Spring-Set Brakes
Fail-Safe Electrically Actuated Friction Brakes

THE MAXITORQ® ADVANTAGE

- Power off design (electrically released)
- Low inertia
- Minimum backlash
- Factory set air-gap needs no adjustment
- Completely covered friction disc
- Excellent torque-to-size ratio
- Reliable repeatability
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Removing power from the brake coil releases compression springs which clamp a friction disc between the brake armature and the end cap, thereby providing braking torque to the shaft where the friction disc is connected. To release the brake, power is applied to the coil. This produces a magnetic field, which pulls the armature away from the friction disc and removes the braking torque. A protective sleeve prevents dirt from entering the friction disc surface when used in a dusty environment.

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### FEATURES / DIMENSIONS

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### SPECIFICATIONS

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<th>MODEL</th>
<th>HOLDING TORQUE (lb-in)</th>
<th>RELEASE TIME (sec)</th>
<th>WEIGHT (lbs)</th>
<th>INERTIA (lb-in²)</th>
<th>COIL VOLTAGE</th>
<th>POWER (watts)</th>
<th>CURRENT (amps)</th>
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Notes:
1. Other voltages available.
2. Various standard and metric bore sizes are available.