

# PLANETARY ROLLER SCREWS ENDURANCE TECHNOLOGY

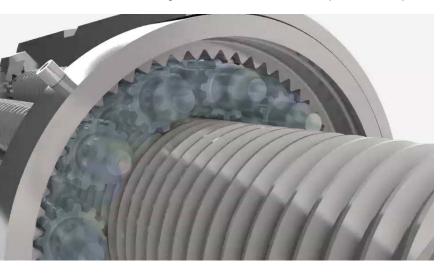
LINEAR SOLUTIONS MADE EASY

A Tolomatic Design Principle

# **Planetary Roller Screws**

## PLANETARY ROLLER SCREW OVERVIEW

Roller screws are designed to provide high force and efficient operation in a compact package. This unique design offers higher forces and longer life in a smaller package compared to ball screws, increasing a machine designer's ability to create compact machine concepts. Tolomatic roller screws are manufactured using state-of-the-art equipment to meet strict tolerances and the highest quality standards ensuring that each roller screw provides top-tier performance.



## **Tolomatic's Planetary Roller Screws:**

- Verified and tested extensively in Tolomatic's research & development lab
- Proven long, reliable life in thousands of demanding applications world-wide through use in Tolomatic's RSH, IMA, RSA, RSX, TRS, ServoChoke, and ServoWeld actuator platforms.
- Configurable stroke lengths
- Option to machine screw ends to OEM specifications
- Industry best lead times

# **Available Configurations**



SCREW SIZE	LEAD
mm	mm
15	4, 5, 10
20	4, 5, 10
30	5, 10
36	5, 10
39	10
48	12
63	10

See page 6 for complete list of screw sizes, lead availability, dimensions and specifications



### Need a complete solution? Roller screws used in these Tolomatic products

	RSH	RSA	RSX	IMA	TRS	ServoChoke	CSWX
	Hygienic Rod- Style Actuator	Rod-Style Actuator	Rod-Style Actuator	Integrated Servo Actuator	Rodless Actuator	Integrated Servo Actuator	Integrated Servo Actuator
Force up to:	7,943 lbf <i>(35 kN)</i>	13,0390 lbf <i>(58 kN)</i>	66,000 lbf <i>(294 kN)</i>	8,044 lbf <i>(358.8 kN)</i>	2,828 lbf <i>(14.8 kN)</i>	15,000 lbf <i>(66.7 kN)</i>	4,047 lbf <i>(18.0 kN</i> )
Speed up to:	19.6 in/sec (498 mm/sec)	123 in/sec (3,124 mm/sec)	29.9 in/sec (760 mm/sec)	52.5 in/sec (1,334 mm/sec)	50 in/sec (1,270 mm/sec)	0.77 in/sec (19.6 mm/sec)	27.6 in/sec (700 mm/sec)
Stroke Length up to:	48 in <i>(1,219 mm)</i>	60 in <i>(1,524 mm)</i>	59 in <i>(1,500 mm)</i>	18 in <i>(457 mm)</i>	86.6 in <i>(2,200 mm)</i>	3.75 in <i>(95.3 mm)</i>	6.3 in <i>(160 mm)</i>
Screw/ Nut Type	Ball & Roller	Solid, Ball & Roller	Ball & Roller	Ball & Roller	Ball & Roller	Roller	Roller
	For complete information see www.tolomatic.com or literature number:						
Literature Number:	2100-4010	3600-4166	2171-4001	2700-4000	3600-4222	2600-4000	2750-4024
	(Not al	l models deliver maxi	imum values listed, i.e	e.: Maximum thrust m	nay not be available w	vith maximum speed)	



# **Roller Screws vs. Ball Screws**

## **Roller Screw**



Capable of handling heavy loads, planetary roller screws contain precision ground rollers engaged with a precision ground screw. When compared with a ball screw of the same size and lead, the roller screw components are designed to have increased points of contact and a larger contact radius. This results in less stress per point of contact and allows roller screws to carry higher loads.

- Higher DLR = longer life
- Higher loads per given size
- Allows for smaller, lighter weight designs and machine concepts
- Compact design allows for flexibility in machine design
- Quiet, efficient operation

### ROLLER AND BALL SCREW PERFORMANCE COMPARISONS

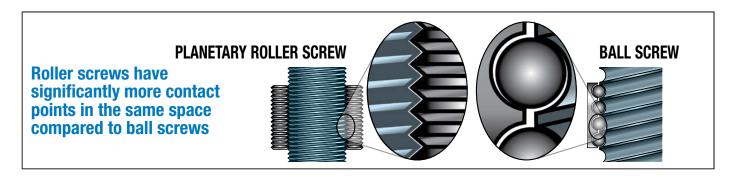
	ROLLER SCREW	BALL Screw
Dynamic load rating		
Lifetime	Very long life, many times greater than ball screw	Moderate
Shock Loads	Very high	Moderate
Relative Space Required	Minimal	Moderate
Acceleration	High	Moderate

### Ball Screw



Capable of handling moderate loads, ball screw nut assemblies contain multiple ball bearings that cannot be made below a minimum size. When compared to a roller screw of similar size and lead, the ball bearings' radius requires a coarser pitch resulting in fewer points of contact. This pitch combined with the smaller contact radius and a design that allows the bearings to contact each other, limits the ball screw's DLR leading to lower forces and shorter life than a roller screw.

**DLR (Dynamic Load Rating)** is an industry standard term that represents an applicable constant load (in direction and magnitude) where a ball bearing device (or power screw) will achieve 1,000,000 revolutions of rated life or L10 life estimation at 90% reliability.



## **Estimating Life**

NOTE: The **L**<sub>10</sub> expected life of a roller screw is expressed as the linear travel distance that 90% of properly maintained roller screw manufactured are expected to meet or exceed. This is not a guarantee and the following equations should be used for estimation purposes only. The underlying formula that defines this value is:

$$\mathbf{L}_{10} = \left(\frac{\mathbf{C}}{\mathbf{P}_{e}}\right)^{3} \bullet \mathbf{f} \equiv$$

L<sub>10</sub>Travel life in millions of units (in or mm), where:

- $\mathbf{C} = Dynamic load rating (lbf) or (N)$
- $\mathbf{P}_{e} = \text{Equivalent load (lbf) or (N)}$ If load is constant across all
  - *movements then:* actual load = equivalent load
- = Screw lead (in/rev) (*mm/rev*)

Use the "Equivalent Load" calculation below, when the load is not constant throughout the entire stroke. In cases where there is only minor variation in loading, use greatest load for life calculations.

Where: 
$$\mathbf{P}_{e} = \sqrt[3]{\frac{L_{1}(\mathbf{P}_{1})^{3} + L_{2}(\mathbf{P}_{2})^{3} + L_{3}(\mathbf{P}_{3})^{3} + L_{n}(\mathbf{P}_{n})^{3}}{L_{1}(\mathbf{P}_{1})^{3} + L_{2}(\mathbf{P}_{2})^{3} + L_{3}(\mathbf{P}_{3})^{3} + L_{3}(\mathbf{P}_{3})^{3$$

- $\mathbf{P}_{e} = \text{Equivalent load (lbf) or (N)}$
- $\mathbf{P}_{n}$  = Each increment at different load (lbf) or (N)
- **L** = Total distanced traveled per cycle (extend + retract stroke)  $\begin{bmatrix} L = L_1 + L_2 + L_3 + L_3 \end{bmatrix}$

 $L_n$  = Each increment of stroke at different load (in) or (mm)

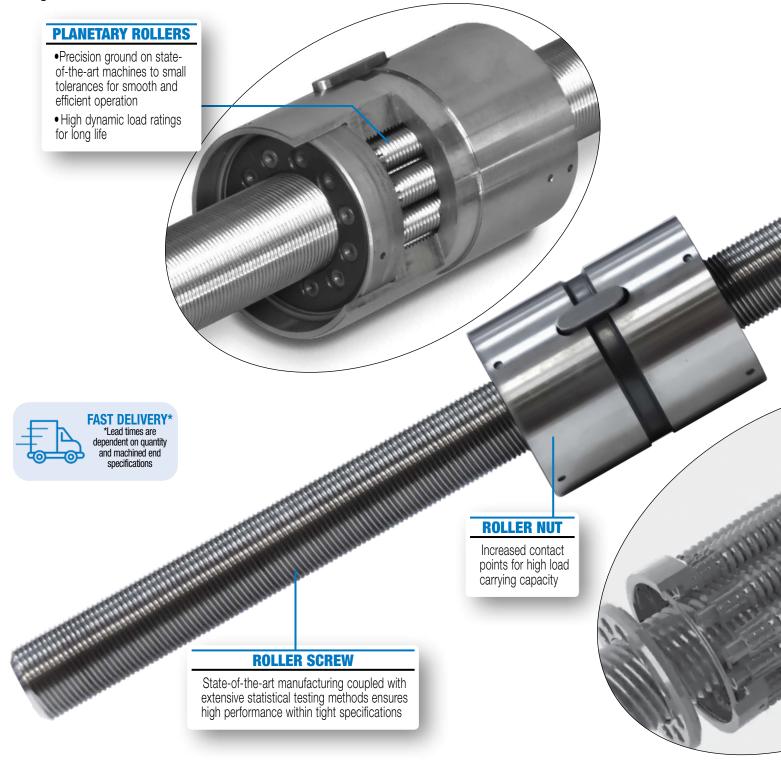


# **PLANETARY ROLLER SCREWS**

## ENDURANCE TECHNOLOGY A Tolomatic Design Principle

Endurance Technology features are designed for maximum durability to

Tolomatic planetary roller screws offer machine designers a robust, compact, high force linear motion solution. Long life, flexible design, and efficient operation ensure minimal downtime and maximize ROI. Available in standard sizes, leads, and in lengths that are built-to-order.





# Tolomatic ... MAXIMUM DURABILITY

## HARDENED STEEL

•Screw, nut and rollers are manufactured with specially hardened steel for maximum durability and long life

• Designed and tested for demanding applications

High load capacities



#### **MACHINED ENDS**

•Screw ends and bearing journals custom machined to fit most application requirements upon request

• Easy integration into machine designs and concepts

### **PLANETARY GEARS**

High tech quality control & measurement lab assures superior performance for every component

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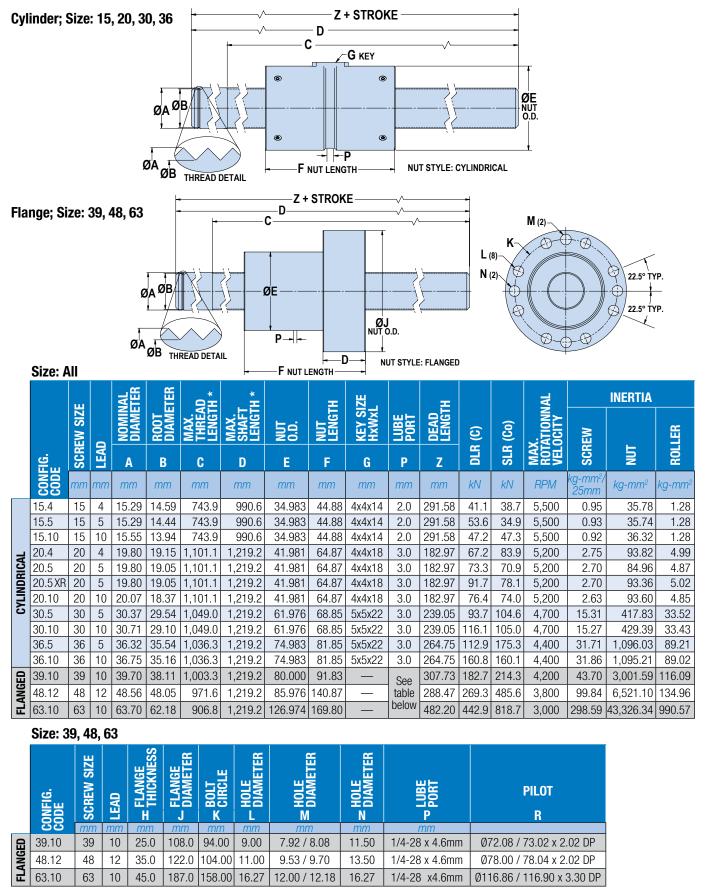
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**DIMENSIONS & SPECIFICATIONS:** 



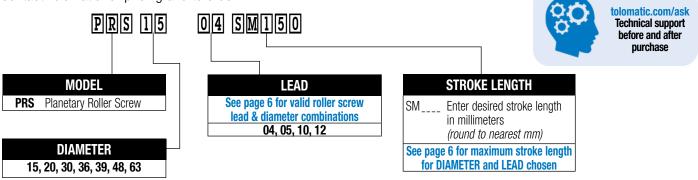
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Screw Lead Accuracy: 0.023 mm/300 mm Backlash: 0.03 mm; for all sizes and leads



## **Planetary Roller Screws**

Contact Tolomatic for pricing and to order

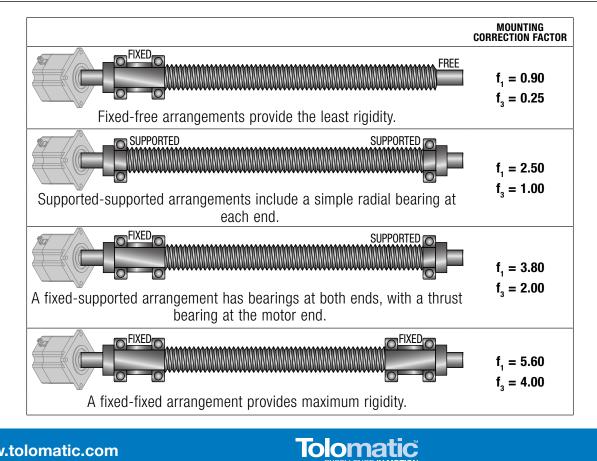


To order with machined ends contact Tolomatic

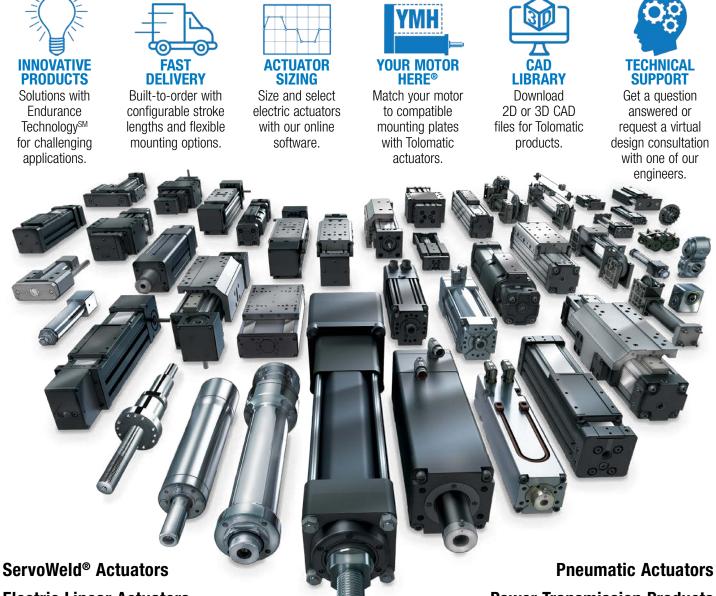
**Selection Formula** 

Use the following equations to help verify your choice of roller screw. Visit tolomatic.com/ask for tech support.

<b>Critical speed</b> of screw shaft (RPM)	$n_{cr} = 490 \cdot 10^5 \cdot \frac{f_1 A}{l^2}$	<ul> <li>A = nominal diameter (mm)</li> <li>I = free length, or the distance between the two support bearings (mm)</li> </ul>
		$\mathbf{f_1}$ = mounting correction factor (see below)
Buckling strength		$\mathbf{B}$ = root diameter (mm)
(N)	$F_{c} = \frac{34,000 \cdot f_{3} \cdot B^{4}}{I^{2}}$	<ul> <li>free length, or the distance between the two support bearings (mm)</li> </ul>
	-	$\mathbf{f_3}$ = mounting correction factor (see below)



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