

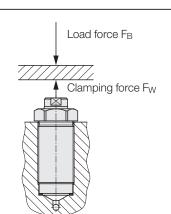
**Threaded-Body Cylinders with Locking Piston** 

single acting with spring return, max. operating pressure 500 bar



#### **Advantages**

- "Clamping" and supporting" with one element
- Admissible load force up to five times the clamping force
- Clamping with minimum deformation due to relatively little clamping force, but high retention force
- Particularly suitable for "floating clamping"
- Plunger design impedes penetration of fluids into the spring area
- Clamping rows with the narrowest cylinder spacing possible
- Fixtures without tubes are possible



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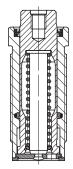
#### Effective clamping force and admissible load force

# Application

Threaded-body cylinders with locking piston have a relatively little clamping force, but a high retention force in opposite direction. Therefore they are particularly suitable for clamping of thinwalled workpieces with minimum deformation as well as for "floating clamping".

## Description

Threaded-body cylinders with locking piston are single-acting plunger cylinders, similar to the design of the proved threaded-body cylinders as per data sheet B 1.461. When pressurising the element, the piston will be expanded and locked in the cylinder body.



## **Materials**

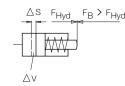
Cylinders: High alloy steel, nitrated Piston: High alloy steel Piston seal: NBR Wiper: FKM Flat sealing: POM

## Important notes

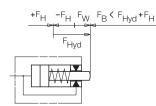
FB Threaded-body cylinders must not be subjected to a load in retracted position. During installation, the tightening torque must be checked with a torque wrench. Operating conditions, tolerances and other data see data sheet A 0.100.

## Function

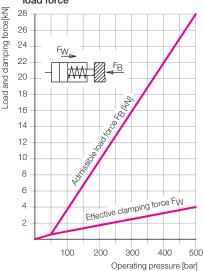
If a load force  $\mathsf{F}_\mathsf{B}$  higher than the hydraulic clamping force  $\mathsf{F}_{\ensuremath{\text{Hyd}}}$  , acts on a standard clamping cylinder, the piston will be pushed back due to the compressibility of the oil.



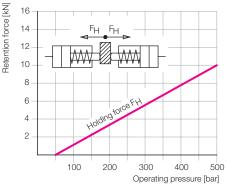
In such cases the operating pressure has to be increased or a larger clamping cylinder or additional work supports has to be used. The threaded-body cylinder with locking piston does not only clamp the workpiece, but compensates also the machining forces which are up to five times higher and are directed against the clamping force.



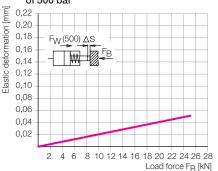
- F<sub>Hvd</sub> = Hydraulic clamping force
  - = Piston area x Oil pressure
- = Effective clamping force F<sub>\//</sub>
  - $= F_{Hvd} F_{H}$
- = Retention force, resulting from Fн non-positive locking of the piston in the cylinder body
  - = Load force against the clamping force, e.g. machining forces



#### Retention force for "floating clamping"

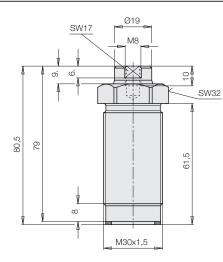


Elastic deformation as a function of the load of the piston at an operating pressure of 500 bar



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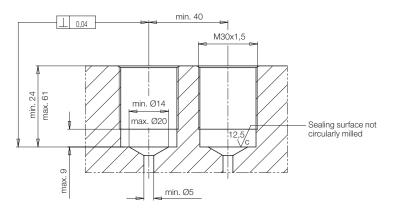
# Technical data Application example



[mm]	20
	=0
[trutu]	10
[cm <sup>3</sup> ]	3.14
[kN]	approx. 4.8
[kN]	approx. 25
[bar]	500
[bar]	50
[bar]	100500
[µm/kN]	2
[°C]	-10+80
[Nm]	60
[kg]	0.25
	1462847
	3000842
	[kN] [kN] [bar] [bar] [bar] [µm/kN] [°C] [Nm]

\* see diagram on page 1

## Location hole



## Application example

#### Simple collet for "floating clamping" Two clamping bars with threaded-body cylin-

ders with locking piston are fixed on a base plate and hydraulically connected by drilled channels. The axial block fixed in the centre is used as guide for both clamping jaws. An installed return spring moves the clamping jaws to its off-position. "Floating" clamping, i.e. the uniform and tongs-type contact at the workpiece independent of its position is possible due to the hydraulic pressure compensation between the cylinders.

Only different spring forces can influence the uniformity. After the pressure increase, the two locking pistons avoid a "further floating" of the clamping point.

