

Tools Manufactured for Strength and Value

Industry-Specific Screwdriver Bits

Fastener heads are often designed for the particular needs of specific applications and industries. The table below identifies the most common fastener styles used in each industry. All IRWIN fastener drive bits are manufactured to meet ANSI standards.

Features

- Made of high-grade S2 tool steel.
- Wide variety of point sizes to fit many different applications.
- On the Rockwell hardness scale, IRWIN bits are between 58-62.

INDUSTRY	PROFILE	Phillips®	Slotted	Square Recess	TORX®	Tamper Resistant TORX®	Hex	POZIDRIV®	TORQ-SET®	TRI-WING®	Spanner	Frearson	Clutch G	Clutch A
		+	-	■	☆	☆	⬡	✱	+	⋈	⋈	+	-	⋈
Appliance		•	•	•	•			•						
Automotive		•	•		•		•	•						
Aviation		•	•						•	•		•		
Cabinetry				•								•		
Construction		•	•					•						
Control Panels							•				•			
Decking		•	•	•				•						
Drywall		•		•										
Electronics		•	•		•	•	•		•	•				
Furniture		•	•	•			•							
Hobby		•	•				•					•	•	•
HVACR		•	•	•										
Machine Tools/Metal							•							
Manufactured Housing													•	•
Marine		•	•									•		
Recreation		•	•				•					•	•	•
Security				•		•	•		•	•	•			
Subfloor		•		•										

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Phillips Bit Selection

The chart below shows the proper Phillips bit to use for driving each type of fastener.

Find the screw type and size you are driving. The column at the far left lists the proper point size to use.

Screw Type:	APPLICATION					
	Wood			Sheet Metal	Machine	
	Flat, Oval	Round	Flat, Oval, Binding	Flat, Oval, Round, Stove, Binding	Round Fillister	Truss Brazier Button
Phillips Bit Point Size	Size			Size	Size	
0	0, 1	0, 1	0, 1	0, 1	0, 1	0, 1
1	2, 3, 4	2, 3, 4	2, 3, 4	2, 3, 4	2, 3, 4	2, 3, 4, 5
2	5, 6, 7, 8, 9	5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10	5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10	5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10	5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10	6, 8, 10
3	10, 12, 14, 16	12, 14, 16	12, 14	12, 14	12, 1/4", 5/16"	12, 1/4"
4	18, 20, 24	18, 20, 24	5/16", 3/8", 7/16", 1/2"	—	3/8", 7/16", 1/2"	5/16", 3/8", 7/16", 1/2"