

General Specifications

Electrical Capacity (Resistive Load)

Power Level (silver):	3A @ 125V AC & 2A @ 250V AC or 2A @ 30V DC
Logic Level (gold):	0.4VA maximum @ 28V AC/DC maximum (Applicable Range 0.1mA ~ 0.1A @ 20mV ~ 28V)

Other Ratings

Contact Resistance:	10 milliohms maximum for silver; 20 milliohms maximum for gold
Insulation Resistance:	1,000 megohms minimum @ 500V DC
Dielectric Strength:	1,000V AC minimum between contacts for 1 minute minimum; 1,500V AC minimum between contacts & case for 1 minute minimum
Mechanical Life:	50,000 operations minimum
Electrical Life:	25,000 operations minimum for silver; 50,000 operations minimum for gold

Nominal Operating Force:	Momentary Action: 1-pole 9.32N; 2-pole 16.18N; 4-pole 25.54N; Alternate Action: 1-pole 4.41N; 2-pole 7.06N; 4-pole 11.77N
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Contact Timing:	Slow make, slow break		
Plunger Travel:	Screw-on Cap (Mom.)	Screw-on Cap (Alt.)	Snap-on Cap (Mom. & Alt.)
Pretravel:	.028" (0.71mm)	.110" (2.80mm)	.125" (3.19mm)
Overtravel:	.043" (1.09mm)	.043" (1.09mm)	.050" (1.26mm)
Total Travel	.071" (1.80mm)	.153" (3.90mm)	.175" (4.45mm)

Materials & Finishes

Plunger:	Brass w/nickel plating; polyacetal w/B1 bushing
Bushing:	Brass with nickel plating
Frame:	Stainless steel
Case:	Diallyl phthalate resin (UL94V-0)
Movable Contactor:	Phosphor bronze with silver or gold plating
Movable Contacts:	Silver alloy (code W); copper with gold plating (code G)
Stationary Contacts:	Silver with silver plating (code W); copper or brass with gold plating (code G)
Terminals:	Copper or brass with silver plating; copper or brass with gold plating

Environmental Data

Operating Temp Range:	-30°C through +85°C (-22°F through +185°F)
Humidity:	90 ~ 95% humidity for 96 hours @ 40°C (104°F)
Vibration:	10 ~ 55Hz with peak-to-peak amplitude of 1.5mm traversing the frequency range & returning in 1 minute; 3 right angled directions for 2 hours
Shock:	50G (490m/s ²) acceleration (tested in 6 right angled directions, with 5 shocks in each direction)
Sealing:	B3 & D3 bushing options equivalent to IP67

Installation

Mounting Torque:	1.5Nm (13.0 lb•in) for double nut; 0.7Nm (6.0 lb•in) for single nut
Cap Installation Force:	80.0N (18.0 lbf) maximum downward force on actuator
Soldering Time & Temp:	Wave Soldering (PC version): See Profile A in Supplement section. Manual Soldering: See Profile A in Supplement section.
Process Seal:	These devices are not process sealed. Hand clean locally using alcohol based solution.

Standards & Certifications

Flammability Standards:	UL94V-0 case
UL:	Contact NKK Switches for UL or CUL marking option requirements.

Distinctive Characteristics

Guide interlocked with actuator block prevents window locking and maintains correct plunger alignment to assure contact stability.

Employs an over-center actuator mechanism, which diminishes sparking and increases operating life in AC circuits.

High torque bushing construction prevents rotation or separation from frame during installation.

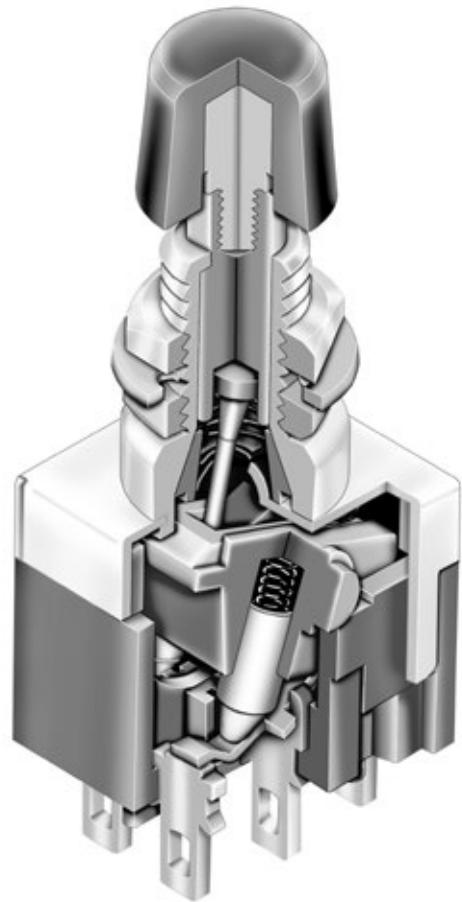
Splashproof option (D3 and B3 bushing codes) features an o-ring within the bushing and one under the face nut to protect from splashed, sprayed, or spilled liquids. Splashproof models meet IP67 of IEC 60529 Standards at front panel (dust tight and water protected from effects of temporary immersion).

High insulating barriers, formed in the molded diallyl phthalate case, increase isolation of circuits in multipole devices.

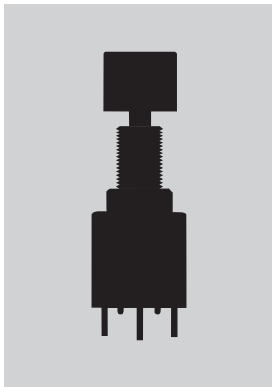
Prominent external insulating barriers increase insulation resistance and dielectric strength.

Epoxy sealed terminals prevent entry of solder flux and other contaminants.

Clinching of the frame to the case well above the base and terminals provides 1,500V dielectric strength.



Actual Size



Bushing Mount

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Bracket PC Mount

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Large Bushing

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TYPICAL SWITCH ORDERING EXAMPLE

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S1

W

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C

A

Poles

1	SPDT
2	DPDT

Circuits

2	ON	ON
5	ON	(ON)

() = Momentary

Plunger Types

S	Plunger for Screw-on Caps
L	Plunger for Snap-on Caps

Contact Materials & Ratings

W	Silver Rated 3A @ 125V AC & 2A @ 250V AC
G	Gold Rated 0.4VA max @ 28V AC/DC max

Bushings

S1	.335" (8.5mm) Threaded with Keyway
S2	.335" (8.5mm) Smooth with Keyway
S4	.335" (8.5mm) Metric Threaded with Keyway
D3	.335" (8.5mm) Threaded Splashproof without Keyway
D8	6mm .335" (8.5mm) Threaded Splashproof without Keyway

Caps

B	.315" (8.0mm) Diameter
C	.394" (10.0mm) Diameter

Cap Colors

A	Black
B	White
C	Red
E	Yellow
F	Green
G	Blue

Terminals

01	Solder Lug
03	.250" (6.35mm) Straight PC

DESCRIPTION FOR TYPICAL ORDERING EXAMPLE

MBN15SS1W01-CA

Black .394" (10.0mm) Diameter Cap

Plunger for Screw-on Caps

.335" (8.5mm) Threaded Bushing with Keyway

SPDT ON-(ON) Circuit

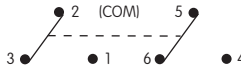
Silver Contacts with 3-Amp Rating

Solder Lug Terminals

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POLES & CIRCUITS

Pole	Model	Plunger Position () = Momentary		Connected Terminals		Throw & Switch Schematics
		Normal  Keyway	Down 	Normal  Keyway	Down 	
SP	MBN12	ON	ON	2-3	2-1	SPDT 
	MBN15	ON	(ON)			
DP	MBN22	ON	ON	2-3 5-6	2-1 5-4	DPDT 
	MBN25	ON	(ON)			

Note: Terminal numbers are not actually on the switch.

PLUNGER TYPES

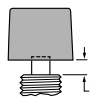
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Plunger for Screw-on Caps



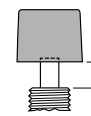
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Plunger Length



Momentary
Cap Location



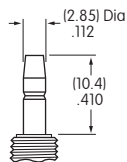
Alternate
Plunger Length



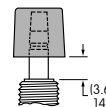
Alternate
Cap Location

L

Plunger for Snap-on Caps



Momentary & Alternate
Plunger Length

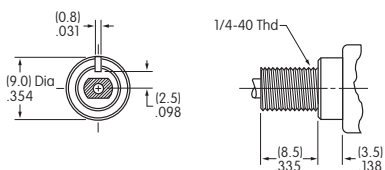


Momentary & Alternate
Cap Location

BUSHINGS

S1

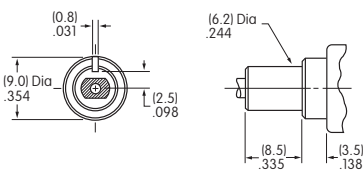
.335" (8.5mm)
Threaded with Keyway



Maximum Panel Thickness with
Standard Hardware: .154" (3.9mm)

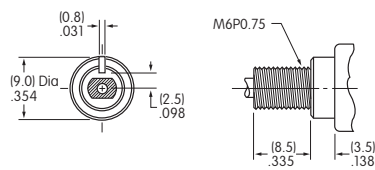
S2

.335" (8.5mm)
Smooth with Keyway



S4

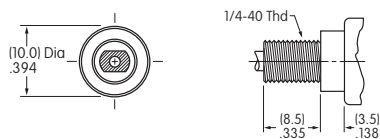
.335" (8.5mm) Metric
Threaded with Keyway



Maximum Panel Thickness with
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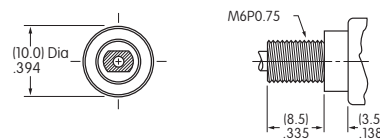
BUSHINGS

D3 .335" (8.5mm) Threaded Splashproof without Keyway



Maximum Panel Thickness with
Standard Hardware: .240" (6.1mm)

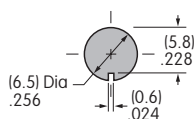
D8 .335" (8.5mm) Threaded Splashproof without Keyway



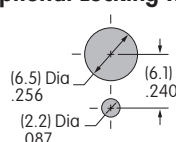
Maximum Panel Thickness with
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Panel Cutouts

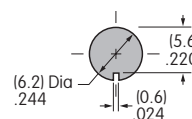
For S1, S2 Bushing with Keyway



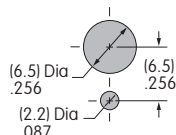
For S1 Bushing with Optional Locking Ring



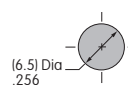
For S4 Bushing with Keyway



For S4 Bushing with Optional Locking Ring



For D3 or D8 Bushing without Keyway



Standard hardware for bushings S1 & S4 includes 2 hex nuts & 1 lockwasher; D3 bushing has 1 hex nut & 1 o-ring.
Standard & optional hardware are illustrated following the Typical Switch Dimension drawings.

CONTACT MATERIALS & RATINGS

W	Silver	Power Level	3A @ 125V AC & 2A @ 250V AC
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G	Gold	Logic Level	0.4VA maximum @ 28V AC/DC maximum
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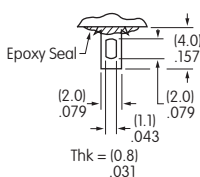
Note: Complete explanation of operating range in Supplement section.

Gold over Silver	Power Level or Logic Level	3A @ 125V AC & 2A @ 250V AC or 0.4VA maximum @ 28V AC/DC maximum
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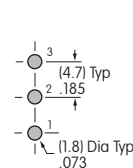
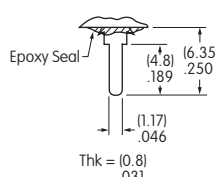
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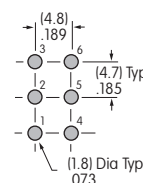
01 Solder Lug



03 .250" (6.35mm) Straight PC



Single Pole

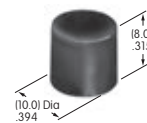
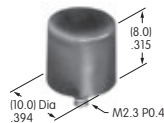
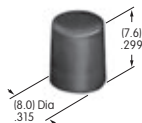


Double Pole

Bushing Mount Miniature Pushbuttons

CAPS & CAP COLORS

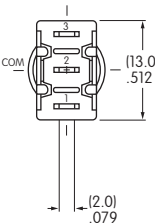
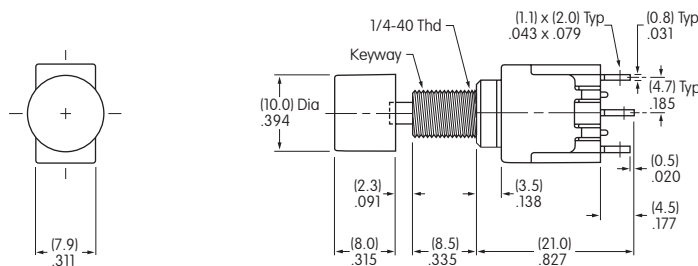
B AT413 .315" (8.0mm) Diameter Screw-on Cap	AT443 .315" (8.0mm) Diameter Snap-on Cap	C AT407 .394" (10.0mm) Diameter Screw-on Cap	AT442 .394" (10.0mm) Diameter Snap-on Cap
For use with Plunger Code S	For use with Plunger Code L	For use with Plunger Code S	For use with Plunger Code L
Cap Material: PBT Finish: Glossy	Cap Material: Polycarbonate Finish: Glossy	Cap Material: PBT Finish: Glossy	Cap Material: Polycarbonate Finish: Glossy



Cap Colors Available:	A Black	B White	C Red	E Yellow	F Green	G Blue
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TYPICAL SWITCH DIMENSIONS

Single Pole

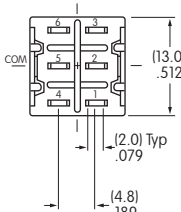
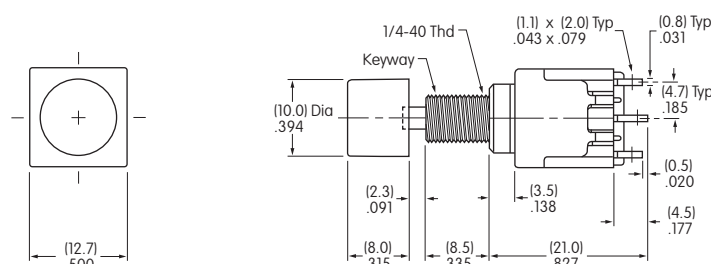


Solder Lug



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Double Pole



Solder Lug



MBN25SS1W01-CA

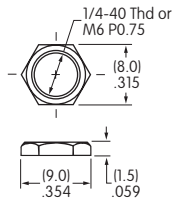
HARDWARE

Standard Hardware

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2 included with each switch
(1 with splashproof models)

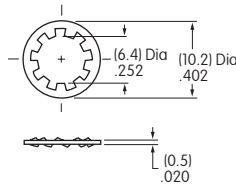
Material:
Brass with
Nickel plating



AT509 Lockwasher

1 included with each switch
(not with splashproof models)

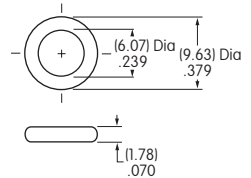
Material:
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AT516 O-ring for Splashproof Bushing

1 included with each
splashproof model

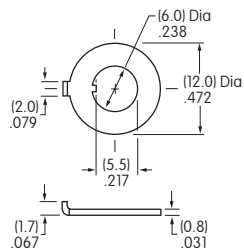
Material:
Nitrile butadiene
rubber



Optional Hardware

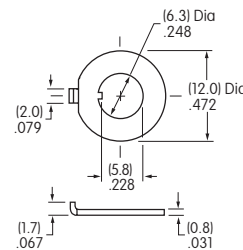
AT507M for Metric Locking Ring

Material:
Steel with
Zinc/Chromate



AT507H for Inch Locking Ring

Material:
Steel with
Zinc/Chromate



Optional Mounting Collars/Conical Nuts

AT512H for Inch AT512M for Metric Conical Nut

Used with .315" (8.0mm)
Diameter Cap (cap code B)
Material:
Brass with
chrome plating



AT512CH for Inch AT512CM for Metric Conical nut

Used with .394" (10.0mm)
Diameter Cap (cap code C)
Material:
Brass with
chrome plating



Optional Splashproof Boots for S Plunger

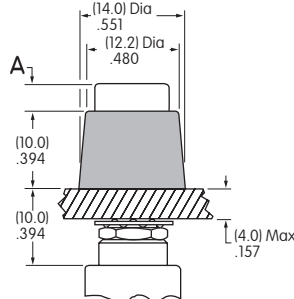
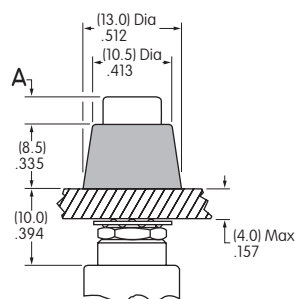
AT4041H for Inch AT4041M for Metric Boot for Momentary

Material:
Silicone rubber

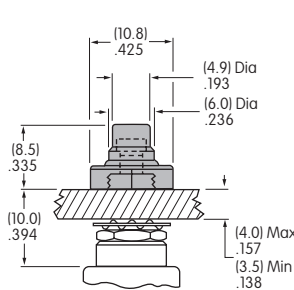


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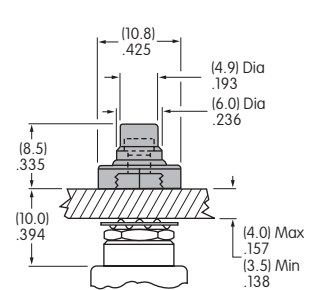
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Dimension A = Cap Height



Operating Life 50,000



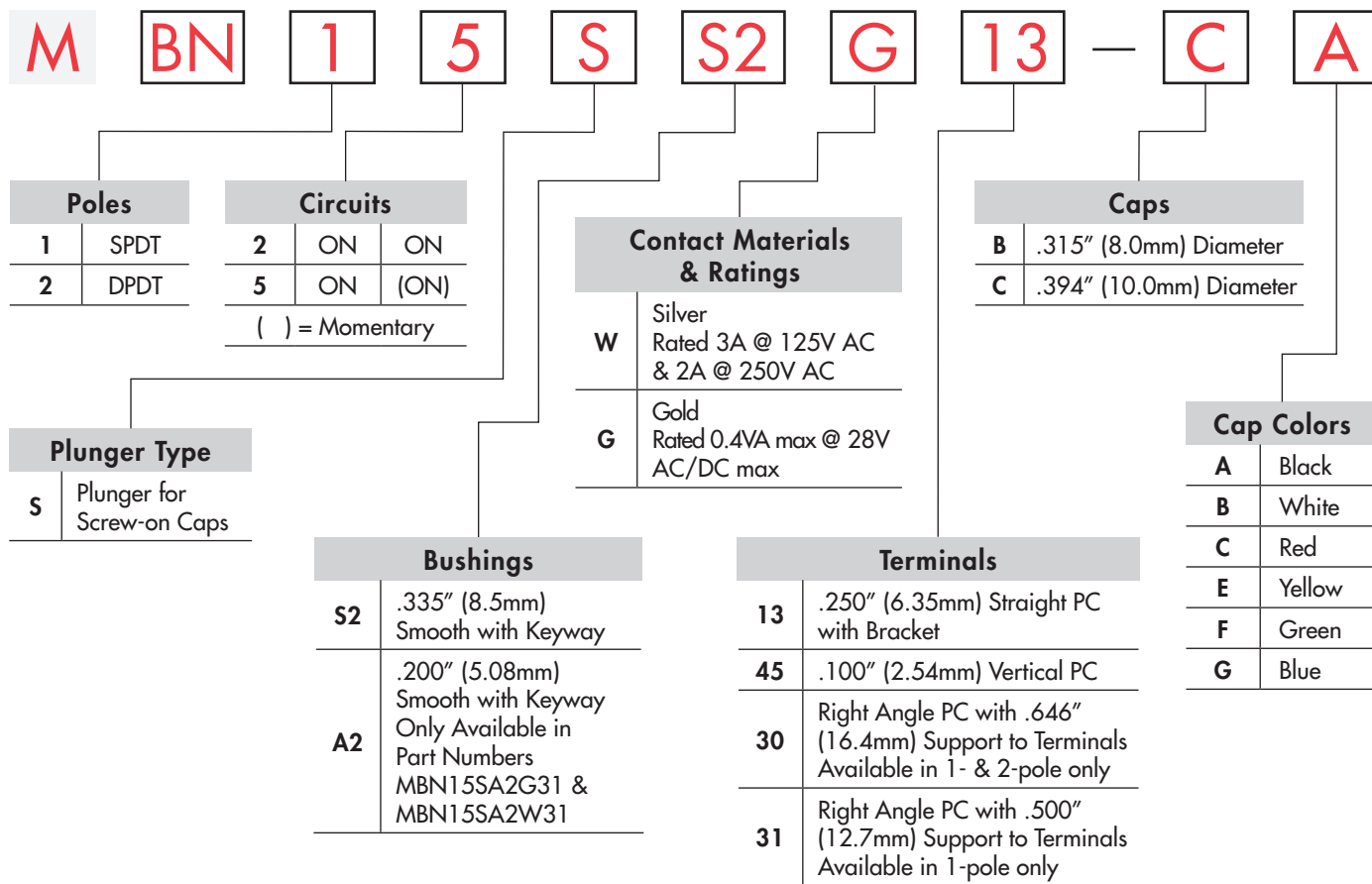
Operating Life 30,000

.091" (2.3mm) for Momentary with Plunger Code S
.157" (4.0mm) for Alternate with Plunger Code S
.142" (3.6mm) for Momentary & Alternate with Plunger Code L

Optional Conical Nuts fit with all 8.5mm bushing options
except the D3 & S2 bushings.

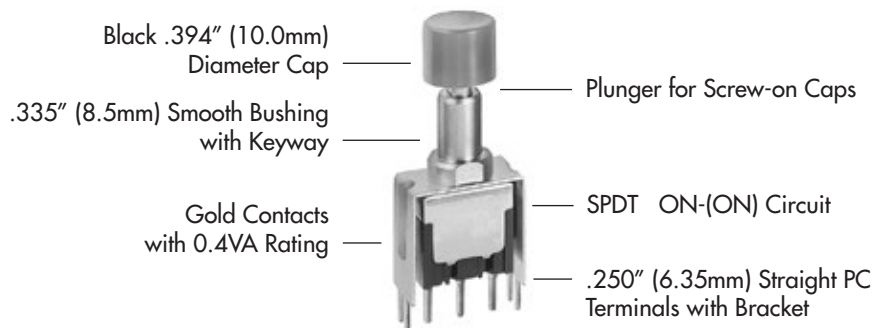
Boots for momentary devices
are accompanied by a threaded
adaptor which extends the length
of the plunger.

TYPICAL SWITCH ORDERING EXAMPLE

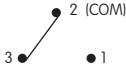
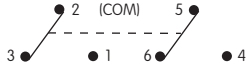


DESCRIPTION FOR TYPICAL ORDERING EXAMPLE

MBN15SS2G13-CA



POLES & CIRCUITS

Pole	Model	Plunger Position () = Momentary		Connected Terminals		Throw & Switch Schematics
		Normal 	Down 	Normal 	Down 	
SP	MBN12	ON	ON	2-3	2-1	Note: Terminal numbers are not actually on the switch. 
	MBN15	ON	(ON)			
DP	MBN22	ON	ON	2-3 5-6	2-1 5-4	
	MBN25	ON	(ON)			

PLUNGER TYPE

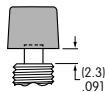
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Plunger for Screw-on Caps



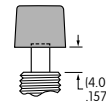
Momentary
Plunger Length



Momentary
Cap Location



Alternate
Plunger Length

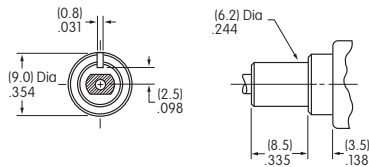


Alternate
Cap Location

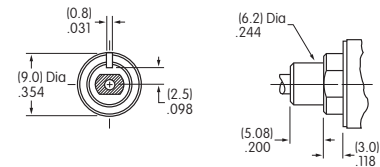
BUSHINGS

S2

.335" (8.5mm)
Smooth with Keyway

**A2**

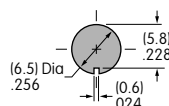
.200" (5.08mm)
Smooth with Keyway



Only available in part numbers
MBN15SA2W31 & MBN15SA2G31

Panel Cutout

For S2 or A2 Bushing with Keyway



CONTACT MATERIALS & RATINGS

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G	Gold	Logic Level	0.4VA maximum @ 28V AC/DC maximum

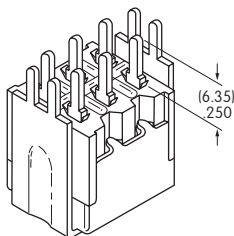
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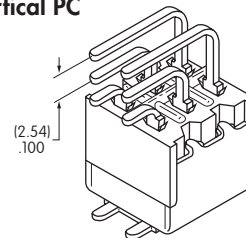
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TERMINALS

13 .250" (6.35mm) Straight PC
with Bracket

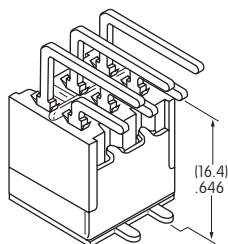


45 .100" (2.54mm) Vertical PC



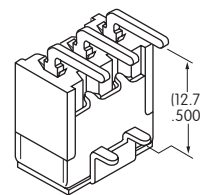
30 Right Angle PC
with .646" (16.4mm) Support to Terminal

Only Available
in 1 & 2 Pole



31 Right Angle PC
with .500" (12.7mm) Support to Terminal

Only Available
in 1 Pole



Note: Full dimensioned drawings appear on the following pages.

CAPS & CAP COLORS

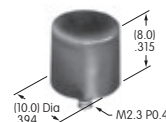
B AT413
.315" (8.0mm) Diameter
Screw-on Cap

Cap Material: PBT
Finish: Glossy



C AT407
.394" (10.0mm) Diameter
Screw-on Cap

Cap Material: PBT
Finish: Glossy



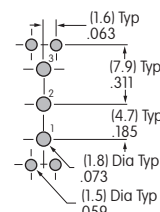
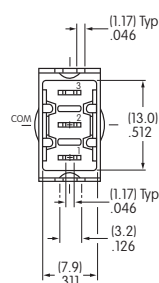
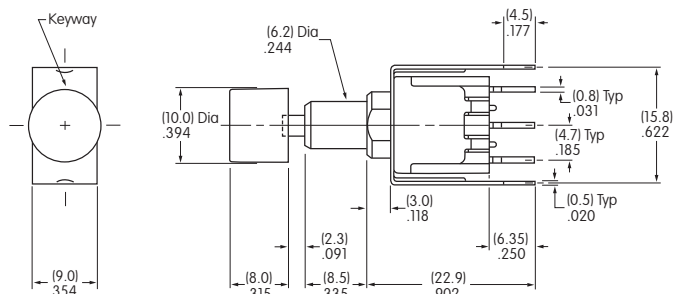
Cap Colors
Available:

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TYPICAL SWITCH DIMENSIONS

Single Pole

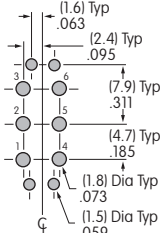
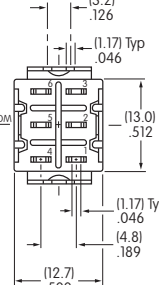
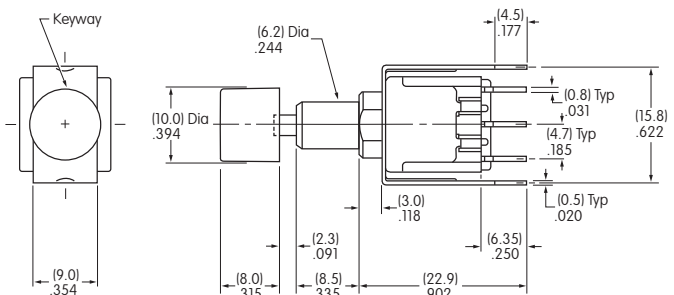
Straight PC with Bracket



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Double Pole

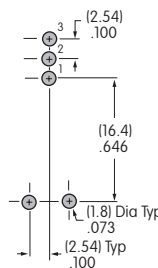
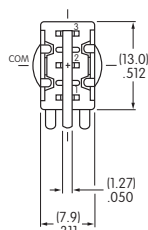
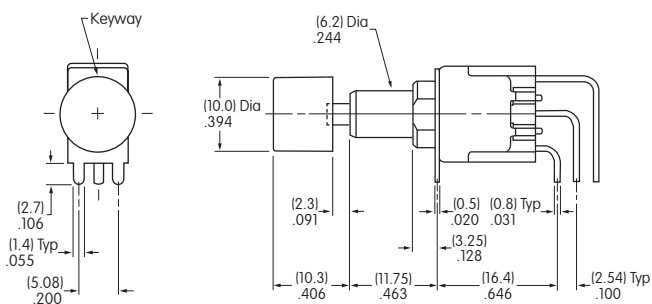
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MBN25SS2G13-CA

Single Pole

.100" (2.54mm) Vertical PC



MBN15SS2G45-CA

TYPICAL SWITCH ORDERING EXAMPLE

M

BN

1

5

S

B1

W

01

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D

A

Poles

1	SPDT
2	DPDT

Circuits

2	ON	ON
5	ON	(ON)

() = Momentary

Plunger Type

S	Plunger for Screw-on Caps
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Contact Materials & Ratings

W	Silver Rated 3A @ 125V AC & 2A @ 250V AC
G	Gold Rated 0.4VA max @ 28V AC/DC max

Bushings

B1	.472" (12.0mm) Threaded with Keyway
B3	.472" (12.0mm) Threaded with Splashproof

Terminals

01	Solder Lug
03	.250" (6.35mm) Straight PC

Caps

*B	.315" (8.0mm) Diameter
*C	.394" (10.0mm) Diameter
D	.520" (13.2mm) Diameter
E	.748" (19.0mm) Diameter

*Available in US Only

Cap Colors

A	Black
B	White
C	Red
**E	Yellow
F	Green
**G	Blue
*H	Gray

*Not available with Cap Codes D & E

**Not available with Cap Code E

TOGGLES

ROCKERS

C

PUSHBUTTONS

ILLUMINATED PB

PROGRAMMABLE

KEYLOCKS

ROTARIES

SLIDES

TACTILES

TIPT

TOUCH

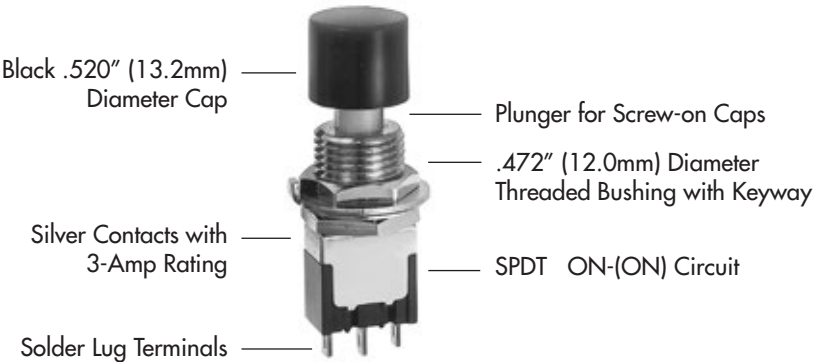
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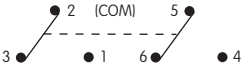
SUPPLEMENT

DESCRIPTION FOR TYPICAL ORDERING EXAMPLE

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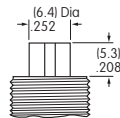
POLES & CIRCUITS

		Plunger Position () = Momentary		Connected Terminals		Throw & Switch Schematics
Pole	Model	Normal 	Down 	Normal 	Down 	Note: Terminal numbers are not actually on the switch.
SP	MBN12 MBN15	ON ON	ON (ON)	2-3	2-1	SPDT 
DP	MBN22 MBN25	ON ON	ON (ON)	2-3 5-6	2-1 5-4	DPDT 

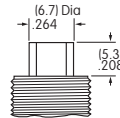
PLUNGER TYPE



Plunger for Screw-on Caps
Plunger is plastic for B1 bushing.



Plunger is metal for B3 bushing.



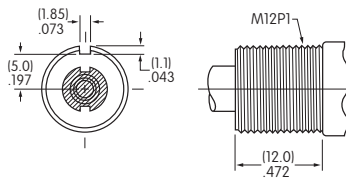
On alternate action models, after transferring circuit, the plunger returns to its original position, and does not latch down.

BUSHINGS



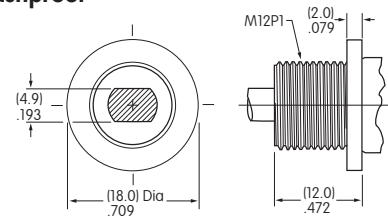
.472" (12.0mm) Diameter Threaded with Keyway

Maximum Panel Thickness with Standard Hardware: .217" (5.5mm)



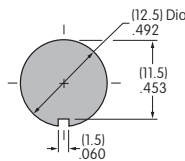
.472" (12.0mm) Diameter Threaded Splashproof

Maximum Panel Thickness with Standard Hardware: .217" (5.5mm)

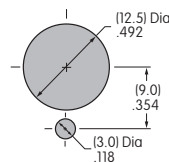


Panel Cutouts

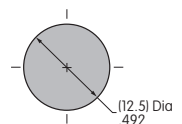
For B1 Bushing with Keyway



For B1 Bushing with Locking Ring



For B3 Bushing without Keyway



CONTACT MATERIALS & RATINGS



Silver

Power Level

3A @ 125V AC & 2A @ 250V AC



Gold

Logic Level

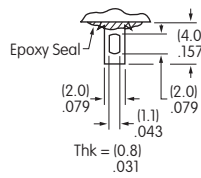
0.4VA maximum @ 28V AC/DC maximum

Note: Complete explanation of operating range in Supplement section.

TERMINALS

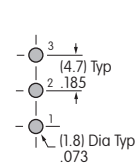
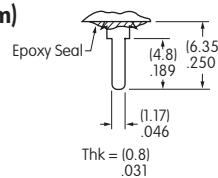
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Solder Lug

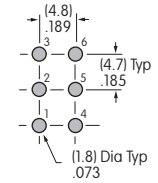


03

.250" (6.35mm) Straight PC



Single Pole



Double Pole

CAPS & CAP COLORS

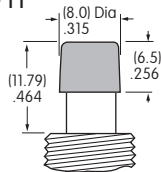
B

AT078
.315" (8.0mm) Dia.
Screw-on Cap

Material:
Polystyrene
Finish:
Glossy



Colors Available:
A B C E F G H



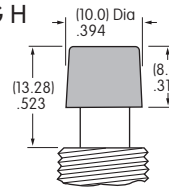
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AT079
.394" (10.0mm) Dia.
Screw-on Cap

Material:
Polystyrene
Finish:
Glossy



Colors Available:
A B C E F G H



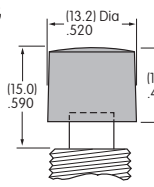
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AT414
.520" (13.2mm) Dia.
Screw-on Cap

Material:
PBT
Finish:
Glossy



Colors Available:
A B C E F G



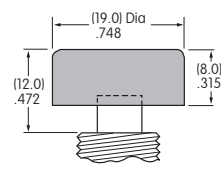
E

AT412
.748" (19.0mm) Dia.
Screw-on Cap

Material:
Polystyrene
Finish:
Glossy



Colors Available:
A B C F



Cap Color
Codes:

A

Black

B

White

C

Red

E

Yellow

F

Green

G

Blue

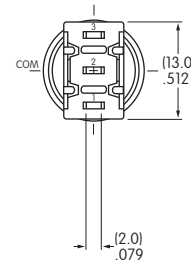
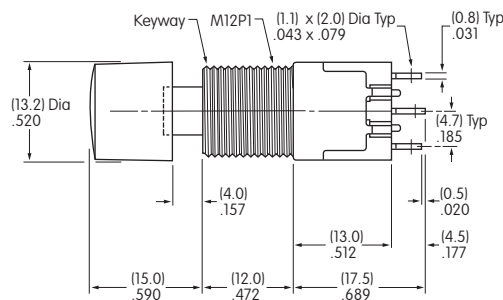
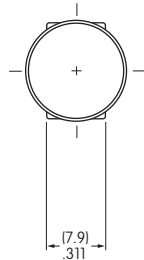
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Gray

TYPICAL SWITCH DIMENSIONS

Solder Lug

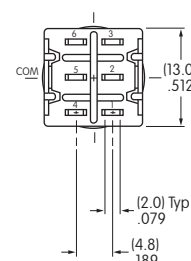
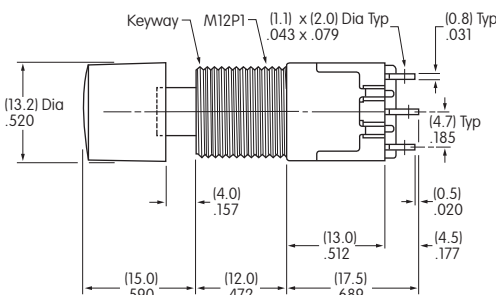
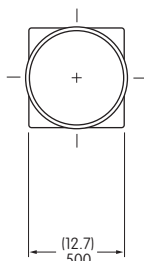
Single Pole



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Solder Lug

Double Pole



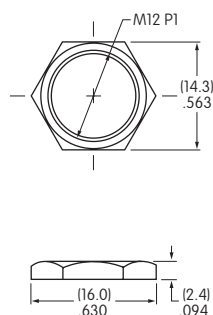
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HARDWARE

Standard Hardware for B1 Bushing

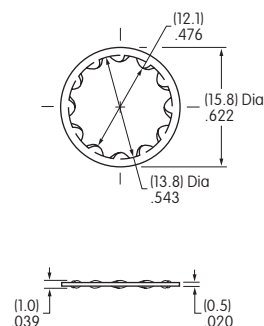
AT503M Hex Face Nut

Material:
Brass with Chrome plating



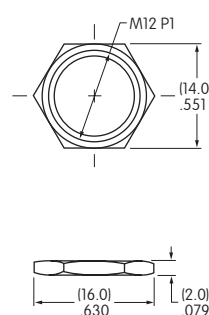
AT508 Lockwasher

Material:
Steel with Zinc/Chromate



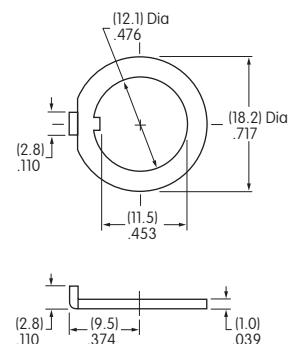
AT527M Hex Nut

Material:
Steel with Nickel plating



AT506M Locking Ring

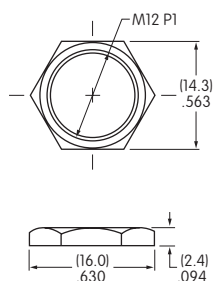
Material:
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Standard Hardware for B3 Bushing

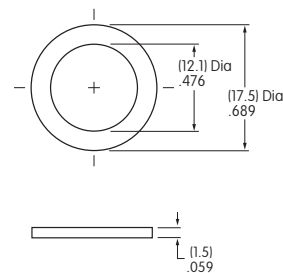
AT503M Hex Face Nut

Material:
Brass with Chrome plating



AT401P O-ring

Material:
Nitrile butadiene rubber



Optional Splashproof Boot for B1 Bushing

AT4043 Splashproof Boot

Material: Silicone Rubber
Operating Life (when installed on switch):
50,000 for momentary
50,000 for alternate action

When using a splashproof boot, no cap is required.

