# Rotary Actuated Air Gripper MHR2, MDHR2/MHR3, MDHR3 2-finger type 3-finger type 

## High Precision - Repeatability $\pm 0.01 \mathrm{~mm}$

Parallel opening and closing mechanism utilizing a cross roller guide produces smooth operation without play, with high precision and long life.

## Low Profile

Using rotary actuators in the part of actuating portion enables a design compact.

## MDHR2 <br> MDHR3

## High rigidity

Fingers operate smoothly as the holder maintains the guide from the outside and prevents finger displacement.


## Applicable for Clean Series.

Refer to "Pneumatic Clean Series" catalog for details.

## Internal/External gripping capability

## Connection port on 2 sides



## Rotary Actuated Air Gripper/2-Finger Type Series MHR2/MDHR2 Size: 10, 15, 20, 30

How to Order


## Series MHR2/MDHR2



## JIS Symbol



Made to Order
(Refer to pages 683 to 713 for details.)

| Symbol | Specifications/Description |
| :---: | :---: |
| - X32 | Countermeasure for condensation |
| $-\mathbf{X 6 3}$ | Fluorine grease |

## Gripping Point

- Workpiece gripping point should be within the gripping point range: The range shown for each operating pressure given in the graphs to the right.
- When the gripping point distance becomes large, the finger attachment applies an excessively large load to the finger sliding section, causing excessive play of the fingers and possibly leading to premature failure.


## External grip <br> 



L: Distance to the gripping point H: Overhang distance

Internal grip


## Limitation of Gripping: External Grip/Internal Grip



MHR2-20/MDHR2-20


MHR2-15/MDHR2-15



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## Series MHR2/MDHR2

Effective Gripping Force

Guidelines for the selection of the gripper
with respect to component mass

- Although conditions differ according to the workpiece shape and the coefficient of friction between the attachments and the workpiece, select a model that can provide a gripping force of 10 to 20 times the workpiece mass, or more.
- If high acceleration, deceleration or impact forces are encountered during motion a further margin of safety should be considered.


## External grip



Internal grip


L : Gripping point length (mm)

## - Indication of effective gripping force

The effective gripping force shown in the graphs to the right is expressed as $F$, which is the thrust of one finger, when both fingers and attachments are in full contact with the workpiece as shown in the figure below.


## External Grip

MHR2-10/MDHR2-10


MHR2-15/MDHR2-15


MHR2-20/MDHR2-20


MHR2-30/MDHR2-30


Internal Grip


MHR2-15/MDHR2-15


MHR2-20/MDHR2-20


MHR2-30/MDHR2-30


Construction
MHR2


MDHR2


Component Parts

| No. | Description | Material | Note |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: |
| $\mathbf{1 1}$ | Stopper | Resin |  |
| $\mathbf{1 2}$ | Back-up ring | Stainless steel plate |  |
| $\mathbf{1 3}$ | Hexagon socket head bolt | Stainless steel |  |
| $\mathbf{1 4}$ | Bearing | High carbon chrome bearing steel |  |
| $\mathbf{1 5}$ | Cylindrical roller | - |  |
| $\mathbf{1 6}$ | Magnet | Stainless steel |  |
| $\mathbf{1 7}$ | Magnet holder | Aluminum alloy | Hard anodized |
| $\mathbf{1 8}$ | Roller | Stainless steel |  |
| $\mathbf{1 9}$ | O-ring | NBR |  |
| $\mathbf{2 0}$ | Stopper seal | NBR |  |

## Series MHR2/MDHR2

## Nominal Size 10

## Without auto switch : MHR2-10R



MHR2-10E Port Location


With auto switch (Built-in magnet) : MDHR2-10R


## Series MHR2/MDHR2

## Nominal Size 15

Without auto switch : MHR2-15R


MHR2-15E Port Location


With auto switch (Built-in magnet) : MDHR2-15R


MDHR2-15E Port Location


## Series MHR2/MDHR2

## Nominal Size 20

Without auto switch : MHR2-20R

$2 \times \mathrm{M} 4 \times 0.7$ thread depth 8 (Thread for mounting attachment)


With auto switch (Built-in magnet) : MDHR2-20R


MDHR2-20E Port Location

$2 \times \mathrm{M} 4 \times 0.7$ thread depth 8 (Thread for mounting attachment)


## Series MHR2/MDHR2

Nominal Size 30
Without auto switch : MHR2-30R


With auto switch (Built-in magnet) : MDHR2-30R


| Model | B |
| :--- | :---: |
| MHR2-30 $\square$ | 25 |
| MDHR2-30 $\square$ | 25.5 |

Dimensional Differences between MHR and MDHR
The following dimensions are different between series MHR and MDHR. And also, body shapes are different depending on auto switch mounting groove.


# Rotary Actuated Air Gripper/3-Finger Type Series MHR3/MDHR3 <br> Size: 10, 15 

How to Order


Model/Specifications


| Nominal size |  | 10 | 15 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Action |  | Double acting |  |
| Holding force (N) (Effective value) ${ }^{(1)}$ at 0.5 MPa | External grip | 7 | 13 |
|  | Internal grip | 6.5 | 12 |
| Opening/Closing stroke (Diameter) | $\begin{array}{\|c} \begin{array}{c} \text { Finger closing width } \\ (\mathrm{mm}) \end{array} \\ \hline \end{array}$ | 16 | 19 |
|  | $\begin{array}{\|c} \text { Finger opening width } \\ (\mathrm{mm}) \end{array}$ | 22 | 27 |
|  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Stroke } \\ & (\mathrm{mm}) \end{aligned}$ | 6 | 8 |
| Mass (g) ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | 120 (125) | 225 (230) |
| Connection port |  | M3 $\times 0.5$ |  |
| Repeatability |  | $\pm 0.01 \mathrm{~mm}$ |  |
| Fluid |  | Air |  |
| Operating pressure |  | 0.2 to 0.6 MPa | 0.15 to 0.6 MPa |
| Ambient and fluid temperature |  | 0 to $60^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |  |
| Max. operating frequency |  | 180 c.p.m |  |
| Lubrication |  | Non-lube |  |

Note 1) Refer to page 506 "Effective Gripping Force" for details of gripping force at each
gripping point.
Valve of effective gripping force is measured at the middle of opening/closing stroke.
Note 2) ( ) Value shows MDHR mass, but it does not include auto switch mass.
When the finger opening/closing speed is set as the total stroke of 0.2 seconds or more, it may cause the product to stick or completely stop its movement.

## Made to Order

Refer to page 683 to 713 for details.

| Symbol | Specifications/Description |
| :---: | :---: |
| -X32 | Countermeasure for condensation |
| -X63 | Fluorine grease |

## Series MHR3/MDHR3

## Gripping Point

## External grip



Internal grip


## Limitation of Gripping: External Grip/Internal Grip

- Workpiece gripping point should be within the gripping point range: L shown below, by operating pressure.

MHR3-10R/MDHR3-10 $\square$


- When the gripping point distance becomes large, the finger attachment applies an excessively large load to the finger sliding section, causing excessive play of the fingers and possibly leading to premature failure.
MHR3-15R/MDHR3-15 $\square$



## Effective Gripping Force

Guidelines for the selection of the gripper with respect to component mass
Selection of the correct model depends upon he comporn the finger the coenment of friction between the finger attachment and the configurations. A model should be selected with a rapping force of 7 to 14 times that of the with a gripping for
If high acceleration
If high acceleration, deceleration or impact forces are encountered during motion, a further margin of safety should be considered

## External grip



Internal grip


L: Gripping point length (mm)

## Indication of effective

gripping force
The effective gripping force shown in the force shown to the graphs to the right is expressed as $F$, which is the thrust of one finger, when three fingers
attachments are in full contact with the workpiece as shown in the figure to the right.

## External Grip

MHR3-10R/MDHR3-10■


MHR3-15R/MDHR3-15 $\square$


## Internal Grip

MHR3-10R/MDHR3-10■


MHR3-15R/MDHR3-15 $\square$


## Rotary Actuated Air Gripper <br> 3-Finger Type <br> Series MHR3/MDHR3

Construction


## Series MHR3/MDHR3

## Nominal Size 10

Without auto switch: MHR3-10R


With auto switch (Built-in magnet): MDHR3-10R


| Model | A |
| :---: | :---: |
| MHR3-10R | 5 |
| MDHR3-10R | 4.7 |



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Dimensional Differences between MHR and MDHR
The following dimensions are different between series MHR and MDHR. And also, body shapes are different depending on auto switch mounting groove.


MDHR3-10E Port Location


## Series MHR3/MDHR3

## Nominal Size 15

Without auto switch: MHR3-15R


With auto switch (Built-in magnet): MDHR3-15R


MDHR3-15E Port Location


# Series MDHR2/MDHR3 <br> Auto Switch Installation Examples and <br> Mounting Positions 

Various auto switch applications are possible through different combinations of auto switch quantities and detecting positions.

1) Detection when Gripping Exterior of Workpiece/Auto Switch Mounted from Direction A


Note 1) It is recommended that gripping of a workpiece be performed close to the center of the finger stroke.
Note 2) When holding a workpiece close at the end of open/close stroke of fingers, detecting performance of the combinations listed in the above table may be limited, depending on the hysteresis of an auto switch, etc.

## 2) Detection when Gripping Exterior of Workpiece/Auto Switch Mounted from Direction B



Step 4) Slide the auto switch in the direction of the arrow until the indicator light goes out


Step 5) Move the auto switch in the opposite direction and fasten it at a position 0.3 to 0.5 mm beyond the position where the indicator light illuminates.


Step 3) Slide the auto switch in the direction of the arrow until the indicator light illuminates. Move the switch an additional 0.3 to 0.5 mm in the direction of the arrow and fasten it.


# Series MDHR2/MDHR3 <br> Auto Switch Installation Examples and <br> Mounting Positions 

Various auto switch applications are possible through different combinations of auto switch quantities and detecting positions.
3) Detection when Gripping Interior of Workpiece/Auto Switch Mounted from Direction A


Note 1) It is recommended that gripping of a workpiece be performed close to the center of the finger stroke.
Note 2) When holding a workpiece close at the end of open/close stroke of fingers, detecting performance of the combinations listed in the above table may be limited, depending on the hysteresis of an auto switch, etc.
4) Detection when Gripping Interior of Workpiece/Auto Switch Mounted from Direction B


Note 1) It is recommended that gripping of a workpiece be performed close to the center of the finger stroke.
Note 2) When holding a workpiece close at the end of open/close stroke of fingers, detecting performance of the combinations listed in the above table may be limited, depending on the hysteresis of an auto switch, etc.

## Series MHR2/MDHR2

## Auto Switch Mounting

To set the auto switch, insert the auto switch into the installation groove of the gripper from the direction indicated in the following drawing. After setting the position, tighten the attached auto switch mounting set screw with a flat head watchmaker's screwdriver.


Note) Use a watchmaker's screwdriver with a grip diameter of 5 to 6 mm to tighten the auto switch mounting screw. The tightening torque should be about 0.05 to $0.15 \mathrm{~N} \cdot \mathrm{~m}$.

## Auto Switch Hysteresis

Please refer to the table as a guide when setting auto switch positions.

| Model | Hysteresis (Max. value) (mm) |
| :---: | :---: |
| MDHR2-10 | 0.3 |
| MDHR2-15 | 0.2 |
| MDHR2-20 | 0.6 |
| MDHR2-30 | 0.3 |

MDHR2


## Protrusion of Auto Switch from Edge of Body

The maximum protrusion of an auto switch (when fingers are fully open) from the edge of the body is shown in the table below. Use the table as a guideline for mounting.

MDHR2-10, 15


Auto switches of D-M9N, D-M9P and D-M9B are used.


Auto switches of D-M9NV, D-M9PV and D-M9BV are used.

Max. Protrusion of Auto Switch from Edge of Body: L, H
(mm)

| Auto switch model |  | D-M9 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Air gripper model |  |  |  |
| MDHR2-10 | $\mathbf{L}$ | 2.6 | 0.6 |
|  | H | - | 7 |
| MDHR2-15 | $\mathbf{L}$ | - | - |
|  | $\mathbf{H}$ | - | 7 |

MDHR2-20, 30


Auto switches of D-M9NV, D-M9PV and D-M9BV are used.

Max. Protrusion of Auto Switch from Edge of Body: H (mm)

| Auto switch model |  |  |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| Air gripper model |  |  |
| MDHR2-20 |  | D-M9■V |
| MDHR2-30 |  | 7 |
| The auto switch will not protrude in the case of <br> D-M9■. |  |  |

## Auto Switch Mounting

To set the auto switch, insert the auto switch into the installation groove of the gripper from the direction indicated in the following drawing. After setting the position, tighten the attached auto switch mounting set screw with a flat head watchmaker's screwdriver.


Note) Use a watchmaker's screwdriver with a grip diameter of 5 to 6 mm to tighten the auto switch mounting screw. The tightening torque should be about 0.05 to $0.15 \mathrm{~N} \cdot \mathrm{~m}$.

## Auto Switch Hysteresis

Please refer to the table as a guide when setting auto switch positions.

| Model | Hysteresis (Max.value) (mm) |
| :---: | :---: |
| MDHR3-10 | 0.2 |
| MDHR3-15 | 0.5 |

## MDHR3



## Protrusion of Auto Switch from Edge of Body

The maximum protrusion of an auto switch (when fingers are fully open) from the edge of the body is shown in the table below. Use the table as a guideline for mounting.

Max. Protrusion of Auto Switch

## from Edge of Body: H

 (mm)| Auto switch model | D-M9 $\square \mathbf{V}$ |
| :---: | :---: |
| H | 1.5 |

MDHR3-15


## MHW

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Series MHR2, MDHR2/MHR3, MDHR3 Specific Product Precautions
Be sure to read before handling.

## Mounting Air Grippers/MHR2/MHR3

Mounting direction of each model is different. Refer to the table at right.


## Axial side mounting



## How to Locate Finger and Attachment

-Positioning in the finger's open/close direction Position the finger and the attachment by inserting the finger's pin into the attachment's pin insertion hole. Provide the following pin insertion hole dimensions: shaft-basis fitting dimension C for the open/close direction; slotted hole with relief B for the cross direction. - Positioning in the finger's cross direction

Position the finger and the attachment by placing the finger's width into the attachment's finger insertion groove A.


| Model |  |  | Applicable bolt | Max. tightening torque $\mathrm{N} \cdot \mathrm{m}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| MHR | 2 | -10 | M3 x 0.5 | 0.59 |
|  |  | -15 |  |  |
|  |  | -20 | M4 x 0.7 | 1.4 |
| MDHR |  | -30 | M5 x 0.8 | 2.8 |
|  | 3 | -10 | M3 $\times 0.5$ | 0.59 |
|  |  | -15 |  |  |

Lateral mounting


How to Mount the Attachment to the Finger

- To mount the attachment to the finger, make sure to use a wrench to support the attachment so as not to apply undue strain on the finger.
- Refer to the table below for the proper tightening torque on the bolt used for securing the attachment to the finger.

