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## **Implants for surgery — Metal bone screws — Dimensions — Part I : Screws with asymmetrical thread, variable fitting (spherical)**

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This part is one of a series of four which will comprise the International Standard for dimensions of metal bone screws for use in implant surgery.

The series as follows :

- Part I : Screws with asymmetrical thread, variable fitting (spherical).
- Part II : Screws with asymmetrical thread, constant fitting (spherical).
- Part III : Screws with asymmetrical thread, variable fitting (conical).
- Part IV : Screws with symmetrical thread, variable fitting (conical).

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# Implants for surgery — Metal bone screws — Dimensions — Part I : Screws with asymmetrical thread, variable fitting (spherical)

## 1 SCOPE AND FIELD OF APPLICATION

This International Standard specifies dimensions and tolerances for metal bone screws used in surgery and having shallow and deep asymmetrical threads, heads with spherical under-surfaces, and head diameters that vary with the diameters of the thread (hence "variable fitting").

The screws are provided exclusively with hexagonal drive sockets.

## 2 CODE FOR SCREW THREAD

The following code shall be used to distinguish the type of thread of screws conforming to this International Standard :

Type of thread	Code
Shallow (for cortical screws)	HA
Deep (for spongiosa screws)	HB

3 DIMENSIONS AND TOLERANCES (All dimensions are given in millimetres)

3.1 Screws with shallow thread

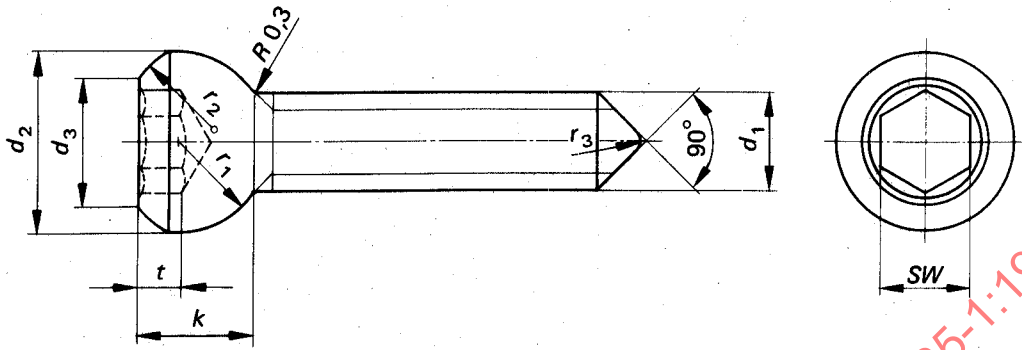


FIGURE 1 – Screw with shallow thread

TABLE 1 – Dimensions of the HA series screws

Code and diameter of thread	$d_1$ Nominal diameter	$d_2$ 0 - 0,1	$d_3$ min.	$k$ max.	$r_1$ + 0,25 0	$r_2$ ≈	$r_3$	SW E8	$t$ min.
HA 2,7	2,7	5	3,5	2,3	2,5	2,5	0,4	2,5	1,2
HA 3,5	3,5	6	3,5	2,6	3	3,5	1	2,5	1,5
HA 4,5	4,5	8	—	4,6	4	2,5	1	3,5	2,8

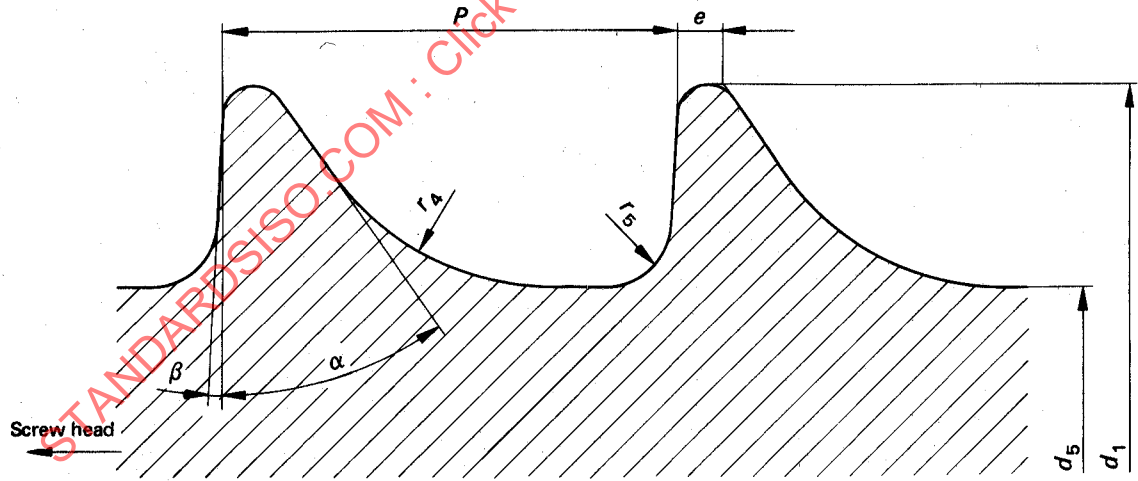


FIGURE 2 – Shallow thread (HA)

TABLE 2 – Dimensions of the HA thread

Code and diameter of thread	$d_1$ 0 - 0,1	$d_5$ 0 - 0,2	$e$ ≈	$p$	$r_4$	$r_5$	$\alpha$	$\beta$
HA 2,7	2,7	1,9	0,1	1	0,6	0,15	35°	3°
HA 3,5	3,5	2,4	0,1	1,25	0,8	0,2	35°	3°
HA 4,5	4,5	3	0,1	1,75	1	0,3	35°	3°