

# General Specifications

## Electrical Capacity (Resistive Load)

**Logic Level:** 0.4VA maximum @ 28V AC/DC maximum  
(Applicable Range 0.1mA ~ 0.1A @ 20mV ~ 28V)  
Note: See Supplement Index to find explanation of operating range.

## Other Ratings

**Contact Resistance:** 80 milliohms maximum  
**Insulation Resistance:** 100 megohms minimum @ 500V DC  
**Dielectric Strength:** 500V AC minimum for 1 minute minimum  
**Mechanical Life:** 30,000 operations minimum  
**Electrical Life:** 10,000 operations minimum  
**Operating Torque:** 0.04Nm average  
**Contact Timing:** Nonshorting (break-before-make)  
**Indexing:** 45° for On-On-On & 90° for On-None-On

## Materials & Finishes

**Shaft:** Brass with nickel plating  
**Bushing:** Zinc alloy with nickel plating  
**Frame/Bracket:** Steel with tin plating  
**Movable Contacts:** Beryllium copper spring with gold plating  
**Stationary Contacts:** Copper with gold plating  
**Terminals:** Brass with tin plating  
**Base:** Polyamide

## Environmental Data

**Operating Temperature Range:** -10°C through +70°C (+14°F through +158°F)  
**Humidity:** 90 ~ 95% humidity for 96 hours @ 40°C (104°F)  
**Vibration:** 10 ~ 55Hz with peak-to-peak amplitude of 1.5mm traversing the frequency range & returning in 1 minute; 3 right angled directions for 2 hours  
**Shock:** 50G (490m/s<sup>2</sup>) acceleration (tested in 3 right angled directions, with 5 shocks in each direction)  
**Sealing:** Use of optional o-ring AT535 with MRB meets IP67 of IEC60529 specifications

## Installation

**Mounting Torque:** .686Nm (6.08 lb•in)  
**Cap Installation Force:** 19.6 ~ 29.4N (4.41 ~ 6.61 lbf)

## PCB Processing

**Soldering:** Wave Soldering Recommended: See Profile B in Supplement section  
Manual Soldering: See Profile B in Supplement section  
**Cleaning:** Automated cleaning. See Cleaning specifications in Supplement section.

## Standards & Certifications

The MRB Series rotaries have not been tested for UL recognition or CSA certification. These switches are designed for use in a low-voltage, low-current, logic-level circuit. When used as intended in a logic-level circuit, the results do not produce hazardous energy.

# Distinctive Characteristics

Double flatted bushing prevents rotation in panel and increases stability.

Totally sealed construction, achieved with combination of an interior o-ring, a seal between the frame and base, plus insert molded terminals, prevents contact contamination and allows automated soldering and cleaning.

Positive detent mechanism for distinct feel and audible feedback.

Break-before-make contact timing with sliding contact mechanism.

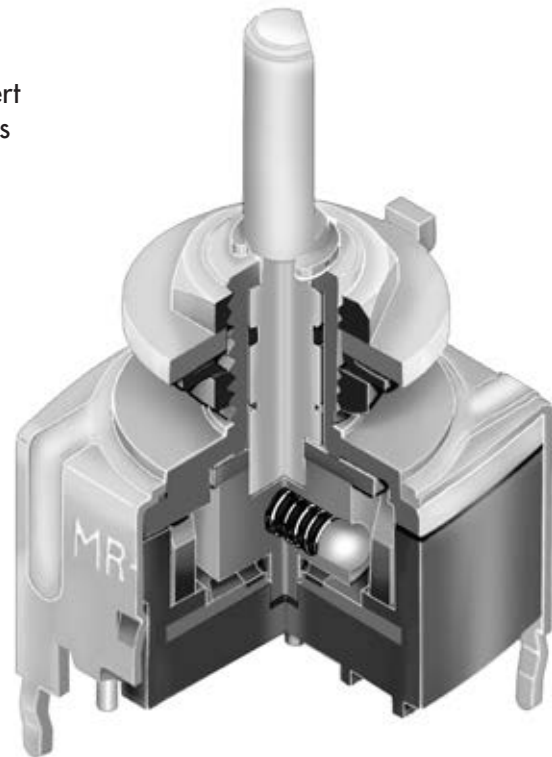
Metal bushing and frame/bracket provide durability.

Panel seal, achieved with use of optional exterior o-ring, conforms to IP67 of IEC60529 Standards.

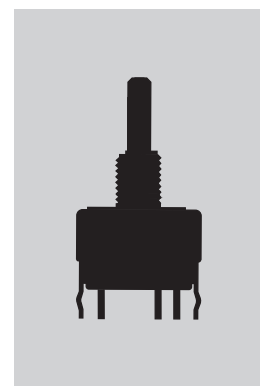
High contact reliability achieved by the self-cleaning contact mechanism.

.100" x .100" (2.54mm x 2.54mm) terminal spacing conforms to standard PC board grid spacing for straight and right angle mounting.

Insert molded terminals lock out flux and other contaminants.



Actual Size



- Toggles
- Rockers
- Pushbuttons
- Illuminated PB
- Programmable
- Keylocks
- Rotaries**
- Slides
- Tactiles
- Tilt
- Touch
- Indicators
- Accessories
- Supplement

### TYPICAL SWITCH ORDERING EXAMPLE

**MRB**    **1**    **2**    **B**    —    **A**   

Poles	
1	SPDT SP3T
2	DPDT DP3T

Terminals	
B	Straight with Bracket
H	Right Angle with Bracket

Knobs	
A	Plain Black
B	Small Color Tipped
C	Large Color Tipped

Colors	
For Plain Knob	
No Code	Black
For Color Tipped	
A	Black
B	White
C	Red
E	Yellow
F	Green
G	Blue
H	Gray

Circuits & Indexing				
2	ON	NONE	ON	90°
4	ON	ON	ON	45°

**DESCRIPTION FOR TYPICAL ORDERING EXAMPLE**

**MRB12B-A**

Plain Black Knob

SPDT with  
ON-NONE-ON Circuit  
& 90° Indexing

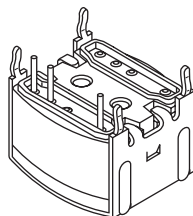
Straight PC Terminals  
with Bracket

### POLES & CIRCUITS

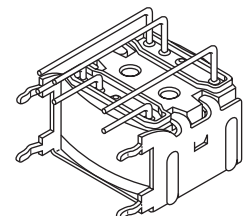
Pole	Model	Actuator Positions			Connected Terminals			Throw & Schematics
		Position 1	Position 2	Position 3	Position 1	Position 2	Position 3	Note: Terminal numbers are not actually on switch
SP	MRB12	ON	NONE	ON	C1-1	OPEN	C1-2	SPDT
	MRB14	ON	ON	ON	C1-1	C1-2	C1-3	SP3T
DP	MRB22	ON	NONE	ON	C1-1 C2-4	OPEN	C1-2 C2-5	DPDT
	MRB24	ON	ON	ON	C1-1 C2-4	C1-2 C2-5	C1-3 C2-6	DP3T

### TERMINALS

**B** Straight PC Terminals with Bracket

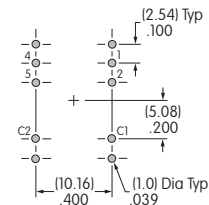
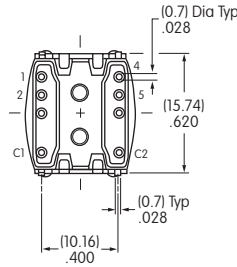
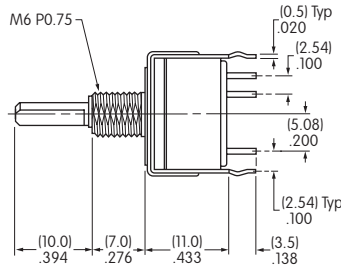
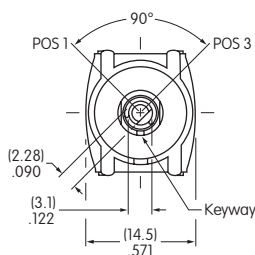


**H** Right Angle PC Terminals with Bracket



TYPICAL SWITCH DIMENSIONS

90° Indexing • SPDT & DPDT • Straight PC

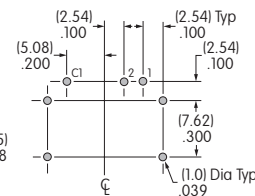
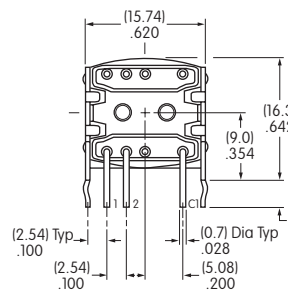
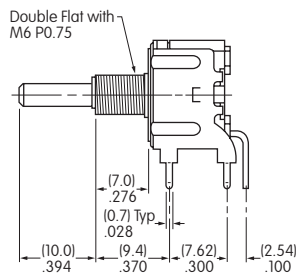
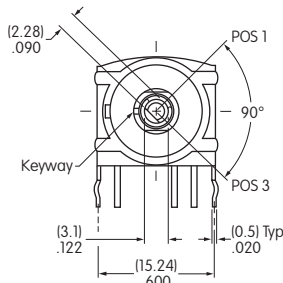


Actuator shown in Position 1

Single pole model does not have terminals 4, 5 & C2

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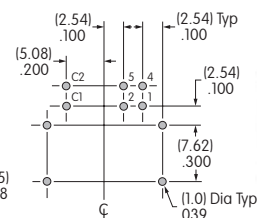
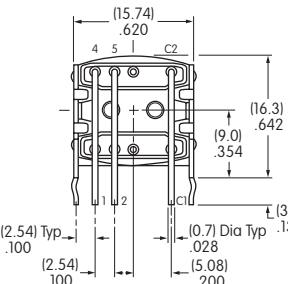
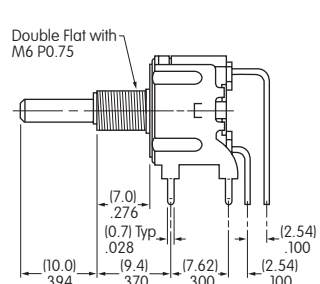
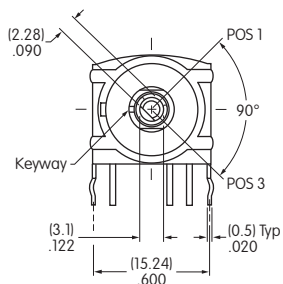
90° Indexing • SPDT • Right Angle PC



Actuator shown in Position 1

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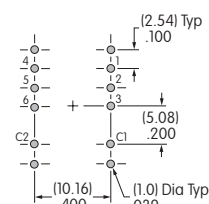
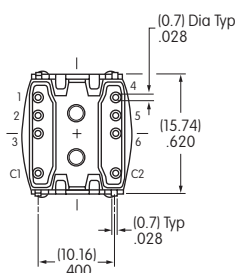
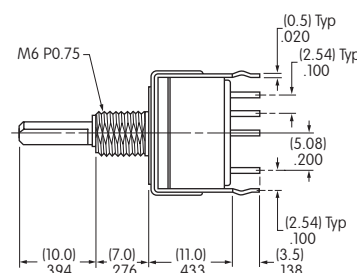
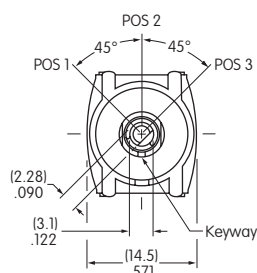
90° Indexing • DPDT • Right Angle PC



Actuator shown in Position 1

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45° Indexing • SP3T & DP3T • Straight PC



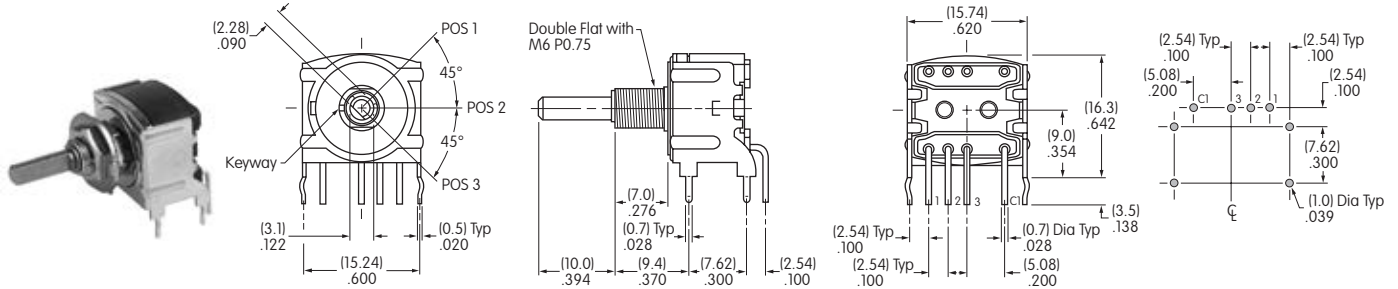
Actuator shown in Position 1

Single pole model does not have terminals 4, 5, 6 & C2

MRB14B

## TYPICAL SWITCH DIMENSIONS

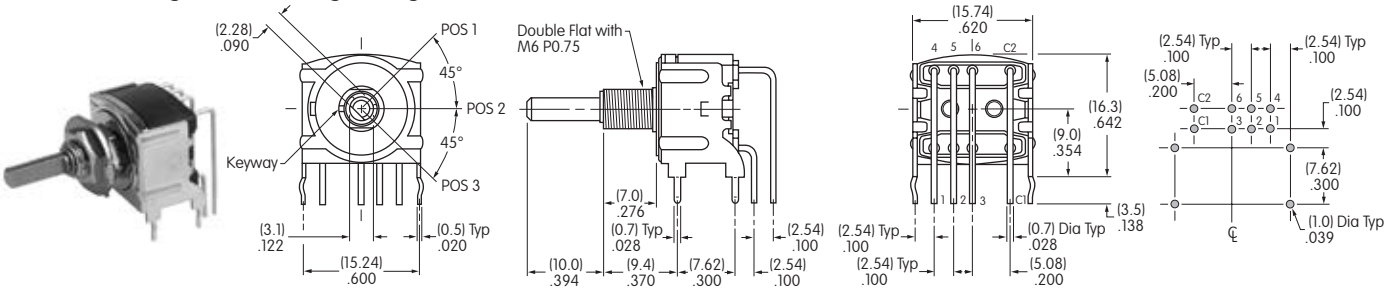
### 45° Indexing • SP3T • Right Angle PC



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Actuator shown in Position 1

### 45° Indexing • DP3T • Right Angle PC



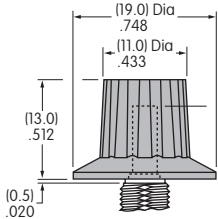
MRB24H

Actuator shown in Position 1

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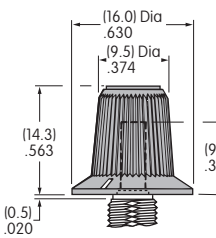
### A AT433 Plain Black

Material: Polyacetal  
Color: Black



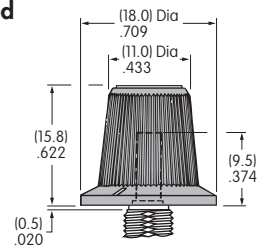
### B AT4103 Small Color Tipped

Polyester Base: Black  
Polyamide Tip Colors: A, B, C, E, F, G, H



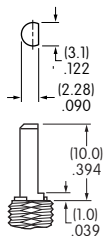
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Polyester Base: Black  
Polyamide Tip Colors: A, B, C, E, F, G, H



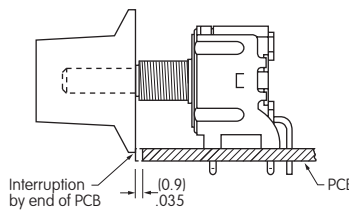
Color Codes: **A** Black **B** White **C** Red **E** Yellow **F** Green **G** Blue **H** Gray

### Shaft Detail



### Mounting Precaution for Cap Clearance on Right Angle Models

When mounting a right angle switch, a cap clearance of .035" (0.9mm) is recommended.

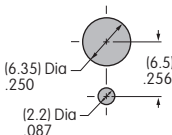


### Standard Hardware Supplied

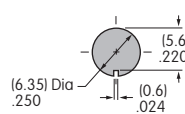
AT513M Hex Nut  
AT545 Locking Ring  
AT509 Lockwasher  
**Optional Hardware**  
AT535 O-ring for Panel Seal  
See Supplement for details

## PANEL CUTOUTS & MAXIMUM EFFECTIVE PANEL THICKNESS

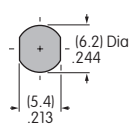
With Standard Hardware  
.087" (2.2mm)



Without Locking Ring  
.118" (3.0mm)



Sealed Panel with 1 Hex Nut & 1 Rubber O-ring  
.165" (4.2mm)



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