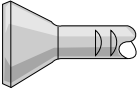
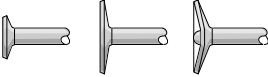
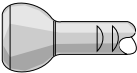
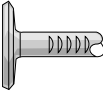
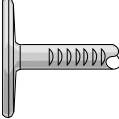
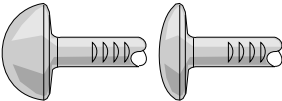









Figure 5.3
Nail Heads,
Shanks and
Points

Part	Type	Abbr.	Remarks	
Heads	Flat Counter-Sink	Cs	For nail concealment; light construction, flooring, and interior trim	
	Gypsum Wallboard	Dw	For gypsum wallboard	
	Finishing	Bd	For nail concealment; cabinet-work, furniture	
	Flat	F	For general construction	
	Large flat	Lf	For tear resistance; roofing paper	
	Oval	O	For special effects; cladding and decking	
Shanks	Smooth	C	For normal holding power; temporary fastening	
	Spiral or Helical	S	For greater holding power; permanent fastening	
	Ringed	R	For highest holding power; permanent fastening	
Points	Diamond	D	For general use, 35° angle; length about 1.5 x diameter	
	Blunt Diamond	Bt	For harder wood species to reduce splitting, 45° angle	
	Long Diamond	N	For fast driving, 25° angle; may tend to split harder species	
	Duckbill	Db	For ease of clinching	
	Conical	Con	For use in masonry; penetrates better than diamond	