# **One-touch Fittings**



# The New "KQ2"

KQ, KQ2, and KJ consolidated into the "KQ2"

- **Enhanced variation**
- Lightweight
- Compact



New KQ2 Series



New Oval type release button added! 🕳

#### Applicable tubing O.D.

Metric	ø3.2, ø4, ø6
Inch	ø1/8", ø5/32", ø3/16"



Body type: total of 51 models Seal method: 3 types

Thread material/Surface treatment (Treated or Non-treate

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						*1 Brass, Brass +	Electroless nickel plating	
			Seal method/Release button shape					
		Sea	lant	Gaske	et seal	Face	Face seal	
Applicable	Connection	Oval Type	O Round Type	Oval Type	O Round Type	Oval Type	Round Type	
tubing	thread							
Metric size	М			P.5	P.101			
III OLITO GILO	R	P.5	P.101			P.65	P.173	
	G					P.57	P.165	
	Uni			P.87	P.201			
Inch size	UNF			P.29	P.133			
	NPT	P.29	P.133			P.73	P.185	
	M			P.49	P.157			
	R	P.49	P.157			P.81	P.195	
-	Uni			P.95	P.209			

KQ2 Series

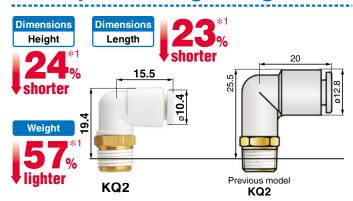


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# Improved tube insertion/removal

# Insertion : 30% reduction Removal : 20% reduction\*1

# **©Compact and lightweight**



\*1 Tube removal strength is ensured to be equivalent to previous model. \*1 Previous KQ2 series model: Male elbow, applicable tubing O.D. ø6, connection thread R1/8

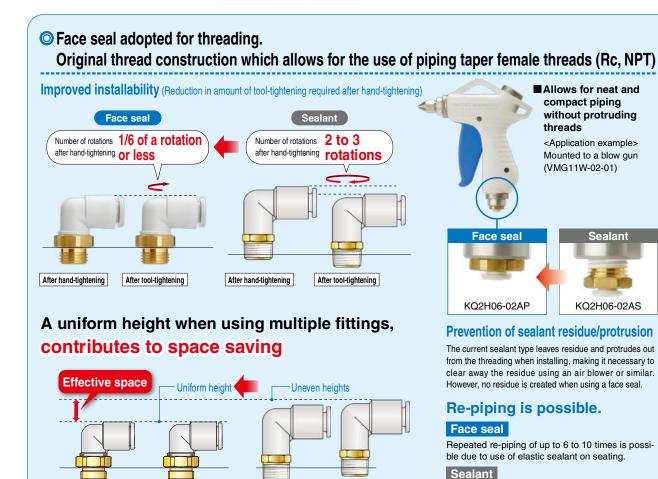
# \*1 Connection thread: R, NPT Face seal Face seal Sealant

#### Selectable surface treatment

- Brass (No plating)
- Brass + Electroless nickel plating

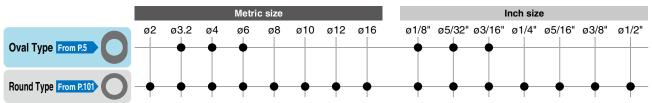
Sealant tape is necessary because sealant be-

comes separated with repeated installation.



Sealant

Face seal



Refer to the next page for details on the applicable tubing sizes of each shape.

# **Oval Type/Round Type Variations**





Oval Type Round Type

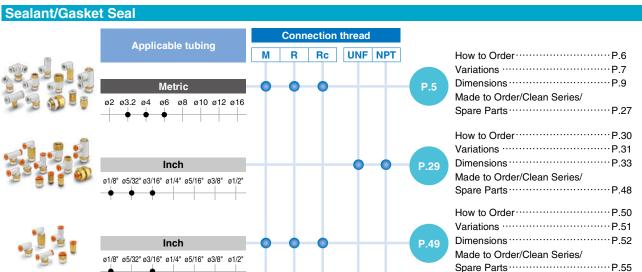
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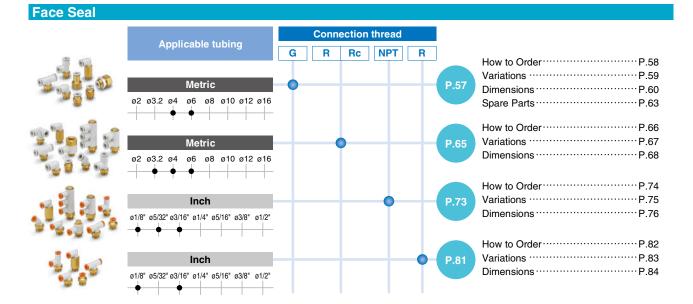
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# **Oval Type Release Button**



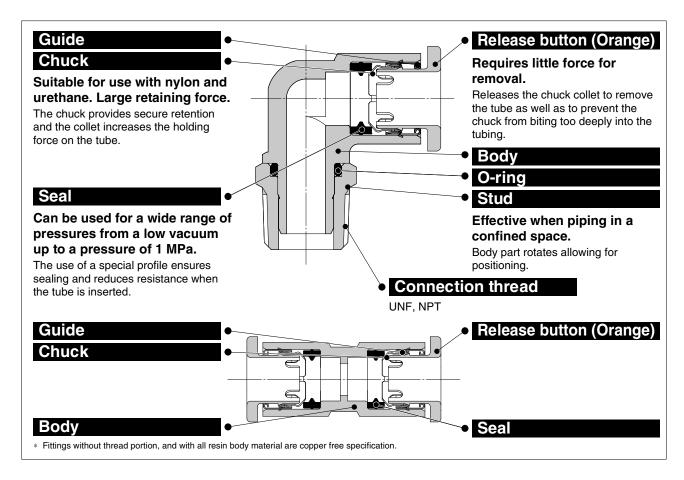


#### Gasket Seal (Uni Thread) **Connection thread** Applicable tubing NPT NPTF How to Order ·····P.88 Variations ·····P.89 Dimensions ····· P.90 Metric Made to Order/Clean Series/ ø6 ø8 ø10 ø12 ø16 Spare Parts ·····P.93 How to Order ·····P.96 Variations ·····P.97 Dimensions ·····P.98 Inch P.95 Made to Order/Clean Series/ ø1/8" ø5/32" ø3/16" ø1/4" ø5/16" ø3/8" ø1/2" Spare Parts ·····P.100

# Oval Type Inch Size One-touch Fittings

**Applicable Tubing: Inch Size, Connection Thread: UNF, NPT** 

# KQ2 Series



One-touch IN/OUT connection.

Possible to use in vacuum to -100 kPa.



# Made to Order Order (Refer to page 48 for details.)

#### **Applicable Tubing**

Tubing material	FEP, PFA, Nylon, Soft nylon, Polyurethane
Tubing O.D.	ø1/8", ø5/32", ø3/16"

#### **Specifications**

Fluid		Air, Water*1 *2	
Operating press	ure range*3	-100 kPa to 1 MPa	
Proof pressure (	at 23°C)	3 MPa	
Ambient and flui	id temperature	-5 to 60°C, Water: 0 to 40°C (No freezing)	
Thread	Mounting section	ANSI/ASME1.20.1 (NPT thread) JIS B0208 (UNF thread)	
	Nut section	JIS B0208 (UNF thread)	
Seal on the threads		With sealant	

- $\ast 1$  The surge pressure must be under the maximum operating pressure.
- \*2 Deionized water is not recommended for use as it may affect the material used in the fittings. In addition, it is known to degrade the water quality.
- \*3 Do not use the fittings with a leak tester or for vacuum retention because they are not guaranteed for zero leakage.

#### **Principal Parts Material**

Body	C3604, PBT, PP
Stud	C3604 (Thread portion)
Chuck	Stainless steel 304
Guide	Stainless steel 304
Release button	POM
Seal, O-ring	NBR
Gasket	Stainless steel 304, NBR



#### **How to Order**



One-touch fittings

Model

Symbol	Model
Н	Male connector
S	Hexagon socket head male connector
F	Female connector
L	Male elbow
K	45° male elbow
V	Universal male elbow
VS	Hexagon socket head universal male elbow
VF	Universal female elbow
LF	Female elbow
VD	Double universal male elbow
VT	Triple universal male elbow
W	Extended male elbow
Т	Male branch tee
Υ	Male run tee
E	Bulkhead union
	Bulkhead connector
LE	Bulkhead male elbow

Oval type release button

#### Male thread seal method

Symbol	Seal method
Nil	None
S	With thread sealant

#### Thread material/Surface treatment

Symbol	Thread material/Surface treatment
Α	Brass
N	Brass + Electroless nickel plating

Port size/Applicable tubing O.D.

Symbol		Size
	32	10-32UNF
Thread	33	NPT1/16
connection	34	NPT1/8
	35	NPT1/4
Tubing connection	00*1	Same diameter tubing

\*1 Only for "Bulkhead union" and "Bulkhead male elbow".

#### **♦** Applicable tubing O.D.

Symbol	Size
01	ø1/8"
03	ø5/32"
05	ø3/16"

#### **Spare Parts**

Use the part number below to order the gasket for sealing 10-32UNF

Gasket for 10-32UNF: M-5G2

For details on applicable tubing O.D. and port size combinations for each model, refer to the charts on the Dimensions page.

# Tube - Tube Type KQ2 H 05 - 00 A 1

One-touch fittings

#### Model •

Symbol	Model
н	Straight union
п	Different diameter straight
	Union elbow
L	Plug-in elbow
	Reducer elbow
R	Plug-in reducer
Т	Union tee
	Different diameter tee
TW	Cross

#### **♦** Port size/Applicable tubing O.D.

	Symbo	ol	Size
tion		00	Same diameter tubing
ouue		99	Same diameter rod
g)			ø1/8"
Tubing (Rod) connection	ant dia. tul Peducer)	03	ø5/32"
클	Differe (F	05	ø3/16"

♦ Applicable tubing O.D.

Size
ø1/8"
ø5/32"
ø3/16"

Symbol	Name
KQ2N	Nipple
KQ2N	Reducer nipple
KQ2C	Tube cap
KQ2P	Plug

Inch Size UNF, NPT | Metric Size M, R, Rc

Sealant/Gasket Sea

Inch Size M, R, Rc

Metric Size G

Inch Size NPT Metric Size R, Rc

Inch Size R

Inch Size Uni Metric Size Uni

# Inch Size One-touch Fittings



# **Oval Type Variations**

Hexagon socket head male connector

KQ2S

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Internal hexagon socket allows tightening with a hexagon wrench in confined spaces.



Universal male elbow

KQ2V P.37



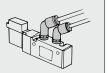
Hexagon head of the body allows tightening with a box wrench in confined spaces.



45° male elbow



Use to pipe a female thread at a 45° angle. Its direction is in-between that of the male connector and male elbow.

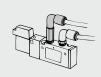


Extended male elbow





Basically, it is used together with a male elbow. Its extended height allows for multileveled piping and prevents interference among fittings.

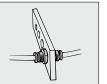


**Bulkhead union** 

KQ2E



Use to connect tubing through a panel, etc.



Bulkhead connector

KQ2E



Use to connect a male thread and tubing through a panel, etc.



**Nipple** 



Use to connect One-touch fittings.



Reducer nipple

KQ2N



Use to connect One-touch fittings of different sizes.



Male connector

KQ2H



Use to pipe a female thread in the same direction. Most general model





Hexagon socket on the top allows tightening with a hexagon wrench in confined spaces.

Union elbow

KQ2L



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Use to connect tubing at right angles.

Female connector

KQ2F



Use to pipe a male thread of a pressure gauge, etc.

Universal female elbow KQ2VF



Use to branch a male or female thread in the same direction and at a 90° angle. Multiple connections possible.

Plug-in elbow

KQ2L

Use to change the tube direction of One-touch fittings by 90°.

Straight union

KQ2H

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Use to connect tubing in the same direction.

Female elbow



Use to pipe a male thread at right angles.

Reducer elbow KQ2L



Use to change the tube direction of One-touch fittings by 90° and connect tubing of reduced size

Different diameter straight

KQ2H

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Use to connect tubing of different sizes.

Double universal male elbow KQ2VD P.39



Use to two-branch a female thread at right angles. Two individual parts rotate 360°.

Male branch tee



Use to branch a female thread at both  $90^{\circ}$  angles.

Male elbow

KQ2L



Use to pipe a female thread at right angles. Most general model.

Triple universal male elbow KQ2VT



Use to three-branch a female thread at right angles. Three individual parts rotate 360°.

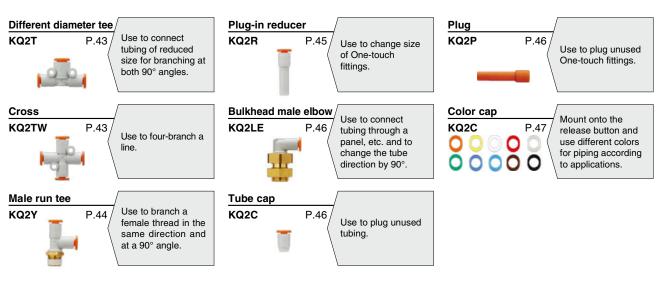
Union tee

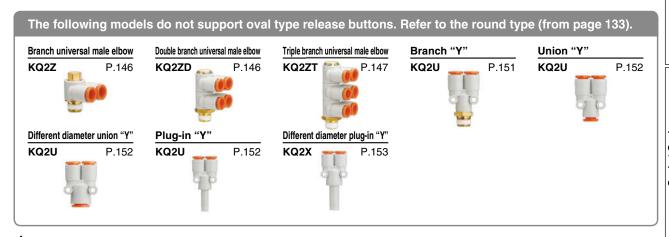
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KQ2T

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Use to branch tubing at both  $90^{\circ}$ angles.





⚠ Box wrenches and socket wrenches may interfere with oval type release buttons. Refer to page 217 for details.



Metric Size M, R, Rc

Inch Size UNF, NPT Sealant/Gasket Sea

ಜ Inch Size M, R,

Metric Size G

Inch Size NPT | Metric Size R, Rc Face Seal

Inch Size R Metric Size Uni

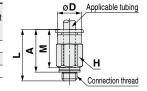
**Gasket Seal** Inch Size Uni

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#### Male Connector: KQ2H (Gasket seal) -



Applicable tubing O.D.	Connection thread	Model	H (Width	øD		e button sions		Α	м	Effectiv [mi	ve area m²]	Min.	Weight
[inch]	UNF	Wodei	across flats)	م م	Х	Υ	_	^		Nylon	Urethane		[g]
ø1/8	10-32UNF	KQ2H01-32□1	7	6.9	6.7	9.5	17.4	14.4	13.3	3	2.5	2.3	2.7
ø5/32	10-32UNF	KQ2H03-32□1	8	7.9	7.7	10	17.6	14.6	13.3	3.3	3.3	2.3	3.3
ø3/16	10-32UNF	KQ2H05-32□1	8	9	8.4	11	17.7	14.7	13.3	3.4	3.4	2.3	3.4



☐: A (Brass), N (Brass + Electroless nickel plating)

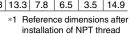
Release button dimensions

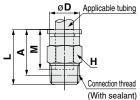


#### Male Connector: KQ2H (Sealant) -



Applicable tubing O.D.	Connection thread	Model	H (Width	øD		e button sions		<b>A</b> *1	М	Effectiv [mr	re area n²]	Min.	Weight
[inch]	NPT	Model	across flats)	٥٥	X	Υ	•		IVI	Nylon	Urethane	size	[g]
	1/16	KQ2H01-33□S1	9.5	6.9	6.7	9.5	19.3	15.2	13.3	3	2.5	2.5	6
ø1/8	1/8	KQ2H01-34□S1	11.11	_	6.7	9.5	14	10.8	13.3	3	2.5	2.5	7.1
	1/4	KQ2H01-35□S1	14.29	_	6.7	9.5	16.7	12.3	13.3	3.4	2.9	2.5	16.2
	1/16	KQ2H03-33□S1	9.5	7.9	7.7	10	20	15.9	13.3	4.8	3.4	3	6.1
ø5/32	1/8	KQ2H03-34□S1	11.11	_	7.7	10	14	10.8	13.3	4.8	3.4	3	6.5
	1/4	KQ2H03-35□S1	14.29	_	7.7	10	16.7	12.3	13.3	4.8	3.4	3	15.6
ø3/16	1/8	KQ2H05-34□S1	11.11	8.55	8.4	11	17.4	14.2	13.3	7.8	6.5	3.5	7.4
93/10	1/4	KQ2H05-35□S1	14.29	_	8.4	11	16.7	12.3	13.3	7.8	6.5	3.5	14.9
□: A (Br	ass), N	(Brass + Electro	less n	ickel p	lating)				*1 R	eferen	ce dim	ensior	s after





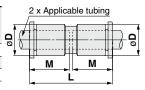
Release button dimensions



Straight Union: KQ2H -



Applicable tu		αD	Palease button dimensions L M				ve area m²]	Min.	Weight	
O.D. [inch	n] Model	80	Х	Y			Nylon	Urethane		[g]
ø1/8	KQ2H01-00A1	7.1	6.7	9.5	27.6	13.3	3.4	2.9	2.5	1.4
ø5/32	KQ2H03-00A1	8.2	7.7	10	27.6	13.3	5.6	4	3	1.6
ø3/16	KQ2H05-00A1	9.1	8.4	11	27.6	13.3	7.8	6.5	3.5	1.9



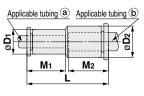
Release button dimensions



#### Different Diameter Straight: KQ2H -



Applicab O.D.	le tubing	Model			e button ions @		Release dimensi			M1	M <sub>2</sub>	Effectiv [mi	ve area m²]	Min.	Weight
(a)	(b)	iviodei	ושפ	х	Y	Ø <b>D</b> 2	ø <b>X</b> ( <b>X</b> )	Υ		IVII	IVIZ	Nylon	Urethane		[g]
ø1/8	ø5/32	KQ2H01-03A1	7.1	6.7	9.5	8.2	7.7	10	27.6	13.3	13.3	3.4	2.9	2.5	1.5
Ø 1/O	ø1/4	KQ2H01-07A1	7.1	6.7	9.5	11.1	10.9	_	27.6	13.3	13.3	3.4	2.9	2.5	2
~F/00	ø3/16	KQ2H03-05A1	8.2	7.7	10	9.1	8.4	11	27.6	13.3	13.3	5.6	5.6	3	1.8
ø5/32	ø1/4	KQ2H03-07A1	8.2	7.7	10	11.1	10.9	_	27.6	13.3	13.3	5.6	5.6	3	2.1
α3/16	α1/4	KO2H05-07A1	9.1	8.4	11	11 1	10 9		27.6	13 3	133	7.8	6.5	3.5	22



Release button dimensions



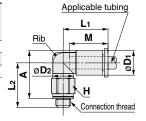
Applicable tubing O.D.: ø1/8", ø5/32", ø3/16"

#### Male Elbow: KQ2L (Gasket seal) -



Applicable tubing O.D. [inch]		Model	(Width across flats)	ø <b>D</b> 1		e button nsions <b>Y</b>	ø <b>D</b> 2	L1	L2	A	M	Į ĮIIII		Min. port size	ral	With a rib
ø1/8	10-32UNF	KQ2L01-32□1	7	7.1	6.7	9.5	7	15.3	14.2	14.8	13.3	2.6	2.2	2.5	3	•
ø5/32	10-32UNF	KQ2L03-32□1	7	8.2	7.7	10	7	15.4	14.7	15.8	13.3	3.5	3.5	2.5	3.1	•
ø3/16	10-32UNF	KQ2L05-32□1	7	9.1	8.4	11	7	14.5	15.8	17.4	13.3	3.5	3.5	2.5	3.2	•

☐: A (Brass), N (Brass + Electroless nickel plating)



Release button dimensions



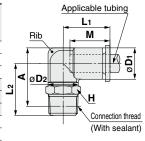
#### Male Elbow: KQ2L (Sealant)



Applicable tubing O.D. [inch]		Model	(Width across flats)	ø <b>D</b> 1		e button nsions <b>Y</b>	ø <b>D</b> 2	L1	L2	<b>A</b> *1	M	1111		Min. port size	Weignt	With a rib
	1/16	KQ2L01-33□S1	11.11	7.1	6.7	9.5	10	14.5	24.3	23.8	13.3	3	2.5	2.5	9.1	_
ø1/8	1/8	KQ2L01-34□S1	11.11	7.1	6.7	9.5	10	14.5	16.7	17.1	13.3	3	2.5	2.5	5.5	_
	1/4	KQ2L01-35□S1	14.29	7.1	6.7	9.5	10	14.5	21.1	20.3	13.3	3	2.5	2.5	15	_
	1/16	KQ2L03-33□S1	11.11	8.2	7.7	10	10	14.8	23.8	23.8	13.3	4.6	3.3	3	9.3	•
ø5/32	1/8	KQ2L03-34□S1	11.11	8.2	7.7	10	10	14.8	16.2	17.1	13.3	4.6	3.3	3	5.6	•
	1/4	KQ2L03-35□S1	14.29	8.2	7.7	10	10	14.8	21.6	21.3	13.3	4.6	3.3	3	15.2	•
ø3/16	1/8	KQ2L05-34□S1	11.11	9.1	8.4	11	10	15	16.7	18.1	13.3	6.8	5.6	3.5	5.8	
93/10	1/4	KQ2L05-35□S1	14.29	9.1	8.4	11	10	15	22.1	22.3	13.3	6.8	5.6	3.5	15.4	_





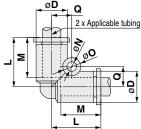




#### Union Elbow: KQ2L —



	Applicable ubing O.D.	Model	øD	Release buttor dimensions			Q	м	Mou	nting	hole	Effectiv [mi	/e area m²]	Min.	Weight
ιι	[inch]	iviodei	00	Х	Υ	_	Q	IVI	øΟ	øN	Thickness			port	[g]
	ø1/8	KQ2L01-00A1	7.1	6.7	9.5	14.9	5.4	13.3	6	3.2	7.1	3	2.5	2.5	1.6
	ø5/32	KQ2L03-00A1	8.2	7.7	10	15.3	5.7	13.3	6	3.2	8.2	4.2	4.2	3	1.9
	ø3/16	KQ2L05-00A1	9.1	8.4	11	15.7	6.2	13.3	6	3.2	9.1	6.8	5.6	3.5	2.2



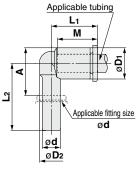
Release button dimensions



#### Plug-in Elbow: KQ2L



Applicable tubing O.D. [inch]	Applicable fitting size ø d [inch]	Model	ø <b>D</b> 1		e button nsions <b>Y</b>	ø <b>D</b> 2	L1	L2	A	M	[IIII	ve area n²] Urethane	port	Weight [g]
ø1/8	ø1/8	KQ2L01-99A1	7.1	6.7	9.5	6.4	14.5	20.9	11.1	13.3	3	2.5	2.2	0.9
ø5/32	ø5/32	KQ2L03-99A1	8.2	7.7	10	7.2	14.5	21.1	11.9	13.3	4.2	4.2	2.5	1.2
ø3/16	ø3/16	KQ2L05-99A1	9.1	8.4	11	8	15	22.2	13.4	13.3	6.8	5.6	3.5	1.4



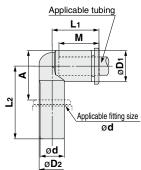
Release button dimensions



#### Reducer Elbow: KQ2L -



Applicable tubing O.D.	Applicable fitting size	fitting size	fitting size Mod	Model	ø <b>D</b> 1		e button nsions	ø <b>D</b> 2	14	L2	Α	М	Effectiv [mi	ve area m²]	Min. port	Weight
[inch]	ø <b>d</b> [inch]	Wiodei	וטטו	X	Υ	Ø <b>D</b> 2	L1	L2	^		Nylon	Urethane		[g]		
	ø5/32	KQ2L01-03A1	7.1	6.7	9.5	6.4	14.5	23.9	14.1	13.3	3	2.5	2.5	1.1		
ø1/8	ø3/16	KQ2L01-05A1	7.1	6.7	9.5	6.4	14.5	28.4	18.6	13.3	3	2.5	2.5	1.1		
	ø1/4	KQ2L01-07A1	7.1	6.7	9.5	6.4	14.5	24.5	14.7	13.3	3	2.5	2.5	1.3		
ø5/32	ø3/16	KQ2L03-05A1	8.2	7.7	10	7.2	14.8	29.1	19.9	13.3	4.2	4.2	3	1.3		
05/32	ø1/4	KQ2L03-07A1	8.2	7.7	10	7.2	14.8	21.1	11.9	13.3	4.2	4.2	3	1.4		
ø3/16	ø1/4	KQ2L05-07A1	9.1	8.4	11	8	15	21.6	12.8	13.3	6.8	5.6	3.5	1.5		
سارده	ø5/16	KQ2L05-09A1	9.1	8.4	11	8	15	30	20.3	13.3	6.8	5.6	3.5	1.9		



Release button dimensions

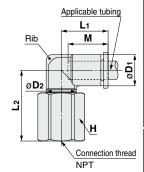


#### Female Elbow: KQ2LF -



Applicable tubing O.D.	Connection thread	Model	H (Width across			e button nsions	ø <b>D</b> 2	L <sub>1</sub>	L2	М	Effectiv [mi	ve area m²]	Min.	Weight	With
[inch]	NPT	Model	àcross flats)	ושפ	X	Υ	Ø <b>D</b> 2		L		Nylon	Urethane		[g]	a rib
ø1/8	1/8	KQ2LF01-34□1	14.29	7.1	6.7	9.5	10	14.5	22.8	13.3	3	2.5	2.5	18.2	_
Ø 1/O	1/4	KQ2LF01-35□1	17.46	7.1	6.7	9.5	10	14.5	26.3	13.3	3	2.5	2.5	31.7	
ø5/32	1/8	KQ2LF03-34□1	14.29	8.2	7.7	10	10	14.8	22.4	13.3	4.2	4.2	3	18.3	•
95/32	1/4	KQ2LF03-35□1	17.46	8.2	7.7	10	10	14.8	26.9	13.3	4.2	4.2	3	31.9	•

☐: A (Brass), N (Brass + Electroless nickel plating)



Release button dimensions





Inch Size UNF, NPT Metric Size M, R, Rc

Sealant/Gasket Seal

Inch Size M, R, Rc

Inch Size NPT Metric Size R, Rc Metric Size G

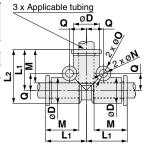
Inch Size R

Inch Size Uni Metric Size Uni

#### Union Tee: KQ2T -



Applicable tubing O.D.	Model	øD		e button nsions	14	L2	М	Q	Моц	unting	hole	Effectiv [mi	/e area m²]	Min. port	Weight
[inch]	iviouei	المارا	Х	Υ		L	IVI	Q	øΟ	øΝ	Thickness	Nylon	Urethane		[g]
ø1/8	KQ2T01-00A1	7.1	6.7	9.5	14.9	18.5	13.3	5.4	6	3.2	7.1	3.4	2.9	2.5	2.3
ø5/32	KQ2T03-00A1	8.2	7.7	10	15.3	19.4	13.3	5.7	6	3.2	8.2	6.4	4.4	3	2.8
ø3/16	KQ2T05-00A1	9.1	8.4	11	15.7	20.3	13.3	6.2	6	3.2	9.1	8.4	7	3.5	3.2



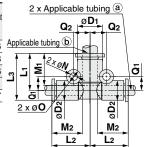
Release button dimensions



#### **Different Diameter Tee: KQ2T -**



		e tubing inch]		ø <b>D</b> 1	Releas dimensi	e button ons (a)		Release dimensi			L2	1.2	N/I-	Ма	01	Q2		ınting	hole	Effe area		Min.	Weight
a	÷	<b>b</b>	iviouei	וטטו	X	Y	0 <b>U</b> 2	ø <b>X</b> ( <b>X</b> )	Y		LZ	L3	IVI	IVIZ	Qı	G/2	øΟ	øΝ	Thickness	Nylon	Urethane	size	[g]
ø1	/0	ø5/32	KQ2T01-03A1	8.2	6.7	9.5	7.1	7.7	10	14.9	15.3	18.5	13.3	13.3	5.4	5.8	6	3.2	8.2	3.8	3.5	3	2.6
וש	<b>°</b> [	ø1/4	KQ2T01-07A1	11.1	6.7	9.5	7.1	10.9	_	14.9	16.5	18.5	13.3	13.3	5.3	7.2	6	3.2	11.1	3.8	3.5	3.2	2.8
ø5/	20	ø3/16	KQ2T03-05A1	9.1	7.7	10	8.2	8.4	11	15.3	15.7	19.4	13.3	13.3	5.7	6.2	6	3.2	9.1	7.1	6.6	3.5	2.6
00/	ا 2د	ø1/4	KQ2T03-07A1	11.1	7.7	10	8.2	10.9	_	15.3	16.5	19.4	13.3	13.3	5.7	7.2	6	3.2	11.1	7.1	6.6	4.1	3
ø3/	16	ø1/4	KQ2T05-07A1	11.1	8.4	11	9.1	10.9	_	15.7	16.5	20.3	13.3	13.3	6.2	7.2	6	3.2	11.1	8.4	7	4.6	3.7



Release button dimensions



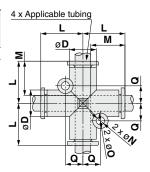


ø3/16"

#### Cross: KQ2TW



Applicable tubing O.D.	Model	ø <b>D</b>	Release	e button nsions		Q	М	Mou	unting	hole	Effectiv [mi	ve area m²]	Min.	Weight
[inch]	D. Model		X	Υ	-	u	IVI	øΟ	øN	Thickness	Nylon	Urethane		[g]
ø5/32	KQ2TW03-00A1	8.2	7.7	10	15.3	5.7	13.3	6	3.2	8.2	6.4	4.4	3	3.5



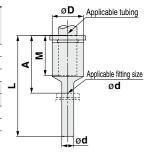
Release button dimensions



#### Plug-in Reducer: KQ2R



Applicable tubing O.D.	Applicable fitting size	Model	øD	Release dimer	e button nsions		Α	м		ve area m²]	Min.	Weight
[inch]	ø <b>d</b> [inch]	Model	ØD	X	Υ	_	A	IVI	Nylon	Urethane	port size	[g]
	ø5/32	KQ2R01-03A1	7.1	6.7	9.5	28.6	15.3	13.3	3.4	2.9	2.5	0.8
ø1/8	ø3/16	KQ2R01-05A1	7.1	6.7	9.5	28.7	15.4	13.3	3.4	2.9	2.5	0.8
	ø1/4	KQ2R01-07A1	7.1	6.7	9.5	28.4	15.1	13.3	3.4	2.9	2.5	1
ø5/32	ø3/16	KQ2R03-05A1	8.2	7.7	10	28.7	15.4	13.3	5.6	4	3	1
05/32	ø1/4	KQ2R03-07A1	8.2	7.7	10	31.8	18.5	13.3	5.6	4	3	1.2
ø3/16	ø1/4	KQ2R05-07A1	9.1	8.4	11	31.4	18.1	13.3	7.8	6.5	3.5	1.3
03/10	ø5/16	KQ2R05-09A1	9.1	8.4	11	33.4	19.2	13.3	7.8	6.5	3.5	1.5



Release button dimensions

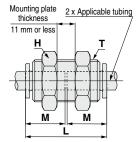


#### Bulkhead Union: KQ2E (Interchangeable with KQ)



Applicable tubing O.D. [inch]		T (UNF)	(Width across flats)	Release dimer	e button nsions		Mounting hole	М	[1111	ve area m²] Urethane	port	Weight [g]
ø1/8	KQ2E01-00□1	1/2-20UNF	17.46	6.7	9.5	27.8	13.5	13.3	3.4	2.9	2.5	26.9
ø5/32	KQ2E03-00□1	1/2-20UNF	17.46	7.7	10	27.8	13.5	13.3	5.6	4	3	25.7
ø3/16	KQ2E05-00□1	9/16-18UNF	17.46	8.4	11	29.8	15	13.3	7.8	6.5	3.5	40.3

☐: A (Brass), N (Brass + Electroless nickel plating)



Release button dimensions

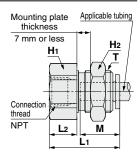


#### **Bulkhead Connector: KQ2E**



Applicable tubing O.D. [inch]	thread	Model	T (UNF)	H1 (Width across flats)	H2 (Width across flats)	L1	L2		e button nsions	Mounting hole	M	Effectiv [mi		port	
ø1/8	1/4	KQ2E01-35□1	1/2-20UNF	17.46	17.46	28.7	13.3	6.7	9.5	13.5	13.3	3.4	2.9	2.5	33.3
ø5/32	1/4	KQ2E03-35□1	1/2-20UNF	17.46	17.46	29	13.6	7.7	10	13.5	13.3	5.6	4	3	33.3
ø3/16	1/8	KQ2E05-34□1	9/16-18UNF	17.46	17.46	25.6	9.2	8.4	11	15	13.3	7.8	6.5	3.5	36.6

☐: A (Brass), N (Brass + Electroless nickel plating)



Release button dimensions



Oval Type Applicable Tubing: Inch Size, Connection Thread: UNF, NPT

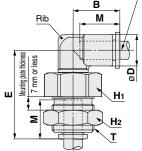
#### **Dimensions**

#### **Bulkhead Male Elbow: KQ2LE -**



Applicable tubing O.D.	Model	Т	H1 (Width	H2 (Width	В	Е	øD	Release dimer	e button nsions	Mounting	м	Effe area	ctive [mm <sup>2</sup> ]	Min.	Weight	With
[inch]	iviouei	(UNF)	across flats)	across flats)	В	_	ص م	Х	Υ	hole		Nylon	Urethane		[g]	a rib
ø1/8	KQ2LE01-00□1	1/2-20UNF	17.46	17.46	14.5	28.9	7.1	6.7	9.5	13.5	13.3	3	2.5	2.5	27.5	_
ø5/32	KQ2LE03-00□1	1/2-20UNF	17.46	17.46	14.8	28.5	8.2	7.7	10	13.5	13.3	4.2	4.2	3	27.1	
ø3/16	KQ2LE05-00□1	9/16-18UNF	17.46	17.46	15	29.7	9.1	8.4	11	15	13.3	6.8	5.6	3.5	34.1	

☐: A (Brass), N (Brass + Electroless nickel plating)



2 x Applicable tubing

Release button dimensions

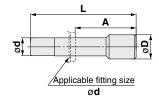


Plug: KQ2P



Applicable fitting size ø d [inch]	Model	ø <b>D</b> *¹	L	A	Weight [g]
ø1/8	KQ2P-01	5	31.5	18.2	1
ø5/32	KQ2P-03	6	32	18.7	1
ø3/16	KQ2P-05	6.8	34	20.7	1
ø1/4	KQ2P-07	8.5	35	21.7	1
ø5/16	KQ2P-09	10	39	24.8	2
ø3/8	KQ2P-11	11.5	43	27.4	3.5
ø1/2	KQ2P-13	15	45.5	28.5	5

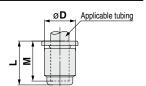
\*1 øD is maximum diameter.



Tube Cap: KQ2C -



Applicable tubing O.D.	Model	ø <b>D</b>	Release dimer	e button nsions	L	М	Weight
[inch]			Х	Υ			[g]
ø5/32	KQ2C03-00A1	8.2	7.7	10	14.5	13.3	0.8



Release button dimensions



Face Seal

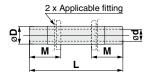
Inch Size Uni Metric Size Uni

Oval Type Applicable Tubing: Inch Size, Connection Thread: UNF, NPT

#### **Dimensions**

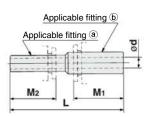
#### Nipple: KQ2N

Applicable fitting Ø <b>D</b>	Model	L	М	ø <b>d</b> Min. port size	Weight [g]
ø1/8	KQ2N01-99	36	13.3	2.1	0.2
ø3/16	KQ2N05-99	38	13.3	3.4	0.4
ø1/4	KQ2N07-99	39	13.3	4.6	1
ø3/8	KQ2N11-99	49	15.6	7	2
ø1/2	KQ2N13-99	51	17	9.5	3.5



Reducer Nipple: KQ2N -

Applicab	le fitting	Model		M <sub>1</sub>	M <sub>2</sub>	ød	Weight
<b>a</b>	<b>b</b>	Model	_	IVII	IVIZ	Min. port size	[g]
ø1/8	ø5/32	KQ2N01-03	36.5	13.3	13.3	2.1	0.2
Ø 1/O	ø3/16	KQ2N01-05	37	13.3	13.3	2.1	0.4
ø5/32	ø3/16	KQ2N03-05	37.5	13.3	13.3	2.5	0.4
Ø3/32	ø1/4	KQ2N03-07	38	13.3	13.3	2.5	0.6
ø3/16	ø1/4	KQ2N05-07	38.5	13.3	13.3	3.4	0.6
03/10	ø5/16	KQ2N05-09	41	13.3	13.3	3.4	1
ø1/4	ø5/16	KQ2N07-09	41.5	13.3	13.3	4.6	1
Ø1/4	ø3/8	KQ2N07-11	45	15.6	13.3	4.6	1
ø5/16	ø3/8	KQ2N09-11	46.5	15.6	14.2	6	1.8
03/16	ø1/2	KQ2N09-13	47.5	17	14.2	6	2.6
ø3/8	ø1/2	KQ2N11-13	50	17	15.6	7	3.2

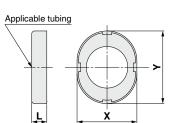


Color Cap: KQ2C -



Applicable tubing O.D. [inch]	Model	X	Y	L	Weight [g]
ø1/8	KQ2C-01□B	7.3	10	2.6	0.1
ø3/16	KQ2C-05□B	9	11.5	2.6	0.1

□: B (Black), R (Red), YR (Orange), BR (Brown), Y (Yellow), G (Green), CB (Sky blue), GR (Gray), W (White), BU (Blue)



# KQ2 Series Made to Order/Clean Series/Spare Parts

Please contact SMC for detailed dimensions, specifications, and lead times.

## Made to Order

Symbol	Specifications
X12	Lubricant: White vaseline Release button color: White
X35*1	Body color: Black Release button color: Orange
X41	With fixed orifice*2

- \*1 The following models are not available as made-to-order: Hexagon socket head male connector/KQ2S, Bulkhead union/KQ2E, Bulkhead connector/KQ2E, Nipple/KQ2N, Reducer nipple/KQ2N, Male connector/KQ2H, Female connector/KQ2F, Color cap/KQ2C, Plug/ KQ2P
- \*2 Please contact SMC for availability.

#### The following made-to-order products will be provided based on previous models (KQ2 series). Please contact SMC separately.

Symbol	Specifications	
X17	Grease-free Rubber material: NBR (With fluorine coating) Release button color: Light blue	
X29	Grease-free Rubber material: NBR (With fluorine coating) Release button color: Light blue Copper-free (With electroless nickel plating)	
X34	Rubber material: FKM	
X39	Grease-free Rubber material: NBR (With fluorine coating) Release button color: Light blue Clean (Copper-free, air blow, double packaging, resin body: white)	
X94	Grease-free Rubber material: FKM (With fluorine coating) Release button color: Light blue	

### 2 Clean Series

-	Please consult with SMC separately for applicable models.		
	Symbol	Specifications	
	10-	Brass parts: With electroless nickel plating Lubricant: Fluorine grease Air blow in a clean room Double packaging Resin body, Release button color: White	

Example) 10-KQ2H05-35NS1 (With thread) 10-KQ2H05-00A1 (Without thread)

# 3 Spare Parts

Description	Part no.	Applicable thread
Gasket	M-5G2	10-32UNF

#### **Brass**

Description	Part no.	Applicable model
	KQ01-P01A	KQ2E01-00A1, KQ2E03-00A1, KQ2E01-35A1
Pipe nut	KQUI-PUIA	KQ2E03-35A1, KQ2LE01-00A1, KQ2LE03-00A1
	KQ05-P01A	KQ2E05-00A1, KQ2E05-34A1
		KQ2LE05-00A1

#### Brass + Electroless nickel plating

<u> </u>				
Description	Part no.	Applicable model		
KQ01-P01N		KQ2E01-00N1, KQ2E03-00N1, KQ2E01-35N1		
Pipe nut	KQUI-PUIN	KQ2E03-35N1, KQ2LE01-00N1, KQ2LE03-00N1		
	KQ05-P01N	KQ2E05-00N1, KQ2E05-34N1		
		KQ2LE05-00N1		

Inch Size UNF, NPT | Metric Size M, R, Rc

Sealant/Gasket Seal

Inch Size M, R, Rc

Inch Size NPT | Metric Size R, Rc | Metric Size G

Face Seal

Inch Size R

Metric Size Uni

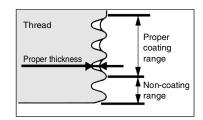
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# For Pneumatic Piping/Fittings & Tubing **Prior to Use**

#### **Fittings with Sealant**

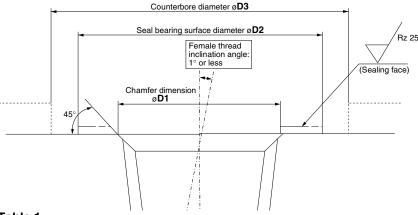
Seal material (fluororesin) is coated on the thread part with the proper thickness and range, that reduces the piping work, such as coating the seal on the thread.





#### Female Thread Conditions Applicable to Face Seal

- 1. Surface roughness of bearing surface: Rz 25 or less
- 2. Chamfer dimension: øD1, Seal bearing surface diameter: øD2 (Refer to the table below.)
- 3. Female thread inclination angle:  $1^{\circ}\,\text{or less}$
- 4. Counterbore diameter when the female thread is counterbored.: ØD3
  - $\cdot$  Models with width across flats: Body width across flats x 1.1 or more
  - · Models other than hexagon (Hexagon socket head male connector etc.): Body dimensions + 0.2 mm or more
  - \* The width across flats and the body dimensions differ depending on the model even when the same thread size is used. Refer to the dimensions in the catalog.
- 5. If oil content or sealant is sticking to the female thread, this may cause damage of the product. Remove it before piping.



#### Table 1

Connection thread size	Chamfer dimension ø <b>D1</b> [mm]	Seal bearing surface diameter ø D2 [mm]
R1/8	10.2 to 10.4	12 or more
R1/4	13.6 to 13.8	17 or more
R3/8	17.1 to 17.3	21 or more
R1/2	21.4 to 21.6	27 or more
NPT1/16	8.2 to 8.4	11.11 or more
NPT1/8	10.5 to 10.7	12.7 or more
NPT1/4	14.1 to 14.3	17.46 or more
NPT3/8	17.4 to 17.6	22 or more
NPT1/2	21.7 to 21.9	28.7 or more
G1/8	10.2 to 10.6	12 or more
G1/4	13.6 to 14.0	17 or more
G3/8	17.1 to 17.5	21 or more
G1/2	21.4 to 21.8	27 or more

#### ⚠ Precautions

For products that do not satisfy the female thread conditions shown above and the piping with a piping pitch narrower than the product dimension, use the current sealant type.

- \* The rubber parts of the face seal cannot be replaced.
- \* The rubber parts of the face seal may fall off by the air blow and they cannot be mounted again. Be careful not to perform the air blow.





Be sure to read this before handling products.

#### **Design / Selection**

# **Marning**

1. Confirm the specifications.

Products represented in this catalog are designed only for use in compressed air systems (including vacuum). Do not operate at pressures, temperatures, etc., beyond the range of specifications, as this can cause damage or malfunction. (Refer to the specifications.)

Please contact SMC when using a fluid other than compressed air (including vacuum).

We do not guarantee against any damage if the product is used outside of the specification range.

2. Do not disassemble the product or make any modifications, including additional machining.

It may cause human injury and/or an accident.

3. Check if PTFE can be used in application.

PTFE powder (Polytetrafluoroethylene resin) is included in the sealant. Confirm that the use of it will not cause any adverse affect on the system.

## **A** Caution

 Keep the connection part of fittings and tubing from rotating or oscillating movement. Use Rotary One-touch Fittings (KS or KX series) in these cases.

The fittings may be damaged if they are used in the above

2. The tubing bending radius in the vicinity of the fitting should be at least the minimum bending radius of the tubing.

If the bending radius is less than the minimum value, fittings may damage, or tubing may crack or be crushed. The minimum bending radius of the FR soft nylon tubing (TRS series), FR double layer tubing (TRB series), antistatic soft nylon tubing (TAS series), polyolefin tubing (TPH series), and soft polyolefin tubing (TPS series) is measured as following in accordance with JIS B 8381. Tubing deformation ratio at the minimum bending radius is obtained through the following formula, based on tubing diameter and mandrel diameter by winding the same radius mandrel tube.

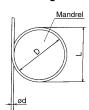
$$\eta = \left(1 - \frac{L - D}{2d}\right) x \ 100$$

Tube deformation ratio at the minimum bending radius

Here, η: Deformation ratio [%]

- d : Tubing diameter [mm]
  L : Measured length [mm]
- L : Measured length [mm]
  D : Mandrel diameter [mm]
  (Twice against the minimum

bending radius)
Test temperature: 20 ±5°C
Relative humidity: 65 ±5%



3. Do not use fluids other than listed on the specifications.

Applicable fluids are air and water. Please consult with SMC if using other fluids.

- 4. When it is used with water, the fittings or tubing may be damaged depending on the surge pressure.
- Depending on the storage or operating environment and the period of storage or use, the surface of the brass (C3604) may blacken. If the discoloration of the brass is a problem, we recommend selecting electroless nickel-plated brass instead.

Example) KQ2H06-01 NS

#### **Mounting / Piping**

# **⚠** Warning

1. Operation manual

Install the products and operate them only after reading the operation manual carefully and understanding its contents. Also, keep the manual where it can be referred to as necessary.

2. Maintenance space

Allow sufficient space for maintenance and inspection.

3. Adhere to the thread tightening method.

Refer to "Connection Thread Tightening Method" when mounting the product.

4. There may be cases of the tubing detaching from the fitting and thrashing around uncontrollably due to tubing degradation or fitting breakage.

To prevent the situation from becoming uncontrollable, fit the tubing with a protective cover or fix it in place.

#### **∧** Caution

1. Preparation before piping

Before piping is connected, it should be thoroughly blown out with air (flushing) or washed to remove chips, cutting oil and other debris from inside the pipe.

2. Winding of sealant tape

When screwing together pipes and fittings, etc., be certain that chips from the pipe threads and sealant do not get inside the pipe.

Also, when the sealant tape is used, leave approx. 1 thread ridge exposed at the end of the threads.



- Check the model, type and size before installation. Also, confirm that there is no scratches, gouges or cracks on the product.
- When connecting the tubing, take pressure or possible changes to the tubing length into account, and allow a sufficient margin.

Failure to do so may result in fitting breakage or detachment of the tubing. Refer to the recommended piping conditions.

5. Do not apply unnecessary forces such as twisting, pulling, moment loads, vibration and impact, etc. on fittings or tubing.

This will cause damage to fittings and will crush, burst or release tubing.

- 6. Tubing, with the exception of coiled tubing, requires stationary installation. Do not use standard tubing (non-coiled) in applications where tubing is required to travel inside the flexible protection tube. Tubing that travels may sustain abrasion, extension, or severance due to tensile force, or may result in removal of tubing from fitting. Use caution prior to use for proper application.
- To install the fitting, screw the fitting into the hexagonal face of the body, and tighten with an appropriate wrench.

Affix the wrench at the base of the thread. If the size of hexagonal face and wrench do not match, or tightening takes place near the tube side, it may cause collapse or deformation of the hexagonal face, or damage to the equipment. After installing, confirm that there is no damage to the fitting, etc.





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#### **Mounting / Piping**

#### **⚠** Caution

#### 8. Interference in oval type release button

The following models cannot be used if a box wrench or socket wrench is used.



#### **KQ2 Series**

Model	Applicable tubing	Connection thread	Part number
	ø3.2	M3 x 0.5	KQ2H23-M3G1
	ø3.2	M5 x 0.8	KQ2H23-M5□1
	ø4	M3 x 0.5	KQ2H04-M3G1
	ø4	M5 x 0.8	KQ2H04-M5□1
	ø4	M6 x 1.0	KQ2H04-M6□1
	ø6	M5 x 0.8	KQ2H06-M5□1
NA-1-	ø6	M6 x 1.0	KQ2H06-M6□1
Male connector	ø6	R1/8	KQ2H06-01□S1
Connector	ø1/8	10-32UNF	KQ2H01-32□1
	ø5/32	10-32UNF	KQ2H03-32□1
	ø3/16	10-32UNF	KQ2H05-32□1
	ø5/32	NPT1/16	KQ2H03-33□S1
	ø1/8	M5 x 0.8	KQ2H01-M5□1
	ø3/16	M5 x 0.8	KQ2H05-M5□1
	ø3/16	R1/8	KQ2H05-01□S1
	ø4	M3 x 0.5	KQ2F04-M3□1
	ø4	M5 x 0.8	KQ2F04-M5□1
l <u> </u>	ø6	M5 x 0.8	KQ2F06-M5□1
Female connector	ø1/8	10-32UNF	KQ2F01-32□1
Commector	ø5/32	10-32UNF	KQ2F03-32□1
	ø1/8	M3 x 0.5	KQ2F23-M3□1
	ø1/8	M5 x 0.8	KQ2F23-M5□1

☐: A (Brass), N (Brass + Electroless nickel plating)

#### **KQ2-G Stainless Steel Series**

Model	Applicable tubing	Connection thread	Part number
NA-1-	ø4	M5 x 0.8	KQ2H04-M5G1
Male connector	ø6	M5 x 0.8	KQ2H06-M5G1
Connector	ø6	R1/8	KQ2H06-01GS1

#### Air Supply

# **△** Warning

#### 1. Type of fluids

Please consult with SMC when using the product in applications other than compressed air.

Regarding products for general fluids, please contact SMC concerning applicable fluids.

#### 2. When there is a large amount of drainage

Compressed air containing a large amount of drainage can cause malfunction of pneumatic equipment. An air dryer or water separator should be installed upstream from filters.

#### 3. Drain flushing

If condensation in the drain bowl is not emptied on a regular basis, the bowl will overflow and allow the condensation to enter the compressed air lines. This causes the malfunction of pneumatic equipment.

If the drain bowl is difficult to check and remove, the installation of a drain bowl with an auto drain option is recommended.

Refer to "SMC Air Preparation System" for further details on compressed air quality.

#### 4. Use clean air.

Do not use compressed air that contains chemicals, synthetic oils that include organic solvents, salt, corrosive gases, etc., as they can cause damage or malfunction.

#### **Air Supply**

## **⚠** Caution

#### 1. Install an air filter.

Install an air filter at the upstream side of valve. Select an air filter with a filtration degree of 5  $\mu$ m or finer.

#### Install an aftercooler, air dryer or water separator, etc.

Compressed air containing a large amount of drainage can cause the malfunction of pneumatic equipment. Therefore, take appropriate measures to ensure air quality, such as by providing an aftercooler, air dryer, or water separator.

# 3. Ensure that the fluid and ambient temperature are within the specified range.

If the fluid temperature is 5°C or less, the moisture in the circuit could freeze, causing damage to the seals and leading to equipment malfunction. Therefore, take appropriate measures to prevent freezing.

Refer to "SMC Air Preparation System" for further details on compressed air quality.

#### **Operating Environment**

# **Marning**

 Do not use in an atmosphere where corrosive gases, chemicals, sea water, water, or water steam is present. Do not use in cases where there is direct contact with any of the above.

Refer to each construction drawing on the fittings and tubing material.

- 2. Do not expose the product to direct sunlight for an extended period of time.
- 3. Do not use in a place subject to heavy vibration and/or impact.
- Do not mount the product in locations where it is exposed to radiant heat.
- Do not use the ordinary fittings and tubing in locations where static electricity would be problematic.

It may result in the system failure and trouble. In such places, use of antistatic fittings (KA series) and antistatic tubing (TA series) are recommended.

# 6. Do not use the ordinary fittings and tubing in locations where spatter is generated.

Spattering may result in a fire hazard. In such a place, use of flame resistant fittings (KR/KRM series) and flame resistant tubing (TRS/TRB/TRBU/TRTU series) are recommended.

Do not use in an environment where the product is directly exposed to cutting oil, lubricant, coolant oil, etc.

Please contact SMC if using for an environment exposed to cutting oil, lubricant or coolant oil, etc.

8. Take note that if nylon tubing and soft nylon tubing are used in a clean room.

The antioxidant on the surface of the soft nylon tubing may come off, thereby lowering the cleanness level.

Do not use in environments where foreign matter may stick to the product or get mixed in the product's interior.

This may cause leakage or disconnection of the tubing.





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#### Maintenance

# **⚠** Warning

1. Perform maintenance inspections according to the procedures indicated in the operation manual.

If handled improperly, malfunction and damage of machinery or equipment may occur.

#### 2. Maintenance work

If handled improperly, compressed air can be dangerous. The assembly, handling, repair, and element replacement of pneumatic systems should be performed by a knowledgeable and experienced person.

#### 3. Drain flushing

Remove drainage from air filters regularly.

# 4. Removal of equipment and supply/exhaust of compressed air

When components are removed, first confirm that measures are in place to prevent workpieces from dropping, run-away equipment, etc. Then, cut off the supply pressure and electric power, and exhaust all compressed air from the system using the residual pressure release function.

When the equipment is restarted, proceed with caution after confirming that appropriate measures are in place to prevent cylinders from sudden movement.

## **∧** Caution

- Be certain to wear safety glasses at all times during periodical inspections.
- 2. Replace fittings or tubing having the following problems.
  - 1) Cracks, gouges, wearing, corrosion
  - 2) Air leakage
  - 3) Twists or crushing of tubing
  - 4) Hardening, deterioration, softening of tubing
- 3. When replacing tubes or fittings, do not try to mend or repair and then reuse them.

# One-touch Fittings Mounting / Piping

## **⚠** Caution

- 1. Installation and removal of tubing for One-touch fittings
  1) Installation of tubing
  - (1) Cut the tubing perpendicularly, being careful not to damage the outside surface. Use an SMC tube cutter TK-1, 2, 3, 5 or 6. Do not cut the tubing with pliers, nippers, scissors, etc., otherwise,

the tubing will be deformed and trouble may result.

(2) The outside diameter of the polyurethane tubing swells when internal pressure is applied to it. Therefore, it may be possible that the tubing cannot be re-inserted into the One-touch fitting. Check the tubing outside diameter, and when the accuracy of the outside diameter is +0.07 mm or larger for ø2, +0.15 mm or larger for other sizes, insert into the One-touch fitting again, without cutting the tubing to use it. When the tubing is re-inserted into the One-touch fitting, confirm that the tubing goes through the release button smoothly.

#### One-touch Fittings Mounting / Piping

### **<b>⚠** Caution

- (3) Grasp the tubing, slowly push it straight (0 to 5°) into the One-touch fitting until it comes to a stop.
- (4) Pull the tubing back gently to make sure it has a positive seal. Insufficient installation may cause air to leak or the tubing to release.

As a guide for checking the tubing is not pulled out, refer to the following table.

Tubing size	Tensile force of tubing [N]
ø2, 3.2, 1/8"	5
ø4, 5/32", 3/16"	8
ø6, 1/4"	12
ø8, 5/16"	20
ø10, 3/8"	30
ø12, 1/2"	35
ø16	50

#### 2) Removal of tubing

- (1) Push the release button flange evenly and sufficiently to release the tube. Do not push in the tubing before pressing the release button.
- (2) Pull out the tubing while keeping the release button depressed. If the release button is not held down sufficiently, the tubing cannot be withdrawn.
- (3) To reuse the tubing, remove the previously lodged portion of the tubing. If the lodged portion is left on without being removed, it may result in air leakage and removal of the tubing difficult.

#### 2. Connecting products with metal rods

Products with metal rods (KC series, previous KQ series, KN series, and KM series, etc.) cannot be connected to KQ2 series One-touch fittings. If connected, the metal rod cannot be retained by the chuck of the One-touch fitting and products with metal rods may project during pressurization, causing serious personal injury or accident.

Even when products with metal rods can be connected to other One-touch fittings, do not use any tube, resin plug, or reducer after connection. This may cause releasing.

For details about One-touch fittings that can connect products with metal rods, contact SMC.





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#### Connection Thread Tightening Method

#### 1. Connection thread: M3

First, tighten by hand, then use a wrench appropriate for the hexagon flats of the body to tighten an additional 1/4 turn. A reference value for the tightening torque is 0.4 to 0.5 N·m.

#### 2. Connection thread: M5 and 10-32UNF

First, tighten by hand, then use a wrench appropriate for the hexagon flats of the body to tighten an additional 1/6 to 1/4 turn. A reference value for the tightening torque is 1 to 1.5 N·m.

#### 3. Connection thread: M6

First, tighten by hand, then use a wrench appropriate for the hexagon flats of the body to tighten an additional 1/6 to 1/4 tum.

Excessive tightening may damage the thread portion or deform the gasket and cause air leakage. Insufficient tightening may loosen the threads, or cause air

leakage.

#### 4. Fittings with sealant: R, NPT

1) First, tighten the fitting by hand, then use a wrench appropriate for the hexagon flats of the body to tighten it a further two or three turns.

For a tightening torque guide, see the table below.

Connection thread size (R, NPT)	Tightening torque [N·m]
1/16, 1/8	3 to 5
1/4	8 to 12
3/8	15 to 20
1/2	20 to 25

- 2) If the fitting is tightened with excessive torque, a large amount of sealant will seep out. Remove the excess sealant.
- 3) Insufficient tightening may cause seal failure, or loosen the threads.

#### 4) Reuse

- (1) Normally, fittings with a sealant can be reused up to 2 to
- (2) To prevent air leakage through the sealant, remove any loose sealant stuck to the fitting by blowing air over the threaded portion.
- (3) If the sealant no longer provides effective sealing, wind sealing tape over the sealant before reusing. Do not use the sealant in any form other than a tape type.
- (4) Once the fitting has been tightened, backing it out to its original position often causes the sealant to become defective. Air leakage will occur.

#### 5. Face seal fittings: R, NPT, G

1) Tighten fittings with sealant using the proper tightening torques in the table below.

Connection thread size (R, NPT, G)	Proper tightening torque [N·m]
1/16, 1/8	3 to 5
1/4	8 to 12
3/8	15 to 20
1/2	20 to 25

2) Insufficient tightening may cause seal failure, or loosen the threads

#### 3) Reuse

- (1) Normally, fittings with a sealant can be reused up to 6 to 10 times.
- (2) The seal ring cannot be replaced.

#### 6. Uni thread fittings

1) First, tighten the threaded portion by hand, then use a proper wrench, which could be suitable for the width across flats of the hexagon body, to tighten it further at a wrench tightening angle shown below. As a reference value for the tightening torque, refer to the table below.

#### Connection Female Thread: Rc, NPT, NPTF

	Uni thread size	Wrench tightening angle after hand-tightening [deg]	Tightening torque [N⋅m]
	1/8	30 to 60	3 to 5
	1/4	30 to 60	8 to 12
ſ	3/8	15 to 45	14 to 16
ſ	1/2	15 to 30	20 to 22

#### **Connection Female Thread: G**

Uni thread size	Wrench tightening angle after hand-tightening [deg]	Tightening torque [N·m]
1/8	30 to 45	3 to 4
1/4	15 to 30	4 to 5
3/8	15 to 30	8 to 9
1/2	15 to 30	14 to 15

2) The gasket can be reused up to 6 to 10 times. It can be replaced easily when it has sustained damage. A broken gasket can be removed by holding it and then turning it in the same direction as loosening the thread. If gasket is difficult to remove, cut it with nippers, etc. In such a case, use caution not to scratch the seat face because the seat face of 45° gasket of fitting is the sealing face.

#### Chamfer Dimension for Female Thread

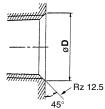
#### 1. Chamfer dimension for female thread of the connection thread M3, M5, 10-32UNF

Confirming to ISO 16030 (air pressure fluid dynamics - connection - ports and stud ends), the chamfer dimensions shown below are recommended. By chamfering as shown in the following table, machining of threads is easier and effective for burr prevention.



Connection thread size	Chamfer dimension ø <b>D</b> (Recommended value) [mm]
M3	3.1 to 3.4
M5	5.1 to 5.4
10-32UNF	5.0 to 5.3

#### 2. Chamfer dimension of R and NPT thread with sealant, and Uni thread



Connection	Chamfer dimension ø <b>D</b> (Recommended value)				
thread size	G	NPT, NPTF			
1/16			8.2 to 8.4		
1/8	10.2 to 10.6	10.2 to 10.4	10.5 to 10.7		
1/4	13.6 to 14.0	13.6 to 13.8	14.1 to 14.3		
3/8	17.1 to 17.5	17.1 to 17.3	17.4 to 17.6		
1/2	21.4 to 21.8	21.4 to 21.6	21.7 to 21.9		

For Uni thread, Rz 12.5 is necessary for sealing at the chamfered part.





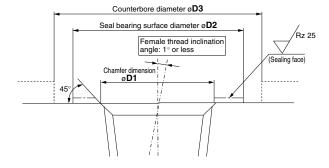
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#### **Chamfer Dimension for Female Thread**

## **⚠** Caution

- 3. Chamfer dimension for female thread of face seal fitting (R, NPT, G)
  - 1) Surface roughness of bearing surface: Rz 25 or less
  - Chamfer dimension: ØD1, Seal bearing surface diameter: ØD2 (Refer to the table below.)
  - 3) Female thread inclination angle: 1° or less
  - Counterbore diameter when the female thread is counterbored.: øD3
    - · Models with width across flats: Body width across flats x 1.1 or more
    - Models other than hexagon (Hexagon socket head male connector etc.): Body dimensions + 0.2 mm or more
    - \* The width across flats and the body dimensions differ depending on the model even when the same thread size is used. Refer to the dimensions in the catalog.
  - If oil content or sealant is sticking to the female thread, this may cause damage of the product. Remove it before piping.

Connection thread size	Chamfer dimension ø <b>D1</b> [mm]	Seal bearing surface diameter ø D2 [mm]
R1/8	10.2 to 10.4	12 or more
R1/4	13.6 to 13.8	17 or more
R3/8	17.1 to 17.3	21 or more
R1/2	21.4 to 21.6	27 or more
NPT1/16	8.2 to 8.4	11.11 or more
NPT1/8	10.5 to 10.7	12.7 or more
NPT1/4	14.1 to 14.3	17.46 or more
NPT3/8	17.4 to 17.6	22 or more
NPT1/2	21.7 to 21.9	28.7 or more
G1/8	10.2 to 10.6	12 or more
G1/4	13.6 to 14.0	17 or more
G3/8	17.1 to 17.5	21 or more
G1/2	21.4 to 21.8	27 or more



#### **Recommended Piping Conditions**

1. When connecting piping to the One-touch fitting, use pipe length with sufficient margin, in accordance with the piping conditions shown in Fig. 1.

Also, when using a tying band, etc., to bind the piping together, make sure that external force does not come to bear on the fitting. (See Fig. 2.)

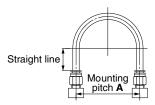


Fig. 1 Recommended piping

Unit: [mm]

Tubing size	Mounting pitch A			Straight line	
Tubing Size	Nylon tubing   Soft nylon tubing		Polyurethane tubing	length	
ø2	_	_	13 or more	10 or more	
ø3.2, 1/8"	44 or more	35 or more	25 or more	16 or more	
ø4, 5/32"	56 or more	44 or more	26 or more	20 or more	
ø3/16"	67 or more	52 or more	38 or more	24 or more	
ø6	84 or more 66 or more		39 or more	30 or more	
ø1/4"	89 or more 70 or more		57 or more	32 or more	
ø8, 5/16"	112 or more	88 or more	52 or more	40 or more	
ø10	140 or more	110 or more	69 or more	50 or more	
ø3/8"	134 or more	105 or more	69 or more	48 or more	
ø12	168 or more	132 or more	88 or more	60 or more	
ø1/2"	178 or more	140 or more	93 or more	64 or more	
ø16	224 or more	176 or more	114 or more	80 or more	

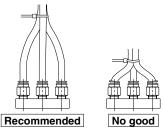


Fig. 2 When using a tying band to bind the piping together

Tubing	
Design / Selection	

## **⚠** Caution

- 1. When using a tubing other than from SMC, be careful of the tolerance of the tubing O.D. and tubing material.
  - 1) Nylon tubing Within  $\pm 0.1$  mm 2) Soft nylon tubing Within  $\pm 0.1$  mm
  - 3) Polyurethane tubing Within +0.15 mm, Within -0.2 mm

Do not use the tubing which does not satisfy the specified tubing O.D. accuracy, or if the tubing has a different I.D., material, hardness, or surface roughness from those of SMC's tubing. Please consult SMC if there is anything unclear. It may cause difficulty in connecting the tubing, leakage, disconnection of the tubing, or fitting damage. When used with tubing other than those from SMC, due to their properties, the products listed below are not subject to warranty.

KQG2, KQB2, KFG2, KF, ø2M

2. When using fittings other than those from SMC, be certain to confirm that operating conditions are such that no problems will arise.



In order to improve operability, the outside diameter of the release button has been enlarged for the new KQ2 series.

Therefore, the usable color caps will differ between pre-change and post-change products.

Please contact SMC if anything is unclear.

#### **Applicable Sizes and Models**

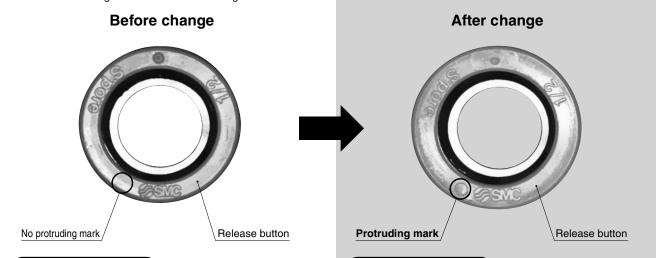
	Applicable tubing O.D.	Model
Metric size	ø8, ø10, ø12, ø16	All models*1
Inch size	ø1/4", ø3/8", ø1/2"	All models.

<sup>\*1</sup> Excluding models without release buttons

#### **How to Identify Release Buttons Before and After Change**

The release button for both the fitting/KQ2 and color cap/KQ2C after the change can be identified by the protruding mark on the left side of the SMC logo, and the release button before the change has no protruding mark. The same identification method is used for metric size and inch size.

- \* Along with the change of the release button, the model of the color cap/KQ2C is changed from KQ2C-□B.
- \* There is no change of the model for the fitting/KQ2.



#### Applicable color cap

#### **Metric Size**

Applicable tubing O.D. [mm]	Model	ø <b>D</b> 1	ø <b>D</b> 2	L	Weight [g]
ø <b>8</b>	KQ2C-08□A	12.8	9.2	2.6	0.1
ø10	KQ2C-10□A	15.2	11.2	2.7	0.1
ø <b>12</b>	KQ2C-12□A	17.6	13.2	2.7	0.1
ø <b>16</b>	KQ2C-16□A	22.4	17.2	3.2	0.2

 $\square$ : B (Black), R (Red), YR (Orange), BR (Brown), Y (Yellow), G (Green), CB (Sky blue), GR (Gray), W (White), BU (Blue)

#### **Inch Size**

Applicable tubing O.D. [inch]	Model	ø <b>D</b> 1	ø <b>D</b> 2	L	Weight [g]
ø <b>1/4</b>	KQ2C-07□A	10.7	7.5	2.6	0.1
ø <b>3/8</b>	KQ2C-11□A	14.8	10.7	2.7	0.1
ø1/2	KQ2C-13□A	18.5	13.9	2.7	0.1

□: B (Black), R (Red), YR (Orange), BR (Brown), Y (Yellow), G (Green), CB (Sky blue), GR (Gray), W (White), BU (Blue)

#### Applicable color cap

#### **Metric Size**

Applicable tubing O.D. [mm]	Model	ø <b>D</b> 1	ø <b>D</b> 2	L	Weight [g]
ø <b>8</b>	KQ2C-08□B	13.6	9.2	2.6	0.1
ø <b>10</b>	KQ2C-10□B	16.2	11.2	2.7	0.1
ø <b>12</b>	KQ2C-12□B	18.8	13.2	2.7	0.2
ø16	KQ2C-16□B	24.2	17.2	3.2	0.3

 $\square$ : B (Black), R (Red), YR (Orange), BR (Brown), Y (Yellow), G (Green), CB (Sky blue), GR (Gray), W (White), BU (Blue)

#### **Inch Size**

Applicable tubing O.D. [inch]	Model	ø <b>D</b> 1	ø <b>D</b> 2	L	Weight [g]	
ø <b>1/4</b>	KQ2C-07□B	11.5	7.5	2.6	0.1	
ø <b>3/8</b>	KQ2C-11□B	15.7	10.7	2.7	0.1	
ø <b>1/2</b>	KQ2C-13□B	19.6	13.9	2.7	0.2	

 $\square$ : B (Black), R (Red), YR (Orange), BR (Brown), Y (Yellow), G (Green), CB (Sky blue), GR (Gray), W (White), BU (Blue)

# Precautions for Color Caps Applicable to Products Other than the New KQ2

Please note that color cap models for products other than the New KQ2 One-touch fittings are different.

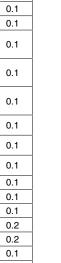
The table of applicable color caps is shown below.

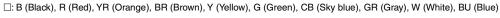
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#### **Table of Applicable Color Caps**

#### **Metric Size**

Description	Applicable series	Applicable tubing O.D. mm	Model	ø <b>D</b> 1	ø <b>D</b> 2	L	Weight g
	KDM	ø <b>3.2</b>	KQ2C-01□	9.1	4.35	2.9	0.1
Destanta Malking and a		ø <b>4</b>	KQ2C-04□	10.1	5.2	2.9	0.1
Rectangular Multi-connector		ø <b>6</b>	KQ2C-06□	12.1	7.2	2.9	0.1
		ø <b>8</b>	KQ2C-08□	14.1	9.2	2.9	0.1
Multi-connector with	DMK	ø <b>3.2</b>	KQ2C-01A-□	7.35	4.2	2.5	0.1
One-touch Fittings		ø <b>4</b>	KQ2C-04A-□	8.5	5	2.2	0.1
Straight Type with One-touch Fitting KK2□-□H		ø <b>3.2</b>	KQ2C-01A-□	7.35	4.2	2.5	0.1
S Couplers  Bulkhead Type with One-touch Fitting  KK2□-□E	KK2□-□H KK2□-□E	ø <b>4</b>	KQ2C-04A-□	8.5	5	2.2	0.1
		ø <b>6</b>	KQ2C-06A-□	10.5	7	2.2	0.1
Elbow Type with One-touch Fitting	KK2□-23L	ø <b>3.2</b>	KQ2C-01B-□	8.8	4.2	2.5	0.1
S Couplers	KK2□-04L	ø <b>4</b>	KQ2C-04B-□	9.7	5	2.2	0.1
	KK2□-06L	ø <b>6</b>	KQ2C-06B-□	12	7	2.2	0.1
	KK3	ø <b>4</b>	KQ2C-04□	10.1	5.2	2.9	0.1
	KK3, KK4	ø <b>6</b>	KQ2C-06□	12.1	7.2	2.9	0.1
S Couplers		ø <b>8</b>	KQ2C-08□	14.1	9.2	2.9	0.1
		ø10	KQ2C-10□	17.1	11.2	2.9	0.2
	KK4, KK6	ø <b>12</b>	KQ2C-12□	19.1	13.2	2.9	0.2
	КМ	ø <b>4</b>	KQ2C-04□	10.1	5.2	2.9	0.1
One-touch Fittings Manifold		ø <b>6</b>	KQ2C-06□	12.1	7.2	2.9	0.1
One todon'r raings mannoid		ø <b>8</b>	KQ2C-08□	14.1	9.2	2.9	0.1
		ø10	KQ2C-10□	17.1	11.2	2.9	0.2
Self-seal Fittings		ø <b>4</b>	KQ2C-04□	10.1	5.2	2.9	0.1
Jen-Jean Fittings	кс	ø <b>6</b>	KQ2C-06□	12.1	7.2	2.9	0.1
Potony One touch Fittings	KS/KX	ø <b>8</b>	KQ2C-08□	14.1	9.2	2.9	0.1
Rotary One-touch Fittings		ø <b>10</b>	KQ2C-10□	17.1	11.2	2.9	0.2
•		ø <b>12</b>	KQ2C-12□	19.1	13.2	2.9	0.2
	КВ	ø <b>4</b>	KQ2C-04□	10.1	5.2	2.9	0.1
		ø <b>6</b>	KQ2C-06□	12.1	7.2	2.9	0.1
Piping Module		ø <b>8</b>	KQ2C-08□	14.1	9.2	2.9	0.1
		ø10	KQ2C-10□	17.1	11.2	2.9	0.2
		ø <b>12</b>	KQ2C-12□	19.1	13.2	2.9	0.2
		ø <b>16</b>	KQ2C-16□	26.3	17.2	3.9	0.3





#### Inch Size

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Description	Applicable series	Applicable tubing O.D. Inch	Model	ø <b>D</b> 1	ø <b>D</b> 2	L	Weight g
Rectangular Multi-connector	KDM	1/8"	KQ2C-01□	9.1	4.35	2.9	0.1
Rectangular Multi-connector		1/4"	KQ2C-07□	12.6	7.5	2.9	0.1
	КМ	1/4"	KQ2C-07□	12.6	7.5	2.9	0.1
One-touch Fittings Manifold		3/8"	KQ2C-11□	16.6	10.65	2.9	0.2
		1/2"	KQ2C-13□	20.6	1.85	2.9	0.2
Rotary One-touch Fittings	KS	1/4"	KQ2C-07□	12.6	7.5	2.9	0.1
notary One-touch Fittings		3/8"	KQ2C-11□	16.6	10.65	2.9	0.2

□: B (Black), R (Red), YR (Orange), BR (Brown), Y (Yellow), G (Green), CB (Sky blue), GR (Gray), W (White), BU (Blue)



# Safety Instructions

These safety instructions are intended to prevent hazardous situations and/or equipment damage. These instructions indicate the level of potential hazard with the labels of "Caution," "Warning" or "Danger." They are all important notes for safety and must be followed in addition to International Standards (ISO/IEC)\*1), and other safety regulations.

Caution: Caution indicates a hazard with a low level of risk which, if not avoided, could result in minor or moderate injury.

**Warning:** Warning indicates a hazard with a medium level of risk which, if not avoided, could result in death or serious injury.

⚠ Danger: Danger indicates a hazard with a high level of risk which, if not avoided, will result in death or serious injury.

\*1) ISO 4414: Pneumatic fluid power - General rules relating to systems. ISO 4413: Hydraulic fluid power - General rules relating to systems. IEC 60204-1: Safety of machinery – Electrical equipment of machines. (Part 1: General requirements) ISO 10218-1: Manipulating industrial robots - Safety.

#### **⚠Warning**

1. The compatibility of the product is the responsibility of the person who designs the equipment or decides its specifications.

Since the product specified here is used under various operating conditions, its compatibility with specific equipment must be decided by the person who designs the equipment or decides its specifications based on necessary analysis and test results. The expected performance and safety assurance of the equipment will be the responsibility of the person who has determined its compatibility with the product. This person should also continuously review all specifications of the product referring to its latest catalog information, with a view to giving due consideration to any possibility of equipment failure when configuring the equipment.

2. Only personnel with appropriate training should operate machinery and equipment.

The product specified here may become unsafe if handled incorrectly. The assembly, operation and maintenance of machines or equipment including our products must be performed by an operator who is appropriately trained and experienced.

- 3. Do not service or attempt to remove product and machinery/ equipment until safety is confirmed.
  - 1. The inspection and maintenance of machinery/equipment should only be performed after measures to prevent falling or runaway of the driven objects have been confirmed.
  - 2. When the product is to be removed, confirm that the safety measures as mentioned above are implemented and the power from any appropriate source is cut, and read and understand the specific product precautions of all relevant products carefully.
  - 3. Before machinery/equipment is restarted, take measures to prevent unexpected operation and malfunction.
- 4. Contact SMC beforehand and take special consideration of safety measures if the product is to be used in any of the following conditions.
  - 1. Conditions and environments outside of the given specifications, or use outdoors or in a place exposed to direct sunlight.
  - 2. Installation on equipment in conjunction with atomic energy, railways, air navigation, space, shipping, vehicles, military, medical treatment, combustion and recreation, or equipment in contact with food and beverages, emergency stop circuits, clutch and brake circuits in press applications, safety equipment or other applications unsuitable for the standard specifications described in the product catalog.
  - 3. An application which could have negative effects on people, property, or animals requiring special safety analysis.
  - 4. Use in an interlock circuit, which requires the provision of double interlock for possible failure by using a mechanical protective function, and periodical checks to confirm proper operation.

#### **⚠** Caution

1. The product is provided for use in manufacturing industries.

The product herein described is basically provided for peaceful use in manufacturing industries.

If considering using the product in other industries, consult SMC beforehand and exchange specifications or a contract if necessary. If anything is unclear, contact your nearest sales branch.

#### Limited warranty and Disclaimer/ **Compliance Requirements**

The product used is subject to the following "Limited warranty and Disclaimer" and "Compliance Requirements"

Read and accept them before using the product.

#### **Limited warranty and Disclaimer**

- 1. The warranty period of the product is 1 year in service or 1.5 years after the product is delivered, whichever is first.\*2) Also, the product may have specified durability, running distance or replacement parts. Please consult your nearest sales branch.
- 2. For any failure or damage reported within the warranty period which is clearly our responsibility, a replacement product or necessary parts will be provided. This limited warranty applies only to our product independently, and not to any other damage incurred due to the failure of the product.
- 3. Prior to using SMC products, please read and understand the warranty terms and disclaimers noted in the specified catalog for the particular products.
  - \*2) Vacuum pads are excluded from this 1 year warranty. A vacuum pad is a consumable part, so it is warranted for a year after it is delivered. Also, even within the warranty period, the wear of a product due to the use of the vacuum pad or failure due to the deterioration of rubber material are not covered by the limited warranty.

#### Compliance Requirements

- 1. The use of SMC products with production equipment for the manufacture of weapons of mass destruction (WMD) or any other weapon is strictly prohibited.
- 2. The exports of SMC products or technology from one country to another are governed by the relevant security laws and regulations of the countries involved in the transaction. Prior to the shipment of a SMC product to another country, assure that all local rules governing that export are known and followed.

#### **⚠** Caution

#### SMC products are not intended for use as instruments for legal metrology.

Measurement instruments that SMC manufactures or sells have not been qualified by type approval tests relevant to the metrology (measurement) laws of each country. Therefore, SMC products cannot be used for business or certification ordained by the metrology (measurement) laws of each country.

#### **Revision History**

Edition B \* Correction of errors in dimensions

\* Pages 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 18, 19, 20, 22, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 38, 39, 41, 49, 52, 53, 60, 68, 70

- \* Addition of proof pressure conditions
- \* Change of tightening conditions (Torque, Number of rotations)
- \* Addition of color cap

Addition of made to order (White vaseline, Black body)

RS \* Addition of Clean Series

Edition C \* Addition of face seal Correction of errors in dimensions Pages 11, 13, 15, 16, 23, 26, 40, 46, 51, 60,

61, 104, 105 \* Deletion of the note about "Applicable Tubing" Pages 1, 33, 57, 65, 101, 109

\* Number of pages increased from 88 to 124 RZ

Edition D \* Addition of oval type release button Addition of products with interchangeable effective area (KQ2□□-□□Q□)

Addition of made to order

\* Number of pages increased from 124 to 224 UX

A Safety Instructions Be sure to read the "Handling Precautions for SMC Products" (M-E03-3) and "Operation Manual" before use.