

Floating Joints Solid Type

Miniature

FLCM

Part Number Type	M-Pitch	l	l1	l2	l3	L	T	D	B	B1	B2	(C)	(C1)	(C2)	Allowable Misalignment U	Working Load kgf (N)	Mass (g)	Unit Price 1-9 pcs(s)	Volume Discount Rate	
FLCM	3-0.5	4.5	8	8	3	12	1.8	11	11	5.5	5.5	12.7	6.4	6.4	0.5	~1.9 (19)	8			
	4-0.7		10	10			2.4	7	7	8.1	8.1					~5.4 (53)	9			
	5-0.8	6	11	12.5	4	17	3.2	14	14	8	6	16.2	9.2	7			~12.3 (121)	21		
	6-1.0		14	15.5			3.6	10	10	11.5	7					22				

Material	Accessories
Main Body: Please see P.1418.	Hex Nut
Thread: 304 Stainless Steel	(Trivalent Bright Chromate)

⚠ Excessively (6mm or more) tightening the screw (Tapped) might prevent the ball inside from moving.

Screw-In

FLCT · M8-M12

FLCL · M14-M26

Part Number Type	M-Pitch	l	l1	l2	l3	L	D	B	B1	(C)	Allowable Misalignment U	Working Load kgf (N) for Push and Pull	Mass (kg)	Unit Price 1-4 pcs(s)	Volume Discount Rate	
FLCT	8-1.0	8	6			30	30	14	13	16.2	0.5	~60 (588)	0.12			
	10-1.25	10	9	12	3	36	36	19	17	22	0.75	~120 (1177)	0.19			
	12-1.5	13	14	24	6	49	45	23	23	26.6	1	~540 (5296)	0.40			
	14-1.5															19
	16-1.5	15	24			59	45	29	23	33.5	40.4	1.5	~780 (7644)	1.10		
	18-1.5															
22-1.5	22	31.5	32	11.5	75	61	35	29	40.4	47.3	1.5	~1380 (13524)	1.80			
26-1.5																33

Material	Surface Treatment	Accessory (M14 ~ 26 only)
Main Body: Please see P.1418.	Trivalent Bright Chromate	Hex Nut (Trivalent Bright Chromate)
Thread: 1018 Carbon Steel		
Mounting Part (M8-M12): Low Carbon Steel		
Mounting Part (M14-M26): Cast Iron Class No.30	Manganese Phosphate Coating Treatment	

⚠ Thread for M8-M12 has no surface treatment.

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Flange Mounting

FLCF · M8-M12

FLCL · M14-M26

Part Number Type	M-Pitch	l	l1	l2	t	L	D	d	A	P	(Q)	B	(C)	Allowable Misalignment U	Working Load kgf (N) for Push and Pull	Mass (kg)	Unit Price 1-4 pcs(s)	Volume Discount Rate
FLCF	8-1.0	8	6	6		36.5	30	5.5		40	10	14	16.2	0.5	~60 (588)	0.14		
	10-1.25	10	9	7	3	43.5	36	6.5		48	14	19	22	0.75	~120 (1177)	0.20		
	12-1.5	13	14		12	54	49	7	60	43		23	26.6	1	~540 (5296)	0.54		
	14-1.5					64	49	7	60	43		29	33.5			29	33.5	0.60
	16-1.5	15	24			78.5	61	9	76	55		35	40.4	1.5	~780 (7644)	1.10		
	18-1.5					15	24		64	49	7	60	43			29	33.5	0.60
22-1.5	22	31.5	32	11.5	88	69	11	90	64		41	47.3	1.5	~1380 (13524)	1.80			
26-1.5					22	31.5	32	11.5	75	61	35	29		40.4	47.3	1.5	~1380 (13524)	1.80

Material	Surface Treatment
Main Body: Please see P.1418.	Trivalent Bright Chromate
Thread: 1018 Carbon Steel	
Mounting Part (M8-M12): Low Carbon Steel	
Mounting Part (M14-M26): Cast Iron Class No.30	Manganese Phosphate Coating Treatment

Bracket Mounting

FLCL

Part Number Type	M-Pitch	l	l1	l2	L	L1	T	D	d	W	P	P1	H	B	(C)	Allowable Misalignment U	Working Load kgf (N) for Push and Pull	Mass (kg)	Unit Price 1-4 pcs(s)	Volume Discount Rate	
FLCL	8-1.0	8	6	10	23.5	39.5		30	5.5	31	16		16	14	16.2	0.5	~60 (588)	0.16			
	10-1.25	10	9	12	28.5	49.5	3	36	6.5	43	20		19	19	22	0.75	~120 (1177)	0.27			
	12-1.5	13	14	27	72	36	14	51	7	51	28	35	26	23	26.6	1	~540 (5296)	0.80			
	14-1.5																				47
	16-1.5	15	24			47		18	62	9	62	36	46	32	35	40.4	1.5	~780 (7644)	1.50		
	18-1.5																				
22-1.5	22	31.5	34	90	55.5	18	62	9	62	36	46	54	37	41	47.3	1.5	~1380 (13524)	2.30			
26-1.5																					33

Material	Surface Treatment
Main Body: See below	Trivalent Bright Chromate
Thread: 1018 Carbon Steel	
Mounting Part (M8-M12): Low Carbon Steel	
Mounting Part (M14-M26): Cast Iron Class No.30	Manganese Phosphate Coating Treatment

Ordering Example

Part Number: **FLCM3-0.5**
FLCT10-1.25

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Overview

- The tip inside the connector is spherical, and absorption of misalignment is possible. Shaft alignment and parallelism setting in cylinder mounting can thus be achieved merely by visual estimation.
- Due to integration of connector and holder, selecting is easy, and at the same time, number of parts is reduced.
- For Miniature Type (FLCM), screws with sizes M3 to M6 are provided for small cylinders.
- For Standard Type, three mounting variations are offered: Screw-In Type (FLCT), Flange Mounting Type (FLCF) and Bracket Mounting Type (FLCL).

Components

Thread Dia.	Type (How to Mount)	
Miniature	M3~M6	FLCM (Screw-In)
Standard Type	M8~M26	FLCT (Screw-In), FLCF (Flange Mounting), FLCL (Bracket Mounting)

Part Number	Part Name	Material
①	Stud	304 Stainless Steel
②	Nut	1018 Carbon Steel
③	Case	C36000 Brass
④	Ball Holder	C36000 Brass
⑤	Ball Joiner	C36000 Brass
⑥	Socket	C36000 Brass
⑦	Rod Tip Nut	SWCH Carbon Steel/R Carbon Wire Steel (JIS)

Part Number	Part Name	Material
①	Rod Tip Socket	1018 Carbon Steel (M26 is 1045 Carbon Steel)
②	Cap	52100 Bearing Steel
③	Radial Direction Clearance	-
④	Steel Ball Retainer	52100 Bearing Steel
⑤	Rubber Steel Ball Retainer Plate	Nitrile Rubber
⑥	Steel Ball	-
⑦	Ball Holder	52100 Bearing Steel
⑧	Case	Cast Iron Class No.30

Features

- Misalignment is absorbed in three-dimensions through the ball joint swing A and misalignment motion B. See Figure ①
- FLCT, FLCF and FLCL have a built-in bearing, which reduces lateral load significantly and absorbs misalignment. See Figure ②

Benefits

- The following benefits are obtained by installing on the cylinder rod.
- Prevents one end of cylinder rod from getting worn out. Prevents breakage of the gasket.
- Enables operation at low pressure. Prevents thrust decline.

Precautions for Use

- Although the screw is rotatable, the connector cannot be used as a rotating joint.
- Non-reusable after disassembled.
- Grease filled to eliminate oiling.
- The applied load shown is static. Note that the applied load value for repeated impact load will be lower than shown.

Example