

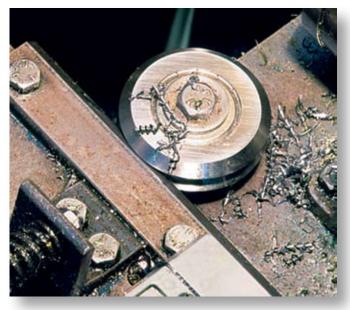


Bishop-Wisecarver is recognized as the market leader for guide wheel technology. In 1967, Bud Wisecarver patented DualVee Motion Technology® (DMT). Three main components define DMT: the DualVee® guide wheel, its mating Vee profile track with patented mounting shoulder and support bushings. DualVee Motion Technology® is one of the most popular guided motion products due to its self-cleaning action and self-aligning track (mounting shoulder) resulting in an overall lower installation cost. The PTDA Power Transmission Handbook recognizes DualVee Motion Technology® as an industry standard.

- **Carbon or Stainless Steel Components**
- Speeds up to 8 meters/sec
- Acceleration up to 5 g's
- High Accuracy and Repeatability
- High Temperature, Clean Room Options
- **Ground Mounting Surfaces not Required**
- Low Noise
- **Smooth Action**
- Long Lengths

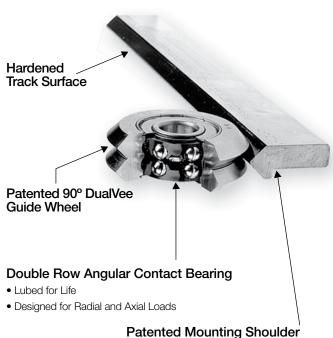
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# **Designed for Dirty and Severe Environments**

The patented 90° DualVee® design creates a velocity gradient, since the circumference of the wheel is greater at the major diameter, resulting in a constant sweeping action cleaning debris from the track.

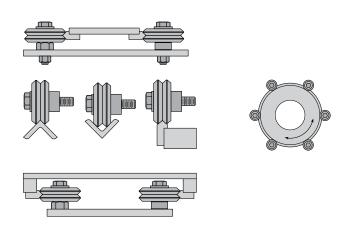


- Quick and Accurate Installation
- Unlimited Travel Lengths
- · Easily Joined Track

From factory automation projects to OEM designs, DMT components, assemblies, and guides provide the design flexibility and the desired level of integration for virtually any guided motion application. Based on the DualVee guide wheel, DMT offers a level of reliability unmatched in the industry, especially within the wide range of environments in which it can be employed.

Dirt
Dust
Metal chips
Wood chips
Textile fiber
Slurry
Deionized water
Vacuum
Clean room
High temperature

# **Typical Mountings**





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# **PRODUCT OVERVIEW**

# DualVee® Guide Wheels - pgs 6 - 7-



- Double row angular contact bearings offer good load carrying capacity in all orientations
- Sensitive rolling elements are isolated from the environment and protected from contaminants
- Several sizes to accommodate envelope and load carrying requirements

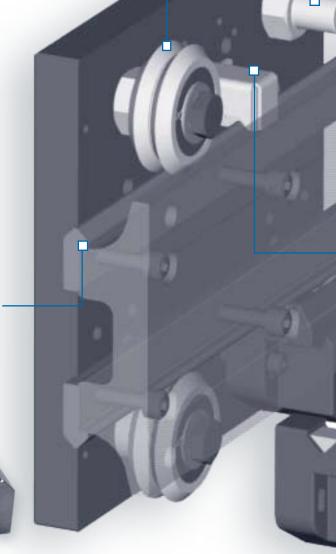
# New Integral Bushing or Mounting Stud Guide Wheels - pgs 5, 8 & 9

- One piece construction with inner bearing race
- Reduced tolerance stack up
- Lower profile and increased rigidity
- Larger diameter fasteners, greater torque capability



# DualVee® Single Edge Track With Patented Mounting Shoulder - pgs 18 - 19

- Complete mounting versatility
- Mounting against a machined register ensures accurate positioning of rails
- Thin cross section makes track compliant, assuring optimal installed accuracy (straightness and flatness of travel)
- Allows for spacing of track pairs to accommodate heavy roll moments
- 1045 carbon steel and 420 stainless steel from stock
- Induction hardened or "as formed"
- Custom plating options include black oxide, thin dense chrome, electroless nickel, or zinc



# .DualVee® Wheel Plate Assembly - pgs 23 - 24

- Available preassembled, including four DualVee® guide wheels and mounting hardware, ready for installation
  - Optional wheel covers or lubricators maximize service life
- High strength, lightweight anodized aluminum plate can be modified to accommodate design specific requirements
- Two eccentric wheels mounted opposite two concentrics allow for easy fit up adjustment



# Bushings / Journals / Fasteners - pgs 12 - 15

- Available in eccentric or concentric for system fit up adjustability
- Bushings allow for customer specified fastener of varying material, head style, or length
- Journals incorporate bushing and fastener into a single element, and allow for fit up adjustment to be made from the top side of the carriage plate





# Track Plate Assemblies - pg 25

- Aluminum base length is easily modified
- Unlimited mounting options for wheel and track components



Lubricators - pg 16



- Includes polymer or stainless steel housing, a vial of oil, felt inserts, and appropriate mounting hardware
- Dispenses a thin film of oil along track Vee way surfaces while protecting wheel track interface from debris
- Maximizes service life, load capacity, and linear velocity
- Minimizes coefficient of friction
- Minimizes corrosion and wear of load bearing contact surfaces
- Covers rolling element contact surface satisfying safety requirements
- Reduction or elimination of possible pinch points



- Double row angular contact bearing arrangement
- Six standard sizes
- Stainless or carbon steel configurations available from stock
- Clean room compatible and high temperature configurations available from stock
- Shielded or sealed to protect against contamination
- Inside or outside Vee surface can be employed to support loads

# **Guide Wheel Overview**

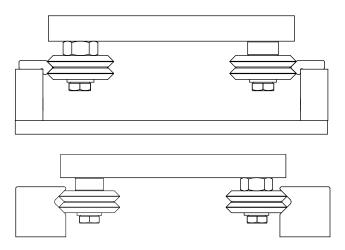
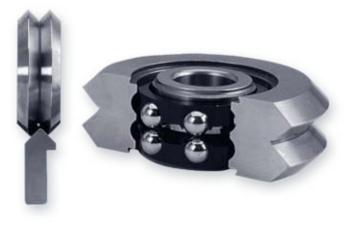


Figure 1 DualVee<sup>®</sup> configurations showing use of inside and outside Vee surfaces. (Above)



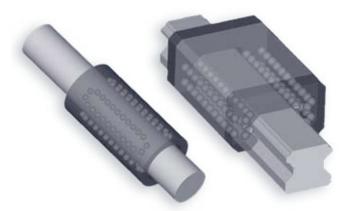


Figure 2 DualVee Motion Technology® (left) vs. alternative recirculating bearing technologies (right).

- Recirculating elements in DualVee® guide wheels are self-contained and isolated from the environment; rolling contact between wheel and track sweeps debris aside making DualVee® ideal for use in contaminated environments.
- Alternative round and square rail linear guides have recirculating elements directly in contact with the rail's bearing surface, making shielding of the ball path region difficult. These alternative bearing technologies often require bellows or other costly methods of protection to prevent the ingression of contaminants which leads to failure.

# **NEW**

# **Innovative Designs, Greater Flexibility**

# New Integral Bushing and Studded Shaft Guide Wheels (Patent Pending)

DualVee® technology has been improved with new integral bushings and stud shafts. The guide wheels feature a one piece bushing or stud shaft with a machined inner bearing race in lieu of a two piece assembly. The advantages of this new design compared to conventional guide wheels with bushings or journals are:

- Less Tolerance Stack Up
- Lower Profile and Increased Rigidity
  - -Less deflection, up to 84%
- Larger Diameter Fasteners
  - -Up to 25% greater torque capability
- External Adjustment and Tightening
  - -Internal hex key allows quick installation with power tools and easy access for adjustment (size 2, 3, 4: SWI only)
- Lower Procurement and Installation Costs



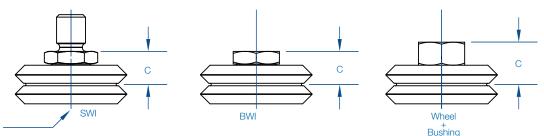
Model BWI



Model SWI

# Mounting Height Comparison for BWI, SWI, and "W" Wheel with a Bushing

The BWI and SWI mounting height profile is between the height of the existing W wheels with a standard bushing and a low profile bushing. See comparison below.



Internal Hex Key (wheel size 2,3,4)

Wheel Size	SWI	BWI	"W" Wheel + Standard Bushing	"W" Wheel + Low Profile Bushing
Wileel Size	"C"	"C"	"C"	"C"
0	6.15	NA	NA	NA
1	7.3	NA	10.16	6.05
2	9.63	9.63	12.22	7.06
3	13.63	13.63	17.41	11.42
4	16.36	16.36	20.63	12.62

Dimensions in mm NA = Not Applicable

Note: BWI and SWI are not dimensionally interchangeable with the current DualVee wheels with bushings, journals or the "SWA" studded guide wheel assemblies.

# BWI and SWI to "W" Fastener Size Comparison

BWI & SWI feature increased mounting torque capability due to larger diameter fasteners

Wheel Size	SWI Concentric	SWI Eccentric	BWI Concentric	BWI Eccentric	"W" Wheel + Concentric Bushing	"W" Wheel + Eccentric Bushing
0	M6	M5	NA	NA	NA	NA
1	M8	M6	NA	NA	M4	M4
2	M10	M8	M8	M8	M6	M6
3	M12	M10	M10	M10	M8	M8
4	M14	M12	M12	M12	M10	M10

# **DualVee Wheels, Steel and Stainless Steel (SS)**

# **Guide Wheels**

Part Number	Radial Load (N)	Radial Load (lbf)	Axial Load (N)	Axial Load (lbf)	Weight in Grams
WO	650	146	123	28	5.1
W1	1220	274	252	57	11.1
W2	2650	596	625	141	39.0
W3	5900	1326	1701	382	130.2
W4	9700	2181	4001	900	276.0
W0X	650	146	123	28	5.1
W1X	1220	274	252	57	11.1
W2X	2650	596	625	141	39.0
W3X	5900	1326	1701	382	132.0
W4X	9700	2181	4001	900	276.0
W4XXL	14300	3215	6552	1473	575.0
W1SSX	1220	274	252	57	11.1
W2SSX	2650	596	625	141	39.0
W3SSX	5900	1326	1701	382	130.2
W4SSX	9700	2181	4001	900	276.0
W4SSXXL	14300	3215	6552	1473	575.0
W0SS227	540	121	102	23	5.1
W1SS227	1013	228	209	47	11.1
W2SS227	2200	494	519	117	39.0
W3SS227	4897	1101	1412	317	130.2
W4SS227	8051	1810	3321	747	276.0

# **DualVee Integral Wheels, Steel and Stainless Steel**

Part Number	Radial Load (N)	Radial Load (lbf)	Axial Load (N)	Axial Load (lbf)	Weight in Grams C	Weight in Grams E
BWIC2M/BWIE2M	2650	596	625	141	45.0	45.0
BWIC3M/BWIE3M	5900	1326	1701	382	156.4	156.4
BWIC4M/BWIE4M	9700	2181	4001	900	302.0	302.0
SWICO/SWIE0	650	146	123	28	9.1	8.8
SWIC1/SWIE1	1220	274	252	57	17.5	16.5
SWIC2/SWIE2	2650	596	625	141	54.3	53.5
SWIC3/SWIE3	5900	1326	1701	382	164.0	161.3
SWIC4/SWIE4	9700	2181	4001	900	330.4	327.4

# **DualVee Polymer Studded Wheels**

Part Number	Radial Load (N)	Radial Load (lbf)	Axial Load (N)	Axial Load (lbf)	Weight in Grams C	Weight in Grams E
SWICOP/SWIEOP	28	6	12	3	5.9	5.7
SWIC1P/SWIE1P	55	12	27.5	6	10.7	9.9
SWIC2P/SWIE2P	70	16	42	9	26.2	24.9

# **Crown Wheels, Steel and Polymer**

Part Number	Radial Load (N)	Radial Load (lbf)	Axial Load (N)	Axial Load (lbf)	Weight in Grams C	Weight in Grams E
CSWIC1/CSWIE1	1220	274	0	0	25.0	25.0
CSWIC2/CSWIE2	2650	596	0	0	65.0	65.0
CSWIC3/CSWIE3	5900	1326	0	0	190.0	190.0
CSWICOP/CSWIEOP	28	6	0	0	6.2	6.0
CSWIC1P/CSWIE1P	55	12	0	0	11.2	10.2
CSWIC2P/CSWIE2P	70	16	0	0	27.5	26.2

- 1. See page 27 for further discussion on load/life relationship.
- 2. Also available in non-heat stabilized.

# **Guide Wheel Dimensions and Materials (Steel and Stainless Steel)**

Model Code Examples: W1 (DualVee Guide Wheel, Size 1, Standard Materials)

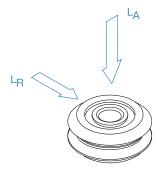
W1SSX (DualVee Guide Wheel, Size 1, Stainless Steel, Seal)

W1SS227 (DualVee Guide Wheel, Size 1, Stainless Steel, High Heat + Clean Room)

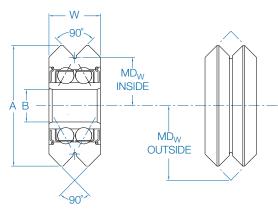
<u>w</u>	(Size)	(Materials)								
Wheel DualVee	Wheel Size	Materials	Outer Race	Inner Race	Ball	Retainer	Shield or Seal			
		Blank (Std.) =	52100	52100	52100	Nylon 66	Shield			
		X =	52100	52100	52100	Nylon 66	Seal			
	<b>0</b> = .584" dia.	SS227 <sup>6</sup> =	440C	440C	440C	304	Seal			
				Heat Stabilized for Clean Room and High Heat Compatible <sup>5</sup>						
		Blank (Std.) =	52100	52100	52100	Nylon 66	Shield			
		X =	52100	52100	52100	Nylon 66	Seal			
	<b>1</b> = .771" dia. <b>2</b> = 1.210" dia.	SSX =	440C	440C	440C	Nylon 66	Seal			
		SS227 <sup>6</sup> =	440C	440C	440C	304	Shield			
			Heat Stabilized for Clean Room and High Heat Compatible <sup>5</sup>							
	<b>3</b> = 1.803" dia.	Blank (Std.) =	52100	52100	52100	Nylon 66	Shield			
W		X =	52100	52100	52100	Nylon 66	Seal			
		SSX =	440C	440C	440C	Nylon 66	Seal			
		SS227 <sup>6</sup> =	440C	440C	440C	304	Shield			
		33221 =	Heat Stabilized for Clean Room and High Heat Compatible <sup>5</sup>							
		Blank (Std.) =	52100	52100	52100	Nylon 66	Shield			
		X =	52100	52100	52100	Nylon 66	Seal			
	<b>4</b> = 2.360" dia.	SSX =	440C	440C	440C	Nylon 66	Seal			
		SS227 <sup>6</sup> =	440C	440C	440C	304	Seal			
		33221 =		Heat Stabilized for	Clean Room and High	n Heat Compatible <sup>5</sup>				
	<b>4</b> = 2.968" dia.	XXL =	52100	52100	52100	Nylon 66	Seal			
	Extra Large Wheel	SSXXL =	440C	440C	440C	Nylon 66	Seal			

Size	Outside Diameter A	Bore Size B <sup>1,2</sup>	Width W <sup>3</sup>	Inside Vee Radius MDW Inside	Outside Vee Radius MDW Outside
0	.584	.1575	.250	.234	.359
1	.771	.1875	.310	.313	.468
2	1.210	.3750	.438	.500	.719
3	1.803	.4724	.625	.750	1.063
4	2.360	.5906	.750	1.000	1.375
4XL	2.968	.8661	1.000	1.250	1.750

<sup>\*</sup>All dimensions are in inches unless otherwise stated \*\*Guide wheels are manufactured to ABEC 1.



- 1. Bore ID tolerance is + .0000, -.0003 inch, except 4XL.
- 2. 4XL Bore ID tolerance is +.0000, -.0004 inch.
- 3. Width tolerance is + .0000, -.0047 inch.
- 4. Clean Room Compatible All stainless steel components are internally lubricated with Krytox GPL 227.
- 5. High Temperature Compatible Heat stabilized components allow for operating temperatures to 500° F or 260° C.
- 6. Also available in non-heat stabilized.



# **Integral Bushing DualVee Wheels**

# **Model Code Examples:**

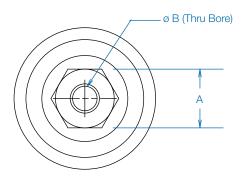
**BWIC2M** (Bushing DualVee Wheel Integral, Concentric, Size 2, Std. Materials) BWIE2M (Bushing DualVee Wheel Integral, Eccentric, Size 2, Std. Materials)

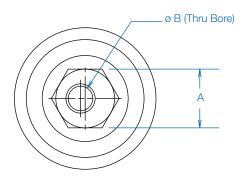
BWI (Wheel Offset) (Wheel Size) (Materials)

Bushing Wheel Integral	Wheel Offset	Wheel Size	Materials Code	Outer Race	Inner Race	Ball	Retainer	Shield or Seal
		3 = 1 803" dia	M =	52100	52100	52100	Nylon 66	Shield
BWI	<b>C</b> = Concentric <b>E</b> = Eccentric		X =	52100	52100	52100	Nylon 66	Seal
			SSX <sup>1</sup> =	440C	440C	440C	Nylon 66	Seal

Size	A	В	С	D	E	F
2	14	8	9.63	15.19	0.76	30.73
3	19	10	13.63	21.56	1.50	45.80
4	22	12	16.36	25.88	2.01	59.94

<sup>\*</sup>Values are in millimeters





# **Concentric Bushing Eccentric Bushing**

# **Integral Studded DualVee Wheels**

# **Model Code Examples:**

**SWIC1** (Studded DualVee Wheel Integral, Concentric Size 1, Std. Materials) **SWIE1P** (Studded DualVee Wheel Integral, Eccentric size 1, Polymer)

SWI (Wheel Offset) (Wheel Size) (Materials)

Studded			Materials			Materials		
Wheel	Wheel Offset	Wheel Size	Code	Outer Race	Inner Race	Ball	Retainer	Shield or Seal
			Blank (Std.) =	52100	52100	52100	Nylon 66	Shield
		O E04" dia	X =	52100	52100	52100	Nylon 66	Seal
		<b>0</b> = .584" dia. <b>1</b> = .771" dia.	SSX <sup>5</sup> =	440C	440C	440C	Nylon 66	Seal
SWI	<b>C</b> = Concentric	<b>2</b> = 1.210" dia.	P =	Polymer Overmoulded 440C	440C	440C	Stainless Steel 300 Series	Shield
	<b>E</b> = Eccentric		Blank (Std.) =	52100	52100	52100	Nylon 66	Shield
			X =	52100	52100	52100	Nylon 66	Seal
		<b>3</b> = 1.803" dia. <b>4</b> = 2.360" dia.	SSX <sup>5</sup> =	440C	440C	440C	Nylon 66	Seal
				Consult factory for price and availability				

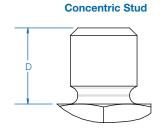
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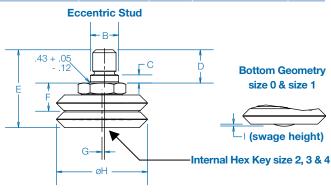
# **Integrated Studded Steel Wheels**

Size	A	B¹	C <sup>2</sup>	D <sup>3</sup>	E	F <sup>4</sup>	G	Concentric Stud Thread	Eccentric Stud Thread	н	Internal Hex (steel version only)	l (max)
0	11	5.56	2.16	7.62	16.95	6.15	0.46	M6 x 1.0	M5 x 0.8	14.83	-	0.43
1	12	6.30	2.16	8.10	19.33	7.30	0.61	M8 x 1.25	M6 x 1.0	19.58	-	0.5
2	14	9.53	2.79	11.38	26.57	9.63	0.76	M10 x 1.5	M8 x 1.25	30.73	6	-
3	19	10.72	4.32	15.11	36.68	13.63	1.50	M12 x 1.75	M10 x 1.5	45.80	8	-
4	22	12.70	4.50	19.00	44.89	16.36	2.01	M14 x 2.0	M12 x 1.75	59.94	10	-



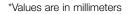
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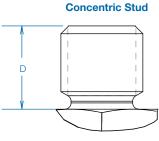


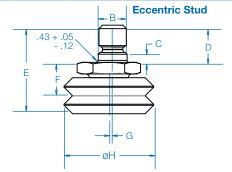


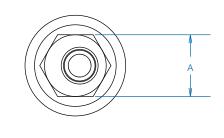
# **Integrated Studded Polymer Wheels**

Size	A	B <sup>1</sup>	C <sup>2</sup>	D <sup>3</sup>	E	F <sup>4</sup>	G	Concentric Stud Thread	Eccentric Stud Thread	н
0	11	5.56	2.16	7.62	16.95	6.15	0.81	M6 x 1.0	M5 x 0.8	14.83
1	12	6.30	2.16	8.10	19.33	7.30	0.84	M8 x 1.25	M6 x 1.0	19.58
2	14	9.53	2.79	11.38	26.57	9.63	0.97	M10 x 1.5	M8 x 1.25	30.73









# **Notes**

1. Diameter Tolerance is +0.05/-0.00 2. Height Tolerance is +/-0.13 3. Height Tolerance is +/-0.1 4. Height Tolerance is +/-0.05 5. Please call for pricing and delivery.

# **Studded Guide Wheels Assembly**

**Model Code Examples:** 

SWAE0SS227 (Studded DualVee Wheel, Eccentric Size 0, Stainless Steel, Clean Room)

**SWAC1SSX** (Studded DualVee Wheel, Concentric Size 1, Stainless Steel)

SWA (Wheel Offset) (Wheel Size) (Materials)

Studded Wheel	Wheel Offset	Wheel Size	Materials			Materials				
Assembly	Wrieer Oliset	Wileel Size	Code	Outer Race	Inner Race	Ball	Retainer	Shield or Seal		
	C = Concentric E = Eccentric	<b>0</b> = .584" dia.	SS227 =	440C	440C Cle	440C ean Room Compat	304 ible	Seal		
SWA		<b>1</b> – 771" dia	4 7748-8-	4 774" "	SSX =	440C	440C	440C	Nylon 66	Seal
	C = Concentric E = Eccentric	<b>1</b> = .771" dia. <b>2</b> = 1.210" dia.	SS227 =	440C	440C	440C	304	Shield		
			33221 =	Н	eat Stabilized for C	lean Room and Hi	gh Heat Compatib	ole¹		

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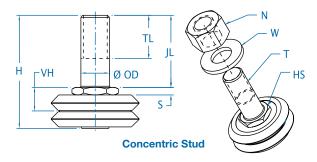
Size	Offset EC <sup>5</sup>	Overall Length H	Journal Diameter OD <sup>2</sup>	Journal Length JL	Thread Length TL	Thread T	Shoulder Thickness S <sup>3</sup>	Vee Height VH <sup>4</sup>	Hex Size HS	Nut & Washer N, W <sup>6,7</sup>	Weight in Grams
0	.012 (.3mm)	.74 (18.8mm)	.1566 (3.98mm)	.39 (9.9mm)	.24 (6.1mm)	M4 x 0.7	.080 (2.0mm)	.205 (5.2mm)	11 mm	M4	8.9
1	.015 (.4mm)	1.00 (25.4mm)	.2352 (5.97mm)	.59 (15.0mm)	.35 (8.9mm)	M6 x 1	.083 (2.1mm)	.238 (6.0mm)	12 mm	M6	19.8
2	.024 (.6mm)	1.54 (39.1mm)	.3926 (9.97mm)	.98 (24.9mm)	.59 (15.0mm)	M10 x 1.5	.104 (2.6mm)	.323 (8.2mm)	14 mm	M10	74.2

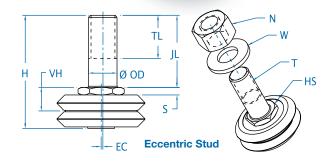
<sup>\*</sup>Values are in inches (millimeters)

# **Thru-Hole Style**

- DualVee® guide wheels with 416 stainless steel stud and mounting hardware
- Easy installation/available from stock







# **Notes**

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- 1. High Temperature compatible. Heat stabilized components allow for operating temperatures to 500° for 260° C.
- 2. Journal Diameter (OD) Tolerance is +0.0000, -0.0007 (+0.00 mm, -0.02 mm).
- 3. Shoulder Thickness (S) Tolerance is  $\pm 0.001$  ( $\pm 0.03$  mm).
- 4. Vee Height (VH) Tolerance is ±0.002 (±0.05 mm).
- 5. Eccentricity (EC) Tolerance is ±0.005 (±0.13 mm). All mounting information in this catalog assumes a central position of the eccentric stud allowing adjustment from plus "EC" to minus "EC".
- 6. Nuts are manufactured to DIN standard 934 (18-8 stainless steel).
- 7. Washers are manufactured to DIN standard 125 (18-8 stainless steel).
- 8. See guide wheel specifications for detailed data on wheels.
- 9. See load/life discussion in the technical reference section for sizing and selection information (page 27).

# MadeWell™ Crown Integral Studded Wheels, Steel and Polymer

# **Model Code Examples:**

**CSWIC1** (Crown Wheel, Stud Integral, Concentric, Size 1, Std. Materials) **CSWIE2P** (Crown Wheel, Stud Integral, Eccentric, Size 2, Polymer)

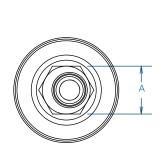
# CSWI (Wheel Offset) (Wheel Size) (Materials)

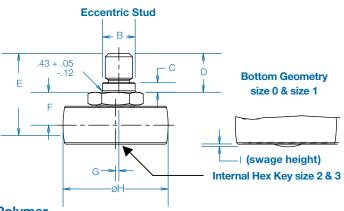
Studded Wheel Integral	Wheel Offset	Wheel Size	Materials Code	Outer Race	Inner Race	Ball	Retainer	Shield or Seal
			Blank (Std.) =	52100	52100	52100	Nylon 66	Shield
		<b>0</b> = 0.584" dia.	X =	52100	52100	52100	Nylon 66	Seal
CSWI		<b>1</b> = 0.771" dia. <b>2</b> = 1.210" dia.	P =	Polymer Overmoulded 440C	440C	440C	Stainless Steel 300 Series	Shield
		<b>3</b> = 1.803" dia.	Blank (Std.) =	52100	52100	52100	Nylon 66	Shield

# **Crown Integral Studded Wheels, Steel**

Size	A	B <sup>1</sup>	C²	D³	E	F <sup>4</sup>	G	Concentric Stud Thread	Eccentric Stud Thread	н	Internal Hex (steel version only)	l (max)
1	12	6.30	2.16	8.10	19.33	7.30	0.61	M8 x 1.25	M6 x 1.0	19.58	-	0.5
2	14	9.53	2.79	11.38	26.57	9.63	0.76	M10 x 1.5	M8 x 1.25	30.73	6	-
3	19	10.72	4.32	15.11	36.68	13.63	1.50	M12 x 1.75	M10 x 1.5	45.80	8	-

<sup>\*</sup>Values are in millimeters

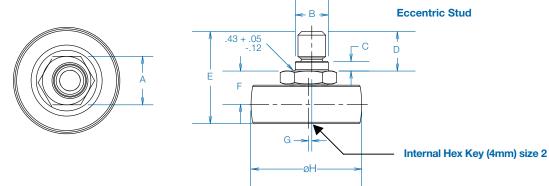




# **Crown Integral Studded Wheels, Polymer**

Size	Α	B¹	C <sup>2</sup>	D <sup>3</sup>	E	F⁴	G	Concentric Stud Thread	Eccentric Stud Thread	н
0	11	5.56	2.16	7.62	16.94	6.15	0.81	M6 x 1.0	M5 x 0.8	14.83
1	12	6.30	2.16	8.10	19.34	7.30	0.84	M8 x 1.25	M6 x 1.0	19.58
2	14	9.53	2.79	11.38	26.56	9.63	0.97	M10 x 1.5	M8 x 1.25	30.73

\*Values are in millimeters



# **Bushings**

- Rigidly affixes guide wheels to a mounting surface in a precise, orthogonal fashion
- Material options include 303 stainless steel or nickel plated carbon steel
- Concentric and eccentric configurations allow for fit up adjustment
- Design calls for a fastener to pass through the bushing and the guide wheel, locking the elements into place against the mounting surface
- Standard and low profile head height configurations are available providing flexibility in wheel height position

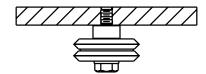


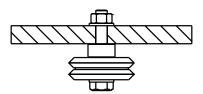
# **Journals**

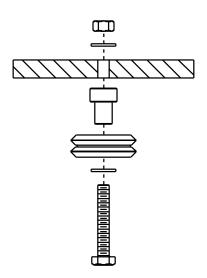
- Combines bushing and fastener into a single piece element
- Allows adjustments from the opposite side of the mounting surface for designs where access to the guide wheel is prohibitive
- Reduces overall number of components per guide
- Concentric and eccentric configurations available
- AISI 303 stainless steel

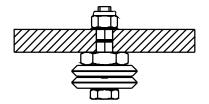


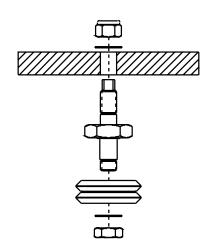
# **Bushings and Journals**







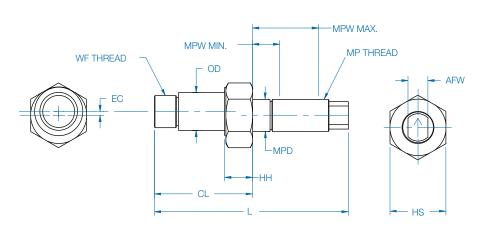


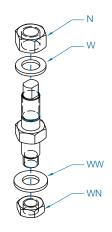


# **Journal Assemblies**

DualVee Size	Part Number	Offset	Head Height	Clearance Length	Length Overall	Outside Diameter	Journal Diameter for Mounting Plate Bore	Mounting Plate Thread		Adjustment Flat Width		Maximum Mounting Plate Width	Minimum Mounting Plate Width	Weight in Grams
		EC	нн	CL	L	OD <sup>1</sup>	MPD <sup>2</sup>	MP THREAD	WF THREAD	AFW	HS	MPW MAX	MPW MIN	Grams
	MJX0A	.010	.250	.635	1.38	.1570	.250	1/4-28	8-32	.125	3/8	.375	.125	140
0	MJC0A	_	.250	.635	1.38	.1570	.250	1/4-28	8-32	.125	3/8	.375	.125	14.0
4	MJX1A	.012	.250	.695	1.44	.1873	.250	1/4-28	10-32	.125	7/16	.375	.125	16.1
'	MJC1A	-	.250	.695	1.44	.1873	.250	1/4-28	10-32	.125	7/16	.375	.125	16.1
2	MJX2A	.024	.281	.966	2.03	.3748	.375	3/8-24	5/16-24	.250	9/16	.500	.187	45.7
2	MJC2A	_	.281	.966	2.03	.3748	.375	3/8-24	5/16-24	.250	9/16	.500	.187	45.7
3	MJX3A	.042	.375	1.275	2.53	.4722	.437	7/16-20	7/16-20	.250	3/4	.625	.250	78.0
3	MJC3A	-	.375	1.275	2.53	.4722	.437	7/16-20	7/16-20	.250	3/4	.625	.250	70.0
4	MJX4A	.060	.437	1.537	3.04	.5904	.500	1/2-20	1/2-20	.312	7/8	.750	.375	133.1
4	MJC4A	_	.437	1.537	3.04	.5904	.500	1/2-20	1/2-20	.312	7/8	.750	.375	133.1
4XI	MJX4XLA	.060	.565	2.045	4.07	.8653	.750	3/4-16	3/4-16	.437	1-1/4	1.125	.750	375.1
	MJC4XLA	-	.565	2.045	4.07	.8653	.750	3/4-16	3/4-16	.437	1-1/4	1.125	.750	373.1

<sup>\*</sup>Values are in inches





Size	Wheel Washer	Wheel Locknut <sup>6</sup>	Mounting Plate Washer	Mounting Plate Locknut <sup>7</sup>
Size	ww	WN	w	N
0	N/A	#8 Nut	1/4 Flat Washer SST	1/4 Nut
1	#8 Flat Washer SST	#10 Nut	1/4 Flat Washer SST	1/4 Nut
2	5/16 Flat Washer SST	5/16 Nut	3/8 Flat Washer SST	3/8 Nut
3	7/16 Flat Washer SST	7/16 Nut	7/16 Flat Washer SST	7/16 Nut
4	1/2 Flat Washer SST	1/2 Nut	1/2 Flat Washer SST	1/2 Nut
4XL	3/4 Flat Washer SST	3/4 Nut	3/4 Flat Washer SST	3/4 Nut

- Outside diameter tolerance, OD, is +0.0000", -0.0007". Size 0 is +0.0000, -.0005.
   Journal diameter tolerance, MPD is +0.000", -0.002".
- Journal Material is AISI 303 stainless steel.
- 4. Part # MJX\_A indicates eccentric (adjustable) bushing; rotation of eccentric allows fit up adjustment between track and guide wheels.
- 5. Part # MJC\_A indicates concentric (stationary) journal; since concentrically mounted wheels have a fixed position, these journals set the alignment of the carriage assembly to the rail. Concentrically mounted wheels should be configured to carry the majority of the load whenever possible.
- 6. Locknut, nylon insert GR2, zinc plated.
- 7. Locknut, nylon insert GR8, zinc plated.

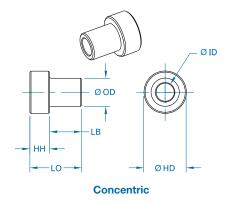
# **Support Bushings - Standard Profile**

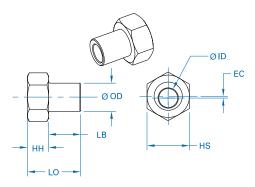
DualVee Size	Part Number <sup>1</sup>	Recommended Fastener Size	Hex Size	Offset	Head Height	Length Body	Length Overall	Outside Diameter	Inside Diameter	Head Diameter	Weight in Grams
Size	Mullipel.	rastellel Size	HS	EC	HH <sup>6</sup>	LB	LO	OD <sup>2</sup>	ID <sup>7,8</sup>	HD	
4	B1	# 6	-	-	.250	.300	.550	.1873	.138	.44	4.6
	BX1	# 6	7/16	.012	.250	.300	.550	.1873	.138	-	5.1
2	B2	1/4	-	_	.281	.425	.706	.3748	.250	.56	10.3
2	BX2	1/4	9/16	.024	.281	.425	.706	.3748	.250	-	11.0
3	ВЗ	5/16	-	-	.375	.615	.990	.4722	.3125	.75	25.0
3	BX3	5/16	3/4	.042	.375	.615	.990	.4722	.3125	-	27.1
4	B4	3/8	-	-	.437	.740	1.177	.5904	.375	.88	42.4
4	BX4	3/8	7/8	.060	.437	.740	1.177	.5904	.375	-	45.6
41/1	B4XL	9/16	-	-	.565	.990	1.555	.8650	.5625	1.25	112.8
4XL	BX4XL	9/16	1 1/4	.060	.565	.990	1.555	.8650	.5625	-	121.4

<sup>\*</sup>Values are in inches

DualVee	Part	Recommended	Hex Size	Offset	Head Height	Length Body	Length Overall	Outside Diameter	Inside Diameter	Head Diameter
Size	Number <sup>1</sup>	Fastener Size	HS	EC	HH <sup>6</sup>	LB	LO	OD <sup>2</sup>	ID <sup>7,8</sup>	HD
4	MB1	M4	-	-	6.22	7.6	13.8	4.76	3.96	11.2
, I	MBX1	M4	12	0.25	6.22	7.6	13.8	4.76	3.96	-
2	MB2	M6	-	-	6.65	10.8	17.4	9.52	6.00	14.2
2	MBX2	M6	14	0.61	6.65	10.8	17.4	9.52	6.00	_
3	MB3	M8	-	-	9.47	15.6	25.1	11.99	8.00	19.1
3	MBX3	M8	19	1.07	9.47	15.6	25.1	11.99	8.00	-
4	MB4	M10	-	-	11.10	18.8	29.9	15.00	10.00	22.4
4	MBX4	M10	22	1.52	11.10	18.8	29.9	15.00	10.00	-
4)/1	MB4XL	M14	-	-	14.35	25.1	39.5	21.97	14.00	31.8
4XL	MBX4XL	M14	30	1.52	14.35	25.1	39.5	21.97	14.00	-

<sup>\*</sup>Values are in millimeters





**Eccentric** 

- 1. Standard materials are electroless nickel plated carbon steel or 303 stainless steel. Add "-SS" to the end of the part number for stainless steel.
- 2. The bushing's outside diameter is designed to fit the corresponding size DualVee $^{\circ}$  guide wheel. Outside diameter (OD) tolerance is +0.000, -0.001.
- 3. Part # BX indicates eccentric (adjustable) bushing; rotation of eccentric allows fit up adjustment between track and guide wheels.
- 4. All mounting information within this catalog assumes a central position of the eccentric bushing, thus allowing wheel position adjustment from "+EC" to "-EC".
- 5. Part # B\_ or part # MB\_ indicates concentric (stationary) bushing; Since concentrically mounted wheels have a fixed position, these bushings set the alignment of the carriage assembly to the rail. Concentrically mounted wheels should be configured to carry the majority of the load whenever possible.
- 6. Head height (HH) tolerance is  $\pm 0.001$  inches, or  $\pm 0.03$  mm.
- 7. Inside diameter (ID) tolerance is +0.002 inches, -0.001 inches.
- 8. Inside diameter (ID) tolerance is +0 05 mm -0.025 mm metric, except for MB1 and MBX1, which have a tolerance of +0.05mm, -0.00mm.

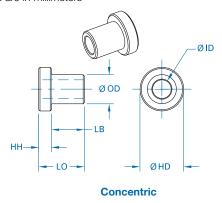
# **Support Bushings - Low Profile**

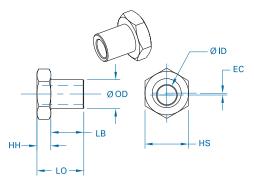
DualVee Size	Part Number <sup>1</sup>	Recommended	Hex Size	Offset	Head Height	Length Body	Length Overall	Outside Diameter	Inside Diameter	Head Diameter	Weight in
Size	Number	Fastener Size	HS	EC	HH <sup>6</sup>	LB	LO	OD <sup>2</sup>	ID <sup>7,8</sup>	HD	Grams
4	1PWBC	M4	-	-	.080	.300	.380	.1873	.158	.44	1.5
1	1PWBX	M4	7/16	.007	.080	.300	.380	.1873	.158	-	1.6
2	2PWBC	1/4	-	-	.100	.425	.525	.3748	.250	.56	5.7
	2PWBX	1/4	9/16	.024	.100	.425	.525	.3748	.250	-	6.0
3	3PWBC	5/16	-	-	.125	.615	.740	.4722	.3125	.75	13.4
S	3PWBX	5/16	3/4	.042	.125	.615	.740	.4722	.3125	-	14.1
4	4PWBC	3/8	-	-	.125	.740	.865	.5904	.375	.88	23.0
4	4PWBX	3/8	7/8	.060	.125	.740	.865	.5904	.375	-	24.0
4XL	4XLPWBC	9/16	-	-	.188	.990	1.178	.8650	.5625	1.25	68.2
4AL	4XLPWBX	9/16	1 1/4	.060	.188	.990	1.178	.8650	.5625	-	70.9

<sup>\*</sup>Values are in inches

DualVee	Part	Recommended	Hex Size	Offset	Head Height	Length Body	Length Overall	Outside Diameter	Inside Diameter	Head Diameter
Size	Number <sup>1</sup>	Fastener Size	HS	EC	HH <sup>6</sup>	LB	LO	OD <sup>2</sup>	ID <sup>7,8</sup>	HD
4	M1PWBC	M4	-	-	2.11	7.6	9.7	4.76	3.96	11.2
1	M1PWBX	M4	12	0.18	2.11	7.6	9.7	4.76	3.96	-
2	M2PWBC	M6	-	-	2.64	10.8	13.4	9.52	6.00	14.2
2	M2PWBX	M6	14	0.61	2.64	10.8	13.4	9.52	6.00	-
3	M3PWBC	M8	-	-	3.48	15.6	19.1	11.99	8.00	19.1
3	M3PWBX	M8	19	1.07	3.48	15.6	19.1	11.99	8.00	-
4	M4PWBC	M10	-	-	3.10	18.8	21.9	15.00	10.00	22.4
4	M4PWBX	M10	22	1.52	3.10	18.8	21.9	15.00	10.00	-
45/1	M4XLPWBC	M14	-	-	5.10	25.1	30.3	21.97	14.00	31.8
4XL	M4XLPWBX	M14	30	1.52	5.10	25.1	30.3	21.97	14.00	-

<sup>\*</sup>Values are in millimeters





Eccentric

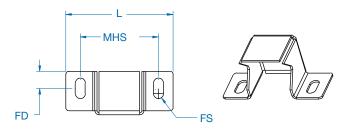
- 1. Low profile support bushings are available in 303 stainless steel only.
- 2. The bushing's outside diameter is designed to fit the corresponding size DualVee® guide wheel. Outside diameter (OD) tolerance is +0.000, -0.001 inches or +0.00 mm, -0.03 mm.
- 3. Part # \_PWBX indicates eccentric (adjustable) bushing; rotation of eccentric allows fit up adjustment between track and guide wheels.
- 4. All mounting information within this catalog assumes a central position of the eccentric bushing, thus allowing wheel position adjustment from "+EC" to "EC".
- 5. Part # \_PWBC or part # M\_PWBC indicates concentric (stationary) bushing; Since concentrically mounted wheels have a fixed position, these bushings set the alignment of the carriage assembly to the rail. Concentrically mounted wheels should be configured to carry the majority of the load whenever possible.
- 6. Head height (HH) tolerance is  $\pm 0.001$  inches or  $\pm 0.03$  mm.
- 7. Inside diameter (ID) tolerance is +0.002 inches, -0.001 inches.
- 8. Inside diameter (ID) tolerance is +0.05 mm, -0.025 mm metric, except for M1PWBC, which have a tolerance of +0.05mm, -0.00mm.

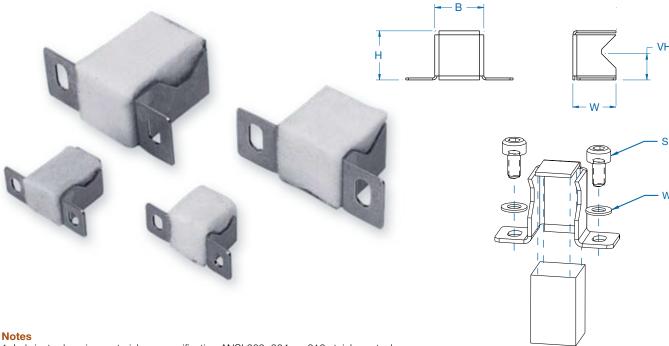
# **Lubricator Assemblies**

Lubricator Profile	DualVee Size	Part Number	Overall Length	Mounting Hole Spacing	Body Length	Height	Width	Vee Height Location	Fastener Hole	Fastener Hole Size Diameter	Fastener
			L	MHS	В	Н	W	VH	FD	FS	S <sup>3</sup>
MinVee	0	MVOTL	.70 (17.8 mm)	.472 (12.0 mm)	.23 (5.84 mm)	.360 (9.14 mm)	.30 (7.62 mm)	.17 (4.32 mm)	.115 (2.92 mm)	.094 (2.39 mm)	M2x.4x4mm
Standard Height	1 & 2	TL12A	1.10 (27.9 mm)	.787 (20.0 mm)	.47 (12.0 mm)	.69 (17.5 mm)	.45 (11.4 mm)	.435 (11.05 mm)	.18 (4.6 mm)	.12 (3.0 mm)	M3x.5x6mm
Bushings	3 & 4	TL34A	1.84 (46.7 mm)	1.339 (34.0 mm)	.84 (21.3 mm)	1.20 (30.5 mm)	.74 (18.8 mm)	.753 (19.13 mm)	.29 (7.4 mm)	.17 (4.3 mm)	M4x.7x8mm
Low Profile	1 & 2	TL12LPA	1.10 (27.9 mm)	.787 (20.0 mm)	.47 (12.0 mm)	.53 (13.5 mm)	.45 (11.4 mm)	.278 (7.06 mm)	.18 (4.6 mm)	.12 (3.0 mm)	M3x.5x6mm
Bushings	3 & 4	TL34LPA	1.84 (46.7 mm)	1.339 (34.0 mm)	.84 (21.3 mm)	.84 (21.3 mm)	.74 (18.8 mm)	.485 (12.32 mm)	.29 (7.4 mm)	.17 (4.3 mm)	M4x.7x8mm
lategral	1&2	TL12BWP	1.13 (28.6 mm)	.799 (20.3 mm)	.47 (12.0 mm)	.58 (14.7 mm)	.45 (24.4 mm)	.323 (8.19 mm)	.18 (4.6 mm)	.12 (3.0 mm)	M3x.5x10mm
Integral Wheels SWI & BWI	3&4	TL34BWP	1.84 (46.7 mm)	1.339 (34.0 mm)	.84 (21.3 mm)	1.01 (25.8 mm)	.74 (18.8 mm)	.597 (15.16 mm)	.29 (7.4 mm)	.17 (4.3 mm)	M3x.5x10mm (size 3) M4x.7x10mm (size 4)

<sup>\*</sup>Values are in inches (millimeters)

- Easy to install/available from stock
- Dispenses a thin film of oil along the Vee way
- Lubricating properties increases load capacity and service life
- Stainless steel lubricator housing
- Lubricant and felt replacements available upon request





- 1. Lubricator housing material per specification ANSI 303, 304, or 316 stainless steel.
- 2. Felt material is white, pure wool, per specification SAE F-10 or ASTM 9R1.
- 3. Lubricators are supplied complete with socket head cap screws and washers (stainless steel).
- 4. A vial of synthetic oil is provided.

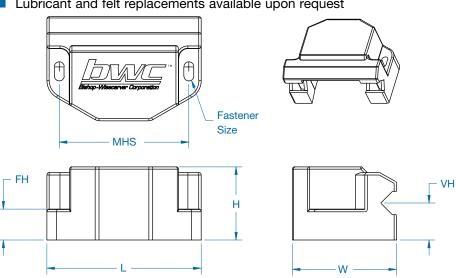
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# **Wheel Cover/Lubricator Assemblies**

Wheel Cover Profile	Size	Part Number	Length	Mounting Hole Spacing	Height	Fastener Height	Width	Vee Height	Fastener Hole Size	Fastener
			L	MHS	Н	FH	W	VH	Metric	S³
	1	WC1A	1.40 (35.6 mm)	1.20 (30.5 mm)	.71 (8.1 mm)	.32 (8.1 mm)	.90 (22.9 mm)	.404 (10.3 mm)	M2	M2x.4x12 mm
Standard	2	WC2A	2.00 (50.8 mm)	1.68 (42.7 mm)	.95 (24.1 mm)	.40 (10.1 mm)	1.35 (34.3 mm)	.480 (12.2 mm)	M3	M3x.5x16 mm
Height Bushing	3	WC3A	2.67 (67.8 mm)	2.34 (59.4 mm)	1.34 (34.0 mm)	.60 (15.3 mm)	1.98 (50.3 mm)	.690 (17.5 mm)	M3	M3x.5x20 mm
	4	WC4A	3.50 (88.9 mm)	3.07 (78.0 mm)	1.58 (40.1 mm)	.76 (19.3 mm)	2.50 (63.5 mm)	.813 (20.7 mm)	M4	M4x.7x25 mm
	1	WC1LPA	1.40 (35.6 mm)	1.20 (30.5 mm)	.55 (14.0 mm)	.16 (4.1 mm)	.90 (22.9 mm)	.247 (6.3 mm)	M2	M2x.4x8 mm
Low Profile	2	WC2LPA	2.00 (50.8 mm)	1.68 (42.7 mm)	.77 (19.6 mm)	.22 (5.6 mm)	1.35 (3.43 mm)	.303 (7.7 mm)	МЗ	M3x.5x12 mm
Bushing	3	WC3LPA	2.67 (67.8 mm)	2.34 (59.4 mm)	1.10 (28.0 mm)	.37 (9.4 mm)	1.98 (50.3 mm)	.454 (11.5 mm)	M3	M3x.5x16 mm
	4	WC4LPA	3.50 (88.9 mm)	3.07 (78.0 mm)	1.27 (32.3 mm)	0.45 (11.4 mm)	2.50 (63.5 mm)	.498 (12.6 mm)	M4	M4x.7x20 mm
	1	WC1SWI	1.50 (38.0 mm)	1.25 (31.8 mm)	.525 (13.3 mm)		.96 (24.4 mm)	.287 (7.3 mm)		
Integral Wheel SWI and BWI	2	WC2SWI	1.96 (49.8 mm)	1.68 (42.7 mm)	.665 (16.9 mm)	.055	1.345 (34.2mm)	.379 (9.6 mm)	M3	M3x.5x10 mm
Bushing	3	WC3SWI	2.65 (67.3 mm)	2.34 (59.4 mm)	.915 (23.24 mm)	(1.4 mm)	1.97 (50.0 mm)	.536 (13.6 mm)		
	4	WC4SWI	3.46 (87.9 mm)	3.07 (78.0 mm)	1.155 (29.3 mm)		2.55 (64.8 mm)	.644 (16.4 mm)	M4	M4x.7x10 mm

<sup>\*</sup>Values are in inches (millimeters)

- Protects the wheel/track contact region
- Sweeps aside debris that may collect on the track
- Continually dispenses a thin film of oil along the Vee way
- Lubricating properties increase load capacity and service life
- Covers rolling element contact surface satisfying safety requirements
- Lubricant and felt replacements available upon request



- 1. Wheel cover material is ABS black.
- 2. Felt material is white, pure wool, per specification SAE F-10 or ASTM 9R1.
- 3. Wheel covers are supplied complete with socket head cap screws and washers (stainless steel).
- 4. A vial of synthetic oil is provided.

# Single Edge Track - Undrilled

DualVee Size	Width	Height	Mounting Shoulder Location	Mounting Shoulder to Center Line	Mounting Shoulder Depth	Weight
	W	Н	MDT	MSC	MSD	(lbs./ft)
T1	.437	.187	.125	.031	.062	.183
T2	.625	.250	.187	.031	.094	.343
T3	.875	.343	.250	.062	.109	.690
T4	1.062	.437	.312	.093	.125	1.100

<sup>\*</sup>Values are in inches

# **Part Numbering**

T\_-XX AISI 1045 carbon steel running surface hardened to a minimum of Rc 53, polished and oiled

TS\_-XX AISI 1045 carbon steel running surface unhardened (Rc 22-25), as formed, oiled

T\_-SS-XX AISI 420 stainless steel running surface hardened to a minimum of Rc 40, polished and oiled

TS\_-SS-XX AISI 420 stainless steel running surface unhardened (Rc 20-22), as formed, oiled

The underscore must be filled in with the appropriate DualVee track size (1, 2, 3, or 4) XX = length in foot increments (1 to 20 feet hardened or 1 to 22 feet unhardened)

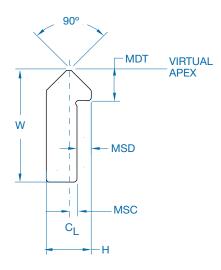
# **Examples**

T1-1 represents a size 1 track, carbon steel, hardened, 1 foot length TS2-SS-12 represents a size 2 track, stainless steel, unhardened, 12 foot length



# **Undrilled**

- Easy installation/available from stock
- Patented mounting shoulder allows for accurate positioning of Vee ways
- Available "as formed," or induction hardened and polished
- Induction hardened track remains soft below the mounting shoulder, allowing for drilling or other machining
- Available in either AISI 1045 carbon steel or 420 stainless steel
- Available undrilled or pre-drilled for ease of installation
- Can be easily butt-joined for stroke lengths exceeding maximum single piece lengths (20 feet plus)
- Ground track Ra 0.2 to 0.4mm (N4-N5 finish) to enhance corrosion resistance of stainless steel track



- 1. The overall length tolerance is  $\pm 1/16$  inch.
- 2. For non-standard track lengths or other non-standard options, contact Bishop-Wisecarver for quotation.
- 3. Available coating/plating options include black oxide, thin dense chrome, and nickel, contact Bishop-Wisecarver for quotation.
- 4. Maximum single piece track lengths: hardened = 20 feet, unhardened = 22 feet.

# **Single Edge Track - Drilled Standard Lengths**

DualVee Size	Part Number	Number of Holes	Length	End Hole Spacing	Hole to Hole Spacing	Hole Size Thru (Diameter)	Mounting Hole Location	
OIZC	Number	oi noies	L <sup>3</sup>	ES <sup>4</sup>	HS⁵	MH <sup>6</sup>	MHL <sup>7</sup>	
	T1-1250-7	7	12.50					
	T1-2450-13	13	24.50					
1	T1-3650-19	19	36.50	.250	2.000	.156	.156	
·	T1-4850-25	25	48.50	.200	2.000	.100	.100	
	T1-6050-31	31	60.50					
	T1-7250-37	37	72.50					
	T2-1263-5	5	12.63					
	T2-2463-9	9	24.63					
2	T2-3663-13	13	36.63	.315	3.000	.203	.219	
_	T2-4863-17	17	48.63	.010	0.000	.200	.210	
	T2-6063-21	21	60.63					
	T2-7263-25	25	72.63					
	T3-1275-5	5	12.75					
	T3-2475-9	9	24.75					
3	T3-3675-13	13	36.75	.375	3.000	.281	.313	
	T3-4875-17	17	48.75	10.0	0.000	.201	10.10	
	T3-6075-21	21	60.75					
	T3-7275-25	25	72.75					
	T4-1300-4	4	13.00					
	T4-2500-7	7	25.00					
4	T4-3700-10	10	37.00	.500	4.000	.344	.375	
	T4-4900-13	13	49.00	.300	500	.511	.570	
	T4-6100-16	16	61.00					
	T4-7300-19	19	73.00					

<sup>\*</sup>Values are in inches

# **Part Numbering**

T -XXXX-Y AISI 1045 carbon steel hardened to a minimum of Rc 53, polished and oiled

TS -XXXX-Y AISI 1045 carbon steel unhardened (Rc 22-25), as formed, oiled

T -SS-XXXX-Y AISI 420 stainless steel hardened to a minimum of Rc 40, polished and oiled

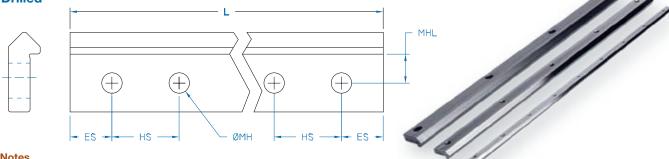
TS -SS-XXXX-Y AISI 420 stainless steel unhardened (Rc 20-22), as formed, oiled

The underscore must be filled in with the appropriate DualVee track size (1, 2, 3, or 4) XXXX = (dimension L) x 100 Y = the total number of holes in the track

# **Examples**

T3-7275-25 represents a size 3 track, carbon steel, hardened, 72.75 inches long, with a total of 25 holes along the length TS2-SS-1263-5 represents a size 2 track, stainless steel, unhardened, 12.63 inches long, with a total of 5 holes along the length

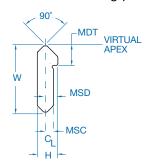
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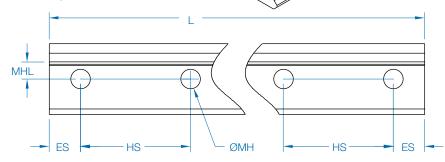


- 1. Available coating/plating options include black oxide, thin dense chrome, and nickel.
- 2. Non-standard hole patterns can be accommodated. Non-standard track options are quoted upon request.
- 3. Overall length tolerance is  $\pm 0.015$  inches (dimension L).
- 4. End hole spacing tolerance is ±0.005 (dimension ES).
- 5. Hole to hole spacing tolerance is  $\pm 0.005$  non-cumulative (dimension HS).
- 6. Hole diameter tolerance is ±0.005 (dimension MH).
- 7. Mounting hole location tolerance is  $\pm 0.005$  (dimension MHL).
- 8. Ground track Ra 0.2 to 0.4mm (N4-N5 finish) to enhance corrosion resistance of stainless steel track.

# **Double Edge Track - Size 0 MinVee™ Drilled and Undrilled**

- Patented mounting shoulder to accurately position Vee ways
- Double edge design ensures parallel Vee ways
- Pre-drilled track, immediate installation, no matching required
- AISI 1045 carbon steel, hardened (Rc 53), polished, oiled
- AISI 1045 carbon steel, unhardened (Rc 22-25), as formed, oiled
- Custom coating/plating options: black oxide, electroless and nickel





# Size 0 Drilled

Part Number	Number of Holes	Length	Vee Way Surface	Vee Way Surface Hardness	Hole Spacing	End Hole Spacing	Hole Size (Thru)	Hole Location
		L <sup>2</sup>	Condition	Rockwell C	HS⁴	ES <sup>3</sup>	MH <sup>5</sup>	MHL <sup>6</sup>
TD0-650-4	4	6.50						
TD0-1250-7	7	12.50						
TD0-1850-10	10	18.50	l lavelava a el	RC 53 Minimum	2.000	.25	.156	100
TD0-2450-13	13	24.50	Hardened					.138
TD0-3050-16	16	30.50						
TD0-3650-19	19	36.50						
TDS0-650-4	4	6.50						
TDS0-1250-7	7	12.50						
TDS0-1850-10	10	18.50	l lab and a and	DO 00 05	0.000	0.5	150	100
TDS0-2450-13	13	24.50	Unhardened	RC 22-25	2.000	.25	.156	.138
TDS0-3050-16	16	30.50						
TDS0-3650-19	19	36.50						

<sup>\*</sup>Values are in inches

- 1. For non-standard track lengths or other non-standard options, contact Bishop-Wisecarver for quotation.
- 2. The over-all length tolerance is  $\pm 0.015$  inches (dimension L).
- 3. End hole spacing tolerance is ±0.005 inches (dimension ES).
- 4. Hole to hole spacing tolerance is ±0.005 inches (dimension HS).
- 5. Hole diameter tolerance is ±0.005 inches (dimension MH).
- 6. Mounting hole location tolerance is ±0.005 inches (dimension MHL).

# Size 0 Undrilled

DualVee Size	Part Number	Width	Height	Mounting Shoulder Location	Mounting Shoulder to Center Line	Mounting Shoulder Depth	Weight	Condition	Vee Way Surface Hardness
		W H		MDT	MSC	MSD	(lbs./ft)		Rockwell C
0	TD0	.516	.153	.158	.06	.033	.171	Hardened	Rc 53 min
0	TDS0	.516	.153	.158	.06	.033	.171	Unhardened	Rc 22-25

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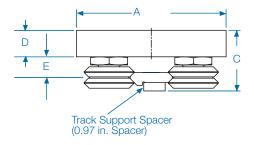
- 1. The over-all length tolerance is  $\pm$  1/16 inch.
- 2. For non-standard track lengths or other non-standard options, contact Bishop-Wisecarver for quotation.
- 3. Maximum single piece track lengths: hardened = 20 feet; unhardened = 22 feet.

# Size 0 MinVee™ Wheel Plates

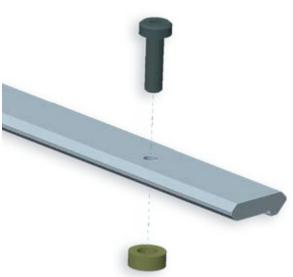
Size	Part Number	Overall Length	Overall Width	Assembly Height	Wheel Plate Height	Wheel Vee Height	Wheel Spacing Width	Mounting Hole Length	Track Lubricator Mounting Hole Spacing Width	Track Lubricator Mounting Hole Spacing Length (same side as Track)	Track Lubricator Mounting Hole Thread
	Non- Driven	Α	В	С	D	E	F	G	н	1.0	J
0 MinVee™	MVOWPAX MVOWPAP	1.75 in 44.45 mm	2.00 in 50.8 mm	.709 in 18.0 mm	.310 in 7.87 mm	.242 in 6.15 mm	.984 in 24.99 mm	.866 in 22.0 mm	.472 in 11.99 mm	.692 in 17.6 mm	M2 x 0.4 mm

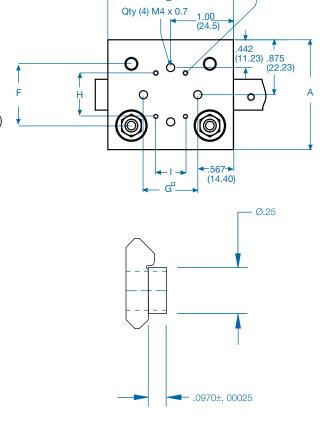
# Load Capacity - Based on 100km Service Life

Wheel Carriage Type	Axial Working Load	Radial Working Load	Pitch Moment	Yaw Moment	Roll Moment	Weight in Grams	
.,,,,,	L <sub>A</sub>	<b>L</b> R	Mp	M <sub>Y</sub>	M <sub>R</sub>		
	540 N	490 N	7.9 Nm	8.6 Nm	6.2 Nm		
Steel	121.4 lbf	110.2 lbf	69.9 lbf in	76.1 lbf in	54.9 lbf in	84.3	
Sieei	Maximum Spe	eed	5m/sec		(16.4 ft/sec)	04.3	
	Maximum Aco	celeration	49m/sec <sup>2</sup>		(5 g's)		
	66.7 N	65 N	1.4Nm	4.5Nm	1Nm		
Polymer	15 lbf	14.6 lbf	12.4 lbf in	39.8 lbf in	8.8 lbf in	71.7	
	Maximum Spe	eed	1m/sec		(39.9 ft/sec)		
	Maximum Aco	celeration	29.4m/se	$c^2$	(3g's)		



■ Track Support .097 in. spacer, part# MV0S18H (optional)





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# QuickTrak® Wheel Plates and Track

# **Loads and Speeds**

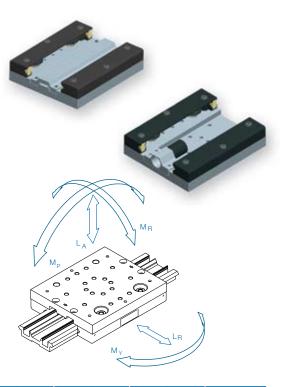
Load Capacities	Metric	English
L <sub>A</sub>	133 N	30 lbs.
L <sub>R</sub>	110 N	24 lbs.
Maximum Speed	1 m/s	39.3 in./sec
Maximum Acceleration	3.0	g's
Moment Capacities		
Pitch, Mp	9 N-m	79.7 lbfin.
Yaw M <sub>Y</sub>	4 N-m	35.4 lbfin.
Roll, M <sub>R</sub>	3 N-m	26.5 lbfin.
Maximum Single Piece Track Plate Length	3.65 meters	143.7 in.
Maximum Travel Length-Belt System (Single Piece Support Beam)	3530 mm	138.18 in.
Maximum Travel Length - Lead Screw System	900 mm	35.4 in.

# Wheel Plate

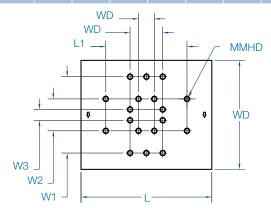
- Multiple mounting holes provide a highly versatile platform
- Mounting holes configured for gantry applications (with optional bracketry)
- Wheel Plate weights:

1.13 lbs. - belt

0.99 lbs. - lead screw

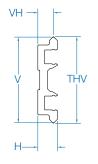


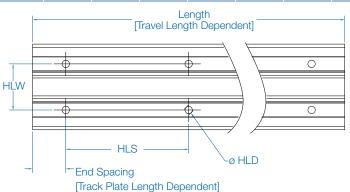
ı		w	D	L	.1	L	.2	L	.3	V	W1 W2 W3		3	MMTHD		
(mm)	(inch)	(mm)	(inch)	(mm)	(inch)	(mm)	(inch)	(mm)	(inch)	(mm)	(inch)	(mm)	(inch)	(mm)	(inch)	
120.0	4 72	100.0	3.94	74 47	2 932	30.0	1 181	14 48	57	70.0	2 758	29 26	1 152	9.91	39	M5x0.8



# **Track Plate**

	4	V	VH		VH		VH		V		THV		HLS		HLW		HLD	
(mm)	(inch)	(mm)	(inch)	(mm)	(inch)	(mm)	(inch)	(mm)	(inch)	(mm)	(inch)	(mm)	(inch)					
12.7	.50	10.11	.398	55.77	2.195	56.44	2.222	100	3.94	30	1.18	4.8	.19					





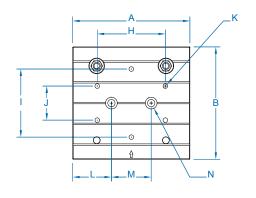
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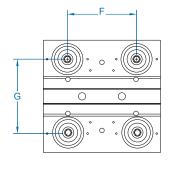
		Part Number				Overall Width	Assembly Height	Wheel Plate Height	Wheel Vee Height	
Size	Shielded Wheels		Sealed	Wheels					_	
	Track Lubricator	Wheel Cover	Track Lubricator	Wheel Cover	A B		C D		E	
1	BWP1SWTLBC	BWP1SWWCBC	BWP1XSWTLBC	BWP1XSWWCBC	3.54 in (90.0 mm)	3.15 in (80.0 mm)	.909 in (23.09 mm)	.446 in (11.33 mm)	.733 in (18.63 mm)	
2	BWP2SWTLBC	BWP2SWWCBC	BWP2XSWTLBC	BWP2XSWWCBC	5.00 in (127.0 mm)	4.57 in (116.0 mm)	1.165 in (29.59 mm)	.567 in (14.40 mm)	.946 in (24.03 mm)	
3	BWP3SWTLBC	BWP3SWWCBC	BWP3XSWTLBC	BWP3XSWWCBC	6.77 in (172.0 mm)	6.50 in (165.0 mm)	1.572 in (39.93 mm)	.723 in (18.36 mm)	1.260 in (32.00 mm)	
4	BWP4SWTLBC	BWP4SWWCBC	BWP4XSWTLBC	BWP4XSWWCBC	9.53 in (242.0 mm)	8.74 in (222.0 mm)	1.871 in (47.52 mm)	.852 in (21.64 mm)	1.496 in (38.00 mm)	

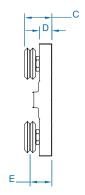
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Size	Wheel Spacing Length	Wheel Spacing Width	Mounting Hole Length	Mounting Hole Width 1	Mounting Hole Width 2	Mounting Hole Thread	Belt/Chain Coupler Mounting Hole to Edge	Belt/Chain Coupler Mounting Hole to Hole Length	Coupler Fastener Belt/Chain Drive	Weight in Grams
	2.00 in	2.098 in	1.869 in	1.969 in	.984 in		1.274 in	1.05 in		
1	(50.8 mm)	(53.29 mm)	(50.01 mm)	(50.0 mm)	(25.0 mm)	M4 x 0.7	(32.36 mm)	(26.67 mm)	M5	308.0
2	3.00 in 76.2 mm	3.150 in (80.0 mm)	2.992 in (76.0 mm)	2.992 in (76.0 mm)	1.496 in (38.0 mm)	M6 x 1.0	1.600 in (40.6 mm)	1.80 in (45.7 mm)	M8	830.0
3	4.00 in (101.6 mm)	4.300 in (109.22 mm)	3.937 in (100.0 mm)	3.937 in (100.0 mm)	1.969 in (50.0 mm)	M8 x 1.25	2.236 in (56.79 mm)	2.30 in (58.42 mm)	M10	2141.0
	6.00 in	5.774 in	5.984 in	5.984 in	2.599 in		2.764 in	4.00 in		
4	(152.4 mm)	(146.66 mm)	(152.0 mm)	(152.0 mm)	(66.0 mm)	M10 x 1.5	(70.21 mm)	4.00 m (101.6 mm)	M12	4754.0

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**Belt/Chain Driven Carriage** 

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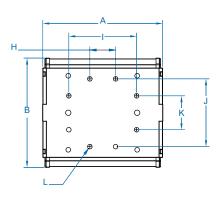
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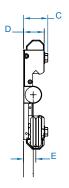
	Part Number		Overall Length	Overall Width	Assembly Height	Wheel Plate Height	Wheel Vee Height	Wheel Spacing Length
	Carbon Steel	Corrosion Resistant	A	В	С	D	E	F
1	M1AWPW	M1AWPW-SS	3.700 in (93.98 mm)	3.07 in (78.0 mm)	.730 in (18.54 mm)	.650 in (16.51 mm)	.374 in (9.50 mm)	2.00 in (50.8 mm)
2	M2AWPW	M2AWPW-SS	5.114 in (129.90 mm)	4.54 in (115.3 mm)	1.041 in (26.44 mm)	.916 in (23.27 mm)	.550 in (13.97 mm)	3.00 in (76.2 mm)
3	M3AWPW	M3AWPW-SS	6.990 in (177.55 mm)	6.35 in (161.3 mm)	1.403 in (35.64 mm)	1.193 in (30.30 mm)	.709 in (18.01 mm)	4.00 in (101.6 mm)
4	M4AWPW	M4AWPW-SS	9.600 in (243.84 mm)	8.39 in (213.1 mm)	1.798 in (45.67 mm)	1.553 in (39.45 mm)	.945 in (24.0 mm)	6.00 in (152.4 mm)

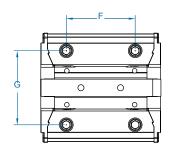
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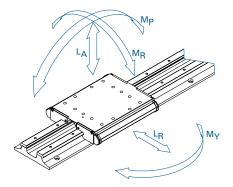
Size	Wheel Spacing Width	Mounting Hole Length 1	Mounting Hole Length 2	Mounting Hole Width 1	Mounting Hole Width 2	Mounting Hole Thread	Weight in Kg
	G	н	1	J	K	L	
1	2.098 in (53.29 mm)	N/A	1.969 in (50.0 mm)	1.969 in (50.0 mm)	.984 in (25.0 mm)	M4 x 0.7	.19
2	3.150 in (80.01 mm)	1.181 in (30.0 mm)	2.992 in (76.0 mm)	2.992 in (76.0 mm)	1.496 in (38.0 mm)	M6 x 1.0	.62
3	4.300 in (109.22 mm)	1.496 in (38.0 mm)	3.937 in (100.0 mm)	3.937 in (100.0 mm)	1.969 in (50.0 mm)	M8 x 1.25	1.61
4	5.774 in (146.66 mm)	2.598 in (66.0 mm)	5.984 in (152.0 mm)	5.984 in (152.0 mm)	2.599 in (66.0 mm)	M10 x 1.5	4.00

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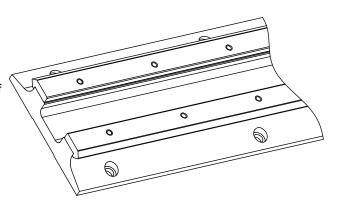


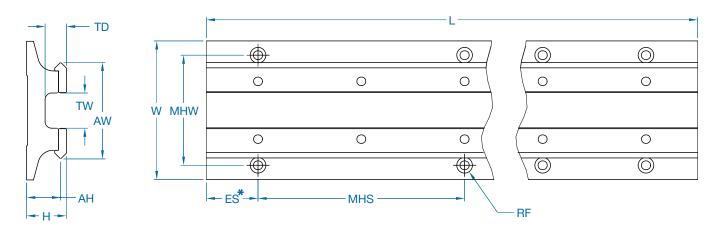


DualVee Size	Radial Working Load Capacity	Axial Working Load Capacity	Pitch Moment Capacity	Yaw Moment Capacity	Roll Moment Capacity
	L <sub>R max</sub> (N)	L <sub>A max</sub> (N)	M <sub>P</sub> (NM)	M <sub>Y</sub> (NM)	M <sub>R</sub> (NM)
1	1166	988	25	30	26
2	2805	2449	93	107	98
3	6026	6668	339	306	364
4	9220	15682	1195	703	1150

# **Size 1 to 4 Track Plate Assemblies**

- Provides the lowest profile linear guidance
- Induction-hardened, single edge track is available in either carbon steel or stainless steel. Add -SS to end of part number for stainless steel version when ordering.
- Track plate assemblies are butt joinable for long stroke requirements
- Lightweight anodized aluminum substrate





\*ES = End Spacing; Dimension is contingent upon track plate length. Please consult factory.

0:	Size Part Number		Width	Overall Height	Vee Height	Vee Width	Inner Width
Size			w	н	AH	AW	TW
1	M1ATP	M1ATP-SS	50.0 mm (1.969 in)	15.9 mm (.625 in)	13.5 mm (.531 in)	37.4 mm (1.473 in)	12.7 mm (.500 in)
2	M2ATP	M2ATP-SS	72.0 mm (2.835 in)	22.2 mm (.874 in)	19.0 mm (.748 in)	54.6 mm (2.150 in)	20.3 mm (.799 in)
3	МЗАТР	M3ATP-SS	102.0 mm (4.016 in)	29.4 mm (1.157 in)	25.0 mm (.984 in)	71.1 mm (2.799 in)	25.9 mm (1.020 in)
4	M4ATP	M4ATP-SS	140.0 mm (5.512 in)	36.6 mm (1.441 in)	31.0 mm (1.221 in)	95.8 mm (3.773 in)	39.4 mm (1.551 in)

Size	Part Inner Depth		Mounting Hole Width	Mounting Hole Length Space	Recommended Fastener	Weight in	
Size	Number	TD	MHW	мнѕ	RF-Low Head Cap Screws	Kg/m	
1	M1ATP	9.3 mm (.366 in)	40.0 mm (1.575 in)	76.0 mm (2.992 in)	МЗ	1.64	
2	M2ATP	12.9 mm (.508 in)	59.0 mm (2.323 in)	126.0 mm (4.961 in)	M5	3.45	
3	МЗАТР	15.8 mm (.622 in)	81.0 mm (3.189 in)	152.0 mm (5.984 in)	M6	6.00	
4	M4ATP	22.9 mm (.902 in)	111.0 mm (4.370 in)	178.0 mm (7.008 in)	M8	10.02	

<sup>\*</sup>Values are in millimeters (inches)

# **TECHNICAL REFERENCE**

# **Mounting Dimensions/Formula**

# **DualVee®-based Wheel Plate and Track Plate Assemblies**

When fabricating a DualVee® linear guide from componentry, the following (formulae) are applicable for mating carriage plate and track plate designs:

# Size 0

For size 0 double edge track using size 0 guide wheels, A = 0.984 (25.0 mm) see Figure 1.

# A

Figure 1 Double Edge Mounting (Size 0 only)

# Size 1 to 4XL

For sizes 1 through 4 DualVee® single edge track with equivalent sized guide wheels:

- Inboard Mounting (See Figure 2): A = B + X
- Outboard Mounting (See Figure 3): A = C X
- Exterior Mounting (See Figure 4): A = D Y

A = hole centers for wheel plate

# A A B B

Figure 2 Inboard Mounting

# **Mounting Constants**

DualVee	)	<b>(</b>	Y		
Size	inch	mm	inch	mm	
1	.874	22.20 mm	.934	23.72 mm	
2	1.374	34.90 mm	1.436	36.47 mm	
3	2.000	50.80 mm	2.124	53.95 mm	
4	2.624	66.60 mm	2.750	69.85 mm	
4XL	3.124	79.35 mm	3.500	88.90 mm	

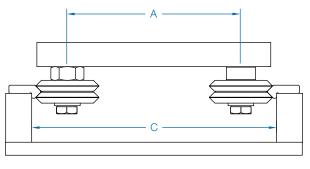


Figure 3 Outboard Mounting



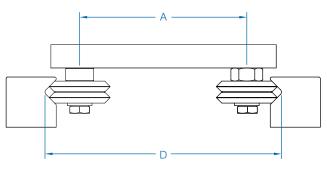


Figure 4 Exterior Mounting

- 1. Information above uses the same size DualVee® track and wheel except for size 4XL which uses W4XXL guide wheel with size T4 track.
- 2. Side views shown only, length of wheel plates can be any length required.
- 3. It is recommended that wheel plates be constructed with concentric bushings on one side of the plate and eccentric bushings on the opposing side.
- 4. "D" dimension is to the theoretical sharp of the 90° angle.

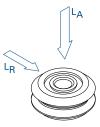
# Load/Life Relationship

Several factors influence the service life of a DualVee linear guide. Through research and development spanning over thirty years, Bishop-Wisecarver has devised a simple method to estimate the load/life relationship for a specific DualVee guide mechanism under defined loading conditions. The methodology accounts for the size of the DualVee bearing elements, relative spacing, and the orientation, location, and magnitude of the load. The equation is based upon clean and well lubricated track conditions; so for applications where lubrication is prohibitive, a derating factor must be applied.

It is important to note that secondary considerations such as maximum velocity, acceleration rates, duty cycle, stroke length, environmental conditions, the presence of shock and vibration, and extreme temperature ranges can all impact service life to varying degrees. As such, the sizing method is considered only as a guideline for the sizing of DualVee components and assemblies.

# Load/Life Equation – Sizing and Selection

The load/life estimation requires a basic understanding of the principles of statics, the ability to work with free body diagrams, and the capacity to resolve externally applied forces on a carriage assembly into the radial and axial reaction forces at each guide wheel in the design. The life of a DualVee guide will be limited to the life of the most heavily loaded bearing in the design.



Step 1: Calculate the resultant radial and axial loads reflected to each bearing element in the linear guide design

All standard considerations involved in statics calculations must be accounted for, including inertial forces, gravitational forces, external forces such as tool pressure, bearing element spacing, and magnitude and direction of the payload. Any external forces that generate a reaction through the wheel/track interface need to be considered. If assistance is required in resolving specific loads into the resultant reaction forces at the guide wheel interface, contact our Applications Engineering staff for support. It is recommended that the Application Data Sheet on page 33 or online form be submitted beforehand, with as much application information detailed as possible.

# Step 2: Calculate the load factor for the most heavily loaded bearing

 $L_F = L_A/L_{Amax} + L_R/L_{Rmax}$ Where  $L_F = Load$  Factor

LA = Resultant axial load on the guide wheel

LAmax = The maximum axial working load capacity of the guide wheel

LB = Resultant radial load on the guide wheel

L<sub>R</sub> = Resultant radial load on the guide wheel

L<sub>Rmax</sub> = The maximum radial working load capacity of the guide wheel

- Bearings should be sized such that L<sub>F</sub> ≤ 1
- The most heavily loaded bearing will have the highest load factor

Due to varying application load and speed parameters and environmental conditions, the appropriate adjustment factor must be applied to the life equation.

Adjustment	Application
Factor (A <sub>F</sub> )	Conditions
1.0-0.7	Clean, low speed, low shock, low duty
0.7-0.4	Moderate contaminants, medium
	duty, medium shock, low to
	medium vibration, moderate speed
0.4-0.1	Heavy contamination, high
	acceleration, high speed, medium
	to high shock, high vibration, high
	duty cycle

Step 3: Calculate life by applying the load factor to the load/life equation below:

	Life Constant				
DualVee Size	Inches of Travel Life	Kilometers of Travel Life			
0	1.65 x 10 <sup>6</sup>	41			
1	2.19 x 10 <sup>6</sup>	55			
2	3.47 x 10 <sup>6</sup>	87			
3	5.19 x 10 <sup>6</sup>	130			
4	6.84 x 10 <sup>6</sup>	151			
4XL	8.58 x 10 <sup>6</sup>	215			

Life = 
$$[L_C/(L_F)^3]$$
 A<sub>F</sub>

Where  $L_F = Load Factor$ 

 $L_C$  = Life Constant

 $A_F = Adjustment Factor$ 

# **TECHNICAL REFERENCE**

# **Load/Life Equation – Sizing and Selection**

# Step 1: Calculate loads on each bearing

Given below are force equations for some common configurations.

# Scenario 1

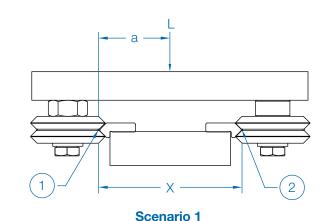
$$F_1 = L(x-a)$$
 (axial force)

$$F_2 = L - L(x-a)$$
 (axial force)

# Scenario 2

$$F_1 = L(x+a)$$
 (axial force)

$$F_2 = -L(x+a) + L$$
 (axial force)



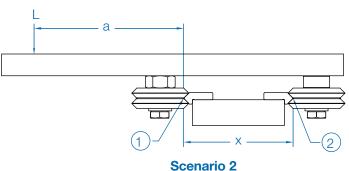
# Scenario 3

$$F_1 = \underline{L(x)}$$
 (axial force)

$$F_2 = -L(x)$$
 (axial force)

$$F_1 = L$$
 (radial force)

\*Note: Since carriages use 4 wheels, 2 wheels absorb the load at both points 1 & 2, divide the calculated load by 2 to obtain the load on each wheel.



# **Example: Scenario 3**

L = 200 lbs

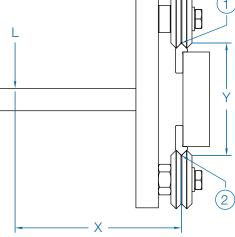
X = 15 inches

Y = 5 inches

$$F_1 = \frac{200(15)}{5} = 600 \text{ lbs (axial force) } 300 \text{ lbs per wheel}$$

$$F_2 = -\frac{200(15)}{5} = -600$$
 lbs (axial force) -300 lbs per wheel

 $F_1 = 200$  lbs (radial force) 100 lbs per wheel



Scenario 3

Step 2: Calculate the load factor for the most heavily loaded bearing using the above example with size W4X guide wheel,  $L_{A(MAX)}$  and L<sub>R(MAX)</sub> from load rating chart pg 6.

$$L_F = L_A / L_{A(MAX)} + L_R / L_{R(MAX)}$$
  
 $L_F = 300 / 900 + 100 / 2181 = 0.38$ 

# Step 3: Calculate life estimate

See page 27 for life constants, A<sub>F</sub> assumed at 1

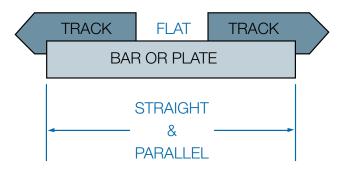
Life = 
$$[L_C / (L_F)^3]$$
 A<sub>F</sub> =  $[6.84 \times 10^6 / (0.38)^3] \times 1 = 124.7 \times 10^6$  inches

# **Application Notes**

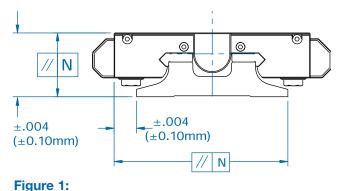
As a matter of good engineering practice the DualVee<sup>®</sup> components should not be used where their wear or failure could cause personal injury

# **Track Mounting**

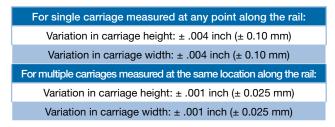
In most DualVee® applications, accuracy plays a small role in the successful implementation of a guide wheel system. The flatness, straightness, and parallelism of the plate or bar to which the DualVee® track is attached (bolted) determine the accuracy of the system. Cold finished or extruded bar or plate is adequate for many applications. The DualVee® track incorporates a mounting shoulder to locate the track on the bar or plate.



Greater accuracy is obtained by using a plate or bar that has been ground flat and parallel on the mounting surfaces. To achieve straightness and flatness characteristics to within N grade accuracy levels is fairly routine ( $\pm$  .004 inch;  $\pm$  0.10 mm). In fact, accuracies as low as  $\pm$  .001 inch ( $\pm$  0.03 mm) have been achieved using carefully prepared mounting surfaces in relatively short stroke applications (1-3 feet; 0.3-1 m). For designs requiring accuracy levels of  $\pm$ .005 inch and better, mounting surfaces must be prepared straight and flat, and appropriate doweling or reference edge assembly techniques must be employed.



Running parallelism end view.



# Figure 2:

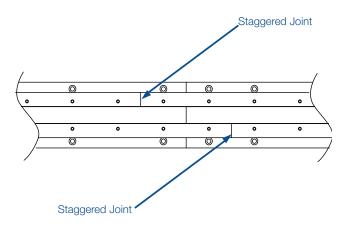
Allowable tolerances for straightness and flatness of travel — grade N

# Track Life - Hardened, Un-Hardened Track

For maximum loading and heavy continuous use, the "T" series hard edge track should be used. For prototype or light duty intermittent use, the "TS" series unhardened track can be used at a lower cost.

# **Long Track Lengths - Track Splicing Considerations**

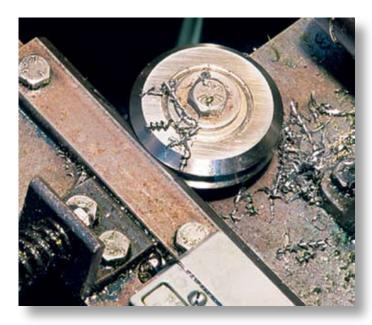
Precut lengths of track are not suitable for butting end to end. Please contact the factory when track lengths longer than the maximum available single piece lengths are required. Track that is suitable for butting is available on request. When constructing track systems longer than 20 feet, the joints on parallel tracks should be staggered for greater accuracy and smoothness.



# Harsh (Dirty) Environments/Wear Resistance

Since the circumference of the wheel is greater at the major diameter than at the minor diameter, there is a constant wiping action on the track producing a self cleaning effect. As such, DualVee® guide wheels are employed in a wide variety of harsh environments, including the presence of metal chips, powders, fibers, slurries, etc. It is important to note that such environments will often limit the service life of a DualVee® linear guide to some extent.

# **TECHNICAL REFERENCE**



The other main factor affecting wear resistance is lubrication. Wheel covers or lubricators should be designed in whenever possible. Both will distribute a thin coating of oil lubricant along the contact surface of the DualVee® track. The wheel covers offer added protection by preventing debris from entering the wheel/track contact surface. Lubricated and relatively clean wheel/track contact surfaces will ensure maximum service life in a DualVee® linear guide.

As the hardness of the contaminants approaches the hardness of the track and wheels, the wear rate will increase. For these cases, a service factor (see page 27) should be applied to maximum axial and radial working load capacities to provide a longer operating life.

# Lubrication

Lubrication is the key to maximizing the life of a DualVee® linear guide. Internally, DualVee® guide wheels are lubricated for life with an extreme pressure, corrosion resistant grease.

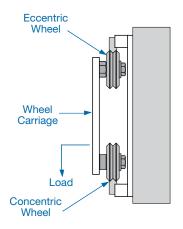
The lubrication of the wheel/track interface is the responsibility of the user.

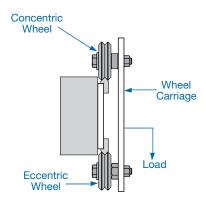
Lubrication of the guide ways will maximize the load capacity of the system and will significantly increase the service life over a non-lubricated configuration under the same loads. A light machine oil or an extreme pressure grease will minimize wear, stick slip, and corrosion on the guide ways in a DualVee® based design.

Lubrication will also increase the maximum linear velocity that a DualVee® bearing arrangement can endure. In applications where high speed or high acceleration rates are present, lubrication of the wheel/track interface is highly recommended. Lastly, lubrication will reduce the overall coefficient of friction of the guide, which, depending on the level of preload, can fall anywhere from 0.008 to 0.015. The availability of lubricators and wheel covers gives design engineers an opportunity to design lubrication right into the DualVee® mechanism with little effort. See specifications on wheel covers and lubricators for more details.

# **Wheel Carriage Configurations**

In designing a wheel carriage, it is important to use the right combination of eccentric and concentric guide wheels depending on the configuration. The linear systems should always have two concentric wheels and all the other guide wheels should be eccentric. The eccentric wheels are used to remove the play between the wheels and track (commonly known as wheel preload) equally loading all the wheels so they roll instead of sliding or skipping on the track due to acceleration. When the wheel carriage is loaded in the radial direction, the concentric wheel should carry the primary load.

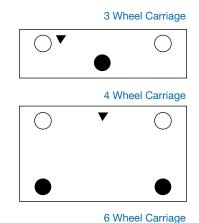


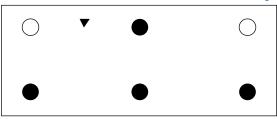


It is important to note the location of the eccentric wheel is dependent on whether the track guide way is on the outside or inside of the wheel carriage.

Below are several wheel carriage configurations (examples given for bottom image, opposite page) Diagram Symbols:

- O= Concentric guide wheel symbol
- = Eccentric guide wheels
- ▼ = Radial loading directions





# **Wheel Preload**

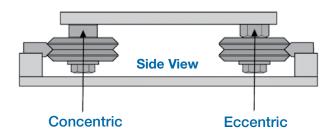
Generally wheel preload is used to eliminate play between the wheel and track. Preload equals the radial load when the system is not loaded by another outside force. Preload can be determined by:

# Preload =

Breakaway Force/Coefficient of Friction - Applied Load

Caution must be used when applying preload because too much preload on the wheels can cause premature failure. The rated radial value should never be exceeded by the preload and subsequent radial loads applied to the wheel when in service. Note that in a four guide wheel assembly sustaining a load that runs along a long beam, preload on the wheels cannot compensate for deflection of the beam.

Typically in a guide wheel and carriage application, there should be two concentric mounted wheels and the rest of the wheel should be on eccentric mounts. The eccentric type guide wheels are used to create a camming action to preload the guide wheels against one side of the guide track. Caution must be used when applying preload because too much preload on the wheels can cause premature failure.



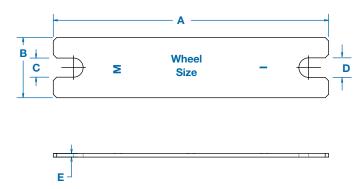
Normal adjustment is obtained by rotating the eccentric bushing until all free play is removed from the carriage assembly. When the eccentrics are adjusted and the carriage plate is held firmly in place, one should be able to rotate by hand any one of the four guide wheels against the its mating track. If rotation is not possible the preload should be reduced accordingly.

# **TECHNICAL REFERENCE**

# **Wheel Adjustment Wrenches**

Part #'s	Wheel Size	A	В	С	D	E
WR0MI	0	5.00	1.25	.435440	.377382	.0747±.0050
WR1MI	1	7.00	1.50	.474479	.439444	.0747±.0050
WR2MI	2	8.00	1.75	.553558	.565570	.1046±.0050
WR3MI	3	9.00	2.00	.750755	.752757	.1345 ±.0050
WR4MI	4	9.00	2.00	.868873	.877882	.1345 ±.0050

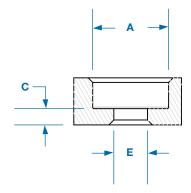
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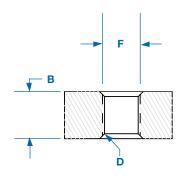
# **Studded Wheel Mounting**

Wheel Size	A	B min	C min	D	E	F
0	.500 ±.005	.305	.097	∨90° to ø .255	ø.2215+.0014,0000	M6 X 1.0
1	.610 ±.005	.342	.095	∨90° to ø .297	ø.2505+.0014,0000	M8 X 1.25
2	.750 ±.005	.459	.129	∨90° to ø .406	ø.3775+.0014,0000	M10 X 1.5
3	.906 ±.005	.615	.205	∨90° to ø .505	ø.4244+.0014,0000	M12 X 1.75
4	1.100±.005	.846	.271	∨90° to ø .533	ø.5025+.0014,0000	M14 X 2.0

<sup>\*</sup>Values are in inches



**Eccentric Stud Hole Geometry** 



**Concentric Stud Hole Geometry** 

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Load:			N		
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Velocity:	in/s		m/s		
Accel/Decel:	in/s²		m/s <sup>2</sup>		
Linear Accuracy:	in/ft		mm/m		
Repeatability:	in		mm		
Duty Cycle:	in/day		m/day		
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Temperature:	°F	food grade	°C	clean room	other
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