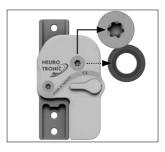
Changes Concerning Screws and Sliding Washers

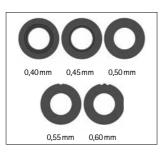
Dear Customers,

We would like to inform you about two changes which have been made in 2013:



→ Hexagon sockets become hexalobular sockets:

From now on, we use hexalobular sockets instead of hexagon sockets as screw drive for fixing the cover plates. The wear is considerably lower than with other screw drives and the optimal power transmission facilitates the assembly.



→ Sliding washers replace variable bearing nuts:

Instead of different bearing nuts we now have various sliding washers to compensate for any tolerances. The advantages are: the fitting accuracy is higher and storing the spare parts is considerably more economical.

That means there is only one bearing nut length for each joint, but five different sliding washer thicknesses.

The last three digits of the article number stand for the thickness of the sliding washer e.g. GS1407-<u>040</u>. The thickness of this sliding washer is 0.40mm. The thickness of a sliding washer is indicated by the markings. For example, a sliding washer with two grooves is 0.40mm thick, whereas a sliding washer with one notch is 0.55mm thick.

