# Valve gate nozzle type 8NEST

### Single nozzle with conventional heating element

### **TECHNICAL DATA**

### **8NEST**

Needle Ød			3	3 mm			
Melt channel Ød			<b>d</b> 7	7.5 mm			
Gate point Ød			1	1.6, 2.0 or 2.5 mm			
Operating pressure 10 bar							
Operating voltage 230 V <sub>AC</sub> *							
Nominal length of the nozzle (L) in mm							
50	60	80	100	120	150	200	250
				П			П

<sup>\*</sup>Volts alternating current

### NOTE

Power connector CMT and thermocouple connector CMLK are to be ordered separately.

## Feed and discharge lines for operating the needle

Preferably, channels with a minimum dia. of 6 mm and a minimum length of 200 mm are to be used. Feed/discharge lines are to be placed in the heated mould plate to prevent overheating of the compressed air. The temperature should lie between 40 °C and 70 °C. In the case of mould temperatures exceeding the thermal stress limit of the pneumatic valves, a separate air cooler is to be installed. Pneumatic hose inner dia. of 8 mm. Pneumatic valve size of 2000 l/min to 3000 l/min.

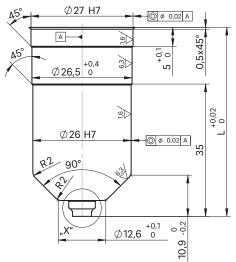




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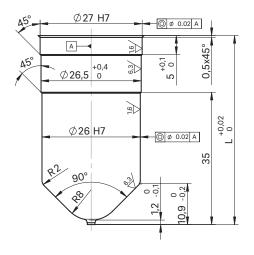


## Nozzle with needle guide antechamber design LA

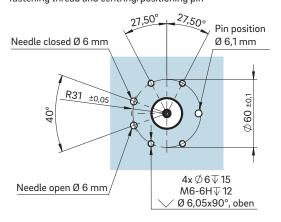


For "X" version of the needle guide see following page

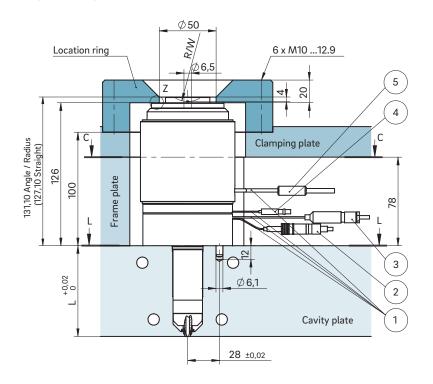
## Nozzle with needle guide antechamber design KA



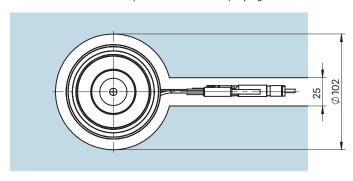
Cross-section L-L: Hole for feed/discharge air, fastening thread and centring/positioning pin



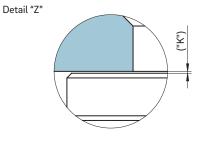
#### **INSTALLATION**



Cross-section C-C: Cutout for nozzle head, power and thermocouple plug connections



- Power and thermocouple plug connections in this area can be bent once; minimum radius: R8
- 3 Power connector CMT
- 4 Permanent thermocouple plug connection
- $\bigcirc$  Permanent power connection



Dimension "K" required for heat expansion is to be ensured by grinding the location ring! Determine the difference between the height of the nozzle (with mount) and the height of the structure when installed!  $\Delta T$  specifies the temperature differential between the processing temperature and the mould temperature!

A pre-tension of 0.03 mm is taken into account for the K dimensions.

ΔT (°C)	100	150	200	250	300	350
K (mm)	0.09	0.16	0.23	0.29	0.36	0.42



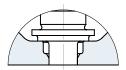
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### Needle guide versions LA, LA with titanium ring, LAZ and KA

#### **NEEDLE GUIDE VERSIONS**



Needle guide version Antechamber version LA



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### Needle guide LA

Made of powder-metallurgical steel

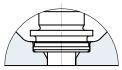
If necessary, the needle guide can be changed without great effort. By replacing the needle guide and needle, the gate point diameter can be made larger or smaller without subsequent reworking of the mould cavity. Thanks to a precise needle guide, the clean gate point can be closed with nearly no wear or burring.

#### Advantages:

- Long service life and wear-resistance
- Wear parts are easy to replace
- Outstanding and flash-free gate point quality
- Very good visual surface quality
- No replacement or subsequent reworking of the mould inserts required
- Minimal shear stress



Needle guide version Antechamber version LA with titanium ring

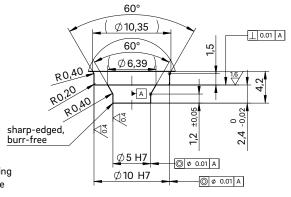


### Needle guide LA

Special version with titanium ring

Thermal insulation of the needle guide using a titanium ring expands the area of use of the valve gate nozzle to include the following plastics:

- Polyamides (PA4.6, PA6.6 and HTN)
- Thermoplastic polyesters (PBT and PET)
- Liquid crystalline polymers (LCP)
- Polyether ether ketones (PEEK)



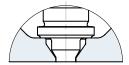


### Installation dimensions of needle guide version LAZ

ØD	ØS7	t5	t6
1.6	3.0	0.63	0.77
2.0	3.5	0.63	1.07
2.5	4.0	0.58	1.43



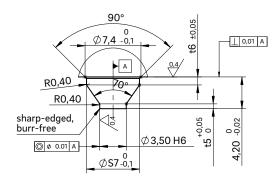
Needle guide version Antechamber version LAZ



### Needle guide LAZ

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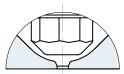


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Needle guide version Antechamber version KA



### Needle guide KA

This is used when a second marking on the part is not permissible.

When selecting the material to be used, the needle hardness of 64 ±2 HRC is to be taken into account!

