



# LIVE AND DEAD CENTERS

ROYAL MAKES THE BEST LIVE CENTERS ON EARTH



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PRODUCTS

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# WHY DO TOP MANUFACTURERS INSIST ON ROYAL LIVE CENTERS?

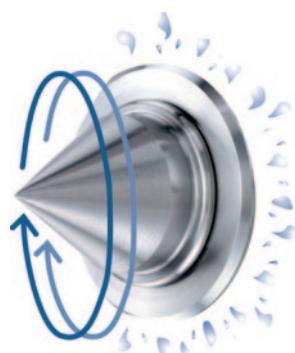


Royal live centers are widely regarded by top metalworking professionals as the best live centers available anywhere in the world. Each Royal live center is a finely crafted tool, incorporating the highest quality steels, bearings, lubricants and seals. Manufactured to exacting tolerances, Royal live centers are guaranteed accurate to **± 0.00005" TIR** or better.

Royal Products offers a broad range of standard live center models to suit virtually all turning applications. We also design and build hundreds of custom centers each year to meet special customer requirements. Custom live centers from Royal Products are competitively priced and are held to the same high manufacturing tolerances as our standard models.

# EXCLUSIVE ROTO-SHIELD™ TECHNOLOGY

Only Available on Royal Live Centers



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The new exclusive Royal Roto-Shield™ represents a **breakthrough in live center technology**, significantly increasing the effective operating life.

Royal Roto-Shield™ Technology consists of two main components:

- A live center point machined from a solid bar which incorporates a specially-shaped steel coolant slinger.
- A long-life, spring-loaded seal that is resistant to abrasion, high temperatures, and virtually all metalworking fluids.

A **dramatic increase in operating life** is achieved through the following effects:

- Coolant is deflected, keeping it from penetrating the center.
- Bearings are protected from harmful fines and dust.
- Seal wear is minimized.
- Lubricating grease lasts longer and retains consistency.

**The Royal Roto-Shield™ is a standard feature on the following Royal Live Center models:**



- High Precision Quad Bearing
- High Precision CNC Quad Bearing
- Heavy-Duty Spindle Type
- Heavy-Duty CNC Spindle Type
- The Ultimate™ Multi-Tasking Center
- High-Speed Precision
- All "Standard Specials"

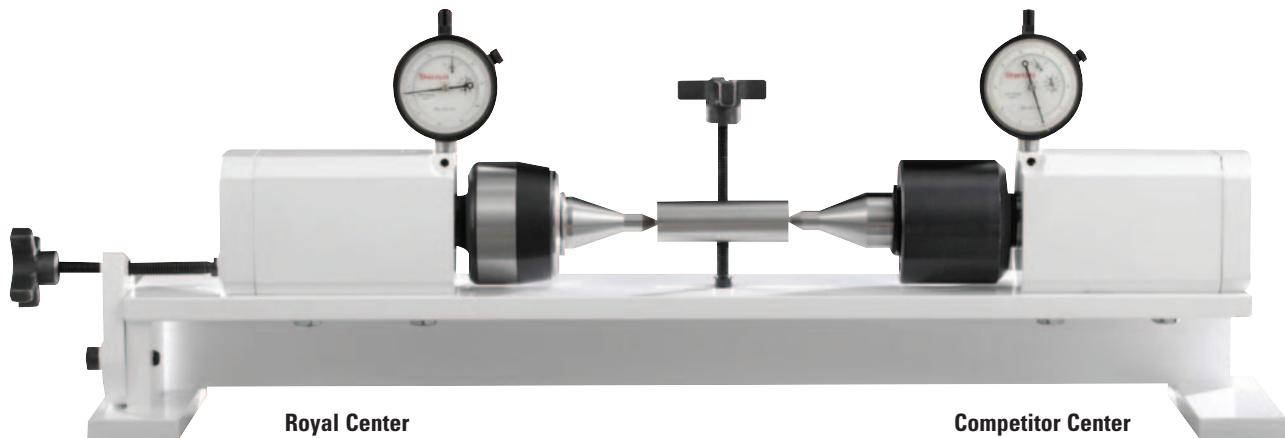


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# WHAT MAKES ROYAL LIVE CENTERS THE MOST RIGID?



One of the most common misconceptions regarding live centers relates to the internal length of the rotating point.

Some manufacturers believe that a long, thin point provides more rigidity than a short, thick point. But in fact, the opposite is true.

In order to verify that Royal's short, thick point provides superior rigidity over a long, thin point, we built the test fixture pictured above.

## Here's how it works:

- Both live centers have holes drilled in their shanks corresponding to the indicator locations.
- As radial force is applied evenly to the point tips by turning a centrally-located screw, the indicators are able to measure the internal deflection of each point.
- Almost immediately upon application of the load, the indicators show that **the competitor's point flexes 600% more than the Royal point!**

### Point Analysis of 4MT Spindle Type Live Centers



Royal Point

Other Brand Point

**D1 = Diameter of Royal Point = .603"**

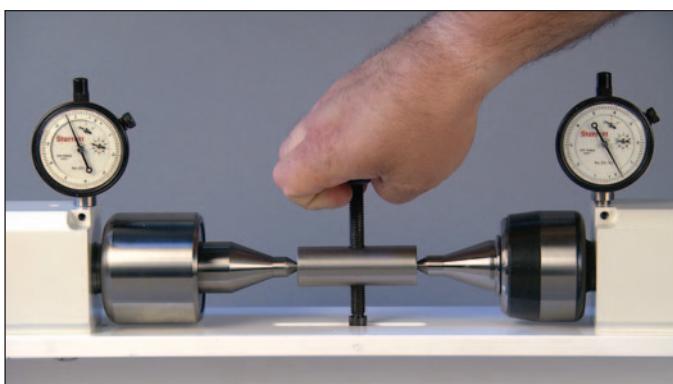
**D2 = Diameter of Other Brand Point = .465"**

**Cross-Sectional Area of Royal Point = .285 sq. in.**

**Cross-Sectional Area of Other Brand Point = .170 sq. in.**

The cross-sectional area of the point on the Royal Center is 68% larger than that of the other brand, making the Royal point much more rigid and less likely to deflect under load.

Royal's thick, beefy point offers superior rigidity, resulting in tighter part tolerances and chatter-free surface-finishes.



See the test in action at  
[www.livecenters.com](http://www.livecenters.com)



# One Size Does Not Fit All – So We Turned Special Centers Into Standards!

One of Royal's strengths as a leading live center manufacturer is our ability to design and build custom centers to address non-standard applications. However, there are two major **drawbacks that are almost always associated with custom-made centers: longer lead times and higher prices.**

As an ISO company dedicated to continuous improvement, we decided to see if it might be possible to categorize special centers according to their similarities, and then offer a few new standard models that could handle most jobs.

Our engineers analyzed the prints of hundreds of special centers that we had manufactured over several years, and the results were shocking – **over 90% of our customers' special needs could be covered with just five new point styles.** These are:



Full-diameter long point for shaft work and parts with large center holes.



A reduced-diameter long point for use when greater clearance is needed.



A small bull-nose point for use with tubes or parts with large center holes.



A female point with a 90° included angle for locating on O.D. part chamfers.



A male point with a 90° included angle for locating on internal part chamfers.

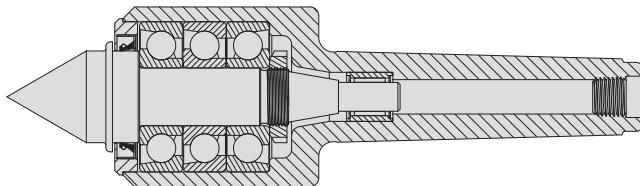


**See pages 124-125 for  
ordering information**

**Royal maintains a full inventory of each model to ensure same-day delivery, and because we manufacture them in quantity, they are very aggressively-priced.**



## ROYAL OFF-THE-SHELF "SPECIALS"



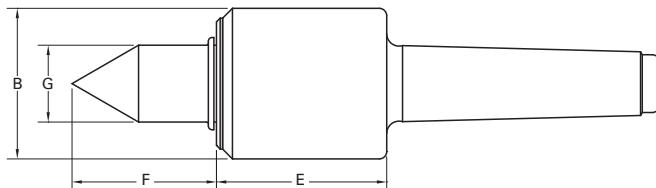
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Deciding which live center model to use as a platform for Royal's new off-the-shelf "special" program was easy. We chose the High-Precision Quad-Bearing model for the following reasons:

- 1- Very Rigid Bearing Arrangement
- 2- Exclusive Roto-Shield™ Technology
- 3- Low-Profile Head

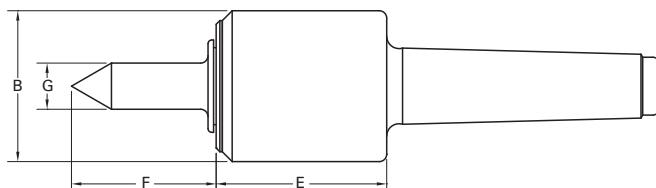
All Models In Stock for Immediate Delivery

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### Royal High-Precision Quad-Bearing Live Centers – Full Diameter Long Point

TAPER	B	E	F	G	MAX. SUGGESTED RPM*	WEIGHT OF WORKPIECE (lbs.)	THRUST LOAD (lbs.)	PART NUMBER	PRICE
2 MT	1.70	2.12	1.75	0.88	6,000	465	1,270	10478	\$1,295
3 MT	1.70	2.12	1.75	0.88	6,000	465	1,270	10479	1,295
4 MT	2.45	2.78	2.35	1.25	5,000	1,230	2,150	10480	1,610
5 MT	2.45	2.78	2.35	1.25	5,000	1,230	2,150	10481	1,685

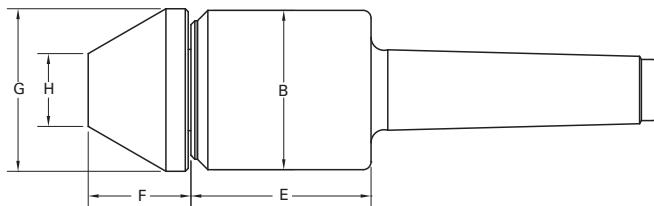


### Royal High-Precision Quad-Bearing Live Centers – Small Diameter Long Point

TAPER	B	E	F	G	MAX. SUGGESTED RPM*	WEIGHT OF WORKPIECE (lbs.)	THRUST LOAD (lbs.)	PART NUMBER	PRICE
2 MT	1.70	2.12	1.75	0.50	6,000	350	1,270	10482	\$1,295
3 MT	1.70	2.12	1.75	0.50	6,000	350	1,270	10483	1,295
4 MT	2.45	2.78	2.35	0.75	5,000	925	2,150	10484	1,610
5 MT	2.45	2.78	2.35	0.75	5,000	925	2,150	10485	1,685

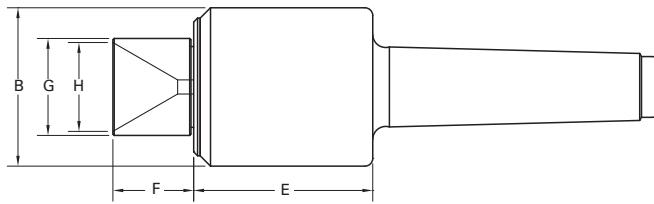
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# ROYAL OFF-THE-SHELF "SPECIALS"



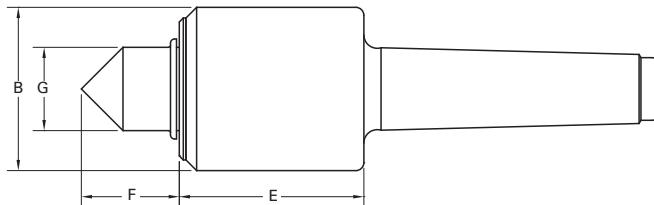
## Royal High-Precision Quad-Bearing Live Centers – Bull Nose Point

TAPER	B	E	F	G	H	MAX. SUGGESTED RPM*	WEIGHT OF WORKPIECE (lbs.)	THRUST LOAD (lbs.)	PART NUMBER	PRICE
2 MT	1.70	2.12	1.25	1.75	0.75	6,000	750	1,270	10490	\$1,330
3 MT	1.70	2.12	1.25	1.75	0.75	6,000	750	1,270	10491	1,330
4 MT	2.45	2.78	1.58	2.50	1.12	5,000	1,905	2,150	10492	1,685
5 MT	2.45	2.78	1.58	2.50	1.12	5,000	1,905	2,150	10493	1,785



## Royal High-Precision Quad-Bearing Live Centers – 90° Female Point

TAPER	B	E	F	G	H	MAX. SUGGESTED RPM*	WEIGHT OF WORKPIECE (lbs.)	THRUST LOAD (lbs.)	PART NUMBER	PRICE
2 MT	1.70	2.12	1.00	1.12	0.15-1.00	6,000	885	1,270	10494	\$1,295
3 MT	1.70	2.12	1.00	1.12	0.15-1.00	6,000	885	1,270	10495	1,295
4 MT	2.45	2.78	1.25	1.50	0.21-1.38	5,000	2,240	2,150	10496	1,610
5 MT	2.45	2.78	1.25	1.50	0.21-1.38	5,000	2,240	2,150	10497	1,685



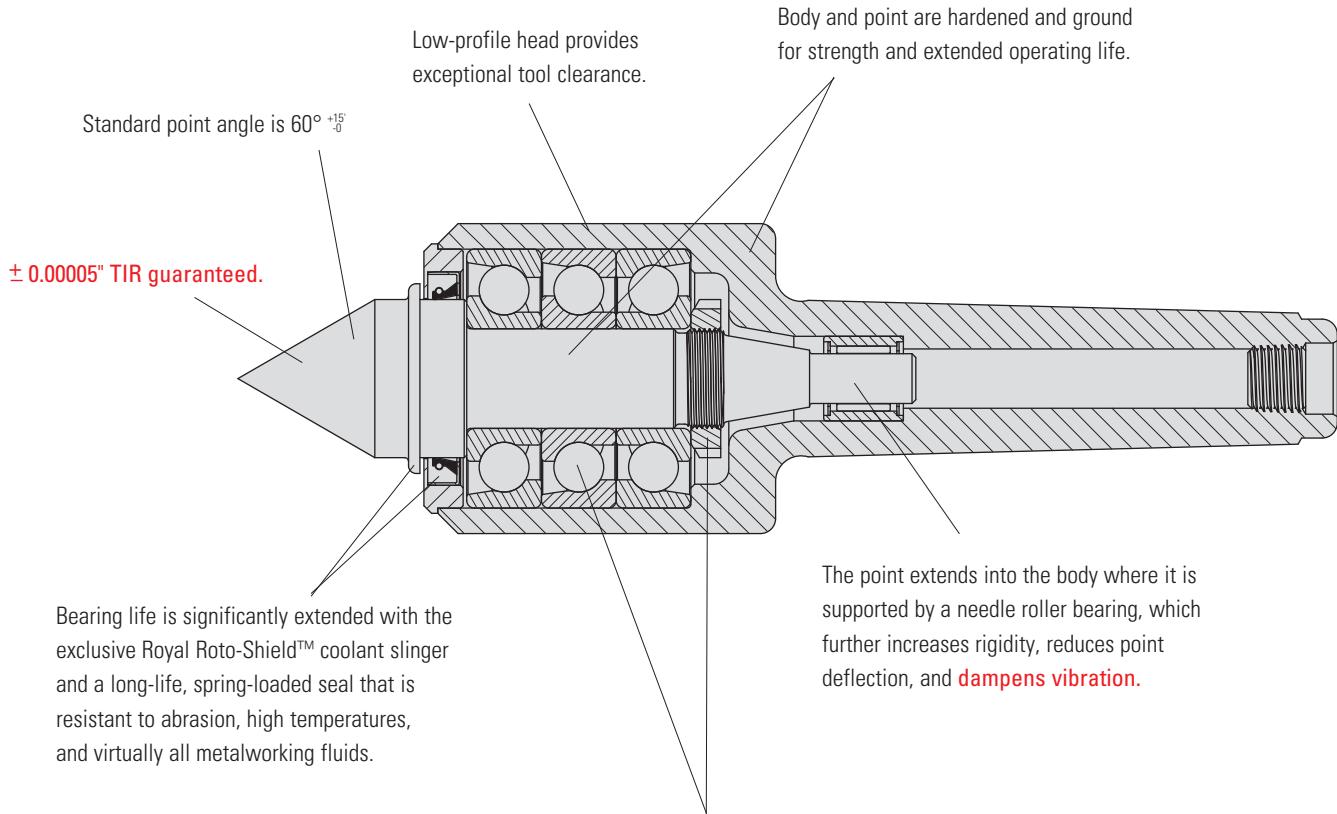
## Royal High-Precision Quad-Bearing Live Centers – 90° Male Point

TAPER	B	E	F	G	MAX. SUGGESTED RPM*	WEIGHT OF WORKPIECE (lbs.)	THRUST LOAD (lbs.)	PART NUMBER	PRICE
2 MT	1.70	2.12	1.07	0.88	6,000	885	1,270	10486	\$1,285
3 MT	1.70	2.12	1.07	0.88	6,000	885	1,270	10487	1,285
4 MT	2.45	2.78	1.47	1.25	5,000	2,240	2,150	10488	1,595
5 MT	2.45	2.78	1.47	1.25	5,000	2,240	2,150	10489	1,685

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## ROYAL HIGH-PRECISION QUAD-BEARING LIVE CENTERS



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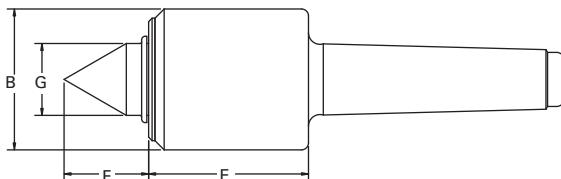
- An excellent choice for precision turning, grinding, and hard-turning.
- Precision, preloaded bearing assembly provides exceptional rigidity and accuracy.
- Low-profile head offers superior tool clearance.
- Exclusive Roto-Shield™ coolant slinger and upgraded seal provide outstanding bearing protection **for extended operating life.**
- Body and point are hardened and ground for strength and long life.

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## Royal High-Precision Quad-Bearing Live Centers - Standard Point

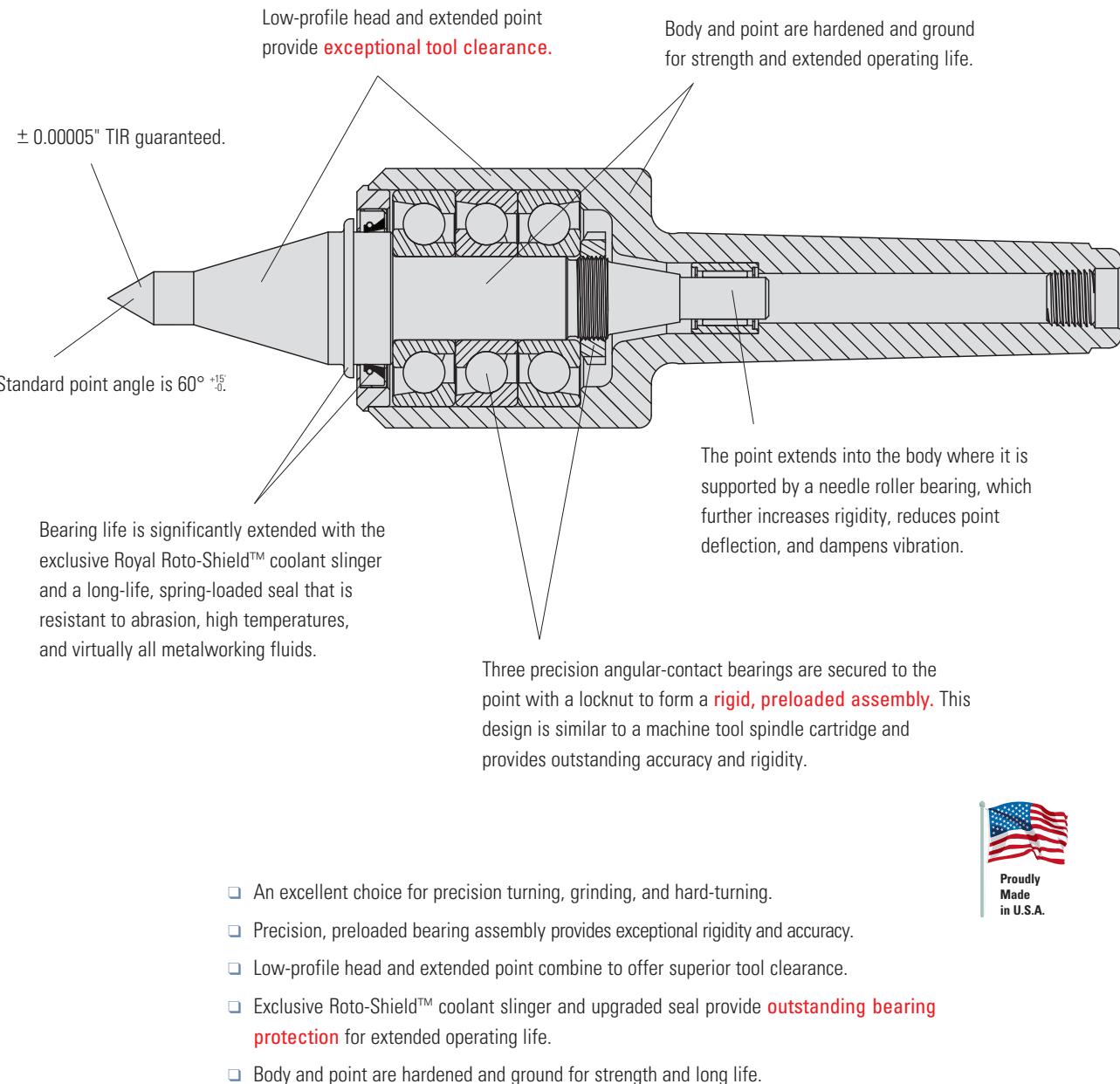
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2 MT	1.70	2.12	1.07	0.88	6,000	885	1,270	10412	<b>\$1,180</b>
3 MT	1.70	2.12	1.07	0.88	6,000	885	1,270	10413	<b>1,180</b>
4 MT	2.45	2.78	1.47	1.25	5,000	2,240	2,150	10414	<b>1,395</b>
5 MT	2.45	2.78	1.47	1.25	5,000	2,240	2,150	10415	<b>1,475</b>
5 MT HD	3.82	3.89	2.31	2.00	3,000	5,240	5,300	10445	<b>2,950</b>
6 MT HD	3.82	3.89	2.31	2.00	3,000	5,240	5,300	10446	<b>3,620</b>

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## ROYAL HIGH-PRECISION CNC QUAD-BEARING LIVE CENTERS

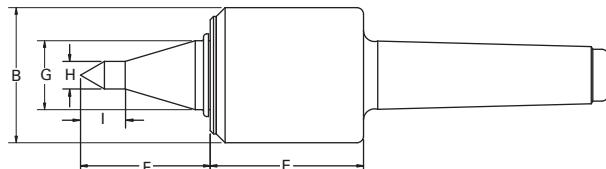


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## Royal High-Precision Quad-Bearing Live Centers – CNC Point

TAPER	B	E	F	G	H	I	MAX. SUGGESTED RPM*	WEIGHT OF WORKPIECE (lbs.)	THRUST LOAD (lbs.)	PART NUMBER	PRICE
2 MT	1.70	2.12	1.75	0.88	0.38	0.63	6,000	465	1,270	10662	<b>\$1,145</b>
3 MT	1.70	2.12	1.75	0.88	0.38	0.63	6,000	465	1,270	10663	<b>1,145</b>
4 MT	2.45	2.78	2.35	1.25	0.50	0.81	5,000	1,230	2,150	10664	<b>1,395</b>
5 MT	2.45	2.78	2.35	1.25	0.50	0.81	5,000	1,230	2,150	10665	<b>1,475</b>
5 MT HD	3.82	3.89	3.34	2.00	0.75	1.28	3,000	2,210	5,300	10475	<b>2,950</b>
6 MT HD	3.82	3.89	3.34	2.00	0.75	1.28	3,000	2,210	5,300	10476	<b>3,620</b>

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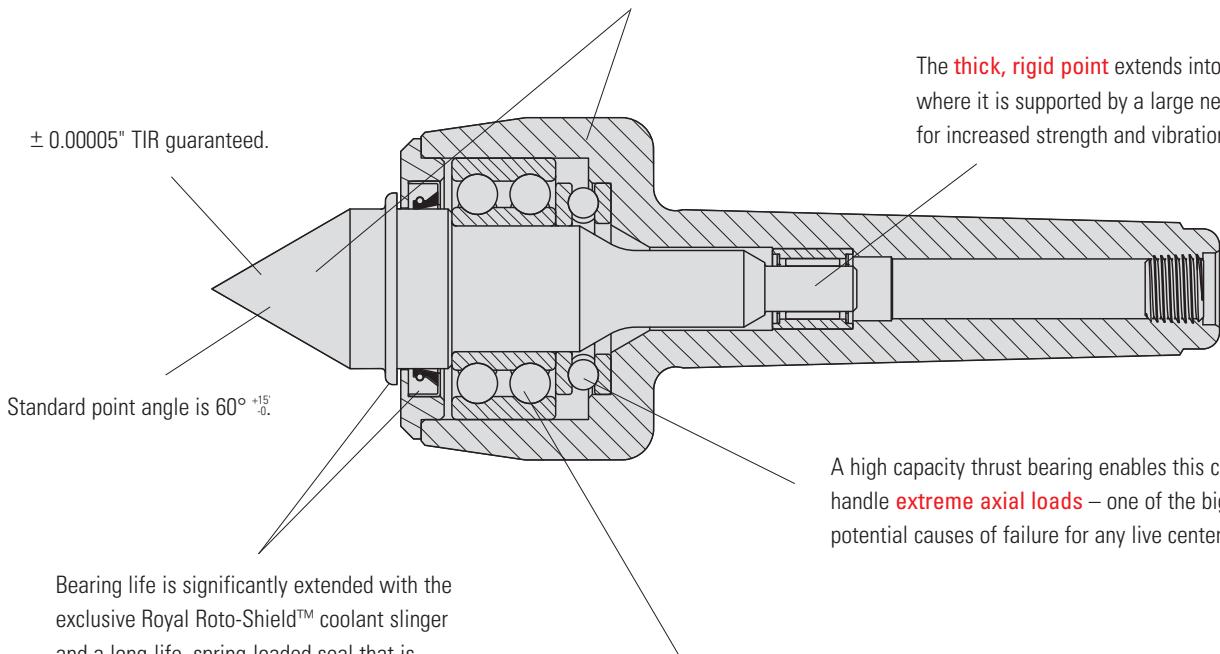
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## ROYAL HEAVY-DUTY SPINDLE TYPE LIVE CENTERS

± 0.00005" TIR guaranteed.

Body and point are hardened and ground for strength and durability.



Bearing life is significantly extended with the exclusive Royal Roto-Shield™ coolant slinger and a long-life, spring-loaded seal that is resistant to abrasion, high temperatures, and virtually all metalworking fluids.

The **thick, rigid point** extends into the shank where it is supported by a large needle bearing for increased strength and vibration damping.

A high capacity thrust bearing enables this center to handle **extreme axial loads** – one of the biggest potential causes of failure for any live center.

A precision, double-row angular-contact bearing provides high workpiece weight ratings for turning large, heavy parts. Smaller 2 & 3MT models are not typically used to support very large workpieces so they are instead equipped with a single-row bearing that turns more freely and allows for higher speeds.



- One of our most popular models – an excellent **heavy-duty live center** designed to handle almost all CNC and manual turning jobs.
- Heavy-duty precision bearings provide exceptional radial and thrust load capacities.
- The thick, rigid point extends into the shank where it is supported by a large needle bearing for increased strength and vibration damping.
- Exclusive Roto-Shield™ coolant slinger and upgraded seal provide outstanding bearing protection for extended operating life.
- Body and point are hardened and ground for accuracy and durability.

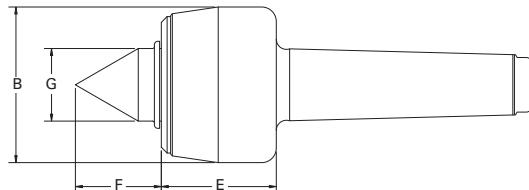
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## Royal Heavy-Duty Spindle Type Live Centers

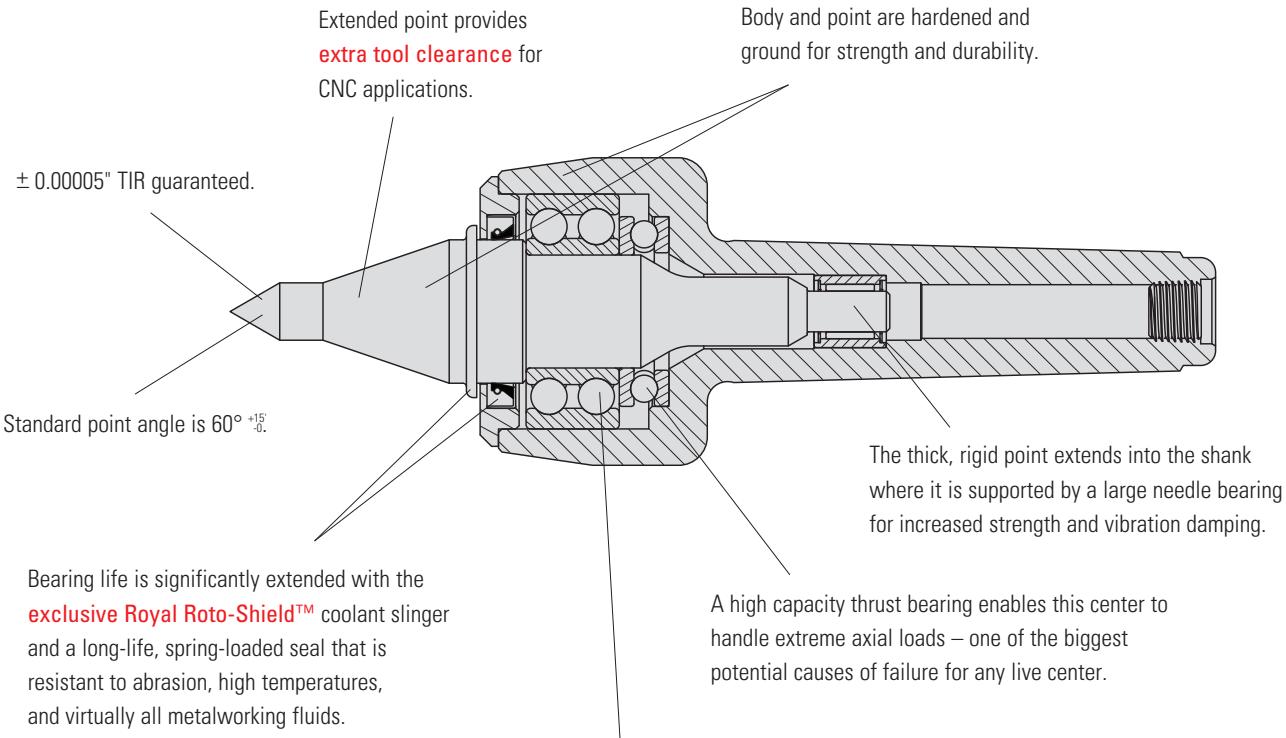
TAPER	B	E	F	G	MAX. SUGGESTED RPM*	WEIGHT OF WORKPIECE (lbs.)	THRUST LOAD (lbs.)	PART NUMBER	PRICE
2 MT	1.75	1.47	1.01	0.88	6,000	725	2,360	10102	\$982
3 MT	2.33	1.75	1.22	1.00	5,000	970	3,900	10103	982
4 MT	2.68	1.98	1.48	1.25	4,500	1,720	4,050	10104	1,285
5 MT	3.45	2.81	1.84	1.50	3,500	3,260	5,700	10105	1,760
6 MT	4.00	3.15	2.31	2.00	3,500	4,080	6,000	10106	3,295

\* Maximum recommended operating limit. Operating above this speed could result in heat build-up and accelerated bearing wear.

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## ROYAL HEAVY-DUTY CNC SPINDLE TYPE LIVE CENTERS



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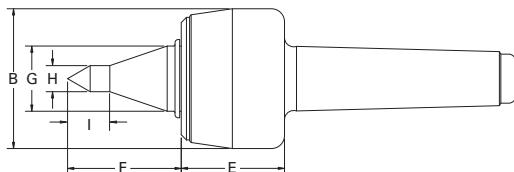


- One of our most popular models – an excellent heavy-duty live center designed to handle almost all manual and CNC turning jobs.
- Heavy-duty precision bearings provide exceptional radial and thrust load capacities.
- The thick, rigid point extends into the shank where it is supported by a large needle bearing for **increased strength and vibration damping**.
- Exclusive Roto-Shield™ coolant slinger and upgraded seal provide outstanding bearing protection for extended operating life.
- Body and point are hardened and ground for accuracy and durability.

# ROYAL HEAVY-DUTY CNC SPINDLE TYPE LIVE CENTERS



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## Royal Heavy-Duty CNC Spindle Type Live Centers

TAPER	B	E	F	G	H	I	MAX. SUGGESTED RPM*	WEIGHT OF WORKPIECE (lbs.)	THRUST LOAD (lbs.)	PART NUMBER	PRICE
2 MT	1.75	1.47	1.35	0.88	0.38	0.63	6,000	375	2,360	10212	\$1,035
3 MT	2.33	1.75	1.86	1.00	0.38	0.63	5,000	740	3,900	10213	1,035
4 MT	2.68	1.98	2.18	1.25	0.50	0.81	4,500	1,120	4,050	10214	1,315
5 MT	3.45	2.81	2.58	1.50	0.50	0.81	3,500	1,930	5,700	10215	1,760
6 MT	4.00	3.15	3.00	2.00	0.75	1.28	3,500	2,420	6,000	10216	3,395

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# ROYAL HIGH-SPEED PRECISION LIVE CENTERS

Up to 12,000 RPM!



Low-profile head and extended point provide exceptional tool clearance. Note – carbide-tipped point has a slightly different profile.

Body and point are hardened and ground for strength and extended operating life.

Lubricated with lightweight spindle oil instead of grease for **reduced turning resistance and lower operating temperatures**. A true high-speed live center capable of

$\pm 0.00005$ " TIR guaranteed.

Standard point angle is  $60^\circ +15^\circ -0^\circ$ .

Bearing life is significantly extended with the exclusive Royal Roto-Shield™ coolant slinger and a long-life, spring-loaded seal that is resistant to abrasion, high temperatures, and virtually all metalworking fluids.

Three precision angular-contact bearings are secured to the point with a locknut to form a rigid, preloaded assembly. This design is similar to a machine tool spindle cartridge and provides **outstanding accuracy and rigidity**.

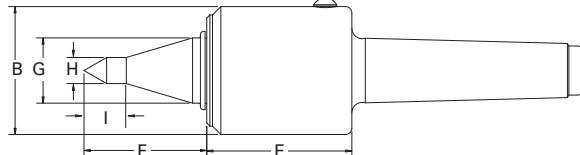
The point extends into the body where it is supported by a needle roller bearing, which further increases rigidity, reduces point deflection, and dampens vibration.



- A true high-speed live center – **up to 12,000 rpm**.
- Lubricated with lightweight spindle oil instead of grease for reduced turning resistance and lower operating temperatures.
- Precision, preloaded bearing assembly provides exceptional rigidity and accuracy.
- Low-profile head** and extended point combine to offer superior tool clearance.
- Exclusive Roto-Shield™ coolant slinger and upgraded seal provide outstanding bearing protection for extended operating life.
- Body and point are hardened and ground for strength and long life.
- Available in both steel and carbide-tipped point models.

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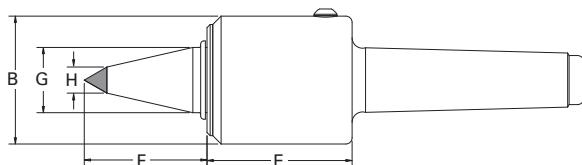
Up to 12,000 RPM!



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## Royal High-Speed Precision Live Centers (Steel-Tipped)

TAPER	B	E	F	G	H	I	MAX. SUGGESTED RPM*	WEIGHT OF WORKPIECE (lbs.)	THRUST LOAD (lbs.)	PART NUMBER	PRICE
3 MT	1.70	2.12	1.75	0.88	0.38	0.63	12,000	180	650	10683	\$1,525
4 MT	2.45	2.78	2.35	1.25	0.50	0.81	12,000	525	1,380	10684	1,815
5 MT	2.45	2.78	2.35	1.25	0.50	0.81	12,000	525	1,380	10685	1,880



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## Royal High-Speed Precision Live Centers (Carbide-Tipped)

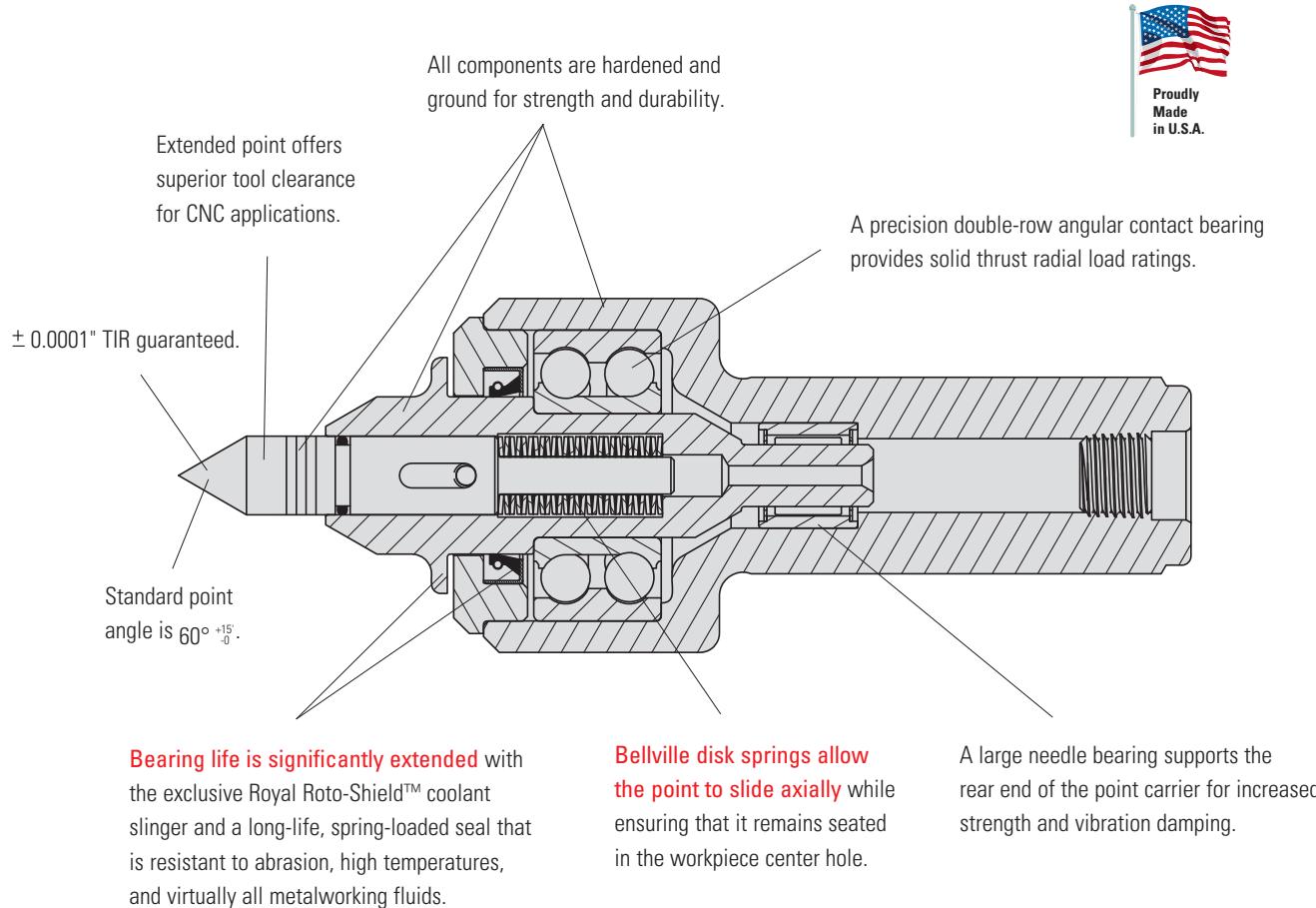
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3 MT	1.70	2.12	1.75	0.88	0.38	12,000	180	650	10693	\$1,695
4 MT	2.45	2.78	2.35	1.25	0.50	12,000	525	1,380	10694	2,070
5 MT	2.45	2.78	2.35	1.25	0.50	12,000	525	1,380	10695	2,140

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## ROYAL ULTIMATE™ MULTI-TASKING LIVE CENTER



### Spring-Loaded Point for Lower Turret and Sub-Spindle Applications

- Designed specifically for use on the latest multi-tasking **CNC machines with lower turrets and/or sub-spindles**.
- Spring-loaded point overcomes the lack of hydraulic compensation found on tailstocks, protecting lower turrets and sub-spindles from overloading and/or crashes.
- Much longer operating life than other spring-type live centers due to the outstanding sealing characteristics of the exclusive Royal Roto-Shield™ coupled with a long-life spring-loaded neoprene seal.
- Heavy-duty bearing configuration and **optimized spring-pak** make the Royal Ultimate™ the perfect choice for all multi-tasking machines.

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## Spring-Loaded Point for Lower Turret and Sub-Spindle Applications

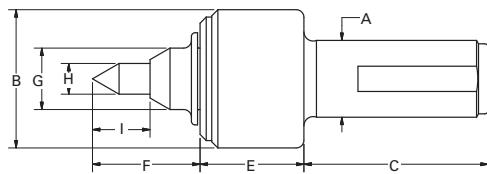


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TECHNOLOGY**

A graphical representation laser-marked onto the body of each Ultimate™ Multi-Tasking Live Center takes the guesswork out of the setup process by clearly identifying optimal working parameters.



SPRING PRESSURE lbs (kgs)	MAX WORKPIECE WEIGHT lbs (kgs)
206 (93)	355 (161)
159 (72)	275 (125)
110 (50)	190 (86)
58 (26)	100 (45)

## The Royal Ultimate™ Multi-Tasking Live Center

A SHANK STYLE	B	C	E	F	G	H	I	SPRING TRAVEL	MAX. SUGGESTED RPM <sup>1</sup>	WEIGHT OF WORKPIECE (lbs.)	THRUST LOAD (lbs.) <sup>2</sup>	PART NUMBER	PRICE
1 1/4 SS	2.25	3.00	1.69	1.75	1.00	0.50	0.94	0.25	5,000	350	200	10590	\$1,960

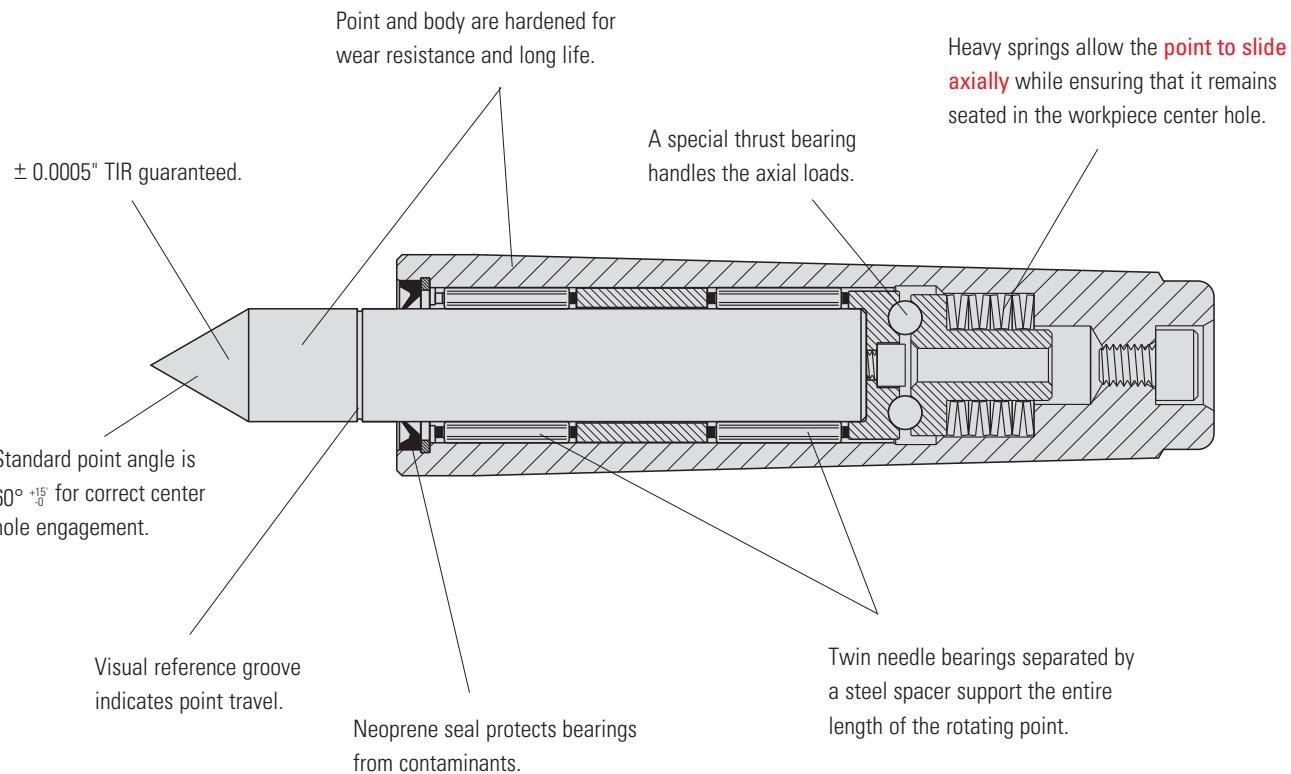
<sup>1</sup> Maximum recommended operating limit. Operating above this speed could result in heat build-up and accelerated bearing wear.

<sup>2</sup> Exceeding this value will bottom-out springs.

**Insist on Roto-Shield™ Technology – Only Available on Royal Live Centers**



## ROYAL SPRING TYPE LIVE CENTERS

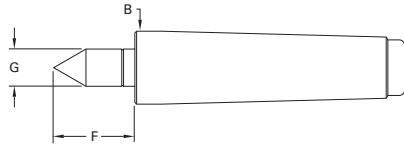


- Unique spring-loaded point compensates for workpiece thermal expansion.
- Low-profile design provides **outstanding tool clearance**.
- Available with standard and extended points.
- Can be used in the turret **of sub-spindle machines** to overcome a lack of hydraulic compensation.



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# ROYAL SPRING TYPE LIVE CENTERS



## Royal Spring Type Live Centers — Standard Point

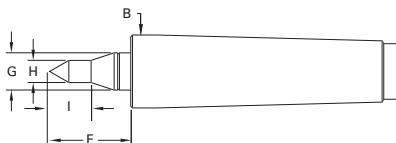
TAPER	B	F	G	SPRING TRAVEL	MAX. SUGGESTED RPM <sup>1</sup>	WEIGHT OF WORKPIECE (lbs.)	THRUST LOAD (lbs.) <sup>2</sup>	PART NUMBER	PRICE
2 MT	0.700	0.88	0.39	0.11	5,000	540	150	10522	\$1,135
3 MT	0.938	1.16	0.55	0.14	5,000	940	315	10523	1,135
4 MT	1.231	1.38	0.63	0.18	4,500	1,400	435	10524	1,355
5 MT	1.748	2.00	1.10	0.19	4,500	2,340	785	10525	1,990

## Straight Shank Models

1" Dia.	1.00	1.16	0.55	0.14	5,000	940	315	10526	\$1,135
1 1/4" Dia.	1.25	1.38	0.63	0.18	4,500	1,400	435	10527	1,355

<sup>1</sup> Maximum recommended operating limit. Operating above this speed could result in heat build-up and accelerated bearing wear.

<sup>2</sup> Exceeding this value will bottom-out springs.



## Royal Spring Type Live Centers — CNC Point

TAPER	B	F	G	H	I	SPRING TRAVEL	MAX. SUGGESTED RPM <sup>1</sup>	WEIGHT OF WORKPIECE (lbs.)	THRUST LOAD (lbs.) <sup>2</sup>	PART NUMBER	PRICE
2 MT	0.700	0.88	0.39	0.19	0.35	0.11	5,000	150	150	10532	\$1,195
3 MT	0.938	1.16	0.55	0.25	0.47	0.14	5,000	260	315	10533	1,195
4 MT	1.231	1.38	0.63	0.38	0.70	0.18	4,500	580	435	10534	1,430
5 MT	1.748	2.00	1.10	0.50	0.93	0.19	4,500	1,050	785	10535	1,990

<sup>1</sup> Maximum recommended operating limit. Operating above this speed could result in heat build-up and accelerated bearing wear.

<sup>2</sup> Exceeding this value will bottom-out springs.



## ROYAL VERSA-TURN LIVE CENTERS

Both sections of rotating point are guaranteed to  $\pm 0.00005$ " TIR and are ground to an included angle of  $60^\circ +15^\circ$ .

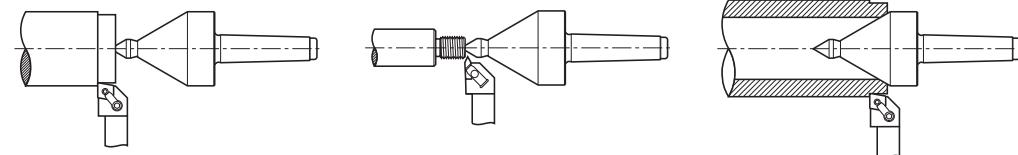
Two precision radial ball bearings give the Versa-Turn high RPM ratings.

Close-fitting head eliminates contact seal, resulting in an **extremely free turning** center. Great for thin parts that could bend under high thrust loads when using a stiffer center.

Extended front section of point is used for parts with standard center holes and provides excellent tool clearance.

Thrust bearing provides high axial load ratings for long operating life.

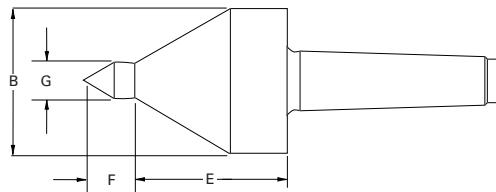
Rear bull-head section of point is great for tubes and parts with large center holes.



- An excellent **multi-purpose live center** designed to handle most common turning jobs.
- The Royal Versa-Turn™ is extremely free turning, making it an **ideal choice for thin parts** that could bend when subjected to high thrust loads.
- The unique design is really two centers in one, providing great value for cost-conscious manufacturers.



# ROYAL VERSA-TURN LIVE CENTERS



**Extremely Free Turning –  
Great for Thin Parts**

## Royal Versa-Turn Live Centers

TAPER	B	E	F	G	MAX. SUGGESTED RPM*	WEIGHT OF WORKPIECE (lbs.)	THRUST LOAD (lbs.)	PART NUMBER	PRICE
3 MT	2.13	2.22	0.74	0.50	5,000	330	2,160	10832	<b>\$809</b>
3 MT HD	2.50	2.60	0.93	0.63	4,000	685	5,000	10833	<b>912</b>
4 MT	2.50	2.60	0.93	0.63	4,000	685	5,000	10834	<b>938</b>
4 MT HD	3.38	3.15	1.12	0.75	3,500	1,165	5,700	10835	<b>1,280</b>
5 MT	3.38	3.15	1.12	0.75	3,500	1,165	5,700	10836	<b>1,340</b>

\* Maximum recommended operating limit. Operating above this speed could result in heat build-up and accelerated bearing wear.



## ROYAL “OIL COUNTRY” BIG-BORE BULL HEAD LIVE CENTERS

The major and minor diameters of each head extend above and below nominal sizing – enabling each head to **cover a wider range of workpieces**.



Large capacity modular heads securely locate on a precision tapered shaft for maximum accuracy and rigidity.

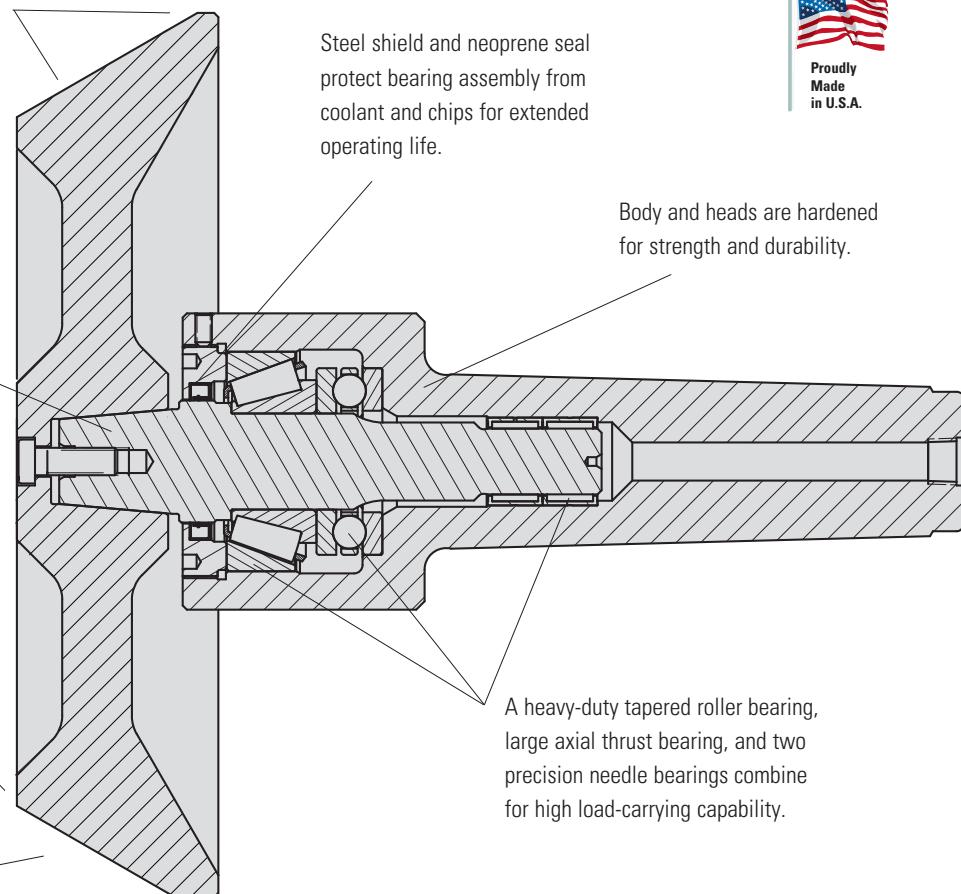
$\pm 0.00025$ " TIR guaranteed.

Head angle is  $60^\circ +15^\circ -0^\circ$  for proper part engagement.

Steel shield and neoprene seal protect bearing assembly from coolant and chips for extended operating life.

Body and heads are hardened for strength and durability.

A heavy-duty tapered roller bearing, large axial thrust bearing, and two precision needle bearings combine for high load-carrying capability.



- Designed **specifically for machining large diameter pipes for the oil and gas industry**, but suitable for all large-bore applications.
- In contrast to standard bull head live centers, the modular head design of Royal “Oil Country” Big-Bore centers positions the workpiece closer to the bearing assembly for greater rigidity and longer operating life.
- Interchangeable **heads are relieved to achieve the optimal strength/mass ratio**, and are sized to cover a wider range of bore sizes with fewer models.
- Bearing configuration consisting of a heavy-duty tapered roller bearing, a large axial thrust bearing, and two precision needle bearings provides exceptional accuracy and rigidity under the most demanding production conditions.

# ROYAL "OIL COUNTRY" BIG-BORE BULL HEAD LIVE CENTERS



## Specifications

TAPER	HEAD PART NUMBER	B	G	J	MAX SUGGESTED RPM*	WEIGHT OF WORKPIECE (LBS.)	THRUST LOAD (LBS.)
5 MT	10791	4.62	1.63	5.31	2,050	4,500	2,650
5 MT	10792	7.37	4.38	4.59	1,300	4,500	2,650
5 MT	10793	10.12	7.13	4.59	950	4,500	2,650
5 MT	10794	12.87	9.88	4.59	750	4,500	2,650
5 MT	10795	15.62	12.63	4.59	600	4,500	2,650

TAPER	HEAD PART NUMBER	B	G	J	MAX SUGGESTED RPM*	WEIGHT OF WORKPIECE (LBS.)	THRUST LOAD (LBS.)
6 MT	10791	4.62	1.63	6.57	2,050	11,000	3,500
6 MT	10792	7.37	4.38	5.85	1,300	11,000	3,500
6 MT	10793	10.12	7.13	5.85	950	11,000	3,500
6 MT	10794	12.87	9.88	5.85	750	11,000	3,500
6 MT	10795	15.62	12.63	5.85	600	11,000	3,500



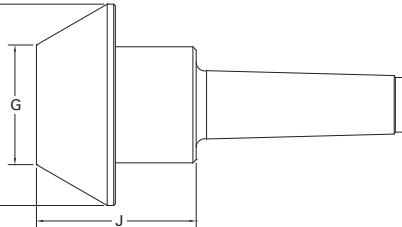
## Royal "Oil Country" Big-Bore Bull Head Live Centers

TAPER	PART NUMBER	PRICE*
5 MT	10782	\$2,290
6 MT	10784	3,350

\* Head not included. Order Separately.

## Modular Heads for Royal "Oil Country" Big-Bore Bull Head Live Centers

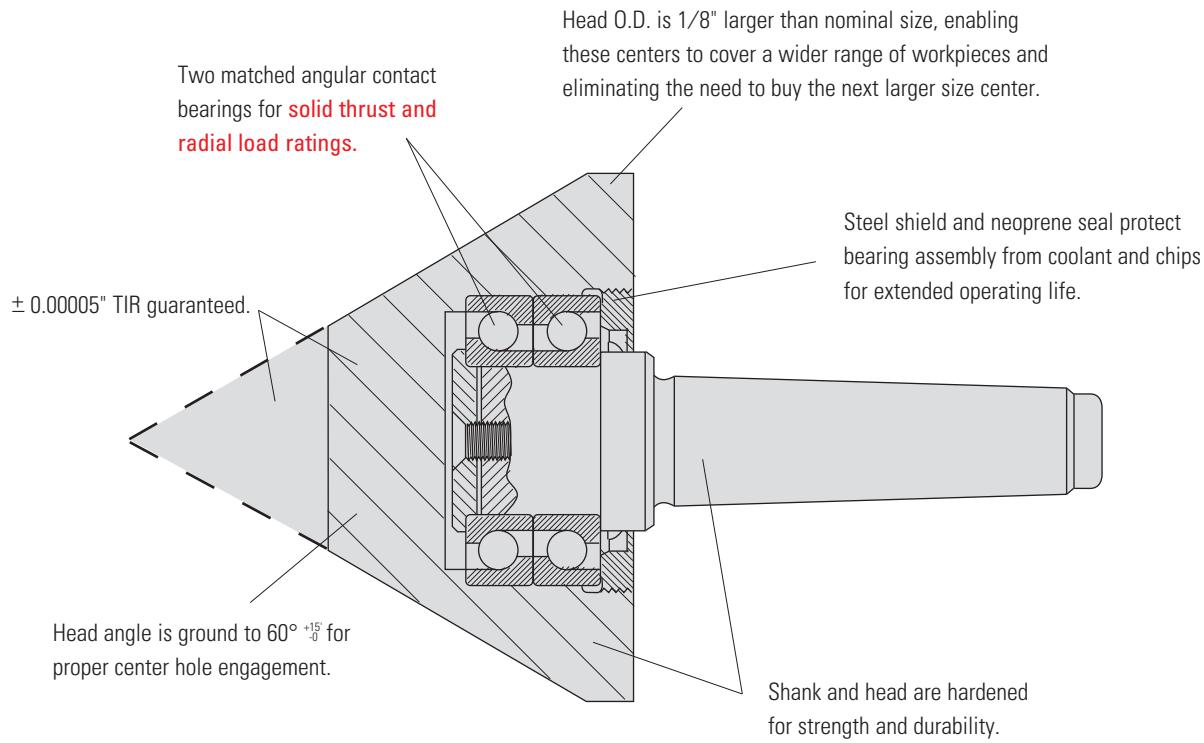
HEAD MODEL	B	G	HEAD WEIGHT (LBS.)	PART NUMBER	PRICE
A	4.62	1.63	7	10791	\$1,160
B	7.37	4.38	18	10792	1,810
C	10.12	7.13	33	10793	2,795
D	12.87	9.88	51	10794	3,995
E	15.62	12.63	65	10795	6,960



**"Oil Country" Big-Bore  
Bull Head Dead Centers  
Also Available – See Page 149**



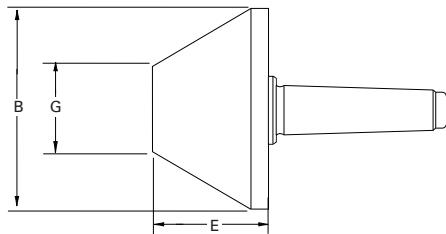
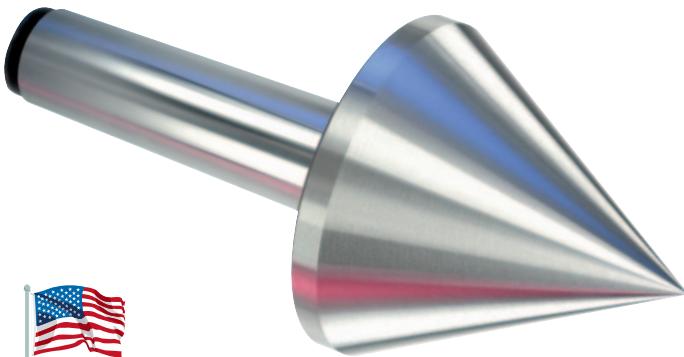
## ROYAL STANDARD PIPE & BULL HEAD LIVE CENTERS



- Designed for turning pipes, tubes, and parts with extra-large center holes.
- Two matched angular contact bearings provide good thrust and radial load ratings.
- Head diameter is 1/8" over nominal size, enabling these centers to cover a wider range of workpieces.
- Bull Head design is shorter than a pipe head, reducing potential interference in blind center hole applications and ensuring that the **load is positioned over the bearings for optimum strength.**
- Extra large capacity models also available – see previous page.



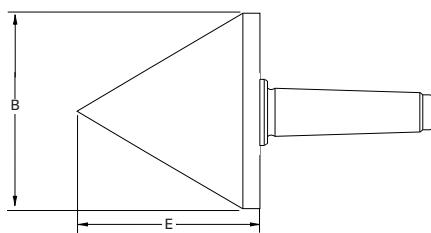
# ROYAL STANDARD PIPE & BULL HEAD LIVE CENTERS



## Royal Standard Bull Head Live Centers

TAPER	B	E	G	MAX. SUGGESTED RPM*	WEIGHT OF WORKPIECE (lbs.)	THRUST LOAD (lbs.)	PART NUMBER	PRICE
3 MT	3.15	2.52	1.00	5,000	615	1,780	10902	<b>\$1,495</b>
4 MT	4.15	3.01	1.25	4,500	860	2,550	10904	<b>1,880</b>
5 MT	4.15	3.01	1.25	4,500	860	2,550	10905	<b>1,880</b>
5 MT	5.15	3.17	2.00	4,000	1,145	3,450	10907	<b>2,320</b>
5 MT	6.15	3.60	2.50	3,500	1,450	4,500	10909	<b>3,225</b>

\* Maximum recommended operating limit. Operating above this speed could result in heat build-up and accelerated bearing wear.



## Royal Standard Pipe Head Live Centers

TAPER	B	E	MAX. SUGGESTED RPM*	WEIGHT OF WORKPIECE (lbs.)	THRUST LOAD (lbs.)	PART NUMBER	PRICE
3 MT	3.15	3.39	5,000	475	1,780	10702	<b>\$1,570</b>
4 MT	4.15	4.10	4,500	630	2,550	10704	<b>1,785</b>
5 MT	4.15	4.10	4,500	630	2,550	10705	<b>1,785</b>

\* Maximum recommended operating limit. Operating above this speed could result in heat build-up and accelerated bearing wear.

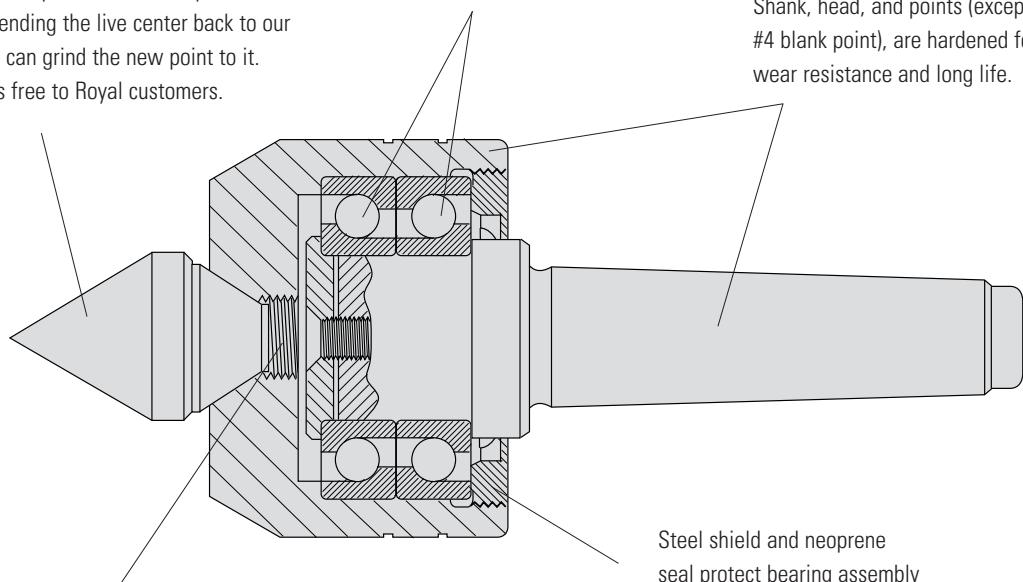


## ROYAL CHANGEABLE-POINT LIVE CENTERS

\*Accuracy is guaranteed to be  $\pm 0.00005$ " TIR as long as the points are installed on the live center to which they have been match-ground. When a customer purchases a new point, we recommend sending the live center back to our factory so we can grind the new point to it. This service is free to Royal customers.

Two precision angular contact bearings help achieve good rpm and load ratings.

Shank, head, and points (except #4 blank point), are hardened for wear resistance and long life.



Precision ground tapers and single-lead threads ensure that **points consistently seat in the same location** when they are interchanged, providing maximum accuracy.

Steel shield and neoprene seal protect bearing assembly from coolant and chips for extended operating life.

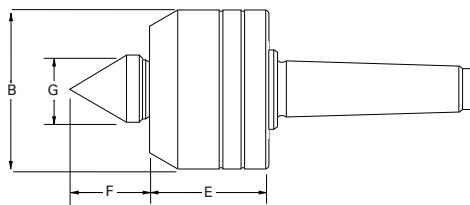


- This versatile live center uses interchangeable points to handle many common turning jobs.
- Each center includes a #3 standard 60° male point. Other points sold separately.
- $\pm 0.00005$ " TIR guaranteed.\*
- Unique taper/thread design allows points to be easily interchanged and ensures accuracy.



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# ROYAL CHANGEABLE-POINT LIVE CENTERS



## Royal Changeable-Point Live Centers

TAPER	B	E	F	G	POINT THREADS	MAX. SUGGESTED RPM*	WEIGHT OF WORKPIECE (lbs.)	THRUST LOAD (lbs.)	PART NUMBER	PRICE
2 MT	2.00	1.85	1.13	0.88	5/8" - 18	6,000	390	960	10002	\$1,245
3 MT	2.38	2.07	1.25	1.00	5/8" - 18	5,000	500	1,140	10003	1,360
4 MT	3.50	2.64	1.79	1.50	3/4" - 16	3,500	1,070	1,810	10004	2,040
5 MT	3.50	2.64	1.79	1.50	3/4" - 16	3,500	1,070	1,810	10005	2,180

\* Maximum recommended operating limit. Operating above this speed could result in heat build-up and accelerated bearing wear.



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1. Pipe point for pipe and tubing work.
2. Extra-long male point for additional tool clearance.
3. Standard male point.
4. Blank point made of unhardened 4140 steel.
5. Female point for work not having a center-hole.

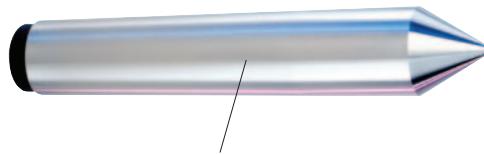
## Individual Points for Changeable-Point Live Centers

POINT	2 MT				3 MT				4 & 5 MT			
	DIA.	"F" DIM.	PART NUMBER	PRICE	DIA.	"F" DIM.	PART NUMBER	PRICE	DIA.	"F" DIM.	PART NUMBER	PRICE
1	0.75-2.12	1.67	10061	<b>\$632</b>	0.88-2.38	1.75	10071	<b>\$511</b>	1.38-3.50	2.38	10091	<b>\$797</b>
2	0.88	1.66	10062	<b>440</b>	1.00	1.88	10072	<b>439</b>	1.38	2.34	10082	<b>549</b>
3	0.88	1.13	10063	<b>408</b>	1.00	1.25	10073	<b>424</b>	1.50	1.79	10083	<b>435</b>
4	0.88	1.13	10064	<b>252</b>	1.00	1.25	10074	<b>199</b>	1.38	1.66	10084	<b>277</b>
5	0.19-0.91	0.92	10065	<b>398</b>	0.25-1.06	1.15	10075	<b>534</b>	0.25-1.38	1.28	10085	<b>499</b>



## ROYAL DEAD CENTERS

- Dead centers are typically used for **grinding** and are also sometimes used in **high-precision turning** applications.
- Royal manufactures a wide range of standard dead centers to suit most applications, including: full, half, carbide-tipped, and extended-point models.
- All solid dead centers are made from ball bearing steel and are hardened to Rc 61-63 for wear resistance and durability.
- On carbide-tipped models, the carbide blank is brazed into a **close-tolerance socket** for **maximum strength and rigidity**.
- All Royal dead centers are ground to an angle of  $60^\circ \pm 15'$  and guaranteed to  $\pm 0.00005"$  TIR.



### Type 1

Standard Dead Center  
add "1" to part number below.

Ball bearing steel hardened and ground to Rc 61-63 for long life.



### Type 2

Standard Dead Center with carbide tip  
add "2" to part number below.

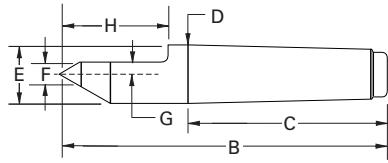
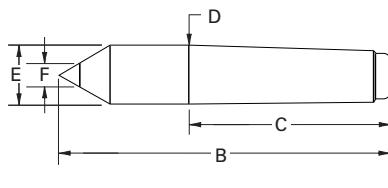
Carbide blank is brazed into a close-tolerance socket for maximum strength and rigidity.



### Type 3

1/2 Dead Center  
add "3" to part number below.  
Note – Type 3 models are being phased out. Please call for availability.

Half centers are relieved for grinding wheel clearance.



A safety groove shows the maximum allowable reground range for carbide-tipped models.



### Type 4

1/2 Dead Center with carbide tip  
add "4" to part number below.

## Royal Dead Centers

Example: A 2 MT dead center with a carbide tip is PART NUMBER 11012.

TAPER	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	PART NUMBER	PRICE	TYPE 1	TYPE 2	TYPE 3	TYPE 4
2 MT	4.19	2.56	.700	0.700	0.38	0.19	1.38	1101-	<b>\$237</b>	<b>\$315</b>	<b>CALL</b>	<b>\$367</b>		
3 MT	5.25	3.19	.938	0.938	0.50	0.22	1.69	1102-	<b>367</b>	<b>427</b>	<b>CALL</b>	<b>482</b>		
4 MT	6.75	4.06	1.231	1.231	0.50	0.25	2.25	1103-	<b>527</b>	<b>558</b>	<b>CALL</b>	<b>615</b>		
5 MT	8.50	5.19	1.748	1.748	0.63	0.38	2.75	1104-	<b>781</b>	<b>868</b>	<b>CALL</b>	<b>913</b>		

# ROYAL "OIL COUNTRY" BULL HEAD DEAD CENTERS



- Designed for turning large tubes and pipes on lathes with live tailstocks.
- Can also be used in large-diameter grinding applications.
- Interchangeable heads (sold separately) offer maximum versatility.
- ±0.0002" TIR guaranteed.
- Extraction nut (included) allows for easy removal from tailstock.
- Special extended models offered for Mazak\*\* lathes.



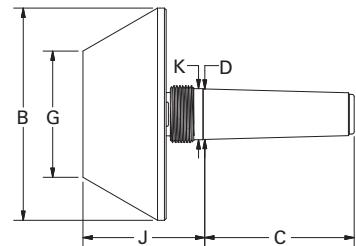
## Modular Heads for Royal "Oil Country" Bull Head Dead Center

HEAD MODEL	B	G	HEAD WEIGHT (lbs.)	PART NUMBER	PRICE
A	4.62	1.63	7	10791	<b>\$1,160</b>
B	7.37	4.38	18	10792	<b>1,810</b>
C	10.12	7.13	33	10793	<b>2,795</b>
D	12.87	9.88	51	10794	<b>3,995</b>
E	15.62	12.63	65	10795	<b>6,960</b>



## Royal "Oil Country" Bull Head Dead Center Shanks\*

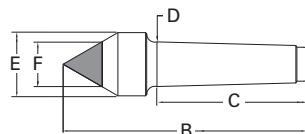
TAPER	MODEL	C	D	K	J WITH HEAD A	J WITH HEADS B-E	THREAD	PART NUMBER	PRICE
4 MT	Standard	4.06	1.231	N/A	4.63	3.91	M42 x 1.5	11576*	<b>\$834</b>
4 MT	Mazak**	4.06	1.231	1.260	4.85	4.13	M42 x 1.5	11577*	<b>834</b>
5 MT	Standard	5.19	1.748	N/A	4.63	3.91	M50 x 1.5	11578*	<b>916</b>
5 MT	Mazak**	5.19	1.748	1.772	5.06	4.34	M50 x 1.5	11579*	<b>916</b>
6 MT	Standard	7.25	2.494	N/A	4.69	3.97	M70 x 2	11580*	<b>1,770</b>
6 MT	Mazak**	7.25	2.494	2.500	5.29	4.57	M70 x 2	11581*	<b>1,770</b>



\* Head not included – order separately

\*\* Mazak is a registered trademark of Yamazaki Mazak Corporation

## OVERSIZED CARBIDE POINT DEAD CENTERS



## Royal Oversized Carbide Point Dead Centers

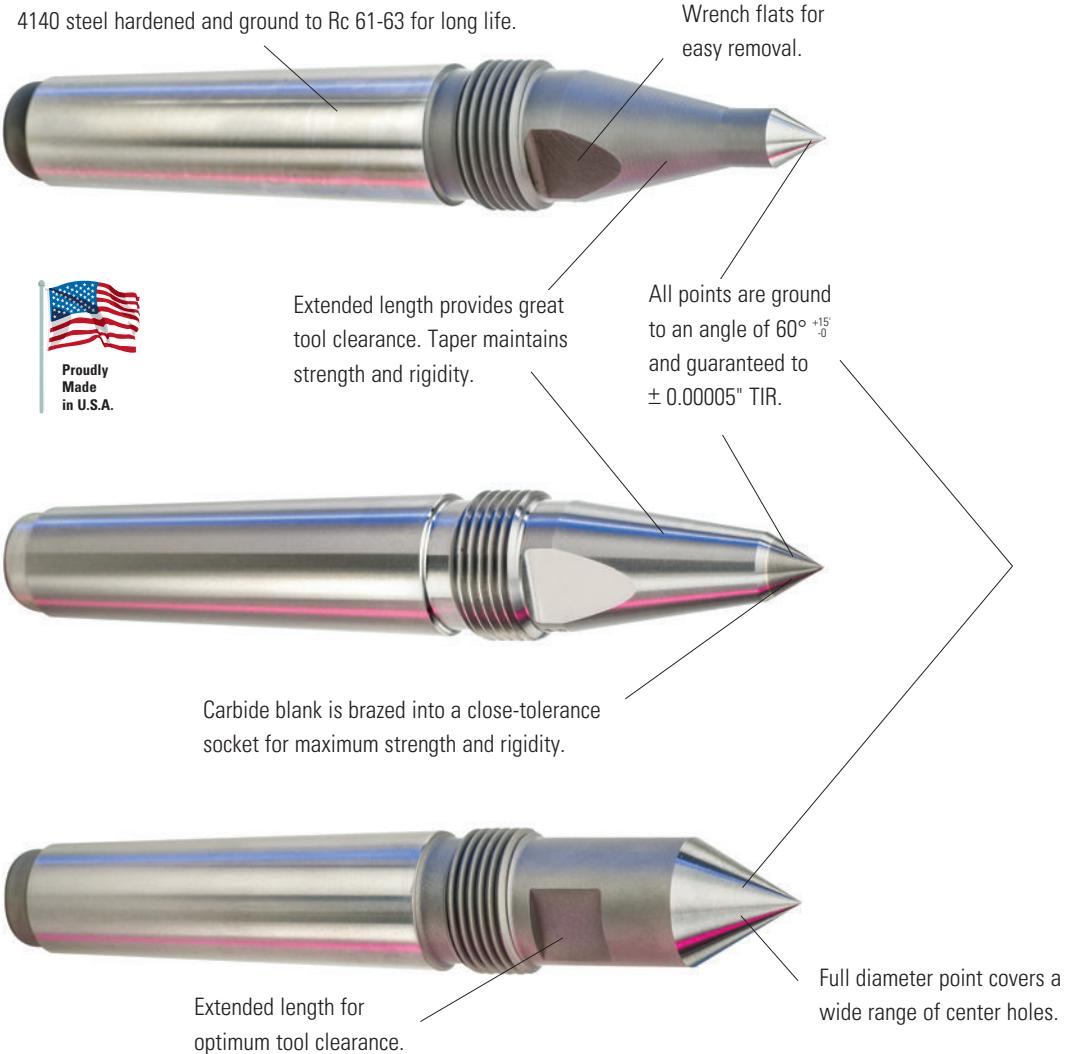
- Excellent for grinding and high precision turning applications.
- Oversized carbide point covers a wider range of center holes and **provides great wear resistance**.

TAPER A	B	C	D	E	CARBIDE DIAMETER F	PART NUMBER	PRICE
4 MT	6.75	4.06	1.231	1.75	1.25	11526	<b>\$977</b>
5 MT	8.50	5.19	1.748	1.75	1.25	11527	<b>1,325</b>

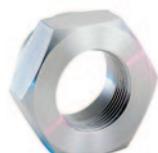


## ROYAL CNC THREADED DEAD CENTERS

### Great For Live Tailstocks and Precision Grinding

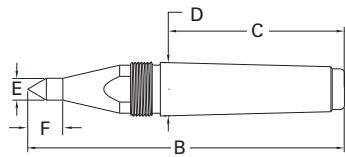


- Royal threaded dead centers are designed for use in CNC turning centers with **live tailstocks**.
- These dead centers are also widely used in precision grinding applications.
- Available in several styles to suit a wide range of applications.
  - CNC Point
  - Carbide-Tipped CNC Point
  - Full Diameter Extended Point
- Longer than normal gage length on all models provides outstanding clearance.
- Extraction nut and wrench flats enable easy removal from tailstock/spindle.



Extraction nut allows for easy removal from spindle. Order separately.

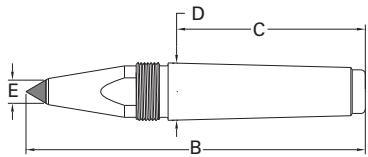
# ROYAL CNC THREADED DEAD CENTERS



## Royal CNC Threaded Dead Centers

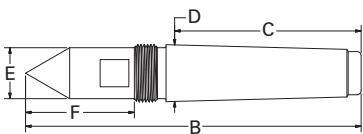


TAPER A	B	C	D	E	F	THREAD	DEAD CENTER		EXTRACTION NUT	
							PART NUMBER	PRICE	PART NUMBER	PRICE
3 MT	5.94	3.19	0.938	0.38	0.63	1"-14	11530	<b>\$440</b>	11550	<b>\$120</b>
4 MT	7.31	4.06	1.231	0.50	0.81	1 1/4"-14	11531	<b>532</b>	11551	<b>144</b>
4 MT	7.31	4.06	1.231	0.75	1.18	1 1/4"-14	11535	<b>532</b>	11551	<b>144</b>
5 MT	8.44	5.19	1.748	0.50	0.81	1 3/4"-12	11532	<b>759</b>	11552	<b>165</b>
5 MT	8.44	5.19	1.748	0.75	1.18	1 3/4"-12	11537	<b>759</b>	11552	<b>165</b>



## Royal CNC Threaded Dead Centers with Carbide-Tipped Point

TAPER A	B	C	D	E	THREAD	DEAD CENTER		EXTRACTION NUT	
						PART NUMBER	PRICE	PART NUMBER	PRICE
3 MT	5.94	3.19	0.938	0.38	1"-14	11540	<b>\$596</b>	11550	<b>\$120</b>
4 MT	7.31	4.06	1.231	0.50	1 1/4"-14	11541	<b>717</b>	11551	<b>144</b>
5 MT	8.44	5.19	1.748	0.50	1 3/4"-12	11542	<b>922</b>	11552	<b>165</b>



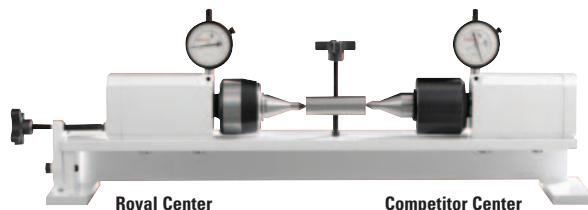
## Royal Full Diameter Extended Point Threaded Dead Centers

TAPER A	B	C	D	E	F	THREAD	DEAD CENTER		EXTRACTION NUT	
							PART NUMBER	PRICE	PART NUMBER	PRICE
3 MT	5.94	3.19	0.938	0.86	1.88	1"-14	11534	<b>\$440</b>	11550	<b>\$120</b>
4 MT	7.31	4.06	1.231	1.11	2.37	1 1/4"-14	11536	<b>532</b>	11551	<b>144</b>
5 MT	8.44	5.19	1.748	1.25	2.36	1 3/4"-12	11539	<b>759</b>	11552	<b>165</b>

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