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# SURFACE VEHICLE STANDARD

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## COMPANION FLANGES, TYPE A (EXTERNAL PILOT) AND TYPE S (INTERNAL PILOT)

### 1. SCOPE:

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This SAE Standard specifies the nominal dimensions and tolerances which affect the interchangeability between companion flanges and mating parts. The flanges covered by this document are designated type A and type S.

The type A flanges are equivalent to type A ISO 7646. The type S flanges are equivalent to the type S ISO 7647. Type A is an external (male) pilot construction and type S is an internal (female) pilot construction. These flanges are not interchangeable. Dimensions not specified are left to the discretion of the component manufacturer.

### 2. REFERENCES:

#### 2.1 Applicable Documents:

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ISO 286 ISO System of Limits and Fits

ISO 1101 Technical Drawings – Geometrical Tolerancing – Tolerancing of Form, Orientation, Location and Run-Out – Generalities, Definitions, Symbols, Indications on Drawings

ISO 7646 Road Vehicles – Gearbox Flanges for Commercial Vehicles and Buses – Type A

ISO 7647 Road Vehicles – Gearbox Flanges for Commercial Vehicles and Buses – Type S

### 3. DIMENSIONS AND TOLERANCES:

Nominal dimensions, tolerances and bolt hole locations of type A companion flanges are shown in Figures 1 to 5, and given in Table 1. Nominal dimensions, tolerances and bolt hole locations of type S companion flanges are shown in Figures 6 to 9, and given in Table 2.

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## 4. DESIGNATION:

Companion flanges meeting the requirements of this document shall be identified by the following details in the order specified:

- a. Reference to this document
- b. The flange type
- c. The diameter of the flange,  $D_1$ ; (Type A only - See Table 1)
- d. The size code; (Type S only - See Table 2)
- e. The number of bolts
- f. The size of bolts

## 4.1 Examples:

4.1.1 Designation of a companion flange type A with  $D_1 = 150$  mm and eight 12 mm bolts:

- a. Flange SAE J1946 Type A -- 150 x 8 x 12

4.1.2 Designation of a companion flange type S with size code 1500 and four (R) 14 mm bolts:

- a. Flange SAE J1946 Type S -- 1500 x 4 x 14

4.1.3 Designation of a companion flange type S with size code 1710 and eight (R) 0.375 in bolts:

- a. Flange SAE J1946 Type S -- 1710 x 8 x 0.375

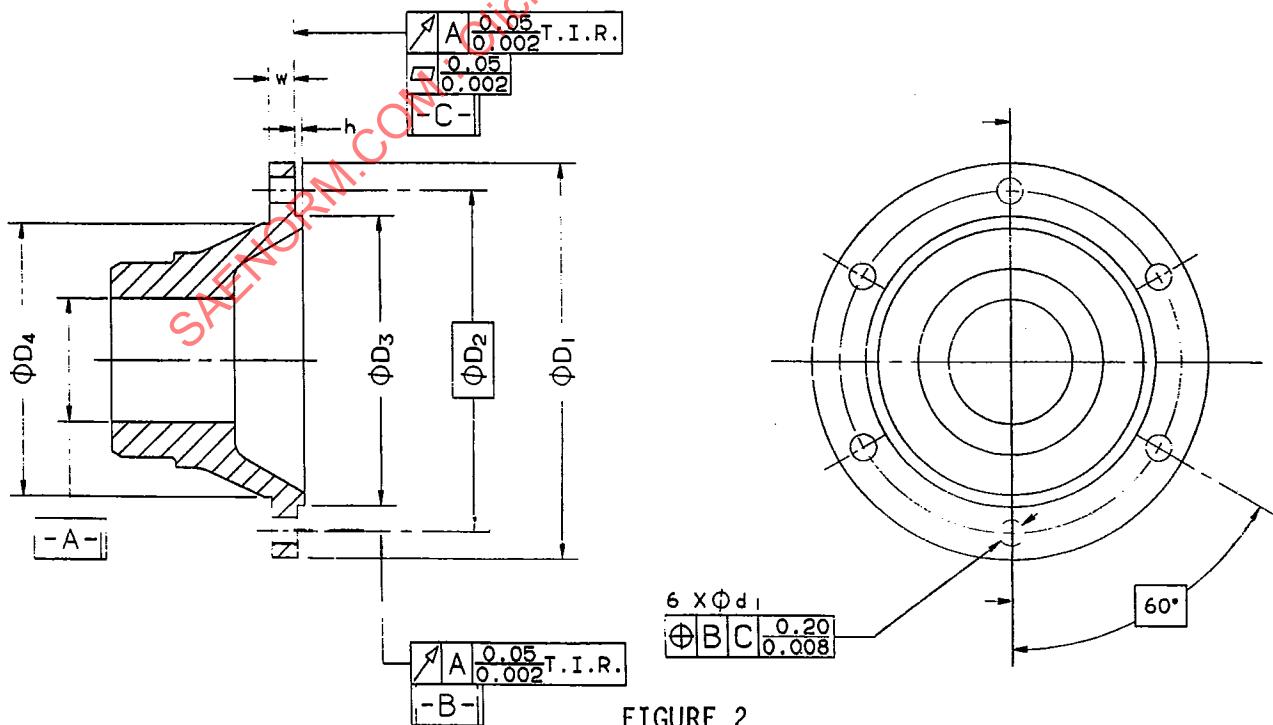
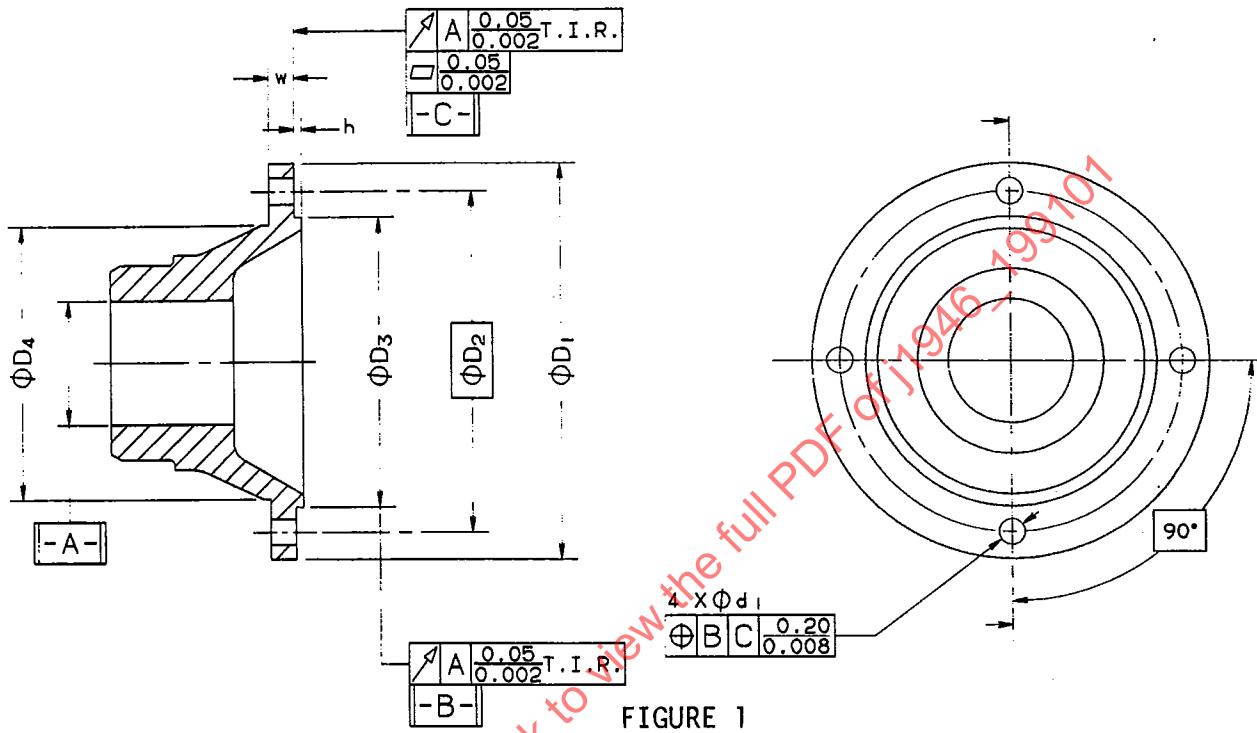
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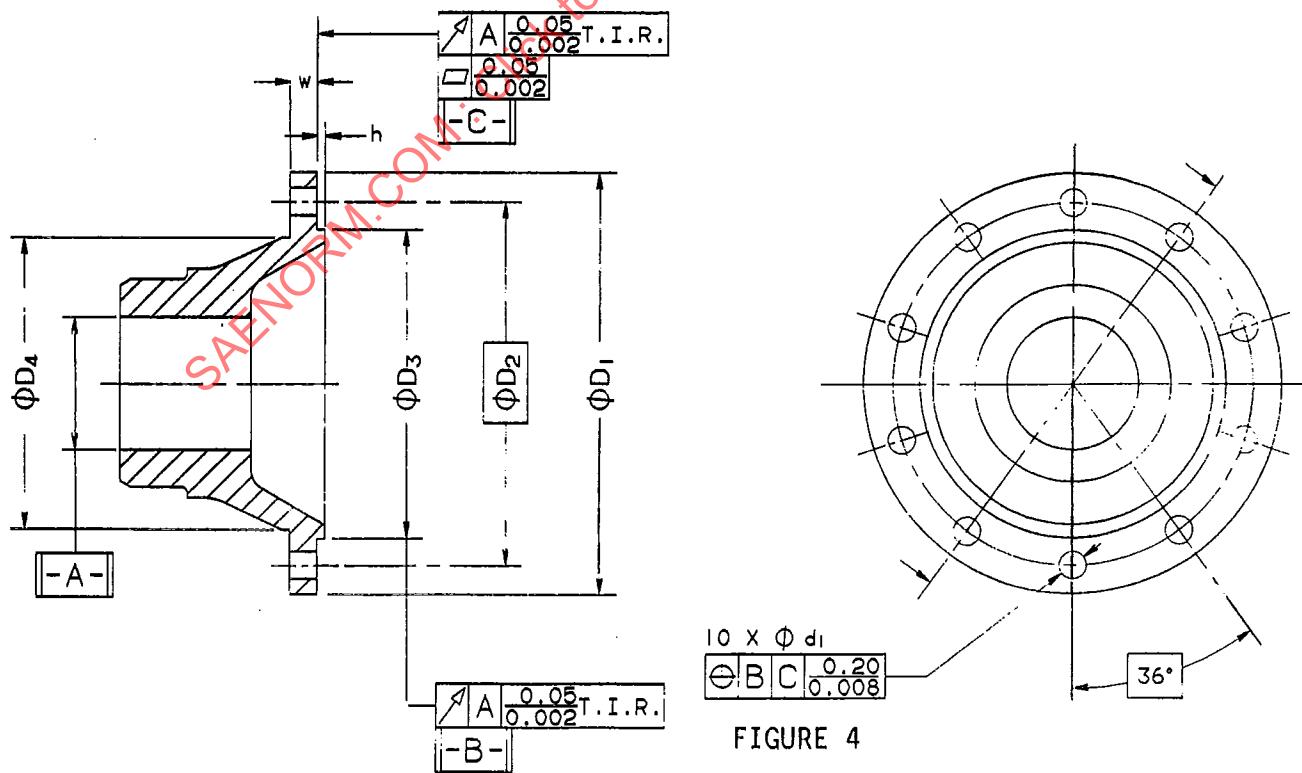
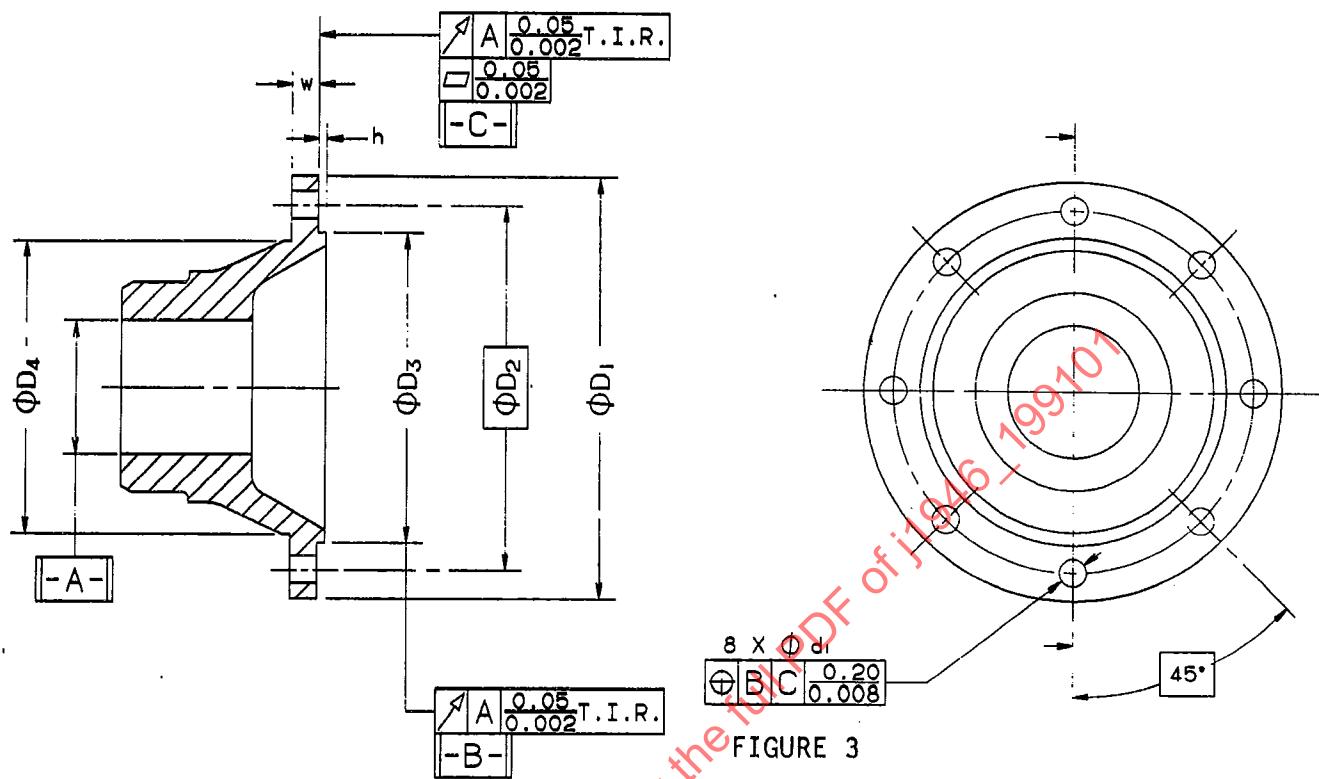
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**TYPE A COMPANION FLANGES**  
**TRUE POSITION, FLATNESS & RUNOUT TOLERANCES**  
**(FIGURES 1 to 5)**

**FIGURE 2**

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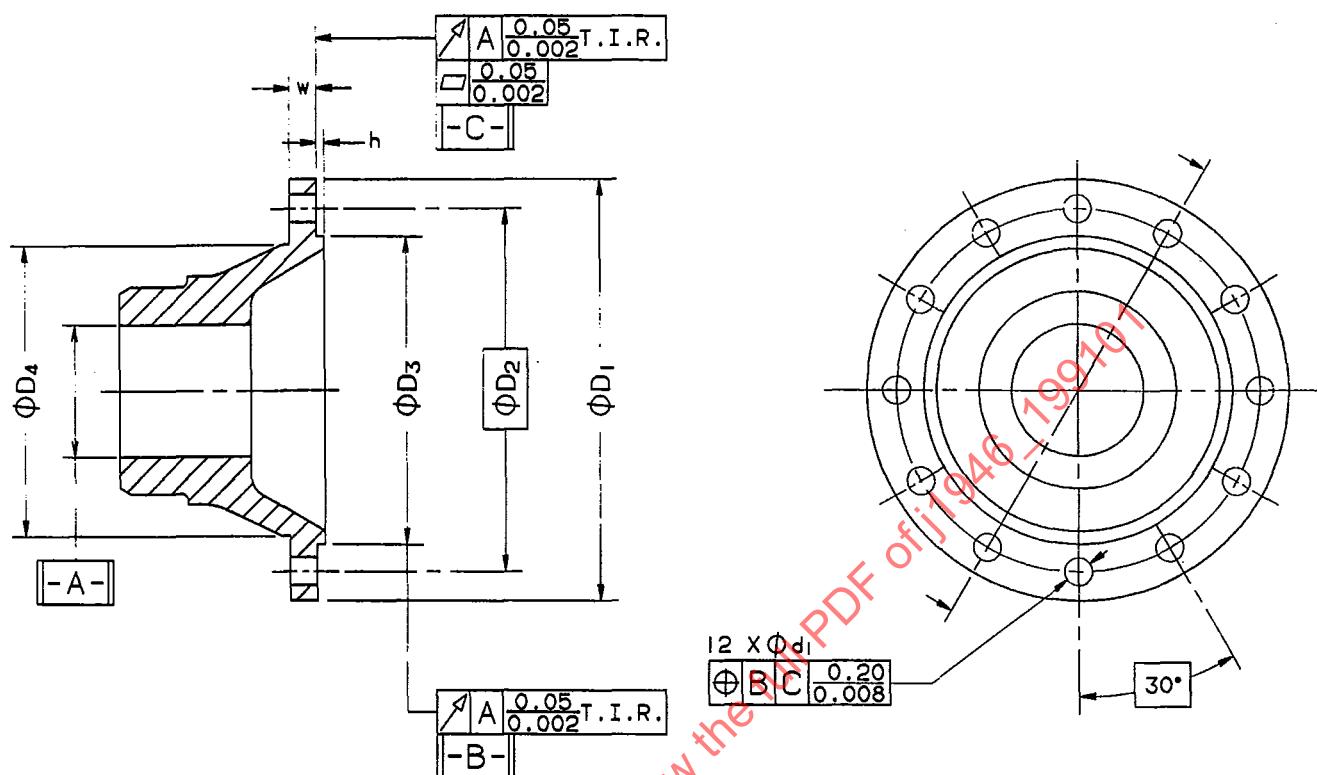


FIGURE 5

TABLE 1 - Dimensions and Tolerances  
(Applicable to Figures 1 to 5)

$D_1$	Figure Number	Number of holes	$d_1$ $+0.2$ 0	$D_2$	$D_3$ 0 $-0.05$	$D_4$ <sup>1/</sup> 0 $-0.2$	$w$ 0 $-0.5$	$h$ 0 $-0.2$
75	2 1	6 4	6.1	62	42	51.6	5.5	1.8
90	2	6	8.1	74.5	47	61	6	2.3
100	2	6	8.1	84	57	70.5	7	2.3
120	3 3	8 8	10.1	101.5	75	84.3	8	2.3
150	5	12	12.1	130	90	110.7	10	2.3
165	3	8	16.1	140	95	115	12	2.3
180	4	10	16.1	155.5	110	130.5	12	2.3
225	5	12	16.1	196	140	171	15	4

Dimensions and tolerances in millimeters.

1/ This dimension shall be used when required to prevent bolt heads from rotating.

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**TYPE S COMPANION FLANGES**  
**TRUE POSITION, FLATNESS & RUNOUT TOLERANCES**  
**(FIGURES 6 to 9)**

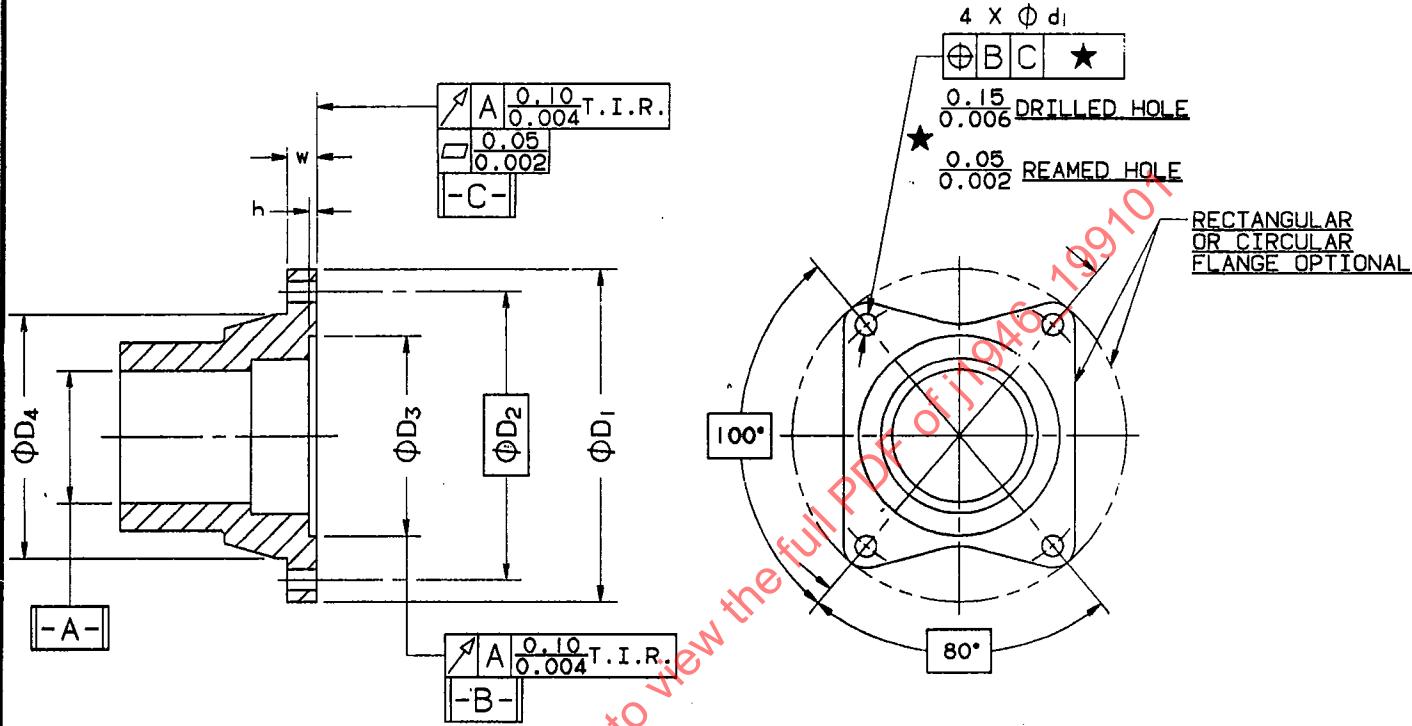


FIGURE 6

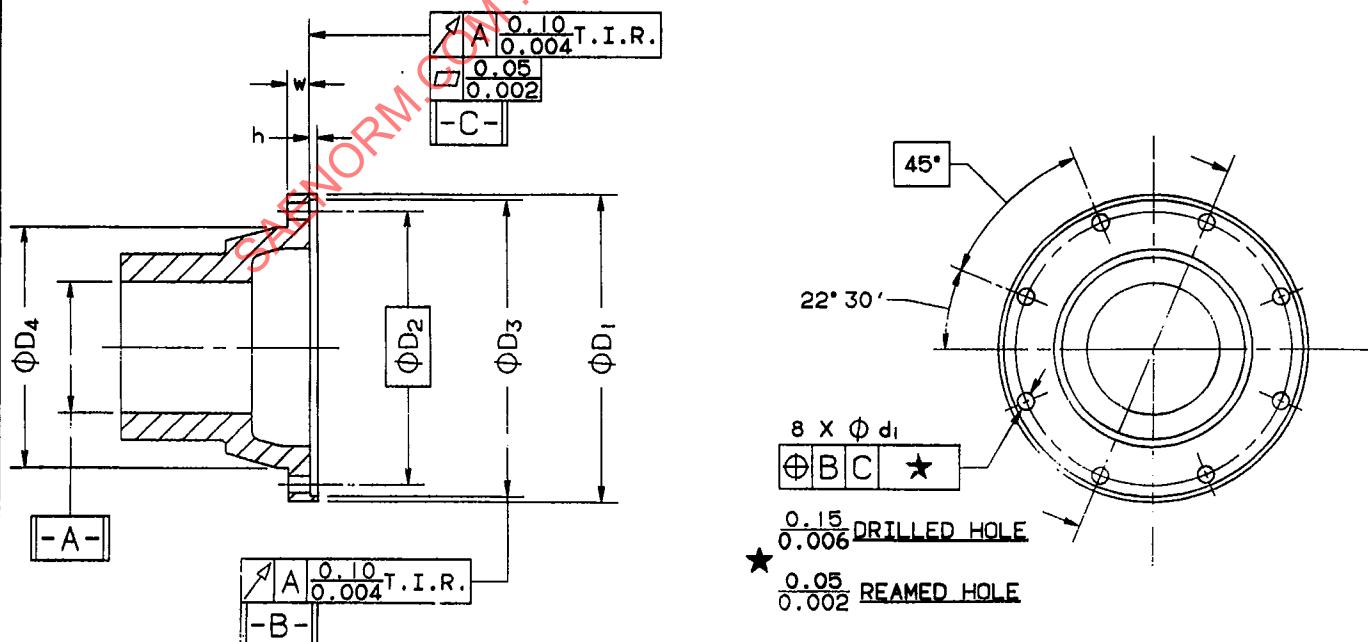


FIGURE 7

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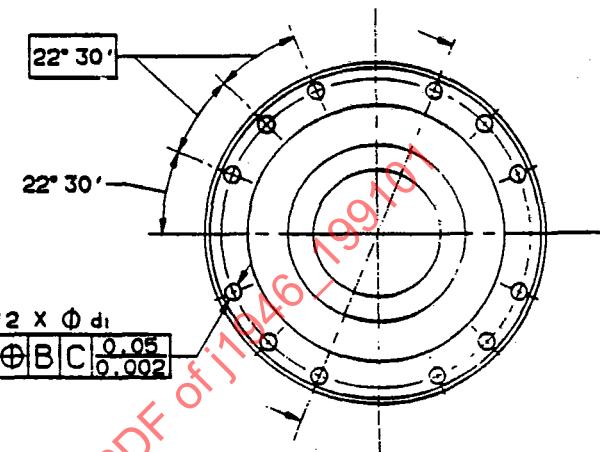
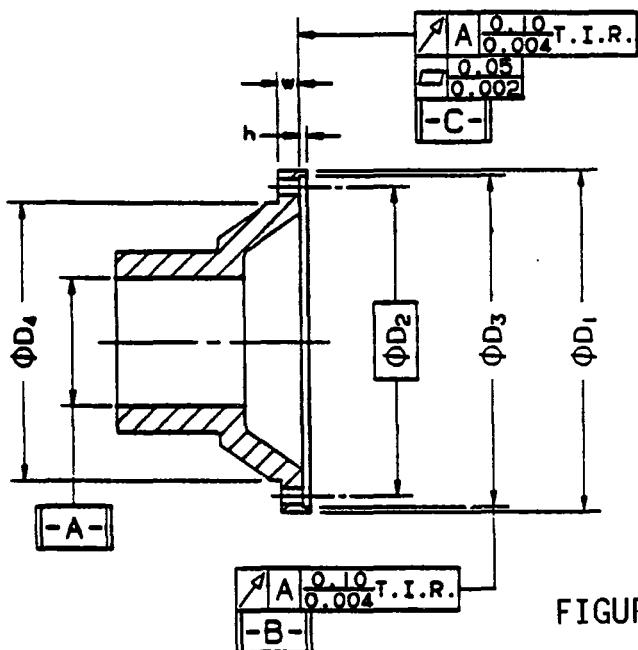


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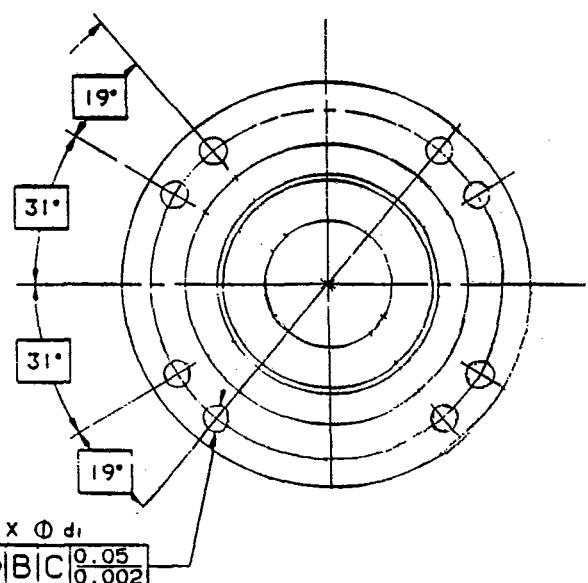
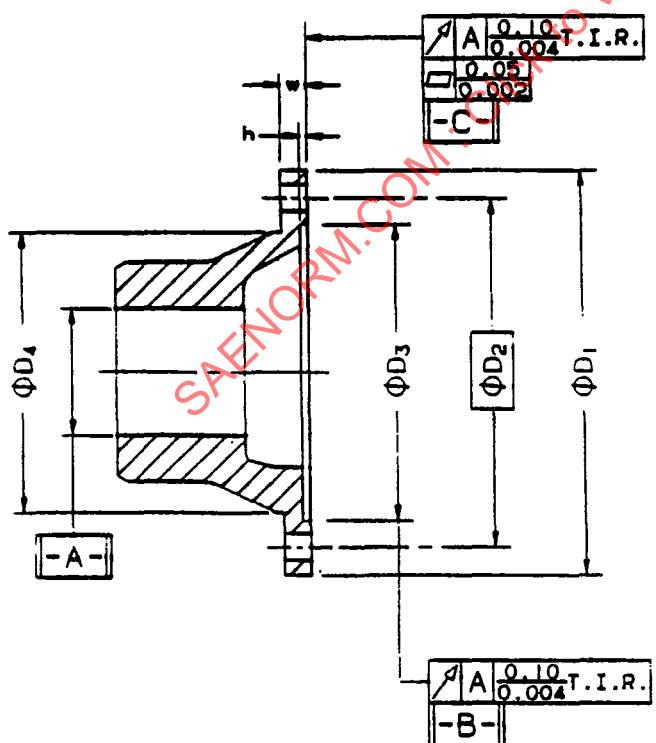


FIGURE 9

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TABLE 2 - Dimensions and Tolerances  
(Applicable to Figures 6 to 9)

## SAE - ORIGINAL INCH STANDARD

Size Code	Figure Number	D <sub>1</sub>	Number of holes	d <sub>1</sub> <sup>1/</sup>	D <sub>2</sub>	D <sub>3</sub>	D <sub>4</sub> <sup>2/</sup>	w	h
				+0.007(a) 0	+0.002 0	-0.005 0	-0.020 0	+0.010 0	
1 000	6	3.438	4	0.318	2.750	2.248	2.240	0.260	0.080
1 100	6	3.438	4	0.318	2.750	2.248	2.240	0.260	0.080
1 310	6	3.875	4	0.381	3.125	2.375	2.550	0.290	0.080
1 350	6	4.625	4	0.441/0.439	3.750	2.750	3.115	0.320	0.080
1 410	6	4.625	4	0.441/0.439	3.750	2.750	3.115	0.320	0.080
1 480	6	5.875	4	0.506	4.750	3.750	3.990	0.390	0.080
1 550	6	5.875	4	0.506	4.750	3.750	3.990	0.390	0.080
1 610	7	6.875	8	0.381	6.125	6.625	5.550	0.390	0.050
1 710	7	8.000	8	0.379/0.377	7.250	7.750	6.677	0.390	0.050
1 760	8	8.000	12	0.441/0.439	7.250	7.750	6.615	0.390	0.050
1 810	8	8.000	12	0.441/0.439	7.250	7.750	6.615	0.390	0.050
1 880	9	9.500	8	0.629/0.627	8.250	7.000	7.300	0.620	0.125
1 910	9	9.500	8	0.629/0.627	8.250	7.000	7.300	0.620	0.125

Dimensions and tolerances in inches

NOTE: Basic differences between the ISO and SAE companion flange standards are in bolt hole diameters (d<sub>1</sub>) and bolt head locking diameters (D<sub>4</sub>). These two diameters correspond to the use of metric or inch mounting bolts.

## ISO - METRIC CONVERSION STANDARD

Size Code	Figure Number	D <sub>1</sub>	Number of holes	d <sub>1</sub> <sup>1/</sup>	D <sub>2</sub>	D <sub>3</sub>	D <sub>4</sub> <sup>2/</sup>	w	h
				+0.2 0	+0.05 0	-0.2 -0.5	-0.5 0	+0.2 0	
1 100	6	87	4	8.1	69.85	57.10	56.4	8	2.0
1 300	6	97	4	10.1	79.37	60.32	62.2	8	2.3
1 400	6	116	4	12.1	95.25	69.85	76	8	2.3
1 500	6	151	4	14.1	120.65	95.25	98.4	10	2.3
1 510	6	146	4	12.1	120.65	95.25	101.4	10	2.3
1 600	7	175	8	10.1	155.57	168.28	138.4	11	1.5
1 700	7	203	8	10.1	184.15	196.86	167	11	1.5
1 800	8	203	12	10.1	184.15	196.86	167	11	1.5

Dimensions and tolerances in millimeters

1/<sup>1</sup>+0.007 applies to dimensions without tolerance specified.

2/This dimension shall be used when required to prevent bolt heads from rotating.