

## UNIDEX™



### INGERSOLL

has now launched the **UNIDEX-Reamer**, a line of indexable single edged adjustable reamers. **UNIDEX** is a high speed reaming system with internal coolant holes and indexable blades with two cutting edges, four lead angles and three rake angle options.

## SINGLE-EDGED REAMER

The standard **UNIDEX** line covers reaming applications from 5/16" to 1 1/4" diameter. The single indexable blade and high wear resistant carbide or cermet pads provide a combination of economical and high precision results on a very wide range of materials.

**UNIDEX** has been designed to achieve tight hole tolerances of H6 with a high

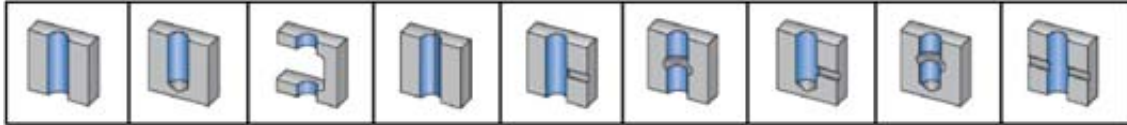
surface finish quality. This is done by using brazed guide pads and a simple adjustable system of blades on pockets to achieve the required diameter and tolerance. This exceptional level of accuracy eliminates additional operations such as honing or grinding, reducing production times considerably.

**UNIDEX** reamers are designed for high speed reaming, a feature highly desired in mass production environments. When large lot sizes are involved, the indexable insert provides an economical solution.

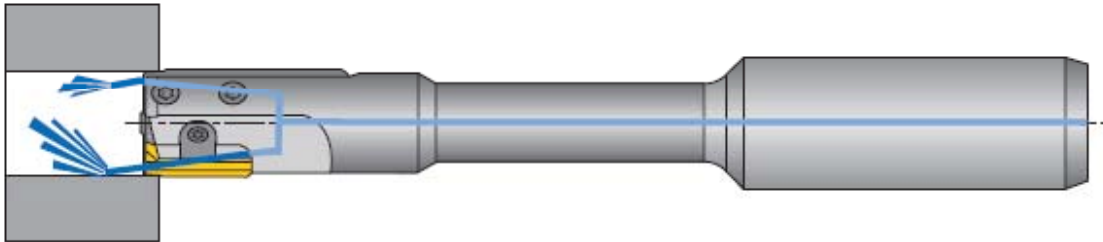
## 1. Application of UNIDEX.

### Several hole types for UNIDEX

The UNIDEX Reamers can be used for blind and through holes as well as for cross-holes or keyways as shown below.

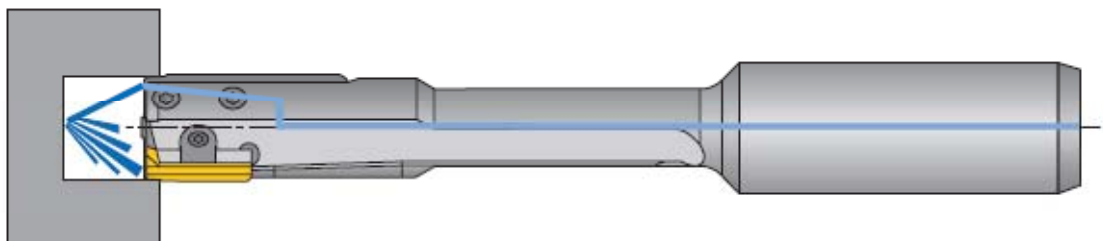


#### a. Through Holes



The **UNIDEX** reamers for through holes feature two coolant ports. One is located behind the insert, which directs the chips forward to prevent scratching the hole surface. A second port is located behind the pads in order to convey coolant and reduce the friction between the pads and the hole surface.

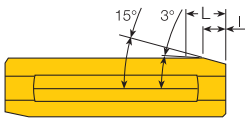
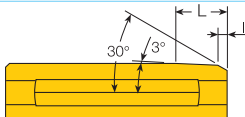
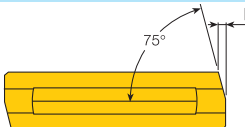
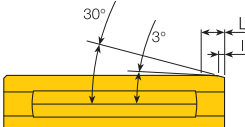
#### b. Blind Holes




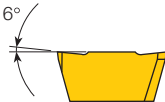
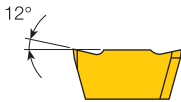
The **UNIDEX** reamers for blind holes feature a single coolant port located at the front end of the tool as shown above, which directs the coolant and the chips backwards.

## 2. Specification of Blades

### ■ FOUR STANDARD LEAD ANGLES ARE AVAILABLE

| Lead Type | L (inch) | I (inch) |  | Use  |
|-----------|----------|----------|--|--|
| A         | .118     | .039     |   | Higher Surface quality, lower cutting conditions |
| B         | .051     | .020     |   | Universal use, high speed cutting conditions     |
| C         | .022     |          |   | Suitable for aluminum and brass                  |
| D         | .024     | .008     |  | When needed for blind hole- lower feed           |

### ■ THREE STANDARD CUTTING RAKE ANGLES ARE AVAILABLE

| Rake Type |   | Use                              |
|-----------|---|----------------------------------|
| 0         |  | For cast iron applications       |
| 6         |  | General use                      |
| 2         |  | For stainless steel and aluminum |



### 3. Recommended Cutting Conditions:

The cutting conditions in the table below should be used to start a new application. Optimal conditions for a specific application should be evaluated by examining the results and changing the machining conditions accordingly.

|   | Lead A=15°/3° L .118"<br>(reaming allowance = 0.004" ~ 0.012") |             |  |                |         |            |            |
|---|--|-------------|--|----------------|---------|------------|------------|
|   | Feed<br>(inch/rev)   | Rake<br>(°) | Cutting Speed<br>Vc(Surface Foot per Minute) |                |         |            |            |
| Material  |  |             | Carbide                                      | Coated Carbide | Cermet  | PCD        | CBN        |
| Non-alloy steel, cast steel and free cutting steel                    | 0.004"-0.015"  | 6           | 131-197                                      | 197-262        | 361-525 |            |            |
| Low alloy steel and cast steel<br>(less than 5% of alloying elements) | 0.004"-0.015"  | 6           | 66-131                                       | 131-197        | 361-525 |            |            |
| High alloyed steel, cast steel<br>and tool steel                      | 0.004"-0.015"  | 6           | 66-131                                       | 66-197         | 66-197  |            |            |
| Stainless steel and cast steel  | 0.004"-0.011"  | 12          | 66-131                                       | 131-197        | 131-197 |            |            |
| Cast iron nodular (GGG)   | 0.004"-0.011"  | 0 / 6       | 131-197                                      | 131-328        |         |            | Please ask |
| Grey cast iron (GG)   | 0.004"-0.011"  | 0 / 6       | 131-197                                      | 131-328        |         |            |            |
| Malleable cast iron   | 0.004"-0.011"  | 0 / 6       | 131-197                                      | 131-328        |         |            |            |
| Aluminum wrought alloy  |  |             |  |                |         | Please ask |            |
| Aluminum-cast, alloyed  |  |             |  |                |         |            |            |
| Copper alloys   |  |             |  |                |         |            |            |
| Non-metallic  |  |             |  |                |         |            |            |

|   | Lead B=30°/3° L .051"<br>(reaming allowance = 0.004" ~ 0.012") |             |  |                |         |            |            |
|---|--|-------------|--|----------------|---------|------------|------------|
|   | Feed<br>(inch/rev)   | Rake<br>(°) | Cutting Speed<br>Vc(Surface Foot per Minute) |                |         |            |            |
| Material  |  |             | Carbide                                      | Coated Carbide | Cermet  | PCD        | CBN        |
| Non-alloy steel, cast steel and free cutting steel                    | 0.004"-0.011"  | 6           | 197-262                                      | 197-394        | 361-525 |            |            |
| Low alloy steel and cast steel<br>(less than 5% of alloying elements) | 0.004"-0.011"  | 6           | 197-262                                      | 197-394        | 361-525 |            |            |
| High alloyed steel, cast steel<br>and tool steel                      | 0.004"-0.011"  | 6           | 131-197                                      | 131-262        | 131-262 |            |            |
| Stainless steel and cast steel  | 0.004"-0.007"  | 12          | 131-197                                      | 197-262        | 197-262 |            |            |
| Cast iron nodular (GGG)   | 0.004"-0.011"  | 0 / 6       | 197-262                                      | 197-394        |         |            | Please ask |
| Grey cast iron (GG)   | 0.004"-0.011"  | 0 / 6       | 197-262                                      | 197-394        |         |            |            |
| Malleable cast iron   | 0.004"-0.011"  | 0 / 6       | 197-262                                      | 197-394        |         |            |            |
| Aluminum wrought alloy  | 0.004"-0.011"  | 12          | 525-656                                      |                |         | Please ask |            |
| Aluminum-cast, alloyed  | 0.004"-0.011"  | 12          | 525-656                                      |                |         |            |            |
| Copper alloys   | 0.004"-0.007"  | 0           | 262-328                                      |                |         |            |            |
| Non-metallic  | 0.004"-0.011"  | 0           | 33-230                                       |                |         |            |            |

| Material  | Lead C=75°/3° L .022"<br>(reaming allowance = 0.007"~0.015") |             |  |                |        |            |            |
|---|--|-------------|--|----------------|--------|------------|------------|
|   | Feed<br>(inch/rev)   | Rake<br>(°) | Cutting Speed<br>Vc(Surface Foot per Minute) |                |        |            |            |
|   |  |             | Carbide                                      | Coated Carbide | Cermet | PCD        | CBN        |
| Non-alloy steel, cast steel and free cutting steel                    |  |             |  |                |        |            |            |
| Low alloy steel and cast steel<br>(less than 5% of alloying elements) |  |             |  |                |        |            |            |
| High alloyed steel, cast steel<br>and tool steel                      |  |             |  |                |        |            |            |
| Stainless steel and cast steel  |  |             |  |                |        |            |            |
| Cast iron nodular (GGG)   |  |             |  |                |        |            | Please ask |
| Grey cast iron (GG)   |  |             |  |                |        |            |            |
| Malleable cast iron   |  |             |  |                |        |            |            |
| Aluminum wrought alloy  | 0.006"-0.012"  |             | 492-820                                      |                |        | Please ask |            |
| Aluminum-cast, alloyed  | 0.006"-0.012"  |             | 492-820                                      |                |        |            |            |
| Copper alloys   |  |             |  |                |        |            |            |
| Non-metallic  |  |             |  |                |        |            |            |

| Material  | Lead D=30°/3° L .024"<br>(reaming allowance = 0.003"~0.008") |             |  |                |         |            |            |
|---|--|-------------|--|----------------|---------|------------|------------|
|   | Feed<br>(inch/rev)   | Rake<br>(°) | Cutting Speed<br>Vc(Surface Foot per Minute) |                |         |            |            |
|   |  |             | Carbide                                      | Coated Carbide | Cermet  | PCD        | CBN        |
| Non-alloy steel, cast steel and free cutting steel                    | 0.002"-0.008"  | 6           | 197-262                                      | 262-394        | 361-525 |            |            |
| Low alloy steel and cast steel<br>(less than 5% of alloying elements) | 0.002"-0.008"  | 6           | 197-262                                      | 262-120        | 361-525 |            |            |
| High alloyed steel, cast steel<br>and tool steel                      | 0.002"-0.008"  | 6           | 131-197                                      | 131-262        | 131-262 |            |            |
| Stainless steel and cast steel  | 0.002"-0.008"  | 12          | 131-197                                      | 131-197        | 197-262 |            |            |
| Cast iron nodular (GGG)   | 0.002"-0.008"  | 0 / 6       | 197-262                                      | 262-394        |         |            | Please ask |
| Grey cast iron (GG)   | 0.002"-0.008"  | 0 / 6       | 197-262                                      | 262-394        |         |            |            |
| Malleable cast iron   | 0.002"-0.008"  | 0 / 6       | 197-262                                      | 262-394        |         |            |            |
| Aluminum wrought alloy  | 0.002"-0.008"  | 12          | 361-656                                      |                |         | Please ask |            |
| Aluminum-cast, alloyed  | 0.002"-0.008"  | 12          | 594-656                                      |                |         |            |            |
| Copper alloys   | 0.002"-0.008"  | 0           | 262-328                                      |                |         |            |            |
| Non-metallic  |  |             |  |                |         |            |            |

## 4. UNIDEX-REAMER Holders

**Tool Designation Code Key** (This spacing allows for three decimal places for diameter callout)

**UD X 12.700 090 S6 R 01**

Unidex  
Reamer

X: Blind Hole  
W: Thru Hole

Diameter  
(mm)

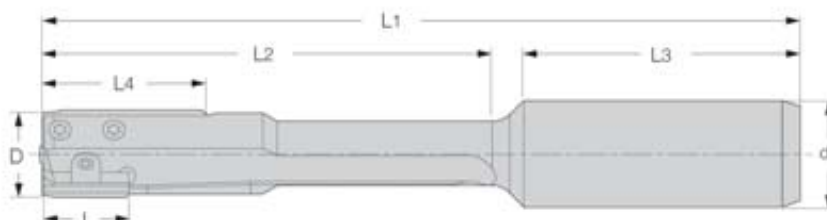
L2 Effective  
Length (mm)

Shank  
Diameter

S1=1.000  
S6=.6250  
S7=.7500

Modification  
Level

R=Tool Body Only  
A= Assembled  
Complete w/Blade



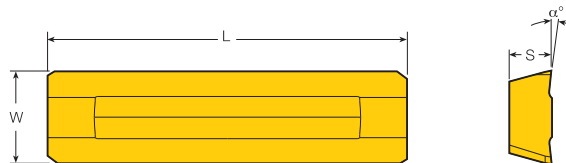
### INDEXABLE BLADE STYLE REAMER FOR BLIND HOLES

| D<br>Diameter | Part<br>Number<br>For <i>Blind</i> Holes | L<br>Blade<br>Length | L <sub>1</sub><br>Overall | L <sub>2</sub><br>Eff.<br>Length | L <sub>3</sub><br>Shank<br>Length | L <sub>4</sub><br>Guidepad | d<br>Shank<br>Diameter | Blade<br>Size |
|---------------|--|----------------------|---------------------------|----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|----------------------------|------------------------|---------------|
| .3125         | UDX07938078S6R01                         | .61                  | 4.86                      | 3.09                             | 1.77                              | 1.18                       | .625                   | 1             |
| .3750         | UDX09525078S6R01                         | .61                  | 4.86                      | 3.09                             | 1.77                              | 1.18                       | .625                   | 1             |
| .4375         | UDX11113078S6R01                         | .61                  | 4.86                      | 3.09                             | 1.77                              | 1.18                       | .625                   | 2             |
| .5000         | UDX12700090S6R01                         | .67                  | 5.31                      | 3.54                             | 1.77                              | 1.18                       | .625                   | 3             |
| .5625         | UDX14288090S6R01                         | .67                  | 5.31                      | 3.54                             | 1.77                              | 1.18                       | .625                   | 3             |
| .6250         | UDX15875090S6R01                         | .67                  | 5.31                      | 3.54                             | 1.77                              | 1.18                       | .625                   | 3             |
| .6875         | UDX17463115S7R01                         | .67                  | 6.50                      | 4.53                             | 1.97                              | 1.18                       | .75                    | 3             |
| .7500         | UDX19050115S7R01                         | .67                  | 6.50                      | 4.53                             | 1.97                              | 1.18                       | .75                    | 3             |
| .8125         | UDX20638115S1R01                         | .67                  | 6.73                      | 4.53                             | 2.20                              | 1.18                       | 1.00                   | 3             |
| .8750         | UDX22225135S1R01                         | .67                  | 6.73                      | 5.31                             | 2.20                              | 1.18                       | 1.00                   | 3             |
| .9375         | UDX23813135S1R01                         | .67                  | 7.52                      | 5.31                             | 2.20                              | 1.18                       | 1.00                   | 3             |
| 1.0000        | UDX25400135S1R01                         | .67                  | 7.52                      | 5.31                             | 2.20                              | 1.18                       | 1.00                   | 3             |
| 1.0625        | UDX26988165S1R01                         | .67                  | 8.70                      | 6.50                             | 2.20                              | 1.18                       | 1.00                   | 4             |
| 1.1250        | UDX28575165S1R01                         | .89                  | 8.70                      | 6.50                             | 2.20                              | 1.18                       | 1.00                   | 4             |
| 1.1875        | UDX30163165S1R01                         | .89                  | 8.70                      | 6.50                             | 2.20                              | 1.18                       | 1.00                   | 4             |
| 1.2500        | UDX31750165S1R01                         | .89                  | 8.70                      | 6.50                             | 2.20                              | 1.18                       | 1.00                   | 4             |

### INDEXABLE BLADE STYLE REAMER FOR THRU HOLES

| D<br>Diameter | Part<br>Number<br>For <i>Thru</i> Holes | L<br>Blade<br>Length | L <sub>1</sub><br>Overall | L <sub>2</sub><br>Eff.<br>Length | L <sub>3</sub><br>Shank<br>Length | L <sub>4</sub><br>Guidepad | d<br>Shank<br>Diameter | Blade<br>Size |
|---------------|---|----------------------|---------------------------|----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|----------------------------|------------------------|---------------|
| .3125         | UDW07938078S6R01                        | .61                  | 4.86                      | 3.09                             | 1.77                              | 1.18                       | .625                   | 1             |
| .3750         | UDW09525078S6R01                        | .61                  | 4.86                      | 3.09                             | 1.77                              | 1.18                       | .625                   | 1             |
| .4375         | UDW11113078S6R01                        | .61                  | 4.86                      | 3.09                             | 1.77                              | 1.18                       | .625                   | 2             |
| .5000         | UDW12700090S6R01                        | .67                  | 5.31                      | 3.54                             | 1.77                              | 1.18                       | .625                   | 3             |
| .5625         | UDW14288090S6R01                        | .67                  | 5.31                      | 3.54                             | 1.77                              | 1.18                       | .625                   | 3             |
| .6250         | UDW15875090S6R01                        | .67                  | 5.31                      | 3.54                             | 1.77                              | 1.18                       | .625                   | 3             |
| .6875         | UDW17463115S7R01                        | .67                  | 6.50                      | 4.53                             | 1.97                              | 1.18                       | .75                    | 3             |
| .7500         | UDW19050115S7R01                        | .67                  | 6.50                      | 4.53                             | 1.97                              | 1.18                       | .75                    | 3             |
| .8125         | UDW20638115S1R01                        | .67                  | 6.73                      | 4.53                             | 2.20                              | 1.18                       | 1.00                   | 3             |
| .8750         | UDW22225135S1R01                        | .67                  | 6.73                      | 5.31                             | 2.20                              | 1.18                       | 1.00                   | 3             |
| .9375         | UDW23813135S1R01                        | .67                  | 7.52                      | 5.31                             | 2.20                              | 1.18                       | 1.00                   | 3             |
| 1.0000        | UDW25400135S1R01                        | .67                  | 7.52                      | 5.31                             | 2.20                              | 1.18                       | 1.00                   | 3             |
| 1.0625        | UDW26988165S1R01                        | .67                  | 8.70                      | 6.50                             | 2.20                              | 1.18                       | 1.00                   | 4             |
| 1.1250        | UDW28575165S1R01                        | .89                  | 8.70                      | 6.50                             | 2.20                              | 1.18                       | 1.00                   | 4             |
| 1.1875        | UDW30163165S1R01                        | .89                  | 8.70                      | 6.50                             | 2.20                              | 1.18                       | 1.00                   | 4             |
| 1.2500        | UDW31750165S1R01                        | .89                  | 8.70                      | 6.50                             | 2.20                              | 1.18                       | 1.00                   | 4             |

## 5. UNIDEX Blades



### UNIDEX REAMER BLADES

| Blade Size | Part Number | Lead Type* | Rake Angle** | Dimensions (inch) |      |      | Grades |        |      |
|------------|-------------|------------|--------------|-------------------|------|------|--------|--------|------|
|            |             |            |              | L                 | W    | S    | TT5030 | TT5050 | UF1A |
| 1          | LDHR1501B6R | B          | 6            | .610              | .110 | .059 | ■      |        |      |
| 1          | LDHR1501B2R | B          | 12           |                   |      |      | ■      |        |      |
| 1          | LDHR1501A6R | A          | 6            |                   |      |      |        | ■      |      |
| 1          | LDHR1501A2R | A          | 12           |                   |      |      |        | ■      | ■    |
| 2          | LDHR1601B6R | B          | 6            | .610              | .142 | .059 | ■      |        |      |
| 2          | LDHR1601B2R | B          | 12           |                   |      |      | ■      |        |      |
| 2          | LDHR1601A6R | A          | 6            |                   |      |      |        | ■      |      |
| 2          | LDHR1601A2R | A          | 12           |                   |      |      |        | ■      | ■    |
| 3          | LDHR1702B6R | B          | 6            | .669              | .173 | .079 | ■      |        |      |
| 3          | LDHR1702B2R | B          | 12           |                   |      |      | ■      |        |      |
| 3          | LDHR1702A6R | A          | 6            |                   |      |      |        | ■      |      |
| 3          | LDHR1702A2R | A          | 12           |                   |      |      |        | ■      | ■    |
| 4          | LDHR2203B6R | B          | 6            | .886              | .260 | .118 | ■      |        |      |
| 4          | LDHR2203B2R | B          | 12           |                   |      |      | ■      |        |      |

\* C and D lead types available by quote

\*\* 0° Rake angle available by quote

## Grade Selection

### TT5030

#### PVD - TiAlN

- For a wide range of high-temp alloys.
- For machining of stainless steel and all steels
- Very hard submicron substrate with good fracture toughness

### TT5050

#### PVD - TiCN+TiN





- Designed for Cast Iron applications

### UF1A

- Uncoated, for use in non-ferrous Applications
- Basic substrate for UNIDEX Blades.
- High fracture resistance, good wear resistance



## 6. Accessories

| Holder Diameter | Clamping Wedge  | Clamping Screw  | Adjustment Screw  | Adjustment Pin  | Blade Size |
|-----------------|---|---|---|---|------------|
|                 |  |  |  |  |            |
| 0.3124          | WDG-TB-1  | SR-CL-TB-1  | SR-ADJ-M3x2.5   | PIN-ADJ-TB-1  | 1          |
| 0.3750          | WDG-TB-1  | SR-CL-TB-1  | SR-ADJ-M3x3   | PIN-ADJ-TB-1  | 1          |
| 0.3937          | WDG-TB-2  | SR-CL-TB-2  | SR-ADJ-M3x3   | PIN-ADJ-TB-2  | 2          |
| 0.4375          | WDG-TB-2  | SR-CL-TB-2  | SR-ADJ-M3x4   | PIN-ADJ-TB-2  | 2          |
| 0.4724          | WDG-TB-3  | SR-CL-TB-3  | SR-ADJ-M4x4   | PIN-ADJ-TB-3  | 3          |
| 0.5000 - 0.5625 | WDG-TB-3  | SR-CL-TB-3  | SR-ADJ-M4x4   | PIN-ADJ-TB-3  | 3          |
| 0.5905          | WDG-TB-3  | SR-CL-TB-3  | SR-ADJ-M4x6   | PIN-ADJ-TB-3  | 3          |
| 0.6250          | WDG-TB-3  | SR-CL-TB-3  | SR-ADJ-M4x6   | PIN-ADJ-TB-3  | 3          |
| 0.6692          | WDG-TB-3  | SR-CL-TB-3  | SR-ADJ-M4x8   | PIN-ADJ-TB-3  | 3          |
| 0.6875          | WDG-TB-3  | SR-CL-TB-3  | SR-ADJ-M4x8   | PIN-ADJ-TB-3  | 3          |
| 0.7500          | WDG-TB-3  | SR-CL-TB-3  | SR-ADJ-M4x8   | PIN-ADJ-TB-3  | 3          |
| 0.7874          | WDG-TB-3  | SR-CL-TB-3  | SR-ADJ-M4x10  | PIN-ADJ-TB-3  | 3          |
| 0.8125 - 0.9448 | WDG-TB-3  | SR-CL-TB-3  | SR-ADJ-M4x10  | PIN-ADJ-TB-3  | 3          |
| 1.0000 - 1.2500 | WDG-TB-4  | SR-CL-TB-4  | SR-ADJ-M4x10  | PIN-ADJ-TB-4  | 4          |

## USER GUIDE

### a. Tooling System for UNIDEX

We recommend using a rigid holding system with low radial and angular runout on machines. Ingersoll Shrink holder or Adjustable Collet chuck are recommended, and coolant through the holding system is very important to achieve tight tolerances and high productivity.

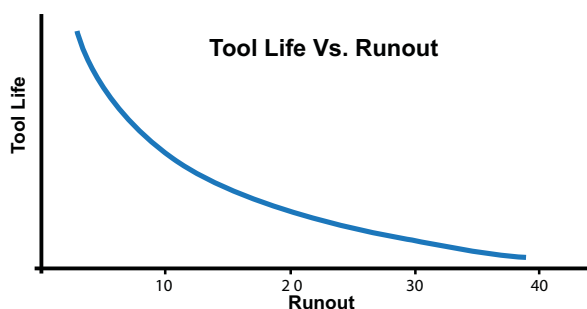
On lathe applications, when the tool is stationary, we suggest the GFI Floating Chuck, which enables the reamer to locate the correct position. It is important to note, this still requires positioning the reamer parallel to the workpiece rotating axis when using a floating holder.



## b. Runout:

Radial and angular runout should be thoroughly inspected prior to reaming. Excessive runout accelerates wear, causes chipping of the leading chamfer and produces poor surface finish and cylindricity – resulting in a tapered hole. The runout is influenced by the entire system through the spindle, the adapter and the shank clamping. All of the connecting elements should be thoroughly inspected during assembly.

Runout can cause an out of tolerance hole, especially in soft materials such as aluminum. In order to obtain the best reaming results, we recommend verifying that the whole system runout does not exceed  $5\mu\text{m}$ .



## c. Guidelines for High Speed Reaming

As the cutting speed and feed are much higher than in conventional reaming, the following guidelines should be followed:

- The machine being used should be in good condition, meaning:
  - Very rigid, to minimize vibration and low runout.
  - Equipped with an internal coolant spindle. In order to reduce the friction and have efficient chip evacuation, high pressure and capacity is required.
- The inserts being used for high speed reaming are generally coated or made from PCD/ CBN.
- Conventional reaming should be considered:
  - When the machine is not sufficiently rigid.
  - If only external cooling can be applied.
  - In special applications such as thin-walled tubes or when reaming soft materials (plastic, etc).
  - When there is a demand or need to use floating adapters.

## d. Pre-Drilling for reaming allowance

The diameter of hole we recommend prior to the reaming operation depends on several parameters such as workpiece material, coolant, application, required surface quality, etc.

Our recommended starting guideline is specified in the recommended cutting condition table. The pre-reaming hole diameter may change according to the specific machining results.

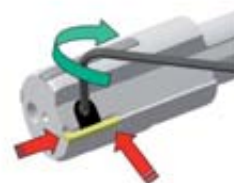
It is recommended to chamfer the hole before reaming in order to help the reamer maintain an accurate central position, obtain better surface finish and improve tool life. It is recommended to drill and ream while the workpiece is clamped in the same position.

If the workpiece has been removed after drilling and then clamped again for reaming, misalignment between the reamer and the hole center lines may occur. Therefore, it is recommended to leave a larger allowance for reaming.

## e. Setting Process

### e-1. How to index blade:

1. Rotate the adjustment screws 1 turn counter-clockwise (CCW).
2. Rotate the clamping screw CCW from the top and/or clockwise from the bottom, turning both sides simultaneously.
3. Remove the Blade. Clean the Blade and the pocket. Place the sharp edge on the outer position.
4. Press the Blade against the back stopper and the two adjustment pins. Tighten the clamping wedge by rotating the clamping screw CW from the top or CCW from the bottom.



## e-2. How to set diameter of UNIDEX

There are two optional setting mechanisms: a comparison micrometer and a setting device.



### 1. To use micrometer with dial gauge:

- A. Set the micrometer to the correct diameter using the precision blocks.
- B. Adjust the frontal diameter and back taper by turning the adjustment screws C.W.  
The frontal diameter should be larger than the rear diameter by approximately 0.0006" (0.015mm).

- Low cost solution and readily available for small shops.
- Prone to damaging the cutting edge; therefore not recommended

### 2. To use setting device,



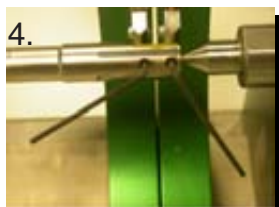
Ingersoll is offering a mechanical setting device. It enables an easy, quick and accurate adjustment (see following pictures).

Due to its modular construction, it can be used for standard as well as for special and more complicated reamer adjustments.

#### **\* Advantage of setting device.**

- Quicker setting time
- Modular Design
- Higher accuracy
- No risk of damaging the cutting edge

1. Place the reamer between fixture's centers. (figure 1)
2. Use the pad as a zero reference to set the indicators to zero. (figure 2)
3. Rotate and position the insert against indicators. (figure 3)
4. Tighten the adjustment screws in a clockwise direction. (figure 4)
5. Adjust the frontal side of insert to +15-20 microns (.0005"-.0007".) (figure 5)
6. Adjust the back side of insert to +5-10 microns (.0001"-.0003".) (figure 6)



## f. Back Taper

The rear diameter of the reamer head should be 0.05-0.015 mm (0.0019"-0.0005") smaller than the frontal diameter. The back taper prevents the reamer from jamming, as well as lowering reaming forces and improving surface quality. Incorrect back taper may cause unstable reaming, accelerated wear and rough surface finish.

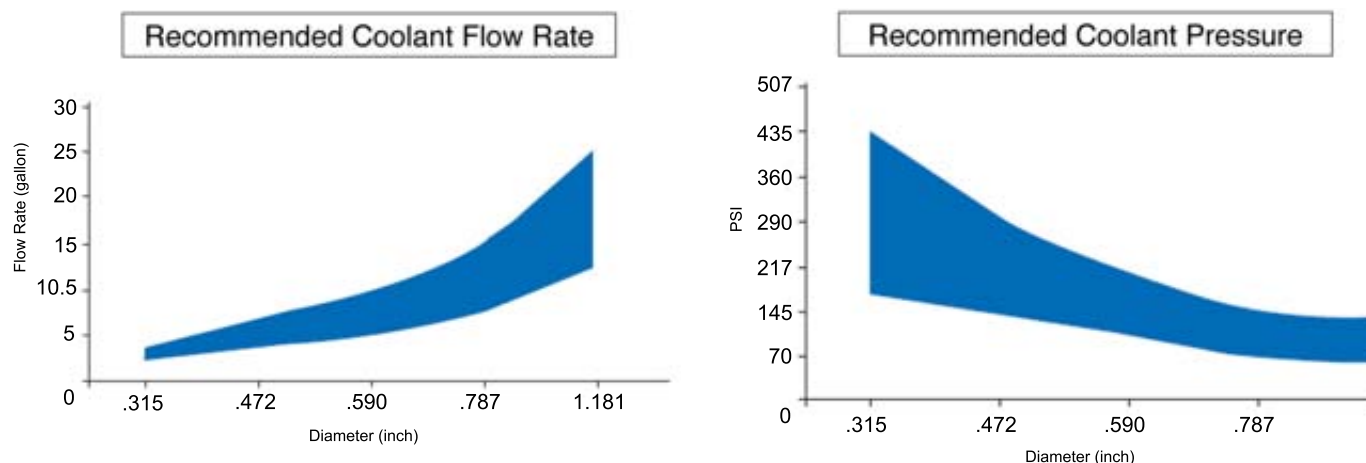


## g. Coolant

In order to gain maximum tool life and hole quality, high volume and pressure of internal coolant is required.

Coolant has three main functions during the machining process:

1. To reduce wear of the cutting edge, in order to maintain size and surface finish.
  2. To maintain good chip evacuation.
  3. Lubrication. The high friction between the guiding pads and the hole surface requires an adequate coolant film to lubricate the pads. Good lubrication is needed to maintain size and surface quality of the finished hole.
- It is recommended to adjust the coolant concentration to a 10%-12% mixture. A mineral oil based coolant should be used in order to achieve the best performance. Recommended pressure and lubricant capacity can be seen in the graph below.



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