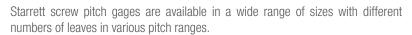
SCREW PITCH GAGES

ENGLISH AND METRIC SCREW PITCH GAGES

2-1/4-84 PITCHES (INCH) 0.25-11.5 PITCHES (MILLIMETER)

Screw pitch gages are among the most useful tools in any mechanics' tool box. They quickly determine the pitch of various threads. These gages consist of a substantial steel case with a number of folding leaves at both ends, each leaf having teeth corresponding to a definite pitch, marked on each leaf.





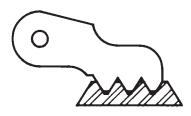
Whitworth Standard 55° threads

International Metric Standard 60° threads

English and metric threads are similar in form, but English threads are described in threads per inch and metric threads by the distance from one crest to the next.

All screw pitch gages (except 473 and 476, which have a positive stop design) feature a locking device at both ends of the case, so leaves can be securely locked in position for use. Leaves on most gages have a special narrow design, permitting checking internal threads in nuts, etc., as well as external threads.

Various types of Starrett screw pitch gages are illustrated on the following pages, with complete specifications.



NATIONAL FORM



SHARP V

Starrett Screw Pitch Gages have the tops of the teeth flatted, permitting use of a single gage for either National Form threads or Sharp V threads











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FORMULAS

American Natational V Thread

$$d = D - 1.299$$
 $d = D - 1.732$

D = Outside diameter of tap

d = Bottom diameter of tap

N = Number of threads per inch

SCREW PITCH GAGES

476 WHITWORTH STANDARD SCREW PITCH GAGES

55° THREADS 3-1/2 - 60 TPI (INCH)

156M, 159M INTERNATIONAL METRIC STANDARD SCREW PITCH GAGES

60° THREADS

