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1 Scope

This International Standard specifies the properties of nuts with

- nominal thread diameter, d , from 5 mm up to and including 39 mm,
- product grades A and B,
- property classes 8 to 12,

under the conditions of the cone proof load test.

2 Normative references

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ISO 898-2:—¹⁾, *Mechanical properties of fasteners — Part 2: Nuts with specified proof load values — Coarse thread.*

ISO 898-6:1988, *Mechanical properties of fasteners — Part 6: Nuts with specified proof load values — Fine pitch thread.*

3 Principle

Detection of the presence of seams or cracks which could be detrimental. The use of a conical washer exaggerates the influence of such defects on the load-bearing ability of the nut by introducing a simultaneous dilating and stripping action.

4 Apparatus

4.1 Conical washer (see figure 1), having a minimum hardness of 57 HRC. The contact point of the cone shall be flat and shall have a width of $0,13 \text{ mm} \pm 0,03 \text{ mm}$ for nominal thread diameters $d \leq 12 \text{ mm}$ and a width of $0,38 \text{ mm} \pm 0,03 \text{ mm}$ for nominal thread diameters $d > 12 \text{ mm}$.

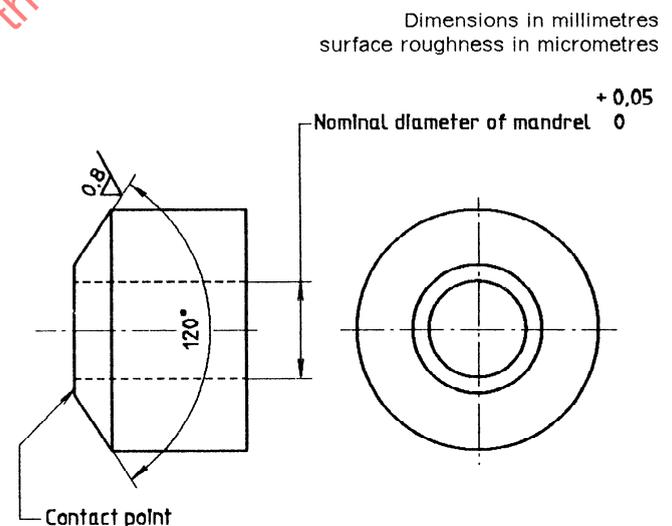


Figure 1 — Conical washer

4.2 Mandrel, hardened (45 HRC min.) and threaded to tolerance class 6g, except that the tolerance of the major diameter shall be the last quarter of the 6g range on the minimum material side.

1) To be published. (Revision of ISO 898-2:1980)

5 Procedure

Assemble the nut and conical washer on the mandrel as shown in figure 2. The conical washer shall bear against a nut face which is flat and normal to the nut axis. Apply the specified cone proof load (see clause 6) to the nut.

The speed of testing, as determined with a free-running cross-head, shall not exceed 3 mm/min. The cone proof load shall be retained for 10 s.

6 Criteria

The nut shall support the proof load specified in ISO 898-2 or ISO 898-6, as applicable, without stripping or rupture.

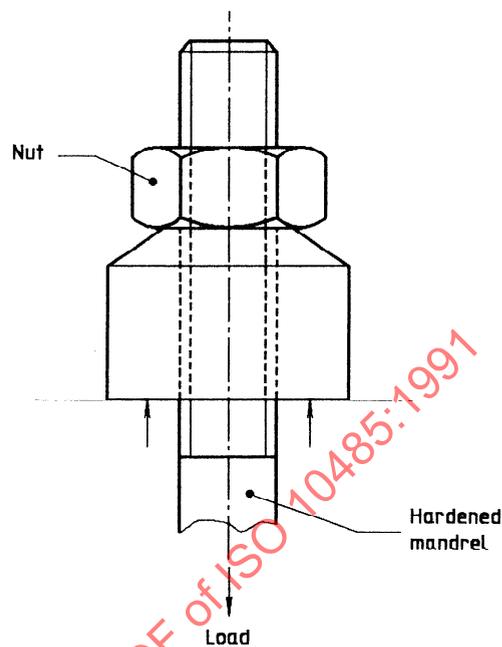


Figure 2 — Test assembly

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