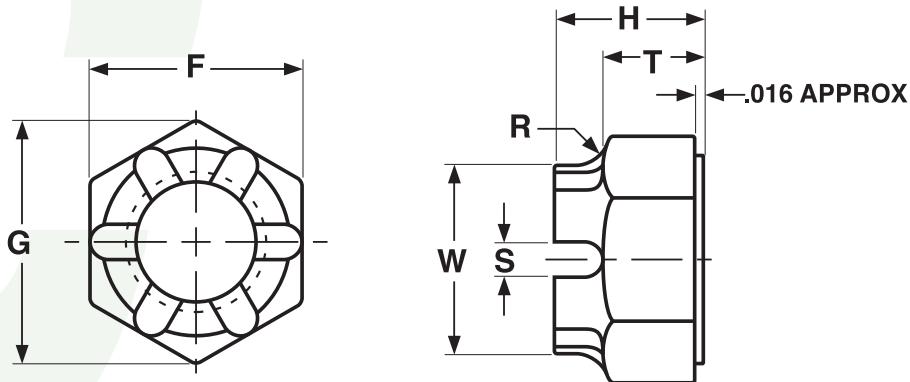


## HEX CASTLE

Carbon Steel



| HEX CASTLE NUTS                                |                    |        |       |                      |       |           |       |       |  |       |      |               |      |                  |                           |                               | ANSI<br>B18.2.2<br>1970 |  |
|--|--------------------|--------|-------|----------------------|-------|-----------|-------|-------|--|-------|------|---------------|------|------------------|---------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------|--|
| Nominal Size or Basic Major Diameter of Thread | F                  |        |       | G                    |       | H         |       |       | T                                      |       |      | S             |      | R                | W                         | Runout of Bearing Surface FIR |                         |  |
|  | Width Across Flats |        |       | Width Across Corners |       | Thickness |       |       | Unslotted Thickness and Height of Flat |       |      | Width of Slot |      | Radius of Fillet | Diam. of Cylindrical Part |                               |                         |  |
|  | Basic              | Max    | Min   | Max                  | Min   | Basic     | Max   | Min   | Nom                                    | Max   | Min  | Max           | Min  | +.010            | Min                       | Max                           |                         |  |
| 1/4  | 0.2500             | 7/16   | 0.438 | 0.428                | 0.505 | 0.488     | 9/32  | 0.288 | 0.274                                  | 3/16  | 0.20 | 0.18          | 0.10 | 0.07             | 0.094                     | 0.371                         | 0.015                   |  |
| 5/16   | 0.3125             | 1/2    | 0.500 | 0.489                | 0.577 | 0.557     | 21/64 | 0.336 | 0.320                                  | 15/64 | 0.24 | 0.22          | 0.12 | 0.09             | 0.094                     | 0.425                         | 0.016                   |  |
| 3/8  | 0.3750             | 9/16   | 0.562 | 0.551                | 0.650 | 0.628     | 13/32 | 0.415 | 0.398                                  | 9/32  | 0.29 | 0.27          | 0.15 | 0.12             | 0.094                     | 0.478                         | 0.017                   |  |
| 7/16   | 0.4375             | 11/16  | 0.688 | 0.675                | 0.794 | 0.768     | 29/64 | 0.463 | 0.444                                  | 19/64 | 0.31 | 0.29          | 0.15 | 0.12             | 0.094                     | 0.582                         | 0.018                   |  |
| 1/2  | 0.5000             | 3/4    | 0.750 | 0.736                | 0.866 | 0.840     | 9/16  | 0.573 | 0.552                                  | 13/32 | 0.42 | 0.40          | 0.18 | 0.15             | 0.125                     | 0.637                         | 0.019                   |  |
| 9/16   | 0.5625             | 7/8    | 0.875 | 0.861                | 1.010 | 0.982     | 39/64 | 0.621 | 0.598                                  | 27/64 | 0.43 | 0.41          | 0.18 | 0.15             | 0.156                     | 0.744                         | 0.020                   |  |
| 5/8  | 0.6250             | 15/16  | 0.938 | 0.922                | 1.083 | 1.051     | 23/32 | 0.731 | 0.706                                  | 1/2   | 0.51 | 0.49          | 0.24 | 0.18             | 0.156                     | 0.797                         | 0.021                   |  |
| 3/4  | 0.7500             | 1-1/8  | 1.125 | 1.088                | 1.299 | 1.240     | 13/16 | 0.827 | 0.798                                  | 9/16  | 0.57 | 0.55          | 0.24 | 0.18             | 0.188                     | 0.941                         | 0.023                   |  |
| 7/8  | 0.8750             | 1-5/16 | 1.312 | 1.269                | 1.516 | 1.447     | 29/32 | 0.922 | 0.890                                  | 21/32 | 0.67 | 0.64          | 0.24 | 0.18             | 0.188                     | 1.097                         | 0.025                   |  |
| 1  | 1.0000             | 1-1/2  | 1.500 | 1.450                | 1.732 | 1.653     | 1     | 1.018 | 0.982                                  | 23/32 | 0.73 | 0.70          | 0.30 | 0.24             | 0.188                     | 1.254                         | 0.027                   |  |
| 1-1/4  | 1.250              | 1-7/8  | 1.875 | 1.812                | 2.165 | 2.066     | 1-1/4 | 1.272 | 1.228                                  | 7/8   | 0.89 | 0.86          | 0.40 | 0.31             | 0.250                     | 1.570                         | 0.033                   |  |

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|-------------------------|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|---|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| Description             | Similar to a slotted nut with the following exception: the slots are cut into a cylindrical portion that is equal in length to the slot depth and slightly smaller in diameter than the hex width.                 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |   |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Applications/Advantages | The slots are for the insertion of a cotter pin to secure the nut when used with a drilled shank fastener. The slotted and castle styles are both interchangeable with the slotted design now the preferred style. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |   |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Material                | <b>Carbon Steel</b><br>Nuts shall be made from a carbon steel which conforms to the following chemical composition requirements--  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | <b>Grade-5</b><br>SAE 1010 - 1022 steel |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Hardness                | Rockwell C32 maximum   |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |   |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Proof Load              | -  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |   |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Plating                 | See Appendix-A for plating information.  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |   |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

\* NOTE: There is no industry standard for Grade-5 Castle nut performance. These values are offered as a recommendation. Parts should be tested in actual applications before making final evaluations for suitability.