

Tapered bore spherical roller bearings are mounted on tapered shafts (Fig. 1) or on cylindrical shafts with tapered sleeves. The sleeves are either adapter or withdrawal configurations (Fig. 2 and 3).

Correct shaft mounting is dependent on the axial movement of the bearing up the tapered seat. This axial movement produces an interference fit which removes bearing radial internal clearance (RIC). RIC measurement before and during mounting is the preferred method to determine adequacy of shaft fit (Fig. 4). Recommended RIC reductions are supplied in the table on the reverse side.

To measure the unmounted RIC, place the bearing in an upright position and center the inner and outer rings. Oscillate the inner ring

several times to properly seat the rollers. Insert feeler gauge blades between the outer ring and top most rollers (Fig. 5). Be sure to cover the full roller length. The unmounted RIC is the thickest blade that will slide through. Both bearing rows should be checked in this manner.

During mounting, the RIC should be measured at the unloaded rollers. This may be at the top or bottom of the bearing depending on orientation. The rollers must be seated during the process. Axial movement should continue until the recommended RIC reduction is obtained.

The mounted RIC should not be less than the minimum permissible value from the table. Timken hydraulic nuts are recommended for mounting larger spherical roller bearings.

Example:

Bearing 22328K C3 (140 mm bore, taper 1:12) is being mounted on tapered shaft.

- Using feeler gauge measure unmounted RIC. From chart it should be 0.12 mm - 0.160 mm".
- Move bearing on shaft until line-to-line contact exists with bearing bore.
- Using locknut or hydraulic nut, force bearing up the tapered seat until 0.065 mm - 0.090 mm" RIC is removed. 0.890 mm - 1.270 mm" axial displacement required.
- Final measured RIC should not be less than 0.075 mm".



Fig. 5.

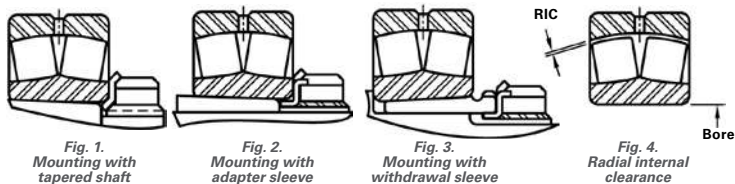


Fig. 1.
Mounting with tapered shaft

Fig. 2.
Mounting with adapter sleeve

Fig. 3.
Mounting with withdrawal sleeve

Fig. 4.
Radial internal clearance

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Nominal Bearing Bore		Normal		C3		C4		Recommended Reduction of RIC		1:12 Taper ⁽¹⁾		1:30 Taper ⁽¹⁾		Normal	C3	C4
		Radial Internal Clearance Prior to Mounting								Axial Displacement Tapered Shaft Installation				Minimum Permissible RIC After Installation		
Over	Incl	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max	Min			
mm	mm	mm	mm	mm	mm	mm	mm	mm	mm	mm	mm	mm	mm	mm	mm	mm
30	40	0.050	0.035	0.065	0.050	0.085	0.065	0.025	0.020	0.380	0.300	-	-	0.015	0.025	0.040
40	50	0.060	0.045	0.080	0.060	0.100	0.080	0.030	0.025	0.460	0.380	-	-	0.020	0.030	0.050
50	65	0.075	0.055	0.095	0.075	0.120	0.095	0.040	0.030	0.560	0.460	-	-	0.025	0.040	0.060
65	80	0.095	0.070	0.120	0.095	0.150	0.120	0.050	0.040	0.760	0.560	-	-	0.025	0.045	0.075
80	100	0.110	0.080	0.140	0.100	0.180	0.140	0.065	0.045	0.970	0.680	-	-	0.035	0.050	0.075
100	120	0.135	0.100	0.170	0.135	0.220	0.170	0.070	0.050	1.070	0.760	2.540	1.900	0.050	0.060	0.100
120	140	0.160	0.120	0.200	0.160	0.260	0.200	0.090	0.065	1.270	0.890	3.050	2.290	0.055	0.075	0.115
140	160	0.180	0.130	0.230	0.180	0.300	0.230	0.100	0.075	1.520	1.140	3.430	2.670	0.055	0.075	0.125
160	180	0.200	0.140	0.260	0.200	0.340	0.260	0.115	0.075	1.650	1.140	4.060	2.670	0.060	0.090	0.150
180	200	0.220	0.160	0.290	0.220	0.370	0.290	0.125	0.090	1.900	1.400	4.450	3.050	0.070	0.100	0.165
200	225	0.250	0.180	0.320	0.250	0.410	0.320	0.140	0.100	2.030	1.520	4.830	3.560	0.075	0.115	0.180
225	250	0.270	0.200	0.350	0.270	0.450	0.350	0.150	0.115	2.290	1.780	5.330	4.060	0.090	0.115	0.200
250	280	0.300	0.220	0.390	0.300	0.490	0.390	0.165	0.115	2.540	1.780	5.840	4.060	0.100	0.140	0.230
280	315	0.330	0.240	0.430	0.330	0.540	0.430	0.180	0.125	2.670	1.900	6.220	4.450	0.100	0.150	0.250
315	355	0.360	0.270	0.470	0.360	0.590	0.470	0.190	0.140	2.790	2.030	6.600	4.830	0.115	0.165	0.280
355	400	0.400	0.300	0.520	0.400	0.650	0.520	0.200	0.150	3.050	2.290	7.110	5.330	0.130	0.190	0.330
400	450	0.440	0.330	0.570	0.440	0.720	0.570	0.215	0.165	3.300	2.540	7.620	5.840	0.150	0.230	0.360
450	500	0.490	0.370	0.630	0.490	0.790	0.630	0.230	0.180	3.430	2.670	8.000	6.220	0.165	0.270	0.410
500	560	0.540	0.410	0.680	0.540	0.870	0.680	0.250	0.200	3.810	3.050	8.890	7.110	0.180	0.290	0.440
560	630	0.600	0.460	0.760	0.600	0.980	0.760	0.280	0.230	4.190	3.430	9.780	8.000	0.200	0.320	0.510
630	710	0.670	0.510	0.850	0.670	1.090	0.850	0.300	0.250	4.570	3.810	10.670	8.890	0.200	0.370	0.550
710	800	0.750	0.570	0.960	0.750	1.220	0.960	0.350	0.280	5.330	4.190	12.450	9.780	0.230	0.390	0.610
800	900	0.840	0.640	1.070	0.840	1.370	1.070	0.380	0.300	5.720	4.570	13.330	10.670	0.250	0.460	0.690
900	1000	0.930	0.710	1.190	0.930	1.520	1.190	0.430	0.350	6.480	5.334	15.110	12.450	0.280	0.490	0.750
1000	1120	1.030	0.770	1.300	1.030	1.670	1.300	0.480	0.400	7.240	6.100	16.890	14.220	0.280	0.550	0.810
1120	1250	1.120	0.830	1.420	1.120	1.830	1.420	0.500	0.430	7.620	6.480	17.780	15.110	0.330	0.610	0.910

Axial displacement values apply to solid steel shafts or to hollow steel shafts with bore diameter less than half the shaft diameter. For shaft materials other than steel or for thin-wall shafts, please contact a Timken sales representative. ⁽¹⁾1:12 Taper used for 222, 223, 230, 231, 232, 233, 239 series. 1:30 Taper used for 240, 241, 242 series. For sleeve mounting, multiply axial displacement values by 1.1 for 1:12 taper or by 1.05 for 1:30 taper. Questions on tapered shaft data, contact a Timken sales representative.