



Superior Clamping and Gripping

## **Product Information**

Rotary gripping module with centric gripper RC

# Flexible. Modular. Compact. Gripper Swivel Module RC

Rotary gripper combination, consisting of a rotary module and a 3-finger centric gripper

## Field of application

Gripping and rotating combined in one module for small to medium workpieces in low-contamination environments. Also for places with limited space



## Advantages – Your benefits

T-slot guidance for precise gripping at high moment loads

Gripping and turning without rotary power lines for a maximized process reliability

**Double piston principle in the swivel unit** for scope-free end positions and high repeat accuracy

**Continuous angle of rotation adjustment** over the entire range of rotation

Various shock absorber variants, optional for optimum adaption to various fields of application

**Integration of a gripping force maintenance is optional** for firm grip even in the event of power failure

Available as an option with rotation adapter for the gripping module for infinitely variable twisting of the gripper head relative to the drive unit

"Continuously adjustable intermediate position" option can be done using an intermediate stop which can be integrated

Choice of electronic magnetic sensors or inductive proximity sensors for absolute variability of position monitoring

**Standardized mounting bores** for numerous combinations with other components from the modular system











## **Functional description**

The rotary movement is done by the two pneumatic piston racks when pressure is applied to their end faces, causing them to move in a straight line in their bore holes and turn the pinion by way of the teeth machined on the side of the racks. For the gripping movement, the piston is moved up or down using compressed air. Together with the guidance of the base jaws, the diagonal pull turns the piston movement into a synchronized opening and closing.



- ① **Drive, turning** Pneumatic, rack and pinion principle
- ② Kinematics internal, power transmission via line contact
- ③ Mounting pattern Completely integrated in the module system
- Drive, gripping
  double-acting piston drive system
- Swivel angle adjustment For a flexible end position, with hydraulic shock absorber
- Base Jaws for the connection of workpiece-specific gripper fingers

CAD data, operating manuals and other current product documents can be found online.

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## General notes about the series

**Operating principle:** Combination of rack and pinion with double piston drive

Housing material: Aluminum alloy, anodized

Base jaw material: Steel

Actuation: pneumatic, with filtered compressed air as per ISO 8573-1:2010 [7:4:4].

Warranty: 24 months

**Scope of delivery:** Completely ready for operation without bracket for proximity switch and without proximity switch

**Gripping force maintenance:** possible by using the version with mechanical gripping force maintenance or SDV-P pressure maintenance valve

**Gripping force:** is the arithmetic sum of the gripping force applied to each gripper jaw.

**Pinion position:** is always shown in the left end position. The pinion rotates from here to the right in clockwise direction. The arrow makes the direction of rotation clear. **Pinion screw connection diagram:** Please note that when the rotating angle is to be set for less than 90°, the left stop will generally be completely turned in. The left end position therefore has a screw connection diagram which has been rotated by 90° in clockwise direction in relation to the drawing, which is shown at a 180° angle of rotation.

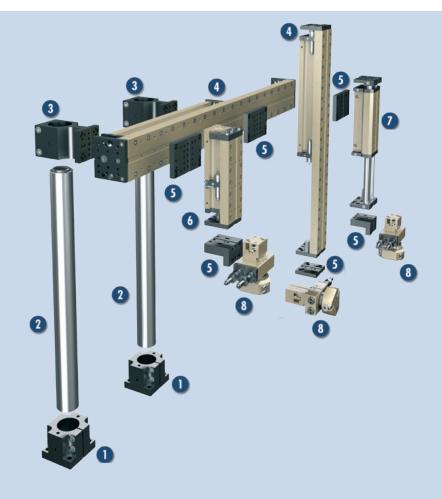
**Finger length:** measured from the screw surface of the base jaw in the direction of the main axis. Failure to comply with the max. permissible finger length will result in increased wear.

**Layout or control calculation:** For layout or sizing of the modules, we recommend using our software TOOLBOX, which can be downloaded online. Verifying the sizing of the selected unit is absolutely necessary, since otherwise overloading can result.

## **Application example**

Pneumatical cross gantry with three vertical axes and two rotary axes for rotating small components/ workpieces

- Single base support, SOE
- Hollow pillar, SLH
- **3** Single mounting plate, APEV
- LM linear module
- **5** Adapter plate APL
- 6 CLM linear module
- KLM linear module
- **8** Rotary gripping module RC





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## **Options and special information**

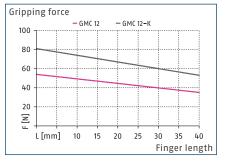
Gripping force maintenance version K/S: The mechanical gripping force maintenance version ensures a minimum gripping force also in the case of a pressure drop. This acts as closing force for the K version and as opening force for the S version. Rotation adapter version: The gripper head can be continuously adjusted and indexed in relation to the drive. Version with a combination of gripping force maintenance and rotation adapter Z/X: This variant combines the functions of the gripping force maintenance with the one of the rotation adapter. The gripping force maintenance acts as a closing force for the Z variant and as an opening force for the X variant.

**Version with intermediate position RZ:** By mounting two pneumatically actuated cylinders, an intermediate position can be implemented, which can be flexibly adjusted over the entire swivel range.

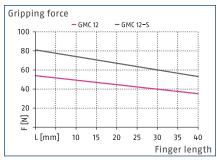
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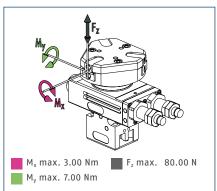
## Gripping force, 0.D. gripping



## Gripping force, I.D. gripping



## **Moment loading**

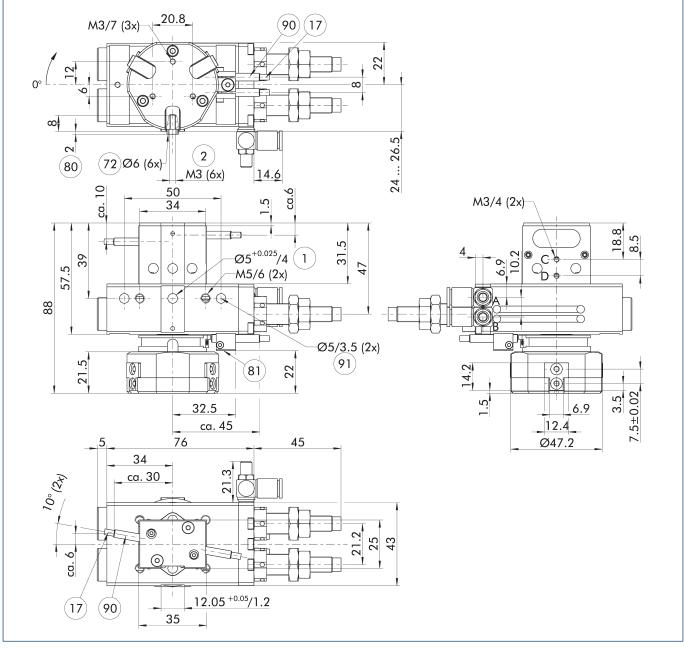


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## **Technical data**

Description		RC 1212-W	RC 1212-H	RC 1212-K-W	RC 1212-K-H	RC 1212-S-W	RC 1212-S-H
ID		1347970	0313236	1347972	0313238	1347974	0313237
Stroke per jaw	[mm]	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5
Closing / opening force	[N]	50/50	50/50	75/-	75/-	-/75	-/75
Min. spring force	[N]			25	25	25	25
Torque	[Nm]	0.38	0.38	0.38	0.38	0.38	0.38
Angle of rotation	[°]	190	190	190	190	190	190
Recommended workpiece weight	[kg]	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25
Air consumption for gripping	[cm³]	0.87	0.87	0.87	0.87	0.87	0.87
Air consumption for swiveling	[cm³]	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.8
Weight	[kg]	0.54	0.54	0.56	0.56	0.56	0.56
Nominal operating pressure	[bar]	6	6	6	6	6	6
Max. operating pressure	[bar]	8	8	8	8	8	8
Min. operating pressure for gripping	[bar]	3	3	5	5	5	5
Min. operating pressure for swiveling	[bar]	3	3	3	3	3	3
Closing/opening time	[s]	0.02/0.02	0.02/0.02	0.015/0.025	0.015/0.025	0.025/0.015	0.025/0.015
Max. permissible finger length	[mm]	40	40	40	40	40	40
Max. permissible mass per finger	[kg]	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.06
Protection class IP		40	40	40	40	40	40
Min./max. ambient temperature	[°C]	5/60	5/60	5/60	5/60	5/60	5/60
Repeat accuracy for gripping	[mm]	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.02
Repeat accuracy for swiveling	[°]	0.049	0.049	0.049	0.049	0.049	0.049
Options and their characteristics							
Rotation adapter version		RC 1212-D-W	RC 1212-D-H	RC 1212-Z-W	RC 1212-Z-H	RC 1212-X-W	RC 1212-X-H
ID		1347978	0313239	1347979	0313241	1347981	0313240
Weight	[kg]	0.56	0.56	0.58	0.58	0.58	0.58

#### Main view

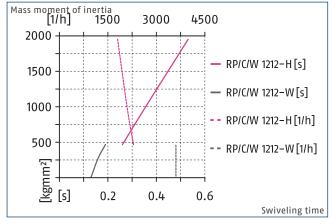


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- C, c Main / direct connection, middle position
- D, d Main / direct connection, middle position
- $\bigcirc$  Connection swivel unit
- $(\underline{2})$  Attachment connection
- (17) Cable outlet
- $\overbrace{2}{2}$  Fit for centering sleeves
- 80 Depth of the centering sleeve hole in the counter part
- (81) Not included in the scope of delivery
- (90) Inductive proximity switches
- (91) Fit for centering pins

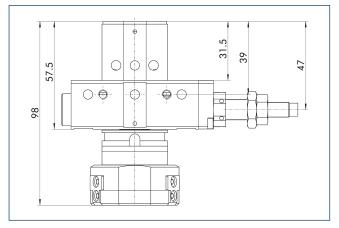
Rotary gripping module with centric gripper

#### Max. permissible inertia J\*



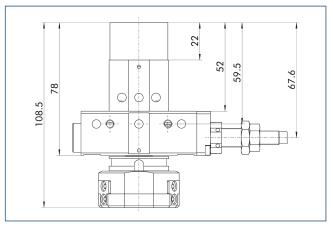
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#### **Rotation adapter D**



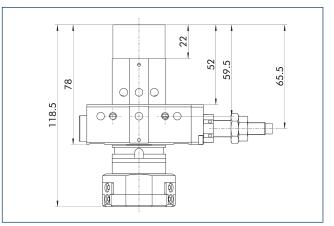
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## Gripping force maintenance K/S



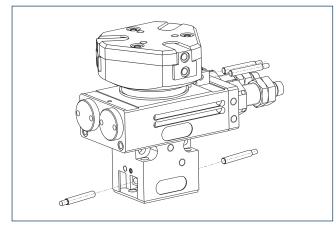
The mechanical gripping force maintenance ensures that a minimum gripping force will be applied even if there is a drop in pressure. This acts as closing force for the K variant and as opening force for the S variant. The gripping force safety can be installed without other components from the K variant into the S variant and vice versa. Besides this, the gripping force maintenance can be used to increase gripping force or for single actuated gripping.

### Gripping force safety & rotation adapter Z/X



This variant combines the functions of the gripping force maintenance with the one of the rotation adapter. The gripping force maintenance acts as a closing force for the Z variant and as an opening force for the X variant.

## **Inductive Proximity Switches**

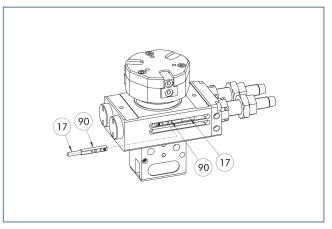


The end-position monitoring for swiveling movement (RMNS) and gripping movement (GMNS) can be directly mounted on the unit using inductive proximity switches.

Description	ID	Often combined				
Inductive Proximity Switches						
GMNS 12-G	0313331	•				
GMNS 12-W	0313332					
GMNS 12-X	0313330					
RMNS 12-G	0313042	•				
RMNS 12-W	0313043					
RMNS 12-X	0313041					
clip for plug/socket						
CLI-M12	0301464					

The RMNS set includes two sensors with 30 cm cable length to M8 connector, two switching cams, and a sensor bracket. The scope of delivery of the set GMNS includes a sensor and a sensor bracket. For complete monitoring, two sets GMNS are required. The versions -G/-W comprise a 5 m long connection cable with straight (-G) or angular (-W) plug connector to open cable end.

## Electronic magnetic switch MMS



(17) Cable outlet

(90) Sensor MMS 22..

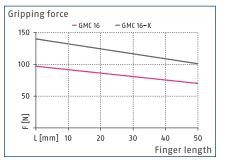
The end position monitoring of the swivel motion can be directly mounted on the unit in two C-slots using magnetic switches.

Description	ID	Often combined
Electronic magnetic switch		
MMS 22-S-M8-PNP	0301032	
MMSK 22-S-PNP	0301034	
Electronic magnetic switches with	lateral cable o	outlet
MMS 22-S-M8-PNP-SA	0301042	
MMSK 22-S-PNP-SA	0301044	
Cable extension		
KV BW08-SG08 3P-0030-PNP	0301495	
KV BW08-SG08 3P-0100-PNP	0301496	
KV BW08-SG08 3P-0200-PNP	0301497	•
clip for plug/socket		
CLI-M8	0301463	
Connection cables		
KA BG08-L 3P-0300-PNP	0301622	•
KA BG08-L 3P-0500-PNP	0301623	
KA BW08-L 3P-0300-PNP	0301594	
KA BW08-L 3P-0500-PNP	0301502	
Sensor distributor		
V2-M8	0301775	•
V4-M8	0301746	
V8-M8	0301751	

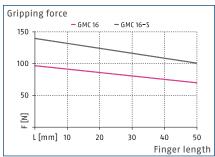
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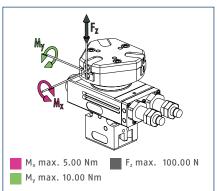
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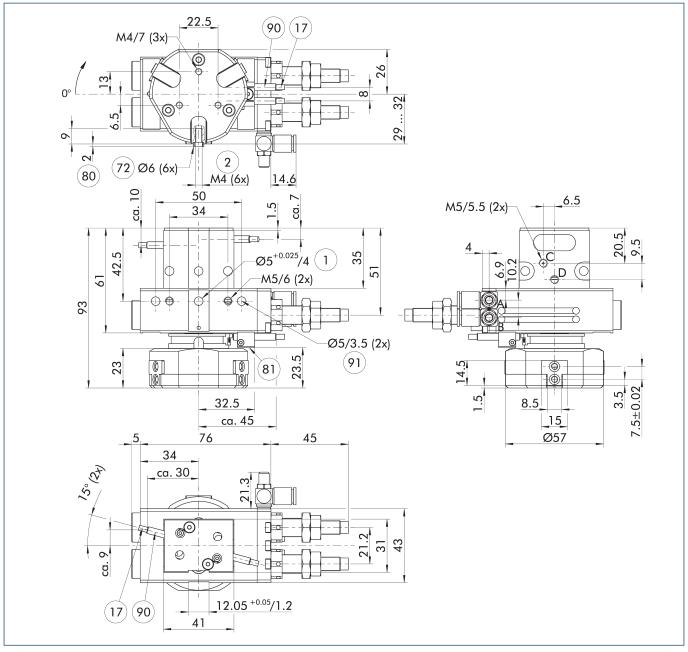


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## **Technical data**

Description		RC 1216-W	RC 1216-H	RC 1216-K-W	RC 1216-K-H	RC 1216-S-W	RC 1216-S-H
ID		1347983	0313258	1347986	0313260	1347987	0313259
Stroke per jaw	[mm]	3	3	3	3	3	3
Closing / opening force	[N]	90/90	90/90	130/-	130/-	-/130	-/130
Min. spring force	[N]			40	40	40	40
Torque	[Nm]	0.38	0.38	0.38	0.38	0.38	0.38
Angle of rotation	[°]	190	190	190	190	190	190
Recommended workpiece weight	[kg]	0.45	0.45	0.45	0.45	0.45	0.45
Air consumption for gripping	[cm³]	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1
Air consumption for swiveling	[cm³]	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.8
Weight	[kg]	0.65	0.65	0.71	0.71	0.71	0.71
Nominal operating pressure	[bar]	6	6	6	6	6	6
Max. operating pressure	[bar]	8	8	8	8	8	8
Min. operating pressure for gripping	[bar]	3	3	5	5	5	5
Min. operating pressure for swiveling	[bar]	3	3	3	3	3	3
Closing/opening time	[s]	0.02/0.02	0.02/0.02	0.015/0.025	0.015/0.025	0.025/0.015	0.025/0.015
Max. permissible finger length	[mm]	50	50	50	50	50	50
Max. permissible mass per finger	[kg]	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Protection class IP		40	40	40	40	40	40
Min./max. ambient temperature	[°C]	5/60	5/60	5/60	5/60	5/60	5/60
Repeat accuracy for gripping	[mm]	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.02
Repeat accuracy for swiveling	[°]	0.049	0.049	0.049	0.049	0.049	0.049
Options and their characteristics							
Rotation adapter version		RC 1216-D-W	RC 1216-D-H	RC 1216-Z-W	RC 1216-Z-H	RC 1216-X-W	RC 1216-X-H
ID		1347992	0313261	1347993	0313263	1347996	0313262
Weight	[kg]	0.69	0.69	0.73	0.73	0.73	0.73

#### Main view

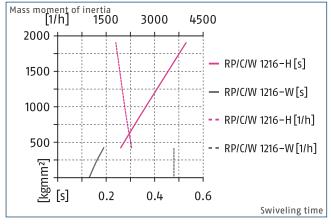


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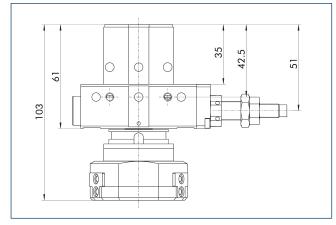
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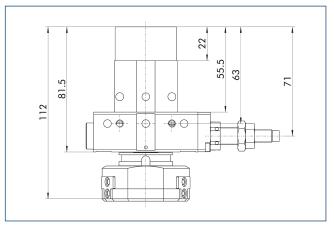
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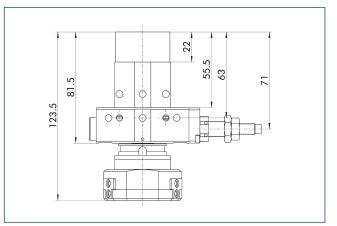
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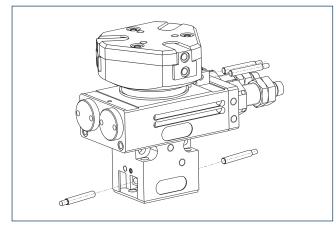
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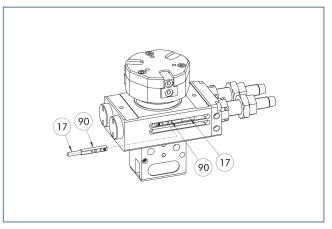


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GMNS 16-W	0313335					
GMNS 16-X	0313333					
RMNS 12-G	0313042	•				
RMNS 12-W	0313043					
RMNS 12-X	0313041					
clip for plug/socke	t					
CLI-M12	0301464					

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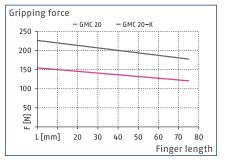
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ID	Often combined
0301032	
0301034	
lateral cable o	outlet
0301042	
0301044	
0301495	
0301496	
0301497	•
0301463	
0301622	•
0301623	
0301594	
0301502	
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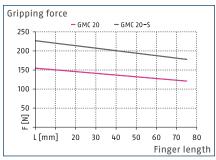
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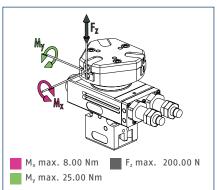
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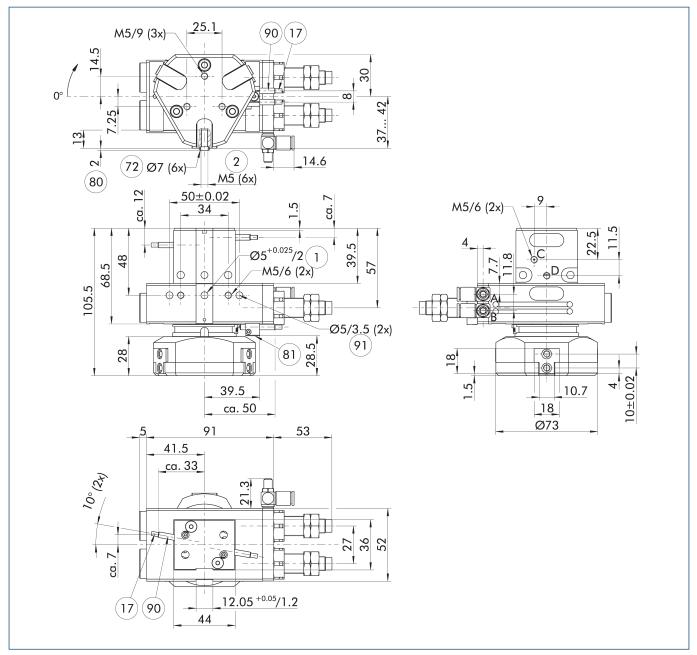


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ID		0314994	0313280	0314996	0313282	0314995	0313281
Stroke per jaw	[mm]	5	5	5	5	5	5
Closing I opening force	[N]	150/150	150/150	220/-	220/-	-/220	-/220
Min. spring force	[N]			70	70	70	70
Torque	[Nm]	0.76	0.76	0.76	0.76	0.76	0.76
Angle of rotation	[°]	190	190	190	190	190	190
Recommended workpiece weight	[kg]	0.75	0.75	0.75	0.75	0.75	0.75
Air consumption for gripping	[cm³]	2.86	2.86	2.86	2.86	2.86	2.86
Air consumption for swiveling	[cm³]	9.6	9.6	9.6	9.6	9.6	9.6
Weight	[kg]	1.08	1.08	1.16	1.16	1.16	1.16
Nominal operating pressure	[bar]	6	6	6	6	6	6
Max. operating pressure	[bar]	8	8	8	8	8	8
Min. operating pressure for gripping	[bar]	3	3	5	5	5	5
Min. operating pressure for swiveling	[bar]	3	3	3	3	3	3
Closing/opening time	[s]	0.03/0.03	0.03/0.03	0.025/0.04	0.025/0.04	0.04/0.025	0.04/0.025
Max. permissible finger length	[mm]	75	75	75	75	75	75
Max. permissible mass per finger	[kg]	0.18	0.18	0.18	0.18	0.18	0.18
Protection class IP		40	40	40	40	40	40
Min./max. ambient temperature	[°C]	5/60	5/60	5/60	5/60	5/60	5/60
Repeat accuracy for gripping	[mm]	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.02
Repeat accuracy for swiveling	[°]	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.05
Options and their characteristics							
Rotation adapter version		RC 1520-D-W	RC 1520-D-H	RC 1520-Z-W	RC 1520-Z-H	RC 1520-X-W	RC 1520-X-H
ID		0314997	0313283	0314999	0313285	0314998	0313284
Weight	[kg]	1.14	1.14	1.22	1.22	1.22	1.22

#### Main view

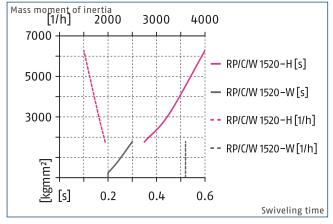


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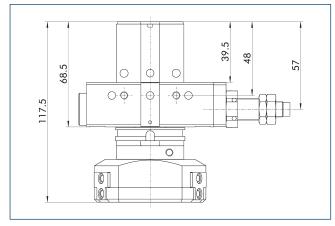
Rotary gripping module with centric gripper

## Max. permissible inertia J\*



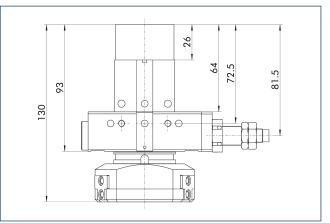
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#### **Rotation adapter D**



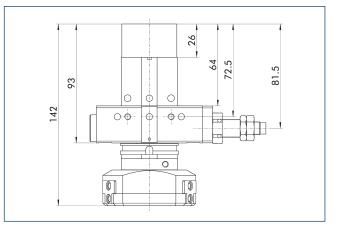
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## Gripping force maintenance K/S



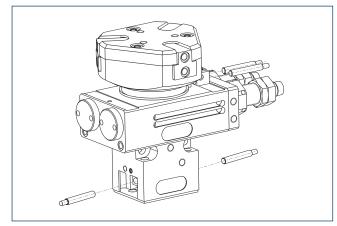
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### Gripping force safety & rotation adapter Z/X



This variant combines the functions of the gripping force maintenance with the one of the rotation adapter. The gripping force maintenance acts as a closing force for the Z variant and as an opening force for the X variant.

## **Inductive Proximity Switches**

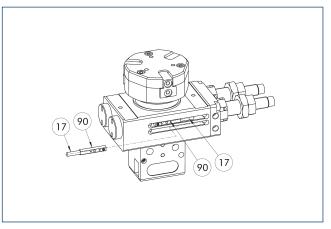


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Description	ID	Often combined				
Inductive Proximity Switches						
GMNS 16-G	0313334	•				
GMNS 16-W	0313335					
GMNS 16-X	0313333					
RMNS 12-G	0313042	•				
RMNS 12-W	0313043					
RMNS 12-X	0313041					
clip for plug/socket						
CLI-M12	0301464					

The RMNS set includes two sensors with 30 cm cable length to M8 connector, two switching cams, and a sensor bracket. The scope of delivery of the set GMNS includes a sensor and a sensor bracket. For complete monitoring, two sets GMNS are required. The versions -G/-W comprise a 5 m long connection cable with straight (-G) or angular (-W) plug connector to open cable end.

## Electronic magnetic switch MMS



(17) Cable outlet

(90) Sensor MMS 22..

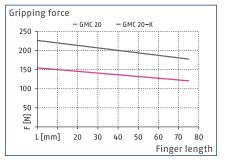
The end position monitoring of the swivel motion can be directly mounted on the unit in two C-slots using magnetic switches.

Description	ID	Often combined
Electronic magnetic switch		
MMS 22-S-M8-PNP	0301032	
MMSK 22-S-PNP	0301034	
Electronic magnetic switches with	lateral cable o	outlet
MMS 22-S-M8-PNP-SA	0301042	
MMSK 22-S-PNP-SA	0301044	
Cable extension		
KV BW08-SG08 3P-0030-PNP	0301495	
KV BW08-SG08 3P-0100-PNP	0301496	
KV BW08-SG08 3P-0200-PNP	0301497	•
clip for plug/socket		
CLI-M8	0301463	
Connection cables		
KA BG08-L 3P-0300-PNP	0301622	•
KA BG08-L 3P-0500-PNP	0301623	
KA BW08-L 3P-0300-PNP	0301594	
KA BW08-L 3P-0500-PNP	0301502	
Sensor distributor		
V2-M8	0301775	•
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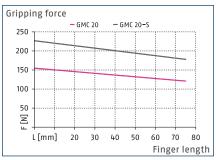
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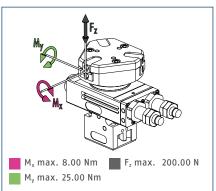
## Gripping force, 0.D. gripping



## Gripping force, I.D. gripping



## **Moment loading**

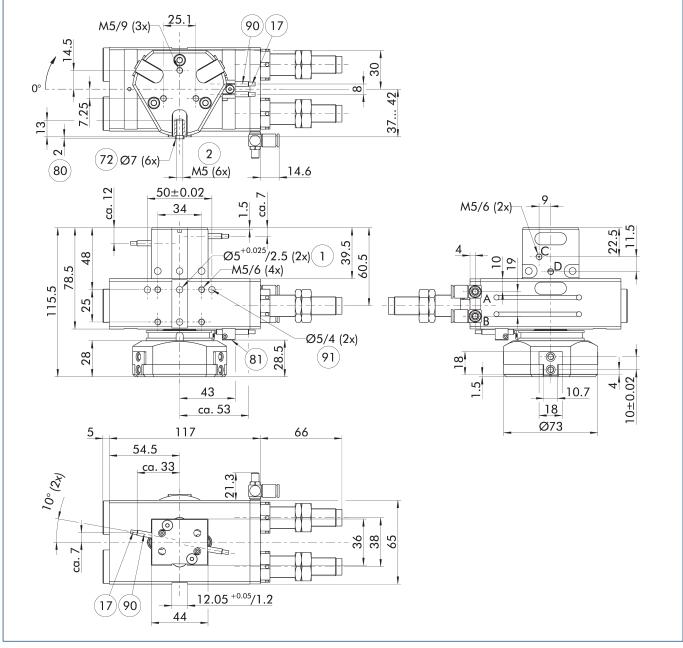


The specified torques and forces are static values, apply for each base jaw, and may occur simultaneously. My may arise in addition to the moment generated by the gripping force itself.

## **Technical data**

Description		RC 2120-W	RC 2120-K-W	RC 2120-S-W
ID		0313302	0313304	0313303
Stroke per jaw	[mm]	5	5	5
Closing / opening force	[N]	150/150	220/-	-/220
Min. spring force	[N]		70	70
Torque	[Nm]	1.9	1.9	1.9
Angle of rotation	[°]	190	190	190
Recommended workpiece weight	[kg]	0.75	0.75	0.75
Air consumption for gripping	[cm <sup>3</sup> ]	2.86	2.86	2.86
Air consumption for swiveling	[cm <sup>3</sup> ]	23.8	23.8	23.8
Weight	[kg]	1.5	1.58	1.58
Nominal operating pressure	[bar]	6	6	6
Max. operating pressure	[bar]	8	8	8
Min. operating pressure for gripping	[bar]	3	5	5
Min. operating pressure for swiveling	[bar]	3	3	3
Closing/opening time	[s]	0.03/0.03	0.025/0.04	0.04/0.025
Max. permissible finger length	[mm]	75	75	75
Max. permissible mass per finger	[kg]	0.18	0.18	0.18
Protection class IP		40	40	40
Min./max. ambient temperature	[°C]	5/60	5/60	5/60
Repeat accuracy for gripping	[mm]	0.02	0.02	0.02
Repeat accuracy for swiveling	[°]	0.044	0.044	0.044
Options and their characteristics				
Rotation adapter version		RC 2120-D-W	RC 2120-Z-W	RC 2120-X-W
ID		0313305	0313307	0313306
Weight	[kg]	1.56	1.64	1.64

### Main view



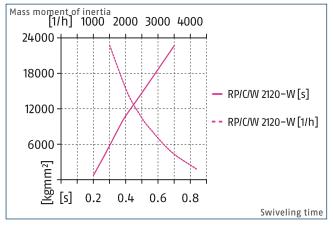
The drawing shows the gripper swivel unit in the basic version with closed jaws, without dimensional consideration of the options described below.

- A, a Main / direct connection, rotary actuator rotates clockwise
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- C, c Main / direct connection, middle position
- D, d Main / direct connection, middle position
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- $(\underline{2})$  Attachment connection
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- $\overbrace{2}{2}$  Fit for centering sleeves
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## RC 2120

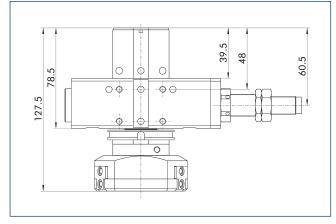
Rotary gripping module with centric gripper

#### Max. permissible inertia J\*



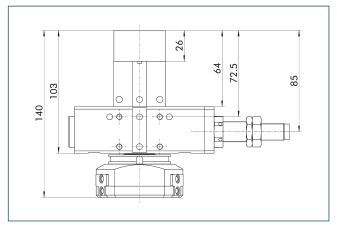
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#### **Rotation adapter D**



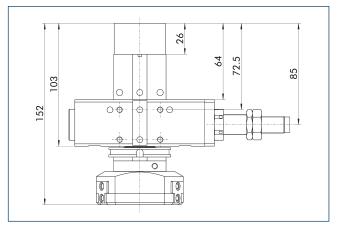
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## Gripping force maintenance K/S



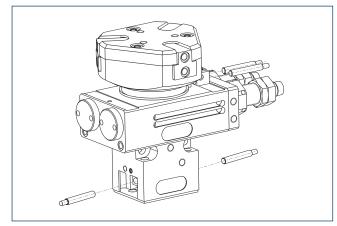
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## Gripping force safety & rotation adapter Z/X



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## **Inductive Proximity Switches**

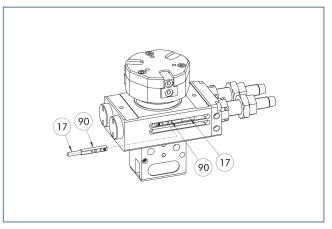


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GMNS 16-X	0313333					
RMNS 12-G	0313042	•				
RMNS 12-W	0313043					
RMNS 12-X	0313041					
clip for plug/socke	t					
CLI-M12	0301464					

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## Electronic magnetic switch MMS



(17) Cable outlet

(90) Sensor MMS 22..

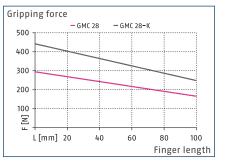
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Cable extension		
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KV BW08-SG08 3P-0100-PNP	0301496	
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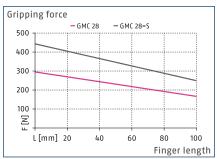
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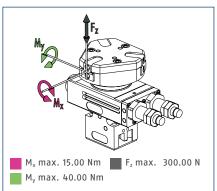
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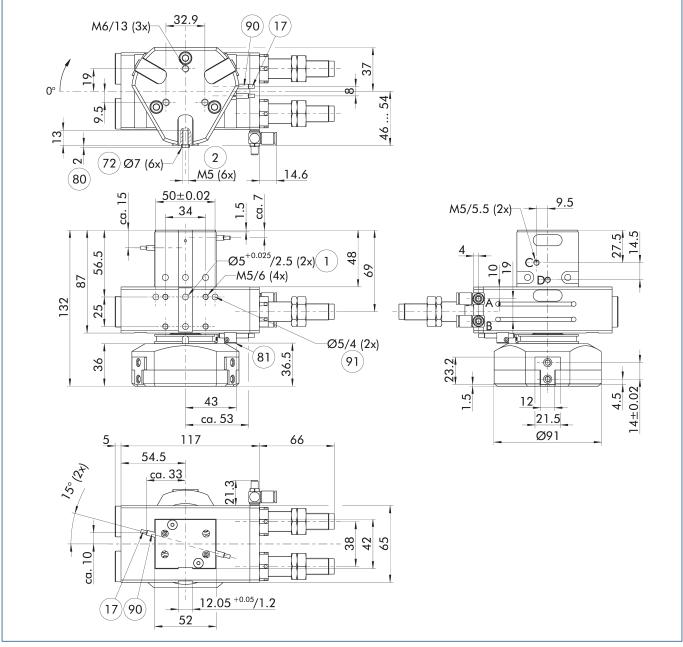


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## **Technical data**

Description		RC 2128-W	RC 2128-K-W	RC 2128-S-W
ID		0313320	0313322	0313321
Stroke per jaw	[mm]	8	8	8
Closing / opening force	[N]	280/280	420/-	-/420
Min. spring force	[N]		140	140
Torque	[Nm]	1.9	1.9	1.9
Angle of rotation	[°]	190	190	190
Recommended workpiece weight	[kg]	1.4	1.4	1.4
Air consumption for gripping	[cm <sup>3</sup> ]	9.05	9.05	9.05
Air consumption for swiveling	[cm <sup>3</sup> ]	23.8	23.8	23.8
Weight	[kg]	2.09	2.25	2.25
Nominal operating pressure	[bar]	6	6	6
Max. operating pressure	[bar]	8	8	8
Min. operating pressure for gripping	[bar]	3	5	5
Min. operating pressure for swiveling	[bar]	3	3	3
Closing/opening time	[s]	0.05/0.05	0.04/0.06	0.06/0.04
Max. permissible finger length	[mm]	100	100	100
Max. permissible mass per finger	[kg]	0.35	0.35	0.35
Protection class IP		40	40	40
Min./max. ambient temperature	[°C]	5/60	5/60	5/60
Repeat accuracy for gripping	[mm]	0.02	0.02	0.02
Repeat accuracy for swiveling	[°]	0.044	0.044	0.044
Options and their characteristics				
Rotation adapter version		RC 2128-D-W	RC 2128-Z-W	RC 2128-X-W
ID		0313323	0313325	0313324
Weight	[kg]	2.15	2.33	2.33

#### Main view



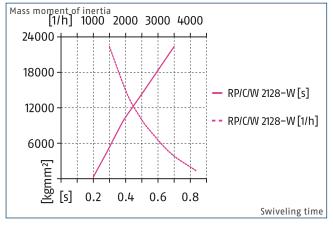
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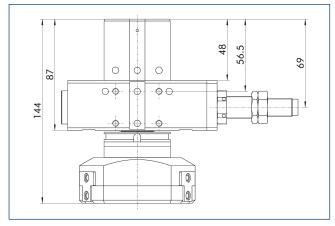
Rotary gripping module with centric gripper

#### Max. permissible inertia J\*



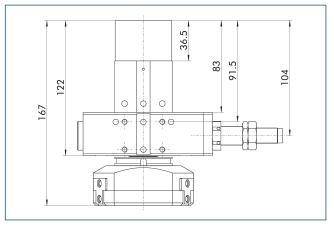
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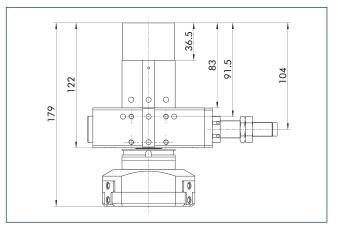
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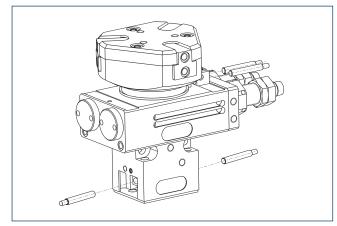
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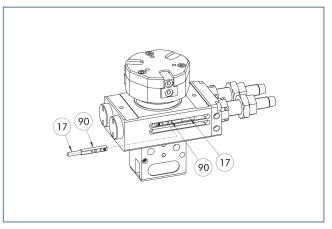


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GMNS 28-W	0313338				
GMNS 28-X	0313336				
RMNS 12-G	0313042	•			
RMNS 12-W	0313043				
RMNS 12-X	0313041				
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CLI-M12	0301464				

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## Electronic magnetic switch MMS



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Electronic magnetic switch							
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MMSK 22-S-PNP	0301034						
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KV BW08-SG08 3P-0200-PNP	0301497	•					
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