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STOCK LIST - M18x1.5 Thread

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CUSTOM RUPTURE DISK
SPECIFICATION SHEET

SCREWDRIVER
SLOT STYLE

HEX HEAD
STYLE

NPT THREAD
STYLE

FLAT END
STYLE

1. STYLE - _______Screwdriver _______HEX _______NPT _______FLATS

2. BODY MATERIAL - _____304SS _______Other

3. DISC MATERIAL - ______Inconel _______Other

4. PRESSURE RATING - ___________ psig at ___________ °F

5. QUANTITY - ______________

6. DIM: _______H _______D _______D2 _______A _______B _______C _______L _______OAL

_______W _______G _______T(Thread) _______T2(Thread)
Extruder Rupture Disks with Burst Indication (option - BI) offers an inexpensive signal output when the disk ruptures. A plug is fitted at the discharge end. A small hole if drilled through the hex head where a small diameter teflon insulated signal wire is placed through. When a rupture disc discharges, plastic flow causes the plug to pop out and shear the signal wire. This sheared wire can be used to send a signal to the control system.

**BI** - Burst Indication Option

**ORDERING INFO**

Using stock - **Part# RP1206-7500** - 1/2”-20unf x 6"L + Hex, 7500psi

With BI option - **Part# RP1206-7500-BI** - 1/2”-20unf x 6"L + Hex, 7500psi c/w BI - Burst Disk option
MPI melt pressure transducer/transmitter tip spacers are often used on old extruder barrels where sensor tips are protruding into the melt stream. Transducer tips should be recessed from the inner extruder barrel wall by approximately 0.010”-0.020” to prevent excessive wear and early failure of transducer diaphragms. Our tip spacers essentially push the diaphragm back from the inner wall, as shown in the diagram.

Melt Pressure Transducer Tip Spacer Features

Compatible with Dynisco, Gefran, GP50, and other melt pressure transducers and transmitters

Available in thicknesses from 0.020” to 0.093”

Material options: copper, brass, stainless steel

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M18 to 1/2”-20UNF ADAPTOR

MPI - M18x1.5 to 1/2"-20UNF adapters can be used as an emergency replacement to convert a stock 1/2"-20UNF transducer/transmitter to fit in a M18x1.5 non-stock pressure port.

Available - standard stock.

TRANSDUCER HOLE PLUG

MPI - Transducer hole plugs can be used to close a transducer pressure port that is no longer required.

Material - 304SS

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MPI melt pressure transducer and transmitter mounting hole drill kits are used to make the highly precise holes that are required for proper pressure sensor and extruder rupture disk operation. Our drilling kits include tools for tip hole drilling, 45° seat surface, and thread tapping.

Drilling kits are available for the following threads: ½-20UNF, 5/8-11UNC, ¾-16UNF, M18x1.5, and M14x1.5. Custom thread options are also available.

Please note that the drilling should be performed with zero pressure in the system.

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MPI melt pressure transducer/transmitter mounting hole cleaning kits are used to clean plastic residue from dirty or plugged holes before installing pressure sensors or extruder rupture disks. Hardened plastic residue is one of the leading causes of failures of melt pressure sensors or extruder rupture disks. The hardened plastic residue can damage the fragile diaphragm on the tip of the pressure sensors and extruder rupture disks, and can make them ineffective.

Cleaning kits include tools for tip hole cleaning, 45° seat surface, and thread cleaning. Please note that the cleaning should be performed when the polymer is molten, with zero pressure in the system.

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MPI’s extruder rupture disks incorporate a standard Inconel burst disk. The Inconel disk allows the bursts plugs to be used over a wide temperature range with minimal burst pressure changes (a change of approximately 2% over the 300°F-600°F range). The chart below will help users estimate changes in rating based on temperature.

Note: The above chart is only valid for Inconel disk material. Other materials will have different derating curves.

Proper Placement
- Good Placement
  - Flush with inner barrel
- Plastic Flow

Poor Placement
- Poor Placement
  - Dead space creates area for product to harden and plug hole
  - Ineffective rupture disk
- Plastic Flow

To ensure proper operation, MPI’s extruder rupture disks must be installed correctly. They must be installed flush with the inner extruder wall with a small recess of approximately 0.020”. Too much dead space can allow the plastic material to harden and form a plug, which can cause the extruder rupture disks to be ineffective and create a safety hazard.
MPI Melt Pressure (MPI) is a customer needs-driven manufacturer of plastic melt pressure products that has been operating out of Toronto, Canada since 1999. MPI is staffed by engineers and technicians with an average of 20 years of industry experience. We work hard to ensure that all our products provide a worry-free experience.

MPI Melt Pressure offers products to directly replace models from Dynisco, Gefran, Gentran, Terwin, ISI, and GP50 with no wiring changes required.

Our huge, in-stock inventory helps minimize your downtime. 90% of orders are shipped same-day and delivered next-day to the United States and Canada. We also provide full engineering and technical support via telephone from 8am-4pm EST.

**Products manufactured by MPI Melt Pressure Include:**

- Melt Pressure Transducers
- Melt Pressure Transmitters
- Melt Pressure Digital and Mechanical Gauges
- Melt Pressure Indicators and Alarms
- Extruder Rupture Disks
MPI Melt Pressure has built Melt Pressure Transducers and Transmitters and Extruder Rupture Disks at our factory in Toronto, Canada since 1999. MPI engineers bring over 50 years of experience visiting and solving technical problems in the plastic extrusion industry in some of the most difficult environments. During this time we have experienced just about all the types of problems that can be encountered, and use this vast knowledge base to assist all our current customers.

Our philosophy is to provide cost competitive Melt Pressure Transducers, Transmitters and Rupture Disks with the quickest delivery and best technical support in the industry. Currently, 90% of our custom products ship out within 1-2 days. Our goal is to ship all orders the same day as we receive the order.

MPI provides full manufacturing operations in our Toronto plant including design, assembly, full testing and certifications in house. We have a fully trained manufacturing staff, with in house technicians and engineers available 12 hours, 5 days a week to aid customers with design selection and technical issues.

With continuous product development at our R&D lab we have implemented a Six Sigma philosophy with Lean manufacturing for continuous improvements. These continuous advancements translates to leading edge products with the best delivery for our customers.

Call MPI anytime you need Melt Pressure Transducer/Transmitter or Rupture Disks guidance or quick delivery of custom made products.