



Propeller shafts from 350 up to 175,000 Nm

General Product Description

No machine element other than the propeller shaft allows power transmission of torque between spatially offset driving and driven shafts whose position can be changed additionally during operation.

Spatial angular motion and changes of axial length are ensured by advanced constructional elements.

Thus, propeller shafts have become an indispensable transmission component in automotive engineering and industry.

Propeller shafts offer

- » **universal application**
- » **advanced economy**
- » **high reliability**
- » **low maintenance**
- » **easy use**

and have made broad inroads in almost all industries during the last few decades.

Convince yourself that our products will solve your drive problems to your complete satisfaction. This catalogue is intended as a source of ready reference.

Line of Products Overview

Series	Reference torque [Nm]	Limiting torque [Nm]	Alternating torque [Nm]	Diameter of rotation [mm]	Flange connection DIN [mm]	Flange connection SAE	Flange connection KV/XS [mm]
15	200	350	-	60	58/65	-	-
30	800	1100	-	90	75/90/100	1120/1300	-
43	1800	2400	-	98	90/100/120	1120/1300/1400	100
53	3000	4200	-	115	100/120/150	1400/1500	120
63	4400	6200	-	125	120/150/165/180	1500/1600	120
58	6900	8800	-	155	150/165/180	1600/1700/1800	152/180
68	10000	11500	-	160	150/165/180	1600/1700/1800	152/180
70	12000	17000	-	174	225	1800	-
72	15000	21000	-	170	180/225	1800	180
73	17000	25000	-	178	180/220/225/250	1800/1880	180
77	19000	28000	9000	204	180/225/250	1880	180
79	28000	34000	-	204	-	-	200
80	26000	33000	13000	215	225/250/285	1880/1900	-
83	30000	40000	18000	250	250/285	1880	-
84	37000	55000	23000	265	285	-	-
85	37000	55000	23000	250	225/250/285/315	-	-
86	45000	58000	24000	250	285/315	-	-
90	85000	120000	45000	285	285/315/350	-	-

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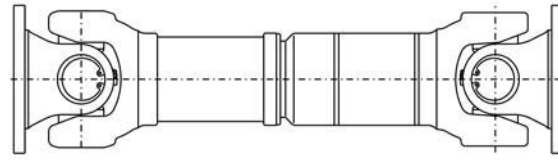
» Doppelgelenkwellen «		» Double-jointed propeller shafts «	
Für Vorderradantriebe von LKW, Geländefahrzeugen, Traktoren, Baumaschinen usw.		For front-wheel drives of trucks, off road vehicles, tractors, building machines etc.	
Baureihe/ Series	Größtes kurzzeitig zulässiges Drehmoment/ Largest permitted short-time torque [Nm]	Rotations- durchmesser/ Diameter of rotation [mm]	Beugungswinkel/ Angle of deflection [°]
41	4000	112	50
51	8000	138	42/50
61	3200/4000	115/128	52
71	12000	152	42
81	15000	172	42

» Präzisionsdrehteile « » Precision turned parts «

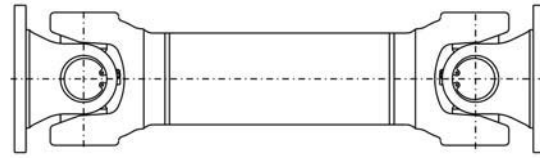
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Propeller shaft-variants

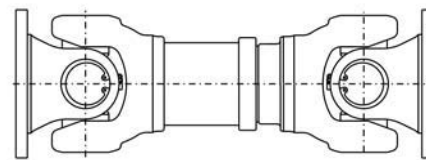
Propeller shafts with length displacement
Normal angle design -Code No. 41 and 45
Wide angle design -Code No. 46



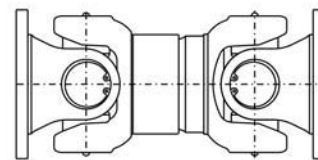
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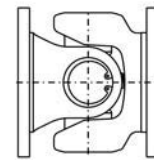
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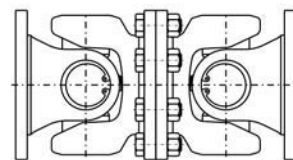
**Super short propeller shafts
with length displacement**
Reduced deflection angle design -Code No. 4496



Flange joints
Normal angle design -Code No. 310
Wide angle design -Code No. 314



Double joints
Normal angle design -Code No. 7670
Wide angle design -Code No. 7675



Explanations

M_{dB}		Reference torque
M_{dG}		Limiting torque
M_{dW}		Alternating torque
M_A		Tightening torque of flange fastening bolts
KZ		Code number (design)
L		Length of propeller shaft
L_{min}		Shortest length of propeller shaft without length displacement
L_z		Compressed length
$L_{z min}$		Shortest compressed length
$L_{z max}$		Longest compressed length
L_A		Length compensation
$L_{A min}$		Length compensation for $L_{z min}$
$L_{A max}$		Length compensation for $L_{z max}$
L_B		Operating length
z		Number of flange holes
β_{max}		Maximum joint deflection angle
m		Mass of propeller shaft for L
m_{min}		Mass of propeller shaft for L_{min} resp. $L_{z min}$
m_{max}		Mass of propeller shaft for $L_{z max}$
m_R		Mass per 1 m tube length
J		Moment of inertia of propeller shaft for L
J_{min}		Moment of inertia of propeller shaft for L_{min} resp. $L_{z min}$
J_{max}		Moment of inertia of propeller shaft for $L_{z max}$
J_R		Moment of inertia per 1 m tube length
C		Torsional stiffness of the propeller shaft for L
C_{min}		Torsional stiffness of the propeller shaft for L_{min} resp. $L_{z min}$
C_{max}		Torsional stiffness of the propeller shaft for $L_{z max}$
C_R		Torsional stiffness for 1 m tube length

Torque Definitions

M_{dB}	Torque for selection of propeller shaft series with optimal life
M_{dG}	Capable of transmitting torque in a limited frequency without damages to the function of a propeller shaft
M_{dW}	At this torque the propeller shaft is permanently solid at alternating loads. The permanently solid at pulsating load (M_{dSch}) can be calculated as follows: $M_{dSch} = M_{dW} \times 1,45$

Determine the length L_z of propeller shaft for static application:

-Series 15 ... 30: $L_z = L_B - 20$ -
 Series 43 ... 70: $L_z = L_B - 45$ -
 Series 72 ... 95: $L_z = L_B - 50$

Calculation of m, J and C for other propeller shaft lengths than specified in the dimension charts:

Determine the length of the additional tube (L_R):

bzw./resp. $L_R = L - L_{min}$ [mm]

$$L_R = L_z - L_{z\ min} \quad [mm]$$

1. Mass: $m = m_{min} + \left(m_R \cdot \frac{L_R}{1000} \right)$ [kg]

2. Moment of inertia: $J = J_{min} + \left(J_R \cdot \frac{L_R}{1000} \right)$ [kgm²]

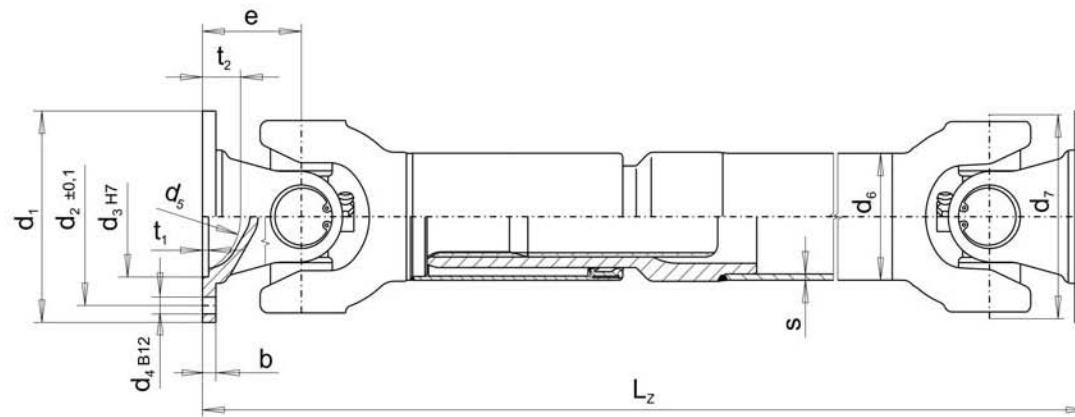
3. Torsional stiffness: $\frac{1}{C} = \frac{1}{C_{min}} + \left(\frac{L_R}{C_R \cdot 1000} \right)$ $\left[\frac{kNm}{rad} \right]$

Propeller shafts up to 6200 Nm

Series	MdB [Nm]	MdG [Nm]	d1 [mm]	d2 [mm]	d3 [mm]	z x d4 [mm]	b [mm]	t1 [mm]	d5 [mm]	t2 [mm]	d7 [mm]	d6 [mm]	s [mm]
15	200	350	65	52,0	35	4 x 6	4,5	2	42	8	60	30	2,5
30	800	1100	90	74,5	47	4 x 8	6,0	3	62	12	90	50	2,0
43	1800	2400	100	84,0	57	6 x 8	6,5	3	50	20	98	60	3,0
53	3000	4200	120	101,5	75	8 x 10	8,0	3	70	22	115	70	3,0
63	4400	6200	150	130,0	90	8 x 12	10,0	3	95	24	125	80	3,5

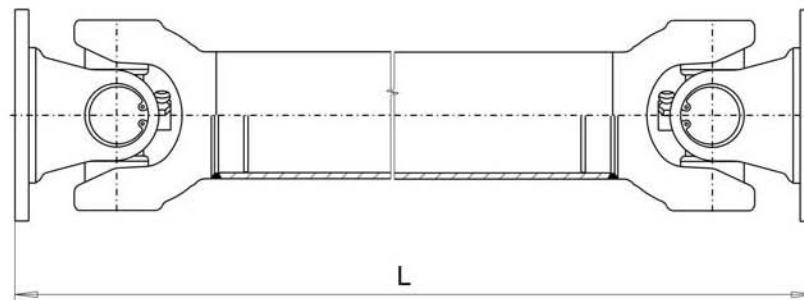
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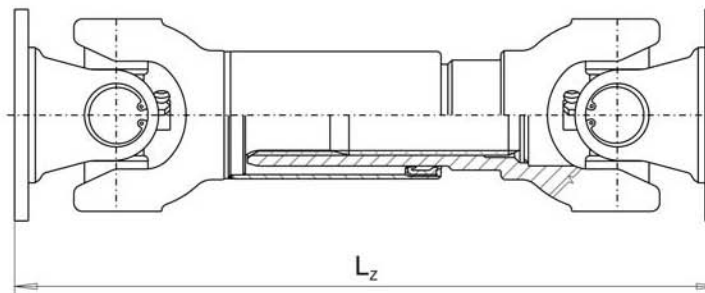
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Prop. shafts with length displacement

Normal angle design -Code No. 41 and 45. Wide angle design -Code No. 46

Series KZ β max e LZ min LA m min J min C min mR JR CR [°] [mm] [mm] [mm] [kg] kgm ² kNm/rad [kg] kgm ² kNm/rad												
15	4 1	25	32	275	25	1,9	0,00105	5,3	1,7 0	0,00032	3,38	
30 45 20 40 365 50 4,6 0,0030 22,0 2,37 0,00137 14,3												
30	4 6	30	47	380	50	4,8	0,0033	21,2	2,3 7	0,00137	14,3	
43 45 20 48 440 110 8,4 0,0077 35,5 4,22 0,00344 35,9												
43	4 6	35	58	460	110	8,8	0,0082	32,5	4,2 2	0,00344	35,9	
53 45 20 56 490 110 12,7 0,0134 55,4 4,96 0,00557 58,2												
53	4 6	35	70	520	110	13, 6	0,0148	49,8	4,9 6	0,00557	58,2	
63 45 20 62 530 110 19,5 0,0250 88,5 6,60 0,00968 101												

Normal angle design -Code No. 47. Wide angle design -Code No. 48

Series KZ β max e L min m min J min C min mR JR CR [°] [mm] [mm] [kg] kgm ² kNm/rad [kg] kgm ² kNm/rad												
15	47	25	32	165	1,2	0,00036	6	1,70	0,00032	3,38		
30 47 20 40 215 3,3 0,0023 28 2,37 0,00137 14,3												
30	48	30	47	230	3,5	0,0025	26	2,37	0,00137	14,3		
43 47 20 48 250 4,8 0,0046 55 4,22 0,00344 35,9												
43	48	35	58	270	5,7	0,0050	46	4,22	0,00344	35,9		
53 47 20 56 285 7,2 0,0085 92 4,96 0,00557 58,2												
53	48	35	70	315	8,6	0,0101	85	4,96	0,00557	58,2		
63 47 20 62 320 11,7 0,0190 133 6,60 0,00968 101												
63	48	35	80	355	13,0	0,0210	121	6,60	0,00968	101		

Kurz-Gelenkwellen mit Längenausgl. Short prop. shafts with length displ.

Normal angle design -Code No. 43. Wide angle design -Code No. 44

Baureihe/ Series KZ β max e LZ min LA min m min J min C min LZ max LA max m max J max C max [°] [mm] [mm] [mm] [kg] kgm ² kNm/rad [mm] [mm] [kg] kgm ² kNm/rad													
15	4 3	25	32	225	20	1,6	0,001 0	5,5	250	25	1,8	0,00103	5,4
30 43 20 40 230 15 3,3 0,0022 18,2 300 65 4,1 0,0024 17,3													
30	4 4	30	47	245	15	3,5	0,002 5	17,5	315	65	4,3	0,0027	16,6
43 43 20 48 280 25 5,5 0,0050 37,2 400 60 7,4 0,0058 34,2													
43	4 4	30	58	300	25	5,9	0,005 4	34,0	420	60	7,8	0,0062	31,3
53 43 20 56 315 30 8,4 0,0106 55,4 450 80 11,3 0,0120 51,3													
53	4 4	35	70	365	45	9,3	0,012	50,1	500	85	12, 2	0,0134	46,5
63 43 20 62 365 35 13,5 0,0230 86,0 515 110 17,5 0,0245 79,0													

Prop. shafts with length displacement

Normal angle design -Code No. 45

Wide angle design -Code No. 46

Series KZ β max e LZ min LA m min J min C min mR JR CR [°] [mm] [mm] [mm] [kg] kgm ² kNm/rad [kg] kgm ² kNm/rad											
58	4 6	35	90	640	110	26,9	0,049	135	7,18	0,0169	177
68 45 24 78 640 110 34,1 0,074 210 13,7 0,0252 263											
68	4 6	35	95	670	110	36,1	0,080	193	13,7	0,0252	263
70 45 25 95 600 110 44,3 0,161 232 11,4 0,0385 403											
72	4 5	20	85	670	110	51,8	0,156	320	18,9	0,0439	459
72 46 33 100 700 110 53,0 0,161 300 18,9 0,0439 459											
73	4 5	20	85	670	110	51,4	0,160	365	17,4	0,0480	502

Gelenkwellen ohne Längenausgleich Prop. shafts without length displacem.

Normal angle design -Code No. 47. Wide angle design -Code No. 48

Baureihe/ Series KZ β max e L min m min J min C min mR JR CR [°] [mm] [mm] [kg] kgm ² kNm/rad [kg] kgm ² kNm/rad											
58	48	35	90	420	18,7	0,042	195	7,18	0,0169	177	
68 47 24 78 430 24,8 0,063 300 13,7 0,0252 263											
68	48	35	95	460	27,0	0,068	275	13,7	0,0252	263	
70 47 25 95 430 36,5 0,148 380 11,4 0,0385 403											
72	47	20	85	430	31,1	0,096	375	18,9	0,0439	459	
72 48 33 100 460 32,2 0,099 320 18,9 0,0439 459											
73	47	20	85	430	32,1	0,103	450	17,4	0,0480	502	
73 48 24 100 460 33,3 0,107 375 17,4 0,0480 502											

Short prop. shafts with length displac.

Normal angle design -Code No. 43. Wide angle design -Code No. 44

Baureihe/ Series KZ β max e LZ min LA min m min J min C min LZ max LA max m max J max C max [°] [mm] [mm] [mm] [kg] kgm ² kNm/rad [mm] [mm] [kg] kgm ² kNm/rad													
58	4 4	30	90	460	20	21,6	0,046	141	585	110	25,4	0,048	131
68 43 24 78 430 40 25,6 0,065 207 565 110 31,3 0,071 190													
68	4 4	35	95	465	40	27,6	0,071	194	650	110	35,4	0,079	170
70 43 25 95 550 90 42,4 0,156 244 570 110 42,9 0,157 240													
72	4 3	20	85	510	40	38,8	0,104	330	650	110	45,3	0,110	300
72 44 24 100 540 40 40,0 0,108 320 680 110 46,5 0,114 290													
73	4 3	20	85	510	40	40,0	0,110	380	650	110	47,0	0,116	340

Andere Ausführungen auf Anfrage möglich Other designs available on request

Propeller shafts 28 ... 55 kNm

Baureihe / Series	MdB [Nm]	MdG [Nm]	MdW [Nm]	d1 [mm]	d2 [mm]	d3 [mm]	z	x d4 [mm]	[mm]	b [mm]	t1 [mm]	d5 [mm]	t2 [mm]	d7 [mm]	d6 [mm]	s [mm]	[mm]	[mm]	[mm]
77	1900 0	2800 0	9000	180	155, 5	110	10 x	16		15	3	95	30	204	144	7,00			
79*	2800 0	3400 0	-	200	165,0	-4 x	15			20	---	204	144	7,00					
80	2600 0	3300 0	1300 0	225	196, 0	140	8 x	16		15	5	160	30	215	144	7,00			
83	3000 0	4000 0	1800 0	250	218,0	140	8 x	18		18	6	120	45	250	162	9,85			
84	3700 0	5500 0	2300 0	285	245, 0	175	8 x	20		20	7	130	35	265	162	9,85			

Prop. shafts with length displacement

Normal angle design -Code No. 41 and 45

Series	K Z	β max [°]	e [mm]	LZ min [mm]	LA [mm]	m min [kg]	J min kgm ²	C min kNm/rad	mR [kg]	JR kgm ²	CR kNm/rad
77	45	25	110	695	110	68,4	0,218	545	23,7	0,111	1162
79	45	22	113	785	110	82,0	0,319	565	23,7	0,111	1162
80	45	24	108	735	110	84,4	0,348	705	23,7	0,111	1162
83	41	20	125	860	110	121	0,620	945	37,0	0,215	2244
84	41	20	135	900	110	147	0,903	1060	37,0	0,215	2244

Prop. shafts without length displacem.

Normal angle design -Code No. 47

Series	KZ	β max [°]	e [mm]	L min [mm]	m min [kg]	J min kgm ²	C min kNm/rad	mR [kg]	JR kgm ²	CR kNm/rad
77	47	25	110	495	47,2	0,195	680	23,7	0,111	1162
79	47	22	113	555	62,8	0,287	670	23,7	0,111	1162
80	47	24	108	560	65,1	0,320	965	23,7	0,111	1162
83	47	20	125	610	88,4	0,560	1415	37,0	0,215	2244
84	47	20	135	640	115	0,815	1525	37,0	0,215	2244

Short prop. shafts with length displac.

Normal angle design -Code No. 43

Series	K Z	β max [°]	e [mm]	LZ min [mm]	LA min [mm]	m min min [kg]	J min kgm ²	C min kNm/rad	LZ max [mm]	LA max [mm]	m max [kg]	J max kgm ²	C max kNm/rad
77	4 3	25	110	590	60	62, 5	0,21 1	620	690	110	69, 8	0,22 3	570
79	4 3	22	113	650	95	75,2	0,302	630	810	160	86, 6	0,32 1	560
80	4 3	24	108	560	30	71, 2	0,32 0	785	730	110	82, 5	0,34 0	720

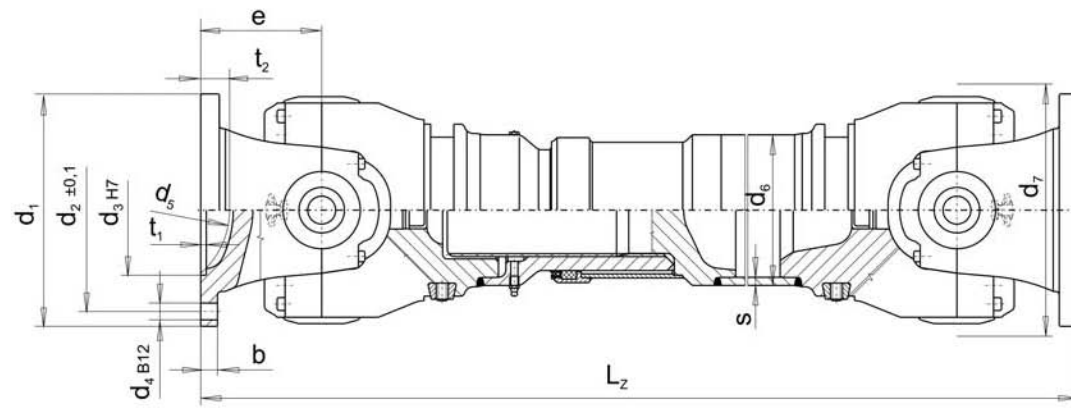
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Heavy duty propeller shafts 55 ... 175 kNm 55 ... 175 kNm

Baureihe / Series	MdB [Nm]	MdG [Nm]	MdW [Nm]	d1 [mm]	d2 [mm]	d3 [mm]	z x d4 [mm]	b [mm]	t1 [mm]	d5 [mm]	t2 [mm]	d7 [mm]	d6 [mm]	s [mm]	[mm]	[mm]	[mm]
85	37000	55000	23000	250	218	140	8 x 18	18	6	170	34	250	162	9,8	5		
86	45000	58000	24000	285	245	175	8 x 20	20	7	170	34	250	165	12,5			
90	85000	120000	45000	315	280	175	8 x 22	22	7	180	40	285	218	10,5			

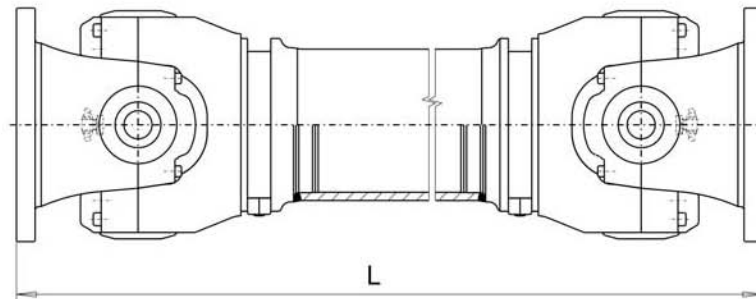
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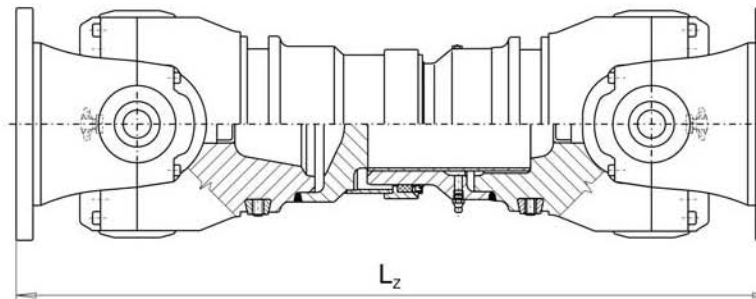
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Prop. shafts with length displacement

Normal angle design -Code No. 41

Series	K Z	β max [°]	e [mm]	LZ min [mm]	LA [mm]	m min [kg]	J min kgm ²	C min kNm/rad	mR [kg]	JR kgm ²	CR kNm/rad
85	41	15	130	905	110	164	0,91	1200	37,0	0,215	2244
86	41	15	130	905	110	168	1,00	1220	47,0	0,275	2874
90	41	15	150	1005	135	265	2,17	2170	53,7	0,580	6057
95	41	15	170	1105	135	342	3,40	3210	75,5	0,789	8246

Prop. shafts without length displacem.

Normal angle design -Code No. 47

Series	KZ	β max [°]	e [mm]	L min [mm]	m min [kg]	J min kgm ²	C min kNm/rad	mR [kg]	JR kgm ²	CR kNm/rad
85	47	15	130	650	125	0,840	1755	37,0	0,215	2244
86	47	15	130	650	130	0,935	1770	47,0	0,275	2874
90	47	15	150	720	202	1,87	2605	53,7	0,580	6057
95	47	15	170	800	269	3,05	4215	75,5	0,789	8246

Short prop. shafts with length displac.

Normal angle design -Code No. 43

Baureihe / Series	K Z	β max [°]	e [mm]	LZ min [mm]	LA min [mm]	m min [kg]	J min kgm ²	C min kNm/rad	LZ max [mm]	LA max [mm]	m max [kg]	J max kgm ²	C max kNm/rad
85	4 3	15	130	595*	40	12 4	0,75	1420	950	110	166	0,84	1220
86	4 3	15	130	595*	40	128	0,84	1420	950	110	170	0,93	1220
90	4 3	15	150	800	40	23 8	2,00	2410	1000	135	268	2,15	2280
95	4 3	15	170	900	40	308	3,19	3470	1100	135	347	3,38	3250

Designation samples for propeller shafts

1. Propeller shaft with length displacement, standard angle, series 68, $L_z = 980$ mm, $n = 3500$ rpm, with XS connection $\varnothing 180$ mm

Propeller shaft 45-68 · 980-3,5 XS180

2. Propeller shaft with length displacement, wide angle, series 53 $L_z = 1250$ mm, $n = 2000$ rpm, DIN flange $\varnothing 120$ mm, 8 holes $\varnothing 10$ mm

Propeller shaft 46-53 · 1250-2,0 DIN $\varnothing 120$ · 8 · $\varnothing 10$

3. Propeller shaft without length displacement, wide angle, series 53, $L_z = 1250$ mm, $n = 2000$ rpm, DIN flange $\varnothing 120$ mm, 8 holes $\varnothing 10$ mm

Propeller shaft 48-53 · 1250-2,0 DIN $\varnothing 120$ · 8 · $\varnothing 10$

4. Short propeller shaft with length displacement, standard angle, series 43, $L_z = 400$ mm, $n = 1500$ rpm, DIN flange $\varnothing 100$ mm, 6 holes $\varnothing 8$ mm

Short propeller shaft 43-43 · 400-1,5 DIN $\varnothing 100$ · 6 · $\varnothing 8$

5. Propeller shaft with length displacement, series 85, $L_z = 1400$ mm, $n = 2500$ rpm, DIN flange $\varnothing 285$ mm, 12 holes $\varnothing 20$ mm

Propeller shaft 41-85 · 1400-2,5 DIN $\varnothing 285$ · 12 · $\varnothing 20$

6. Short propeller shaft with length displacement, series 85, $L_z = 710$ mm, $n = 3000$ rpm, DIN flange $\varnothing 250$ mm, 8 holes $\varnothing 18$ mm

Short propeller shaft 43-85 · 710-3,0 DIN $\varnothing 250$ · 8 · $\varnothing 18$

7. Super short propeller shaft with length displacement, series 73, $L_z = 365$ mm, $n = 3500$ rpm, SAE flange $\varnothing 203,2$ mm, 12 holes $\varnothing 11$ mm

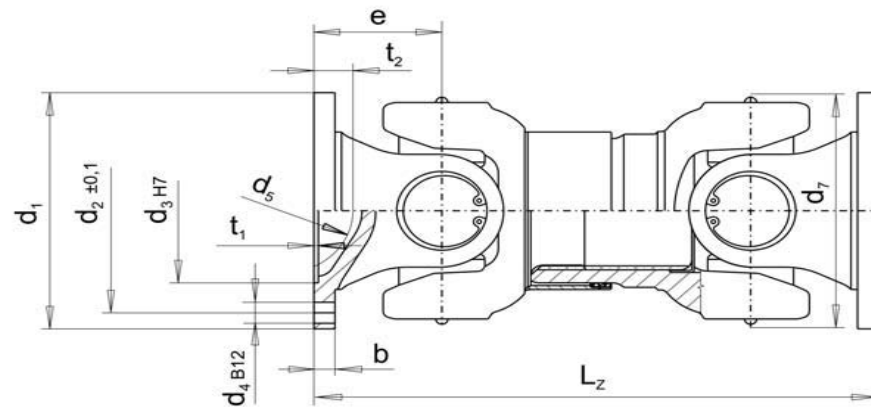
Super short propeller shaft 4496-73 · 365-3,5 SAE $\varnothing 203,2$ · 12 · $\varnothing 11$

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Super short propeller shafts bis 52 kNm up to 52 kNm

Baureihe / Series	MdB [Nm]	MdG [Nm]	MdW [Nm]	d1 [mm]	d2 [mm]	d3 [mm]	z x d4 [mm]	b [mm]	t1 [mm]	d5 [mm]	t2 [mm]	d7 [mm]
73	17000	25000	-	180	155,5	110	10 x 16	14	3	95	26	178
73*	17000	25000	-	180	150	-	4 x 14	18	-	-	-	178
80	26000	33000	13000	225	196	140	8 x 16	15	5	160	30	215
85	37000	-	23000	348	314	175	10 x 18	18	7	-	-	285
90	52000	-	26000	360	328	175	10 x 18	18	7	-	-	315

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Super short propeller shafts with length displacement

Reduced deflection angle design -Code No. 4496

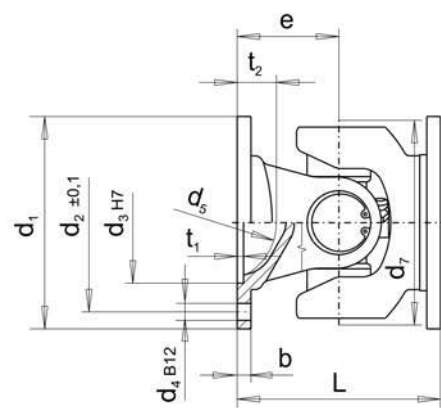
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73	449/6	10	85	365	15	33,6	0,097	450	475	70	41,9	0,111	420
73*	449/6	5	56	290	15	30,8	0,094	590	420	70	40,3	0,110	535
80	449/6	5	max	485	35	64,0	0,285	760	585	85	72,2	0,298	710
85	449	5	110	545	40	124,0	0,836	1470	595	80	129,0	0,851	1420

Flange Joints/Double Joints bis 25 kNm up to 25 kNm

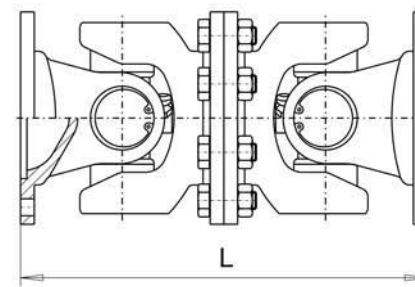
Baureihe/ Series	MdB	MdG	d1	d2	d3	z	x	d4	b	t1	d5	t2	d7	[Nm]	[Nm]	[mm]	[mm]	[mm]	[mm]	[mm]	[mm]
15			200	350	65			52,0		35				4 x 6		4,5	2	42	8	60	
30	800	1100	90	74,5	47	4	8	6,0	3	62	12	90									
43			1800	2400	100			84,0		57				6 x 8		6,5	3	50	20	98	
53	3000	4200	120	101,5	75	8	10	8,0	3	70	22	115									
63			4400	6200	150			130,0		90				8 x 12		10	3	95	24	125	
58	6900	8800	150	130,0	90	8	12	10	3	92	26	155									
68			10000	11500	180			155,5		110				8 x 14		12	3	120	24	160	
70	12000	17000	225	196,0	140	8	16	15	5	100	30	174									
72			15000	21000	180			155,5		110				10 x 16		12	3	95	26	170	
73	17000	25000	180	155,5	110	10	16	14	3	95	26	178									

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Other flange connections see pages 26, 32 and 34

Code No. 310



Code No. 7670, 7675



Designation samples

Flange joint, series 30, wide angle

Flange joint 314-30

Double joint, series 63, standard angle

Double joint 7670-63

Flange joints

Normal angle design -Code No. 310

Wide angle design -Code No. 314

Baureihe / Series	KZ	β max [°]	L [mm]		J kgm ²	C kNm/rad	
			e [mm]	m [kg]			
15	310	25	32	64	0,5	0,00019	12
30	310	20	40	80	1,4	0,0012	58
30	314	30	47	94	1,5	0,0013	55
43	310	20	48	96	2,3	0,0025	110
43	314	35	58	116	2,6	0,0027	95
53	310	20	56	112	3,5	0,0045	185
53	314	35	70	140	4,2	0,0055	175
63	310	20	62	124	5,9	0,0107	265
63	314	35	80	160	7,0	0,0125	245
58	314	35	90	180	9,2	0,0225	380
68	310	24	78	156	10,8	0,030	600
68	314	35	95	190	12,8	0,036	560
70	310	25	95	190	21,6	0,107	985
72	310	20	85	170	14,4	0,050	720
72	314	33	100	200	15,6	0,054	630
73	310	20	85	170	15,0	0,053	880
73	314	24	100	200	16,	0,058	740
73	314	24	100	200	16,	0,058	740

Double joints

Doppelgelenke

bestehend aus zwei Flanschgelenken

consisting of two flange joints

Normalwinkelausführung -Kennzahl 7670

Normal angle design -Code No. 7670

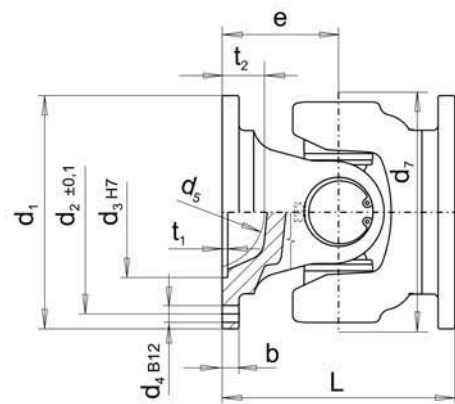
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			e [mm]	m [kg]			
15	7670	25	32	128	1,1	0,00039	6
30	7670	20	40	160	2,9	0,0025	29
30	7675	30	47	188	3,1	0,0027	27
43	7670	20	48	192	4,8	0,0052	55
43	7675	35	58	232	5,4	0,0056	47
53	7670	20	56	224	7,4	0,0093	90
53	7675	35	70	280	8,8	0,0113	85
63	7670	20	62	248	12,3	0,022	130
63	7675	35	80	320	14,5	0,026	120
58	7675	35	90	360	18,8	0,046	190
68	7670	24	78	312	22,5	0,062	300
68	7675	35	95	380	26,5	0,074	280
70	7670	25	95	380	44,2	0,224	490
72	7670	20	85	340	30,0	0,103	360
72	7675	33	100	400	32,4	0,111	315
73	7670	20	85	340	31,2	0,110	440
73	7675	24	100	400	33,6	0,120	370

Flange Joints/Double Joints 28 ... 55 kNm 28 ... 55 kNm

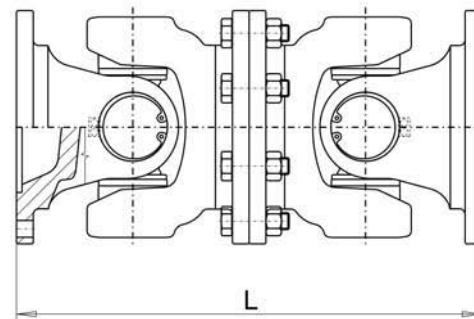
Baureihe/ Series	MdB	MdG	MdW	d1	d2	d3	z	x	d4	b	t1	d5	t2	d7	[Nm]	[Nm]	[Nm]	[mm]	[mm]	[mm]	[mm]	[mm]
77	19000	28000	9000	180	155,5	110	10	x 16	15	3	95	30	204									
79*	28000	34000	-200	165,0	-4	x 15	20	---	204													
80	26000	33000	13000	225	196,0	140	8	x 16	15	5	160	30	215									
83	30000	40000	18000	250	218,0	140	8	x 18	18	6	120	45	250									
84	37000	55000	23000	285	245,0	175	8	x 20	20	7	130	35	265									

* only XS flange connection

Code No. **310**



Code No. **767**



Designation Samples

Flange joint, series 83

Flange joint 310-83

Double joint, series 83

Double joint 767-83

Flange joints

Normal angle design -Code No. 310

Series	KZ	β max [°]	L [mm]		m [kg]	J kgm ²	C kNm/rad
			e [mm]				
77	310	25	110	220	20,9	0,080	1320
79	310	22	113	226	29,3	0,140	1300
80	310	24	108	216	28,0	0,147	1860
83	310	20	125	250	40,8	0,269	2700
84	310	20	135	270	57,9	0,455	2920

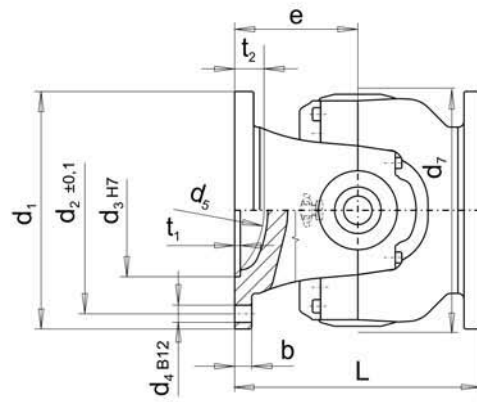
Double joints

Consisting of two flange joints. Normal angle design -Code No. 767

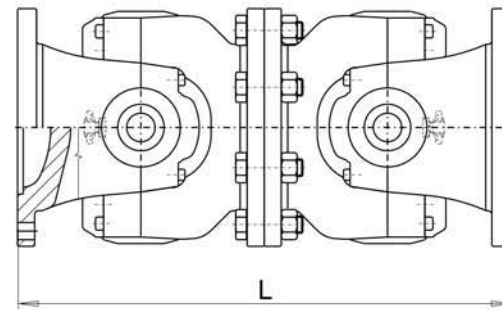
Flange joints/Double joints 55 ... 175 kNm 55 ... 175 kNm

Series	MdB	MdG	MdW	d1	d2	d3	z	x	d4	b	t1	d5	t2	d7	[Nm]	[Nm]	[Nm]	[mm]	[mm]	[mm]	[mm]	[mm]	[mm]	[mm]	[mm]
85		37000	55000	23000	250	218	140	8 x 18	18	6	170	34	250												
86	45000	58000	24000	285	245	175	8 x 20	20	7	170	34	250													
90		85000	120000	45000	315	280	175	8 x 22	22	7	180	40	285												
95	125000	175000	58000	350	310	220	10 x 22	25	8	210	44	315													

Code No. **310**



Code No. **767**



Designation samples

Flange joint, series 85

Flange joint 310-85

Double joint, series 86

Double joint 767-86

Flange Joints

Normal angle design -Code No. 310

Series	KZ	β max [°]	L [mm]		J kgm ²	C kNm/rad	
			e [mm]	m [kg]			
85	310	15	130	260	54,2	0,396	3370
86	310	15	130	260	58,8	0,486	3370
90	310	15	150	300	87,0	0,880	5200
95	310	15	170	340	126	1,570	8535

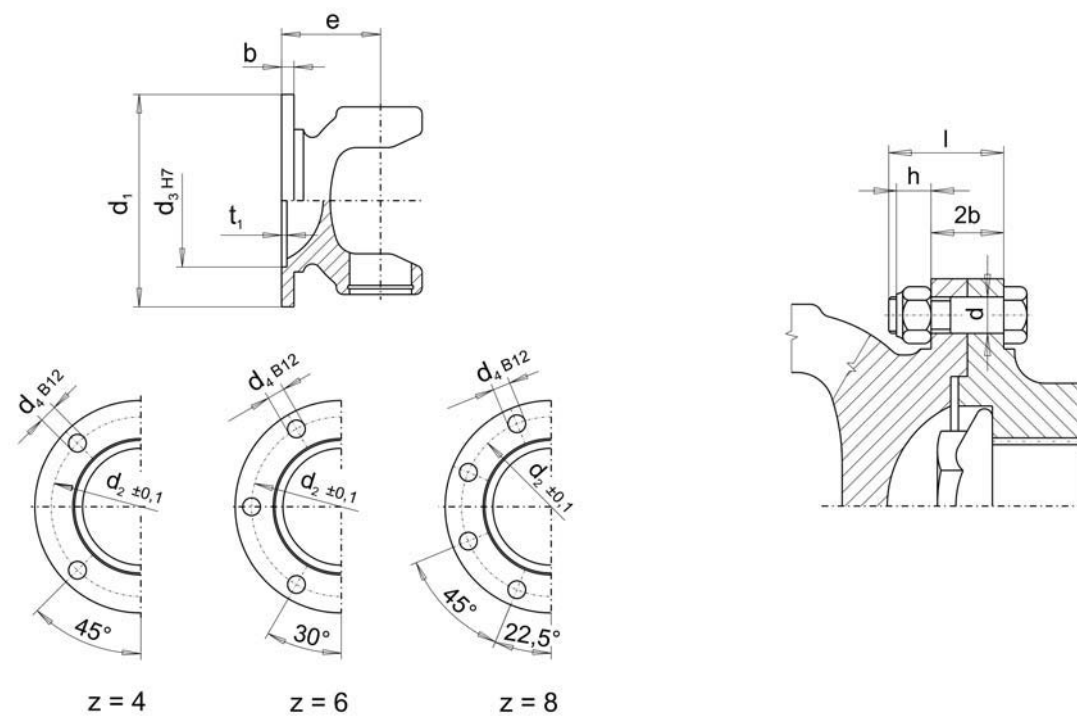
Double joints

consisting of two flange joints. 767 Normal angle design -Code No. 767

Series	KZ	β max [°]	L [mm]		J kgm ²	C kNm/rad	
			e [mm]	m [kg]			
85	767	15	130	520	110	0,81	1680
86	767	15	130	520	119	1,00	1680
90	767	15	150	600	176	1,81	2600
95	767	15	170	680	253	3,22	4265

Flange boltings

See ISO 7646 resp. DIN 15451



Flange boltings

The following connecting elements recommended for flange bolted connections:

Hexagon head bolt ISO 4014-10.9
(reduced thread length, if available)

Hexagon nut ISO 7042-V-10
(self-locking)

All bolts must be tightened with the specified torque M_A .
Permitted tolerance: $\pm 5\%$.

For reference see DIN 25202

It is not possible to insert bolts from the yoke side for all designs!

Flange Connections / Flange Boltings

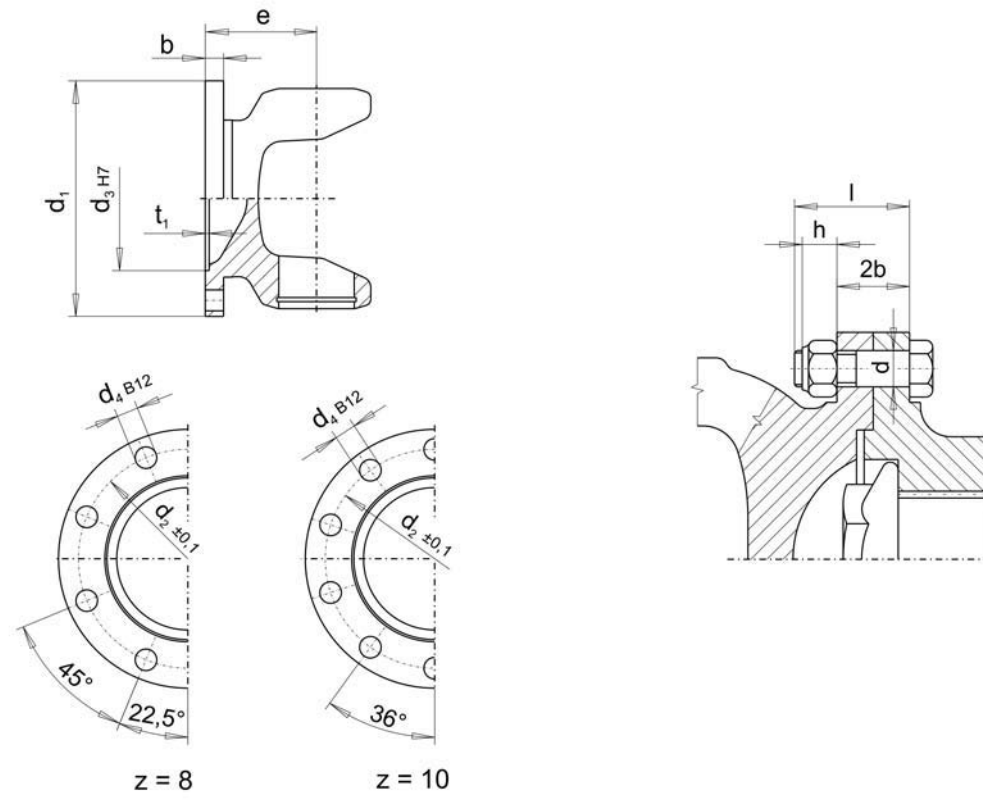
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15	58	47	30	4 x 5	4,5	2	32	25	M5	16	5	9	9	
15	65	52	35	4 x 6	4,5	2	32	25	M6	16	6	9	15	
30	75	62	42	6 x 6	5	2	47	30	M6	20	6	10	15	nein/no
30	90	74,5	47	4 x 8	6	3	40	20	M8	22	8	12	35	
30	90	74,5	47	4 x 8	6	3	47	30	M8	22	8	12	35	ja/yes
30	90	74,5	47	6 x 8	6	3	47	30	M8	22	8	12	35	
30	100	84	57	6 x 8	6,5	3	40	20	M8	22	8	13	35	
43	90	74,5	47	4 x 8	6,5	3	48	20	M8	22	8	13	35	nein/no
43	100	84	57	6 x 8	6,5	3	48	20	M8	22	8	13	35	nein/no
43	100	84	57	6 x 8	6,5	3	58	35	M8	22	8	13	35	ja/yes
43	100	84	57	8 x 8	6,5	3	58	35	M8	22	8	13	35	nein/no
43	120	101,5	75	8 x 8	7	3	48	20	M8	25	8	14	35	nein/no
43	120	101,5	75	8 x 10	7	3	48	20	M10	25	10	14	70	nein/no
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53	120	101,5	75	8 x 8	8	3	56	20	M8	25	8	16	35	nein/no
53	120	101,5	75	8 x 8	8	3	70	35	M8	25	8	16	35	
53	120	101,5	75	8 x 10	8	3	56	20	M10	30	10	16	70	nein/no
53	120	101,5	75	8 x 10	8	3	70	35	M10	30	10	16	70	ja/yes*
53	150	130	90	4 x 10	10	3	56	20	M10	35	10	20	70	nein/no
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53	150	130	90	8 x 12	10	3	56	20	M12	35	12	20	120	nein/no
63	120	101,5	75	8 x 10	8	3	75	35	M10	30	10	16	70	ja/yes*
63	150	130	90	8 x 10	10	3	62	20	M10	35	10	20	70	nein/no
63	150	130	90	8 x 10	10	3	80	35	M10	35	10	20	70	ja/yes
63	150	130	90	8 x 12	10	3	62	20	M12	35	12	20	120	nein/no
63	150	130	90	8 x 12	10	3	80	35	M12	35	12	20	120	ja/yes
63	165	140	95	8 x 10	12	3	80	30	M14	40	14	24	200	

1) Schrauben gelenkseitig einführbar 1) Bolts inserted from joint side

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Flange connections »DIN«/ Flange boltings

See ISO 7646 resp. DIN 15451 too



Flange connections / Flange Boltings

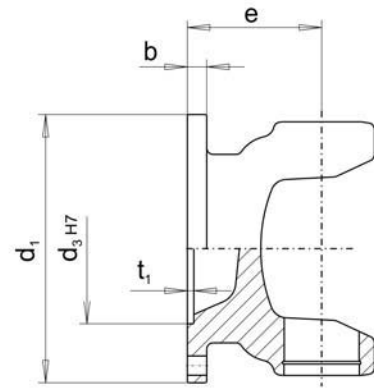
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58	150	130	90	8	10	10	3	90	35	M10	35	10	20	70	ja/yes
58	150	130	90	8	12	10	3	90	35	M12	35	12	20	120	ja/yes
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58	180	155,5	110	8	12	10	3	90	35	M12	35	12	20	120	ja/yes
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68	150	130	90	8	12	12	3	95	35	M12	40	12	24	120	nein/no
68	165	140	95	8	14	12	3	95	35	M14	40	14	24	200	
68	165	140	95	8	16	12	3	95	35	M16	42	16	24	300	
68	180	155,5	110	8	12	12	3	78	24	M12	40	12	24	120	nein/no
68	180	155,5	110	8	12	12	3	95	35	M12	40	12	24	120	ja/yes
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68	180	155,5	110	8	16	12	3	78	24	M16	42	16	24	300	nein/no
68	180	155,5	110	8	16	12	3	95	35	M16	42	16	24	300	
68	180	155,5	110	10	16	12	3	78	24	M16	42	16	24	300	nein/no
68	180	155,5	110	10	16	12	3	95	35	M16	42	16	24	300	
70	225	196	140	8	16	15	5	95	25	M16	50	16	30	300	ja/yes
72	180	155,5	110	8	14	12	3	85	20	M14	40	14	24	200	nein/no
72	180	155,5	110	8	14	12	3	100	33	M14	40	14	24	200	
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72	180	155,5	110	8	16	12	3	100	33	M16	42	16	24	300	
72	180	155,5	110	10	16	12	3	85	20	M16	42	16	24	300	nein/no
72	180	155,5	110	10	16	12	3	100	33	M16	42	16	24	300	ja/yes
72	225	196	140	8	16	15	5	100	33	M16	50	16	30	300	ja/yes
72	225	196	140	10	16	15	5	100	33	M16	50	16	30	300	
73	180	155,5	110	8	16	14	3	85	20	M16	50	16	28	300	nein/no

1) Schrauben gelenkseitig einführbar 16 Bolts inserted from joint side Erklärungen siehe
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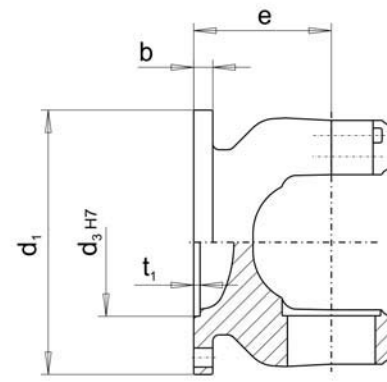
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**Flange connections »DIN«/
Flange boltings**

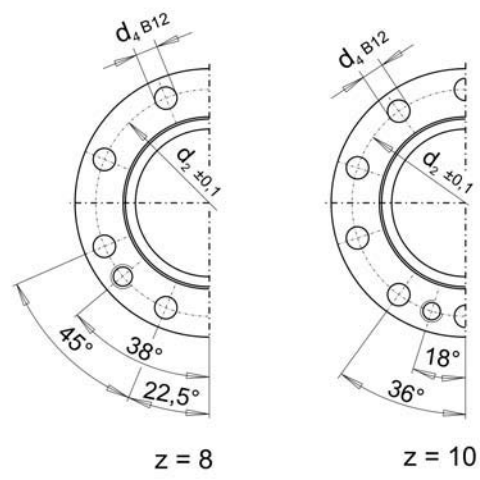
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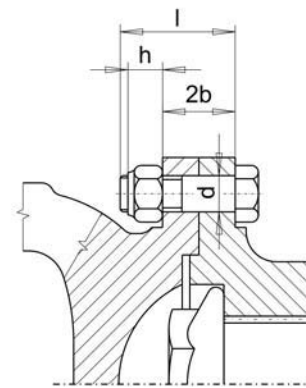


Baureihe/Series 85 ... 95



z = 8

z = 10



Flange connections »DIN«/ Flange Boltings

Baureihe / Series	d1 d2 [mm] [mm]		d3 z x d4 [mm] [mm]		b [m m]	t1 [m m]	e [m m]	β max [°]	d [m m]	l [m m]	h [m m]	2b [m m]	MA 1) [Nm]	
77	180	155,5	110	8 x 16	15	3	110	25	M16	50	16	30	300	ja/yes
77	180	155,5	110	10 x 16	15	3	110	25	M16	50	16	30	300	nein/no
77	225	196	140	8 x 16	15	5	110	25	M16	50	16	30	300	ja/yes
77	250	218	140	8 x 18	18	6	110	25	M18	56	18	36	410	ja/yes
80	225	196	140	8 x 16	15	5	108	24	M16	50	16	30	300	ja/yes
80	250	218	140	8 x 18	18	6	108	24	M18	56	18	36	410	ja/yes
80	285	245	175	8 x 20	20	7	108	24	M20	60	20	40	600	ja/yes
83	250	218	140	8 x 18	18	6	125	20	M18	56	18	36	410	ja/yes
83	285	245	175	8 x 20	20	7	125	20	M20	60	20	40	600	ja/yes
84	285	245	175	8 x 20	20	7	135	20	M20	60	20	40	600	ja/yes
85	225	196	140	8 x 16	15	5	208	15	M16	50	16	30	300	nein/n o
85	250	218	140	8 x 18	18	6	130	15	M18	56	18	36	410	ja/yes
85	285	245	175	8 x 20	20	7	130	15	M20	60	20	40	600	ja/yes
85	315	280	175	8 x 22	22	7	130	15	M22	70	22	44	800	ja/yes
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86	315	280	175	8 x 22	22	7	130	15	M22	70	22	44	800	ja/yes
90	285	245	175	8 x 20	20	7	150	15	M20	60	20	40	600	nein/n o
90	315	280	175	8 x 22	22	7	150	15	M22	70	22	44	800	ja/yes
90	350	310	220	10 x 22	25	8	150	15	M22	75	22	50	800	ja/yes
95	350	310	220	10 x 22	25	8	170	15	M22	75	22	50	800	ja/yes
95	350	310	220	10 x 22	25	8	170	15	M22	75	22	50	800	ja/yes

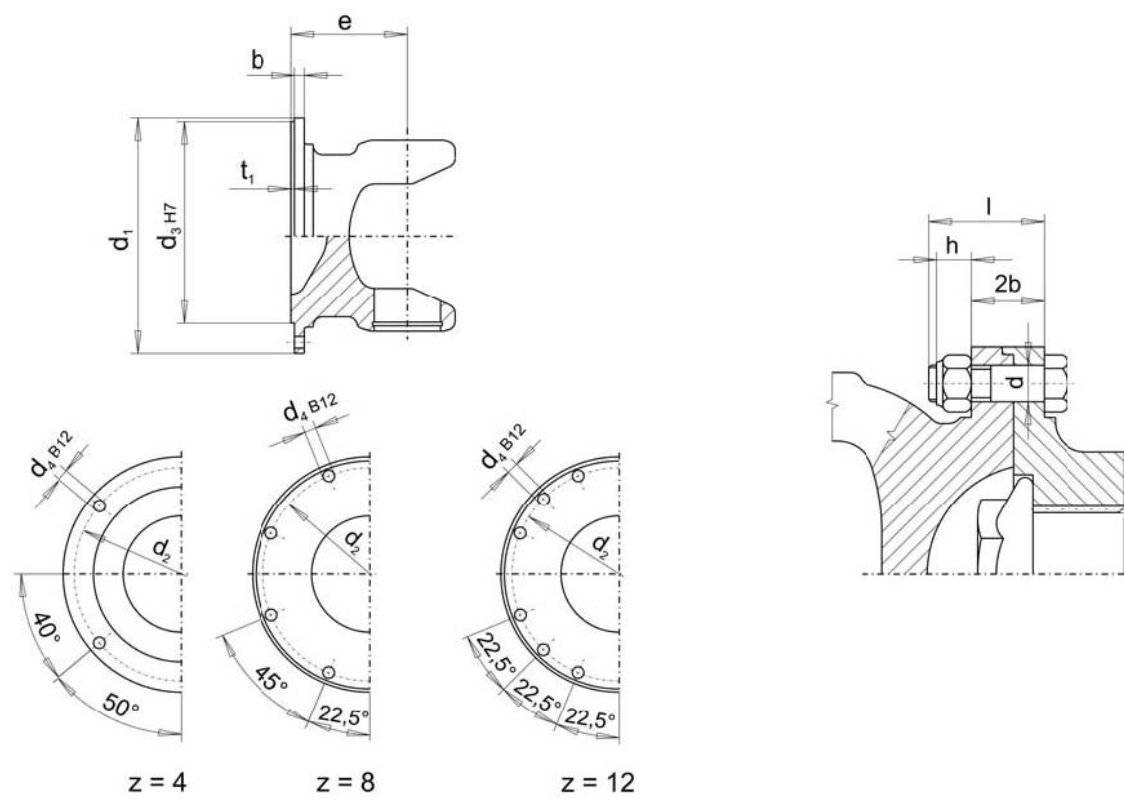
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Weitere Flanschschlüsse auf Anfrage,
z. B. mit Querkeil oder
mit Spannhülsenanschluss nach DIN 15451.

Other flange connections on request,
e. g. with face key or
with dowel pin connection according to DIN 15451.

SAE«/ Flange connections »SAE«/ Flange Boltings

Siehe ISO 7647 See ISO 7647



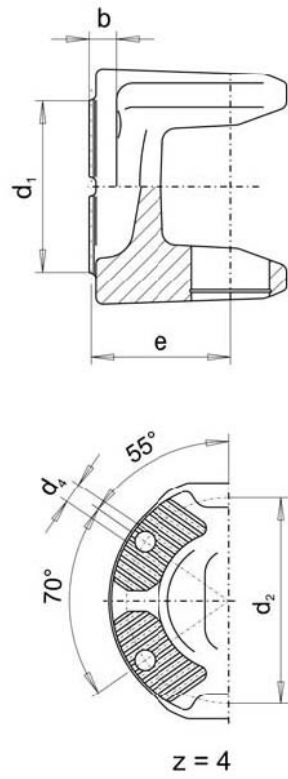
SAE Flange connections »SAE«/ Flange Boltings

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30	97	79,4	60,32	4 x 10	6	2	40	20	M10	25	10	12	70	1300		
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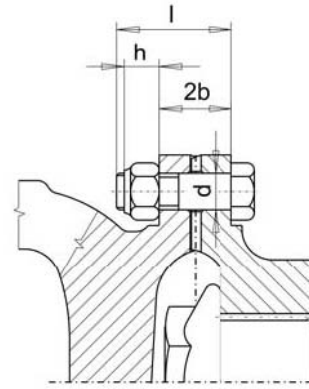
**Flanschanschlüsse »KV«/
Flanschverschraubungen**

70° kreuzverzahnt
nach ISO 12667 bzw. ISO 8667



**Flange connections »XS«/
Flange boltings**

70° X-serrated
according to ISO 12667 resp. ISO 8667



Flange connections / Flange Boltings

Baureihe/ Series	d1	d2	z	x	d4	b	e	β	max	d	l	h	2b	MA	[mm]	[mm]	[mm]	[mm]	[mm]	[°]	[mm]	[mm]	[mm]	[mm]	[Nm]
43		100			84	4 x 8			10					58	35	M8			30		8		20		35
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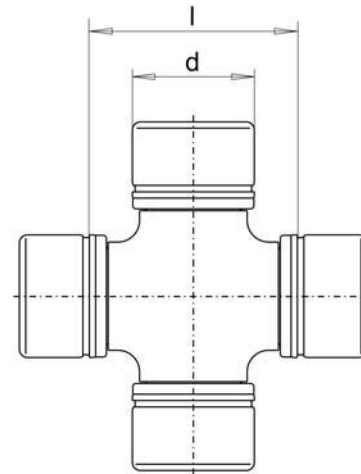
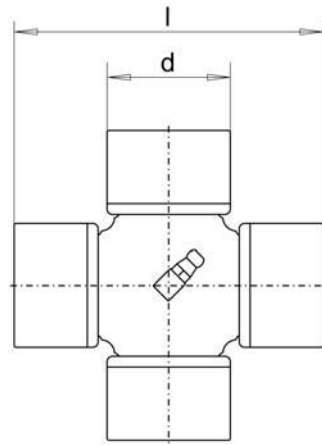
flange connections on request

Universal joints

Code number 21

Baureihe/ Series d l m [mm] [mm] [kg]			
15	20	44,34	0,14
30 26 72,10 0,39			
43	30	82,40	0,64
53 35 96,85 0,98			
63	42	104,5	1,45
63* 42 106,0 1,48			
55*	38	105,8	1,28
57* 47 132,2 2,32			
58	48	132,2	2,38
65* 48 116,5 2,16			
68	52	133,1	2,93
69* 53 135,05 3,11			
70	52	147,2	3,35
72 57 144,0 3,94			
73	57	152,0	4,17
77 65 172,0 6,27			
79**	68	117,0	7,75
80 72 185,0 8,30			
83	74	217,0	10,3
* 84 83 231,4 15,0			

Ausführungen auf Anfrage möglich Other designs available on request



Baureihe/Series 79

Universal joints

Code number 21

Series	d [mm]	l [mm]	m [kg]
82*	74	154	12,9
85	83	139	16,2
85*	83	129	15,9
85	83	175	19,4
90	95	160	23,3
90*	95	139	22,3
90**	95	190	26,8
95	110	176	33,8
95*	110	160	32,8

* für Ersatz

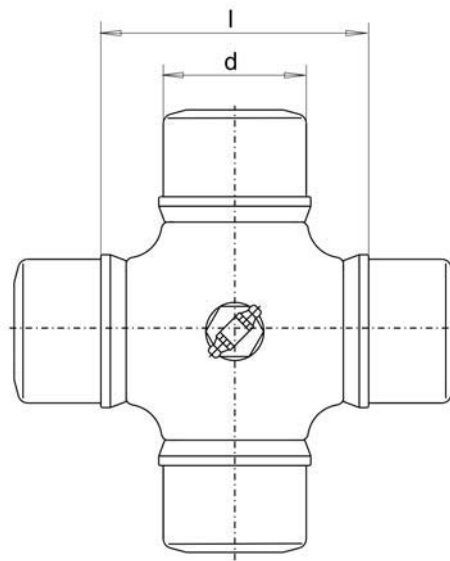
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Andere Ausführungen auf Anfrage möglich

* spare equipment

** for propeller shaft code no. 4496

Other designs available on request



Designation samples

Universal joint, series 63
with length 106 mm

Universal joint, 21-63/106

Universal joint, series 65

Universal joint, 21-65

Universal joint, series 85

with length 175 mm

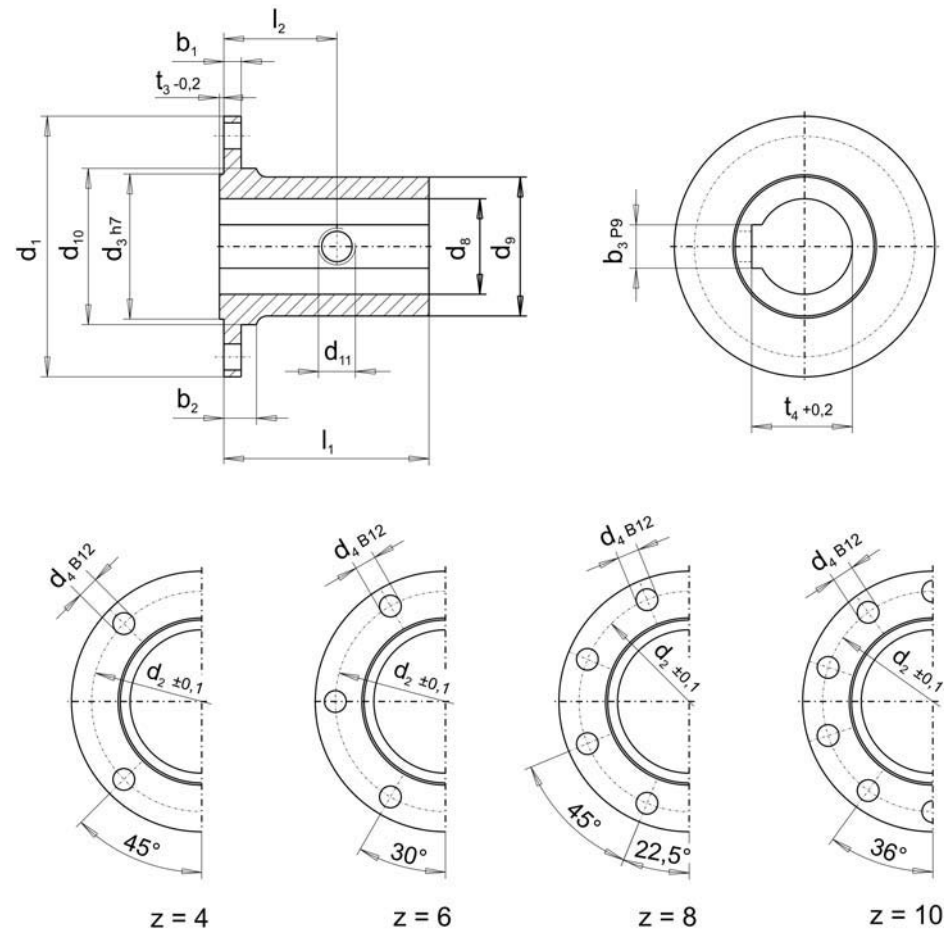
Universal joint 21-85/175

Companion flanges

Code number 141

In the following table we have listed different designs of companion flanges, offered by us. In your request please inform us about the required design, as shown in the list, and the technical data.

See ISO 7646 (DIN), ISO 7647 (SAE)
and ISO 12667 resp. ISO 8667 (XS) too.



Application engineering Advice on the use of Propeller shafts

The following is intended, in particular, to help the design and project engineer develop optimum in-service conditions for any intended use of propeller shafts and thereby obtain perfect functional reliability and a prolonged service life of the drive arrangement. It is often possible at the design stage to facilitate the incorporation of a universal drive, most desirably for efficiency reasons, as a standard type. We should be very pleased to counsel you on all your drive problems.

Deflection angle and service life

The distinguishing feature of a universal joint is its ability to transmit rotary motion at a constant or varying misalignment within a deflection angle of $\pm\beta$. The deflection angles shown on the dimensional sheets can safely be obtained where special circumstances necessitate their use. Generally, as an increase of β reduces the lifetime of the joint bearing, the operating deflection angle should be as small as possible, however not below 1° for maintaining a sufficient lubrication of the bearings.

Where a universal joint has angles in the horizontal and vertical planes at the same time, the resulting angle can be calculated from the components β_H and β_V , or it can be gathered from the diagram, which gives sufficient accuracy in most cases (Fig. 1).

$$\tan\beta = \sqrt{\tan^2\beta_H + \tan^2\beta_V}$$

Beispiel: $\beta_V = 25^\circ$; $\beta_H = 15^\circ \rightarrow \beta = 28,3^\circ$ Example: $\beta_V = 25^\circ$; $\beta_H = 15^\circ \rightarrow \beta = 28,3^\circ$

This kinematical unevenness is critical if two shafts positioned at an angle of deflection are linked by a single joint. The mid-section of a propeller shaft located between two joints can also induce vibration in the power train due to acceleration and deceleration. Small angles of deflection are therefore important also to this shaft configuration, especially in the high-speed range. Therefore, to ensure that propeller shafts run smoothly and with little vibration, the product of $n \cdot \beta$ (speed · angle of deflection) should remain within empirical limits.

Als Richtwert gilt:

For orientation:

$n \cdot \beta \leq \frac{36000}{\sqrt[6]{m}}$	oder/or: $n \cdot \beta \cdot \sqrt[6]{m} \leq 36000$
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n = Gelenkwelldrehzahl [U/min]
 β = Beugungswinkel [°] m =
 Gelenkwellenmasse [kg]

n = Speed [rpm] β = Deflection
 angle [°] m = Mass of propeller
 shaft [kg]

Kinematics

The universal joint works in accordance with a certain kinematical law:

Where a single joint is used, it is all-important to check that the differential angle of the dissimilar rotation and the resulting mass forces are within permissible limits for the given application.

With the driving shaft at a constant angular velocity ω_1 the angle at the joint results in periodic variations in ω_2 . This angular velocity on the driven side passes through peaks and valleys twice per revolution, their absolute amounts progressively increasing with the deflection angle. With constant output, the torques are inversely proportional to the angular velocities, so that the resulting extremes for the driven shaft are as follows:

The maximum differential angle of a single joint can be calculated by the following formula:

$$\Delta\varphi_{\max} = \pm \arctan \frac{1 - \cos\beta}{2 \cdot \sqrt{\cos\beta}}$$

Drehwinkel/Turning angle φ	
0° und/and 180°	90° und/and 270°
$U = \frac{\omega_{2\max} - \omega_{2\min}}{\omega_1}$	oder/or: $U = \sin\beta \cdot \tan\beta$
$M_{t2} = \frac{M_{t1}}{\cos\beta}$	$M_{t2} = M_{t1} \cdot \cos\beta$

Arrangement of propeller shafts

Two joints allow to compensate the periodic fluctuations of the angular velocity of a single joint. With reference to the following figure, this is achieved by locating the inner pin axes, shafts 1, 2 and 3 in a single plane which makes identical deflection angles of both joints. M and Z arrangements have the same kinematical value. (Fig. 2)

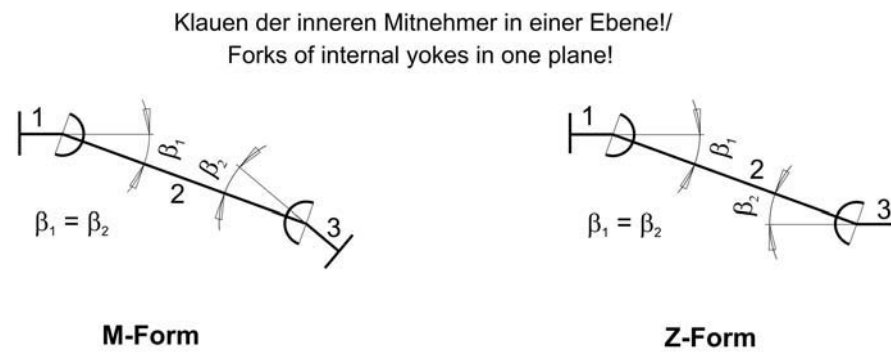
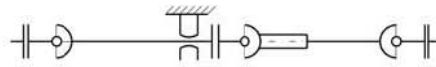


Bild 2/Figure 2

On the other hand, homokinetic transmission of the rotary motion is also possible when shafts 1, 2 or 3 are not in one plane. However, identical spatial deflection angles will be needed in this situation. This is the case, if one view shows the M shape whereas the other is of Z shape. In this situation, the joints must be rotated relative to each other until the inner joint axes are located in their respective deflection planes. Propeller shafts for this application have to be designed specially. Basically, all deflection angles in a propeller shaft should be the same. This may not be possible in some cases. Then it should be decided if the remaining degree of angular irregularity can be tolerated. Exact figures for the permitted difference between the deflection angles on the input (driving) side and the output (driven) side cannot be specified because the degree of angular irregularity strongly depends on the absolute magnitude of the angle. Other factors that need to be considered are speed and stiffness, i. e., the drive system's torsion spring coefficient.

Where the propeller shafts are arranged one after the other in a line, the following combinations are recommended:

Gelenkwelle und Gelenkzwischenwelle mit elastischem Zwischenlager



Propeller shaft and intermediate shaft with elastic bearing

Gelenkwellen mit Doppelzwischenlager



Propeller shafts with double support bearing

Bild 3/Figure 3

To avoid dissimilarities and vibrations connected with them, it is advisable, in the appropriate circumstances, to install the individual propeller shafts offset to one another (90°).

Transverse critical speed

Every propeller shaft has a transverse critical speed which must never be reached during operation. This depends mainly on the distance between the two joints and on the flexural strength of the tube used. Also, it is influenced by the wear and tear of the shaft, especially of the splined connection of the telescopic section. Excessive speed causes vibration and premature failure of the propeller shaft and the connected parts of equipment. The transverse critical speed for propeller shafts can be calculated as follows:

$$n_k = 0,9 \cdot 10^7 \cdot \frac{\sqrt{D^2 + d^2}}{l^2}$$

D = Außendurchmesser des Rohres [cm] D = Tube outer diameter [cm]

d = Innendurchmesser des Rohres [cm] d = Tube inner diameter [cm]

l = Gelenkabstand oder Abstand vom Gelenk I = Distance between joints or distance bis zum Zwischenlager [cm] between joint and intermediate bearing [cm]

The operating speed should not exceed 80 % of the critical speed calculated, otherwise the application would require, instead of one propeller shaft, the arrangement of two propeller shafts with an intermediate bearing, a so called train of propeller shafts. This involves certain requirements with respect to the deflection angle. For advice contact our applications engineers.

Limitations of length and speed

The length of tubular propeller shafts is limited by the speed beyond which deflection is likely, or simply by the limits set in production. The largest length available is L = 6000 mm, for shafts that need balancing it is L = 4500 mm. Larger length options on request.

Balancing of propeller shafts

Unless some low speed is required, as a rule, propeller shafts are balanced dynamically. Dynamic balancing guarantees smooth running of the propeller shaft, minimizing the load on the bearings caused by centrifugal forces. Depending on the specific requirement, balancing is done in various quality categories according to DIN ISO 1940. (Fig. 4)

Auswuchtgütestufe/ Balancing quality	Einsatzbedingungen	Service conditions
G 16	Gelenkwellen mit besonderen Anforderungen	Propeller shafts with special requirements
G 40	Gelenkwellen für allgemeinen Verwendungszweck	Propeller shafts for general use

Unbalance at gmm per kg mass of propeller shaft:

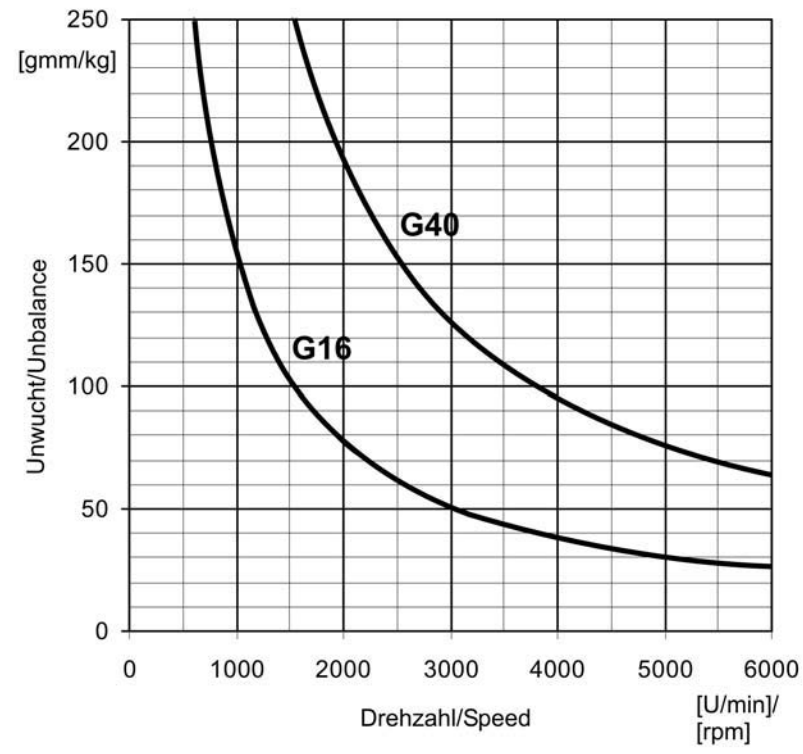


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Or calculate by the following formula:

$$U_{R\text{zul}} = \frac{G \cdot 30000}{\pi \cdot n}$$

$U_{R\text{zul}}$ = Zulässige Restunwucht [gmm/kg] $U_{R\text{zul}}$ = Permitted unbalance [gmm/kg] G = Wuchtgüte (16 oder 40) G = Balancing quality (16 or 40) n = Gelenkwelldrehzahl [U/min] n = Speed [rpm]

Non-operating bending moment

The deflection of the force lines by the deflection angle causes transverse forces and flexural moments on the shaft ends which support the joint or propeller shaft. This phenomenon becomes particularly clear if one imagines the practically useless deflection angle of 90° , in which the entire torque of one drive fork acts as flexural moment in the other. For the shaft ends connected to the propeller shaft this creates a superposition of lateral thrust and flexion which is free of transverse forces. So this means additional load on the bearings of these connected shafts, especially at high angles and torques, a consideration which must be taken into account in the design of the drive.

Selection and use of cardan shafts

Propeller shafts being used for various duties, it is impossible to choose their size and predict their service life with reliable accuracy following just one general rule. The familiar failure probability rates for antifriction bearings apply to propeller shafts as well. The size of the propeller shaft should be chosen so that its maximum momentary torque rating, is not smaller than the maximum torque to be transmitted in your application. Additionally parameters like deflection angle, speed, length, operating conditions (kind of drive, temperature, dust etc.) should be considered. Therefore please refer to our technical questionnaire. Our experts will evaluate your information given in this questionnaire, to find the best choice for your application. If you deem more detailed calculations necessary determining lifetime, stability etc. please contact us.

Installation instructions

To make sure the running quality and precise balancing of the propeller shaft are not impaired, for connecting flanges running at zero-clearance we recommend the centring tolerances and maximum values for radial and axial deviation listed in the table below. (see Fig. 5 too)

Gelenkwelldrehzahl [U/min]	Passung für d_3	Rundlaufabweichung	Stirnlaufabweichung
		Radial runout	Axial runout
Propeller shaft speed [rpm]	Fit for d_3	K_R [mm]	K_S [mm]
bis 500/ up to 500	h8	0,15	0,18
500 bis 3000/ 500 up to 3000	h7	0,08	0,10
über 3000/ over 3000	h6	0,05	0,07

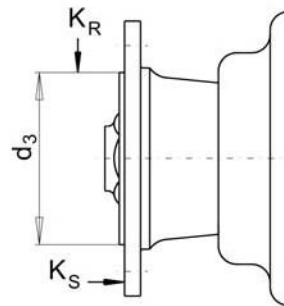


Bild 5/Figure 5

All anti-corrosion paint should be removed carefully from the propeller shaft flanges before the shaft is installed. Anti-corrosion agent on the propeller mounting flanges reduces frictional adhesion (not with flange yokes with staggered tooth arrangement). On kinematical grounds, make sure that the markings on the length displacement are matching exactly. Otherwise the inner yokes will not be located in one plane and rotation causes vibration and early failure of the drive system components.

All propeller shafts have an alkaloid-base priming coat; the finish coat can be customized.

Propeller shaft maintenance

The moving parts of a propeller shaft need relubricating at certain intervals, removing used lubricant and foreign matter, if any, and replenishing the lubricant. Lubrication is required after cleaning with high pressure or a steam jet.

Maintenance procedure

Lubricant is supplied to the joints and the sliding member by taper lubricator nipples acc. to DIN 71412 or flat lubricator nipples acc. to DIN 3404. Where the lubricating points on a joint are placed opposite each other, lubricant need only be supplied at one nipple. Make absolutely sure to clean the lubricator nipples before lubrication. The grease reaches four joint bearings through the ducts in the spider. Supply lubricant until lubricant emerges from the seals. When supplying lubricant avoid harsh strokes or forceful impact that can damage the seals. The splined shaft connection of the length displacement of propeller shaft requires a controlled supply of lubricant in order to avoid high hydraulic forces that impair the axial movement. Rilsan-coated spline shaft connections are lifetime lubricated.

Lubricant

We recommend the use of lithium soap greases of specification KP 1-2 N-30 or KP 2 N-20 DIN 51502 with EP additives for European climates or of nonfreezing grease of the same base of specification KP 3 N-40 for use in temperatures of down to -40 °C. Lubricant should never be replenished with a grease of a different soap base. Do not use grease with MoS₂ additives on propeller shaft bearings.

Maintenance schedule

Maintenance intervals for propeller shafts depend mainly on the conditions of the given application; heavy duty or higher than average ambient temperatures, for instance, lead to faster lubricant consumption. Hostile environments, heavy soiling or exposure to water, necessitate shorter maintenance intervals. The following are recommended lubrication intervals in the interest of a prolonged service life (The values below are valid only for use at normal conditions):

Propeller shafts	Maintenance cycle
In motor vehicles:	
-Road application	50,000 km or 1 year
-Road and off-road applications	30,000 km or 1 year
-Construction site and off-road applications	10,000 km or 250 hours of operation
In rail vehicles:	3,000 hours of operat. or 6 months
In stationary installations and travelling cranes:	500 hours of operation

see DIN 15453 too

Storage

Store propeller shafts on suitable shelves in dry, closed rooms. Do not stack propeller shafts, place one beside the other, lying or standing upright. Propeller shafts standing upright must be backed to prevent them from falling, lying shaft must be secured against rolling way.

Safety considerations

Rotating shafts create a hazard! The user must therefore strictly adhere to the safety-standards and take suitable precautions, providing e. g. safeguards or covers. Observe the EC-Regulations for machinery! When working at the propeller shaft the drive motor must be shut off. Disassembling, assembling, repair and maintenance should only be performed by qualified personnel. At such work and at the transportation the propeller shafts have to be secured in such a way, that they cannot slip apart and the flanges are fixed preventing damages to the propeller shaft and avoiding the risk of getting hurt.

Please attention to our relevant indications for selection, installation and safety.

Because the customer has the knowledge of the various demands on our product for your application, it is his responsibility to verify the drawings and documents that we prepared on the basis of the data made available by the customer and to examine the suitability of the product for the proposed use. Our offer shall in this case be considered as a recommendation only.

General notes

- » The installation of propeller shafts requires expertise and careful workmanship!

- » Be sure to follow manufacturer's instructions for installation and repair.

- » Parts to be installed in universal drives must be in perfect working order and approved for the specific application in hand.

- » Make sure that propeller shaft locating centres are properly seated and that the flange surfaces are in perfect contact!

- » The operation ratings must never be exceeded (M_d , β , n).

- » Do not use high pressure (water, stream, air) for cleaning to prevent damage of the bearings and sealings!