

# SLS RODLESS SCREW DRIVE ACTUATOR

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## LINEAR SOLUTIONS MADE EASY

# **SLS RODLESS SCREW DRIVE ACTUATOR** ○ ENDURANCE TECHNOLOGY Symbol indicating our durability design

features

This rodless style actuator is designed for carrying light to moderate loads on a wide, rigid base. Based upon our LS pneumatic linear slide, it utilizes a guidance system consisting of two linear guide rods with recirculating ball bearings for stable, smooth and low friction operation. Built-toorder in stroke lengths up to 3 m [120 inches] with multiple screw options available.

> •Four recirculating ball bearings provide guidance, low friction loss and long life

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•Load and moments are transmitted directly to the actuator body



TABLE SURFACE• Precision machined table surface

provides a large surface area for secure mounting

#### |○FORMED END CAP

•Prevent contaminants from entering the sealing band area to protect internal components

### SCREW SUPPORT BEARINGS

•High thrust bearing assembly design isolates the motor from axial forces

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#### • MULTIPLE SCREW TECHNOLOGIES • YOU CAN CHOOSE:

□ Solid nuts of bronze or engineered resins offering quiet performance at the lowest cost; anti-backlash available

Ball nuts offer positioning accuracy and repeatability with longer life: low-backlash available





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# **TOLOMATIC...LINEAR SOLUTIONS MADE EASY**

#### ◆EXTERNAL BUMPERS●

•Bumpers protect the screw and nut assembly from damage at end of stroke

#### ⇒LIGHTWEIGHT ALUMINUM DESIGN ○

- •Black anodized extrusion design is optimized for rigidity and strength
- •External switch channels on both sides allow easy placement and adjustment of position indicating switches

#### ⇒STAINLESS STEEL SEALING BAND

- •Prevents contaminants from entering the screw and nut area for prolonged life
- Fatigue resistant stainless steel bands are specifically made to offer long life and will not elongate



### →T-SLOT MOUNTING∘

- Actuator base has two T-Slot channels running the entire length for secure mounting
- •Table includes two T-Slot channels for easy attachment of any load

#### • YOUR MOTOR HERE • You can choose:

□ Motor or gearbox supplied and installed by Tolomatic

- □ Specify the device to be installed and actuator ships with proper mounting hardware
- □ Specify and ship your device to Tolomatic for factory installation
- LMI (inline) motor mount only



#### **CARRIER OPTIONS**

□ **AUXILIARY CARRIER** Doubles the load capacity and increases bending moments capacity significantly

#### **METRIC OPTION**

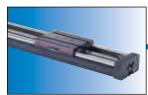
Provides metric tapped holes for mounting of load to carrier and of actuator

#### **SWITCHES**

Styles include: reed, hall-effect or triac. Select either 5m potted cable with flying leads or 150mm to quick-disconnect coupler with mating 5m cable



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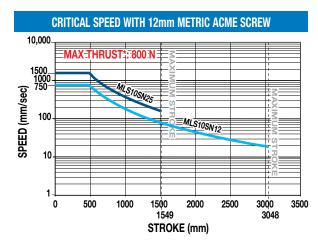


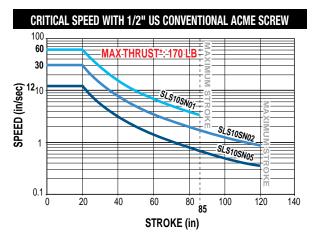
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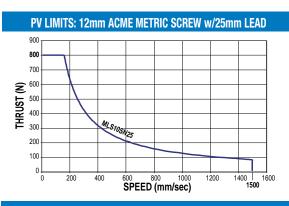
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#### SLS/MLS10 ACME SCREW CRITICAL SPEED AND PV LIMITS







PV LIMITS: 12mm ACME METRIC SCREW w/12mm LEAD 900 800 700 600 **THRUST (N)** 500 400 MLS10SN12 300 200 100 0, 0 700 750 100 200 300 400 500 SPEED (mm/sec) 600 800

SN = Solid Nut SNA = Solid Anti-backlash Nut

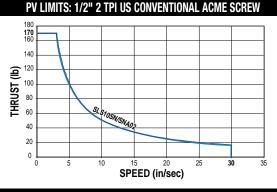
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#### \* Maximum thrust is the maximum continuous dynamic thrust subject to Thrust x Velocity limitation.

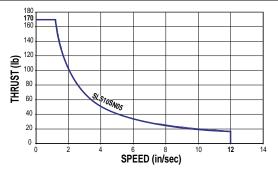
PV LIMITS: Any material which carries a sliding load is limited by heat buildup. The factors that affect heat generation rate in an application are the pressure on the nut in pounds per square inch and the surface velocity in feet per minute. The product of these factors provides a measure of the severity of an application.

 $\begin{array}{c|c} P & x & V & \leq 0.1 \\ \left( \frac{\text{Thrust}}{(\text{Max. Thrust Rating})} \right) x & \left( \frac{\text{Speed}}{(\text{Max. Speed Rating})} \right) & \leq 0.1 \end{array}$ 

PV LIMITS: 1/2" 1 TPI US CONVENTIONAL ACME SCREW

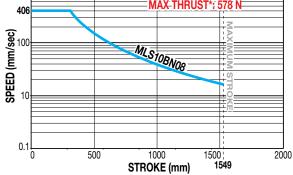


PV LIMITS: 1/2" 5 TPI US CONVENTIONAL ACME SCREW

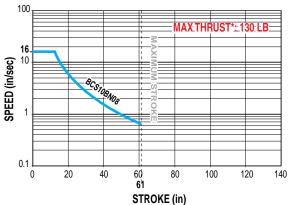


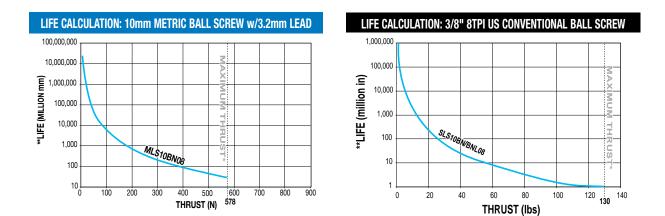
### **BALL SCREW SPECIFICATIONS**

# SLS/MLS10 BALL SCREW SPECIFICATIONS CRITICAL SPEED WITH 10mm METRIC BALL SCREW CRITICA 1000 MAX-THRUST\*: 578 N



#### CRITICAL SPEED WITH 3/8" US CONVENTIONAL BALL SCREW





#### BN = Ball Nut

\* Maximum thrust reflects 90% reliability for 25 million linear millimeters of travel.

\*\*Life indicates theoretical maximum life of screw only, under ideal conditions and does not indicate expected life of actuator.



### **SPECIFICATIONS**

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#### SPECIFICATIONS RELATED TO ACTUATOR SIZE AND SCREW SELECTION

METRIC LEAD SCREWS										
ACTUATOR	ACTUATOR SCREW SCREW LEAD LEAD BACKLASH MAXIMUM MAXIMUM INERTIA (kg-m <sup>2</sup> x 10 <sup>-6</sup> )							g-m² x 10 <sup>-6</sup> )	BREAKAWAY	
SERIES	DIA.	TYPE	(mm/	ACCURACY	DAUNLAUII	THRUST	STROKE	BASE ACTUATOR	PER/mm	TORQUE
OLINEO	(mm)		turn)	(mm/300)	(mm)	(N)	(mm)	In Line	OF STROKE	(N-m)
	10	BN	3.2	0.13	0.38	578	1549	37.50	3.47	0.12
MLS10	10	BNL	3.2	0.13	0.05	578	1549	37.50	3.47	0.12
MEOTO	12	SN	12	0.13	0.18	800	3048	6.49	0.41	0.17
	12	SN	25	0.13	0.18	800	1626	15.01	0.41	0.17

	US CONVENTIONAL LEAD SCREWS										
ACTUATOR	ACTUATOR SCREW		TPI LEAD		BACKLASH	MAXIMUM	MAXIMUM	INERTI	BREAKAWAY		
SERIES	DIA.	SCREW Type	(turns/	ACCURACY	DAVINEAUT	THRUST*		BASE ACTUATOR	PER/in	TORQUE	
OLINEO	(in)		in)	(in/ft)	(in)	(lb) (in	(in)	In Line	OF STROKE	(lb-in)	
	0.375	BN	08	0.004	0.015	130	61	0.0054	0.0005	1.063	
	0.375	BNL	08	0.004	0.002	130	61	0.0054	0.0005	1.063	
SLS10	0.500	SN	01	0.006	0.007	170	85	0.0554	0.0017	1.875	
02010	0.500	SN	02	0.005	0.007	170	120	0.0262	0.0017	1.438	
	0.500	SNA	02	0.005	0.003	170	120	0.0262	0.0017	1.438	
	0.500	SN	05	0.006	0.007	170	120	0.0180	0.0017	1.250	

#### SCREW CODE DESCRIPTION SN Solid Nut

SNA Sona Nat SNA Anti-backlash Solid Nut BN Ball Nut BNL Low-Backlash Ball Nut



Contact Tolomatic for higher accuracy and lower backlash options. \* For Acme screws, maximum thrust is the maximum continuous dynamic thrust subject to Thrust x Velocity limitation. For ball screws, maximum thrust reflects 90% reliability for 25 million linear millimeters of travel.

#### **GENERAL ACTUATOR SPECIFICATIONS**

MLS METRIC ACTUATORS									
ACTUATOR Series	CARRIER WEIGHT (kg)	BASE WEIGHT (kg) (Including Carrier)	WEIGHT PER/IN Of Stroke (g)	TEMPERATURE Range (C°)	IP RATING**				
MLS10	0.69	2.74	7.23	4-54	44				

SLS US CONVENTIONAL ACTUATORS								
ACTUATOR Series	CARRIER WEIGHT (Ib)	BASE WEIGHT (Ib) (Including Carrier)	WEIGHT PER/IN OF STROKE (Ib)	TEMPERATURE Range (F°)	IP RATING*			
SLS10	1.54	6.05	0.404	40 - 130	44			

 Heat generated by the motor and drive should be taken into consideration as well as linear velocity and work cycle time. For applications that require operation outside of the recommended temperature range, contact Tolomatic.

\* Protected against ingress of solid particles greater than 1mm (.039 in) and splashing water.

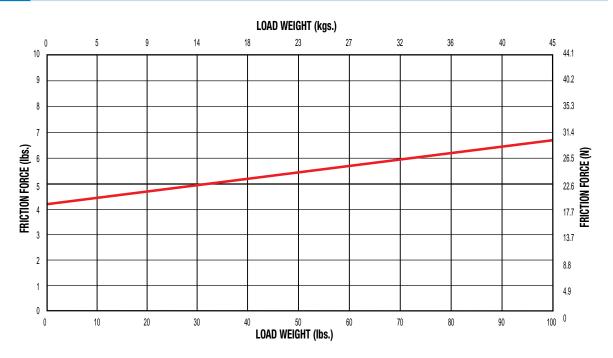
LARGE FRAME MOTORS AND SMALLER SIZE ACTUATORS: Cantilevered motors need to be supported, if subjected to continuous rapid reversing duty and/or under dynamic conditions.



## **SPECIFICATIONS**

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#### FRICTION FORCE



#### SUPPORT RECOMMENDATIONS



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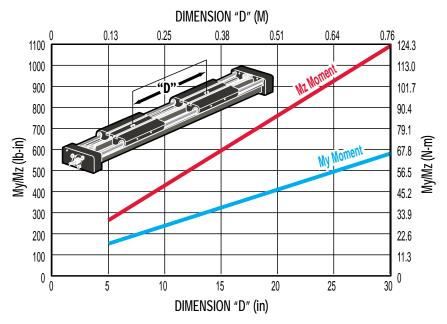
#### DYNAMIC BENDING MOMENTS AND LOADS

	MAXIMUM BENDING MOM	METRIC	US CONVENTIONAL		
STANDARD CARRIER			MLS10	SLS10	
Fz 1	Mx Moment (Roll)	( <mark>N-m</mark> : lb-in)	9.0	80	
MZ NZ	My Moment (Pitch)	( <mark>N-m</mark> : lb-in)	9.0	80	
Mx 2	Mz Moment (Yaw)	( <mark>N-m</mark> : lb-in)	14.1	125	
	Fz Moment (Lateral)	(N:Ib)	445	100	
AUXILIARY CARRIER: Increases rigidity, lo	oad-carrying capacity and n	noments	MLS10	SLS10	
Fz 1	Mx Moment (Roll)	(N-m : Ib-in)	18.1	160	
Mz	My Moment (Pitch)	( <mark>N-m</mark> : lb-in)	20.1	178	
Mx 7	Mz Moment (Yaw)	( <mark>N-m</mark> : lb-in)	31.3	278	
	Fz Moment (Lateral)	(N : lb)	890	200	
	Minimum Dimension 'D'	(mm : in)	169.7	5.5	

Breakaway torque will increase when using the Auxiliary carrier option. When ordering, determine your working stroke and enter this value into the configuration string. Overall actuator length will automatically be calculated.

\*Loads shown in table are at minimum "D" dimension, for ratings with longer "D" dimension see graph below

#### **AUXILIARY CARRIER: BENDING MOMENT AT 'D' DISTANCE**



Rates shown on charts were calculated with these assumptions:

2.) Load is equally distributed between carriers.

3.) Coupling device applies no misalignment loads to carriers.

 Customer must specify Dimension "D" (Distance between carrier center lines) in configuration string.



<sup>1.)</sup> Coupling between carriers is rigid.

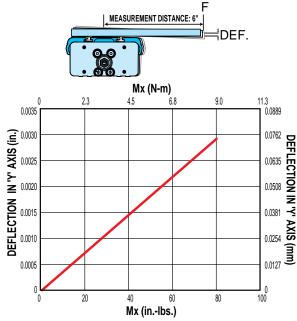
# **SPECIFICATIONS**

#### LOAD DEFLECTION

#### Y-AXIS DEFLECTION

#### Figures calculated with the following considerations:

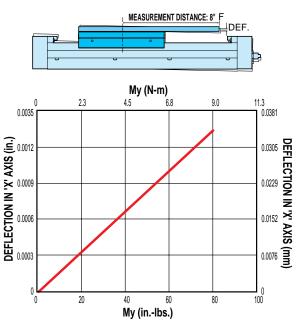
- 1.) Tube supports spaced at minimum distances for each bore size  $% \left( {{{\mathbf{x}}_{i}}} \right)$
- 2.) Measurement distance from F to center of carrier is 6 inches



#### **X-AXIS DEFLECTION**

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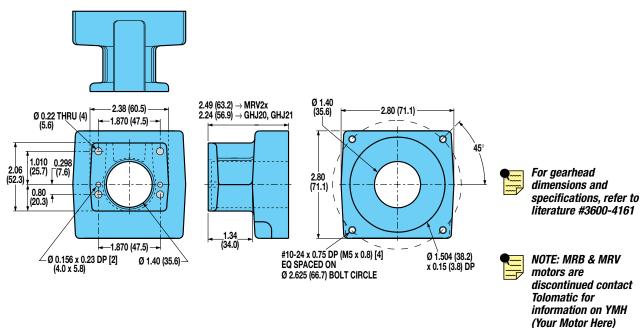
- 1.) Tube supports spaced at minimum distances for each bore size
- 2.) Measurement distance from F to center of carrier is 8 inches



### DIMENSIONS

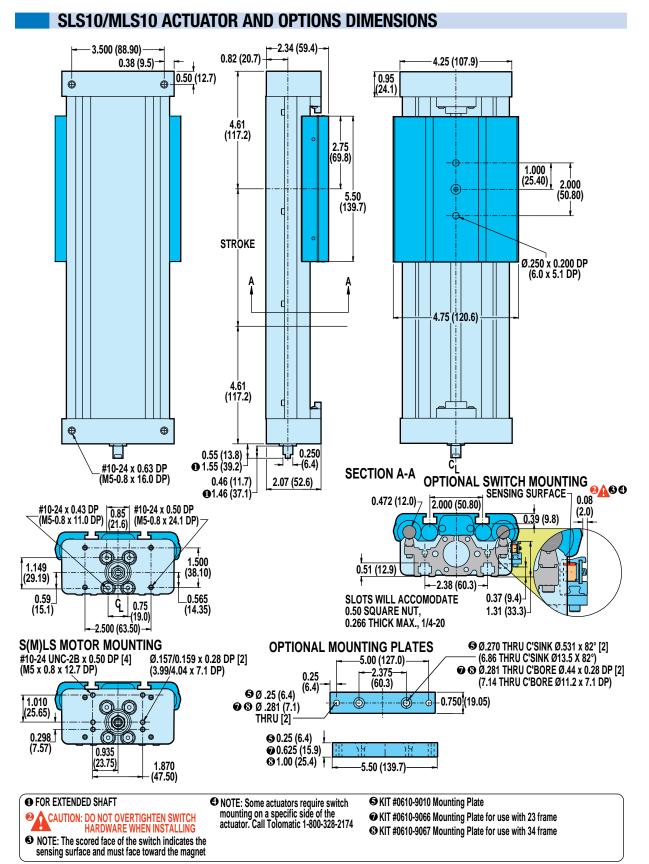
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### SLS/MLS10: IN-LINE MOUNT FOR BRUSHLESS MOTORS AND GEARHEADS



### **DIMENSIONS**

3D CAD available at www.tolomatic.com Always use configurated CAD solid model to determine critical dimensions



Unless otherwise noted, all dimensions shown are in inches (Dimensions in parenthesis are in millimeters)

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### **SWITCHES**



There are 10 sensing choices: DC reed, form A (open) or form C (open or closed); AC reed (Triac, open); Hall-effect, sourcing, PNP (open); Hall-effect, sinking, NPN (open); each with either flying leads or QD (quick disconnect). Commonly used to send analog signals to PLC (programmable logic controllers), TLL, CMOS circuit or other controller device. These switches are activated by the actuator's magnet.

Switches contain reverse polarity protection. QD cables are shielded; shield should be terminated at flying lead end.

If necessary to remove factory installed switches, be sure to reinstall on the same of side of actuator with scored face of switch toward internal magnet.

#### **SPECIFICATIONS**

		REE	D DC		REED AC		HALL-EFFECT DC			
ORDER CODE	RT RM		BT	BM	CT	CM	ΤT	ΤM	KT	KM
LEAD	5m	QD*	5m	QD*	5m	QD*	5m	QD*	5m	QD*
CABLE SHIELDING	Unshielded	Shielded+	Unshielded	Shielded+	Unshielded	Shielded†	Unshielded	Shielded+	Unshielded	Shielded+
SWITCHING LOGIC	OGIC "A" Normally Open		"C" Normally (	Open or Closed	Triac Norr	nally Open	PNP (Sourcin Op		NPN (Sinking)	Normally Open
MECHANICAL CONTACTS	Single-Pole S	Single-Throw	Single-Pole [	Double-Throw	Single-Pole	Single-Throw	NO,	These Are Soli	d State Compon	ents
COIL DIRECT	Ye	es	Y	es	Y	es		_	_	
POWER LED	None	TOL-O-MATIC	No	one	No	ine	None	TOL-O-MATIC	None	ICL-O-MATIC
	SIGNAL LED Red				None		Red			
OPERATING VOLTAGE	200 Vc	lc max.	120 Vo	lc max.	120 Vac max.		5 - 25 Vdc			
OUTPUT RATING			_		-	_	25 Vdc, 200mA dc			
OPERATING TIME	OPERATING TIME 0.6 msec max. (including bounce)		0.7 msec max. (including bounce)		_		< 10 micro sec.			
OPERATING TEMPERATURE			-40°F [-40°C] 1	to 158°F [70°C]			0°F [-18°C] to 150°F [66°C]			
RELEASE TIME		1.0 mse	ec. max.			_	—			
ON TRIP POINT			_		-	_	150 Gauss maximum			
OFF TRIP POINT			_			_		40 Gauss	minimum	
**POWER RATING (WATTS)	10.	0 §	3.0	) §§	10.0		5.0			
VOLTAGE DROP	2.6 V typica	l at 100 mA	N	A	_		—			
RESISTANCE	0.1 Ω Initial (Max.)				-	_	_			
CURRENT CONSUMPTION —		_		1 Amp at 0.5 Amp at 86°F [30°C] 140°F [60°C]		200 mA at 25 Vdc				
FREQUENCY			_		47 - 63 Hz —					
CABLE MIN. STATIC					0.630" [16mm]					
BEND RADIUS DYNAMIC					Not Reco	mmended				

#### A CAUTION: DO NOT OVER TIGHTEN SWITCH HARDWARE WHEN INSTALLING!

\*\* WARNING: Do not exceed power rating (Watt = Voltage X Amperage). Permanent damage to sensor will occur.

\*QD = Quick Disconnect; Male coupler is located 6" [152mm] from sensor,

Female coupler to flying lead distance is 197" [5m] also see Cable Shielding specification above

REPLACEMENT OF QD SWITCHES MANUFACTURED BEFORE JULY 1, 1997: It will be necessary to replace or rewire the female end coupler.



Reed Switch Life Expectancy: Up to 200,000,000 cycles (depending on load current, duty cycle and environmental conditions)

<sup>†</sup>Shielded from the female quick disconnect coupler to the flying leads. Shield should be terminated at flying lead end.

<sup>§</sup> Maximum current 500mA (not to exceed 10VA) Refer to Temperature vs. Current graph and Voltage Derating graph

<sup>§§</sup> Maximum current 250mA (not to exceed 3VA) Refer to Temperature vs. Current graph and Voltage Derating graph





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LOAD CURENT (

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120Vac

Max.

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**TEMP. vs CURRENT, AC REED** 

**OPERATING TEMPERATURE (°F)** 

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TRIAC

SWITCH

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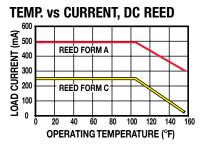
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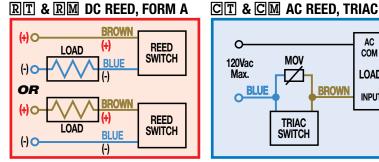
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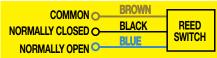
### PERFORMANCE



#### WIRING DIAGRAMS RT & RM DC REED, FORM A



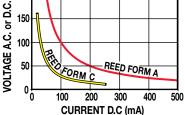
#### **BT & BM DC REED, FORM C**



#### TT & TM HALL-EFFECT, SOURCING, PNP KT & KM HALL-EFFECT, SINKING, NPN



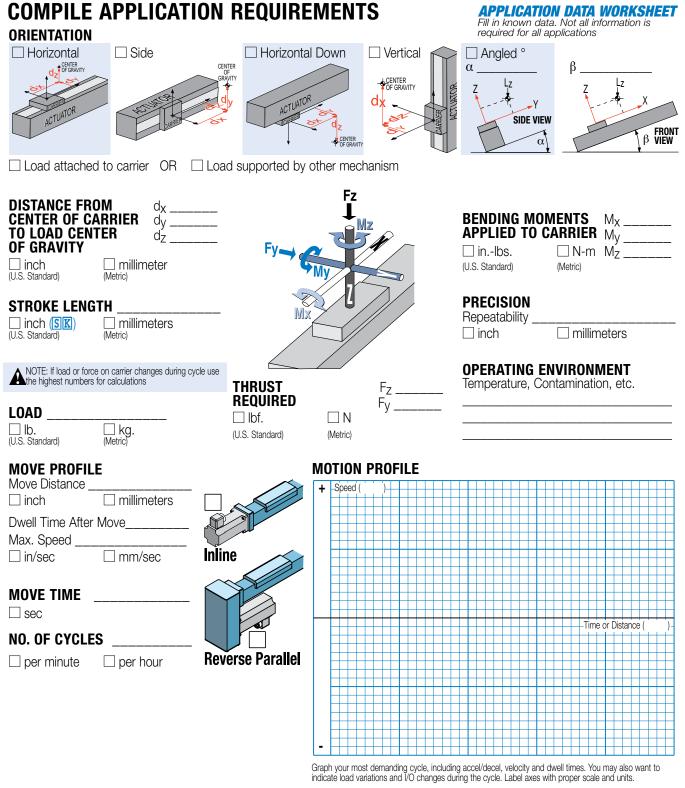
#### **VOLTAGE DERATING, DC REED** 200 150



#### **INSTALLATION INFORMATION**



A THE NOTCHED FACE OF THE SWITCH INDICATES THE SENSING SURFACE AND MUST FACE TOWARD THE MAGNET.





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### **SELECTION GUIDELINES**

The process of selecting a load bearing actuator for a given application can be complex. It is highly recommended that you contact Tolomatic or a Tolomatic Distributor for assistance in selecting the best actuator for your application. The following overview of the selection guidelines are for educational purposes only.

#### COMPARE LOAD TO MAXIMUM LOAD CAPACITIES

Calculate the application load (combination of load mass and forces applied to the carrier) and application bending moments (sum of all moments Mx, My, and Mz applied to the carrier). Be sure to evaluate the magnitude of dynamic inertia moments. When a rigidly attached load mass is accelerated or decelerated, its inertia induces bending moments on the carrier. Careful attention to how the load is decelerated at the end of the stroke is required for extended actuator performance and application safety. If either load or any of your moments exceed figures indicated in the Moment and Load Capacity table (pg. sls\_8) for the actuator consider:

1) Higher capacity bearing style

- 2) A different actuator style (B3S, MXE, etc.)
- 3) Auxiliary carrier
- 4) External guide system

#### **2**CALCULATE LOAD FACTOR LF

For loads with a center of gravity offset from the carrier account for both applied (static) and dynamic loads. The load factor (LF) must not exceed the value of 1.

 $L_{F} = \frac{Mx}{Mx_{max}} + \frac{My}{My_{max}} + \frac{Mz}{Mz_{max}} + \frac{Fy}{Fy_{max}} + \frac{Fz}{Fz_{max}} \leq 1$ 

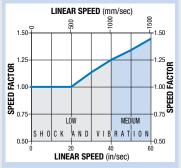
If LF does exceed the value of 1, consider the four choices listed in step #2.

#### **B**ESTABLISH YOUR MOTION PROFILE AND CALCULATE ACCELERATION RATE

Using the application stroke length and maximum carrier velocity (or time to complete the linear motion), establish the motion profile. Select either triangular (accel-decel) or trapezoidal (accel-constant speed-decel) profile. Now calculate the maximum acceleration and de-

#### **SPEED FACTOR**

FOR APPLICATIONS WITH HIGH SPEED OR SIGNIFICANT SHOCK AND VIBRATION: Calculated values of loads and bending moments must be increased by speed factor from the graph below to obtain full rated life of profiled rail bearing system.



celeration rates of the move. Speed should not exceed critical speed value as shown in graph (page sLS\_4-5) for the screw/nut combination chosen. Also, do not exceed safe rates of dynamic inertia moments determined in step #3.

# SELECT THE LEAD

Based on the application requirements for accuracy, backlash, quiet operation, life, etc. select the appropriate lead screw type (Acme screw with a solid nut or ball screw with a standard or anti-backlash nut) and the pitch (lead). For additional information on screw selection, consult "Which Screw? Picking the Right Technology" (#9900-4644) available at www.tolomatic. com.

#### 5 SELECT MOTOR (GEARHEAD IF NECESSARY) AND DRIVE

To help select a motor and drive, use the sizing equations located in the Engineering Resources section [ENGR] to calculate the application thrust and torque requirements. Refer to Motor sections [MRV] & [MRS] to determine the motor and drive.

#### DETERMINE T-NUTS/ MOUNTING PLATE REQUIREMENTS

- Consult the Support Recommendations graph for the model selected (page sLs\_7)
- Cross reference the application load and maximum distance between supports
- Select the appropriate number of T-nuts, and mounting plates if required for motor and adapter clearance.

### CONSIDER OPTIONS

- Choose metric or inch (US Conventional) load mounting.
- Switches Reed, Solid State PNP or NPN, all available normally open or normally closed



### **ORDERING**

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SN01

SN02

SNA02

SN05

BN08

BNL08

SN12

SN25

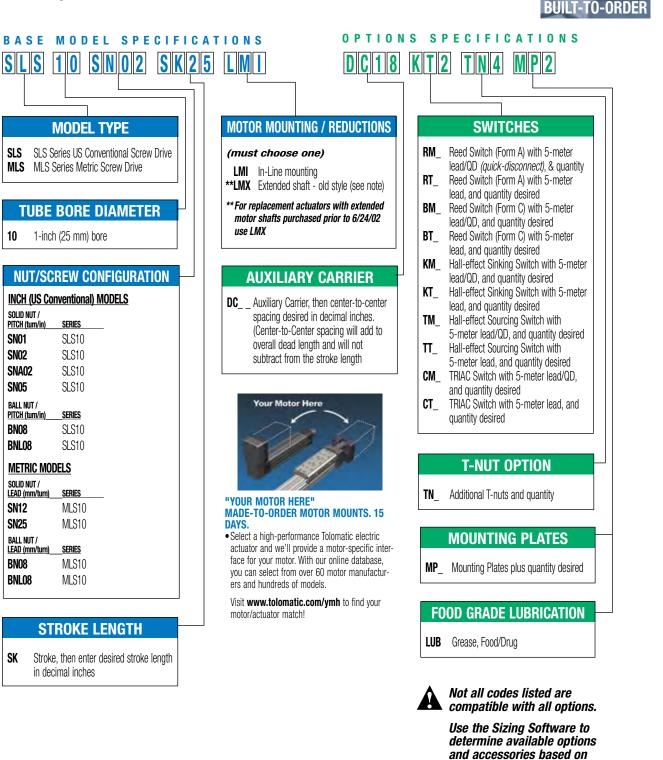
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BALL NUT /

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FIELD RETROFIT KITS							
ITEM SLS10 MLS10							
1/4" Mounting Plates	0610-9010	0610-9010					
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