

Rivets

Blind Rivet: A fastener that is installed from one side, that holds two or more pieces of material together typically in sheet metal applications.

The Blind Rivet consists of a mandrel with a head and a rivet body that sits over it.

The "Blind" side is where you have no access to the back of the sheet where it expands.

COMMON MATERIAL COMBINATIONS (RIVET/MANDREL)	STEEL / STEEL	ALUMINUM / STEEL	ALUMINUM / ALUMINUM	STAINLESS STEEL / STAINLESS STEEL	STAINLESS STEEL / STEEL	
COMMON RIVET HEAD STYLES	REGULAR DOMED HEAD	LARGE DOMED HEAD	COUNTERSUNK HEAD	CLOSED END	COLORED/PAINTED RIVETS AVAILABLE UPON REQUEST	
NOMINAL RIVET SERIES	#3	#4	#5	#6	#8	
NOMINAL RIVET SIZE	3/32" (.0938)	1/8" (.1250)	5/32" (.1563)	3/16" (.1875)	1/4" (.2500)	
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DESCRIPTION		ILLUSTRATION	BODY DIAMETERS RANGE FROM	GRIP RANGE VERY FROM	MATERIALS OFFERED	IFI SPECIFICATION	MANUF. PROCESS
REGULAR DOMED HEAD OF 183, 184, 185, 186 Most commonly rivet used in the industry. Low applications where back side of job can not be	cost and versatile		3/32" UP TO 1/4"	.031 UP TO 1.00	STEEL CR+3 5052 ALUMINUM 304 S.S.	IFI 114	EXTRUDED
LARGE DOMED HEAD OPE 034, 035, 036, 037 Similar to the Open Ended rivet only difference to flanged diameter perfect for soft or brittle material.	being the increased		3/32" UP TO 1/4"	.031 UP TO 1.00	STEEL CR+3 5052 ALUMINUM 304 S.S.	IFI 114	EXTRUDED
COUNTER SUNK HEAD (120°) 100, 132, 134, 136, 1 Where a flat surface is needed after installation, applications where zero gap distance between the surfaces being fastened.	37 , Suitable for those	0	3/32" UP TO 3/16"	.079 UP TO .625	STEEL CR+3 5052 ALUMINUM 5056 ALUMINUM 304 S.S.	IFI 114	EXTRUDED
CLOSED END DOMED W30, W31, W32, W3 Excellent choose where moisture resistan containment is required.	33		1/8" UP TO 1/4"	.020 UP TO 1.00	STEEL CR+3 5052 ALUMINUM 304 S.S. 420 S.S.	IFI 126	EXTRUDED
W34, W35, W36, W3 Ideal for clamping multiple layers of materials to your inventory as fewer sizes need to be stocked standard open end rivets. Tip of the mandrel local elimination risk of mandrel vibrating loose.	37 ogether. Reduce ed compared to		1/8" UP TO 1/4"	.039 UP TO 1.00	STEEL CR+3 5052 ALUMINUM 304 S.S.	IFI 116	EXTRUDED
BACK-UP RIVET WAS 142, 152 Unlike regular washer these hold a tighter material and needed to start the rivet exwider clamping surface is desired, or for irregular to the surface is desired.	aterial thickness when installing in xpansion, when a		1/8" UP TO 1/4"	.056 UP TO .062	STEEL CR+3 1060 ALUMINUM		STAMPED
PAINTED TYPE 183, 184 These are available in a wide variety of head st Typically are Domed Head in steel or aluminum BBI salesperson for a quote.	·		3/32" UP TO 1/4"	.031 UP TO 1.0	STEEL CR+3 5052 ALUMINUM 304 S.S.	IFI 114	EXTRUDED
SPECIAL ORDER ITE BBI's Special Mill Division offers Stock and rele Secondary Processing, PPAP requirements, C alternatives, parts per print, kitting and special	ease programs,		3/32" UP TO 1/4"	.031 UP TO 1.0	STEEL CR+3 ALUMINUM S.S.		EXTRUDED
STRUCTURAL Where high shear and tensile strength is a requ a strong and vibration resistant joint, Ideal wher irregular holes exist. Offered in IL, UG, MB, and	re oversized or		3/32" UP TO 1/4"	.031 UP TO 1.0	STEEL CR+3 ALUMINUM S.S.	IFI 119	EXTRUDED