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Hexagon High Nuts**1. Scope**

Included herein are the detailed general and dimensional specifications applicable to high hex nuts. All general specifications not shown here shall conform with those applicable to hex thick nuts and hex thick slotted nuts appearing in ASME B18.2.2. High hex nuts are primarily intended for use in automotive and other ground-based vehicles and industrial equipment where a long length of hexagon is required for wrenching purposes.

1.1 Rationale

Section 2.1.1—Deleted ANSI as standards are now ASME.
- Added ASME B1.1 Unified Inch Screw Threads (UN and UNR Thread Form)

Section 3.1.1—Added ASME B1.1 to ensure the reader understands what specification threads must conform and deleted reference to Table 1 and Figure 1.

Section 3.1.3—Changed max. countersink diameter to correspond with ASME B18.2.2.

Table 1—Changed Max Width Across Flats "F" dimensions to correspond with ASME B18.2.2.

2. References**2.1 Applicable Publication**

The following publication forms a part of this specification to the extent specified herein.

2.1.1 ASME PUBLICATIONS

Available from the ASME, 22 Law Drive, PO Box 2900, Fairfield, NJ 07007-2900, Tel: 973-882-1170,
www.asme.org.

ASME B18.2.2—Square and Hex Nuts—Inch Series
ASME B1.1 Unified Inch Screw Threads (UN and UNR Thread Form)

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3. General Specifications

3.1 Threads

3.1.1 FORM AND TOLERANCE

Threads shall conform to ASME B1.1 unified inch Standard, Class 2B.

3.1.2 SERIES

Threads shall be coarse (UNC) or fine (UNF) thread series.

3.1.3 COUNTERSINK

Tapped holes shall be countersunk (unless counterbore option is specified) on the bearing face or faces. The maximum countersink diameter shall be the thread basic (nominal) diameter plus 0.025 in for 3/8 size or smaller, and 1.08 times the basic major diameter for larger sizes. No part of the threaded portion shall extend beyond the bearing surface.

4. Notes

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