



Adaptix[™] Faster Grip to Chip

Minimize downtime, work setup and material scrap.

Maximize uptime, product mix, and machine capacity.



Breakthrough Engineering for a Better World—With 150+ years of experience manufacturing over 100 million parts per year, Norgren challenged traditional workholding solutions for CNC machining and developed a revolutionary new product which is transforming the way you hold and grip parts in your milling machine.



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Breakthrough Engineering for a Better World

Norgren is part of global engineering organization IMI plc. IMI is at the forefront of delivering the solutions we need in a changing world and is focused on creating tremendous value by solving key industry problems in attractive markets and employing the best.

Norgren has a proud history of creating innovative engineering solutions in precise motion control and fluid technology, and we collaborate with our customers across more than 50 countries in critical areas such as Factory Automation, Material Handling, Rail, Energy, Process Control, Life Science and Commercial Vehicles.

From improving speed, productivity, reliability and efficiency of equipment, to generating significant energy and cost savings, or lowering total cost of ownership across many industries, Norgren's high-quality solutions are designed to help customers pursue progress, achieve new goals and overcome problems.

With market-leading industry expertise, we offer the capability, resources, engineering intelligence and global support infrastructure to tackle the largest project demands.

Our world-class portfolio of fluid and motion control products include Norgren, Bimba, Buschjost, FAS, Herion, Kloehn and Maxseal. Supplied either individually or combined into powerful customized solutions to meet customer needs.

Breakthrough engineering you can count on.

A More Efficient Workholding System

Adaptix rapidly adjusts to powerfully grip the most challenging of pieces. Innovative technology ensures repeatability is maintained throughout the machining process, resulting in more uptime and faster changeovers. Unique shapes can be quickly setup and held for high mix, low volume orders, meaning you'll have more time to quote and win business. Workholding just got easier with Adaptix.

Adaptix Features and Benefits:

» Rapid Customization

» Powerful Hold

» High Repeatability

» Simple Setup

» Quick Setup

» Unique Geometry

» Compatibility

» Corrosion + Chip Resistant

» Interchangeable Grip

» Interchangeable Depth

» Interchangeable Materials

Unique geometry workholding in about 5 minutes

Maximum clamping force of 7,000 lb

Repeatability of .001"*

Labour costs to get up and running are less

Less down time; more time cutting

Expand your offering and quote more

Couples directly onto most work vises

Proprietary design mitigates chip ingress and prevents corrosion

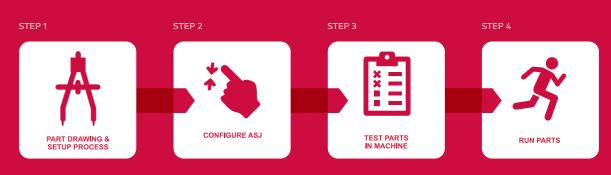
Free rotating, round or serrated studs each grab work differently

Different step heights offer shallow or deep grip

Hardness of studs can be changed depending on workholding needs

The overall repeatability will depend on the specification of the vice, please check manufacturers details.







THE OLD WAY

CREATE NEW SOFT JAW



USE EXISTING SOFT JAW



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Welcome to the Future of CNC Workholding

Lockable fingers

Allows for repeat part manufacturing by opening/ closing vise jaws without the need to readjust.

Corrosion-resistant and chip deflection

Designed so fluids and chips don't interfere with the operation.

It's about **Time Savings...**

	Soft Jaw	Adaptix
Order blanks & design soft jaw:	40 mins	0 mins
Program CNC:	15 mins	0 mins
Remove and store jaw:	10 mins	0 mins
Setup / cut / configure:	30 mins	5 mins
Inspect, Q&A soft jaw:	10 mins	5 mins
Test parts in machine (run 1st part):	10 mins	10 mins
TOTAL AVEDAGE TIME COENT	4 UD 55	20 MINUITEC

TOTAL AVERAGE TIME SPENT

1 HR 55 mins

20 MINUTES



Average Time **Saved** with Adaptix

per setup:

1 HOUR 35 MIN

Superior accuracy and repeatability

Adjustable fingers lock in place, providing a rigid work-hold with the same necessary force as a traditional soft jaw.

Replaceable studs

Available in multiple materials (aluminum, steel, plastic, brass, etc.), step profiles, shapes and edges to provide gripping flexibility.

Couples directly to the vise

Replaces existing vise jaws and integrates directly onto the vise to ensure maximum performance and accuracy.

Repeatability

0.001"

Max Clamping Force 7000 lbs.

Key Specifications

Max Finger Stroke

Dimensions & Weight

Kurt version Height: 3.07"

Width: 8.27" Length: 4.02" Weight: 18 lbs per jaw

Fingers

Height: 1.57" Thickness: 0.39" Stroke: 0.98"

Materials & Options

<u>Housing</u>: Machined AISI 4000 Alloy Steel <u>Fingers</u>: Machined AISI 4000 Alloy Steel AISI 4000 components use Nitride Coating

Features



Instant Setup
Configure in minutes
and reset in seconds



Eliminate StorageGone is the need for soft jaw or fixture storage



Interchangeable Pin Tips Select ideal pin tip material, step profile and shape based on what's being gripped



Vise Compatibility
Works with common
vise manufacturers



Field Repairable
Easily replace pins/studs
on your own



Durable ConstructionWithstands harsh conditions of machine tool interiors



Experts available to answer any questions at a moment's notice

Replaceable

Step 1: Choose Parallel/Step Height

- » 3mm
- » 12mm (future)
- » 6mm
- » 18mm (future)
- » 10mm



Our fingertips replace existing parallels. Users can continue to use their own parallel, if desired.



Step 2: Choose Stud Material



Aluminum

- » If very concerned about marking the inserted part
- » Use for clamping soft materials
- » Shortest lifespan

Brass (future)



Alloy (Soft) Steel

-) General purpose clamping material
- » Medium lifespan

Plastic (future)



Hard Steel

-) Use for hardest or tool steel materials
- » Longest lifespan

Stainless Steel (future)

With a wide variety of materials, step profiles and shapes, our state-of-the art fingertips provide endless gripping flexibility for any part geometry.

Don't see a solution that you need? Contact us today:

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Step 3: Choose Stud Profile



Round

- >> Full round profile
- » Single point of contact with part



Multi-flat (future)

- » Flat profile and +/- 45°
- » Conforms to flat surfaces on part at multiple part angles



Free Rotating

» Free rotation to contact part



Serrated (future)

- » High hold, bites into part
-)) Ideal for castings or rough surfaces

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