

Wedge Style Tensile Grips







Grip Reference HB15



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Description: Self tightening wedge grips with spring loaded wedges to provide the initial gripping and allow rapid loading of the specimen. A variety of gripping wedges and faces are available and must be ordered separately; these can be serrated jaw faces or cross hatched jaw faces for gripping flat specimens, or V profile wedges are available for gripping round sections up to 15mm (6/10th inch).

Used On: Benchtop materials testing machines

Applications: Recommended for gripping relatively soft materials in parallel or dumbbell form. Typical materials include copper, semi-rigid plastics, and small components with flat surfaces; ideally the overall specimen length should be greater than 150 mm (6 in)

Specifications:

Max. Capacity	10 kN/2,000 lbf
Min Loadcell	250 N/50 lbf
Gripping Length	50 mm/2 in
Max Specimen Width	25 mm/1 in
Max Specimen Thickness	8 mm/0.3 in
Length Each	120 mm/5 in
Weight Each	1.8 kg/4 lbf
Temperature Limits	-30 to 70 °C

V Profile Jaw Face Options

HW10R8 4 - 8 mm/0.15 - 0.31 in dia HW10R10 6 - 10 mm/0.23 - 0.4 in dia HW10R15 10 - 15 mm/0.4 - 0.6 in dia **Description:** Self tightening bollard wedge grips; the combination of a wedge and bollard provides an efficient method of gripping low friction flexible materials. A lever release allows rapid loading of the test specimen.

Used On: Benchtop materials testing machines

Applications: Flexible low friction materials such as polypropylene strapping, PTFE tape, roofing felts etc.; ideally the overall specimen length should be greater than 350 mm (14 in)

Specifications:

10 kN/2,000lbf
500 N/100 lbf
25 mm/1 in
3 mm/0.1 in
130 mm/5.1 in
2.2 kg/4.5 lbf
-30 to 70 °C

Description: Quick release wedge grips with spring loaded serrated wedges to allow rapid loading of the specimen. High gripping forces are achieved by using a steep wedge angle that approaches a self locking action. The linear ballrace wedge slides allow the wedges to tighten on the specimen more efficiently and prevent self locking. Optional V profile wedges are available for gripping round sections up to 5 mm (1/5 inch).

Used On: Benchtop materials testing machines

Applications: Recommended for hard surface materials in parallel or dumbbell form; ideally the overall specimen length should be greater than 150 mm (6 in)

Specifications:

Max. Capacity	10 kN/2,000lbf
Min Loadcell	500 N/100 lbf
Gripping Length	50 mm/2 in
Max Specimen Width	25 mm/1 in
Max Specimen Thickness	4 mm/0.15 in
Length Each	120mm/4.75in
Weight Each	2.2 kg/4.5 lbf
Temperature Limits	-30 to 70 °C

V Profile Jaw Face Options

HW16R2 1 - 2 mm/0.04 - 0.08 in diaHW16R5 3 - 5 mm/0.12 - 0.2 in dia



Description: Self tightening wedge grips; wedges remain stationary when applying initial force on the specimen via the handwheel, thus avoiding excessive compression of specimen prior to test. A variety of gripping wedges and faces are available and must be ordered separately; these can be serrated or cross hatched jaw faces for gripping flat specimens, or V profile wedges are available for gripping round sections up to 15mm (6/10th inch).

Used On: Benchtop materials testing machines

Applications: Suitable for gripping high strength rigid material in parallel or dumbbell form; ideally the overall specimen length should be greater than 150 mm (6 in)

Specifications:

Max. Capacity	25 kN/5,000 lbf
Min Loadcell	500 N/100 lbf
Gripping Length	50 mm/2 in
Max Specimen Width	30 mm/1.2 in
Max Specimen Thickness	15 mm/0.6 in
Length Each	210 mm/8.3 in
Weight Each	6.3 kg/14 lbf
Temperature Limits	-30 to 70 °C

V Profile Jaw Face Options

HW20R5 3 - 5 mm/0.12 - 0.2 in dia HW20R8 4 - 8 mm/0.15 - 0.31 in dia HW20R10 5 - 10 mm/0.2 - 0.4 in dia HW20R15 8 - 15 mm/0.31 - 0.6 in dia Description: Self tightening wedge grips; wedges remain stationary when applying initial force on the specimen via the handwheel, thus avoiding excessive compression of specimen prior to test. A variety of gripping wedges and faces are available and must be ordered separately; these can be serrated or cross hatched jaw faces for gripping flat specimens, or V profile wedges are available for gripping round sections up to 15 mm (6/10th inch).

Used On: Benchtop materials testing machines

Applications: Suitable for gripping high strength rigid material in parallel or dumbbell form; ideally the overall specimen length should be greater than 150 mm (6 in)

Specifications:

Max. Capacity	50 kN/10,000 lbf
Min Loadcell	500 N/100 lbf
Gripping Length	50 mm/2 in
Max Specimen Width	30 mm/1.2 in
Max Specimen Thickness	15 mm/0.6 in
Length Each	210 mm/8.3 in
Weight Each	6.3 kg/14 lbf
Temperature Limits	-30 to 70 °C

V Profile Jaw Face Options

HW20R5 3 - 5 mm/0.12 - 0.2 in dia HW20R8 4 - 8 mm/0.15 - 0.31 in dia HW20R10 5 - 10 mm/0.2 - 0.4 in dia HW20R15 8 - 15 mm/0.31 - 0.6 in dia **Description:** Self tightening wedge grips; wedges stay stationary when applying initial force to avoid excess compression of specimen prior to test. Variety of wedges and faces are available for order separately; these can be serrated or cross hatched jaw faces for flat specimens or V profile wedges for round sections up to 25 mm (1 inch).

Used On: Benchtop machines and High Force Electromechanical testers

Applications: High strength rigid material in parallel or dumbbell form; specimen length should be greater than 200 mm (8 in)

Specifications:

Max. Capacity	100 kN/20,000 lbf
Min Loadcell	5 kN/1,000 lbf
Gripping Length	75 mm/3 in
Max Specimen Width	50 mm/2 in
Max Specimen Thickness	s 12 mm/0.5 in
Length Each	310 mm/12.2 in
Weight Each	16 kg/35 lbf
Temperature Limits	-30 to 70 °C

V Profile Jaw Face Options

HW14R8 4 - 8 mm/0.15 - 0.31 in dia HW14R15 5 - 15 mm/0.2 - 0.6 in dia HW14R20 14 - 20 mm/0.55 - 0.8 in dia HW14R25 20 - 25 mm/0.8 - 1 in dia



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