MEANALS OF MECHANICAL PROTOTYPING



THREADED FASTENERS MAKING HOLES CREATING THREADS

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THREADED FASTENERS







MINIMUM ENGAGEMENT ~ 1.5 x screw diameter

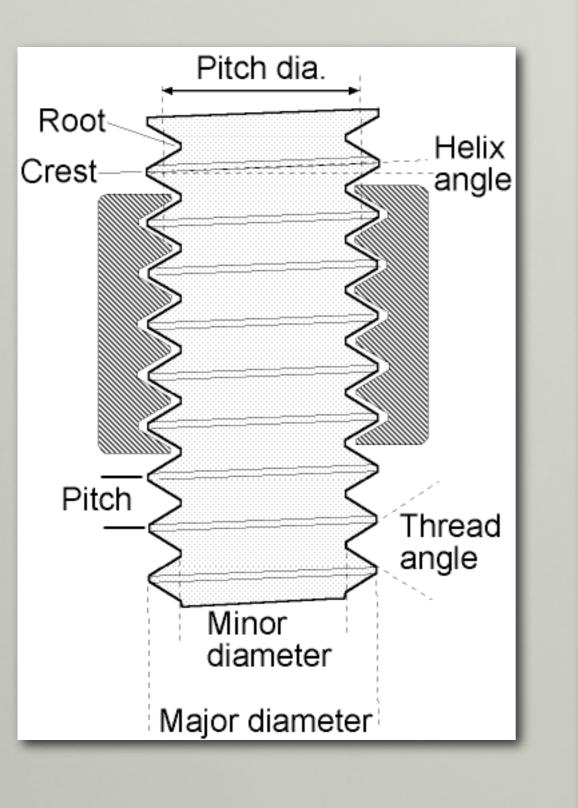
HEAD HEIGHT \sim SCREW DIAMETER

HEAD DIAMETER ~ 1.5 x screw diameter

THREADS



Fig. 471. Threads on Screw and Nut



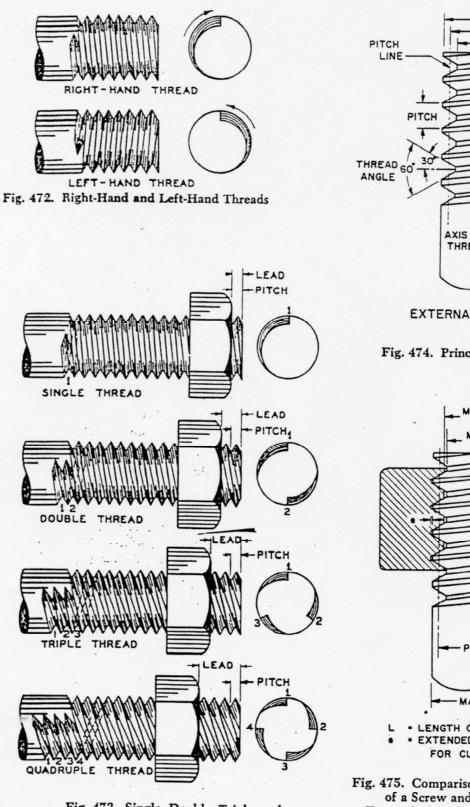
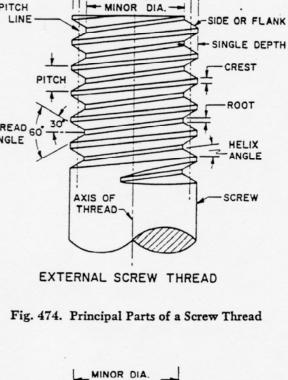
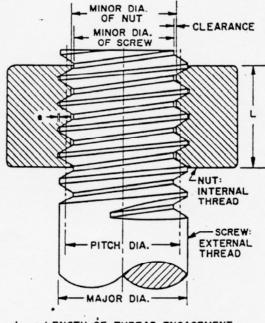


Fig. 473. Single, Double, Triple, and Quadruple Threads



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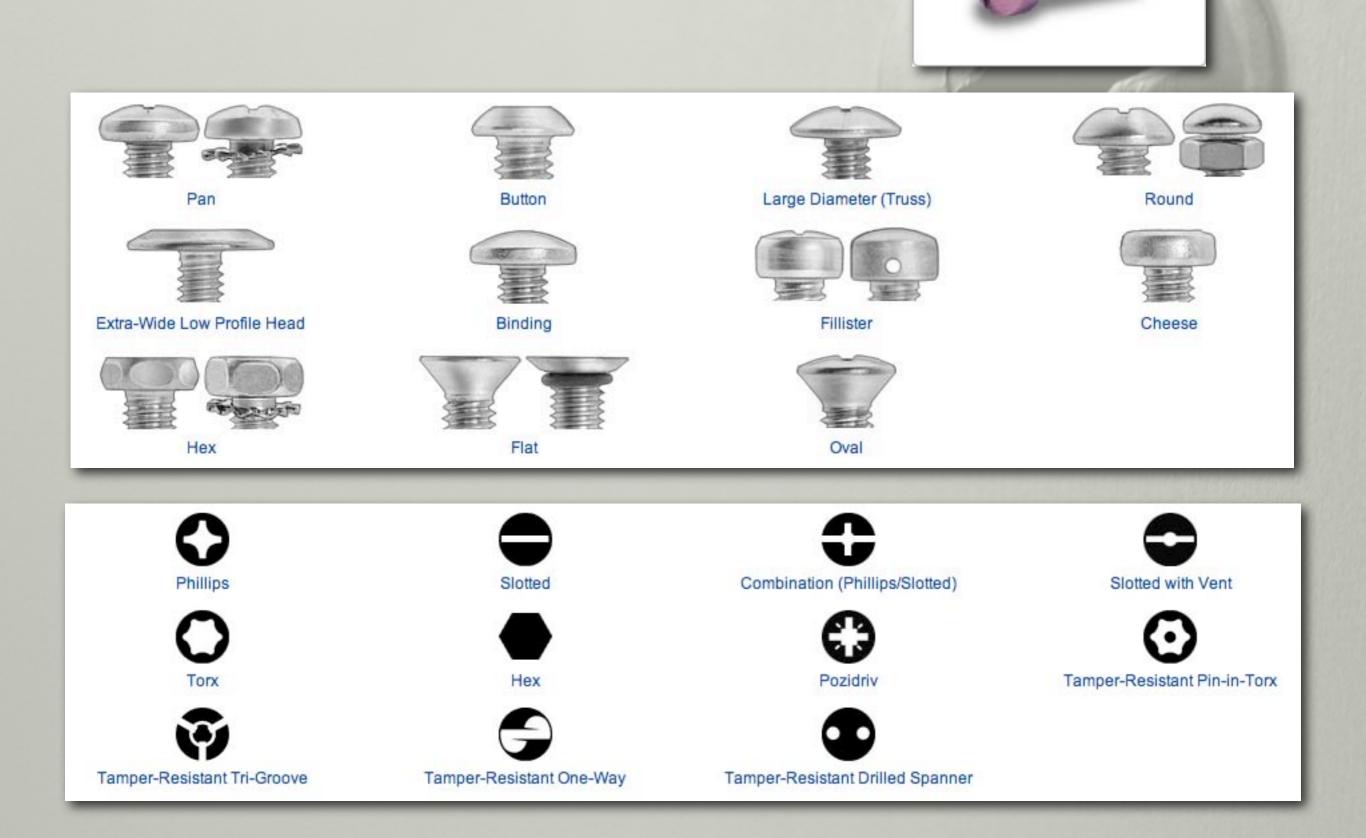
L - LENGTH OF THREAD ENGAGEMENT • EXTENDED MAJOR DIAMETER OF TAP FOR CLEARANCE

Fig. 475. Comparison Between the Minor Diameters of a Screw and a Nut, Showing Clearance External threads and internal threads have the same basic pitch diameters.

COMMON THREAD SIZES (U.S.)

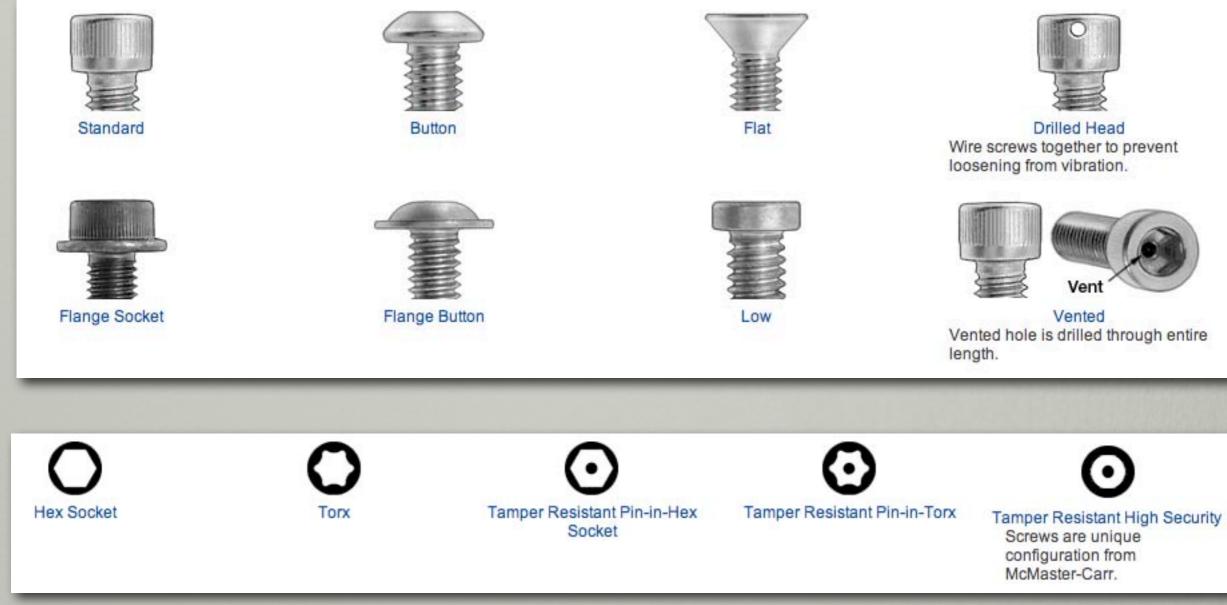
THREAD	SERIES	0.D.	
0 - 80	UNF	0.060	
2 - 56	UNC	0.086	
4 - 40	UNC	0.112	
6-32	UNC	0.138	
8-32	UNC	0.164	
10-24	UNC	0.190	
10-32	UNF	0.190	
12-24	UNC	0.216	
1/4-20	UNC	0.250	
1/2-28	UNF	0.250	
5/16-18	UNC	0.312	
3/8-16	UNC	0.375	
1/2-13	UNC	0.500	

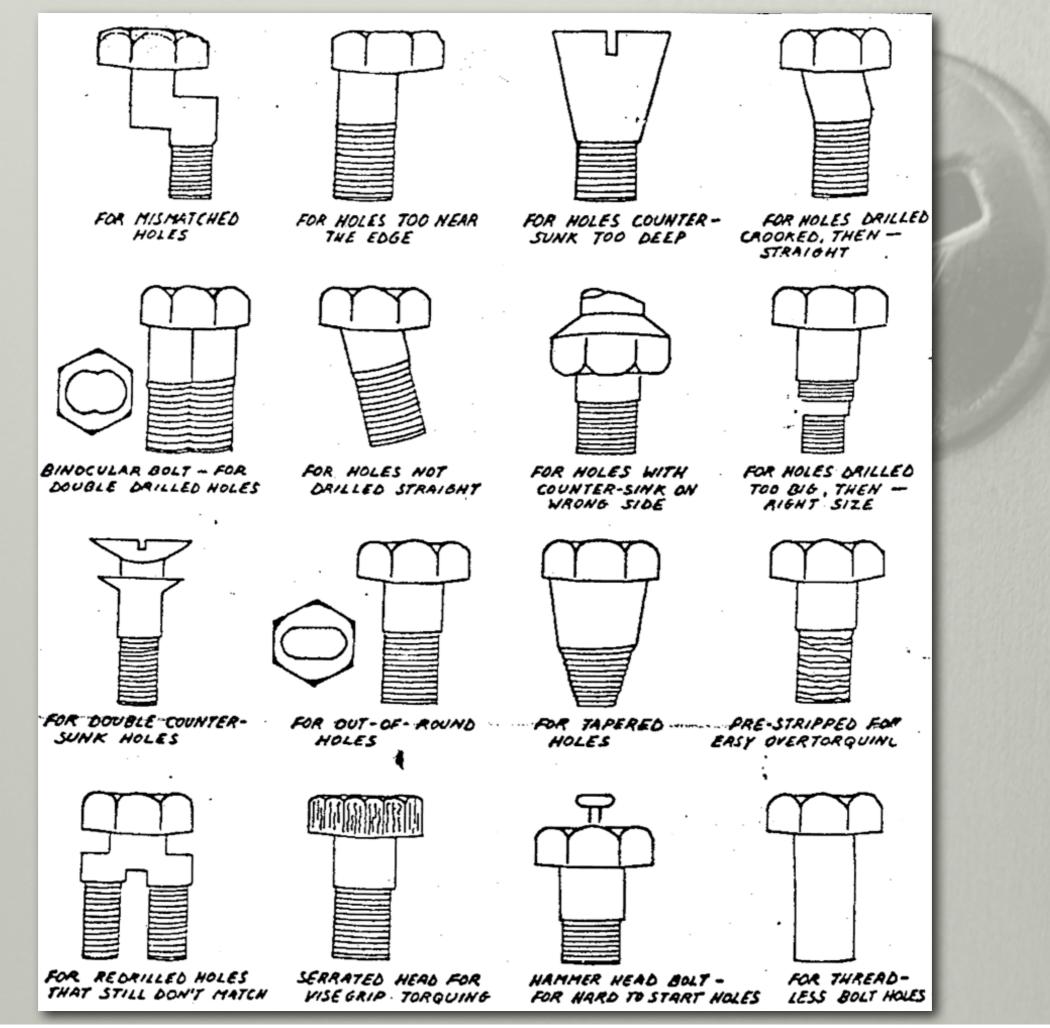
MACHINE SCREWS



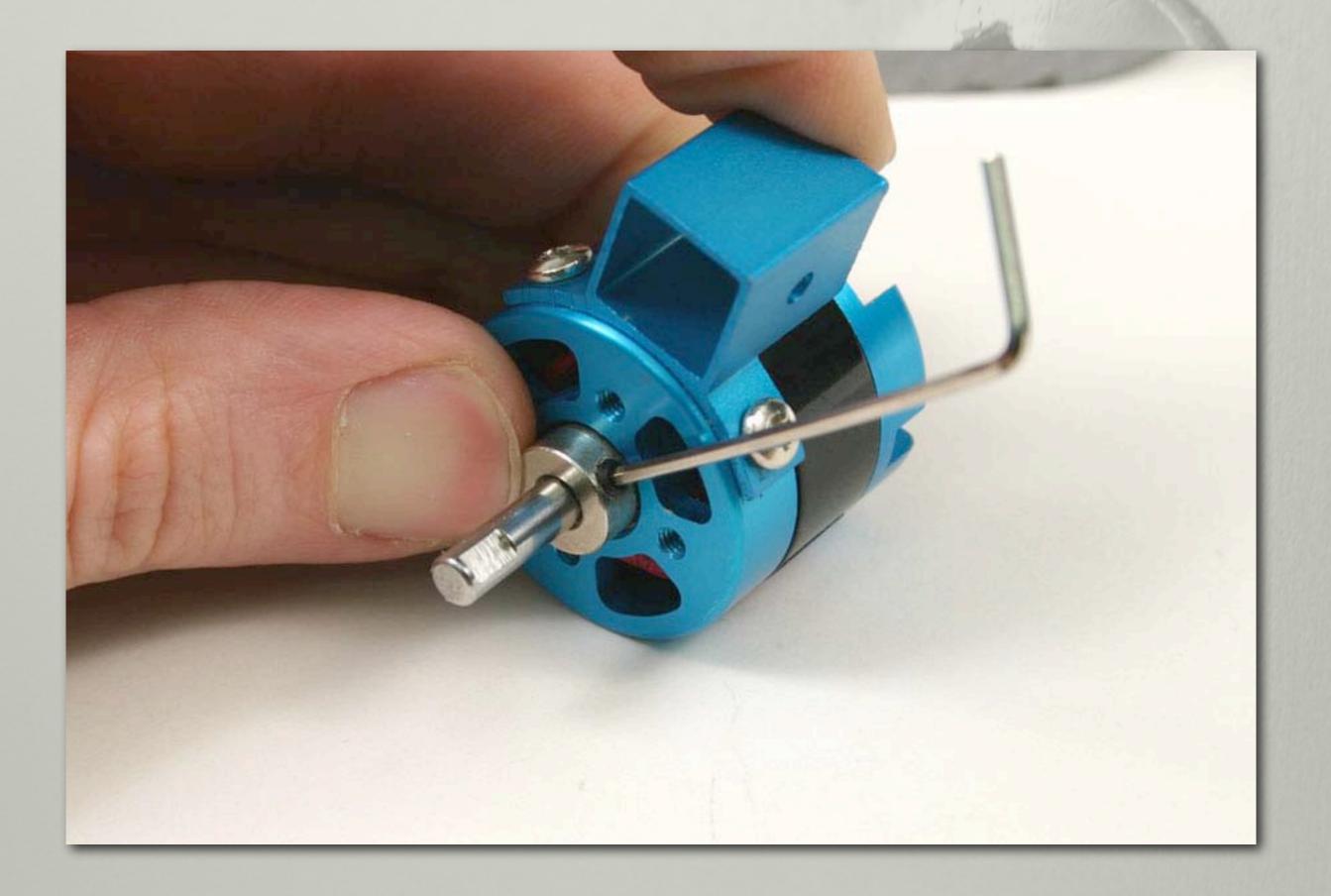
SOCKET CAP SCREWS







SET SCREWS



SET SCREWS



Standard Socket The most common screw style.



Slotted Install with a standard slotted screwdriver.



Self-Locking Socket Locking element increases holding power. Perfect for tough jobs.



Square Head Easy to access by hand or with a wrench when you need more torque.



Hollow-Lock Socket

Often used to lock other set screws in place, to hold pins, and to adjust spring tension.



Swivel Pad Socket Pad swivels to make maximum contact against angled surfaces.



Cup Most popular style. Thin edge digs into contact surface for high holding power.



Cone Highest holding power of any point style. Sharp tip wedges into surface.



Extended Point Also known as dog point and pilot point set screws. Often used in place of dowel pin.



Knurled Cup Knurls improve grip and prevent backing out or loosening.



Flat Best for making frequent adjustments. Tip won't mar contact surface.



Soft Tip Rigid yet soft tip conforms to texture and curves of surface without marring.



Vented Cup Vent fluids and gases while holding parts securely in place.

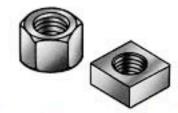


Oval Ideal for making frequent adjustments. Tip has small contact area causing little damage.



Swivel Ball Bearing Also known as ball-ended thrust screws. Ball bearings swivel in all directions.

NUTS



Machine Screw and Hex Nuts



Quick-Threading Nuts



Acorn Nuts



Push Nuts and Retainers



Strut Channel Nuts



Regulator and Welding Hose Fitting Nuts



Locknuts



Flange Nuts



Wing Nuts



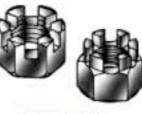
Weld Nuts



Slip Joint Nuts



Speed Nuts



Slotted Nuts



Coupling Nuts



Thumb Nuts



Allen Nuts



Handle Nuts



Captive Nuts



Barrel Nuts (Binding Barrels)



T-Slot Nuts



Tamper-Resistant Nuts



General Purpose Acme Nuts



Binding Nuts



Thin Nuts with Specialty Threads

WASHERS



Round Hole



Spherical



Spring Lock



Wave



Bonded





Square Hole



Laminated



Tooth Lock



Finger Spring



Waffle





Slotted



Notched



Belleville



Wedge Lock



Pressure-Sealing



Structural



D (Clipped)



Tag Hole



Retaining



Countersunk

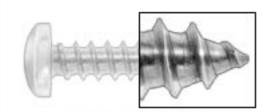


Square



SELF-TAPPING

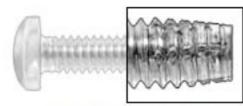




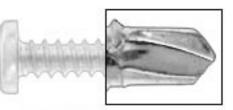
Sheet Metal Screws Have a pointed end and widely spaced threads. Self-starting in thin sheet metal. In thicker materials, a drilled hole is recommended.



Thread-Forming Screws Have a blunt point and fine threads. Form threads in metal, plastic, and plywood. A drilled hole is required.



Thread-Cutting Screws Have blunt, tapered, tap-fluted end that cuts machine screw threads and ejects material as it turns. Use in metal, plastic, and plywood. A drilled hole is required.



Self-Drilling Screws Drill their own hole, tap a thread, and fasten material in a single operation. Excellent for use in sheet metal.

WOOD

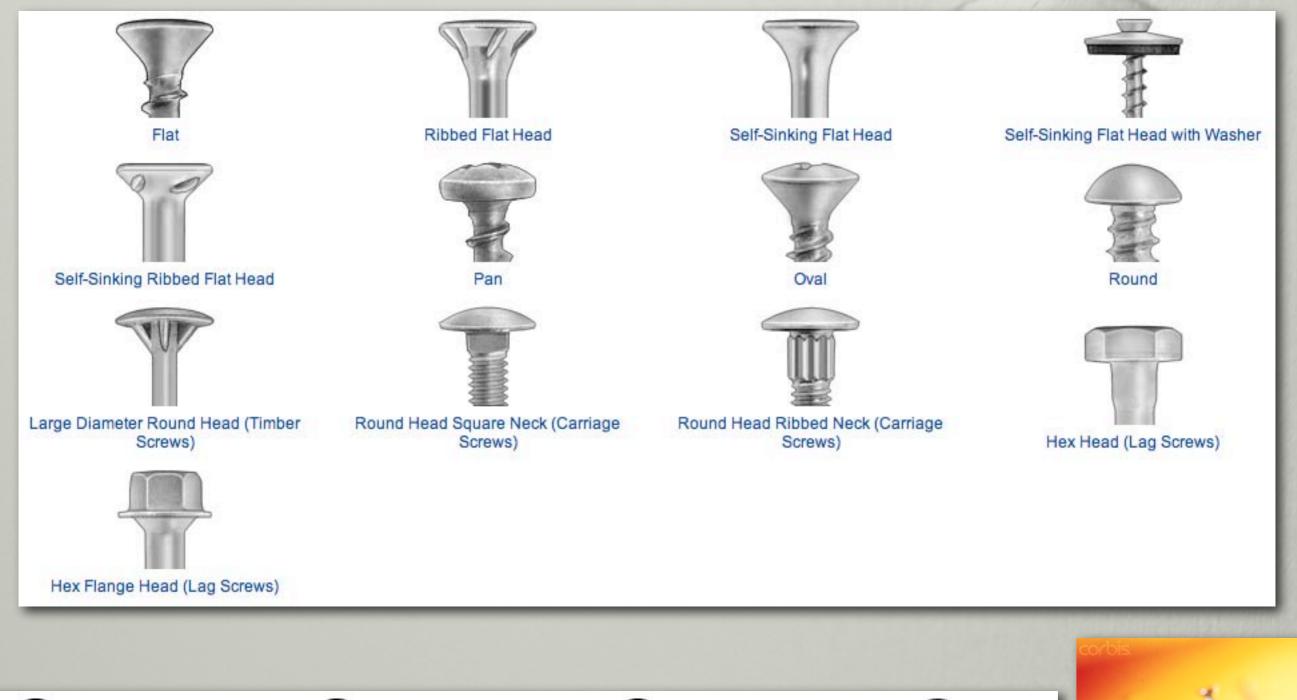
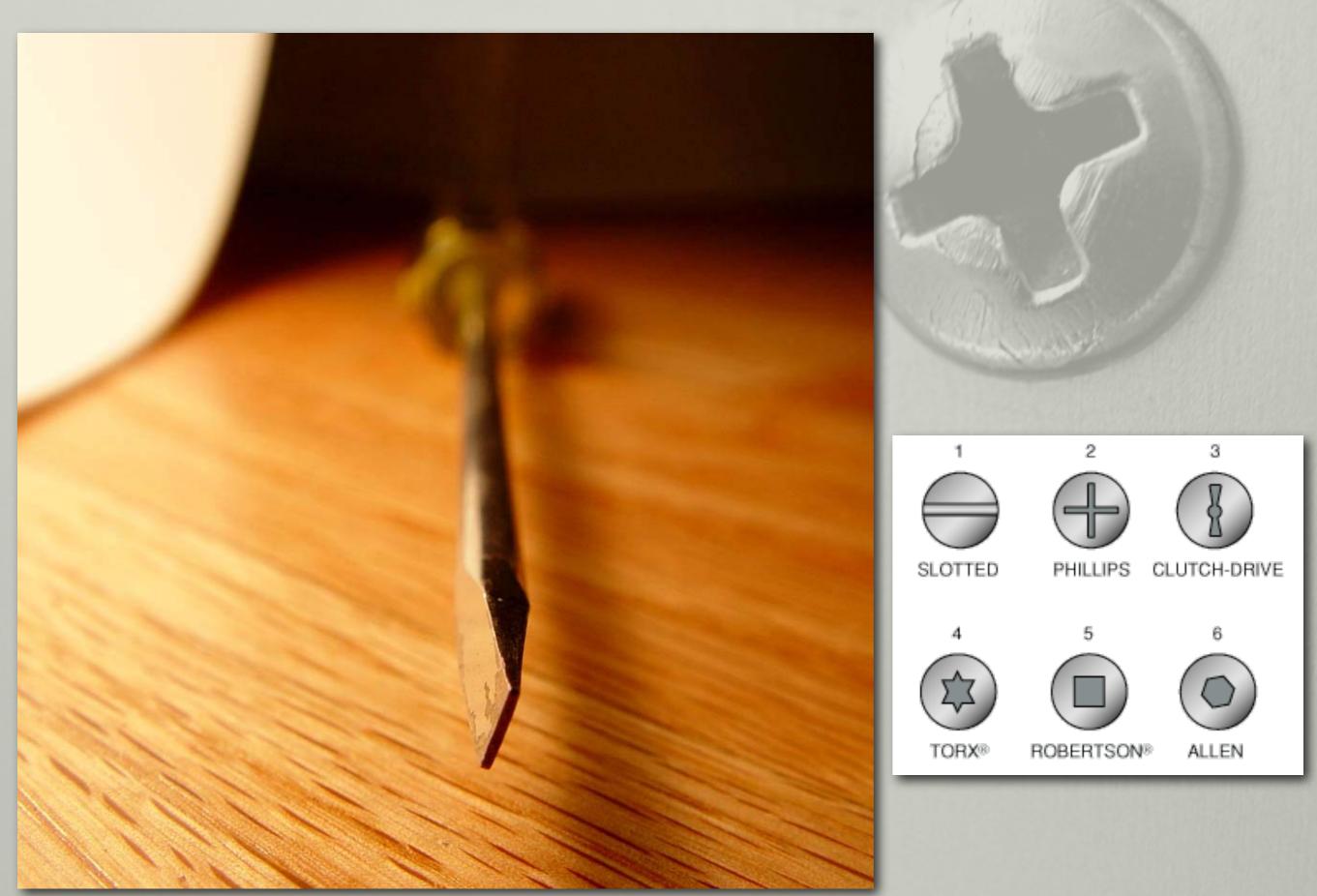


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DRIVES



MAKING HOLES

STATING &

CENTER DRILL



TWIST DRILL

SMILL ST

PECK DRILLING

DRILL SETS

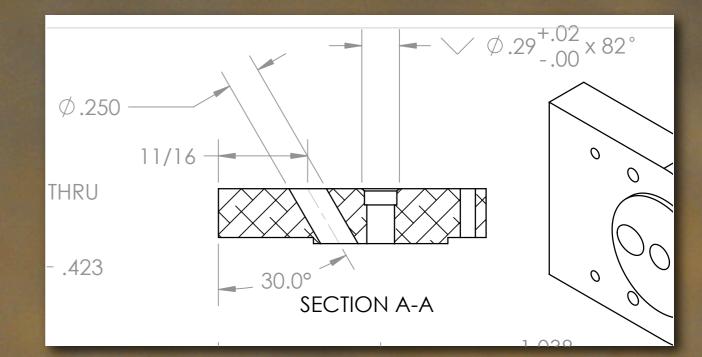
THE DRILL CHUCK

NEVER USE FOR SIDE LOADS!!

REAMING

SLOW IT DOWN! USE PLENTY OF CUTTING FLUID

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82° COUNTERSINK

THREAD CUTTING







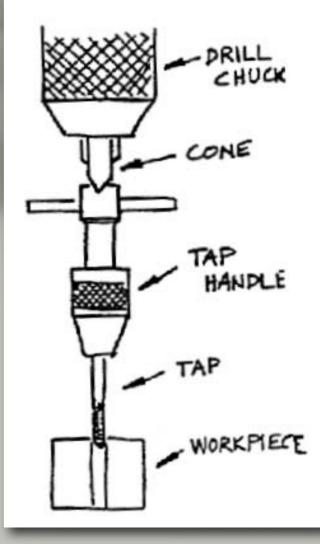


CENTER DRILL PILOT HOLE

TAP BY HAND

USE LUBRICATION

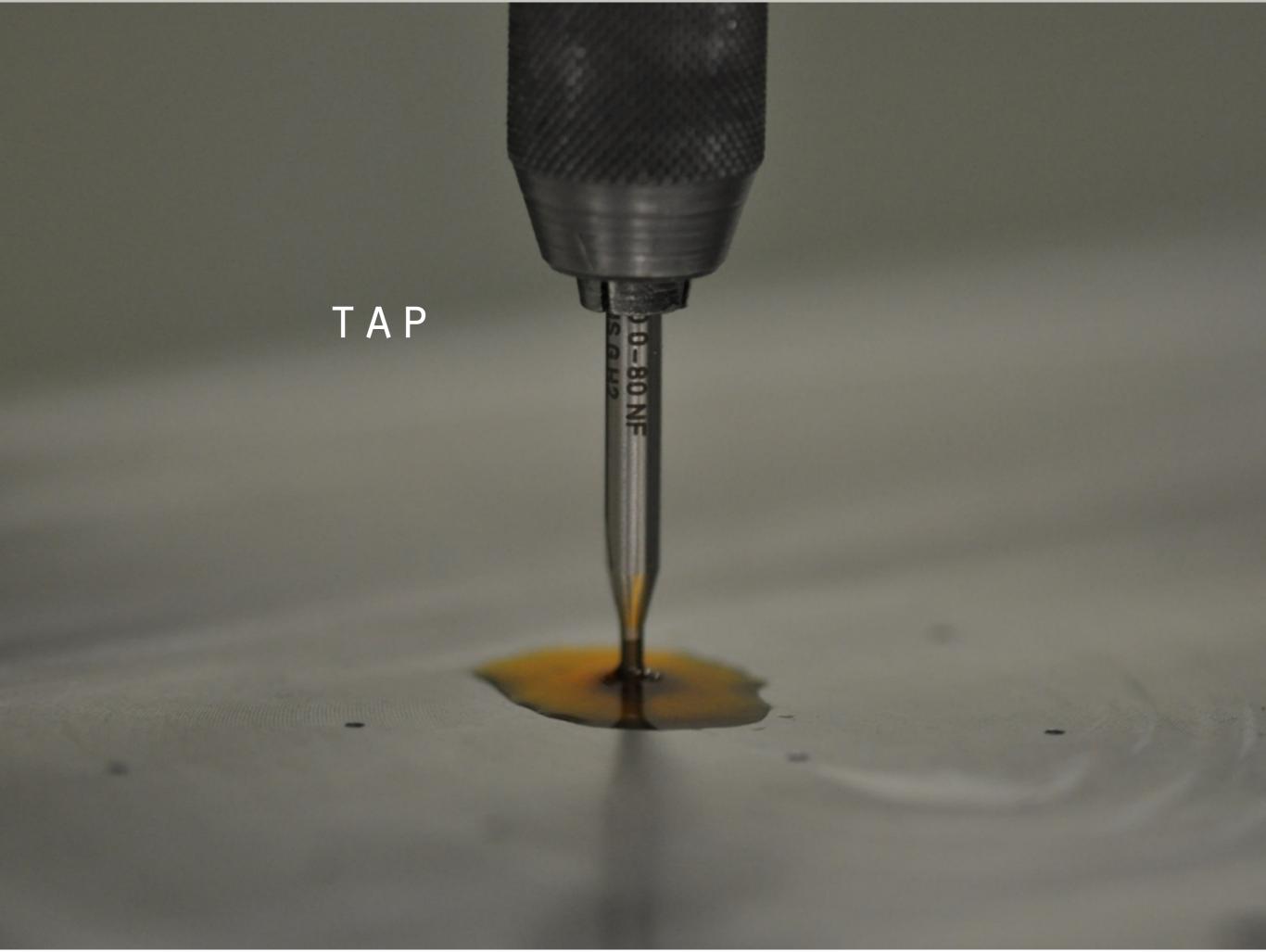
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CENTER DRILL

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PILOT HOLE DRILL SIZES

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0 - 8 0	UNF	0.060	3/64
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