
**Assembly tools for screws and nuts —
Square drive adaptor with hexagon
or cylindrical flat drive, for power
socket wrenches**

*Outils de manoeuvre pour vis et écrous — Adaptateurs à carré mâle avec
entraînement hexagone ou cylindrique mâle, pour douilles machines*



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Foreword

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The committee responsible for this document is ISO/TC 29, *Small tools*, SC 10, *Assembly tools for screws and nuts, pliers and nippers*.

This third edition cancels and replaces the second edition (ISO 3317:2009), which has been technically revised with the following changes:

- a) Form C was added;
- b) dimensions for $d_{\min}$ were revised;
- c) dimensions for l_1 were partly revised.

Assembly tools for screws and nuts — Square drive adaptor with hexagon or cylindrical flat drive, for power socket wrenches

1 Scope

This International Standard prescribes the technical specifications for square drive adaptor hexagon or cylindrical flat inserts for power socket wrenches. It applies to square drive adaptor with hexagon drive or with cylindrical flat end drive as defined in ISO 1173, and to driving squares for power socket wrenches as defined in ISO 1174-2.

Square drive adaptors with hexagon drive for power socket wrenches are listed under number 5 2 00 02 0 in ISO 1703.

2 Normative references

The following documents, in whole or in part, are normatively referenced in this document and are indispensable for its application. For dated references, only the edition cited applies. For undated references, the latest edition of the referenced document (including any amendments) applies.

ISO 1173, *Assembly tools for screws and nuts — Drive ends for hand- and machine-operated screwdriver bits and connecting parts — Dimensions, torque testing*

ISO 1174-2, *Assembly tools for screws and nuts — Driving squares — Part 2: Driving squares for power socket tools*

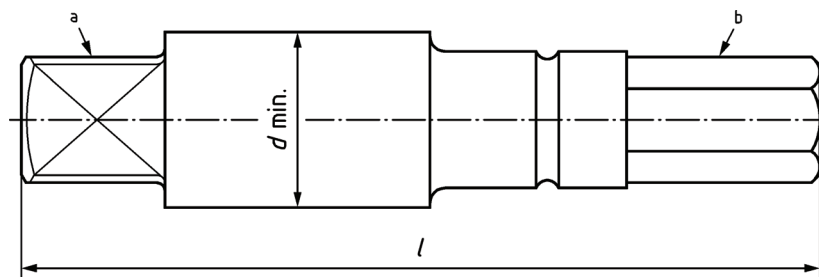
3 Dimensions

[Figure 1](#) and [Table 1](#) show the recommended combinations of square drive adaptor for power socket wrenches in accordance with ISO 1174-2.

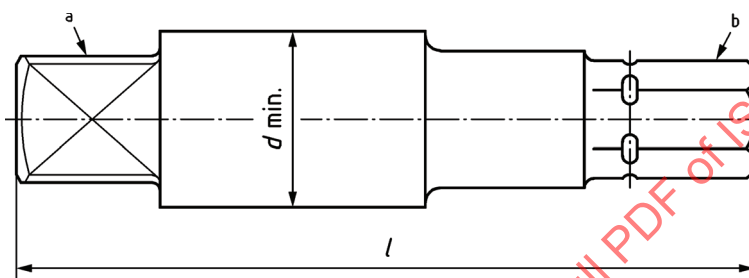
The shape of the liaison between the tip and the end is at the discretion of the manufacturer.

4 Technical requirements

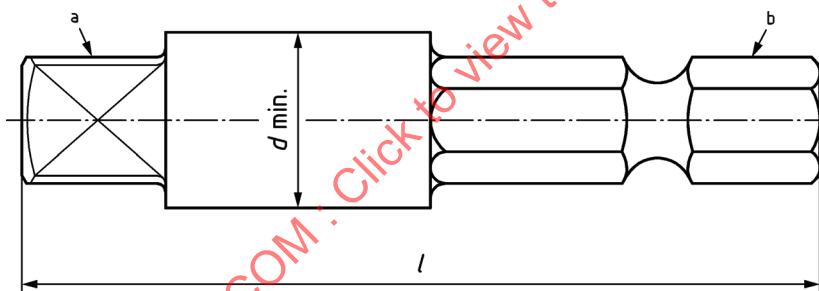
The entire square drive adaptor shall be through hardened to a minimum hardness of 52 HRC.



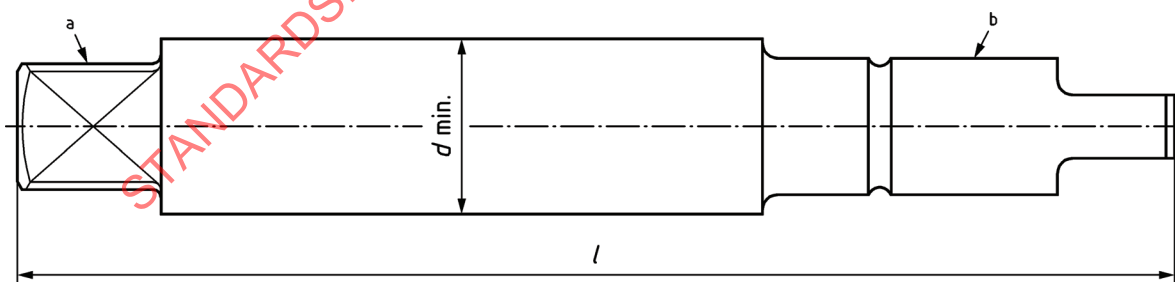
a) Form A



b) Form C



c) Form E



d) Form G

Key

- a Driving squares for power socket tools (in accordance with ISO 1174-2).
- b Drive end (in accordance with ISO 1173).

Figure 1 — Square drive adaptors for power socket wrenches

Table 1 — Recommended combinations between driving squares and drive end

Dimensions in millimetres

Nominal dimensions of driving squares ^a		Form and dimensions of male hexagon or cylindrical flat end ^b										<i>d</i> _{min}
		A 3	A 5,5		C 6,3		E 6,3		E 8	E 11,2	G 7	
		<i>l</i> ± 1	50	50	100	25	50	50	100	75	75	
6,3		x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x		x	7,8
10			x	x			x	x	x	x	x	12,2
12,5									x	x		16,3
^a In accordance with ISO 1174-2.												
^b In accordance with ISO 1173.												

5 Torque test

The drive end shall be fully engaged in a female holder in accordance with ISO 1173. The drive end shall be inserted in a test block in accordance with ISO 1174-2 with a minimum hardness of 62 HRC.

The test force shall be applied smoothly until the minimum torque value given in [Table 2](#).

Following the application of the test torque, any possible damage or deformation shall not affect the usability of the tool. The adaptor shall then be loaded until failure. The adaptor shall show a permanent deformation before failure.

Table 2 — Torque test

Nominal dimension of driving squares ^a	Form and dimensions of male hexagon or cylindrical flat end ^b	Test torque min. Nm
6,3	A 3	7,6
	A 5,5	47
	C 6,3	62
	E 6,3	
	E 8	
	G 7	25
10	A 5,5	47
	E 6,3	71
	E 8	144
	E 11,2	202
	G 7	25
12,5	E 8	144
	E 11,2	396
^a In accordance with ISO 1174-2.		
^b In accordance with ISO 1173.		

6 Designation

A square drive adaptor for power socket wrenches in accordance with ISO 3317 is designated as follows:

- a) "Adaptor";
- b) a reference to this International Standard, i.e. ISO 3317;
- c) the form and the dimensions of the drive end (in accordance with ISO 1173);
- d) a hyphen;
- e) the form and dimensions of the square drive adaptor for power socket wrenches (in accordance with ISO 1174-2).

EXAMPLE A square drive adaptor for power socket wrenches with a drive end E 6,3 (in accordance with ISO 1173) and square drive socket wrenches dimensions F 10 (in accordance with ISO 1174-2) is designated as follows:

Adaptor ISO 3317 E 6,3 – F 10

7 Marking

Square drive adaptors with hexagon or cylindrical flat drive, for power square drive socket wrenches, in accordance with ISO 3317, shall be marked permanently and legibly with the name or trademark of the manufacturer or supplier.

If not marked on the tool itself, the following items shall be given at least on the smallest commonly used packaging unit:

- a) the form and dimensions of the hexagon or cylindrical flat drive end;
- b) the form and dimensions of the square drive end;
- c) the length in millimetres.

EXAMPLE **E 6,3 – F 10 × 100**