

Advanced International Chainguide Mounting Standard

# Background:

ISCG 05 was developed by the engineers at e.thirteen components with support and feedback from members of the ISCG 05 consortium. Its conception was the result of several years of the bicycle industry using the original ISCG standards, pioneered by a cooperative effort between Bob Barnett (Mr. Dirt) and Mountainspeed. The original ISCG was a huge success, but was originally planned to fit only standard bottom bracket types. With the widespread use of BMX type bottom brackets and the introduction of the ISIS Overdrive standard, a new chainguide mounting standard was needed.

The ISCG 05 project has been in the making for over a year at this time. While developing this new standard, we decided to start from a clean sheet of paper and incorporate everything that we had learned about chainguides and mounting since 2000. In April of 2003, the basis of the new standard was proposed. Industry wide, there was a much great feedback given. At Interbike 2003members of the ISCG 05 consortium met in person and discussed the details of this proposed new standard. Revisions were made, and the ISCG 05 was born! Special thanks go to George Dubois of Truvativ for taking the time to spread the word about ISCG 05 to product developers around the bicycle industry.

The goals for this new ISCG 05 standard were multi-fold. This new standard improves on the original ISCG in several important ways:

- 1) The ISCG 05 is compatible with all currently available bottom bracket types that we are aware of. Drawings are provided for standard, BMX, and ISIS Overdrive designs. The new ISCG 05 is broad enough in its scope that other types may be integrated in the future. This addition offers simplified chainguide installation for shops and consumers, and aims to cut down on chainguide model variations industry wide.
- 2) The new ISCG 05 standard tab clocking is now defined in relation to an imaginary line running from the center of the bottom bracket shell to the center of the rear wheel. This clocking method is identical to that used with conventional derailleurs. This aims to eliminate the guesswork that plagued the past standard. Big thanks to James Gardner and Dan Connors at Cannondale for this well thought out addition to the standard.
- 3) A new rotated standard that allows frame designers flexibility to use low non-elevated chainstays on long travel frames. This rotated standard uses the same bolt circle and relative positioning as the ISCG 05, repositioned 14 degrees counter-clockwise.
- 4) Tab thicknesses, tab offset, and tab parallelism to the bottom bracket face are now all defined simply and completely. This aims to eliminate the guesswork that previous ISCG users faced.

- 5) A new larger 73mm bolt circle diameter makes for more robust mounting. ISCG 05 frame tabs can be stronger than previous incarnations, and chainguide rotation is less possible.
- 6) Outside vendor supplied ISCG 05 adapter plates are now governed by a 2.5mm thick mounting width. This allows simplified setup for consumers using external cup bottom brackets like the Raceface X-Type and Shimano Saint. Big thanks to Bryn Johnson from Raceface for this forward thinking addition.

Thank you for taking the time to read through the attached documents carefully, and happy trails!

Sincerely,

Dave Weagle Technical Director e.thirteen components

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# International Standard Chain Guide 2005

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The International Standard Chain Guide 2005 specification (ISCG 05) provides a robust solution for mounting Chain Guides on Standard, BMX, and ISIS Overdrive Bottom Brackets. The standard also includes specification for long travel low chainstay full suspension frames.

Drawing Number Drawing Name
410120 ISCG 05 Flush Tabs

Description:

Specifies method for mounting chain guides flush with the outside face of the bottom bracket for Standard, BMX, and ISIS Overdrive bottom bracket designs.

410121 ISCG 05 Offset Tabs

Description:

Specifies method for mounting chain guides with tabs offset back from the face of the bottom bracket for Standard, BMX, and ISIS Overdrive bottom bracket designs. Please note that frame manufacturers using this variation of the standard are required to provide an ISCG tab spacer to attain the flush mount as shown in drawing 410120.

410122 ISCG 05 Long Travel

Descriptions:

Specifies method for rotating chain guide to provide clearance for long travel applications. This standard should be used for front derailleur compatible 150mm+ full suspension frame designs WITH very low drive-side chainstay designs. (non elevated chainstays)

410123 ISCG 05 Maximum Tab Envelope

Description:

Specifies the maximum diameter of the tab mounting design. ISCG 05 tab designs should not exceed this boundary. This maximum envelope is applicable to weld-on, and bottom bracket integrated tab designs, and all bottom bracket types.

410124 ISCG 05 sandwich mount thickness

Description:

Specifies the thickness for all sandwich type mounts that are used for frames that do not implement integrated ISCG 05 frame tabs.

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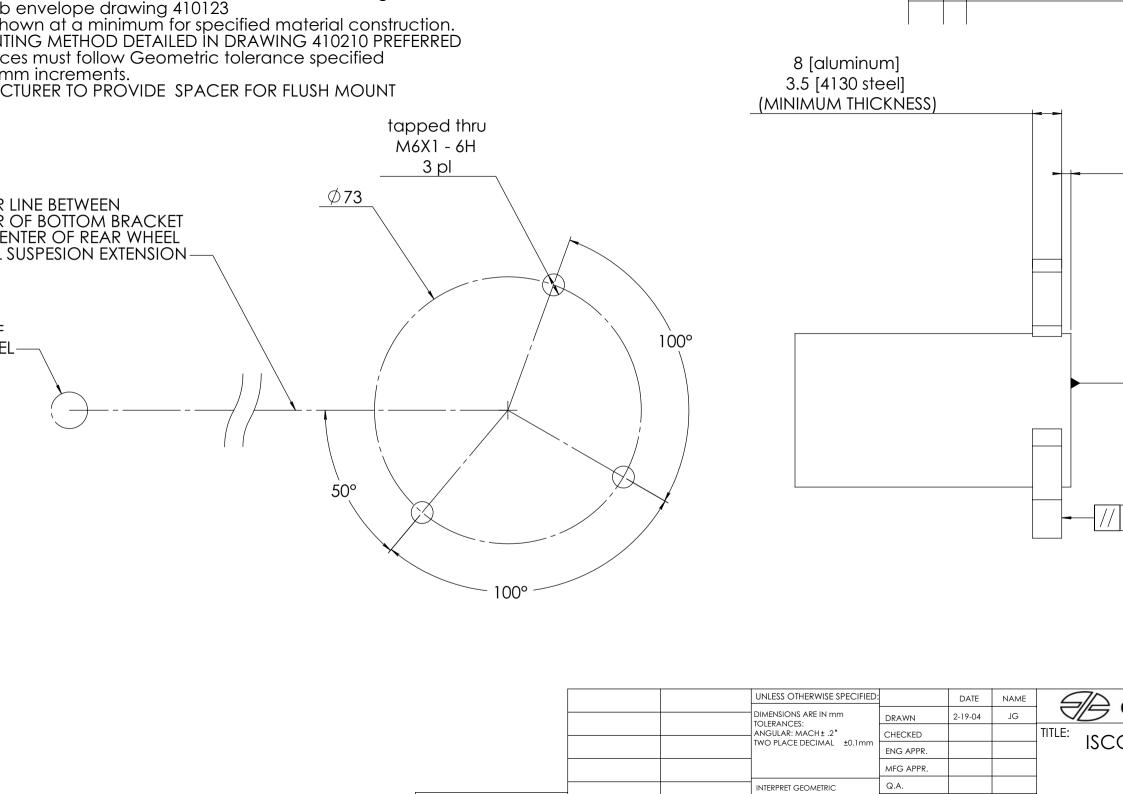
Descriptions:

Free to use ISCG 05 weld on tab designs that are already compliant to the ISCG 05 system. Tab designs are available for all type bottom bracket designs. Tab designs are also shown for Aluminum and Steel frame construction.

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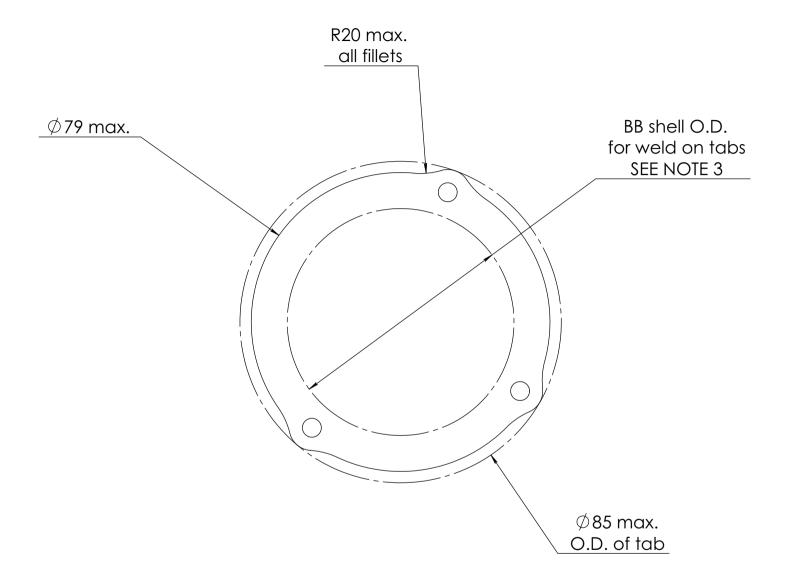
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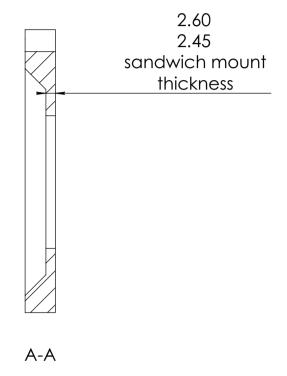
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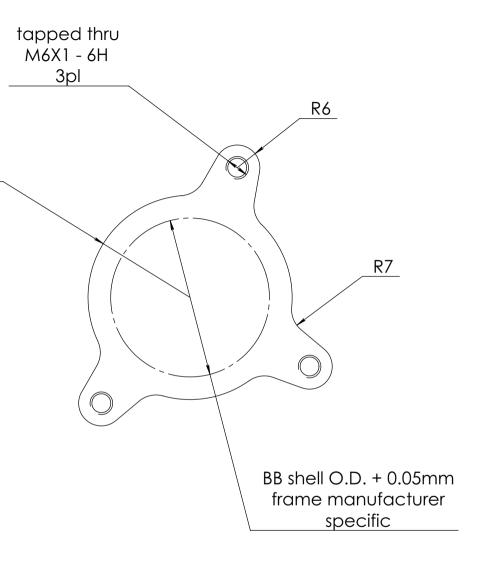


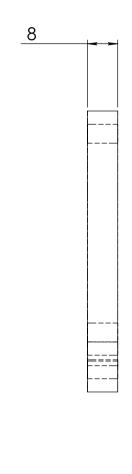
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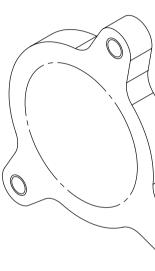




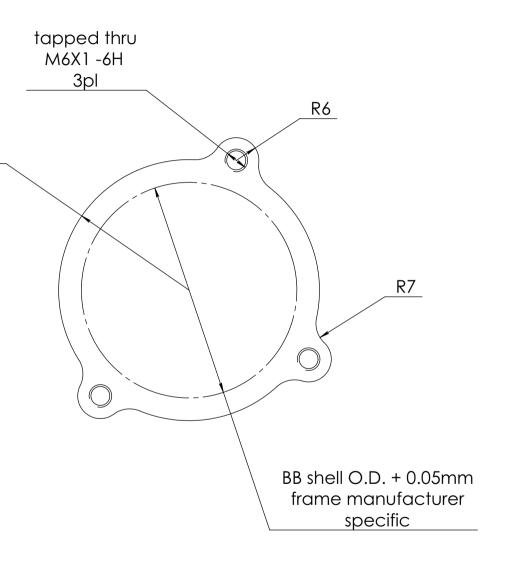
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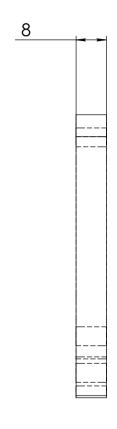


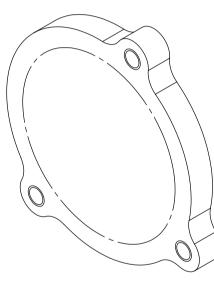




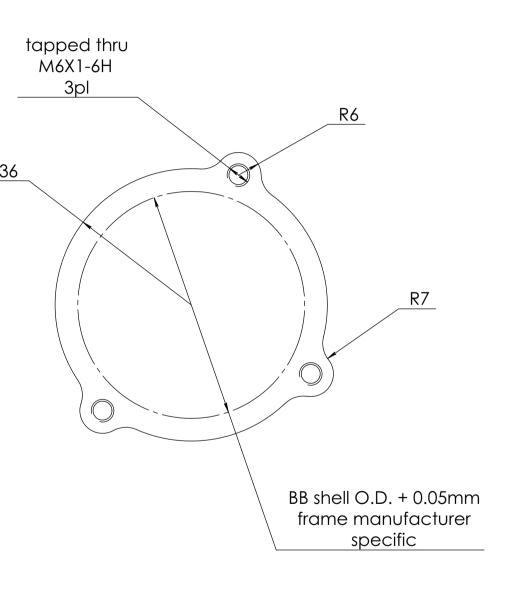
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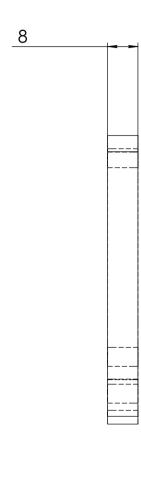


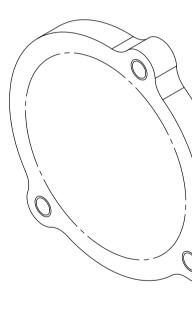




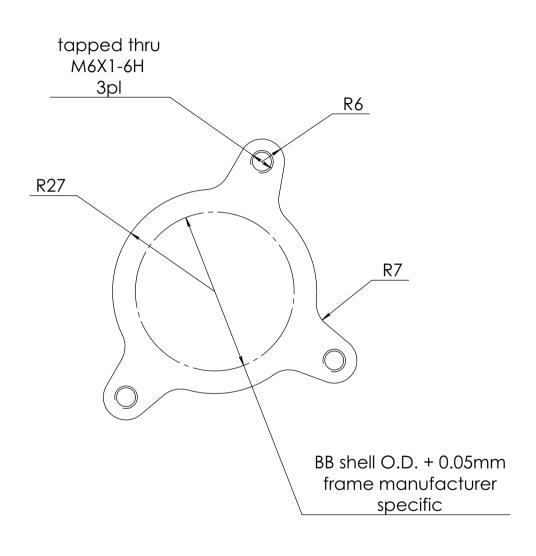
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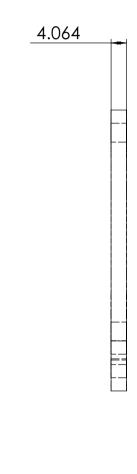


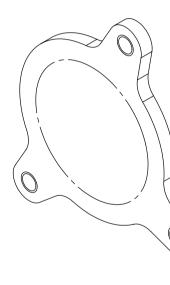




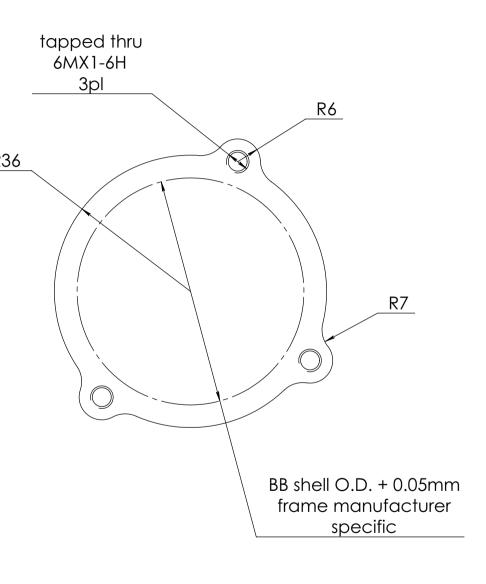
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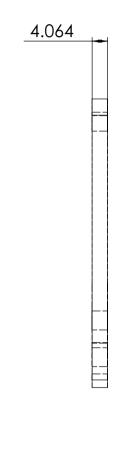


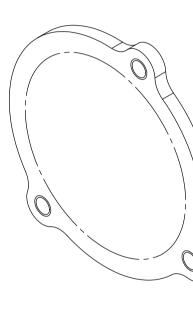




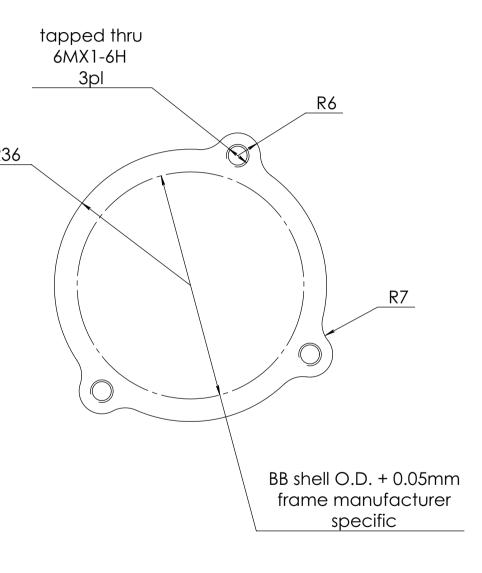
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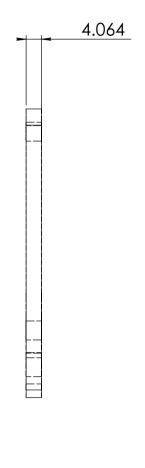


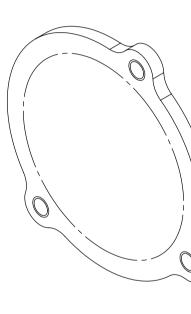




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