Closing Gripper Series

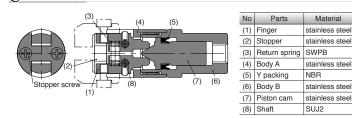
Characteristics

- These are stainless steel air finger models featuring light weight and miniature size.
- Blank fingers are available for the K type fingers as option. R-guide leaves no possibility of misalignment. The blank finger can be attached to the K type finger with a single screw.
- Stable gripping is assured by a work stopper. The floating type makes more effective use of the work stopper, and prevents damage due to bumping. (Finger type: K)

Specifications

Cylinder dia.	ø8mm (0.31in.) ø11mm (0.43ir		
Gripping force at *72.5psi~fingers in parallel	0.059lbf (0.08N)	0.148lbf (0.20N)	
Operating pressure range	29 ~ 102psi (0.2 ~ 0.7MPa)		
Operating temp. range	32 ~ 140°F (0 ~ 6	0°C) (no freezing)	
Lubrication	Not required		
* 0.5MPa			

Construction



Model Designation (Example)



(1) Type

(2) Cylinder dia.

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 Dia.
 ø8mm (0.31in.)
 ø11mm (0.43in.)

(3) Gripper action

A: Single-acting closing gripper (normally open)



(5) Finger type

K: R-guide single screw installation type (round back surface, marked as §) (blank fingers are purchased separately.)

Work stopper is provided as a standard feature. Remove it if it is not necessary.

S: Two screw installation type (flat back surface)

▶ In case of ordering, please apply Model code in the following chart.

Detailed Safety Instructions

Before using the PISCO device, be sure to read the "Safety Instructions", "Common Safety Instructions for Products Listed in This Manual" on page 13 to 15 and "Common Safety Instructions for Actuators" on page 258 and "Common Safety Instructions for Lever Grippers" on page 258.

ROHS The products listed in this page are ECO-friendly products. • Please refer to page 4 for the details of ECO-friendly products.

CHM	Model	CHM	Model
Shank Type	CHM08AAK	Panel Mount Type	CHM08ABK
5.	CHM11AAK		CHM11ABK
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CHM	Model	СНМ	Model
Floating Panel Mount Type	CHM08ACK	Floating Panel Mount Type	CHM08ADK
Gripper in Parallel	CHM11ACK	Gripper at Right Angle	CHM11ADK
K			
СНМ	Model	СНМ	Model
Floating Block Type	CHM08AEK	Floating Block Type	CHM08AFK
Gripper in Parallel	CHM11AEK	Gripper at Right Angle	CHM11AFK
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CHM	Model	CHM	Model
Shank Type	CHM08AAS	Panel Mount Type	CHM08ABS
	CHM11AAS		CHM11ABS
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Cautions

 *1. Blank fingers on next page can be attached to the models end with "K" as an option.
 *2. The model with low sales average may be build to order production. For details, please contact Pisco sales office or sales representative.

Package specification

1 pc. in a bag

Common Safety Instructions for Actuators

Be sure to read the following instructions before selecting and using the PISCO devices. Also read the detailed instructions for individual series.

AWarnings: 1. Watch out for the moving parts of Actuator during operation. Provide safety means, such as a protective cover, where there is danger to human bodies.

- 2. Where trouble with power supply can cause performance drop, bodily injuries or damage to the equipment, provide safety means.
 - 3. Use clean air, removing drainage and dirt. Impurities contained in compressed air cause malfunction.
 - 4. Do not use Actuators in locations where they are exposed to water drops, oil drops or dust. Malfunction may result from such careless use.
- 5. Do not allow excessive external forces or shocks to act on the Actuator body. Also take care not to drop the Actuator, or damage to its body may result.
- ▲ Cautions: 1. Actuators can be used without lubrication. But when you do lubricate, use Turbine Oil Class 1 (ISO VG32). Once you started lubrication, continue it. Discontinuance may result in malfunction due to the loss of initial lubricant.

Common Safety Instructions for Lever Gripper

🗖 Be sure to read the following instructions before selecting and using the PISCO devices. Also read the detailed instructions for individual series.

△ Warnings: 1. The holding force of the Closing Gripper Series changes in relation to the holding point. Much separation of the holding point from the lever fulcrum of the Lever Gripper and heavy fingers may shorten the gripper life and cause damage to the gripper body. Consult PISCO about such applications.

- 2. Use a model having a holding power sufficient for the weight of work to be held. Insufficient holding power may result in the drop of work.
- 3. Use the gripper with works of the size as specified in the work dimensions table in the manual. Use with works of wrong size can shorten life or result in unstable holding.
- 4. When installing a Blank Finger, use a proper tool and the recommended tightening torque in the table below and make certain that the Blank Finger is not dislocated from the master finger. Wrong torque or dislocation may cause malfunction, dislocation of the holding position or drop of work.

Table. Recommended Tightening Torque

Thread size		Tightening torque	
	M2×0.4	0.6 ~ 0.8N·m (0.44 ~ 0.59lb·ft)	
	M2.5×0.45	1.3 ~ 1.5N·m (0.96 ~ 1.11lb·ft)	

5. Do not allow lateral loads or shocks to act on the master finger. Damage to the finger or accuracy drop may result.

- 6. Use the floating panel mount type within the specified stroke range. Loading beyond the specified stroke may cause damage to the gripper body.
- 7. When light press-fitting is carried out by the work stopper of the Opening Gripper, use a press-fitting force equal to or below the level specified in the table below. The force beyond that may damage the gripper body.

Table. Press-Fitting Force

Cylinder diameter	Press-fitting force
ø8mm	900N (202lb)
ø11mm	1,000N (225lb)

8. When instaling the piping to the floating panel mount type Gripper, be sure to tighten with a proper tool on the two-face cut portion. Tightening by the use of other parts may damage the gripper body.

Safety Instructions

This Safety Instructions aim to prevent injuries to human bodies and damage to properties by requiring proper use of PISCO devices. Also the relevant requirements of ISO 4414 and JIS B8370 must be observed.

ISO 4414: Pneumatic fluid power ... Recomendations for the application of equipment to transmission and control systems.

JIS B 8370: General standards for pneumatic systems

Safety instructions are classified into "Danger", "Warning" and "Caution", depending on the degree of danger or damage involved when the safety instructions are not complied with in handling the equipment.

△ Danger : Failure to heed the warning of apparent danger may result in death or serious injuries.

△ Warning : Failure to heed the warning of conditionally dangerous situations may result in death or serious injuries.

△ Caution : Failure to heed the warning of conditionally dangerous situations may result in minor or not too serious injuries or damage to properties.

△ Warning : 1. Make a selection of pneumatic equipment.

- (1) Well knowledgeable and experienced persons such as a pneumatic system designer or who is in charge of deciding specification should select pneumatic equipment.
- (2) The applicable conditions of the products in this catalogue are diverse. Therefore, judge the conformity of systems with required analysis or tests by system designers or persons who is in charge of deciding specifications. The guarantee of initial performance and safety of the system is on responsibility of the person who decides specifications. Hereafter, examine all the specification with updated products catalogues and technical documents in order to avoid malfunctions of equipment, and then develop systems.
- 2. Handle pneumatic equipment with enough knowledge and experience.
 - (1) Mishandling of compressed air is dangerous. Conduct assembly, operation and maintenance of devises with pneumatic equipment by persons with enough knowledge and experience.
- 3. Do not operate and remove the equipment until safety is confirmed.
 - (1) Conduct inspection and maintenance of equipment after confirming fail-proof measures of work pieces or runaway-proof device are properly working.
 - (2) When removing equipment, make sure that above safety measures are conducted. Then, stop air supply and electric source of equipment making sure the pressure inside the system is zero before removing equipment.
 - (3) When re-activate equipment, make sure safety measures against fly-out are taken and re-activate equipment with care.

* Safety Instructions are subject to change without advance notice.

Common Safety Instructions for Products Listed in This Manual

PISCO products are designed and manufactured for use with general industrial machinery and equipment. Therefore be sure to observe the following safety instructions:

△ Danger : 1. Do not use PISCO devices with the following equipment:

- (1) Equipment used for the sustenance or control of people's health or lives
- (2) Equipment used for the movement or transport of people
- (3) Equipment used specifically to ensure safety

▲ Warning : 1. Avoid the following uses for PISCO devices:

- (1) Use under conditions not specified for the device
- (2) Use in any outdoor environment
- (3) Use in locations where the device is exposed to excessive vibration or shocks
- (4) Use in locations where the device is exposed to any corrosive gas, inflammable gas, chemicals, seawater, or vapor.
- * Certain PISCO devices, however, can be used in environments as described above. Therefore check on the specifications for the use of individual devices.
- 2. Do not disassemble or remodel the PISCO devices in such a way as may affect the basic structure, performance or function of them.
- 3. Never touch the release ring of the Quick-Fitting Joint when there is pressure working on it. Touching may release the ring, which in turn may cause the tube to fall out.
- 4. Avoid too frequent switching of air pressure. Otherwise the device body may heat up to cause burns on you.
- 5. Do not allow tension, twist or bending forces to act on the joints. Undue forces may damage the joint body.
- 6. For applications in which the threaded side or the tube connection side is subject to vibration, use Rotary Joints, High Rotary Joints or Multi-Circuit Rotary Blocks only. Swinging or rotation may damage the joint body.
- 7. For applications with hot water of 60°C (140°F) or above or thermal oil, use no other joints than Die Temperature Control Fitting, Tube Fitting Stainless SUS316, Tube Fitting Stainless SUS316 Compression Fitting, and All Brass Compression Fitting. Heat or hydolysis may damage the joint body.
- 8. For applications in which the scattering of static electricity or charging must be prevented, use no other joints than EG Joints. Static electricity may cause system malfunction or trouble.
- 9. Never use joint other than Tube Fitting Spatter or Tube Fitting Brass where they are exposed to spatter. Otherwise can cause fire.
- 10. Carry out maintenance and checks of equipment only after turning power off, shutting fluid off and making certain that the pressure in the piping has dropped to zero. Please conduct maintenance after confirming following points.
 - (1) Make sure that maintenance is safe for all the systems involving PISCO products.
 - (2) When re-activate equipment after maintenance, make sure safety measures against fly-out are taken and re-activate equipment with care.
 - (3) Please secure space for maintenance when the circuit is designed.
- 11. When the fluid is admitted to the equipment and if there is a possibility to cause damage to it due to leakage, conduct safety measures such as protect cover beforehand.
- △ Caution : 1. In installing the piping, be sure to remove dust or drainage from within the piping. Dust or drainage left unremoved may enter other equipment, thus causing troubles.
 - 2. When using an ultrasoft tube to connect to a Quick-Fitting Joint, be sure to use an insert ring in the bore of the tube. Otherwise the tube may fall out to cause leakage.
 - 3. When you use tubes of brands other than ours, be sure to confirm that the outside diameter of the tubes satisfies the tolerance specified Table 1.

Table 1. Tube O.D. Tolerance

mm size	Nylon tube	Urethane tube	inch size	Nylon tube	Urethane tube
ø1.8mm	-	±0.05mm	Ø1/8	±0.0039in.	±0.0059in.
ø3mm	-	±0.15mm	ø ⁵ / ₃₂	+0.0039in.	±0.0059in.
ø4mm	±0.1mm	±0.15mm	Ø ³ / ₁₆	±0.0039in.	±0.0059in.
ø6mm	±0.1mm	±0.15mm	Ø1/4	±0.0039in.	±0.0059in.
ø8mm	±0.1mm	±0.15mm	Ø ⁵ / ₁₆	+0.0039in.	±0.0059in.
ø10mm	±0.1mm	±0.15mm	Ø ³ /8	±0.0039in.	±0.0059in.
ø12mm	±0.1mm	±0.15mm	Ø1/2	±0.0039in.	±0.0059in.
ø16mm	±0.1mm	±0.15mm	Ø ⁵ /8	±0.0039in.	±0.0059in.

4. Cautions on the fitting of tube

Make certain that the end of the tube is cut at right angles, the tube surface is free from flaws, and the tube is not deformed into an ellipse.
 When fitting a tube, insert the tube to the tube end completely as drawings shown below to prevent leakage.



Tube is not inserted fully to tube end.

(3) On completion of fitting, make certain that the tube does not come out at your pulling.

5. Cautions on the release of tube

- (1) Before releasing the tube, make certain that the pressure inside the tube is zero.
- (2) Push the release ring fully inside and pull out the tube. Unless you push it completely in, the tube may not come out and scrapings of tube may be left inside the joint.

6. Cautions on the installation of joint body

(1) When installing the joint body, tighten it with a proper tool, using the outside or inside hexagon.

(2) In tightening the screw, use the tightening torque recommended in Table 3.

· Use of a torque higher than the recommended level may damage thread or deform gasket, thus causing leaks.

· Use of a torque lower than the recommended level may cause loose screw and leakage.

(3) With the joint whose piping direction will not change after tightening, make adjustment within the recommended range of tightening torques.

Table 3. Tightening Torque, Sealock Color and Gasket Material

Thread type	Thread size	Tightening torque	Sealock color	Gasket material
Metric thread	M3×0.5	0.7N·m (0.52lbf·ft)		SUS304, NBR
	M5×0.8	1.0 ~ 1.5N·m (0.74 ~ 1.11lbf·ft)	n/a	
	M6×1.0	2.0 ~ 2.7N·m (1.48 ~ 1.99lbf·ft)		
	M3×0.5	0.5 ~ 0.6N·m (0.37 ~ 0.44lbf·ft)		
	M5×0.8	1.0 ~ 1.5N·m (0.74 ~ 1.11lbf·ft)	n/a	POM (Polyacetal)
-	M6×0.75	0.8 ~ 1.0N·m (0.59 ~ 0.74lbf·ft)	- II/a	
	M8×0.75	1.0 ~ 2.0N·m (0.74 ~ 1.48lbf·ft)		
Taper pipe thread	R1/8	7 ~ 9N·m (5.16 ~ 6.64lbf·ft)		n/a
	R1/4	12 ~ 14N·m (8.85 ~ 10.33lbf·ft)	White	
	R3/8	22 ~ 24N·m (16.23 ~ 17.70lbf·ft)	vviite	
	R1/2	28 ~ 30N·m (20.65 ~ 22.13lbf·ft)		
Unified thread	No. 10-32UNF	1.0 ~ 1.5N·m (0.74 ~ 1.11lbf·ft)	n/a	SUS304, NBR
National Pipe Thread Taper (American standard)	1/16-28NPT	7 ~ 9N·m (5.16 ~ 6.64lbf·ft)		
	1/8-27NPT	7~9N·m (5.16~6.64lbf·ft)		
	1/4-18NPT	12 ~ 14N·m (8.85 ~ 10.33lbf·ft)	Gray	n/a
	3/8-18NPT	22 ~ 24N·m (16.23 ~ 17.70lbf·ft)		
	1/2-14NPT	28 ~ 30N·m (20.65 ~ 22.13lbf·ft)		

Recommended tightening torque for silencer

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Thread Type	Thread Size	Tightening Torque	
	M5×0.8		
Metric thread	M6×1.0	1/6 turn after hand-tightening	
	M10×1.0		
Parallele pipe thread	G1/8	1/2 ~ 1 turn after hand-tightening	
	G1/4		
	G3/8		
	G1/2		

7. Cautions on the removal of joint body

(2) Remove sealant sticking to the thread on the mating equipment. The sealant left sticking may enter the perpheral equipment and cause trouble. 8. Clean-room package option

* The product is washed by clean air after assemblying in the normal assembly process as same condition as standard specification model. Then, it is packed in ISO class 6 clean-room.

⁽¹⁾ When removing the joint body, loosen it with a proper tool, using the outside or inside hexagon.