0.07	1.00	0.38
10 (0.1900)	24 and 32	0.85	0.83	0.45	0.43	0.15	0.12	0.29	0.27	0.41	0.39	0.12	0.07	1.25	0.38
$\frac{1}{4}$ (0.2500)	20	1.08	1.05	0.56	0.53	0.17	0.14	0.32	0.30	0.46	0.44	0.12	0.07	1.50	0.50
$\frac{5}{16}$ (0.3125)	18	1.23	1.20	0.64	0.62	0.22	0.19	0.39	0.35	0.51	0.49	0.14	0.10	1.50	0.50
$\frac{3}{8}$ (0.3750)	16	1.45	1.42	0.74	0.72	0.24	0.21	0.46	0.42	0.63	0.62	0.15	0.12	1.50	0.50

Table 9 Dimensions of Type C, Style 2 Wing Screws

Nominal Size or Basic Screw Diameter	Threads per Inch	Wing Spread, A		Wing Height, B		Wing Thickness, C		Between Wings, D		Boss Diameter, E		Boss Diameter, F		Boss Height, G		Practical Screw Lengths, L	
		Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.
6 (0.1380)	32	0.85	0.83	0.43	0.42	0.14	0.12	0.21	0.19	0.38	0.36	0.41	0.40	0.20	0.18	1.00	0.25
8 (0.1640)	32	0.85	0.83	0.43	0.42	0.14	0.12	0.29	0.28	0.38	0.36	0.41	0.40	0.20	0.18	1.00	0.38
10 (0.1900)	24 and 32	0.85	0.83	0.43	0.42	0.14	0.12	0.29	0.28	0.38	0.36	0.41	0.40	0.20	0.18	2.00	0.38
$\frac{1}{4}$ (0.2500)	20	1.08	1.05	0.57	0.53	0.16	0.14	0.38	0.37	0.44	0.42	0.48	0.46	0.23	0.21	2.50	0.50
$\frac{5}{16}$ (0.3125)	18	1.23	1.20	0.64	0.62	0.20	0.18	0.44	0.43	0.50	0.49	0.57	0.55	0.26	0.24	3.00	0.50
$\frac{3}{8}$ (0.3750)	16	1.45	1.42	0.74	0.72	0.23	0.21	0.44	0.43	0.62	0.60	0.69	0.67	0.29	0.27	3.00	0.75
$\frac{7}{16}$ (0.4375)	14	1.89	1.86	0.91	0.90	0.29	0.28	0.67	0.65	0.75	0.73	0.83	0.82	0.38	0.37	4.00	1.00
$\frac{1}{2}$ (0.5000)	13	1.89	1.86	0.91	0.90	0.29	0.28	0.67	0.65	0.75	0.73	0.83	0.82	0.38	0.37	4.00	1.00

Table 10 Dimensions of Type D, Wing Screws

Nominal Size or Basic Screw Diameter	Threads per Inch	Wing Spread, <i>A</i>		Wing Height, <i>B</i>		Wing Thickness, <i>C</i>		Between Wings, <i>D</i>		Boss Diameter, <i>E</i>		Boss Diameter, <i>F</i>		Height, <i>G</i>		Stock Thickness, <i>T</i>		Practical Screw Lengths, <i>L</i>	
		Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.
6 (0.1380)	32	0.78	0.72	0.40	0.34	0.18	0.12	0.31	0.25	0.35	0.31	0.40	0.34	0.21	0.14	0.04	0.03	0.75	0.25
8 (0.1640)	32	0.78	0.72	0.40	0.34	0.18	0.12	0.31	0.25	0.35	0.31	0.40	0.34	0.21	0.14	0.04	0.03	0.75	0.38
10 (0.1900)	24	0.90	0.84	0.46	0.40	0.21	0.15	0.40	0.34	0.35	0.31	0.53	0.47	0.22	0.16	0.04	0.03	1.00	0.38
12 (0.2160)	24	1.09	1.03	0.46	0.40	0.26	0.20	0.40	0.34	0.44	0.39	0.61	0.55	0.24	0.18	0.04	0.03	1.00	0.38
1/4 (0.2500)	20	1.09	1.03	0.46	0.40	0.26	0.20	0.40	0.34	0.47	0.43	0.61	0.55	0.24	0.18	0.04	0.03	1.50	0.50
5/16 (0.3125)	18	1.31	1.25	0.62	0.56	0.29	0.23	0.52	0.46	0.57	0.53	0.68	0.62	0.29	0.23	0.07	0.05	1.50	0.50
3/8 (0.3750)	16	1.31	1.25	0.62	0.56	0.29	0.23	0.75	0.69	0.63	0.59	0.68	0.62	0.29	0.23	0.07	0.05	2.00	0.75

Table 11 Length Increments

Size	Length Range	Length Increments
#4 through $\frac{1}{4}$	0.250–0.750	0.125
	0.750–1.500	0.250
	1.500–3.000	0.500
$\frac{5}{16}$ through $\frac{1}{2}$	0.500–1.500	0.250
	1.500–3.000	0.500
	3.000–4.000	1.000

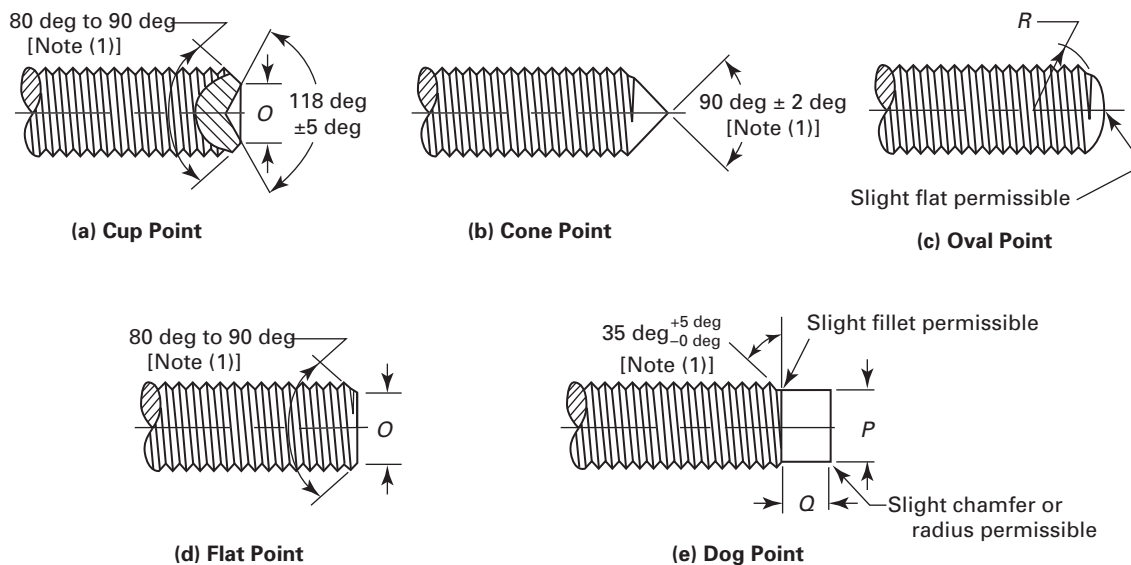
Table 12 Length Tolerances

Nominal Screw Length	Tolerance on Length
Through 1 in.	±0.03
Over 1 in. through 2 in.	±0.06
Over 2 in.	±0.09

Table 13 Thread Length

Screw Size	Screw Length	Thread Length
All sizes	3D or less	Full thread within 1 thread pitch
No. 5 and smaller	Over 3D through $1\frac{1}{8}$ in.	Full thread within 2 thread pitches
	Over $1\frac{1}{8}$ in.	1 in. minimum thread
No. 6 and larger	Over 3D through 2 in.	Full thread within 2 thread pitches
	Over 2 in.	$1\frac{1}{2}$ in. minimum thread

GENERAL NOTE: The distance to first full form thread shall be measured parallel to the axis of the screw from the bearing surface of the head or bottom of the shoulder to the face of a special nonchamfered or noncounterbored 3A GO thread ring gage assembled as far as the gage will go by hand.

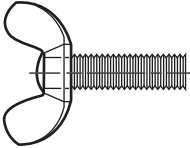
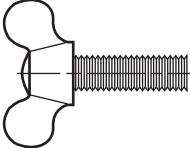
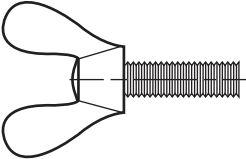
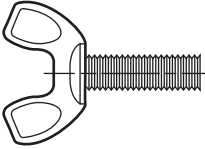
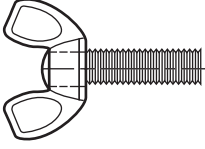
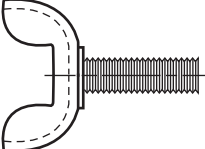
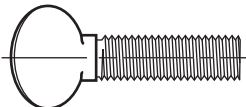
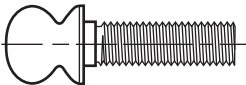
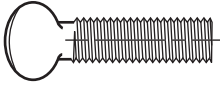
Table 14 Dimensions of Alternate Styles of Points for Thumb and Wing Screws

Nominal Size or Basic Screw Diameter	Cup and Flat Point Diameter, <i>O</i>		Dog Point [Note (2)]				Oval Point Radius, <i>R</i>	
			Diameter, <i>P</i>		Length, <i>Q</i>			
	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.
4 (0.1120)	0.061	0.051	0.075	0.070	0.061	0.051	0.099	0.084
6 (0.1380)	0.074	0.064	0.092	0.087	0.075	0.065	0.140	0.109
8 (0.1640)	0.087	0.076	0.109	0.103	0.085	0.075	0.156	0.125
10 (0.1900)	0.102	0.088	0.127	0.120	0.095	0.085	0.172	0.141
12 (0.2160)	0.115	0.101	0.144	0.137	0.115	0.105	0.188	0.156
$\frac{1}{4}$ (0.2500)	0.132	0.118	0.156	0.149	0.130	0.120	0.219	0.188
$\frac{5}{16}$ (0.3125)	0.172	0.156	0.203	0.195	0.161	0.151	0.256	0.231
$\frac{3}{8}$ (0.3750)	0.212	0.194	0.250	0.241	0.193	0.183	0.312	0.281
$\frac{7}{16}$ (0.4375)	0.252	0.232	0.297	0.287	0.224	0.214	0.359	0.328
$\frac{1}{2}$ (0.5000)	0.291	0.270	0.344	0.334	0.255	0.245	0.406	0.375
$\frac{5}{8}$ (0.6350)	0.371	0.347	0.469	0.456	0.321	0.305	0.500	0.469

NOTES:

- (1) The external point angles specified shall apply to those portions of the angles that lie below the thread root diameter, it being recognized the angle within the thread profile may be varied due to the manufacturing processes.
- (2) The axis of dog points shall not be eccentric with the axis of the screw by more than 3% of the basic screw diameter or 0.005 in., whichever is the smaller.

Table 15 Type and Style Designations of Thumb Screws and Wing Screws

	Screw	Type
Wing		A
		B, style 1
		B, style 2
		C, style 1
		C, style 2
		D
Thumb		A
		A
		B

B18 AMERICAN NATIONAL STANDARDS FOR BOLTS, NUTS, RIVETS, SCREWS, WASHERS, AND SIMILAR FASTENERS

Small Solid Rivets	B18.1.1-1972 (R2006)
Large Rivets	B18.1.2-1972 (R2006)
Metric Small Solid Rivets	B18.1.3M-1983 (R2006)
Square, Hex, Heavy Hex, and Askew Head Bolts and Hex, Heavy Hex, Hex Flange, Lobed Head, and Lag Screws (Inch Series)	B18.2.1-2010
Nuts for General Applications: Machine Screw Nuts, Hex, Square, Hex Flange, and Coupling Nuts (Inch Series)	B18.2.2-2010
Metric Hex Cap Screws	B18.2.3.1M-1999 (R2005)
Metric Formed Hex Screws	B18.2.3.2M-2005
Metric Heavy Hex Screws	B18.2.3.3M-1979 (R2001)
Metric Hex Flange Screws	B18.2.3.4M-2001 (R2006)
Metric Hex Bolts	B18.2.3.5M-1979 (R2006)
Metric Heavy Hex Bolts	B18.2.3.6M-1979 (R2006)
Metric Heavy Hex Structural Bolts	B18.2.3.7M-1979 (R2006)
Metric Heavy Hex Flange Screws	B18.2.3.9M-2001 (R2006)
Metric Hex Nuts, Style 1	B18.2.4.1M-2002 (R2007)
Metric Hex Nuts, Style 2	B18.2.4.2M-2005
Metric Slotted Hex Nuts	B18.2.4.3M-1979 (R2006)
Metric Hex Flange Nuts	B18.2.4.4M-1982 (R2005)
Metric Hex Jam Nuts	B18.2.4.5M-2008
Metric Heavy Hex Nuts	B18.2.4.6M-2010
Metric Flanged 12-Point Head Screws	B18.2.5M-2009
Fasteners for Use in Structural Applications	B18.2.6-2010
Metric 12-Spline Flange Screws	B18.2.7.1M-2002 (R2007)
Clearance Holes for Bolt, Screws, and Studs	B18.2.8-1999 (R2010)
Straightness Gage and Gaging for Bolts and Screws	B18.2.9-2010
Socket Cap, Shoulder, and Set Screws, Hex and Spline Keys (Inch Series)	B18.3-2003 (R2008)
Socket Head Cap Screws (Metric Series)	B18.3.1M-1986 (R2008)
Metric Series Hexagon Keys and Bits	B18.3.2M-1979 (R2008)
Hexagon Socket Head Shoulder Screws (Metric Series)	B18.3.3M-1986 (R2008)
Hexagon Socket Button Head Cap Screws (Metric Series)	B18.3.4M-1986 (R2008)
Hexagon Socket Flat Countersunk Head Cap Screws (Metric Series)	B18.3.5M-1986 (R2008)
Metric Series Socket Set Screws	B18.3.6M-1986 (R2008)
Round Head Bolts (Inch Series)	B18.5-1990 (R2003)
Metric Round Head Short Square Neck Bolts	B18.5.2.1M-2006
Metric Round Head Square Neck Bolts	B18.5.2.2M-1982 (R2005)
Wood Screws (Inch Series)	B18.6.1-1981 (R2008)
Slotted Head Cap Screws, Square Head Set Screws, and Slotted Headless Set Screws (Inch Series)	B18.6.2-1998 (R2010)
Machine Screws and Machine Screw Nuts	B18.6.3-2003 (R2008)
Thread Forming and Thread Cutting Tapping Screws and Metallic Drive Screws (Inch Series)	B18.6.4-1998
Metric Thread-Forming and Thread-Cutting Tapping Screws	B18.6.5M-2000 (R2010)
Metric Machine Screws	B18.6.7M-1999 (R2010)
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