

ROTARY GEAR LIMIT SWITCHES

For more than 65 years, **Giovenzana International B.V.** has been designing and producing rotary gear limit switches, offering now four different series.

Rotary gear limit switches are used to control the movement of industrial machinery when it's necessary to measure movement based on the rotation angle and/or the number of shaft revolutions, providing upper, lower and/or intermediate limits for moving machinery and mechanisms.

Usually connected to the motor shaft, the rotary gear limit switch uses a series of gears and cams to activate a microswitch when the appropriate number of rotations is reached. This is generally used to stop the motor when a moving load has reached the desired position or final positions.

The device, through a gear transmission, controls a cam system operating on 2, 4 or more microswitches that after a certain number of revolutions predispose the motor or the equipment to the start or stop.

Each cam is equipped with a "micrometric" adjustable register screw that operates in an independent way, so it is possible to calibrate the opening and closing of each microswitch according to the necessary requirements. The gear transmission system allows to choose different ratios and can be supplied in a bi-protruding shaft version or with linear control (potentiometer or encoder).

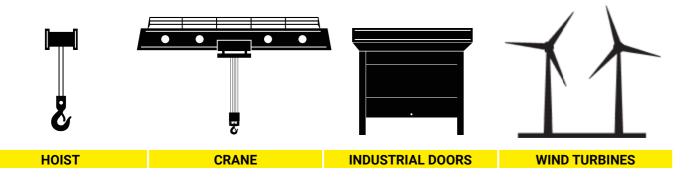
Each series of rotary limit switch has specific features which reduce time and costs for installation and maintenance.

Giovenzana International B.V. offers rotary gear limit switches with standard input ratios from 1:12 to 1:400 (custom input ratios are available on request up to 1:1482). They can be configured with maximum 6 contacts and combined with encoders and potentiometers to reach your own needs. We can offer snap action switches and different cam type to meet customers requirements.

The wide range of the input ratios (standards and customized) available in our series, make every customers and applications needs satisfied.

APPLICATIONS

Giovenzana rotary limit switches are suitable for several applications: from lifting machinery to industrial overhead doors and boat lifts, from theatre lighting hoists to renewable energy systems, like wind turbines.



SERIES



FGR0



FGR1



FGR2



FGR3

FEATURES

- The revolutions of the shaft are transmitted to a cam switch mechanism, through which mechanical switching contacts are actuated
- Different ratios (also direct ratios) are available for the rotary gear limit switches of the FGR series.
- The switch can be equipped with a maximum of 8 switching contacts.
- Positive opening NC contacts for safety functions.
- Each cam can be individually adjusted to the desired position and thus enables flexible definition of end positions and reference points. More accurate adjustment of cams by means of screws.
- To reduce abrasion and rust, the transmission and guide shafts of the gears are made of stainless steel.
- The circumferential rubber gasket provides great protection against dust and water, allowing IP66 protection to be easily achieved for the entire products range.
- · The optimised interior allows quick and easy cabling.

BENEFITS

- › High protection class degree
- > Extreme temperature resistance: -30°C to +70°C
- > Easy use, resistance and durability
- > Guaranteed safety



FGR3 Rotary gear limit switch

Coding system

The FGR2 coding system is very clear: each block of digits identifies a specific function. The code provides all the informations that can be used to specify each customization.

FGR2	F	N	006/007/008/009/010	В	6					
Series	Flange	Contact type	ldentifyng number	Shaft type	Micro/cams					
	Blank = Without F = With flange	MFI.7		Blank = Single shaft B = Double overhang shaft	Blank = Nr. 4 6 = Nr. 6					
STANDARD ENCODING										

Available codes





FGR2N007B6 FGR2N007B FGR2N008B FGR2N008B6 FGR2N009B FGR2N009B6 FGR2N010B FGR2N010B6

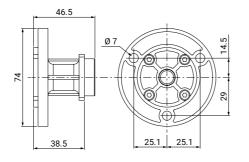




FGR2 Base fixing

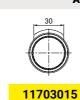


FLG



AVAILABLE CONTACT TYPES







A (30°) - STANDARD



B (15°)



C (90°)

Rotary gear limit switch

The FGR3 is a device used to control and measure the movement of industrial machines by measuring the rotation angle and/or counting the number of revolutions of a shaft. It is suitable for several applications like cranes and wind turbines.

Geneal features

- Different versions available:
 - base fixing;
 - with double overhang shaft;
 - front fixing (on request).
- IP66 protection class.
- Available in different ratios: from 1:8 to 1:3572 (according to the configuration).
- Microswitches:
 - device available potentially until 8 microswitches;
 - the working point is adjustable with a calibration screw;
 - each switch has 1NO + 1NC inside;
 - positive opening for NC contacts.

Compliance and certifications

- 2014/35/UE 2014/33/UE 2011/65/UE 2015/863/UE
- EN 60947-1 (2007/A1: 2011/A2: 2014)
- EN 60947-5-1 (2004/A1: 2009/AC: 2004/AC: 2005)
- EN 60204-1 (2006/A1:2009)
- EN 60529 (1991/A1: 2000/A2: 2013)
- EN 50581 (2012)
- IEC 63000 (2016)





Base Fixing versions

X-ray view





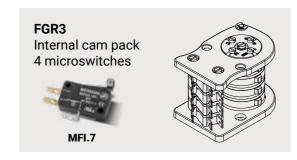
6 microswitches

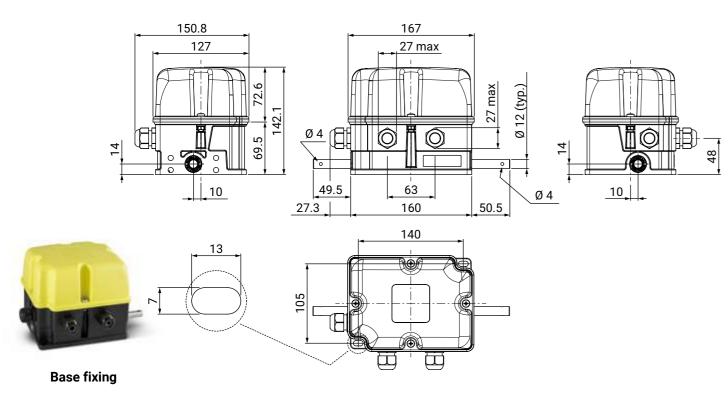
4 microswitches with potentiometer

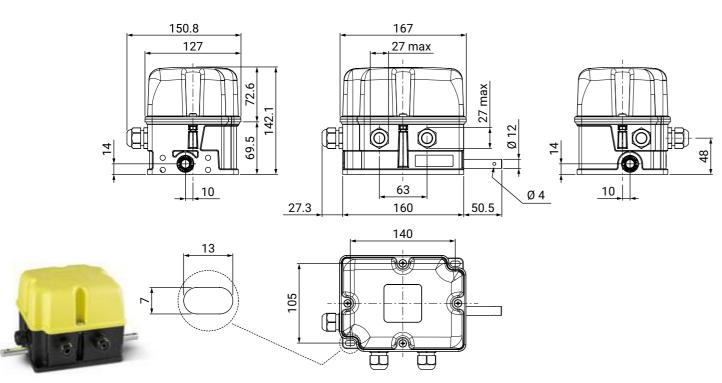
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Available codes







Double overhang shaft

Coding system

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FGR3	0-8	001-999	0-2-3-4	1-2-3-4	51-73	-	00-99
Series	Encoder / Potentiometer	Nr. gear ratio	Micro/ cams	Shaft type	Pinion type	-	Options
	 0 = No sensors 1 = Incremental Encoder D22 2 = Potentiometer 2.5 KΩ 3 = Potentiometer 5 KΩ 4 = Potentiometer 10 KΩ 5 = Absolut Encoder D36 6 = Incremental Encoder P/P 5000 imp. 7 = Absolut/Incremental Encoder D36 8 = Absolut Encoder D58 A Z = Custom on request 	Between: - shaft and cam pack output; - shaft and sensor output; - both.	0 = None 2 = Nr. 2 3 = Nr. 3 4 = Nr. 4 5 = Nr. 5	 1 = Single shaft and reduction in cam output. 2 = Double overhang shaft and reduction in cam output. 3 = Single shaft and reduction in both cam and sensor output. 4 = Double overhang shaft and reduction both in cam output and in sensor output. 	Last two numbers of the pinion code. (refers to pages 86-87).	-	Progressive versions

Available codes

Base fixing

Double overhang shaft

With encoder







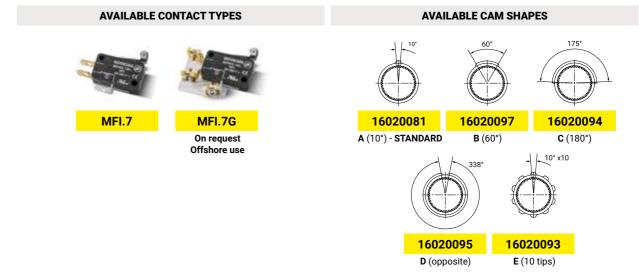


Available options

- Can be supplied with front fixing. Available different typologies of flanged accessories, on request.
- Can be equipped with MFI.7 microswitches (standard version) or with MFI.7G micro switches (gold contact blocks offshore use).
- Can be equipped with incremental or absolut encoder, available also with external encoder mounted.

The FGR3 series is a totally customizable products.

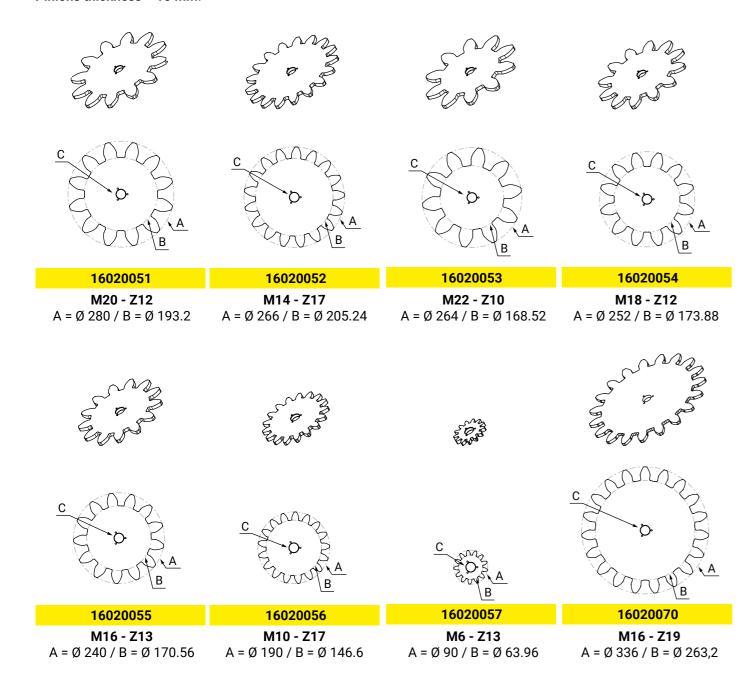
Create your own devices using the FGR3 coding system!





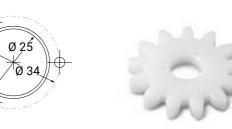
Water jet cut pinions

Our measuring pinions are specially manufactured for use with encoders and geared limit switches. **Pinions thickness = 10 mm.**



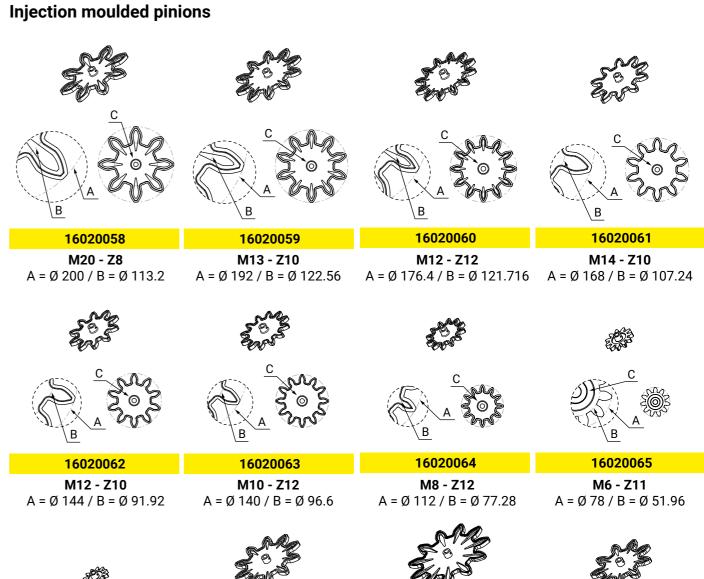


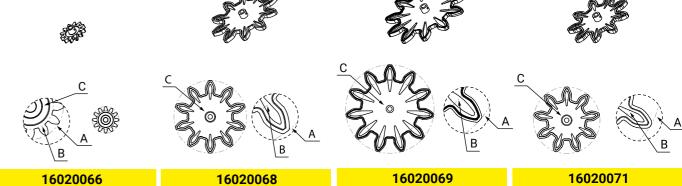
For all previous pinions. Finished product measurements.



SPARE PARTS & ACCESSORIES

Rotary gear limit switch





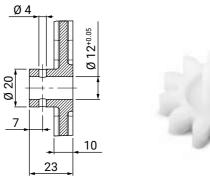
 M5 - Z12
 M16 - Z20
 M18

 A = Ø 70 / B = Ø 48.3
 A = Ø 192 / B = Ø 122.56
 A = Ø 234 /

M18 - Z11 A = Ø 234 / B = Ø 155.81 **M16 - Z19** A = Ø 176 / B = Ø 107.285

Detail C

For all previous pinions.

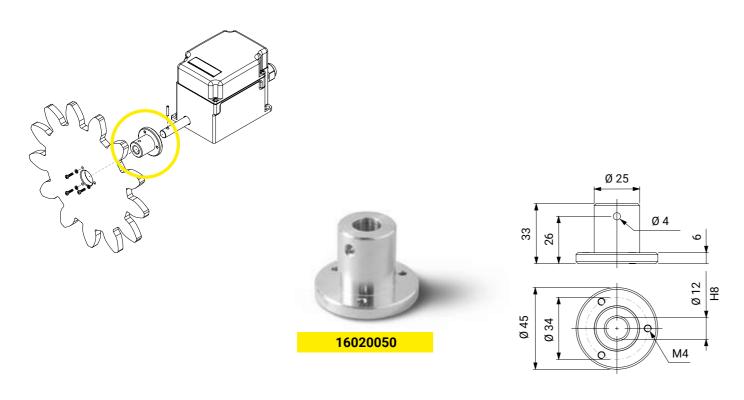




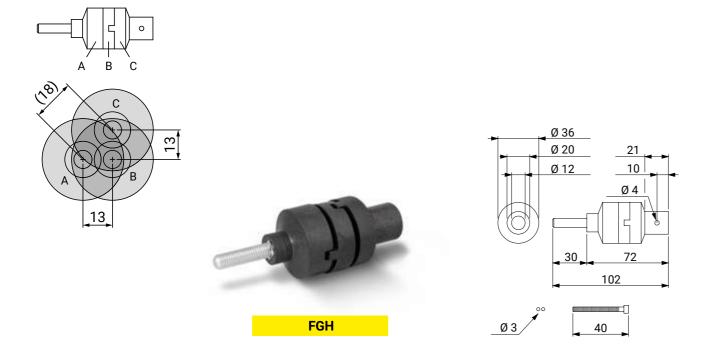
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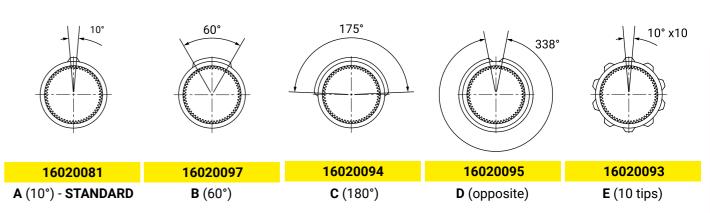
Metal sleeve for water jet cut pinions



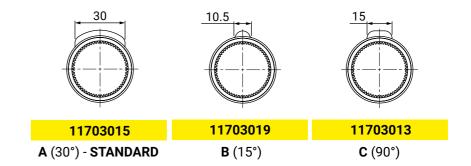
Oldham coupling



Cam shapes for FGR0, FGR1, FGR3



Cam shapes for FGR2



Available customised versions on request.