General instructions and technical details

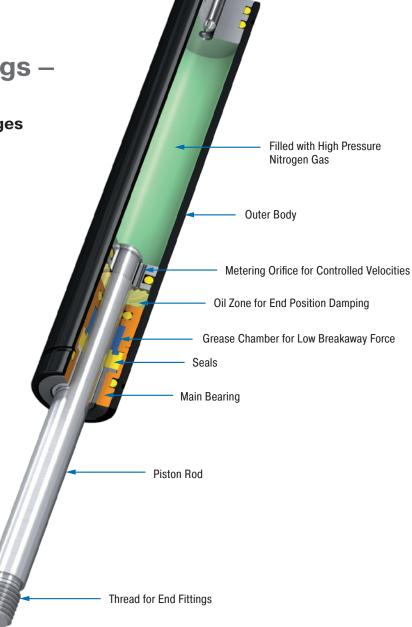
GS-8 to GS-70 Industrial gas springs – **push type** Individual strokes and force ranges

Valve technology Force range 10 N to 13,000 N Stroke 20 mm to 1,000 mm

GS-8 GS-10 GS-12 GS-15 GS-19 GS-22

GS-28 GS-40

GS-70



Valve

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Manual

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General instructions

This manual is for the disruption-free use of the product types listed on page 1; its compliance is a prerequisite for the fulfilment of any warranty claims.

Therefore, make sure to read this manual before use. Always maintain the limits specified in the performance table. Take into account the predominant environmental conditions and restrictions. Note the regulations of the trade association, TÜV or corresponding national, international and European regulations. Installation and commissioning only according to mounting instructions.

Safety information

 WARNING

 If ACE gas springs are used where a failure of the product could lead to personal injuries and/or material damage, additional safety elements must be implemented.

 If ACE fap/mass can fall down during installation of the gas springs. Secure the flap/mass to be moved against falling down.

 Always install:

 Push type gas springs always in extended state. Pull type gas springs in retracted state.

Intended use

ACE industrial push type gas springs are used wherever flaps or components are to be pressed, pulled, lifted, positioned or lowered by hand with the support of gas springs and without external energy. ACE gas springs are individually filled with a certain pressure (force range F.) according to customer requirements.

Description and function

Industrial push type gas springs are maintenance-free and ready-to-install. They are available off-the-shelf with a body diameter of 8 mm to 70 mm and forces of between 10 N and 13,000 N with a valve.

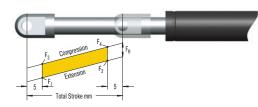
ACE push type gas springs are individually filled with a certain pressure (force range F_1) according to customer requirements. Taking into account the filling pressure, the cross-sectional area of the piston rod generates the force range $F = p^*A$.

When inserting the piston rod, nitrogen flows through a metering orifice into the piston from the piston side to the piston rod side. The filling with nitrogen is sealed by the piston rod volume (compressed).

The increasing pressure causes the force increase (progression) of the gas springs. The force increase is dependent upon the ratio of the piston rod diameter to the outer body diameter and is approximately linear.

Calculation basis

Gas spring characteristic line in force-distance diagram



F_1 = nominal force at 20 °C (selected with orders and calculations)

 F_{a} = force in retracted state

 F_3 = force at the start of the insertion movement F_4 = force at the end of the insertion movement

Gas springs (push type)

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TYPES	¹ Progression approx. %	² Friction force F _R approx. in N
GS-8	29 - 33	10
GS-10	13 - 16	10
GS-12	20 - 35	20
GS-15	30 - 40	20
GS-19	24 - 35	30
GS-22	30 - 40	30
GS-28	63 - 76	40
GS-40	38 - 50	50
GS-70	25	50

¹ Depending on stroke ² Depending on filling power

Progression: Linear force increase during retraction, measured by the nominal force over the entire stroke. The specified approximate values can be changed on request.

Temperature effect: Due to physical restrictions the force of the gas springs changes by 3.4% every 10 °C.

Filling tolerances: -20 N to +40 N or 5% to 7%. The tolerances may deviate depending on construction size and force range.

Instructions for the discharge process with valve gas springs

- 1. Hold gas spring with valve vertically upwards.
- 2. Screw DE-GAS adjustment tool onto the valve threaded pin.
- Operate DE-GAS with light manual force until nitrogen escapes.
 Only press briefly so that not too much nitrogen can escape.
- After the discharge, remove the DE-GAS, screw on the mounting element and try the gas springs in the application; if necessary, repeat the discharge process.

If 2 gas springs are installed in parallel, both gas springs should have the same force in order to avoid tilting. If necessary, send to ACE in order to have both gas springs filled to the same (averaged) force.

If too much nitrogen is discharged, this can be refilled at ACE.



Calculation and design

In order to achieve an optimum force progression with minimal manual force, the gas spring must be correctly dimensioned and the suspension points optimally positioned (see figure). The following must be determined:

- Gas spring types
- Necessary gas spring stroke
- Fastening points on flap and frame
- Maximum installation length of the gas spring
- Necessary force ranges
- Manual force to be used for all flap positions

With the free ACE calculation service you can avoid these time-consuming calculations. Using the calculation form in the catalogue or on www.ace-ace.de you can fax or mail the necessary requirements to us. Please add a sketch in side view (simple hand-drawn sketch with dimensions is sufficient) to your application. Our technical advisers can use this to determine the optimum mounting points for you.

You will receive a calculation offer with manual forces required to open and close. The mounting points on the flap and the frame are selected in such a way that they can be easily mounted to (hooked in) the completely extended gas spring with an open flap.

Delivery and storage

- After delivery please check the gas springs for any damage.
- The tension gas springs can become damaged if they fall down; remove gas springs from packaging carefully.
- Push type gas springs can generally be stored in any position. (Recommendation: Store with piston rod pointing downwards.)
- Always store push type gas springs in a dry place in order to avoid oxidation.
- The recommended maximum storage time is 1 year.
- Any protective packaging must be removed before installation.

Maintenance and care

Industrial push type gas springs are maintenance-free and readyto-install. Regularly check the gas springs for oil loss, function and external damage.

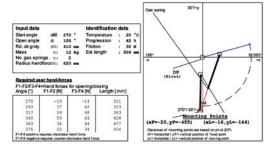
Push type gas springs are machine elements that are subject to continuous wear. Increased service life results in a reduced pushing (pulling) force. If this is no longer sufficient, the push type gas springs must be replaced or exchanged as appropriate.

Disassembly and disposal

Take account of environmental protection during disposal of the gas springs.

Push type gas springs can be given an oil filling depending on model. The corresponding data sheet is available on request. Gas springs cannot be repaired (with the exception of GS-70). The corresponding disposal instructions are available on request. You can return the gas springs to ACE for disposal that is free of charge.

Only remove push type gas springs in a completely extended state. This allows the gas spring to be easily unhooked.



Example: Calculation offer with mounting information

Installation instructions

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Gas springs are maintenance-free and ready to install. Before installation and use, check whether the identification number on the gas spring matches the respective designation on the delivery note.

Operating temperature range: -20 °C to +80 °C

Temperature effect: Due to physical restrictions the force of the gas springs changes by 3.4% every 10 °C.

Mounting: Install piston rod pointing downwards, then the end-position damping acts during opening and the piston rod of the gas spring is lubricated.

Filling tolerance: -20 N to +40 N or 5% to 7%

- WARNING

 The flap/mass can fall down during installation of the gas
 springs.
 Secure the flap/mass to be moved against falling down. Always
 install push type gas springs in extended state, pull type gas
- springs in retracted state. If the temperature exceeds or falls below the maximum or
- minimum temperature, the gas spring may fail. Always maintain temperature range of -20 °C to +80 °C.
- Fluids, gases and dirt particles in the environment can attack or destroy the seal system of the gas spring and cause it to fail.
- Protect piston rod and seal system from external materials in the environment.

 A Damage to the piston rod surface can destroy the seal
- Damage to the piston rod surface can destroy the sear system. Do not grease, oil, paint piston rod, etc.; protect against dirt
- particles. Tilting and lateral forces can lead to leaks from the gas spring or blocking of the piston rod.
- Check installation and ensure suitable end fittings and guides. There must be no tension on mounting parts; if necessary, allow a little free play.
- The body tube can become deformed. Do not allow any transverse or lateral forces on the gas spring. Do not clamp the body tube.
- Always completely screw on the end fittings and, if necessary, secure with threadlocker (Loctite).
- High forces may cause the gas spring to compress or overstretch. Apply mechanical stops.
- Danger of kinking.
- Avoid long stroke lengths combined with a high force range. Max. force.
- The max. forces for the mounting parts and fittings relate to the compressed gas spring. If these are exceeded there is a risk of breakage.

Packaging disposal

Please dispose of the transportation packaging in an environmentally-friendly manner. Recycling packaging materials saves raw materials and reduces waste. The packaging materials do not contain any prohibited materials.

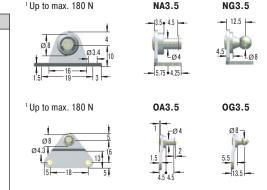
M3.5x0.6 mounting accessories

GS-8

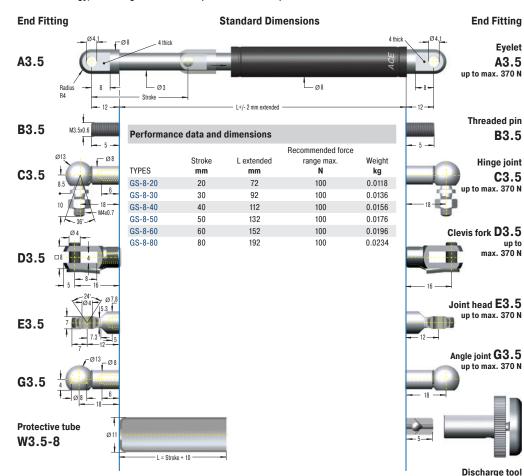
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Note the dimensioning for mounting when using accessory parts. Bolts for fitting of accessories are not included.

If you have any questions, please phone +49 (0)2173 - 9226-20 for free advice.



¹ Note! Max. static load in N; note force increase when pushing in (progression). Higher load possible on request.



The end fittings can be combined in any manner and must be secured against twisting by the customer, if necessary. See mounting accessories.

DE-GAS-3.5



Valve technology, force range 10 N to 100 N (retracted to 133 N)

Installation instructions

4

Gas springs are maintenance-free and ready to install. Before installation and use, check whether the identification number on the gas spring matches the respective designation on the delivery note.

Operating temperature range: -20 °C to +80 °C

Temperature effect: Due to physical restrictions the force of the gas springs changes by 3.4% every 10 °C.

Mounting: Install piston rod pointing downwards, then the end-position damping acts during opening and the piston rod of the gas spring is lubricated.

Filling tolerance: -20 N to +40 N or 5% to 7%

- WARNING The flap/mass can fall down during installation of the gas springs. Secure the flap/mass to be moved against falling down. Always install push type gas springs in extended state, pull type gas
- springs in retracted state. If the temperature exceeds or falls below the maximum or
- minimum temperature, the gas spring may fail. Always maintain temperature range of -20 °C to +80 °C.
- Fluids, gases and dirt particles in the environment can attack or destroy the seal system of the gas spring and cause it to fail.
- Protect piston rod and seal system from external materials in the environment Damage to the piston rod surface can destroy the seal
- system. Do not grease, oil, paint piston rod, etc.; protect against dirt particles.
- Tilting and lateral forces can lead to leaks from the gas spring or blocking of the piston rod.
- Check installation and ensure suitable end fittings and guides. There must be no tension on mounting parts; if necessary, allow a little free play.
- The body tube can become deformed. Do not allow any transverse or lateral forces on the gas spring. Do not clamp the body tube.
- End fittings can come loose from the gas spring. Always completely screw on the end fittings and, if necessary, secure with threadlocker (Loctite).
- High forces may cause the gas spring to compress or overstretch. Apply mechanical stops
- Danger of kinking.
- Avoid long stroke lengths combined with a high force range. Max. force.
- The max. forces for the mounting parts and fittings relate to the / **!** ` compressed gas spring. If these are exceeded there is a risk of breakage

Packaging disposal

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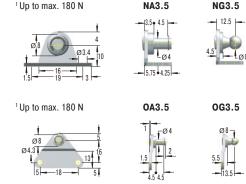
M3.5x0.6 mounting accessories

GS-10

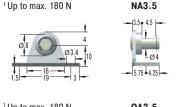
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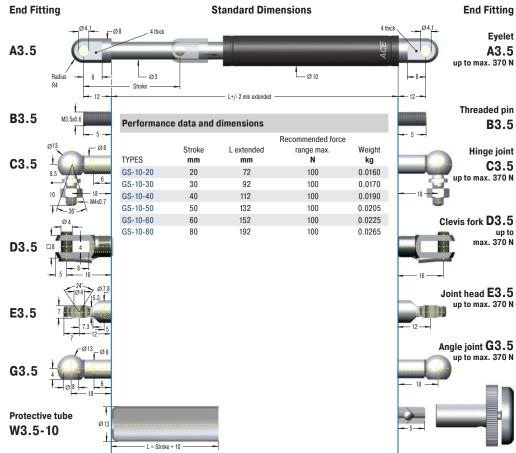
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Discharge tool DE-GAS-3.5

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Valve technology, force range 10 N to 100 N (retracted to 116 N)



Installation instructions

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Gas springs are maintenance-free and ready to install. Before installation and use, check whether the identification number on the gas spring matches the respective designation on the delivery note.

Operating temperature range: -20 °C to +80 °C

Temperature effect: Due to physical restrictions the force of the gas springs changes by 3.4% every 10 °C.

Mounting: Install piston rod pointing downwards, then the end-position damping acts during opening and the piston rod of the gas spring is lubricated.

Filling tolerance: -20 N to +40 N or 5% to 7%

- WARNING

 The flap/mass can fall down during installation of the gas
 springs.
 Secure the flap/mass to be moved against falling down. Always
 install push type gas springs in extended state, pull type gas
- springs in retracted state. If the temperature exceeds or falls below the maximum or minimum temperature, the gas spring may fail. Always maintain temperature range of -20 °C to +80 °C.
- Fluids, gases and dirt particles in the environment can attack or destroy the seal system of the gas spring and cause it to fail.
- Protect piston rod and seal system from external materials in the environment.
- Damage to the piston rod surface can destroy the seal system. Do not grease, oil, paint piston rod, etc.; protect against dirt
- particles.
 Tilting and lateral forces can lead to leaks from the gas
- Spring or blocking of the piston rod. Check installation and ensure suitable end fittings and guides. There must be no tension on mounting parts; if necessary, allow a little free play.
- The body tube can become deformed. Do not allow any transverse or lateral forces on the gas spring. Do not clamp the body tube.
- Always completely screw on the end fittings and, if necessary, secure with threadlocker (Loctite).
- High forces may cause the gas spring to compress or overstretch. Apply mechanical stops.
- Danger of kinking.
- Avoid long stroke lengths combined with a high force range. Max. force.
- The max. forces for the mounting parts and fittings relate to the compressed gas spring. If these are exceeded there is a risk of breakage.

Packaging disposal

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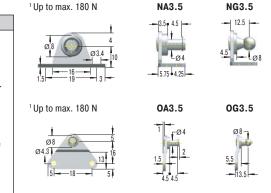
M3.5x0.6 mounting accessories

GS-12

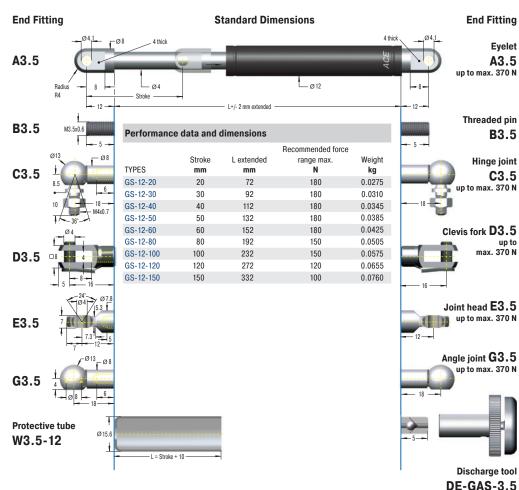
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Valve technology, force range 15 N to 180 N (retracted to 243 N)



Installation instructions

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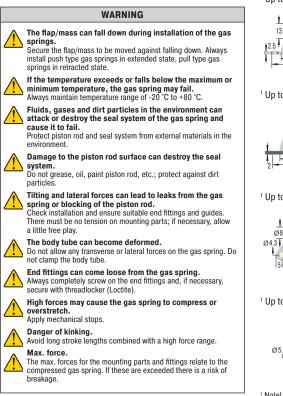
Gas springs are maintenance-free and ready to install. Before installation and use, check whether the identification number on the gas spring matches the respective designation on the delivery note.

Operating temperature range: -20 °C to +80 °C

Temperature effect: Due to physical restrictions the force of the gas springs changes by 3.4% every 10 °C.

Mounting: Install piston rod pointing downwards, then the end-position damping acts during opening and the piston rod of the gas spring is lubricated.

Filling tolerance: -20 N to +40 N or 5% to 7%



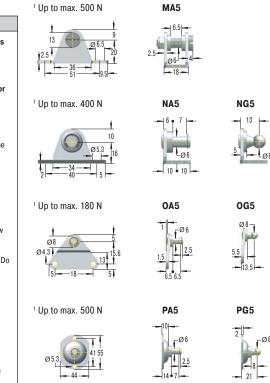
M5x0.8 mounting accessories

GS-15

Before installation check whether the identification number on the packaging matches the respective designation on the delivery note.

Note the dimensioning for mounting when using accessory parts. Bolts for fitting of accessories are not included.

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Packaging disposal

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Valve technology, force range 40 N to 400 N (retracted to 560 N)

Standard Dimensions End Fitting End Fitting 6 thic Evelet A5 A5 up to max. 800 N Øß – Ø 15.6 Radius 10 RF Stroke L+/- 2 mm extended Threaded pin **B**5 M5x0.8 Performance data and dimensions **B**5 Recommended force Stroke L extended range max. Weight Hinge joint TYPES mm mm Ν kg **C**5 **C**5 GS-15-20 20 67 400 0.0440 up to max. 500 N GS-15-40 40 107 400 0.0580 GS-15-50 50 127 400 0.0655 GS-15-60 60 400 0.0725 147 Clevis fork D5 GS-15-80 80 187 400 0.0860 GS-15-100 100 227 400 0.1000 up to max. 800 N 120 267 400 GS-15-120 0.1135 **D**5 150 400 0.1350 GS-15-150 327 0.1680 GS-15-200 200 427 350 Joint head E5 up to max. 800 N Joint screw F5 up to max. 500 N **F5** Angle joint G5 up to max. 500 N **G**5 ØB Protective tube ØI W5-15 – L = Stroke + 20 · **Discharge tool DE-GAS-5**

The end fittings can be combined in any manner and must be secured against twisting by the customer, if necessary. See mounting accessories.



Installation instructions

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Gas springs are maintenance-free and ready to install. Before installation and use, check whether the identification number on the gas spring matches the respective designation on the delivery note.

Operating temperature range: -20 °C to +80 °C

Temperature effect: Due to physical restrictions the force of the gas springs changes by 3.4% every 10 °C.

Mounting: In any position. Install piston rod pointing downwards, then the end-position damping acts during opening.

Filling tolerance: -20 N to +40 N or 5% to 7%

WARNING The flap/mass can fall down during installation of the gas springs. Secure the flap/mass to be moved against falling down. Always install push type gas springs in extended state, pull type gas springs in retracted state. If the temperature exceeds or falls below the maximum or minimum temperature, the gas spring may fail. Always maintain temperature range of -20 °C to +80 °C. Fluids, gases and dirt particles in the environment can attack or destroy the seal system of the gas spring and cause it to fail Protect piston rod and seal system from external materials in the environment Damage to the piston rod surface can destroy the seal system. Do not grease, oil, paint piston rod, etc.; protect against dirt particles. Tilting and lateral forces can lead to leaks from the gas spring or blocking of the piston rod. Check installation and ensure suitable end fittings and guides. There must be no tension on mounting parts; if necessary, allow a little free play. The body tube can become deformed. Do not allow any transverse or lateral forces on the gas spring. Do not clamp the body tube. End fittings can come loose from the gas spring. Always completely screw on the end fittings and, if necessary, secure with threadlocker (Loctite). High forces may cause the gas spring to compress or overstretch. Apply mechanical stops Danger of kinking. Avoid long stroke lengths combined with a high force range. Max. force. The max. forces for the mounting parts and fittings relate to the <u>/ : `</u> compressed gas spring. If these are exceeded there is a risk of breakage

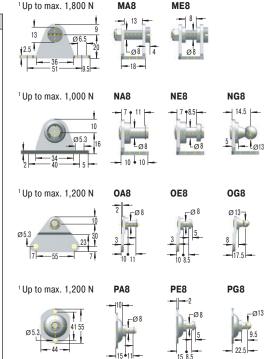
M8x1.25 mounting accessories

GS-19

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Valve technology, force range 50 N to 700 N (retracted to 945 N)

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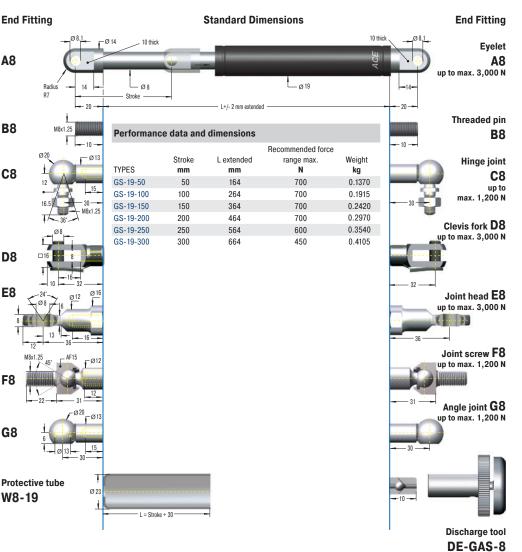
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The end fittings can be combined in any manner and must be secured against twisting by the customer, if necessary. See mounting accessories.

Packaging disposal

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Installation instructions

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Gas springs are maintenance-free and ready to install. Before installation and use, check whether the identification number on the gas spring matches the respective designation on the delivery note.

Operating temperature range: -20 °C to +80 °C

Temperature effect: Due to physical restrictions the force of the gas springs changes by 3.4% every 10 °C.

Mounting: In any position. Install piston rod pointing downwards, then the end-position damping acts during opening.

Filling tolerance: -20 N to +40 N or 5% to 7%

WARNING The flap/mass can fall down during installation of the gas springs. Secure the flap/mass to be moved against falling down. Always install push type gas springs in extended state, pull type gas springs in retracted state. If the temperature exceeds or falls below the maximum or minimum temperature, the gas spring may fail. Always maintain temperature range of -20 °C to +80 °C. Fluids, gases and dirt particles in the environment can attack or destroy the seal system of the gas spring and cause it to fail Protect piston rod and seal system from external materials in the environment Damage to the piston rod surface can destroy the seal system. Do not grease, oil, paint piston rod, etc.; protect against dirt particles. Tilting and lateral forces can lead to leaks from the gas spring or blocking of the piston rod. Check installation and ensure suitable end fittings and guides. There must be no tension on mounting parts; if necessary, allow a little free play. The body tube can become deformed. Do not allow any transverse or lateral forces on the gas spring. Do not clamp the body tube. End fittings can come loose from the gas spring. Always completely screw on the end fittings and, if necessary, secure with threadlocker (Loctite). High forces may cause the gas spring to compress or overstretch. Apply mechanical stops Danger of kinking. Avoid long stroke lengths combined with a high force range. Max. force. The max. forces for the mounting parts and fittings relate to the Z 1 1 compressed gas spring. If these are exceeded there is a risk of 1 Note! Max. static load in N; note force increase when pushing in breakage (progression). Higher load possible on request.

M8x1.25 mounting accessories

GS-22

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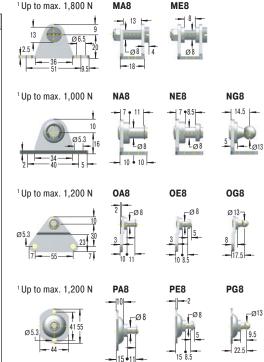
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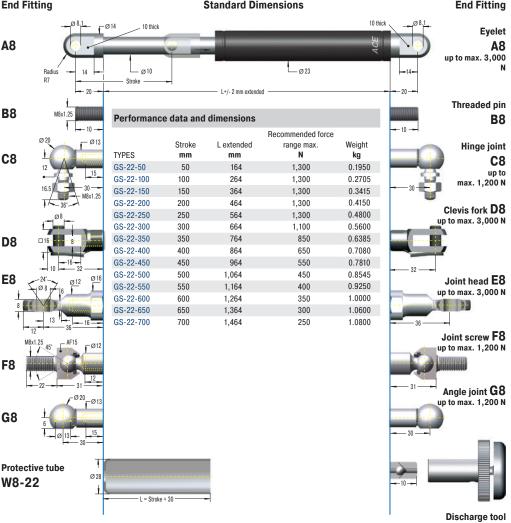
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Packaging disposal

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Installation instructions

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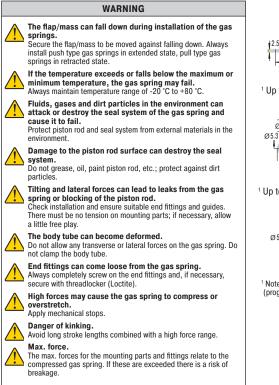
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Operating temperature range: -20 °C to +80 °C

Temperature effect: Due to physical restrictions the force of the gas springs changes by 3.4% every 10 °C.

Mounting: In any position. Install piston rod pointing downwards, then the end-position damping acts during opening.

Filling tolerance: -20 N to +40 N or 5% to 7%



Packaging disposal

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M10x1.5 mounting accessories

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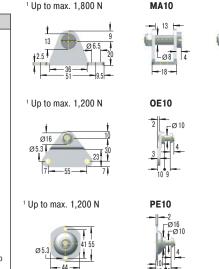
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Note the dimensioning for mounting when using accessory parts. Bolts for fitting of accessories are not included.

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1 Note! Max. static load in N; note force increase when pushing in (progression). Higher load possible on request.

End Fitting End Fitting Standard Dimensions 12 thick Ø18 Evelet A10 A10 up to max. 10,000 N Ø 14 - Ø 28 17 Radius RQ Stroke L+/- 2 mm extended - 25 Threaded pin **B10** M10x1 5 Performance data and dimensions **B10** 12 Recommended force Stroke L extended range max. Weight Hinge joint TYPES mm mm Ν kg C10 C10 GS-28-100 100 262 2.500 0.4865 up to GS-28-150 150 362 2,500 0.6180 max. 1,800 N GS-28-200 200 462 2.500 0.7435 GS-28-250 250 562 2.500 0.8795 Clevis fork D10 GS-28-300 300 662 2.500 1.0090 up to max. 10,000 N GS-28-350 350 762 2,500 1.1410 400 862 2,400 GS-28-400 1.2705 D10 GS-28-450 450 962 1,950 1.3975 GS-28-500 500 1,062 1,600 1.5285 GS-28-550 1,350 1.6555 550 1,162 E10 Joint head E10 GS-28-600 600 1,262 1,150 1.7820 up to max. 10,000 N GS-28-650 650 1,362 1,000 1.9095 900 GS-28-700 700 1,462 2.0200 (++)GS-28-750 750 1.562 800 2.1720 Joint screw F10 F10 up to max. 1,800 N Protective tube Ø 32 W10-28 L = Stroke + 40**Discharge tool** DE-GAS-10

The end fittings can be combined in any manner and must be secured against twisting by the customer, if necessary. See mounting accessories.

Valve technology, force range 150 N to 2,500 N (retracted to 4,400 N)



Installation instructions

10

Gas springs are maintenance-free and ready to install. Before installation and use, check whether the identification number on the gas spring matches the respective designation on the delivery note.

Operating temperature range: -20 °C to +80 °C

Temperature effect: Due to physical restrictions the force of the gas springs changes by 3.4% every 10 °C.

Mounting: In any position. Install piston rod pointing downwards, then the end-position damping acts during opening.

Filling tolerance: -20 N to +40 N or 5% to 7%

WARNING The flap/mass can fall down during installation of the gas

- springs. Secure the flap/mass to be moved against falling down. Always install push type gas springs in extended state, pull type gas springs in retracted state.
- If the temperature exceeds or falls below the maximum or minimum temperature, the gas spring may fail. Always maintain temperature range of -20 °C to +80 °C.
- Fluids, gases and dirt particles in the environment can attack or destroy the seal system of the gas spring and cause it to fail
- Protect piston rod and seal system from external materials in the environment
- Damage to the piston rod surface can destroy the seal system. Do not grease, oil, paint piston rod, etc.; protect against dirt
- particles. Tilting and lateral forces can lead to leaks from the gas spring or blocking of the piston rod.
- Check installation and ensure suitable end fittings and guides. There must be no tension on mounting parts; if necessary, allow a little free play.
- The body tube can become deformed. Do not allow any transverse or lateral forces on the gas spring. Do not clamp the body tube.
- End fittings can come loose from the gas spring. Always completely screw on the end fittings and, if necessary, secure with threadlocker (Loctite).
- High forces may cause the gas spring to compress or overstretch. Apply mechanical stops
- Danger of kinking.
- Avoid long stroke lengths combined with a high force range. Max. force.
- The max. forces for the mounting parts and fittings relate to the / **!** ` compressed gas spring. If these are exceeded there is a risk of breakage

Packaging disposal

Please dispose of the transportation packaging in an environmentally-friendly manner. Recycling packaging materials saves raw materials and reduces waste. The packaging materials do not contain any prohibited materials.

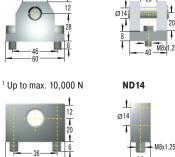
M14x1.5 mounting accessories

GS-40

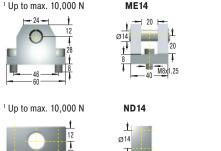
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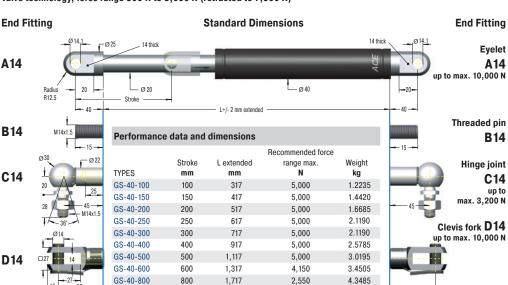
Note the dimensioning for mounting when using accessory parts. Bolts for fitting of accessories are not included.

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1 Note! Max, static load in N: note force increase when pushing in (progression). Higher load possible on request.



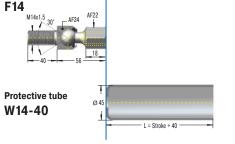


Only on request: This gas spring has to comply with the Pressure Equipment Directive (PED). A check of the application is necessary in individual cases. Please contact our technical service

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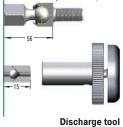


GS-40-10001

E14

1,000

Joint head E14 up to max. 10,000 N Joint screw F14 up to max. 3,200 N



DE-GAS-14

The end fittings can be combined in any manner and must be secured against twisting by the customer, if necessary. See mounting accessories.

Valve technology, force range 500 N to 5,000 N (retracted to 7,500 N)



A14

B14

C14

up to

Installation instructions

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Gas springs are maintenance-free and ready to install. Before installation and use, check whether the identification number on the gas spring matches the respective designation on the delivery note.

Operating temperature range: -20 °C to +80 °C

Temperature effect: Due to physical restrictions the force of the gas springs changes by 3.4% every 10 °C.

Mounting: In any position. Install piston rod pointing downwards, then the end-position damping acts during opening.

Filling tolerance: -20 N to +40 N or 5% to 7%

WARNING

- The flap/mass can fall down during installation of the gas springs.
- Secure the flap/mass to be moved against falling down. Always install push type gas springs in extended state, pull type gas springs in retracted state.
- If the temperature exceeds or falls below the maximum or minimum temperature, the gas spring may fail. Always maintain temperature range of -20 °C to +80 °C.
- Fluids, gases and dirt particles in the environment can attack or destroy the seal system of the gas spring and cause it to fail.
- Protect piston rod and seal system from external materials in the environment.
- Damage to the piston rod surface can destroy the seal system.
- Do not grease, oil, paint piston rod, etc.; protect against dirt particles.
- Tilting and lateral forces can lead to leaks from the gas spring or blocking of the piston rod.
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M24x2 mounting accessories

¹ Up to max. 50.000 N

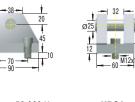
GS-70

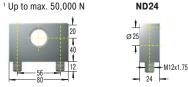
Before installation check whether the identification number on the packaging matches the respective designation on the delivery note.

Note the dimensioning for mounting when using accessory parts. Bolts for fitting of accessories are not included.

ME24

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¹ Note! Max. static load in N; note force increase when pushing in (progression). Higher load possible on request.

Threaded pin **B24 B24** Ø 30 — ø 70 Stroke 35 L+/- 2 mm extended Performance data and dimensions Recommended force Clevis fork D24 Stroke L extended range max. Weight TYPES mm mm Ν kg up to max. 50,000 N GS-70-100 100 320 13.000 4.8 GS-70-200 200 520 13,000 6.0 GS-70-300 300 720 13.000 7.2 400 920 13.000 8.4 GS-70-4001 GS-70-500 500 1,120 13.000 9.6 GS-70-6001 600 1,320 13,000 10.8 700 1,520 13.000 12.0 GS-70-7001 GS-70-8001 800 1,720 11,550 13.2 Only on request: This gas spring has to comply with the Pressure Equipment Directive Joint head E24 E24 (PED). A check of the application is necessary in individual cases. Please contact our up to max. 50,000 N technical service Protective tube Ø 80

Standard Dimensions

The end fittings can be combined in any manner and must be secured against twisting by the customer, if necessary. See mounting accessories.

L = Stroke + 130

Valve technology, force range 2,000 N to 13,000 N (retracted to 16,250 N)

End Fitting

W24-70



End Fitting

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Manual

Warranty

Fundamentally, all modifications to the product by third parties lead to exclusion from the warranty.

Obvious defects must be reported to the vendor in writing immediately after delivery, no later than one week, but in any case before processing or installation, otherwise the assertion of a warranty claim is excluded. A timely dispatch is sufficient to keep the term.

The vendor is to be given an opportunity to check on site. If the complaint is justified the vendor offers warranty by repair or replacement at its own discretion. If the rectification fails, the buyer may choose to demand reduction of payment (abatement) or cancellation of the contract (withdrawal). If there is only a minor lack of conformity, particularly with only minor defects, the buyer nevertheless has a right of withdrawal.

If, after failed rectification, the buyer chooses to cancel the contract due to a defect of title or material defect, they are not entitled to additionally claim for damages.

If, after failed fulfilment, the buyer chooses compensation, the goods remain with the buyer, if this is reasonable. The compensation is limited to the difference between the purchase price and the value of the defective item. This does not apply if the vendor maliciously causes the breach of contract.

The quality of the goods is only considered as agreed upon with the product description of the vendor. Public statements, claims or advertising of the manufacturer do not represent an additional contractual specification of quality of the goods.

If the buyer receives defective mounting instructions, the buyer is only obligated to deliver defect-free mounting instructions and only if the defect to the mounting instructions prevents proper mounting.

The warranty period is two years and begins upon completion. Exchange and return of custom products are fundamentally excluded. The factory conditions of the manufacturing factory apply to parts not manufactured and processed by the vendor, which can be viewed by the orderer at the vendor at any time. Construction and installation parts are delivered according to the present standard of engineering.

Expected service life

In general, push type gas springs are machine elements that are subject to wear. Wear parts such as seals and pistons are excluded from the general warranty. The wear of seals is largely dependent upon the operating conditions and the respective application with its operating parameters.

In general, ACE push type gas springs are tested over a lifetime of approx. 70,000 to 100,000 complete strokes. This represents a lifetime of the seals of approx. 10,000 m depending on type. No more than 5% pressure may be lost in this period.

Adverse environmental and operating conditions can significantly reduce the expected service life.

Performance data

TYPES	Stroke mm	Force range min. N	Force range max. N	¹ Progression approx. %	² Friction force F _R approx. in N	Extension speed	End-position damping	Weight kg	
GS-8	20 - 80	10	100	29 - 33	10	medium	medium	0.0118 - 0.0234	
GS-10	20 - 80	10	100	13 - 16	10	medium	medium	0.016 - 0.0265	
GS-12	20 - 150	15	180	20 - 35	20	medium	medium	0.0275 - 0.076	
GS-15	20 - 200	40	400	30 - 40	20	medium	medium	0.044 - 0.168	
GS-19	50 - 300	50	700	24 - 35	30	slow	strong	0.137 - 0.4105	
GS-22	50 - 700	80	1,300	30 - 40	30	slow	strong	0.195 - 1.08	
GS-28	100 - 750	150	2,500	63 - 76	40	slow	strong	0.4865 - 2.172	
GS-40	100 - 1,000	500	5,000	38 - 50	50	slow	strong	1.2235 - 5.2145	
GS-70	100 - 800	2,000	13,000	25	50	medium	medium	4.8 - 13.2	

¹Depending on stroke

²Depending on filling power

Technical data

Force range: 10 N to 13,000 N Piston rod diameter: Ø 3 mm to Ø 30 mm Progression: approx. 13% to 76% (depending on construction size and stroke) Lifetime: approx. 10,000 m Operating temperature range: -20 °C to +80 °C GS-8 to GS-12, GS-70: Steel coated; Material: Outer body: GS-15 to GS-40: Steel coated with UV paint; GS-8 to GS-12: V2A (1.4301/1.4305, AISI 304/303); piston rod: GS-15 to GS-40: Steel with wear-resistant surface coating; GS-70: Chrome-plated steel; end fittings: Zinc-plated steel Operating fluid: Nitrogen and oil (for damping) Filling tolerance: -20 N to +40 N or approx. 5% to 7% Mounting: Install piston rod pointing downwards, then the end-position damping acts during opening and the piston rod of the gas spring is lubricated. GS-19 to GS-70: In any position. Install piston rod pointing downwards, then the end-position damping acts during opening. End-position damping: approx. 5 mm to 70 mm (depending on stroke) **Positive stop:** The customer must ensure an external positive stop at the stroke end. Application field: Covers, flaps, machine housings, conveyor systems, switch cabinets, furniture industry, stroke applications, assembly stations, vehicle technology, flap elements Note: Increased clamping torgue with longer downtimes End fittings: Can be combined in any manner and must be secured against twisting by the customer, if necessary. Safety information: Push type gas springs should not be installed with preloading. On request: Special oils and other special options and further accessories are available. Various end-position dampings and extension speeds.

