

Aluminum Endmill Series

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- Various types of endmills are in stock.
- Exclusive U-shaped flute ensures excellent chip evacuation in high feed machining.
- Double relief angle increases cutting edge strength.



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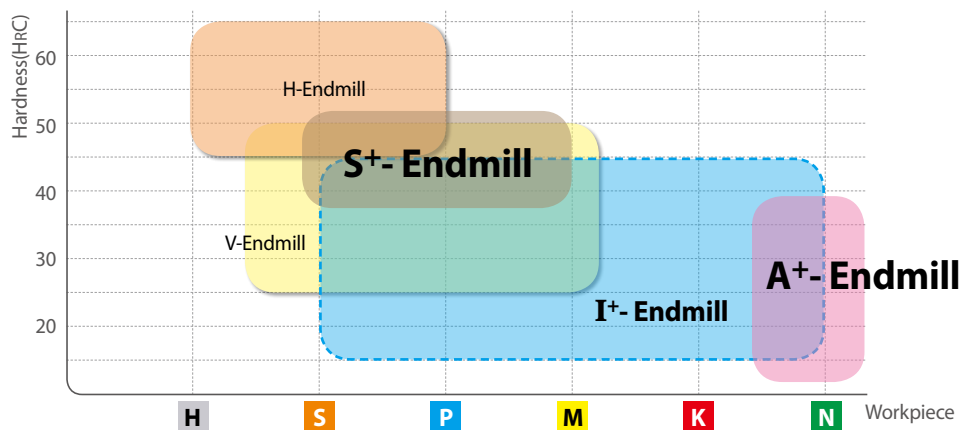


## Features

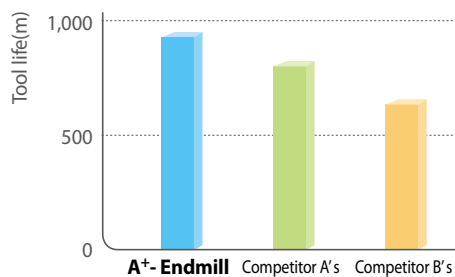


- **Exclusive U shaped flute**
  - Excellent chip evacuation even in high feed machining
  - U shaped and buffed flute reduces built-up-edge.
- **Double relief angle**
  - High rigidity of cutting edge ensures high productivity.
- **Sharp cutting edge**
  - For both roughing and finishing

## Application range



## Comparison of performance



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Competitor A's



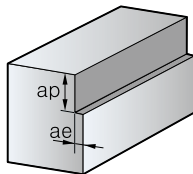
Competitor B's

- **Workpiece** A7075
- **Cutting conditions** diameter=Ø8.0, n(min<sup>-1</sup>)=8000, vc(m/min)=200, vf(mm/min)=1200, fz(mm/t)=0.05  
ap(mm)=8, ae(mm)=2.0, wet
- **Tools** A Plus Endmill / APFE3080-060 3 flutes

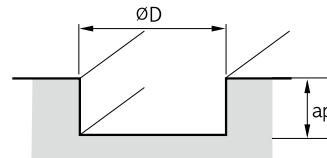
## Recommend Cutting Conditions

| Workpiece<br>Condition<br>Diameter( $\varnothing$ ) | Shouldering                    |                    |                                |                    | Slotting                       |                    |                                |                    |
|---|--------------------------------|--------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------|
|   | Aluminum alloy (A7075)         |                    | Aluminum alloy (cast) (AC4B)   |                    | Aluminum alloy (A7075)         |                    | Aluminum alloy (cast) (AC4B)   |                    |
|   | R.P.M<br>n(min <sup>-1</sup> ) | Feed<br>vf(mm/min) | R.P.M<br>n(min <sup>-1</sup> ) | Feed<br>vf(mm/min) | R.P.M<br>n(min <sup>-1</sup> ) | Feed<br>vf(mm/min) | R.P.M<br>n(min <sup>-1</sup> ) | Feed<br>vf(mm/min) |
| 1   | 40,000                         | 480                | 40,000                         | 368                | 40,000                         | 368                | 40,000                         | 280                |
| 2   | 40,000                         | 880                | 38,000                         | 680                | 38,000                         | 680                | 32,000                         | 440                |
| 3   | 32,000                         | 1,120              | 25,000                         | 760                | 25,000                         | 760                | 21,000                         | 480                |
| 4   | 24,000                         | 1,200              | 19,000                         | 800                | 19,000                         | 800                | 13,000                         | 520                |
| 5   | 19,000                         | 1,280              | 15,000                         | 880                | 15,000                         | 800                | 13,000                         | 560                |
| 6   | 16,000                         | 1,520              | 13,000                         | 960                | 13,000                         | 880                | 11,000                         | 600                |
| 8   | 12,000                         | 1,520              | 9,500                          | 960                | 9,500                          | 960                | 8,000                          | 640                |
| 10  | 9,500                          | 1,520              | 7,600                          | 960                | 7,600                          | 960                | 6,400                          | 640                |
| 12  | 8,000                          | 1,520              | 6,400                          | 960                | 6,400                          | 960                | 5,300                          | 640                |
| 16  | 6,000                          | 1,520              | 4,800                          | 960                | 4,800                          | 800                | 4,000                          | 576                |
| 20  | 4,800                          | 1,200              | 3,800                          | 800                | 3,800                          | 776                | 3,200                          | 528                |

### • Application tip



- Shouldering depth ( $a_p$ ) and radial depth ( $a_e$ )
  - $a_e \leq 0.2D$  ( $D < 3$ )
  - $a_e \leq 0.5D$  ( $D \geq 3$ )



- Slotting depth ( $a_p$ )
  - $a_p \leq D$  (Max : 12mm)

1. Clamp the workpiece rigidly. In case of vibration, reduce RPM and feed rate by the same ratio.

## Aluminum machining

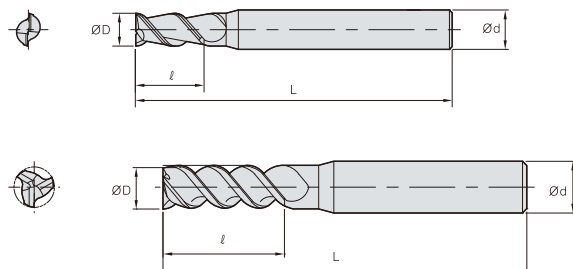
- Built-up edge
- Low heat resistance could create residual stress or inaccuracy after machining.
- Scratch due to low hardness
- Low tool life due to flank wear

## Trouble shooting for Aluminum machining

- Use a higher rake, sharp edge and oil (MQL) mist to decrease cutting load and built-up edge.
- Increase  $V_c$  and reduce the depth of cut for better surface finish.

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## APFE2000/3000 (Flat)



|           |              | Helix Angle<br>50° | Grade<br>H05S | h6<br>shank | <table border="1"> <tr> <th>ØD</th> <th>Tolerance</th> </tr> <tr> <td>Ø1~Ø12</td> <td>0.00 ~ -0.02</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Ø12.1~Ø20</td> <td>0.00 ~ -0.03</td> </tr> </table> | ØD | Tolerance | Ø1~Ø12 | 0.00 ~ -0.02 | Ø12.1~Ø20 | 0.00 ~ -0.03 |
|-----------|--------------|--------------------|---------------|-------------|--|----|-----------|--------|--------------|-----------|--------------|
| ØD        | Tolerance    |                    |               |             |  |    |           |        |              |           |              |
| Ø1~Ø12    | 0.00 ~ -0.02 |                    |               |             |  |    |           |        |              |           |              |
| Ø12.1~Ø20 | 0.00 ~ -0.03 |                    |               |             |  |    |           |        |              |           |              |

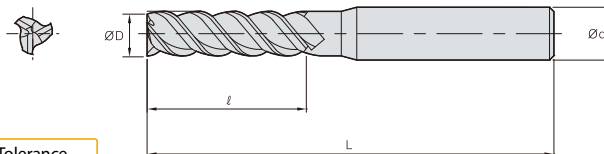
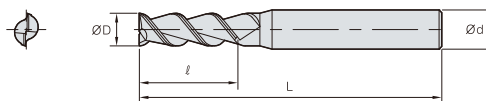
| Designation |          | ØD   | Ød | ℓ  | L   |
|-------------|----------|------|----|----|-----|
| APFE<br>    | 2025-050 | 2.5  | 6  | 8  | 50  |
|             | 2030-050 | 3.0  | 6  | 9  | 50  |
|             | 2040-050 | 4.0  | 6  | 12 | 50  |
|             | 2050-050 | 5.0  | 6  | 15 | 50  |
|             | 2060-050 | 6.0  | 6  | 18 | 50  |
|             | 2080-060 | 8.0  | 8  | 20 | 60  |
|             | 2100-075 | 10.0 | 10 | 30 | 75  |
|             | 2120-075 | 12.0 | 12 | 32 | 75  |
|             | 2160-100 | 16.0 | 16 | 45 | 100 |
|             | 2200-100 | 20.0 | 20 | 45 | 100 |

(mm)

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|-------------|----------|------|----|----|-----|
| APFE<br>    | 3025-050 | 2.5  | 6  | 8  | 50  |
|             | 3030-050 | 3.0  | 6  | 9  | 50  |
|             | 3040-050 | 4.0  | 6  | 12 | 50  |
|             | 3050-050 | 5.0  | 6  | 15 | 50  |
|             | 3060-050 | 6.0  | 6  | 18 | 50  |
|             | 3080-060 | 8.0  | 8  | 20 | 60  |
|             | 3100-075 | 10.0 | 10 | 30 | 75  |
|             | 3120-075 | 12.0 | 12 | 32 | 75  |
|             | 3160-100 | 16.0 | 16 | 45 | 100 |
|             | 3200-100 | 20.0 | 20 | 45 | 100 |

(mm)

## APLFE2000 (Long flat)



Helix  
Angle  
50°

Grade  
H05S

h6  
shank

| ØD        | Tolerance    |
|-----------|--------------|
| Ø1~Ø12    | 0.00 ~ -0.02 |
| Ø12.1~Ø20 | 0.00 ~ -0.03 |

(mm)

| Designation |          | ØD   | Ød | ℓ  | L   |
|-------------|----------|------|----|----|-----|
| APLFE<br>2  | 2030-060 | 3.0  | 6  | 12 | 60  |
|             | 2040-060 | 4.0  | 6  | 16 | 60  |
|             | 2050-060 | 5.0  | 6  | 20 | 60  |
|             | 2060-075 | 6.0  | 6  | 25 | 75  |
|             | 2080-075 | 8.0  | 8  | 32 | 75  |
|             | 2100-100 | 10.0 | 10 | 45 | 100 |
|             | 2120-100 | 12.0 | 12 | 45 | 100 |
|             | 2160-150 | 16.0 | 16 | 65 | 150 |
|             | 2200-150 | 20.0 | 20 | 75 | 150 |

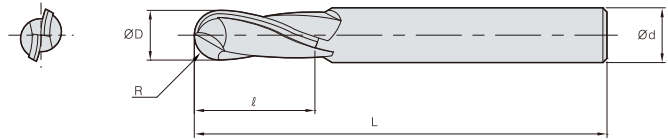
## APLFE3000 (Long flat)

(mm)

| Designation |          | ØD   | Ød | ℓ  | L   |
|-------------|----------|------|----|----|-----|
| APLFE<br>3  | 3030-060 | 3.0  | 6  | 12 | 60  |
|             | 3040-060 | 4.0  | 6  | 16 | 60  |
|             | 3050-060 | 5.0  | 6  | 20 | 60  |
|             | 3060-075 | 6.0  | 6  | 25 | 75  |
|             | 3080-075 | 8.0  | 8  | 32 | 75  |
|             | 3100-100 | 10.0 | 10 | 45 | 100 |
|             | 3120-100 | 12.0 | 12 | 45 | 100 |
|             | 3160-150 | 16.0 | 16 | 65 | 150 |
|             | 3200-150 | 20.0 | 20 | 75 | 150 |

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## APBE2000 (Ball)



Helix  
Angle  
25°

Grade  
H05S

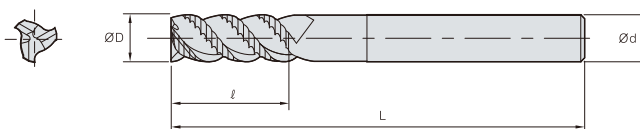
h6  
shank

| ØD     | Tolerance    |
|--------|--------------|
| Ø1~Ø12 | 0.00 ~ -0.02 |

(mm)

| Designation |          | ØD   | Ød | ℓ  | L  |
|-------------|----------|------|----|----|----|
| APBE<br>    | 2010-050 | 1.0  | 4  | 2  | 50 |
|             | 2015-050 | 1.5  | 4  | 3  | 50 |
|             | 2020-050 | 2.0  | 4  | 4  | 50 |
|             | 2025-050 | 2.5  | 4  | 5  | 50 |
|             | 2030-050 | 3.0  | 4  | 6  | 50 |
|             | 2035-050 | 3.5  | 4  | 7  | 50 |
|             | 2040-050 | 4.0  | 4  | 8  | 50 |
|             | 2045-050 | 4.5  | 6  | 9  | 50 |
|             | 2050-050 | 5.0  | 6  | 10 | 50 |
|             | 2055-050 | 5.5  | 6  | 11 | 50 |
|             | 2060-050 | 6.0  | 6  | 12 | 50 |
|             | 2080-060 | 8.0  | 8  | 16 | 60 |
|             | 2100-075 | 10.0 | 10 | 20 | 75 |
|             | 2120-075 | 12.0 | 12 | 24 | 75 |

## APRE (For roughing)



Helix  
Angle  
45°

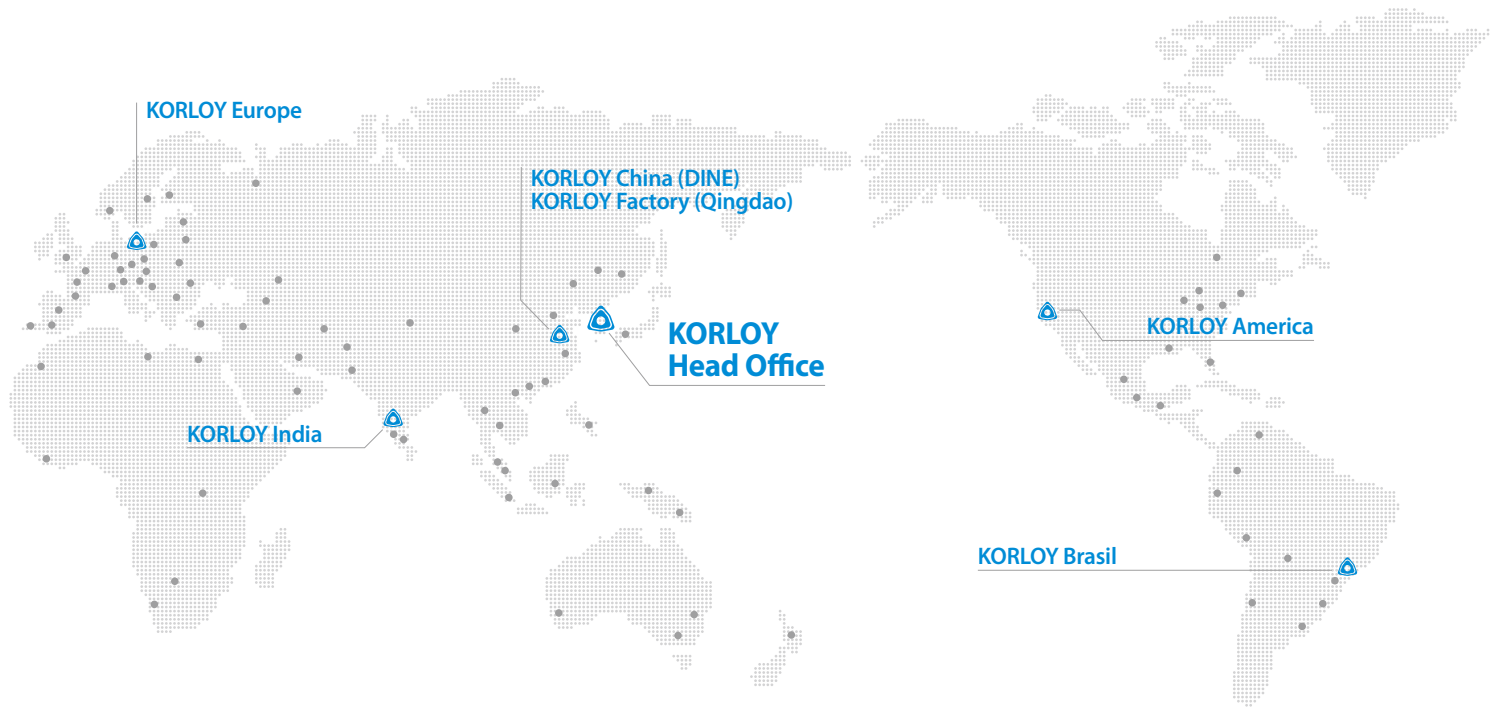
Grade  
H05S

h6  
shank

| ØD        | Tolerance    |
|-----------|--------------|
| Ø1~Ø12    | 0.00 ~ -0.02 |
| Ø12.1~Ø25 | 0.00 ~ -0.03 |

(mm)

| Designation | ØD   | Ød | ℓ  | L   |
|-------------|------|----|----|-----|
| <b>APRE</b> |      |    |    |     |
| 3040-050    | 4.0  | 6  | 8  | 50  |
| 3050-050    | 5.0  | 6  | 13 | 50  |
| 3060-050    | 6.0  | 6  | 15 | 50  |
| 3065-060    | 6.5  | 8  | 16 | 60  |
| 3070-060    | 7.0  | 8  | 16 | 60  |
| 3075-060    | 7.5  | 8  | 20 | 60  |
| 3080-060    | 8.0  | 8  | 20 | 60  |
| 3085-075    | 8.5  | 10 | 20 | 75  |
| 3090-075    | 9.0  | 10 | 20 | 75  |
| 3095-075    | 9.5  | 10 | 22 | 75  |
| 3100-075    | 10.0 | 10 | 25 | 75  |
| 3110-075    | 11.0 | 12 | 30 | 75  |
| 3120-075    | 12.0 | 12 | 30 | 75  |
| 3130-075    | 13.0 | 14 | 30 | 75  |
| 3140-075    | 14.0 | 16 | 32 | 75  |
| 3150-075    | 15.0 | 16 | 32 | 75  |
| 3160-100    | 16.0 | 16 | 35 | 100 |
| 3170-100    | 17.0 | 20 | 35 | 100 |
| 3180-100    | 18.0 | 20 | 35 | 100 |
| 3200-100    | 20.0 | 20 | 45 | 100 |
| 3250-105    | 25.0 | 25 | 50 | 105 |



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