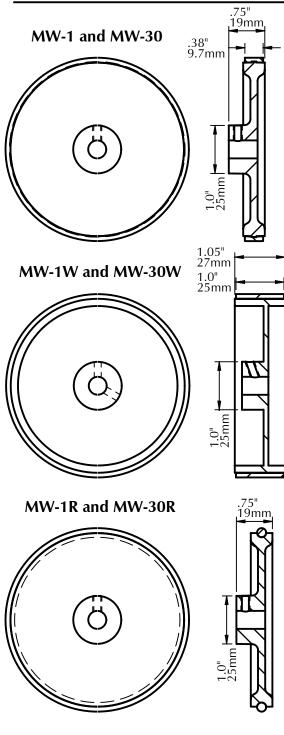
# MW-1 and MW-30 Measuring Wheels







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# **DESCRIPTION**

The **MW-1** measuring wheels are precision ground to a 12.00"  $\pm$  .01" circumference (3.82"  $\pm$  .003" diameter), and the **MW-30** to 30.00cm  $\pm$  .025cm (95.5mm  $\pm$  .1mm diameter). The wheels are aluminum with a urethane tire having a high coefficient of friction. They attach to an encoder shaft using one or two 10-24 set screws, as shown in the drawings to the left.

The **MW-1W** and **MW-30W** are similar to the MW-1 and MW-30, but have a 1" (25mm) wide precision ground urethane tire.

The **MW-1R** and **MW-30R** are made using the same aluminum wheel as the MW-1 and MW-30, but have a replaceable 3/16" width urethane O-ring that can be ordered separately (part no. 450-PLA-MW1R). Because these wheels are not precision ground they have greater tolerances than the other wheels. The MW-1R is 12.00"  $\pm$  .03" circumference (3.82"  $\pm$  .01" diameter), and the MW-30R is 30.00cm  $\pm$  .078cm (95.5mm  $\pm$  .25mm diameter).

#### **SPECIFICATIONS**

Shore Hardness: 83A

Operating Temperature Range: -25° to 65°C, -20° to 150°F

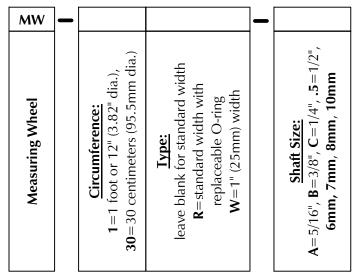
Urethane is FDA compliant, food grade.

## **INSTALLATION and MAINTENANCE**

Measuring wheels should be installed such that they are perpendicular to and their rotation is directly in line with the moving web or conveyor, or there could be premature wheel tread wear. For the double wheel RH encoder, use of the Y-1, Y-3, MB-UB1, MB-UB2, MB-UB3, or MB-UB4 mounting adapters allow the RH encoder to self-align with the moving web. The underbelt adapters apply an upward force that is directly along the centerline of the RH encoder, minimizing wheel wear. On curved sections of conveyors, we recommend the use of the IW modification with the RH encoder, or use a single wheeled encoder. Special care must be used when installing a single wheel encoder to ensure it is properly aligned.

Maintenance consists of periodically cleaning the wheel tread, or replacing the O-ring (part no. 450-PLA-MW1R). In dirty environments this is especially important since dirt accumulation on the wheel will increase its diameter.

## MODEL NUMBERS



Examples: MW-1-B (1 ft circumference, 3/8" shaft)
MW-30W-10mm (30cm circum., 25mm wide, 10mm shaft)