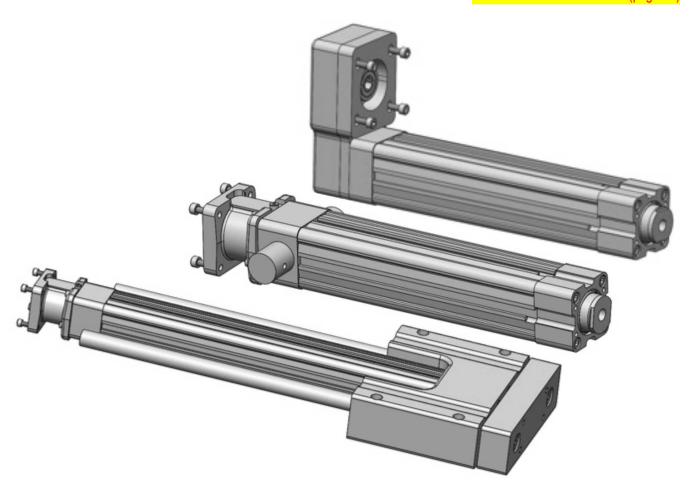


MANUAL

FOR INSTALLATION, MAINTENANCE AND OPERATION

RSA-ST, RSA-HT & GSA Series Actuators

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1.0 Safety

1.1 Safety Symbols

General

Read completely through the applicable sections of the manual before the equipment/unit is unpacked, installed or operated. Pay careful attention to all of the dangers, warnings, cautions and notes stated in the manual.

Serious injury to persons or damage to the equipment may result if the information in the manual is not followed.

Safety Symbols

Items that are specifically marked DANGER, WARNING, CAUTION, PROHIBITIVE, MANDATORY ACTION, or NOTE! are arranged in a hierarchical system and have the following meaning:

A DANGER DANGER!

Indicates a very hazardous situation which, if not avoided, could result in death or serious injury. This signal word is limited to the most extreme situations.

WARNING WARNING!

Indicates a potentially hazardous situation which, if not avoided, could result in death or serious injury.

A CAUTION CAUTION!

Indicates a potentially hazardous situation which, if not avoided, may result in property damage, minor or moderate injury.



MANDATORY ACTION

Indicates Mandatory Action



Information that requires special attention is stated here.

1.2 Safety Considerations

Proper and Safe Use of Product

Fail Safe e-Stop Recommendations

When motor is attached, a means for a fail safe e-stop is highly recommended to ensure equipment and personal safety. The e-stop should provide a means to remove main power from the actuator to cease and prevent any unwanted motion.

Device Damage Prevention

If so equipped, to prevent permanent damage to the device, proper care should be taken not to exceed published voltage, current, temperature, and load/force ratings. In addition, proper mechanical assembly and proper wiring should be verified and safety measures checked before applying power to the complete equipment package.

Personal Safety

During normal operation the motor can become hot, especially the motor housing. In addition, the case ground should be tied to an earth ground to prevent the presence of case voltage.

During normal operation, the actuator rod travels in and out creating a possible pinch point.

Proper guarding and signage must be used prevent entry into possible pinch zones and contact with hot surfaces. It is highly recommended to display proper safety notices and implement proper safety measures to prevent contact with hot surfaces.

Handling and Unpacking

When unpacking and handling the actuator, care should be taken not to drop the actuator as this can damage the connectors, internal electronics, or cause misalignment of the actuator feedback device. Damage the internal mechanical components may cause poor performance or render the actuator non-functional. Since this is an electromechanical device, proper ESD measures should be taken to avoid static electricity from contacting the signal and power lines of the device, as this can damage the internal mechanical components rendering the actuator damaged or non-functional.

Packing and Transport



NOTE!

Package actuator to prevent damage during transport. It is recommended that the actuator be returned in its original packaging. If the original packaging is not available, the follow these recommendations.

- 1. Foam in place if possible.
- 2. Reinforce ends of box with multiple layers of cardboard or wood to prevent the actuator from breaking through the packaging during shipment.
- 3. If so equipped, support the connectors or cables so that enough packaging or foam is in place to prevent shipping damage.
- 4. It is best to ship one unit per container because individual items that are not isolated with stable packaging (foam in place) from each other often get damaged during shipment.
- 5. When shipping more than one unit in a single container, it is recommended to foam in place to prevent damage during shipping to both the units and the packaging.
- 6. Add the RMA number on the outside of the packaging. Failure to do so will delay processing.

Modifications to the Equipment



The manufacturer takes no responsibility whatsoever if the equipment is modified or if the equipment is used in any way beyond performance specifications. Unauthorized modifications or changes to the equipment are strictly forbidden and void all warranties.

Requirement Regarding Personnel



All personnel must be completely informed regarding all safety regulations and the function of the equipment.

Risk Area and Personnel

When installed, pinch points are generated capable of damaging forces. The risk area surrounding the actuator

must either be guarded or clearly marked, including display signage in accordance with all applicable national and international legal requirements. The risk area must be protected by a safety system that stops the equipment if anyone enters the risk area. Personnel who enter the risk area must be authorized, trained and qualified for the different tasks inside the risk area.



■ 1.3 General Information

This documention applies to the RSA and GSA family of products supplied by Tolomatic. This documentation shall be made available to the market and end customers.

This document contains information on safe use parameters, installation, operation, maintenance, and end of life.

■ 2.0 General Product Description:

2.1 General Description



Figure 2.1: RSA-ST Actuators (12,16,24,32,50,64 sizes)



Figure 2.2: RSA-HT Actuators (24,32,50,64 sizes)

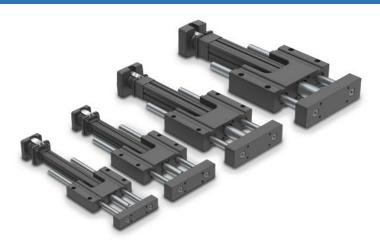


Figure 2.3: GSA Actuators (12,16,24,32 sizes)

The RSA and GSA family of screw driven mechanical linear actuators, manufactured and sold by Tolomatic Inc., are intended for general purpose industrial use. This product family includes the following models available in standard inch interface or metric interface: RSA12 ST, RSA16 ST, RSA24 ST, RSA24 HT, RSA32 ST, RSA32 HT, RSA50 ST, RSA50 HT, RSA64 ST, and RSA64 HT, GSA 12, GSA 16, GSA 24 and GSA 32. Tolomatic RSA and GSA electric rod style actuators are mechanical assemblies that provide linear travel up to 60 inches/1524mm, with load capacities up to 13,039lbf/58kN. An appropriately marked electric motor is coupled to this mechanical device to create linear motion. The electric motor may be installed by the customer at their facility, or by Tolomatic.

2.2 Intended Use

Commonly used in industrial automation and other applications, these actuators are relatively compact and are capable of high force.

WARNING WARNING!

Before installation and commissioning of the equipment, this manual and all accompanying manufacturer documents and manuals MUST be completely read by the appropriate personnel. All warning texts must be given special attention.

WARNING WARNING!

RSA and GSA linear actuators equipped with ball screws, roller screws and resin nut lead screws are not self braking and will not hold position under load. When there is no current/torque input to the drive motor, the thrust rod can move freely. A motor brake option should be purchased and installed if the motion system/axis requires the actuator to hold position when the actuator is not powered.

2.3 Identification Label



Figure 2.4: RSA actuator identification label for actuators made in the U.S.A.

2.4 Certification



IP67 Option Available for RSA HT LMI & RP (Sizes 32 through 64) and RSA ST RP (Sizes 32 through 64). Standard RSA actuators are rated at IP54.

Standard GSA actuators are not IP rated due to the shaft bearings. The main GSA body (excluding shaft bearings) is rated at IP54.

2.5 Manufacturer

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■ 3.0 RSA-ST, RSA-HT & GSA Configuration Overview:

3.1 Models

3.1.1 RSA-ST Series Configuration

6 Frame Sizes: RSA-ST12, RSA-ST16, RSA-ST24, RSA-ST32, RSA-ST50, RSA-ST64 Screw and Nut options: Resin Nut Lead Screws, Bronze Nut Lead Screw, and Ball Screws. Rod End Options: Female Thread (standard), Male Thread, Clevis Rod with Pin, Spherical Rod Eye, and Alignment Coupler (Male or Female).

Actuator Mount Options: Front Face Tapped Holes, Bottom Face Tapped Hole, Mounting Plates (2), Front Flange Mount, Trunnion Mount, Foot Mounts, Rear Flange Mount, Rear Clevis Mount with Pin, and Rear Eye Mount.

■ 3.1.2 RSA-HT Series Configuration

4 Frame Sizes: RSA-HT24, RSA-HT32, RSA-HT50, RSA-HT64 (See options above) with the inclusion of roller screws.

3.1.3 GSA Series Configuration

4 Frame sizes: GSA12, GSA16, GSA24, GSA32

Screw and Nut Options: Resin Nut Lead Screws, Bronze Nut Lead Screws, and Ball Screws. Guide Rod Bearing Options: Standard Linear, Standard Composite, and Oversized Composite.



For performance data and specifications please refer to the Tolomatic RSA/GSA catalog #3600-4166

3.2 Standard Configurations and Options



Please see the <u>Tolomatic RSA/GSA catalog #3600-4166</u> for complete information on ordering codes. Use 3D CAD files (available at www.tolomatic.com) for critical dimensions.

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RSA ST & HT Electric Rod-Style Actuator

ORDERING RSA 50 BN02 SK35 RP1 ST1 FFG XR6 ALC MET KK2 YM ... **ROD EXTENSION** MODEL & MOUNTING MOTOR MOUNTING XR___ Enter desired rod extension RSA Rod-Style Screw-LMI In-line motor mount in inches (SK) or RP1 1:1 ratio, reverse parallel Drive Actuator millimeters (SM) motor mount (Same unit of measure as stroke length is required) SIZE RPL1 1:1 ratio, reverse parallel A For vertical applications only. 12, 16, 24, 32, 50, 64 RPR1 motor mount, left or right 🥞 NOTE: The XR extension + stroke see page 18 for details should not exceed the max. stroke of the RP2 2:1 ratio, reverse parallel specified actuator. (See MAX. STROKE motor mount SIZE CODE CODE NUMBER table) Consult Tolomatic for extensions RPL2 2:1 ratio, reverse parallel greater than the max. stroke length. RPR2 motor mount, left or right 12 3N, BNL 08 see page 18 for details **ROD END** 01,02,05 RP2 not available on 12 or 16 size 16 Internally threaded rod end is standard **RP BELT TENSIONING** CLV Clevis Rod End 02,04,08 TEN Belt tensioning tool for SRE Spherical Rod End RP motor mounting MET Externally Threaded Rod End 24 ALC Alignment Coupler Rod End* 05,10 04,05,10 STANDARD OR HIGH TORQUE Z12 Grease Zerk at 12 O'clock position (see page 43) ST1 Standard RS Actuator BN,BNL 02,05 🥞 *NOTE: Alignment coupler is HT* High Torque Option 32 05,10,20 04,05,10 BNM internally threaded, if external thread is *requires keyed motor desired order MET also 🔀 HT not available on 12 or 16 size BN,BNL 01,02,04 BNM 05,10,25 RN 05,10 NOTE: RN always requires HT option **ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION** Standard actuator IP54 TRUNNION MOUNT Basic ingress protection TRR Trunnion mount 3N,BNL 02,04,53 3NM 05,10,20 (RSA32, 50, 64 only) BNM Not available on 12 or 16 size with LUB Grease, Food/Drug LMI motor mount BNH 🤚 NOTE: Trunnion mount is not available for field retrofit, contact STROKE LENGTH **SWITCHES** Tolomatic for details LENGTH SK ___ Enter desired stroke QUICK-DISCONNECT length in decimal inches **ACTUATOR MOUNTING** NORMALL 0000 For all motor mounts: SM†____ (Metric Mounting) EAD FFG Front Flange Mount Enter desired stroke FFGR Front Flange Mount rotated 90° (see pg. 22) length in millimeters no RY ----Open yes RED † The metric version provides metric tapped rod end, actuator mounting and dowel pins SPST MP2 Mounting Plates (2 required) Not all no NY quantity desi codes Closed For RP motor mounting only: yes NK (16.4 feet) NOTE: Actuator mounting threads and listed are PCD Clevis Mount no TY compatible mounting fasteners will be either inch or PNP PCDR Clevis Mount rotated 90° netric; depending on how stroke length with all yes TK (see pg. 25) STATE is indicated SK=inch mounting options. no KY code enter Open PCS Eye Mount yes KK Contact SM= metric mounting PCSR Eye Mount rotated 90° SOLID

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with any

auestions.

Figure 3.1: RSA-ST & RSA-HT Ordering

64 60 1,524.0 36[§] 914.4[§]

MAXIMUM STROKE

12 304.8 12 304.8 18 457.2 18 457.2 24 609.6 24 609.6 36 914.4 36 914.4 48 1,219.2 36⁸ 914.4

BN, BZ, SN

in mm

12 16

no PY

yes PK

no HY

yes HK

PNP

YOUR MOTOR HERE Motor mount for non-Tolomatic motor. www.tolomatic.com Prises mounted on reverse parallel motor mounts (especially neutral procedure) actuated with control to the careval and the load falling under grantly in the event due to thirty of the careval and the load falling under grantly in the event of a thirty bet fallium, and infilme motor mount with a fall-safe brake mounted directly to the actuator shall or a special grant and active reverse parallel construction should be considered if a brake is required in a safety critical application. Contact Tolomatic for attentiveness parallel brake mounting options.

Gearheads may be used with RSA ST or GSA ST reverse parallel motor mounts. However, the torque on the bett and internal ST RP components must remain below the capabilities of the assembly to prevent belt slipping or premature failure. Contact Tolomatic for additional information if required.

NPN Closed

(see pg. 25)

BFG Back Flange Mount

8 RSA50 & RSA64

RSA50 & RSA64
extended
stroke length
48" (1219 mm)
available for
roller screws,
contact
Tolomatic for
production
time

GSA Guided Electric Rod-Style Actuator

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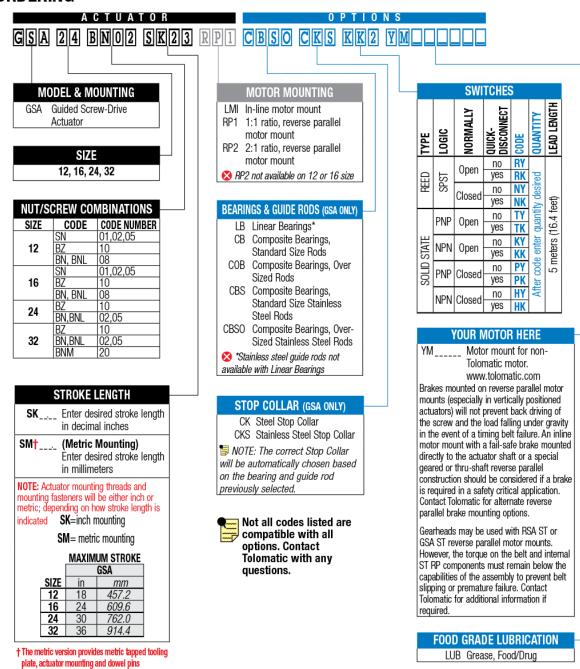


Figure 3.2: GSA Ordering

3.3 Product Options and Features:

3.3.1 Standard RSA Actuator Mounting

Standard mounting for the RSA is through four (4) tapped holes on the front face (rod end) of the actuator.

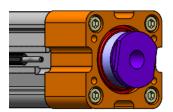


Figure 3.3: RSA Standard front face mounting holes

Standard mounting for the RSA can also be accomplished with the four (4) tapped holes on the bottom of the actuator.

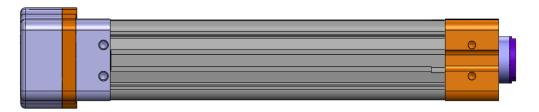


Figure 3.4: RSA (RP) Bottom view

3.3.2 Rod End Options

The standard rod end for the RSA and GSA is an internally threaded rod end.

Options pictured below include both actuator mounting and rod connector options (top to bottom): FFG [Front Flange Mount, actuator mounting]; ALC [Alignment Coupler Rod End]; CLV [Clevis Rod End]; SRE [Spherical Rod End]; MET [Externally Threaded Rod End] Externally threaded rod end option that threads into the standard internal rod end threads. FM2 [Foot Mount, actuator mounting, pink]

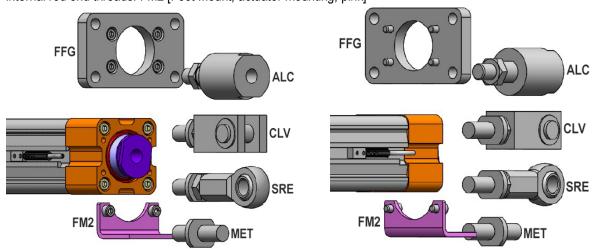


Figure 3.5: RSA Mounting and Rod End Options

■ 3.3.3 RSA RP (Reverse Parallel) Actuator Mounting Options

Optional RSA RP actuator mounting options include: BFG [Back Flange Mount]; PCS [Rear Eye Mount]; PCD [Rear Clevis Mount], TRR [Trunnion Mount]; FM2 [Foot Mount]

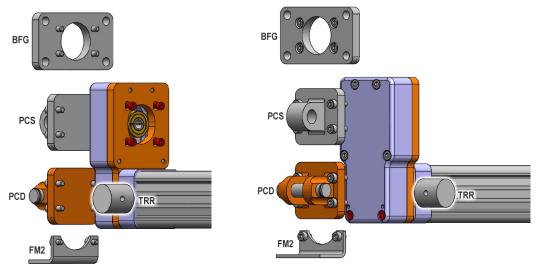


Figure 3.6: RSA RP (Reverse Parallel) Rear Mounting Options

3.3.4 RSA LMI (Inline Motor Mount) Actuator Mounting Options

Optional RSA LMI actuator mounting options include: TRR [Trunnion Mount]; MP2 [Mounting Plates]

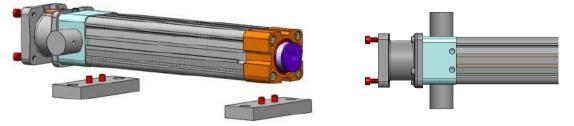


Figure 3.7: RSA LMI (Inline Motor Mount) Actuator mounting options

3.3.5 GSA Mounting

Standard actuator mounting for GSA is accomplished with the 4 thru holes in the body of the GSA. Standard tooling plate mounting is 4 threaded holes on the front face of the tooling plate. Tolomatic does not offer optional actuator mounting or tooling plate mounts without an engineering change order.

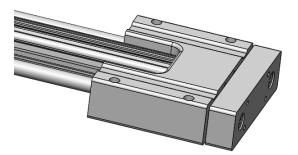


Figure 3.8: GSA actuator and tooling plate mounting

3.4 Screw Options

Acme, ball and roller screw technologies are offered as drive options. Contact Tolomatic for application review and assistance in selecting a screw technology option.

4.0 Mechanical Installation of RSA & GSA Actuators

WARNING WARNING!

Before installation and commissioning the equipment, this manual and all accompanying manufacturer documents and manuals MUST be completely read by the appropriate personnel. All warning texts must be given special attention.

4.1 General Operation

RSA & GSA series linear actuators function by translating the rotary motion of externally mounted electric motor into linear motion of the thrust rod using a screw driven mechanism. The travel coordinates, linear speed, acceleration and force are typically controlled by a servo drive.

The relationship between the rotary motion of the motor and the linear motion of the actuator corresponds to the following relationships:

Linear distance traveled = (screw revolutions) * (screw lead)

Linear Speed = ([screw RPM]/60) * (screw lead)

Linear Thrust for inline or 1:1 RP(kN) = Motor torque (Nm) * $2 * \pi *$ pitch (rev/mm) * screw efficiency or

Linear Thrust for inline or 1:1 RP (lbf) = Motor torque (in•lb) * 2 * π * pitch (rev/in) * screw efficiency Linear Thrust for a 2:1 RP(kN) = Motor torque (Nm) * 4 * π * pitch (rev/mm) * screw efficiency or

Linear Thrust for a 2:1 RP (lbf) = Motor torque (in•lb) * 4 * π * pitch (rev/in) * screw efficiency

CAUTION CAUTION!

Care should be taken not to exceed the physical travel limits of the actuator. Exceeding the specified stroke will cause the actuator to reach mechanical end of stroke internally. Although protected by the end of stroke bumpers, reaching internal end of stroke at speeds and torque greater than those used to home (less than 1in/sec or 25mm/sec) and low torque (actuator dependent consult factory) will physically damage the screw and the internal components of the actuator.

4.2 Alignment and Side Loading:

Alignment of the actuator with respect to the application load and axis of motion is essential to minimize side loading. The actuator is not meant to be used in applications where side loading occurs as side loading will reduce the life of the actuator and seals.

4.3 Mechanical Installation Instructions

- 1. Remove packaging
- 2. Carefully remove linear actuator from package. *Consider the weight of the actuator.
- 3. Visually inspect the actuator for damage
- 4. Notify the carrier of any shipping damage immediately
- 5. If the actuator is mounted in a vertical or inclined (sloping) position, include safety measures that control the work load in case of a screw failure.
- 6. It is recommended to install the actuator with rod-end down or at a downward inclination to achieve best seal ingress protection.
- 7. Ensure sufficient clearance around the actuator to allow for airflow and cooling.
- 8. Mount RSA using standard front, bottom or optional mounting as needed for your individual application.

4.4 Lifting and Moving

A CAUTION CAUTION!

Special care must be taken when lifting this device. Depending on the size and configuration RSA and GSA actuators can represent heavy and awkward loads. Lifting equipment with appropriate capacity often should be used, and safe hoisting practices must be employed. Note the weights in the table below.

RSA ST

| | | RSA | SIZE | 12 | 16 | 24 | 32 | 50 | 64 |
|------------|----------------------------|---|------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|----------------------|------------------------|
| = | BASE MODEL | IN-LINE | lb | 1.73 | 3.73 | 3.98 | 6.11 | 14.21 | 23.01 |
| WEIGHT | MOM | REVERSE PARALLEL | lb | 2.40 | 4.00 | 6.25 | 10.40 | 19.66 | 29.69 |
| > | | PER in OF STROKE | lb/in | 0.128 | 0.300 | 0.330 | 0.460 | 0.860 | 1.380 |
| 9 | ωĘ | BASE WT. BZ & SN | lb | 0.11 | 0.19 | 0.75 | 0.97 | 2.62 | 5.01 |
| 3 | 문중 | BASE WT. BN | lb | 0.19 | 0.27 | 1.01 | 1.44 | 3.55 | 7.59 |
| Ξ | ME | PER in OF STROKE | lb/in | 0.04 | 0.06 | 0.14 | 0.15 | 0.33 | 0.45 |
| | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | |
| | | RS | A SIZE | 12 | 16 | 24 | 32 | 50 | 64 |
| | SE | RS IN-LINE | A SIZE | 12 0.78 | 16 | 24 1.79 | 32 2.75 | 50 6.39 | 64 10.35 |
| EIGHT | BASE MODEL | | | | | | | | |
| WEIGHT | BASE MODEL | IN-LINE | kg | 0.78 | 1.68 | 1.79 | 2.75 | 6.39 | 10.35 |
| IG WEIGHT | S BASE IT MODEL | IN-LINE REVERSE PARALLEL | kg kg | 0.78 1.08 | 1.68 | 1.79 2.81 | 2.75 4.68 | 6.39 8.85 | 10.35 13.36 |
| /ING WEIGH | PARTS BASE WEIGHT MODEL | IN-LINE REVERSE PARALLEL PER mm OF STROKE | kg kg g/mm | 0.78 1.08 2.3 | 1.68 1.80 5.3 | 1.79 2.81 5.8 | 2.75 4.68 8.1 | 6.39 8.85 15.2 | 10.35 13.36 24.4 |

RSA HT

| | DC | A SIZE | 24 | | 32 | | 50 | | | 64 | | |
|---------------------------------------|-----------------------------|----------|--------------------|----------------|----------------|--------------|----------------|---------------|----------------|-----------------|----------------------|----------------|
| NOA SIZE | | | RN | BZ | BN | RN | BZ | BN | RN | BZ | BN | RN |
| BASE MODEL | IN-LINE | lb | 3.98 | 12.76 | 12.76 | 17.29 | 20.58 | 20.58 | 22.08 | 38.10 | 38.10 | 40.06 |
| WEIGHT BASE MODE | REVERSE PARALLEL | lb | 6.25 | 12.01 | 12.01 | 20.36 | 25.32 | 25.32 | 26.82 | 44.43 | 44.43 | 46.39 |
| 3 | PER in OF STROKE | lb/in | 0.330 | 0.460 | 0.460 | 0.473 | 0.860 | 0.860 | 0.950 | 1.380 | 1.380 | 1.325 |
| MOVING PARTS WEIGHT | BASE WT. | lb | 1.64 | 0.97 | 1.44 | 3.15 | 2.62 | 3.55 | 6.77 | 5.01 | 7.59 | 12.88 |
| MON | PER in OF STROKE | lb/in | 0.14 | 0.15 | 0.15 | 0.15 | 0.3 | 0.3 | 0.3 | 0.45 | 0.45 | 0.45 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | ne | A CIZE | 24 | | 32 | | | 50 | | | 64 | |
| | RSA | A SIZE | 24 RN | BZ | 32 BN | RN | BZ | 50 BN | RN | BZ | 64 BN | RN |
| T SE | RS/ | A SIZE | | BZ 5.79 | | RN 7.84 | BZ 9.33 | | RN 10.01 | BZ 17.28 | | RN 18.17 |
| EIGHT BASE MODEL | | | RN | | BN | | | BN | | | BN | |
| WEIGHT BASE MODEL | IN-LINE REVERSE PARALLEL | kg | RN 1.79 | 5.79 | BN 5.79 | 7.84 | 9.33 | BN 9.33 | 10.01 | 17.28 | BN 17.28 | 18.17 |
| MOVING WEIGHT PARTS BASE WEIGHT MODEL | IN-LINE REVERSE PARALLEL | kg kg | RN 1.79 2.81 | 5.79 5.45 | 5.79 5.45 | 7.84 9.17 | 9.33 11.40 | 9.33 11.40 | 10.01 12.08 | 17.28 20.15 | BN 17.28 20.15 | 18.17 21.04 |

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| u | ••• | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|-----------|---------------|------------------|--------|-------|----------|-------|----------|------|------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| | | 00 | . 0175 | | 1 | 2 | | 40 | | 24 | | 00 | |
| | GSA SIZE | | | | 17 frame | | 23 frame | | 16 | | 4 | 32 | |
| Guide Rod | | | STD | OVR | STD | OVR | STD | OVR | STD | OVR | STD | OVR | |
| L | BASE MODEL | IN-LINE | lb | 3.65 | 4.44 | 3.68 | 4.47 | 7.25 | 7.54 | 16.48 | 17.35 | 27.34 | 28.65 |
| WEIGHT | MOM | REVERSE PARALLEL | lb | 3.92 | 4.72 | 4.05 | 4.85 | 7.59 | 7.88 | 17.09 | 17.96 | 28.81 | 30.12 |
| > | | PER in OF STROKE | lb/in | 0.21 | 0.27 | 0.21 | 0.27 | 0.30 | 0.38 | 0.54 | 0.74 | 0.93 | 1.19 |
| | | | | | 1 | 2 | | | | | | | |
| | | GS | A SIZE | 17 fr | ame | 23 fr | ame | 1 | 6 | 2 | 4 | 3 | 2 |
| | | Guid | le Rod | STD | OVR | STD | OVR | STD | OVR | STD | OVR | STD | OVR |
| | 띯ভ | IN-LINE | kg | 1.65 | 2.01 | 1.67 | 2.03 | 3.29 | 3.42 | 7.48 | 7.87 | 12.40 | 13.00 |
| _ | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| WEIGHT | BASE MODEL | REVERSE PARALLEL | kg | 1.78 | 2.14 | 1.84 | 2.20 | 3.44 | 3.57 | 7.75 | 8.15 | 13.07 | 13.66 |

Table 4.1: RSA-ST, RSA-HT, GSA Weights

4.5 Motor Installation

CAUTION CAUTION!

Caution: Failure to properly install the motor or over-tensioning of the drive belt can result in damage and/or a significant reduction in product life.

In-line (LMI) motor installation instructions:

- 1. Insert the motor shaft into the motor coupler located inside the motor spacer on the backside of the actuator
- 2. Firmly secure the motor spacer with the 4 fasteners provided
- 3. Secure the coupler to the motor shaft by tightening the coupler
 - a. On standard torque (ST1) units remove the cover on the motor spacer to provide access to the fastener on the motor shaft coupler
 - b. On high torque (HT1) units there is an access hole in the spacer to allow access with a hex key wrench

Reverse Parallel (RP) motor installation instructions:

- 1. Hand tighten the motor onto the mounting plate with the 4 fasteners and square nuts provided. Do not fully tighten at this point.
- 2. Position the belt on the pulleys and slide the drive pulley over the motor shaft. Secure the pulley to the shaft via the set screw or collar clamp on the pulley.
- 3. Verify that there is clearance between the inside of the RP case and each pulley. Verify that the pulleys are aligned with each other.
- 4. If using the Reverse Parallel Tensioning tool (Fig. 4.1) follow the steps below, otherwise, go to step 5.

| RSA Reverse-Parallel Tensioning | | 24HT / 32 | 50 all & 64 |
|---------------------------------|-----------|-----------|-------------|
| Tool Kit | 24ST | all | all |
| order by part number | 1124-9430 | 1132-9430 | 1150-9430 |

- a. Hold the tensioning tool by the locking screw and place it between the pulleys, making sure that the adjustment screw is in line with the timing belt. Adjust the tension of the belt by rotating the adjustment nut.
 - i. To measure the tension of the belt either use a sonic tension meter or measure the deflection force required to deflect the belt in the center of its span (Fig 4.2) by the distance called out in the "deflection" column in Table 4.2.
- b. Tighten the fasteners for the motor and remove the tensioning tool. Install the RP cover
- 5. Standard belt tensioning method:
 - a. Install the RP cover.
 - b. Tension the belt by pulling the motor away from the drive shaft with the appropriate force, or by hanging a weight from the motor (See Table 4.2 for tension force). Tighten the motor fasteners while this force/weight is applied to the motor.



NOTE: Torque specs for fasteners can be found in table 4.2.

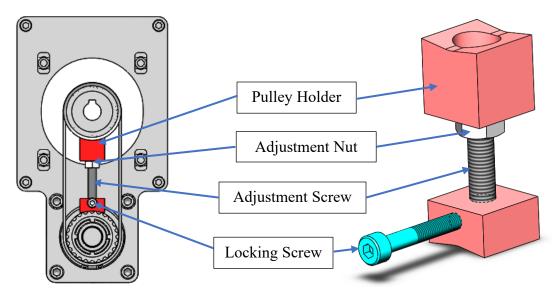


Figure 4.1: Reverse parallel tensioning tool

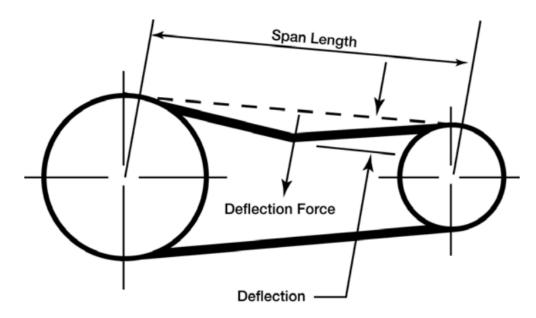


Figure 4.2: Reverse parallel belt tensioning diagram

| | | | | | | | | | Sonic Tension Method | | | | | Force Deflection Method | | | |
|-----------------|---------------------------|-------------------------|---------------------|------------------|-----|--------------------------|-----|-------|----------------------|-------|----|------------|----|-------------------------|----|--|--|
| | ator size and que callout | Smallest Shaft Diameter | | Tension Force | | Span Tension Force | | Mass | | Width | | Deflection | | Deflection Force | | | |
| | | in | mm | lbf | N | lbf | N | lb/in | g/m | in | mm | in | mm | lbf | N | | |
| | R/GSA12 & 16 ST1 | .180259 | 4.57-6.58 | 13 | 58 | 7 | 29 | 0.21 | 2.4 | 0.354 | 9 | 0.08 | 2 | 1.7 | 8 | | |
| | R/GSA24 | .180259 | 4.57-6.58 | 13 | 58 | 7 | 29 | 0.21 | 2.4 | 0.354 | 9 | 0.08 | 2 | 1.7 | 8 | | |
| | ST1 | .260499 | 6.60-12.68 | 22 | 98 | 11 | 49 | 0.21 | 2.4 | 0.354 | 9 | 0.08 | 2 | 2.3 | 10 | | |
| | R/GSA32 | .180259 | 4.57-6.58 | 13 | 58 | 7 | 29 | 0.34 | 3.9 | 0.748 | 19 | 0.12 | 3 | 1 | 4 | | |
| enb. | ST1 | .260499 | 6.60-12.68 | 22 | 98 | 11 | 49 | 0.34 | 3.9 | 0.748 | 19 | 0.12 | 3 | 1.5 | 7 | | |
| J Tor | | .260499 | 6.60-12.68 | 22 | 98 | 11 | 49 | 0.34 | 3.9 | 0.748 | 19 | 0.12 | 3 | 2.3 | 10 | | |
| Standard Torque | RSA50 ST1 | .500625 | 12.70-15.88 | 31 | 138 | 16 | 69 | 0.34 | 3.9 | 0.748 | 19 | 0.12 | 3 | 3 | 13 | | |
| S | 011 | .625 and larger | 15.88 and larger | 40 | 178 | 20 | 89 | 0.34 | 3.9 | 0.748 | 19 | 0.12 | 3 | 4.5 | 20 | | |
| | RSA64 | .500625 | 12.70-15.88 | 31 | 138 | 16 | 69 | 0.34 | 3.9 | 0.748 | 19 | 0.12 | 3 | 3 | 13 | | |
| | ST1 | .625 and larger | 15.88 and larger | 40 | 178 | 20 | 89 | 0.34 | 3.9 | 0.748 | 19 | 0.12 | 3 | 4.5 | 20 | | |
| | RSA24 HT1 | All | All | 40 | 178 | 20 | 89 | 0.34 | 3.9 | 0.984 | 25 | 0.08 | 2 | 3 | 13 | | |
| e | RSA32 | Up to .470 | Up to 12.00 | 40 | 178 | 20 | 89 | 0.3 | 3.5 | 0.984 | 25 | 0.12 | 3 | 3 | 13 | | |
| orgu | HT1 | Over .470 | Over 12.00 | 60 | 267 | 30 | 133 | 0.3 | 3.5 | 0.984 | 25 | 0.12 | 3 | 5 | 22 | | |
| High Torque | RSA50 HT1 | All | All | 60 | 267 | 30 | 133 | 0.3 | 3.5 | 0.984 | 25 | 0.12 | 3 | 3 | 13 | | |
| | RSA64 | Up to .980 | Up to 25.00 | 60 | 267 | 30 | 133 | 0.3 | 3.5 | 0.984 | 25 | 0.12 | 3 | 3.5 | 16 | | |
| | HT1 | Over .980 | Over 25.00 | 80 | 356 | 40 | 178 | 0.3 | 3.5 | 0.984 | 25 | 0.12 | 3 | 4 | 18 | | |

| Faste | ener Size | Torque | Spec | | | | | | |
|-------------|----------------|--------|------|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| Thread Size | Allen Key Size | in-lbs | N-m | | | | | | |
| #5-40 | 3/32 | 20 | 2.3 | | | | | | |
| #6-32 | 7/64 | 25 | 2.8 | | | | | | |
| #8-32 | 9/64 | 46 | 5.2 | | | | | | |
| #10-24 | 5/32 | 67 | 7.6 | | | | | | |
| 5/16-18 | 1/4 | 135 | 15.3 | | | | | | |
| 3/8-16 | 5/16 | 200 | 22.6 | | | | | | |
| M3 | 2.5 | 13 | 1.5 | | | | | | |
| M4 | 3.0 | 40 | 4.5 | | | | | | |
| M5 | 4.0 | 67 | 7.6 | | | | | | |
| M6 | 5.0 | 135 | 15.3 | | | | | | |

Table 4.2: Reverse parallel tension and torque specifications

4.6 Standard RSA Actuator Mounting Mechanical Installation Bolt and Torque Table.

Front Face Mounting:

| | | oc mounting. | | | |
|----------|----------|-----------------------------------|--------------------|---------------|------------|
| RSA | Model | Front Face Threaded Holes | Min Fastener Grade | Torque in-lbf | Torque N-m |
| RSA12 ST | Standard | 4 - 5-40 ↓ 0.50" | SAE Grade 5 | 10 | 1.1 |
| RSA12 ST | Metric | 4 - M3 x 0.5 ↓ 12.0mm | 8.8 | 8.7 | 1.0 |
| RSA16 ST | Standard | 4 - 8-32 ↓ 0.50" | SAE Grade 5 | 22 | 2.5 |
| RSA16 ST | Metric | 4 - M4 x 0.7 ↓ 8.0mm | 8.8 | 20 | 2.3 |
| RSA24 ST | Standard | 4 - 10-24 ↓ 0.79" | SAE Grade 5 | 32 | 3.6 |
| RSA24 ST | Metric | 4 - M5 x 0.8 ↓ 20.0mm | 8.8 | 41 | 4.6 |
| RSA32 ST | Standard | 4 - 1/4-20 \$\square\$ 0.71" | SAE Grade 5 | 76 | 8.6 |
| RSA32 ST | Metric | 4 - M6 x 1.0 ↓ 18.0mm | 8.8 | 71 | 8.0 |
| RSA50 ST | Standard | 4 - 5/16-18 \$\rightarrow\$ 1.00" | SAE Grade 5 | 155 | 17.5 |
| RSA50 ST | Metric | 4 - M8 x 1.25 ↓ 20.0mm | 8.8 | 173 | 19.5 |
| RSA64 ST | Standard | 4 - 7/16-14 ↓ 1.50" | SAE Grade 5 | 445 | 50.3 |
| RSA64 ST | Metric | 4 - M12 x 1.75 ↓ 38.1mm | 8.8 | 593 | 67.0 |
| RSA24 HT | Standard | 4 - 10-24 \$\sqrt{0.79}" | SAE Grade 8 | 45 | 5.1 |
| RSA24 HT | Metric | 4 - M5 x 0.8 ↓ 20.0mm | 10.9 | 58 | 6.5 |
| RSA32 HT | Standard | 4 - 1/4-20 ↓ 0.71" | SAE Grade 8 | 107 | 12.1 |
| RSA32 HT | Metric | 4 - M6 x 1.0 ↓ 18.0mm | 10.9 | 97 | 11.0 |
| RSA50 HT | Standard | 6- 5/16-18 \$\square\$ 0.47" | SAE Grade 8 | 220 | 24.9 |
| RSA50 HT | Metric | 6- M8 x 1.25 ↓ 12.0mm | 10.9 | 239 | 27.0 |
| RSA64 HT | Standard | 6 - 1/2-13 \$\square\$ 0.75" | SAE Grade 8 | 955 | 107.9 |
| RSA64 HT | Metric | 6 - M12 x 1.75 ↓ 18.0mm | 10.9 | 832 | 94.0 |
| | | | | | |

Bottom Mounting:

Mechanical Installation Bolt and Torque Table.

| RSA Model | | Bottom Mounting Threaded Holes | Min Fastener Grade | Torque in-lbf | Torque N-m |
|-----------|----------|---------------------------------------|--------------------|---------------|------------|
| RSA12 ST | Standard | 4 - 8-32 ↓ 0.25" | Grade 5 | 22 | 2.5 |
| RSA12 ST | Metric | 4 - M4 x 0.6 ↓ 6.4mm | 8.8 | 20.3 | 2.3 |
| RSA16 ST | Standard | 4- 8-32 ↓ 0.25" | Grade 5 | 22 | 2.5 |
| RSA16 ST | Metric | 4 - M4 x 0.7 ↓ 6.4mm | 8.8 | 20.3 | 2.3 |
| RSA24 ST | Standard | 4 - 1/4-20 \$\display\$ 0.31" | Grade 5 | 76 | 8.6 |
| RSA24 ST | Metric | 4 - M6 x 1.0 ↓ 8.6mm | 8.8 | 70 | 7.9 |
| RSA32 ST | Standard | 4 - 5/16-18 \$\square\$ 0.47" | Grade 5 | 156 | 17.6 |
| RSA32 ST | Metric | 4 - M8 x 1.25 ↓ 11.9mm | 8.8 | 168 | 19.0 |
| RSA50 ST | Standard | 4 - 3/8-16 \$\square\$ 0.68" | Grade 5 | 300 | 33.9 |
| RSA50 ST | Metric | 4 - M10 x 1.5 ↓ 17.3mm | 8.8 | 350 | 39.5 |
| RSA64 ST | Standard | 4 - 7/16-14 ↓ 0.88" | Grade 5 | 445 | 50.3 |
| RSA64 ST | Metric | 4 - M12 x 1.75 ↓ 22.2mm | 8.8 | 584 | 66.0 |
| | | | | | |
| RSA24 HT | Standard | 4 - 1/4-20 ↓ .34" | Grade 8 | 107 | 12.1 |
| RSA24 HT | Metric | 4 - M6 x 1.0 ↓ 8.6mm | 10.9 | 97 | 11.0 |
| RSA32 HT | Standard | 4 - 5/16-18 \$\rightarrow\$ 0.47" | Grade 8 | 220 | 24.9 |
| RSA32 HT | Metric | 4 - M8 x 1.25 ↓ 11.9mm | 10.9 | 239 | 27.0 |
| RSA50 HT | Standard | 4 - 3/8-16 \$\square\$ 0.75" | Grade 8 | 395 | 44.6 |
| RSA50 HT | Metric | 4 - M10 x 1.5 ↓ 15.0mm | 10.9 | 478 | 54.0 |
| RSA64 HT | Standard | 4 - 7/16-14 🔱 0.88" | Grade 8 | 625 | 70.6 |
| RSA64 HT | Metric | 4 - M12 x 1.75 ↓ 18.0mm | 10.9 | 832 | 94.0 |

4.7 Options

4.7.1 FFG, BFG (Front/Back Flange Mount)

FFG, BFG may be aligned to the axis of motion of the application (machine) with 2 dowel pins, and secured with fasteners (dowel pins and fasteners are not included) tightened to the torque values given below. Please see Tolomatic RSA Catalog 3600-4166 for dimensional drawings. Use 3D CAD files (available at www.tolomatic.com) for critical dimensions.

| RSA | Model | Front/Back Flange Mount | Min Fastener Grade | Torque in-lbf | Torque N-m |
|----------|----------|-------------------------|--------------------|---------------|------------|
| RSA12 ST | Standard | 6-32 | Grade 5 | 11 | 1.2 |
| RSA12 ST | Metric | M3X0.5 | 8.8 | 8.7 | 1.0 |
| RSA16 ST | Standard | 8-32 | Grade 5 | 22 | 2.5 |
| RSA16 ST | Metric | M4 | 8.8 | 20 | 2.3 |
| RSA24 ST | Standard | 1/4-20 | Grade 5 | 76 | 8.6 |
| RSA24 ST | Metric | M6 | 8.8 | 70 | 7.9 |
| RSA32 ST | Standard | 5/16-18 | Grade 5 | 155 | 17.5 |
| RSA32 ST | Metric | M8x1.25 | 8.8 | 168 | 19.0 |
| RSA50 ST | Standard | 3/8-16 | Grade 5 | 300 | 33.9 |
| RSA50 ST | Metric | M10 | 8.8 | 350 | 39.5 |
| RSA64 ST | Standard | 3/8-16 | Grade 5 | 300 | 33.9 |
| RSA64 ST | Metric | M12 | 8.8 | 584 | 66.0 |
| | | | | | |
| RSA24 HT | Standard | 1/4-20 | Grade 8 | 107 | 12.1 |
| RSA24 HT | Metric | M6 | 10.9 | 97 | 11.0 |
| RSA32 HT | Standard | 5/16-18 | Grade 8 | 220 | 24.9 |
| RSA32 HT | Metric | M8x1.25 | 10.9 | 239 | 27.0 |
| RSA50 HT | Standard | 3/8-16 | Grade 8 | 395 | 44.6 |
| RSA50 HT | Metric | M10 | 10.9 | 478 | 54.0 |
| RSA64 HT | Standard | 1/2-13 | Grade 8 | 955 | 107.9 |
| RSA64 HT | Metric | M12 | 10.9 | 832 | 94.0 |

4.7.2 FM2, MP2 (Foot Mount and Mounting Plates)

RSA series actuators may be mounted to a surface parallel to the line of motion using mounting plates located under the bearing block and the front head of the actuator (Option FM2, MP2). Each of the two mounting plates is secured with 4 fasteners (not included) tightened to the torque values given below. Please see Tolomatic RSA Catalog 3600-4166 for dimensional drawings. Use 3D CAD files (available at www.tolomatic.com) for critical dimensions.

| RSA | Model | Foot Mount | Min Fastener Grade | Torque in-lbf | Torque N-m |
|----------|----------|------------|--------------------|---------------|------------|
| RSA12 ST | Standard | 6-32 | Grade 5 | 11 | 1.2 |
| RSA12 ST | Metric | M3X0.5 | 8.8 | 8.7 | 1.0 |
| RSA16 ST | Standard | 6-32 | Grade 5 | 11 | 1.2 |
| RSA16 ST | Metric | M3X0.5 | 8.8 | 8.7 | 1.0 |
| RSA24 ST | Standard | 5/16-18 | Grade 5 | 155 | 17.5 |
| RSA24 ST | Metric | M6 | 8.8 | 70 | 7.9 |
| RSA32 ST | Standard | 3/8-16 | Grade 5 | 300 | 33.9 |
| RSA32 ST | Metric | M8x1.25 | 8.8 | 168 | 19.0 |
| RSA50 ST | Standard | 7/16-14 | Grade 5 | 445 | 50.3 |
| RSA50 ST | Metric | M10 | 8.8 | 350 | 39.5 |
| RSA64 ST | Standard | 7/16-14 | Grade 5 | 445 | 50.3 |
| RSA64 ST | Metric | M12 | 8.8 | 584 | 66.0 |

| RSA Model | | Mounting Plates | Min Fastener Grade | Torque in-lbf | Torque N-m |
|-----------|----------|-----------------|--------------------|---------------|------------|
| RSA12 ST | Standard | 8-32 | Grade 5 | 22 | 2.5 |
| RSA12 ST | Metric | M4 | 8.8 | 20.3 | 2.3 |
| RSA16 ST | Standard | 8-32 | Grade 5 | 22 | 2.5 |
| RSA16 ST | Metric | M4 | 8.8 | 20.3 | 2.3 |
| RSA24 ST | Standard | 3/8-16 | Grade 5 | 300 | 33.9 |
| RSA24 ST | Metric | M6 | 8.8 | 70 | 7.9 |
| RSA32 ST | Standard | 3/8-16 | Grade 5 | 300 | 33.9 |
| RSA32 ST | Metric | M8x1.25 | 8.8 | 168 | 19.0 |
| RSA50 ST | Standard | 1/2-13 | Grade 5 | 600 | 67.8 |
| RSA50 ST | Metric | M10 | 8.8 | 335 | 37.8 |
| RSA64 ST | Standard | 1/2-13 | Grade 5 | 600 | 67.8 |
| RSA64 ST | Metric | M12 | 8.8 | 593 | 67.0 |
| | | | | | |
| RSA24 HT | Standard | 3/8-16 | Grade 5 | 300 | 33.9 |
| RSA24 HT | Metric | M6 | 10.9 | 97 | 11.0 |
| RSA32 HT | Standard | 3/8-16 | Grade 8 | 395 | 44.6 |
| RSA32 HT | Metric | M10 | 10.9 | 478 | 54.0 |
| RSA50 HT | Standard | 1/2-13 | Grade 8 | 955 | 107.9 |
| RSA50 HT | Metric | M10 | 10.9 | 478 | 54.0 |
| RSA64 HT | Standard | 1/2-13 | Grade 8 | 955 | 107.9 |
| RSA64 HT | Metric | M12 | 10.9 | 832 | 94.0 |

4.7.3 MET, ALC (Rod End: External Threaded Option, Alignment Coupler)

The design of the RSA actuator has internal anti-rotate as a standard feature that prevents the thrust rod from rotating. However, when attaching accessories, linkages or load to the thrust rod end it is critical to protect the internal components. Use a wrench on the flats at the end of the thrust rod to prevent rotation. Use a torque wrench to tighten the interfacing rod end to the actuator threaded connection point. Torque values provided in the following table.



Figure 4.3: For RSA hold thrust rod stationary using a wrench on the flats at the end of the thrust rod when attaching accessories, linkages or load to the actuator.

Please see Tolomatic RSA Catalog <u>3600-4166</u> for dimensional drawings. Use 3D CAD files (available at www.tolomatic.com) for critical dimensions.

| RSA Model | | Female Rod End Thread | Max Torque in-lbf | Max Torque N-m |
|-----------|----------|-----------------------|-------------------|----------------|
| RSA12 ST | Standard | 1/4-28 \ 0.75" | 40 | 4.5 |
| RSA12 ST | Metric | M6 x 1.0 ↓ 15.0mm | 31 | 3.5 |
| RSA16 ST | Standard | 5/16-24 ↓ 0.75" | 75 | 8.5 |
| RSA16 ST | Metric | M8 x 1.25 ↓ 16.0mm | 80 | 9.0 |
| RSA24 ST | Standard | 7/16-20 ↓ 1.00" | 235 | 26.6 |
| RSA24 ST | Metric | M10 x 1.25 ↓ 25.4mm | 168 | 19.0 |
| RSA32 ST | Standard | 7/16-20 \ 1.33" | 235 | 26.6 |
| RSA32 ST | Metric | M16 x 1.5 ↓ 26.6mm | 708 | 80.0 |
| RSA50 ST | Standard | 3/4-16 ↓ 1.50" | 1250 | 141.2 |
| RSA50 ST | Metric | M20 x 1.5 ↓ 40.0mm | 1328 | 150.0 |
| RSA64 ST | Standard | 3/4-16 ↓ 1.50" | 1250 | 141.2 |
| RSA64 ST | Metric | M27 x 2.0 ↓ 38.1mm | 3540 | 400.0 |

^{*}ST Torque Value Assumes Mating Male Thread has Min UTS = 60ksi [413MPa]

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| RSA Model | | Female Rod End Thread | Max Torque in-lbf | Max Torque N-m |
|-----------|----------|-----------------------|-------------------|----------------|
| RSA24 HT | Standard | 7/16-20 \ 1.00" | 450 | 50.8 |
| RSA24 HT | Metric | M10 x 1.25 ↓ 25.4mm | 310 | 35.0 |
| RSA32 HT | Standard | 7/16-20 ↓ 1.13" | 465 | 52.5 |
| RSA32 HT | Metric | M16 x 1.5 ↓ 28.6mm | 1416 | 160.0 |
| RSA50 HT | Standard | 3/4-16 ↓ 1.50" | 2400 | 271.2 |
| RSA50 HT | Metric | M20 x 1.5 ↓ 38.1mm | 2921 | 330.0 |
| RSA64 HT | Standard | 1-1/4-12 ↓ 2.50" | 5000 | 564.9 |
| RSA64 HT | Metric | M27 x 2.0 ↓ 63.5mm | 4868 | 550.0 |

^{*}HT Torque Value Assumes Mating Male Thread has Min UTS =120ksi [827MPa]

| RSA Model | | Male Rod End Thread | Torque in-lbf | Torque N-m |
|-----------|----------|---------------------|---------------|------------|
| RSA12 ST | Standard | 1/4-28 ↓ 0.50" | 40 | 4.5 |
| RSA12 ST | Metric | M6 x 1.0 ↓ 12.7mm | 31 | 3.5 |
| RSA16 ST | Standard | 5/16-24 \ 0.50" | 75 | 8.5 |
| RSA16 ST | Metric | M8 x 1.25 ↓ 12.7mm | 80 | 9.0 |
| RSA24 ST | Standard | 7/16-20 \ 0.87" | 235 | 26.6 |
| RSA24 ST | Metric | M10 x 1.25 ↓ 22.1mm | 168 | 19.0 |
| RSA32 ST | Standard | 7/16-20 \ 0.87" | 235 | 26.6 |
| RSA32 ST | Metric | M16 x 1.5 ↓ 26.6mm | 708 | 80.0 |
| RSA50 ST | Standard | 3/4-16 ↓ 1.50" | 1250 | 141.2 |
| RSA50 ST | Metric | M20 x 1.5 ↓ 38.1mm | 1328 | 150.0 |
| RSA64 ST | Standard | 3/4-16 ↓ 1.50" | 1250 | 141.2 |
| RSA64 ST | Metric | M27 x 2.0 ↓ 38.1mm | 3540 | 400.0 |
| | | | | |
| RSA24 HT | Standard | 7/16-20 \ 0.87" | 450 | 50.8 |
| RSA24 HT | Metric | M10 x 1.25 ↓ 22.1mm | 310 | 35.0 |
| RSA32 HT | Standard | 7/16-20 ↓ 0.87" | 465 | 52.5 |
| RSA32 HT | Metric | M16 x 1.5 ↓ 28.0mm | 1416 | 160.0 |
| RSA50 HT | Standard | 3/4-16 ↓ 1.50" | 2400 | 271.2 |
| RSA50 HT | Metric | M20 x 1.5 ↓ 38.1mm | 2921 | 330.0 |
| RSA64 HT | Standard | 1-1/4-12 \ 2.13" | 5000 | 564.9 |
| RSA64 HT | Metric | M27 x 2.0 ↓ 50.8mm | 4868 | 550.0 |

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| RSA Model | | Alignment Coupler Thread (Male/Female) | Torque in-lbf | Torque N-m |
|-----------|----------|--|---------------|------------|
| RSA12 ST | Standard | 1/4-28 \ 0.625" | 60 | 6.8 |
| RSA12 ST | Metric | NA | | |
| RSA16 ST | Standard | 5/16-24 ↓ 0.625" | 110 | 12.4 |
| RSA16 ST | Metric | NA | | |
| RSA24 ST | Standard | 7/16-20 ↓ 0.75" | 350 | 39.5 |
| RSA24 ST | Metric | M10 x 1.25 ↓ 24.0mm | 248 | 28.0 |
| RSA32 ST | Standard | 7/16-20 ↓ 0.75" | 350 | 39.5 |
| RSA32 ST | Metric | M16 x 1.5 ↓ 32.0mm | 1106 | 125.0 |
| RSA50 ST | Standard | 3/4-16 ↓ 1.125" | 1900 | 214.7 |
| RSA50 ST | Metric | M20 x 1.5 ↓ 42.0mm | 2213 | 250.0 |
| RSA64 ST | Standard | 3/4-16 ↓ 1.125" | 1900 | 214.7 |
| RSA64 ST | Metric | M27 x 2.0 ↓ 54.0mm | 3009 | 340.0 |
| | | | | |
| RSA24 HT | Standard | 7/16-20 ↓ 0.75" | 300 | 33.9 |
| RSA24 HT | Metric | M10 x 1.25 ↓ 24.0mm | 221 | 25.0 |
| RSA32 HT | Standard | 7/16-20 ↓ 0.75" | 350 | 39.5 |
| RSA32 HT | Metric | M16 x 1.5 ↓ 32.0mm | 885 | 100.0 |
| RSA50 HT | Standard | 3/4-16 ↓ 1.125" | 1800 | 203.4 |
| RSA50 HT | Metric | M20 x 1.5 ↓ 42.0mm | 1991 | 225.0 |
| RSA64 HT | Standard | 1-1/4-12 \ 1.625" | 5000 | 564.9 |
| RSA64 HT | Metric | M27 x 2.0 ↓ 54.0mm | 4868 | 550.0 |

4.7.5 GSA Mounting SpecificationsPlease see Tolomatic RSA/GSA Catalog <u>3600-4166</u> for dimensional drawings. Use 3D CAD files (available at www.tolomatic.com) for critical dimensions.

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|-----------|--------------|-------------------------------|------------------------|---------------|------------|
| GSA I | Model | Top Face Threaded Holes | Minimum Fastener Grade | Torque in-lbf | Torque N-m |
| GSA12 ST | Standard | 4 - 5/16-18 🔱 0.75" | SAE Grade 2 | 100 | 11.3 |
| GSA12 ST | Metric | 4 - M8 x 1.25 ↓ 19.1mm | 5.8 | 106 | 12.0 |
| GSA16 ST | Standard | 4 - 5/16-18 \$\square\$ 0.75" | SAE Grade 2 | 100 | 11.3 |
| GSA16 ST | Metric | 4 - M8 x 1.25 ↓ 19.1mm | 5.8 | 106 | 12.0 |
| GSA24 ST | Standard | 4 - 3/8-16 ↓ 1.00" | SAE Grade 2 | 175 | 19.8 |
| GSA24 ST | Metric | 4 - M10 x 1.5 ↓ 25.4mm | 5.8 | 177 | 20.0 |
| GSA32 ST | Standard | 4 - 1/2-13 ↓ 1.50" | SAE Grade 2 | 250 | 28.2 |
| GSA32 ST | Metric | 4 - M12 x 1.75 ↓ 38.1mm | 5.8 | 265.5 | 30.0 |
| | | | | | |
| | | Top Through Hole Fastener | | | |
| GSA I | Model | Size | Minimum Fastener Grade | Torque in-lbf | Torque N-m |
| GSA12 ST | Standard | 1/4-20 | SAE Grade 2 | 45 | 5.1 |
| GSA12 ST | Metric | M6x1.0 | 5.8 | 44 | 5.0 |
| GSA16 ST | Standard | 1/4-20 | SAE Grade 2 | 45 | 5.1 |
| GSA16 ST | Metric | M6x1.0 | 5.8 | 44 | 5.0 |
| GSA24 ST | Standard | 5/16-18 | SAE Grade 2 | 100 | 11.3 |
| GSA24 ST | Metric | M8x1.25 | 5.8 | 106 | 12.0 |
| GSA32 ST | Standard | 7/16-14 | SAE Grade 2 | 225 | 25.4 |
| GSA32 ST | Metric | M10x1.5 | 5.8 | 177 | 20.0 |
| | | | | | |
| GSA I | Model | Side Threaded Holes | Minimum Fastener Grade | Torque in-lbf | Torque N-m |
| GSA12 ST | Standard | 4 - 1/4-20 ↓ 0.50" | SAE Grade 2 | 45 | 5.1 |
| GSA12 ST | Metric | 4 - M6 x 1.0 ↓ 12.7mm | 5.8 | 44 | 5.0 |
| GSA16 ST | Standard | 4 - 1/4-20 ↓ 0.50" | SAE Grade 2 | 45 | 5.1 |
| GSA16 ST | Metric | 4 - M6 x 1.0 ↓ 12.7mm | 5.8 | 44 | 5.0 |
| GSA24 ST | Standard | 4 - 5/16-18 \$\square\$ 0.63" | SAE Grade 2 | 100 | 11.3 |
| GSA24 ST | Metric | 4 - M8 x 1.25 ↓ 16.0mm | 5.8 | 106 | 12.0 |
| GSA32 ST | Standard | 4 - 3/8-16 ↓ 0.75 | SAE Grade 2 | 175 | 19.8 |
| GSA32 ST | Metric | 4 - M10 x 1.5 ↓ 19.1mm | 5.8 | 177 | 20.0 |
| | | | | | |
| GSA I | Model | Tooling Plate Threaded Holes | Minimum Fastener Grade | Torque in-lbf | Torque N-m |
| GSA12 ST | Standard | 4 - 1/4-20 ↓ 0.66" | SAE Grade 2 | 45 | 5.1 |
| GSA12 ST | Metric | 4 - M6 x 1.0 ↓ 16.8mm | 5.8 | 44 | 5.0 |
| GSA16 ST | Standard | 4 - 5/16-18 ↓ 0.85" | SAE Grade 2 | 100 | 11.3 |
| GSA16 ST | Metric | 4 - M8 x 1.25 ↓ 21.9mm | 5.8 | 106 | 12.0 |
| GSA24 ST | Standard | 4 - 5/16-18 ↓ 1.10" | SAE Grade 2 | 100 | 11.3 |
| GSA24 ST | Metric | 4 - M8 x 1.25 ↓ 27.9mm | 5.8 | 106 | 12.0 |
| GSA32 ST | Standard | 4 - 3/8-16 ↓ 1.13 | SAE Grade 2 | 175 | 19.8 |
| GSA32 ST | | 4 - M10 x 1.5 ↓ 28.7mm | 5.8 | 177 | 20.0 |
| | | | | | |
| | , | Tooling Plate Through Hole | | | |
| GSA Model | | Fastener Size | Minimum Fastener Grade | Torque in-lbf | Torque N-m |
| GSA12 ST | Standard | 10-24 | SAE Grade 2 | 20 | 2.3 |
| GSA12 ST | Metric | M5x0.8 | 5.8 | 26.5 | 3.0 |
| GSA16 ST | Standard | 1/4-20 | SAE Grade 2 | 45 | 5.1 |
| GSA16 ST | Metric | M6x1.0 | 5.8 | 44 | 5.0 |
| GSA24 ST | Standard | 1/4-20 | SAE Grade 2 | 45 | 5.1 |
| GSA24 ST | | M6x1.0 | 5.8 | 44 | 5.0 |
| | Standard | 5/16-18 | SAE Grade 2 | 100 | 11.3 |
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■ 5.0 RSA/GSA Operation and Start Up Considerations

5.1 Back Driving

WARNING WARNING!

RSA & GSA actuators are equipped with screws that are not self-braking and will not hold position under load. When there is no current/torque input to the drive motor, the screw will rotate and the thrust rod can move freely. A motor brake option should be used if the motion system/axis requires the actuator to hold position when it is not powered, or as a safety measure if the actuator is mounted in a vertical orientation to prevent the payload from free falling in the event of unintended power loss.

NOTE!

Motor brakes are not recommended for RP (Reverse Parallel) motor mounts.

5.2 Homing

To establish full open and close position of the actuator, set the drive torque limits to the lowest values possible for motion (10-20% to begin with) and use a slow velocity jog command (<1mm/s) to search for the hard limits. If 10-20% of the continuous current is not sufficient to drive both the actuator installed on the equipment, slowly increase the current limit until the unit is able to move to both the fully open and fully closed positions. Proper care must be taken when finding hard limits after installation to the equipment. Applying a load in excess of the continuous rated force at the end of travel may cause internal damage and could render the assembly inoperable.

Once the full open and closed positions are determined, these values can be stored in the drive/controller as travel limits.

■ 5.3 Breather/Purge Ports

Standard feature on RSA 32,50,64 size actuators. Located on both the bottom and the side of the actuator. When using as a Breather Port: allows air flow into the interior of the actuator. Prevents additional load on the motor caused by air buildup due to fast cycling of the RSA. When using as a Purge Port: positive pressure with air lines and filters insure contaminants (which could potentially shorten the actuator life) do not enter the interior of the actuator.

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6.0 Maintenance

WARNING WARNING!

All power and supply media must be shut OFF before any work is performed on any equipment that is associated with the actuator. It is recommended that actuator repairs be performed at Tolomatic or by a Tolomatic service center.

NOTE!

Replacement parts for RSA-HT actuators are not available for sale and RSA-HT must be returned to Tolomatic or a Tolomatic service center for repairs.

Tolomatic recommends returning the RSA and GSA for most repairs. Contact Tolomatic for RMA (Return Merchandise Authorization) instructions.

6.1 Maintenance Check and Intervals

RSA and GSA actuators should be visually inspected on a regular basis, at least once per quarter. Visually inspect the thrust rod, belts and pulley's if equipped, and any mounting features for wear.

6.2 Lubrication procedure and interval.

6.2.1 RSA-ST, GSA Lubrication

RSA-ST and GSA actuators are lubricated at the factory and are considered lubricated for the life of the actuator.

6.2.2 RSA HT Lubrication

RSA HT actuators include a rod end grease zerk to allow the end user the option of re-greasing the roller screw and roller nut. Lubrication requirements depend on the motion cycle (velocity, force and frequency of operation), type of application, ambient temperature, environmental and other factors.

In general purpose applications to maximize service life Tolomatic recommends to re-lubricate the actuator at least every 1,000,000 cycles or once every year whichever comes first. For more demanding applications such as pressing, high frequency motion or other cases where the screw is highly stressed, the re-lubrication interval will need to be more frequent. In such applications it is recommended to execute at least 5 full length stroke moves every 5,000 cycles of operation to redistribute the lubricant within the actuator.

Re-lubricate with Tolomatic Grease into the grease zerk located on the rod end:

| | RSA24 | RSA32 | RSA50 | RSA64 |
|------------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| Qty. | 2.5 g + (0.010 x § mm) | 4.8 g + (0.010 x § mm) | 5.3 g + (0.018 x § mm) | 6.6 g + (0.018 x § mm) |
| Qty. | 0.09 oz + (0.009 x § in) | 0.17 oz + (0.009 x § in) | 0.19 oz + (0.016 x § in) | 0.23 oz + (0.016 x § in) |
| § = Stroke length (mm or in) | | | | |

Table 6.1: Grease relubrication quantity for RSA-HT actuators

6.3 Storage Recommendations

Pay attention to the following when storing the actuator:

- Perform repairs, maintenance and inspections before storing equipment to ensure that the equipment is in good working order.
- Make sure the equipment is placed in a suitable storage position (horizontal) to prevent damage to the connectors and electronics.
- Protect the feedback device, which is located at the blind (non-rod end) of servo motors (if used).
- Store in clean and dry environment.
- After six (6) months of storage it is recommended to cycle two complete strokes of the actuator to redistribute the internal lubricants.

It is also recommended to cycle the actuator two complete strokes before placing in service.

- If stored for a period longer than 2 years without use it may be necessary to replace the lubricants. Return to Tolomatic for this maintenance.
- Storage temperature is -25°C to +60°C (-13°F to +140°F).

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Appendix A: Specifications

A.1 Specifications

■ A.1.1 Performance and Mechanical Specifications



For performance data and specifications please refer to the Tolomatic RSA/GSA catalog #3600-4166

A.1.2 Actuator Sizing



For performance data and specifications please refer to the Tolomatic RSA/GSA catalog #3600-4166

NOTE!

For fast, accurate actuator sizing please use the Tolomatic online sizing application: Sizeit. Tolomatic.com

A.1.3 Critical Speed



For performance data and specifications please refer to the Tolomatic RSA/GSA catalog #3600-4166

A.1.4 Roller Screw Life



For performance data and specifications please refer to the Tolomatic RSA/GSA catalog #3600-4166

Appendix B: Troubleshooting

■ B1: Troubleshooting Procedure

| Symptom | CAUSE | SOLUTION |
|--|---|---|
| Actuator cannot move | Force is too large for the capacity of the actuator or too much friction is present | Verify force requirements |
| | Excessive side load | Verify correct operation |
| | Misalignment of output rod to application | Verify correct alignment |
| | Actuator has crashed into hard stop | Disconnect from load and manually move away from hard stop. If problem persists, contact Tolomatic for service. |
| Actuator housing moves or vibrates when shaft is in motion | Loose mounting | Check actuator mounting |
| Actuator is overheating | Duty cycle is higher than actuator ratings | Verify duty cycle is within continuous ratings |
| | Actuator low or out of grease | Re-lubricate |

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Appendix C: Warranty

C.1 Warranty

Warranty and Limitation of Liability

Tolomatic's complete terms and conditions can be found here https://www.tolomatic.com/info-center/resource-details/terms-and-conditions

Limited Warranty

Tolomatic warrants that at the time of delivery, Products shall be in good condition, free from defects in material and workmanship and that Products made to order shall conform to applicable drawings or specifications as referenced in the quotation or accepted purchase order ("Product Warranty"). The Product Warranty shall expire one year from date of shipment (the "Warranty Period"). Tolomatic warrants that Buyer shall acquire good title to the Products free from third party rights. These warranties are given only to Buyer and not to any third party.

The Product Warranty excludes any defects or non-conformance resulting (wholly or in part) from: (i) accidental damage, mishandling, incorrect installation, negligence or other circumstances arising after delivery; (ii) the repair or alteration of the Product by any party other than Tolomatic or its authorized representative; (iii) the failure by Buyer to provide a suitable storage, use, or operating environment for the Products; (iv) Buyer's use of the Products for a purpose or in a manner other than that for which they were designed; and (v) other abuse, misuse or neglect of the Products by Buyer or any third party.

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Product Return Procedure

- 1. Before initiating the RMA process and obtaining an RMA number, please contact the Tolomatic Technical Support team to determine if it is possible to correct the issue in the field.
- 2. If an RMA is needed your Tolomatic Technical support team will initiate the RMA process and set up an RMA number. If possible, please contact your local distributor from which the actuator was originally purchased to begin the RMA process.

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Your RSA/GSA actuator has been designed to provide years of reliable and trouble-free service, but at some point in time it may be necessary to retire the unit from service. To protect our environment specific guidelines and requirements should be followed. The RSA/GSA actuator is primarily constructed from steel and aluminum and contains no hazardous materials.

- Appendix D: Certifications
- D.1 Declaration of Incorporation



EU Declaration of Incorporation

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RSA and GSA Actuators

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RoHS Directive (2011/65/EU, as amended by (EU) 2015/863)

REACH (Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006)

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Director of Engineering

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