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ROW BALL BEARING IN CORROSION  
RESISTING STEEL, REDUCED INTERNAL  
RADIAL CLEARANCE AND THREADED  
SHANK IN TITANIUM ALLOY -  
DIMENSIONS AND LOADS**

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**Aerospace series - Rod ends, adjustable with self-aligning  
double row ball bearing in corrosion resisting steel, reduced  
internal radial clearance and threaded shank in titanium alloy -  
Dimensions and loads**

Série aérospatiale - Embouts réglables à rotule sur deux rangées de billes en acier résistant à la corrosion, jeu radial réduit et à tige filetée en alliage de titane - Dimensions et charges

Luft- und Raumfahrt - Einstellbare Ösenköpfe mit zweireihigem Pendelkugellager aus korrosionsbeständigem Stahl, reduzierte radiale Lagerluft und Gewindeschraft aus Titanlegierung - Maße und Belastungen

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## **Foreword**

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## EN 4035:2006 (E)

### 1 Scope

This standard specifies the characteristics of adjustable rod ends with self-aligning double row ball bearing in corrosion resisting steel with reduced internal radial clearance and threaded shank in titanium alloy, designed to withstand only slow rotations and oscillations under load.

They consist of:

- a rod end comprising:
  - circumferential groove to identify location;
  - either seals or shields;
  - an optional longitudinal groove for locking purpose;
- an inner ring with balls.

These rod ends are intended for use with flight control rods or rods for aerospace structures.

They are intended to be used in the temperature range: – 54 °C to 150 °C.

However, being lubricated with the following greases:

- very high pressure grease, ester type (code A), operational range – 73 °C to 121 °C or
- very high pressure grease, synthetic hydrocarbons, general purpose (code B), operational range – 54 °C to 177 °C (see EN 2067),

their field of application when lubricated with code A grease is limited to 121 °C.

### 2 Normative references

The following referenced documents are indispensable for the application of this document. For dated references, only the edition cited applies. For undated references, the latest edition of the referenced document (including any amendments) applies.

ISO 1132-1, *Rolling bearings — Tolerances — Part 1: Terms and definitions.*

ISO 3353-1, *Aerospace — Lead and runout threads — Part 1: Rolled external threads.*

ISO 5855-2, *Aerospace — MJ threads — Part 2: Limit dimensions for bolts and nuts.*

ISO 8075, *Aerospace — Surface treatment of hardenable stainless steel parts.*

EN 2067, *Aerospace series — Rod ends with self-aligning ball bearings — Technical specification.*

EN 2424, *Aerospace series — Marking of aerospace products.*

EN 2808, *Aerospace series — Anodizing of titanium and titanium alloys.*

EN 3289, *Aerospace series — Bearings, airframe rolling — Double row self-aligning ball bearings in corrosion resisting steel — Diameter series 2 — Dimensions and loads.*

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