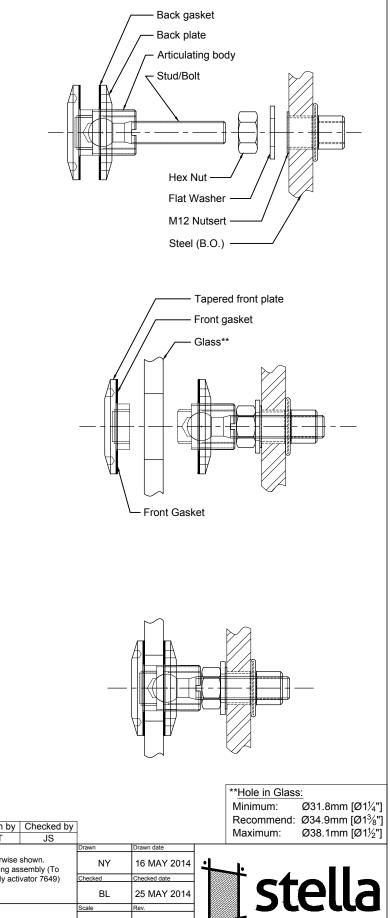
#### INSTALLING THE BOLT WITH NUTSERT

Step 1	Install Nutsert - refer to Nutsert installation manual.

 
 Step 2
 (If AB502T is supplied with back nut) Unscrew back nut from bolt, leave one flat washer and hex nut on the stud/bolt.

Step 3 Place stud/bolt in already installed nutsert.

Step 4 Using the machined flats on the stud, use a crescent wrench (not supplied by Stella) to tighten the bolt into nutsert.

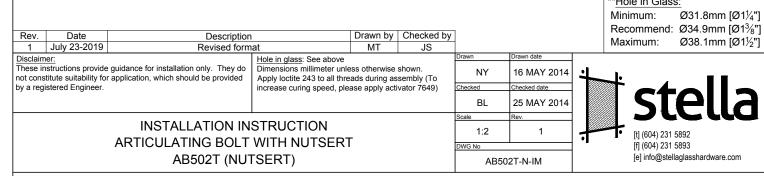


Step 5Set the height of glass bolt. Tighten the hexnut and<br/>washer to the nutsert when at desired height to lock it in<br/>place.

**Step 6** Remove front cap of glass bolt and black front gasket.

**Step 7** If you have templated glass, place it now OR template glass at this point.

Step 8Place black front gasket and front cap back on glass<br/>bolt and tighten with Stella-supplied 4mm pin spanner.<br/>Ensure no contact of glass to metal.



# stella HOW TO INSTALL A STELLA NUTSERT

The use of Nutserts in structural glass applications is a Stella Innovation; it is a labour and cost-saving alternative to drilling and tapping and works well with thin-walled HSS.

Stella Nutserts are available for M8, M12 and 3/8-16 UNC studs and bolts.

The Nutsert Manual Tool described in these instructions is available for purchase.



**Step ONE – Hole preparation** Drill a hole in one side of the HSS. Use the following drill bits: M8 nutsert: 13.5 mm [17/32"] M12 nutsert: 17.5 mm [11/16"] 3/8-16 UNC nutsert: 13.5 mm [17/32"]

#### NOTE:

With a deburring tool, remove burrs from the inside and outside of the hole to ensure proper installation.



Step TWO – Prepare tool Screw a Stella Nutsert onto the Nutsert Manual Tool.



With two wrenches, tighten it up against the alignment nut to keep the nutsert from rotating during installation.

Do not over-tighten it, as you may then start to collapse the nutsert, after which it will not fit in the drilled hole.



The Manual Nutsert tool consists of:

- Hex bolt (M8, M12 or 3/8-16UNC)
- Top cap (M8 only)
- Washer + roller bearing + washer NOTE: Periodically lube the washers to keep them lasting longer during multiple installations
- Alignment nut NOTE: the side with the emboss needs to point outward, as it will straddle the edge of the nutsert.



### WHAT YOU WILL NEED

- Drill bit 17/32 or 11/16" (see step 1)
- Lubricant
- Deburring tool
- Wrench (Size- 19mm or  $\frac{34''}{4}$ )



**Step THREE** - Insert the nutsert with the threaded-on tool into the hole. Ensure the flange of the alignment nut sits flush onto the surface of the HSS.



**Step FOUR – installing the nutsert** 

- 1. Hold the alignment nut pressed against the steel surface with a wrench.
- 2. Put your socket impact driver on the head of the bolt. Press down on top enough to keep the alignment nut flat against the surface. Hold on to wrench firmly.



Turning the bolt will force the knurled body of the nutsert to collapse and form a collar on the backside of the steel as shown above.



The flange of the nutsert sits slightly proud on the face of the steel as shown above.



• Impact driver with socket adaptor and socket for M8, M12 or 3/8-16 UNC hex





## TIPS:

- Be sure to check the washers of your nutsert tool regularly for any significant wear of the running surfaces. If they start getting chewed up, flip them over so that the unused side is in contact with the roller bearing. This will ensure that the roller bearing's rollers stay free of debris getting in.
- Check the bolt. During tightening, it can get hot and thread galling can occur. If you are having trouble getting the bolt out after installing, the threads could be damaged, and the bolt will need replacing.
- After installing a few nutserts, check the threads by trying a bolt or stud that will be used for mounting the hardware. If they are not going in smoothly, it is possible that the nutsert installbolt is damaged. This in turn damages the nutsert and it may need to be tapped through.
- If the bolt from the tool does not go all the way through all the threads of the nutsert, it can strip the bolt and the nutsert when installing. This also should be checked on the bolts being used for mounting the hardware.
- Make sure that the wrench you are using to hold the alignment nut is not thicker than the flat on the alignment nut. This will stop the washers from sitting flush on the top.
- If you are having problems, you are welcome to give us a call at Stella: (604) 231-5892