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**ELASTOMER COUPLINGS**

**SERIES EK | 2 – 2,000 Nm**



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## MODELS

## PROPERTIES

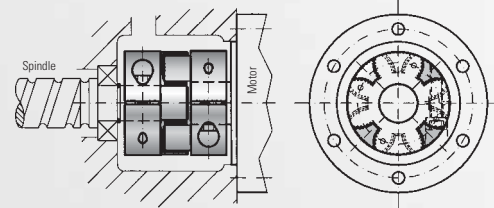
## APPLICATION EXAMPLES

### EKL



#### with clamping hub, compact version

- short compact design
- low inertia
- easy assembly



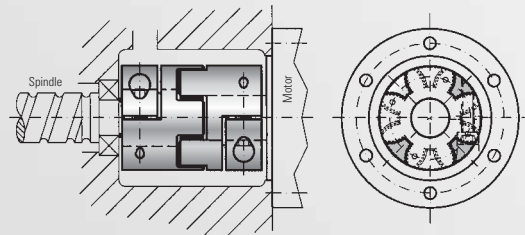
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### EK2



#### with clamping hub

- very smooth running
- counterbalanced type
- easy assembly



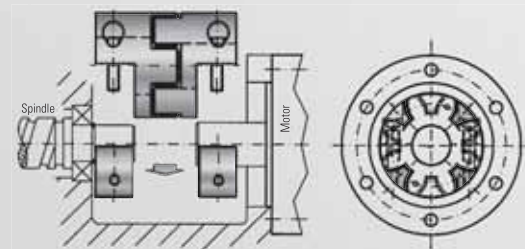
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### EKH



#### with split clamping hubs

- easy assembly
- radial mounting, due to split clamping hubs



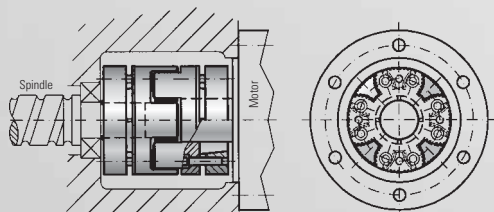
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### EK6



#### with conical clamping ring

- very smooth running
- high clamping forces
- mounts axially



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## MODELS

## PROPERTIES

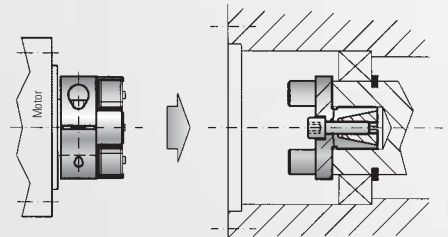
## APPLICATION EXAMPLES

### EK7



#### with expanding shaft

- axial hub mounting with expanding shaft
- very smooth running
- high clamping forces



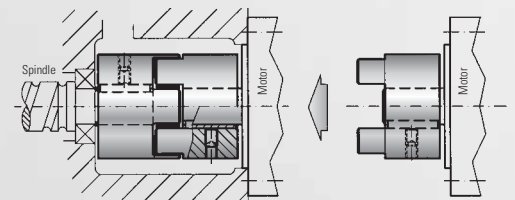
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### EK1



#### with keyway-connection

- favorably priced design
- easy to modify



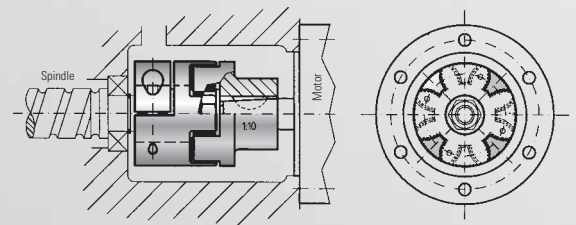
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### EK4



#### for conical shaft ends

- for conical shaft ends e.g. Fanuc motors
- easy mounting
- conical hub mounts axially



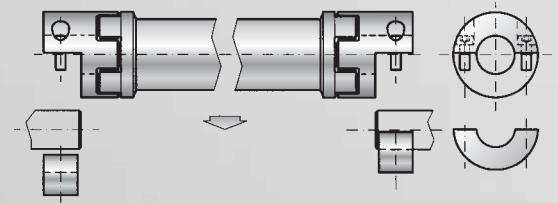
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### EZ2



#### line shaft with split clamping hub

- radial mounting due to split hubs
- no intermediate support bearing necessary
- conical clamping hubs available
- length up to 4 m



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optional  
stainless steel

## MODELS

## PROPERTIES

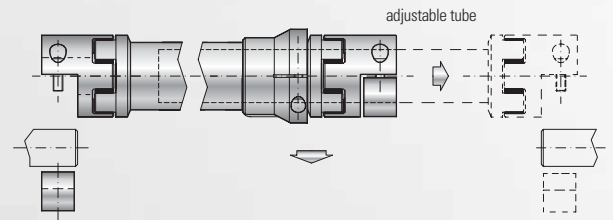
## APPLICATION EXAMPLES

### EZV



#### Line shaft, variable in length

- flexible length
- lateral mounting due to split hubs
- no pillow block bearing necessary
- length up to 4 m



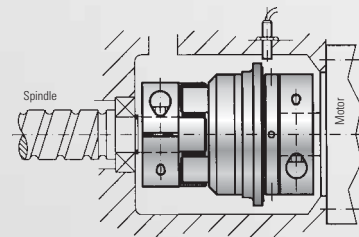
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### ES2



#### torque limiter with clamping hub

- reliable torque overload protection
- backlash free due to patented R+W design
- easy to mount



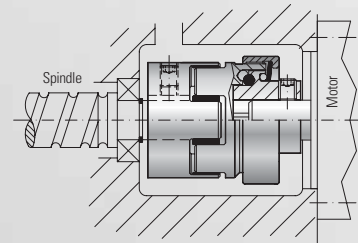
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### ESL



#### torque limiter „Economy Class“

- low price
- compact
- multi-position



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### EEx



#### for the use in explosive environments

- available for the full product range
- for the hazardous areas 1/21 and 2/22 the SERVOMAX EEx Elastomer couplings are registered according to the directive ATEX 95a



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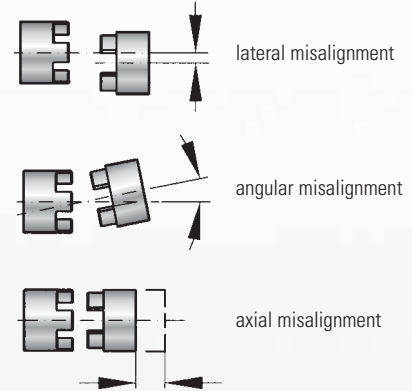
# SERVOMAX® ELASTOMER COUPLINGS

## Areas of application:

- Servo drives
- Machine tools
- Packaging machinery
- Plant automation
- Printing machinery
- Industrial robots
- Measurement and positioning units
- general mechanical engineering
- Linking screw jacks, linear actuators, encoders

## Properties of the product range:

- vibration damping
- electrically insulating (standard)
- backlash-free
- press-fit design
- compensation for lateral-, angular- and axial misalignment



## Function

The equalizing element of an EK coupling is the elastomer insert. It transmits the torque without backlash and vibration. The elastomer insert defines the features of the entire coupling and/or of the entire drive system.

The coupling is backlash free due to pretensioning of the elastomer insert between the two coupling halves. The Servomax-Coupling compensates for lateral, angular and axial misalignment.



**Type A**  
Shore hardness 98 Sh A



**Type B**  
Shore hardness 64 Sh D



**Type C**  
Shore hardness 80 Sh A



**Type D\***  
Shore hardness 92 Sh A

## Specification of the Elastomer inserts

Type	Shore hardness	Color	Material	Relative damping ( $\psi$ )	Temperature range	Features
A	98 Sh A	red	TPU	0.4 - 0.5	-30°C to +100°C	high damping
B	64 Sh D	green	TPU	0.3 - 0.45	-30°C to +120°C	high torsional stiffness
C	80 Sh A	yellow	TPU	0.3 - 0.4	-30°C to +100°C	very high damping
D*	92 Sh A	black	TPU	0.3 - 0.45	-10°C to +70°C	electrically conductive*

\* Due to the electrically conductive properties of the insert electrostatic load of the coupling is prevented. This eliminates sparks during normal operation (Explosive areas). Technical datas available.

The values of the relative damping were determined at 10 Hz and +20°C.

Model row EK		Series																										
		2			5			10			20			60			150			300			450			800		
Type (Elastomer insert)		A	B	C	A	B	C	A	B	C	A	B	C	A	B	C	A	B	C	A	B	C	A	B	C	A	B	C
Static torsional stiffness (Nm/rad)	$C_T$	50	115	17	150	350	53	260	600	90	1140	2500	520	3290	9750	1400	4970	10600	1130	12400	18000	1280	15100	27000	4120	41300	66080	10320
Dynamic torsional stiffness (Nm/rad)	$C_{Tdyn}$	100	230	35	300	700	106	541	1650	224	2540	4440	876	7940	11900	1350	13400	29300	3590	23700	40400	6090	55400	81200	11600	82600	180150	28600
Lateral (mm)	Max. values	0.08	0.06	0.1	0.08	0.06	0.1	0.1	0.08	0.12	0.1	0.08	0.15	0.12	0.1	0.15	0.15	0.12	0.2	0.18	0.14	0.25	0.2	0.18	0.25	0.25	0.2	0.3
Angular (degree)		1	0.8	1.2	1	0.8	1.2	1	0.8	1.2	1	0.8	1.2	1	0.8	1.2	1	0.8	1.2	1	0.8	1.2	1	0.8	1.2	1	0.8	1.2
Axial (mm)		±1			±1			±1			±2			±2			±2			±2			±2			±2		

Static torsional stiffness at 50%  $T_{KN}$

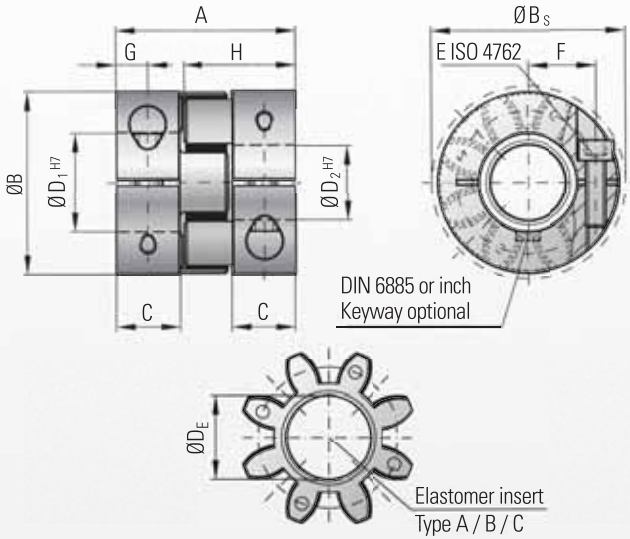
Dynamic torsional stiffness at  $T_{KN}$

1 Nm = 8.85 in lbs



# MODEL EKL

## BACKLASH FREE ELASTOMER COUPLINGS



Compact version

### Properties:

- short compact design
- easy assembly
- vibration damping
- electrically insulating
- backlash-free
- press-fit design

### Material:

Clamping hub: up to series 450 high strength aluminum, from series 800 and up steel  
Elastomer insert: precision molded, wear resistant, and thermally stable polymer

### Design:

Two coupling hubs are concentrically machined with concave driving jaws

### \*Speeds:

Over 4,000 rpm a finely balanced version is available

### Tolerance:

On the hub/shaft connection 0.01 to 0.05 mm

Model EKL	Series																										
	2			5			10			20			60			150			300			450			800		
Type (Elastomer insert)	A	B	C	A	B	C	A	B	C	A	B	C	A	B	C	A	B	C	A	B	C	A	B	C	A	B	C
Rated torque (Nm) $T_{KN}$	2	2.4	0.5	9	12	2	12.5	16	4	17	21	6	60	75	20	160	200	42	325	405	84	530	660	95	950	1100	240
Max. torque** (Nm) $T_{Kmax}$	4	4.8	1	18	24	4	25	32	6	34	42	12	120	150	35	320	400	85	650	810	170	1060	1350	190	1900	2150	400
Overall length (mm) A	20			26			32			50			58			62			86			94			123		
Outer diameter (mm) B	16			25			32			42			56			66.5			82			102			136.5		
Outer diameter with screwhead (mm) $B_S$	17			25			32			44.5			57			68			85			105			139		
Mounting length (mm) C	6			8			10.3			17			20			21			31			34			46		
Inner diameter range H7 (mm) $D_{1/2}$	3 - 8			4 - 12.7			4 - 16			8 - 25			12 - 32			19 - 36			20 - 45			28 - 60			35 - 80		
Inner diameter max. (elastomer) (mm) $D_E$	6.2			10.2			14.2			19.2			26.2			29.2			36.2			46.2			60.5		
Mounting Screw (ISO 4762/12.9)	M2			M3			M4			M5			M6			M8			M10			M12			M16		
Tightening torque of the mounting screw (Nm) E	0.6			2			4			8			15			35			70			120			290		
Distance between centers (mm) F	5.5			8			10.5			15.5			21			24			29			38			50.5		
Distance (mm) G	3			4			5			8.5			10			11			15			17.5			23		
Hub length (mm) H	12			16.7			20.7			31			36			39			52			57			74		
Moment of inertia per Hub ( $10^{-3} \text{ kgm}^2$ ) $J_1/J_2$	0.0003			0.001			0.01			0.01			0.08			0.15			0.4			1.3			7.8		
Approx. weight (kg)	0.008			0.02			0.05			0.12			0.3			0.5			0.9			1.5			8.5		
Speed* (rpm)	28000			22000			20000			19000			14000			11500			9500			8000			4000		

Information about static and dynamic torsional stiffness as well as max. possible misalignment see page 5

1 Nm = 8.85 in lbs

\*\* Maximum transferable torque of the clamping hub depends on the bore diameters (bore/shaft clearance 0.01 mm to 0.05 mm shaft oiled)

Series	Ø 3	Ø 4	Ø 5	Ø 8	Ø 16	Ø 19	Ø 25	Ø 30	Ø 32	Ø 35	Ø 45	Ø 50	Ø 55	Ø 60	Ø 65	Ø 70	Ø 75	Ø 80
2	0.2	0.8	1.5	2.5														
5		1.5	2	8														
10			4	12	32													
20				20	35	45	60											
60					50	80	100	110	120									
150						120	160	180	200	220								
300							200	230	300	350	380	420						
450								420	480	510	600	660	750	850				
800									700	750	800	835	865	900	925	950	1000	

Higher torque through additional key possible.

### Ordering example

EKL / 60 / A / 19.05 / 24 / XX

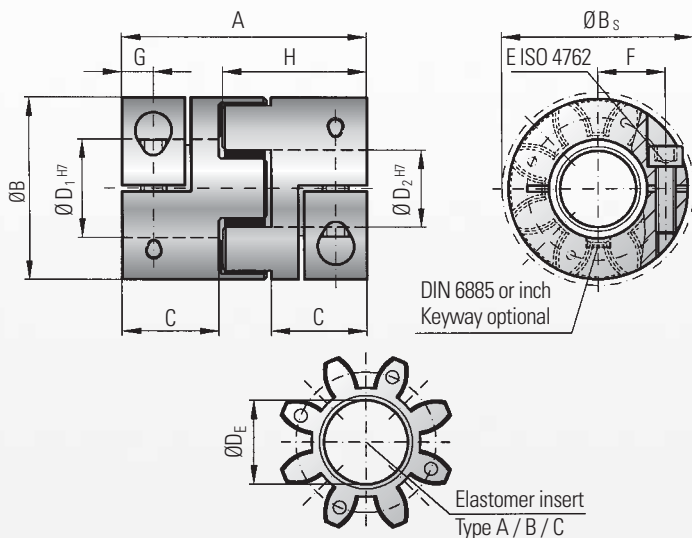
Model  
Series  
Type Elastomer insert  
Bore Ø D1 H7  
Bore Ø D2 H7  
Non standard e.g. finely balanced

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optional  
stainless  
steel

# MODEL EK2

## BACKLASH FREE ELASTOMER COUPLINGS



with clamping hubs

### Properties:

- easy assembly
- concentrically machined hubs
- vibration damping
- electrically insulating
- backlash-free
- press-fit design

### Material:

Clamping hub: up to series 450 high strength aluminum, from series 800 and up steel  
Elastomer insert: precision molded, wear resistant, and thermally stable polymer

### Design:

Two coupling hubs are concentrically machined with concave driving jaws

### \*Speeds:

Over 10,000 rpm a finely balanced version is available

### Tolerance:

On the hub/shaft connection 0.01 to 0.05 mm

Model EK 2	Series																	
	20			60			150			300			450			800		
Type (Elastomer insert)	A	B	C	A	B	C	A	B	C	A	B	C	A	B	C	A	B	C
Rated torque (Nm) $T_{KN}$	17	21	6	60	75	20	160	200	42	325	405	84	530	660	95	950	1100	240
Max. torque** (Nm) $T_{Kmax}$	34	42	12	120	150	35	320	400	85	650	810	170	1060	1350	190	1900	2150	400
Overall length (mm) A	66			78			90			114			126			162		
Outer diameter (mm) B	42			56			66.5			82			102			136.5		
Outer diameter with screwhead (mm) $B_s$	44.5			57			68			85			105			139		
Mounting length (mm) C	25			30			35			45			50			65		
Inner diameter range H7 (mm) $D_{1/2}$	8 - 25			12 - 32			19 - 36			20 - 45			28 - 60			35 - 80		
Inner diameter max. (elastomer) (mm) $D_E$	19.2			26.2			29.2			36.2			46.2			60.5		
Mounting screw (ISO 4762/12.9)	M5			M6			M8			M10			M12			M16		
Tightening torque of the mounting screw (Nm) E	8			15			35			70			120			290		
Distance between centers (mm) F	15.5			21			24			29			38			50.5		
Distance (mm) G	8.5			10			12			15			17.5			23		
Hub length (mm) H	39			46			52.5			66			73			93.5		
Moment of inertia per Hub ( $10^{-3} \text{ kgm}^2$ ) $J_1/J_2$	0.02			0.09			0.2			0.6			1.5			9.5		
Approx. weight (kg)	0.15			0.35			0.6			1.1			1.7			10		
Speed* (rpm)	19000			14000			11500			9500			8000			4000		

Information about static and dynamic torsional stiffness as well as max. possible misalignment see page 5

1 Nm = 8.85 in lbs

\*\* Maximum transferable torque of the clamping hub depends on the bore diameters

Series	Ø 8	Ø 16	Ø 19	Ø 25	Ø 30	Ø 32	Ø 35	Ø 45	Ø 50	Ø 55	Ø 60	Ø 65	Ø 70	Ø 75	Ø 80
20	20	35	45	60											
60		50	80	100	110	120									
150			120	160	180	200	220								
300			200	230	300	350	380	420							
450				420	480	510	600	660	750	850					
800						700	750	800	835	865	900	925	950	1000	

Higher torque through additional key possible.

### Ordering example

EK2 / 60 / A / 19.05 / 24 / XX

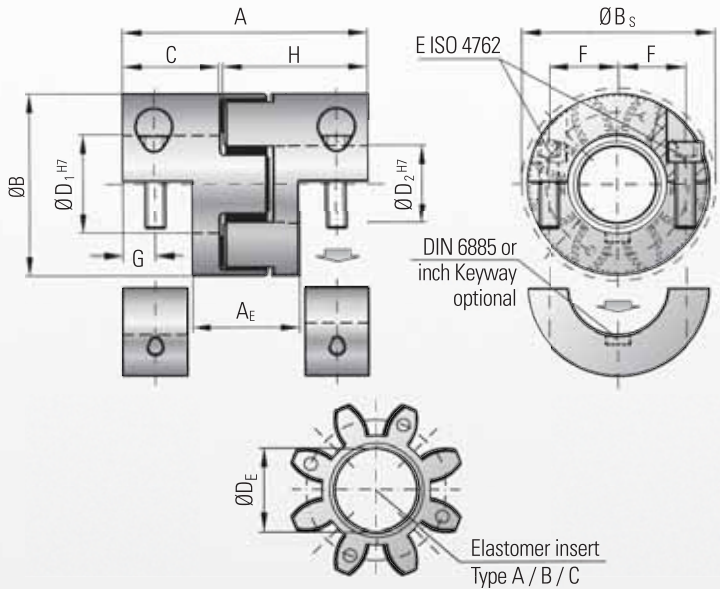
Model  
Series  
Type Elastomer insert  
Bore Ø D1 H7  
Bore Ø D2 H7  
Non standard e.g. finely balanced

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# MODEL EKH

## BACKLASH FREE ELASTOMER COUPLINGS



with split clamping hubs

### Properties:

- radial mounting possible
- high concentricity
- damps vibrations
- electrical insulating
- easy mounting
- backlash-free

### Material:

Clamping hub: up to series 450 high strength aluminum, from series 800 and up steel  
Elastomer insert: precision molded, wear resistant, and thermally stable polymer

### Design:

Two split coupling hubs are concentrically machined with concave driving jaws

### \*Speeds:

Over 10,000 rpm a finely balanced version is available

### Tolerance:

On the hub/shaft connection 0.01 to 0.05 mm

Model EKH	Series																	
	20			60			150			300			450			800		
Type (Elastomer insert)	A	B	C	A	B	C	A	B	C	A	B	C	A	B	C	A	B	C
Rated torque (Nm) $T_{KN}$	17	21	6	60	75	20	160	200	42	325	405	84	530	660	95	950	1100	240
Max. torque** (Nm) $T_{Kmax}$	34	42	12	120	150	35	320	400	85	650	810	170	1060	1350	190	1900	2150	400
Overall length (mm) A	66			78			90			114			126			162		
Insertion length (mm) $A_E$	28			33			37			49			51			65		
Outer diameter (mm) B	42			56			66.5			82			102			136.5		
Outer diameter with screwhead (mm) $B_S$	44.5			57			68			85			105			139		
Mounting length (mm) C	25			30			35			45			50			65		
Inner diameter range H7 (mm) $D_{1/2}$	8 - 25			12 - 32			19 - 36			20 - 45			28 - 60			35 - 80		
Inner diameter max. (elastomer) (mm) $D_E$	19.2			26.2			29.2			36.2			46.2			60.5		
Mounting screw (ISO 4762/12.9)	M5			M6			M8			M10			M12			M16		
Tightening torque of the mounting screw (Nm) E	8			15			35			70			120			290		
Distance between centers (mm) F	15.5			21			24			29			38			50.5		
Distance (mm) G	8.5			10			12			15			17.5			23		
Hub length (mm) H	39			46			52.5			66			73			93.5		
Moment of inertia per Hub ( $10^{-3} \text{ kgm}^2$ ) $J_1/J_2$	0.02			0.09			0.2			0.6			1.5			9.5		
Approx. weight (kg)	0.15			0.35			0.6			1.1			1.7			10		
Speed* (rpm)	19000			14000			11500			9500			8000			4000		

Information about static and dynamic torsional stiffness as well as max. possible misalignment see page 5

1 Nm = 8.85 in lbs

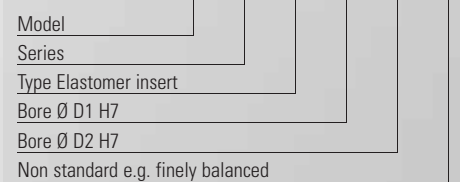
\*\* Maximum transferable torque of the clamping hub depends on the bore diameters

Serie	Ø 8	Ø 16	Ø 19	Ø 25	Ø 30	Ø 32	Ø 35	Ø 45	Ø 50	Ø 55	Ø 60	Ø 65	Ø 70	Ø 75	Ø 80
20	30	40	50	65											
60		65	120	150	180	200									
150			180	240	270	300	330								
300			300	340	450	520	570	630							
450				630	720	770	900	1120	1180	1350					
800							1050	1125	1200	1300	1400	1450	1500	1550	1600

Higher torque through additional key possible.

### Ordering example

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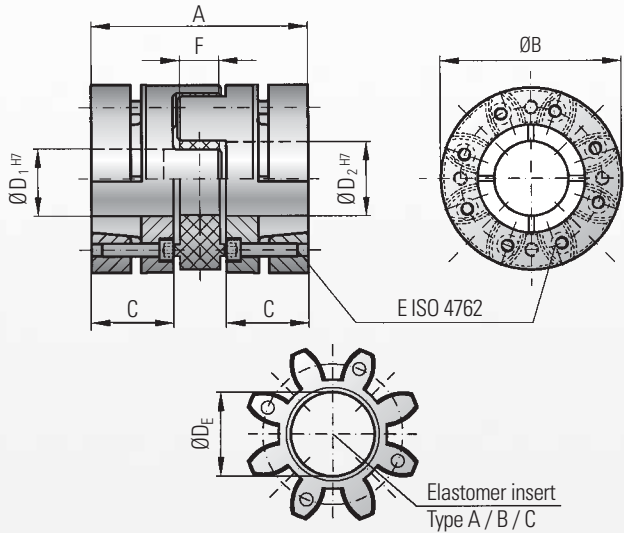
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optional  
stainless  
steel

# MODEL EK6

## BACKLASH FREE ELASTOMER COUPLINGS



with conical clamping ring

### Properties:

- high clamping forces
- concentrically machined
- easy mounting
- damps vibrations
- electrical insulating
- backlash-free
- press-fit design
- axial mounting possible

### Material:

Clamping hub and conical clamping: up to series 450 high strength aluminum, from series 800 and up steel  
Elastomer insert: precision molded, wear resistant, and thermally stable polymer

### Design:

Two coupling hubs are concentrically machined with concave driving jaws

### Tolerance:

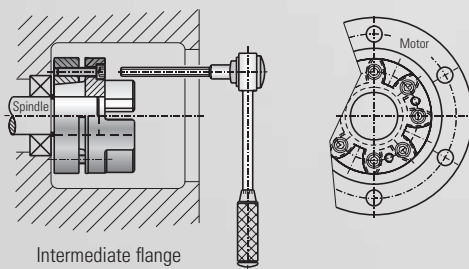
On the hub/shaft connection 0.01 to 0.05 mm

Model EK 6	Series																				
	10			20			60			150			300			450			800		
Type (Elastomer insert)	A	B	C	A	B	C	A	B	C	A	B	C	A	B	C	A	B	C	A	B	C
Rated torque (Nm) $T_{KN}$	12.6	16	4	17	21	6	60	75	20	160	200	42	325	405	84	530	660	95	950	1100	240
Max. torque (Nm) $T_{Kmax}$	25	32	6	34	42	12	120	150	35	320	400	85	650	810	170	1060	1350	190	1900	2150	400
Overall length (mm) A	42			56			64			76			96			110			138		
Outer diameter (mm) B	32			43			56			66			82			102			136.5		
Mounting length (mm) C	15			20			23			28			36			42			53		
Inner diameter range H7 (mm) $D_{1/2}$	6 - 16			8 - 24			12 - 32			19 - 35			20 - 45			28 - 55			32 - 80		
Inner diameter max. (elastomer) (mm) $D_E$	14.2			19.2			26.2			29.2			36.2			46.2			60.5		
Mounting screw (ISO 4762/12.9) E	3x M3			6x M4			4x M5			8x M5			8x M6			8x M8			8x M10		
Tightening torque of the mounting screw (Nm)	2			3			6			7			12			35			55		
Width Elastomer insert (mm) F	9.5			12			14			15			18			20			25		
Moment of inertia per Hub ( $10^{-3} \text{ kgm}^2$ ) $J_1/J_2$	0.01			0.015			0.08			0.15			0.4			1.3			9.2		
Approx. weight (kg)	0.08			0.12			0.3			0.5			0.9			1.5			9.6		
Speed (rpm)	20 000			19 000			14 000			11 500			9 500			8 000			4 000		

Information about static and dynamic torsional stiffness as well as max. possible misalignment see page 5

1 Nm = 8.85 in lbs

Access holes in the mounting flange are not necessary for EK 6 couplings. The unique assembly screw design (shown below) allows for easy axial mounting and dismounting of the coupling.



### Ordering example

EK6 / 60 / A / 19.05/24 / XX

Model	_____
Series	_____
Type Elastomer insert	_____
Bore Ø D1 H7	_____
Bore Ø D2 H7	_____
Non standard e.g. anodized	_____

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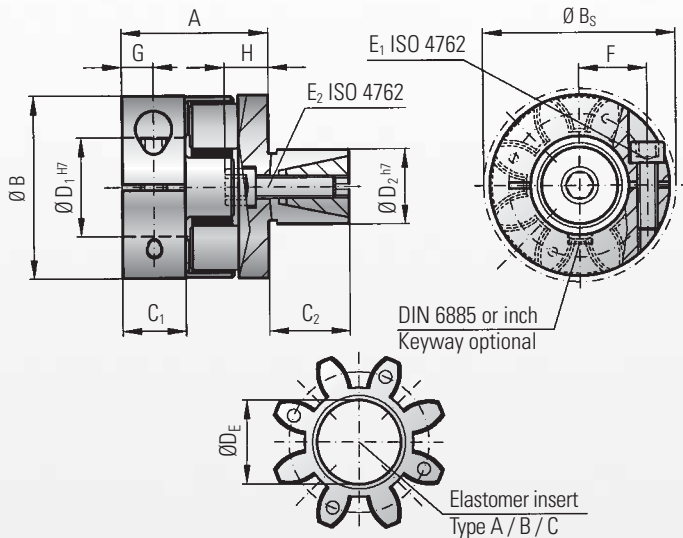


# MODEL EK7

## BACKLASH FREE ELASTOMER COUPLINGS



with expanding shaft



### Properties:

- short compact design
- easy mounting
- high concentricity
- axial mounting of the expanding shaft hub
- backlash-free
- electrical insulating

### Material:

Clamping hub: up to series 450 high strength aluminum, from series 800 and up steel  
 Expanding shaft & cone: steel  
 Elastomer insert: precision molded, wear resistant, and thermally stable polymer

### Design:

Two coupling hubs are concentrically machined with concave driving jaws  
 One side with clamping hub and a radial screw ISO 4762  
 One side with an expanding shaft and tapered clamping element  
 Suggested bore tolerance for the shaft: H7

### Speed\*\*:

Over 4,000 rpm a finely balanced version is available

### Tolerance:

On the hub/shaft connection 0.01 to 0.05 mm

Model EK7	Series																							
	5			10			20			60			150			300			450			800		
Type (Elastomer insert)	A	B	C	A	B	C	A	B	C	A	B	C	A	B	C	A	B	C	A	B	C	A	B	C
Rated torque (Nm) $T_{KN}$	9	12	2	12.5	16	4	17	21	6	60	75	20	160	200	42	325	405	84	530	660	95	950	1100	240
Max. torque* (Nm) $T_{Kmax}$	18	24	4	25	32	6	34	42	12	120	150	35	320	400	85	650	810	170	1060	1350	190	1900	2150	400
Overall length (mm) A	22			28			40			46			51			68			76			94		
Outer diameter (mm) B	25			32			42			56			66.5			82			102			135		
Outer diameter with screwhead (mm) $B_S$	25			32			44.5			57			68			85			105			139		
Mounting length (mm) $C_1$	8			10.3			17			20			21			31			34			46		
Mounting length (mm) $C_2$	12			20			25			27			32			45			55			60		
Inner diameter range H7 (mm) $D_1$	4 - 12.7			5 - 16			8 - 25			12 - 32			19 - 36			20 - 45			28 - 60			35 - 80		
Outer diameter range h7 (mm) $D_2$	10 - 16			13 - 25			14 - 30			23 - 38			26 - 42			38 - 60			42 - 70			42 - 80		
Inner diameter max. (elastomer) (mm) $D_E$	10.2			14.2			19.2			26.2			29.2			36.2			46.2			60.5		
Mounting screw (ISO 4762/12.9)	$E_1$			$E_2$			$E_1$			$E_2$			$E_1$			$E_2$			$E_1$			$E_2$		
Tightening torque (Nm)	2			4			8			15			35			70			120			290		
Mounting screw (ISO 4762/12.9)	M3			M4			M5			M6			M8			M10			M12			M16		
Tightening torque (Nm)	4			9			12			32			60			110			240			300		
Distance between centers (mm) F	8			10.5			15.5			21			24			29			38			50.5		
Distance (mm) G	4			5			8.5			10			11			15			17.5			23		
Length (mm) H	7			7			10			11			16			20			27			27		
Moment of inertia ( $10^{-3}$ kgm <sup>2</sup> )	0.002			0.01			0.04			0.08			0.15			0.4			1.3			9.5		
Approx. weight (kg)	0.04			0.05			0.12			0.3			0.5			0.9			1.5			7.6		
Speed** (rpm)	22000			20000			19000			14000			11500			9500			8000			4000		

Information about static and dynamic torsional stiffness as well as max. possible misalignment see page 5

1 Nm = 8.85 in lbs

\* Maximum transferable torque of the clamping hub depends on the bore diameters (bore/shaft clearance 0.01 mm to 0.05 mm shaft oiled)

optional  
stainless  
steel

# TECHNICAL INFORMATION EK7

Series	Ø 3	Ø 4	Ø 5	Ø 8	Ø 16	Ø 19	Ø 25	Ø 30	Ø 32	Ø 35	Ø 45	Ø 50	Ø 55	Ø 60	Ø 65	Ø 70	Ø 75	Ø 80	
5		1,5	2	8															
10			4	12	32														
20				20	35	45	60												
60					50	80	100	110	120										
150						120	160	180	200	220									
300						200	230	300	350	380	420								
450								420	480	510	600	660	750	850					
800										700	750	800	835	865	900	925	950	1000	

Higher torque through additional keyway possible.

## Ordering example

EK7 / 20 / A / 24/19.05 / XX

Model

Series

Type Elastomer insert

Bore Ø D1 H7

Shaft Ø D2 h7

Non standard e.g. finely balanced

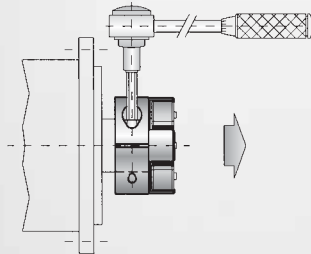
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## Mounting instructions

### Mounting of the clamping hub:

Slide the coupling onto the shaft end, to the correct axial position. Tighten the mounting screw to the specified tightening torque  $E_1$ .

See page 16/collumn  $E_1$ .



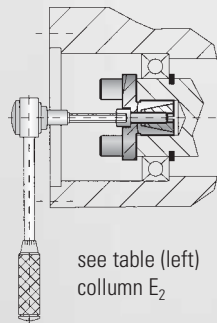
### Dismounting of the clamping hub:

For dismounting loosen the mounting screw  $E_1$ .

### Mounting of the expanding shaft:

Push the shaft hub into the bore, at the right axial position tighten the mounting screw to the specified tightening torque  $E_2$ .

See page 16/collumn  $E_2$



### Dismounting of the expanding shaft:

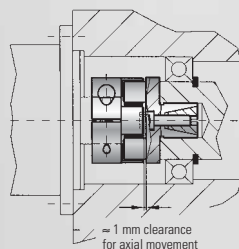
For dismounting loosen the screw  $E_2$  a few turns.

By putting pressure on the screwhead, the inner cone slides out of its sleeve.

The shaft is now loose.

### Advantage:

No access holes in the intermediate flange are necessary in order to mount the coupling.



### CAUTION:

The elastomer insert has to be able to axially move in order to compensate for axial misalignment.

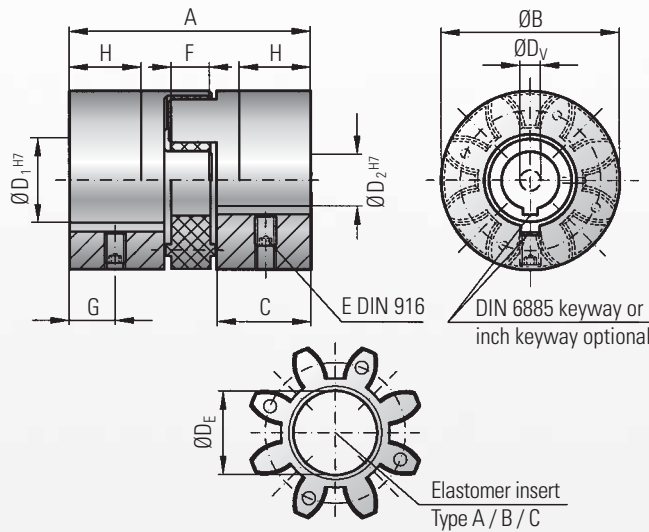


# MODEL EK1

## BACKLASH FREE ELASTOMER COUPLINGS



with keyway connection



### Properties:

- economically priced
- concentrically machined
- damps vibrations
- electrical insulating
- press-fit design
- low backlash, due to keyway connection

### Material:

Clamping hub: up to series 450 high strength aluminum, from series 800 and up steel  
Elastomer insert: precision molded, wear resistant, and thermally stable polymer

### Design:

Two coupling hubs are concentrically machined with concave driving jaws  
Bore tolerance H7 + keyway + set screw  
DIN 916 or optional pilot bored ( $D_v$ )

### \*Speeds:

Over 10,000 rpm a finely balanced version is available

### Tolerance:

On the hub/shaft connection 0.01 to 0.05 mm

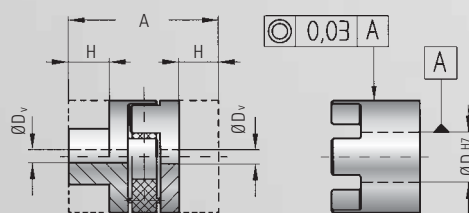
Model EK 1	Series																										
	2			5			10			20			60			150			300			450			800		
Type (Elastomer insert)	A	B	C	A	B	C	A	B	C	A	B	C	A	B	C	A	B	C	A	B	C	A	B	C	A	B	C
Rated torque (Nm) $T_{KN}$	2	2.4	0.5	9	12	2	12.5	16	4	17	21	6	60	75	20	160	200	42	325	405	84	530	660	95	950	1100	240
Max. torque (Nm) $T_{Kmax}$	4	4.8	1	18	24	4	25	32	6	34	42	12	120	150	35	320	400	85	650	810	170	1060	1350	190	1900	2150	400
Overall length (mm) A	20			34			35			66			78			90			114			126			162		
Outer diameter (mm) B	15			25			32			42			56			66.5			82			102			136.5		
Mounting length (mm) C	6.5			12			12			25			30			35			45			50			65		
Inner diameter pilot bored (mm) $D_v$	3			4			6			7			9			14			18			22			29		
Inner diameter range H7 (mm) $D_{1/2}$	3 - 9			6 - 15			6 - 18			8 - 25			12 - 32			19 - 38			20 - 45			28 - 60			32 - 80		
Inner diameter max. (elastomer) (mm) $D_E$	6.2			10.2			14.2			19.2			26.2			29.2			36.2			46.2			60.5		
Set screws (DIN 916) E	see table (depending on bore $\emptyset$ )**																										
Width Elastomer insert (mm) F	5			8			9.5			12			14			15			18			20			25		
Distance (mm) G	3			5			6			9			11			12			15			17			30		
Possible shortening length (mm) H	4			6			6			19			22			26			32			37			43		
Moment of inertia per Hub ( $10^{-3} \text{ kgm}^2$ ) $J_1/J_2$	0.0003			0.001			0.01			0.02			0.09			0.2			0.6			1.5			11.4		
Approx. weight (kg)	0.008			0.03			0.08			0.15			0.35			0.6			1.1			1.7			11		
Speed* (rpm)	28000			22000			20000			19000			14000			11500			9500			8000			4000		

Information about static and dynamic torsional stiffness as well as max. possible misalignment see page 5

1 Nm = 8.85 in lbs

** Set screws	
$D_1/D_2$	E
- $\emptyset$ 10	M3
$\emptyset$ 11-12	M4
$\emptyset$ 13-30	M5
$\emptyset$ 31-58	M8
$\emptyset$ 59-80	M10

### ■ Details of pilot bored coupling hubs ( $D_v$ )



It's critical that modifications of the hub are machined concentrically and perpendicular to the through bore.

EK1 hubs can be modified to customer specifications.  
The coupling hub may be shortened by measurement H.

### Ordering example

EK1 / 60 / A / 19.05 /  $D_v$  / XX

Model	EK1
Series	60
Type Elastomer insert	A
Bore $\emptyset$ D1 H7	19.05
Bore $\emptyset$ D2 prebored	$D_v$
Non standard e.g. anodized	XX

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optional  
stainless steel

# MODEL EK4

## BACKLASH FREE ELASTOMER COUPLINGS



for conical shaft ends

### Properties:

- short compact design
- easy assembly
- high concentricity
- backlash-free
- electrically insulating

### Material:

Clamping hubs: high strength aluminum  
Conical hub: steel  
Elastomer insert: precision molded, wear resistant, and thermally stable polymer

### Design:

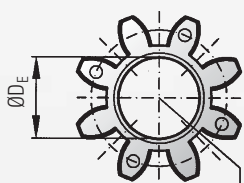
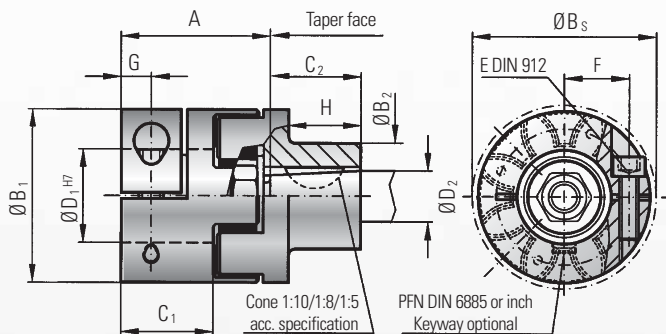
Two coupling hubs are concentrically machined with concave driving jaws  
One side with clamping hub and a radial screw ISO 4762  
One side with a hub conically bored with keyway according to customer requirement

### Speed:

Over 10,000 rpm a finely balanced version is available

### Tolerance:

On the hub/shaft connection 0.01 to 0.05 mm



Elastomer insert  
Type A / B / C

Caution: The measurement C2 / M / an Ø B2 are depending on final design of the taper shaft.

Model EK 4	Series									
	20			60			150			
Type (Elastomer insert)	A	B	C	A	B	C	A	B	C	
Rated torque (Nm)	$T_{KN}$	17	21	6	60	75	20	160	200	42
Max. torque* (Nm)	$T_{Kmax}$	34	42	12	120	150	35	320	400	85
Overall length (mm)	A	42			50			57		
Outer diameter hub (mm)	$B_1$	42			56			66.5		
Outer diameter conical hub (mm)	$B_2$	variable			variable			variable		
Outer diameter with screwhead (mm)	$B_s$	44.5			57			68		
Mounting length (mm)	$C_1$	25			30			35		
Mounting length (mm)	$C_2$	variable			variable			variable		
Inner diameter range H7 (mm)	$D_1$	8-25			12-32			19-36		
Possible conical diameter (mm)	$D_2$	Acc. to customer requirement								
Inner diameter max (elastomer) (mm)	$D_E$	19.2			26.2			29.2		
Mounting screw (ISO 4762/12.9)	$E_1$	M5			M6			M8		
Tightening torque of the mounting screw (Nm)	$E_1$	8			15			35		
Distance between centers (mm)	F	15.5			21			24		
Distance (mm)	G	8.5			10			12		
Length (mm)	H	variable			variable			variable		

Information about static and dynamic torsional stiffness as well as max. possible misalignment see page 5 1 Nm = 8.85 in lbs

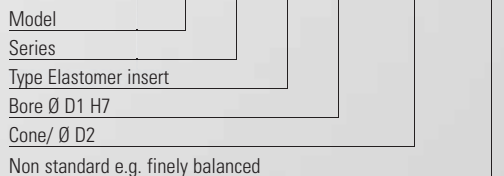
\*\* Maximum transferable torque of the clamping hub depends on the bore diameters (bore/shaft clearance 0.01 mm to 0.05 mm shaft oiled)

Series	Ø 8	Ø 16	Ø 19	Ø 25	Ø 30	Ø 32	Ø 35
20	20	35	45	60			
60		50	80	100	110	120	
150			120	160	180	200	220

Higher torque through additional key possible.

### Ordering example

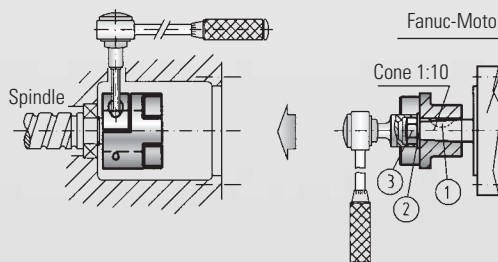
EK4 / 20 / A / 24 / 1:10 Ø11 / XX



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### Installation instruction

**Mounting of the clamping hub:** Slide the coupling on the shaft ends, at the right axial position tighten the mounting screw to the specified tightening torque as shown in the table ( column E1).

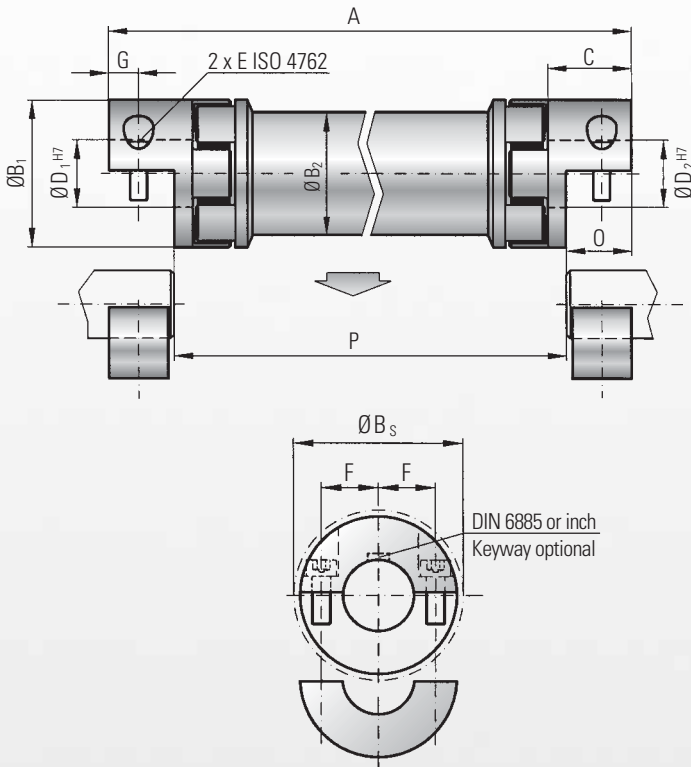


**Mounting of the conical hub:** After inserting the key into the keyway of the motor shaft slide the coupling hub on the shaft. Check if the conical hub has a proper seat on the shaft. Now the nut (3) can be tightened on the motor shaft using the exact tightening torque specified by the motor manufacturer.



# MODEL EZ2

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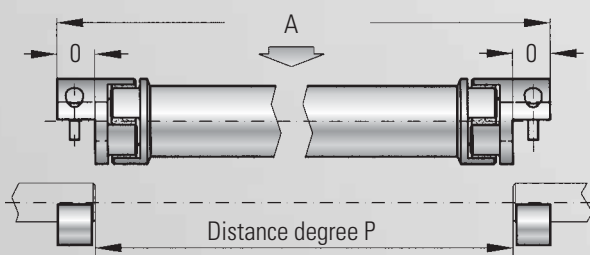
### Ordering example

EZ2 / 020 / 1200 / A / 24 / 19.05 / XX

Model  
Series  
Overall length  
Type Elastomer insert  
Bore Ø D1 H7  
Bore Ø D2 H7  
Non standard e.g. finely balanced

All data is subject to change without notice.

### Assembly instructions



The total length of the axis is defined by the distance P + 2xØ.



with split clamping hubs

### Properties:

- radial mounting possible with split hubs
- Spans distances of up to 4 m
- No intermediate support bearing required
- Low moment of inertia
- damps vibrations
- press-fit design
- backlash-free

### Material:

Clamping hub: up to series 450 high strength aluminum, from series 800 and up steel  
Elastomer insert: precision molded, wear resistant, and thermally stable polymer  
Intermediate tube: precision machined aluminum tube; **steel and composite tubes are also available**

### Design:

Two coupling hubs are concentrically machined with concave driving jaws  
Elastomer inserts are available in type A or B  
The two coupling elements are connected with a precise and concentrically machined aluminum tube

### Speed:

Please advise the application speed when ordering or inquiring about EZ Line shafts

### Tolerance:

On the hub/shaft connection 0.01 to 0.05 mm

### Torsional stiffness:

To optimize the application different elastomer inserts with different shore hardnesses are available

### R+W calculation program

With specially developed software R+W can calculate the critical resonant speeds for each application.

Results of a calculation are shown below.

The critical speed can be altered by changing the tube material and/or other parameters.

Critical resonant speed	$n_k$	=	1/min.
Torsional stiffness tube	$C_T^{ZWR}$	=	Nm/rad
Total stiffness EZ 2	$C_{Tdyn}^{EZ}$	=	Nm/rad
Torsional deflection	$\varphi$	=	Degree-Min-Sec
Weight of total axes	$m$	=	kg
Critical resonance speed	$n_e$	=	1/min
Mass moment of inertia	$J$	=	kgm <sup>2</sup>
Permissible lateral misalignment	$\Delta Kr$	=	mm

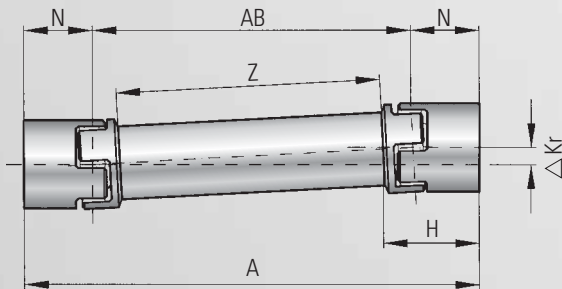
optional  
stainless steel

Model EZ 2	Series													
	10		20		60		150		300		450		800	
Type (Elastomer insert)	A	B	A	B	A	B	A	B	A	B	A	B	A	B
Rated torque (Nm) $T_{KN}$	12,5	16	17	21	60	75	160	200	325	405	530	660	950	1100
Max. torque** (Nm) $T_{Kmax}$	25	32	34	42	120	150	320	400	650	810	1060	1350	1900	2150
Overall length (mm) A	95 - 4000		130 - 4000		175 - 4000		200 - 4000		245 - 4000		280 - 4000		320 - 4000	
Outer diameter hub (mm) $B_1$	32		42		56		66.5		82		102		136.5	
Outer diameter tube (mm) $B_2$	28		35		50		60		76		90		120	
Outer diameter with screwhead (mm) $B_3$	32		44.5		57		68		85		105		139	
Fit length (mm) C	20		25		40		47		55		65		79	
Inner diameter range H7 (mm) $D_{1/2}$	5 - 16		8 - 25		14 - 32		19 - 36		19 - 45		24 - 60		35 - 80	
Mounting screw (ISO 4762/12.9)	M4		M5		M6		M8		M10		M12		M16	
Tightening torque of the mounting screw (Nm) E	4		8		15		35		70		120		290	
Distance between centers (mm) F	10.5		15.5		21		24		29		38		50.5	
Distance (mm) G	7.5		8.5		15		17.5		20		25		30	
Mounting length (mm) O	16.6		18.6		32		37		42		52		62	
Moment of inertia per Hub half ( $10^{-3} \text{ kgm}^2$ ) $J_1/J_2$	0.01		0.02		0.15		0.21		1.02		2.3		17	
Inertia of tube per meter ( $10^{-3} \text{ kgm}^2$ ) $J_3$	0.075		0.183		0.66		1.18		2.48		10.6		38	
Dynamic torsional stiffness of the couplings (Nm/rad) $C_{Tdyn}^E$	270	825	1270	2220	3970	5950	6700	14650	11850	20200	27700	40600	41300	90000
Torsional stiffness of tube per meter (Nm/rad) $C_T^{ZWR}$	321		1530		6632		11810		20230		65340		392800	
Distance between centers (mm) N	26		33		49		57		67		78		94	
Length of the couplings (mm) H	34		46		63		73		86		99		125	

\*\* Max. transferable torque of the clamping hub see EKH (page 8) 1 Nm = 8.85 in lbs

### The selection process for Servo-Insert-Couplings EZ 2

A	Overall length	m	$C_{Tdyn}^E$	Dynamic torsional stiffness of both elastomer inserts	Nm/rad	H	Length of the coupling	mm
AB	Length AB = (A - 2xN)	m	$C_T^{ZWR}$	Torsional stiffness of tube per meter	Nm/rad	N	Distance between center lines	mm
Z	Tube length Z = (A - 2xH)	m	$C_{Tdyn}^{EZ}$	Torsional stiffness of entire coupling	Nm/rad	$M_{max}$	Max. torque	Nm
						$\varphi$	Angle of twist	degree



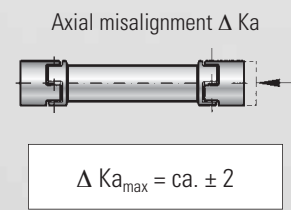
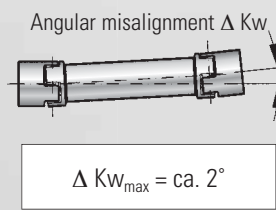
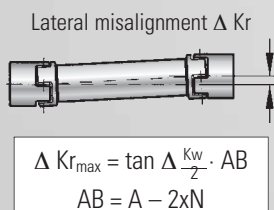
#### ■ According to torsional stiffness

$$C_{Tdyn}^{EZ} = \frac{C_{Tdyn}^E \times (C_T^{ZWR}/Z)}{C_{Tdyn}^E + (C_T^{ZWR}/Z)} \text{ (Nm/rad)}$$

#### ■ According to angle of twist

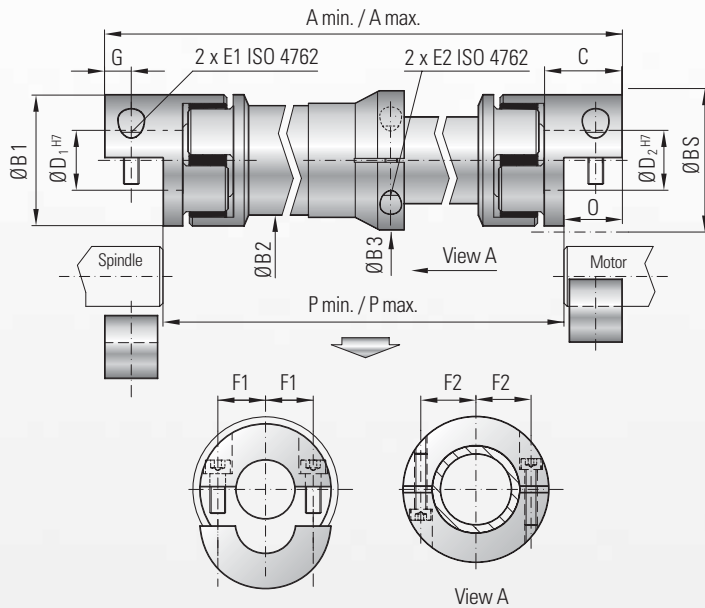
$$\varphi = \frac{180 \times M_{max}}{\pi \times C_{Tdyn}^{EZ}} \text{ (degree)}$$

#### ■ Max. possible misalignments



# MODEL EZV

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### Ordering example

EZV / 020 / 1200 / A / 24 / 19 / XX

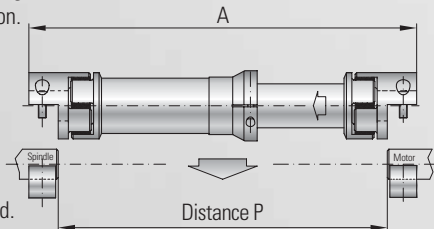
Model  
Series  
inserted min. length  
Type Elastomer insert  
Bore Ø D1 H7  
Bore Ø D2 H7  
Non standard e.g. finely balanced

All data is subject to change without notice.

### Assembly instructions

After loosening the clamping screws E2, the axial moveable tube can be adjusted to the proper position.

After reaching the axial position, the clamping bolts must be fastened under notification of the given tightening torque. A high concentricity of the line shaft is guaranteed.



variable length

### Properties:

- Lateral mounting due to split hubs
- Spans distances of up to 4 m
- Low moment of inertia
- Vibration damping
- Press fit designs
- Backlash free Line Shaft

### Material:

Clamping hub: high strength aluminum.  
Elastomer insert: precision molded wear resistant, and thermally stable polymer.  
Intermediate tubes: precision machined aluminum tube, steel or composite tube are upon request available.

### Design:

Two split coupling hubs are concentrically machined with concave driving jaws. Both coupling bodies are solid joint by two tubes with high concentricity. While loosening the tube clamping, a length variation is possible within the given range. Elastomer inserts are available in type A or B.

### Speed:

To control the critical resonant speed please advise the application speed when ordering or inquiring about EZ Line Shafts.

### Tolerance:

On the hub/shaft connection 0.01 to 0.05 mm.

### Torsional stiffness:

To optimize the application different elastomer inserts with different shore values are available

### R+W calculation program

With specially developed software R+W can calculate the critical resonant speeds for each application.

Results of a calculation are shown below.

The critical speed can be altered by changing the tube material and/or other parameters.

Critical resonant speed	$n_k$	=	1/min.
Torsional stiffness tube	$C_T^{ZWR}$	=	Nm/rad
Total stiffness EZV	$C_{Tdyn}^{EZ}$	=	Nm/rad
Torsional deflection	$\varphi$	=	Degree-Min-Sec
Weight of total axes	$m$	=	kg
Critical resonance speed	$n_c$	=	1/min
Mass moment of inertia	$J$	=	kgm <sup>2</sup>
Permissible lateral misalignment	$\Delta Kr$	=	mm



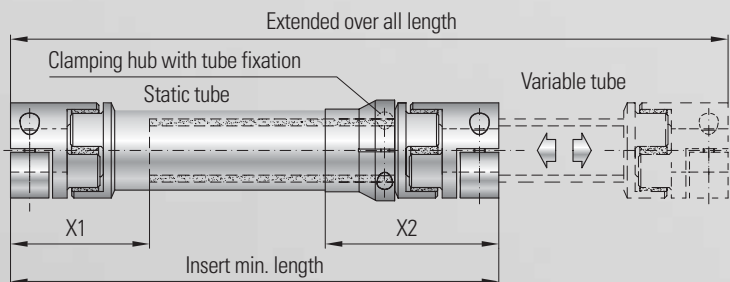
Model EZV	Series													
	10		20		60		150		300		450			
Type (Elastomer insert)	A	B	A	B	A	B	A	B	A	B	A	B		
Rated torque (Nm)	$T_{KN}$		12.5	16	17	21	60	75	160	200	325	405	530	660
Max. torque** (Nm)	$T_{Kmax}$		25	32	34	42	120	150	320	400	650	810	1060	1200
Inserted min. length from - to (mm)	$A_{min}$		150 to 2055		200 to 2075		250 to 2095		300 to 2115		350 to 2130		400 to 2150	
Extended over all length from - to (mm)	$A_{max}$		190 to 4000		250 to 4000		310 to 4000		370 to 4000		440 to 4000		500 to 4000	
Measurement (mm)	$X1+X2$		110		150		190		230		270		300	
Outer diameter hub (mm)	$B_1$		32		42		56		66,5		82		102	
Outer diameter tube (mm)	$B_2$		28		35		50		60		80		90	
Outer diameter middle hub (mm)	$B_3$		41,5		47		67		77		102		115	
Outer diameter with screwhead (mm)	$B_S$		32		44,5		57		68		85		105	
Fit length (mm)	$C$		20		25		40		47		55		65	
Inner diameter possible from $\emptyset$ to $\emptyset$ H7 (mm)	$D_{1/2}$		5 to 16		8 to 25		14 to 32		19 to 35		19 to 45		24 to 60	
Screw (ISO 4762/12.9)	$E_1$		M4		M5		M6		M8		M10		M12	
Tighting torque of the mounting screw(Nm)	$E_1$		4		8		15		35		70		120	
Screw (ISO 4762/12.9)	$E_2$		M4		M4		M5		M6		M8		M10	
Tighting torque of the mounting screw(Nm)	$E_2$		4		4,5		8		18		35		70	
Distance between centers (mm)	$F_1$		10,5		15,5		21		24		29		38	
Distance between centers (mm)	$F_2$		15		18		26		31		41		45	
Distance (mm)	$G$		7,5		8,5		15		17,5		20		25	
Mounting length (mm)	$O$		16,6		18,6		32		37		42		52	
Moment of inertia coupling half ( $10^{-3}$ kgm <sup>2</sup> )	$J_1/J_2$		0,01		0,02		0,15		0,21		1,02		2,3	
Inertia of tube per meter ( $10^{-3}$ kgm <sup>2</sup> )	$J_3$		0,075		0,183		0,66		1,18		2,48		10,6	
Dynamic torsional stiffness of coupling hubs (Nm/rad)	$C_{Tdyn}^E$		270	825	1270	2220	3970	5950	6700	14650	11850	20200	27700	40600
Torsional stiffness of tube per meter (Nm/rad)	$C_{T2WR}$		321		1530		6632		11810		20230		65340	
Distance between centers (mm)	$N$		26		33		49		57		67		78	
Length of the couplings (mm)	$H$		34		46		63		73		86		99	

\*\* (Max. transferable torque of the clamping hub see Elastomer Coupling EKH (Page 8))

1 Nm = 8.85 in lbs

## Function

**Extended all over length** = Inserted min. length x 2 - Measurement (X1 + X2)



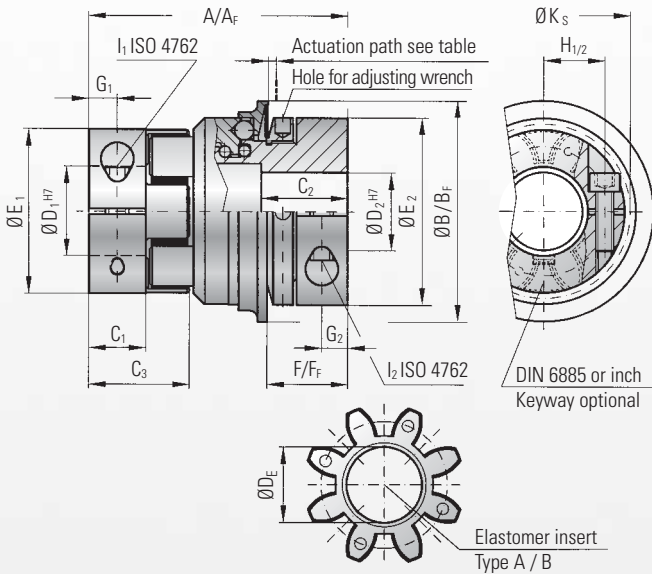
$$\text{Inserted min. length} = \frac{(\text{Extended all over length} + \text{Measurement (X1+ X2)})}{2}$$

The extended over all length and the inserted min. length are related on engineering aspects and design. Depending on the requirements, the coupling can be calculated while using the here shown two formulas to receive its min. and max. dimensions. For Information regarding the design under consideration of axial-, angular-, and lateral torsional stiffness of the EZV, refer to page 15.



# MODEL ES2

## BACKLASH FREE TORQUE LIMITERS



with clamping hubs

### Properties:

- reliable torque overload protection
- short compact design
- backlash-free due to patented R+W design
- disengagement within msec.
- large actuation path when disengaging
- electrically insulating
- press-fit design

### Material:

Torque limiter: high strength hardened steel with rust protected surface (oxidized)  
 Clamping hub D<sub>1</sub>: up to series 450 high strength aluminum, from series 800 and up steel  
 Clamping hub D<sub>2</sub>: up to series 60 high strength aluminum, from series 150 and up steel  
 Elastomer insert: precision molded, wear resistant, and thermally stable polymer

### Design:

Two coupling hubs are concentrically machined with concave driving jaws  
 One side with an integrated torque limiter  
 The torque limiter is available in single position, multi position or full-disengagement versions.

### Tolerance:

On the hub/shaft connection 0.01 to 0.05 mm

**For table see right page.**

### W = single position re-engagement

- After the overload has been eliminated, the coupling will automatically reengage precisely 360° from the original disengagement position
- Achievement of the precise synchronus re-engagement due to patented R+W design
- Signal at overload with mechanical switch or proximity sensor

### D = Multi position re-engagement

- Coupling re-engages at multiple set angular intervals.
- Immediate availability of the machine as soon as the overload has been eliminated.
- Signal at overload with mechanical switch or proximity sensor
- Standard engagement every 60°
- Engagement at 30, 45, 90 and 120 degrees are optional.

### F = Full disengagement

- Permanent separation of drive and driven loads in the event of a torque overload.
- No residual friction
- Signal at overload
- Rotating elements slow down freely
- Coupling can be re-engaged manually (Engagement every 60°)

### Ordering example

ES2 / 10 / A / W / 14 / 12.7 / 8 / 4-12 / XX

Model	ES2
Series	10
Type Elastomer insert	A
Function system (see page 14)	W
Bore Ø D1 H7	14
Bore Ø D2 H7	12.7
Disengagement torque	8
Adjustable range	4-12
Non standard e.g. VA-Material	XX

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### The selection of torque limiters

In general the torque limiters are sized according to the necessary disengagement torque. This torque must exceed the nominal torque of the application.

For more information see page 22.

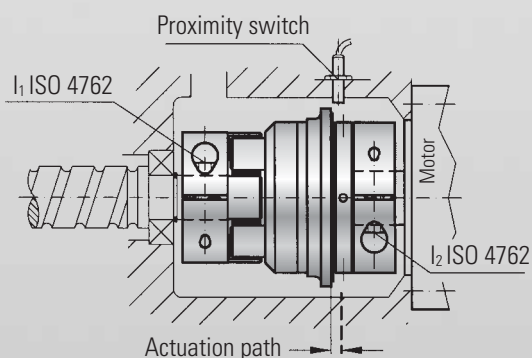


Model ES 2		Series							
		10	20	60	150	300	450	800	
Adjustment range (Nm) possible from -to (approx. values)	$T_{KN}$	2 - 6 or 4 - 12	10 - 25 or 20 - 40	10 - 30 or 25 - 80	20-70 45-150 80-180	100 - 200 150 - 240 200 - 320	80 - 200 200 - 350 300 - 500	400 - 650 500 - 800 600 - 900	
Adjustment range (full disengagement) (Nm) possible from -to (approx. values)	$T_{KN}^F$	2-5 or 5-10	8 - 20 or 16 - 30	20 - 40 or 30 - 60	20-60 40-80 80-150	120 - 180 or 180 - 300	60 - 150 100 - 300 250 - 500	200 - 400 or 450 - 800	
Overall length (mm)	A	60	86	96	106	140	164	179	
Overall length (full disengagement) (mm)	$A_F$	60	86	96	108	143	168	190	
Outer diameter of actuation ring (mm)	B	45	65	73	92	120	135	152	
Outer diameter of actuation ring (mm)	$B_F$	51.5	70	83	98	132	155	177	
Fit length (mm)	$C_1$	10.3	17	20	21	31	34	46	
Fit length (mm)	$C_2$	16	27	31	35	42	51	45	
Length of hub (mm)	$C_3$	20.7	31	36	39	52	57	74	
Inner diameter from $\emptyset$ to $\emptyset$ H7 (mm)	$D_1$	5 - 16	8 - 25	12 - 32	19 - 36	20 - 45	28 - 60	35 - 80	
Inner diameter from $\emptyset$ to $\emptyset$ H7 (mm)	$D_2$	6 - 20	12 - 30	15 - 32	19 - 42	30 - 60	35 - 60	40 - 75	
Diameter of the hub (mm)	$E_1$	32	42	56	66.5	82	102	136.5	
Diameter of the hub (mm)	$E_2$	40	55	66	81	110	123	132	
Distance (mm)	F	17	24	30	31	35	45	50	
Distance full disengagement (mm)	$F_F$	16	22	29	30	35	43	54	
Distance (mm)	$G_1$	5	8.5	10	11	15	17.5	23	
Distance (mm)	$G_2$	5	7.5	9.5	11	13	17	18	
Distance between centers (mm)	$H_1$	10.5	15	21	24	29	38	50.5	
Screws (ISO 4762/12.9)		M4	M5	M6	M8	M10	M12	M16	
Tightening torque of the mounting screw (Nm)	$I_1$	4	8	15	35	70	120	290	
Distance between centers SK-side (mm)	$H_2$	15	19	23	27	39	41	48	
Screws (ISO 4762/12.9)		M4	M6	M8	M10	M12	M16	2x M16	
Tightening torque of the mounting screw (Nm)	$I_2$	4.5	15	40	70	130	200	250	
Diameter with screwhead (mm)	$K_S$	32	44.5	57	68	85	105	139	
Approx. weight (kg)		0.3	0.6	1.0	2.4	5.8	9.3	14.3	
Moment of inertia ( $10^{-3}$ kgm <sup>2</sup> )	$J_{ges}$	0.06	0.25	0.7	2.3	11	22	33.5	
Actuation path (mm)		1.2	1.5	1.7	1.9	2.2	2.2	2.2	
Type (Elastomer insert)		A	B	A	B	A	B	A	B
Inner diameter (Elastomer insert) (mm)	$D_E$	14.2	19.2	27.2	30.2	38.2	46.2	60.5	

Information about static and dynamic torsional stiffness as well as max. possible misalignment see page 5

1 Nm = 8.85 in lbs

## Mounting instructions



**Mounting:** Slide the coupling on the shaft ends to the proper axial position. Using a torque wrench, tighten the clamp screws to the correct tightening torque as indicated (in the table page 12)

**CAUTION!** Both clamping hubs have different screws and different tightening torques.

**Dismounting:** Simply loosen the clamp screw I1, I2 and remove the safety coupling.

**Emergency cut off:** The axial path of the actuation ring activates the mechanical switch or the proximity sensor .

**CAUTION!** Upon assembly, it is absolutely necessary to test the function of the switch 100%

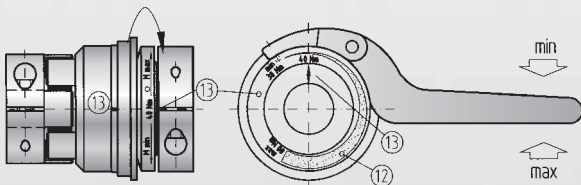


# FUNCTION SYSTEMS ES2

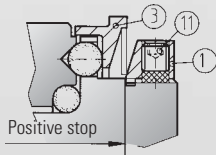
**R+W torque limiting couplings are ball detent style overload couplings. They protect drive and driven mechanical components from damage associated with torque overloads.**

- Backlash free torque transmission is accomplished by a series of steel balls (4) nested in hardened detents (5).
- Disc springs push against an actuation ring (3) keeping the balls nested.
- The disengagement torque is adjustable by means of an adjustment nut (1).
- In the event of an overload, the actuation ring (3) moves axially allowing the balls to come out of the detents separating the drive and driven elements.
- The movement of the actuation ring (3) can be sensed by means of a mechanical switch or proximity sensor (6) triggering the drive to shut down.

## Disengagement torque setting



On ES 2 couplings, the slot of the clamping hub serves as a reference point (13).



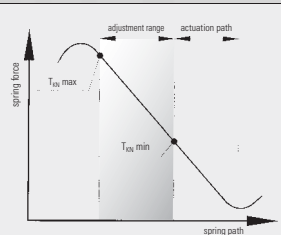
- 1 adjustment nut
- 11 locking screw
- 3 steel actuation ring
- 12 adjustment range
- 13 marking

R+W torque limiters are factory set to the customer specified disengagement torque, which is marked on the coupling. The adjustment range (min/max) is also marked on the adjustment nut (1).

The customer can adjust the disengagement torque as long as it is in the range (12) indicated on the adjustment nut.

The adjustment range must not be exceeded while re-adjusting.

To adjust the disengagement torque, loosen the locking screws (11) and rotate the adjustment ring using a spanner wrench to the desired new setting. Tighten the 3 locking screws (11) and test the coupling.

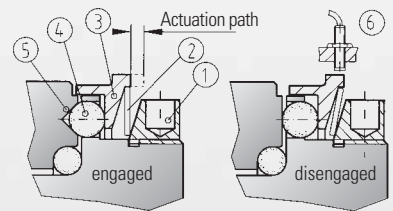


### CAUTION:

R+W torque limiters incorporate disc springs that exhibit a special spring characteristic. It is important to stay in the max-min range of the coupling.

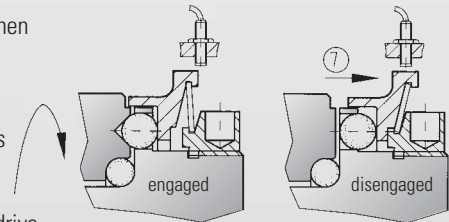
## Single-position / Multi-position

In a torque overload, with the single-position design (standard) and multi-position design, the spring disengages to allow the balls to come out of their detents, separating the drive and driven elements. Very low residual spring pressure remains so that the coupling will re-engage once the torque is reduced below the overload setting.



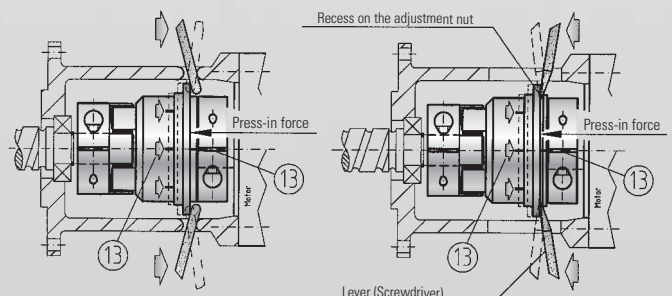
## Full-disengage

With this design, when a torque overload is detected, the disc spring completely flips over and places no residual spring pressure on the actuation ring. The drive and driven elements are completely separated.



**Re-engagement of the coupling is not automatic and must be performed manually (Picture 3a, 3b).**

**CAUTION:** Re-engagement should only be performed when the coupling stands still and not rotating!



Picture 3a

Picture 3b

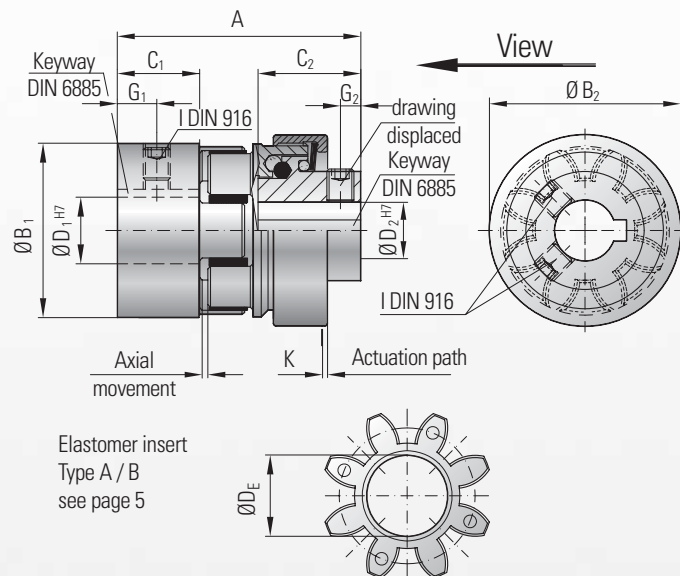
The R+W full-disengage torque limiting coupling can be re-engaged in six different positions or every 60 degrees with low „press-in“ force (E). Marks on the actuation ring and body (13) of the coupling must line up and indicate the re-engagement points.

As of size 150 and up the re-engagement can be done with 2 lever which will be supported at a recess on the adjustment nut (picture 3b). Screwdrivers can be used as a lever.

optional  
stainless steel

# MODEL ESL

## BACKLASH FREE TORQUE LIMITERS



Elastomer insert  
Type A / B  
see page 5



„Economy Class“

### Properties:

- reliable torque overload protection
- compact simple design
- multi position engagement
- low wear
- economically priced

### Material:

Torque limiter: high strength steel.  
Detent balls made of hardened steel.  
Clamping hubs: high strength aluminum.  
Elastomer insert: precision molded, wear resistant and thermally stable polymer.

### Design:

Our zero backlash elastomer coupling incorporated with a torque limiter. Available function system for all series: multi-position.

### Speed:

Negligible abrasion with disengagement speeds of up to 200 rpm.  
Higher speeds upon request.

### Fit tolerance:

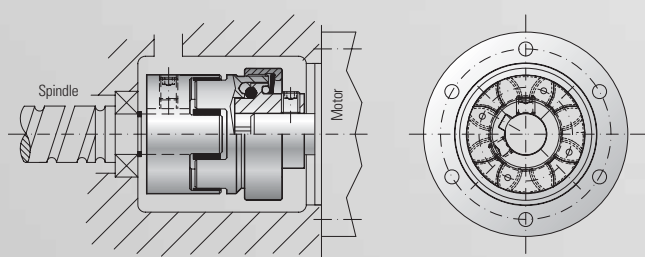
On the hub/shaft connection 0.01 to 0.05 mm.

Model ESL	Series											
	5		10		20		60		150			
Type (Elastomer insert)	A	B	A	B	A	B	A	B	A	B		
Rated torque (Nm)	T <sub>kn</sub>		9	12	12.5	16	17	21	60	75	160	200
Adjustment range* (Nm)	Nm		1-6		1-12		3-19		5-60		20-150	
Overall length (mm)	A		34		45		64		82		90	
Diameter of the hub (mm)	B <sub>1</sub>		25		32		42		56		66.5	
Diameter of the hub (mm)	B <sub>2</sub>		28		32		46		59		75	
Fit length (mm)	C <sub>1</sub>		12		12		25		30		35	
Fit length (mm)	C <sub>2</sub>		11		20		22		31		35	
Inner diameter from Ø to Ø H7 (mm)	D <sub>1</sub>		6-15		6-18		8-25		12-32		19-38	
Inner diameter from Ø to Ø H7 (mm)	D <sub>2</sub>		6-10		6-12		8-19		12-28		19-32	
Inner diameter max. (elastomer) (mm)	D <sub>E</sub>		10.5		14.2		19.2		26.2		29.2	
Distance (mm)	G		5		6		9		11		12	
Distance (mm)	G <sub>2</sub>		3		3.5		3.5		4		4	
Screws DIN 916	I		depending on bore diameter see page 12									
Approx. weight (kg)			0.08		0.15		0.2		0.5		1	
Moment of inertia (10 <sup>-3</sup> kgm <sup>2</sup> )	J <sub>1</sub> /J <sub>2</sub>		0.01		0.02		0.08		0.15		0.5	
Actuation path (mm)	K		0.8		1		0.6		1.2		1.5	

\* Adjustment range preset by R+W / fixed disengagement torque.

Information about static and dynamic torsional stiffness as well as max. possible misalignment see page 5

### Installation instruction



### Ordering example

ESL / 10 / A / 14 / 12 / 10 / XX

Model  
Series  
Type elastomer insert  
Bore Ø D1 H7 with keyway  
Bore Ø D2 H7 with keyway  
Disengagement torque Nm  
Non standard e.g. stainless steel

All data is subject to change without notice.



# FACTORS AND SIZING CALCULATIONS

Temperature factor $S_u$	A	B	C
Temperature ( $v$ )	Sh 98 A	Sh 64 D	Sh 80 A
> -30° to -10°	1,5	1,7	1,4
> -10° to +30°	1,0	1,0	1,0
> +30° to +40°	1,2	1,1	1,3
> +40° to +60°	1,4	1,3	1,5
> +60° to +80°	1,7	1,5	1,8
> +80° to +100°	2,0	1,8	2,1
> +100° to +120°	-	2,4	-

Start factor $S_z$	A	B	C
$Z_h$	up to 120	120 - 240	above 240
$S_z$	1,0	1,3	on request

Shock and load factor $S_A$	
Uniform load	$S_A = 1,0$
Non-uniform load	$S_A = 1,8$
High dynamics, frequent reversing loads	$S_A = 2,5$

- $T_{KN}$  = Rated torque of the coupling (Nm)
- $T_{Kmax}$  = Max. torque of the coupling (Nm)
- $T_S$  = Existing peak torque of the coupling (Nm)
- $T_{AS}$  = Peak torque of the drive element (Nm)
- $T_{AN}$  = Rated torque of the drive element (Nm)
- $T_{LN}$  = Rated torque of the driven element (Nm)
- $P_{LN}$  = Power of the driven element (KW)
- $n$  = Speed (rpm)
- $J_A$  = Motor's moment of inertia (kgm<sup>2</sup>)
- $J_L$  = Machine's moment of inertia (kgm<sup>2</sup>) (Spindle + slide + workpiece)
- $J_1$  = Moment of inertia of a coupling half at the driving end (kgm<sup>2</sup>)
- $J_2$  = Moment of inertia of a coupling half at the driven end (kgm<sup>2</sup>)
- $m$  = Ratio of the moments of inertia driving to driven element
- $v$  = Temperature of the area around the coupling (observe radiant heat)
- $S_u$  = Temperature factor
- $S_A$  = Shock or load factor
- $S_z$  = Start factor (factor for the number of starts/hour)
- $Z_h$  = Cycle of starts (1/h)

## Sizing of a Servomax® Elastomer Coupling

### 1. Calculation example without shock or reversing loads

The rated torque of the coupling ( $T_{KN}$ ) needs to be higher than the rated torque of the driven element ( $T_{LN}$ ) times the temperature factor  $S_u$  at the coupling for the application. If  $T_{LN}$  is not known,  $T_{AN}$  can be used for the calculation instead.

Condition:

$$T_{KN} > T_{LN} \times S_u$$

Auxiliary calculation:

$$T_{LN} = \frac{9550 \times P_{LN}}{n}$$

**Calculation example:** (No loads and shocks)

Drive face: DC - motor

$$T_{AN} = 119 \text{ Nm}$$

Coupling conditons:

$$v = 70^\circ \text{C}$$

$$S_u = 1,7 \text{ (for } 70^\circ \text{ / Type A)}$$

Driven face: Pump

$$T_{LN} = 85 \text{ Nm}$$

Condition:

$$T_{KN} > T_{LN} \times S_u$$

$$T_{KN} > 85 \text{ Nm} \times 1,7$$

$$T_{KN} > \mathbf{144,5 \text{ Nm}}$$

**Result:**

A coupling type **EK 2/150/A** ( $T_{KN} = 160 \text{ Nm}$ ) is selected.

### 2. Calculation example with shock loads

In all cases the maximum rated torque ( $T_{Kmax}$ ) of the coupling can not be exceeded. First calculate the rated torque ( $T_{KN}$ ) of the coupling same as above. Compare this result to the peak torque ( $T_S$ ) times the start factor ( $S_z$ ) times the temperature factor ( $S_u$ ) for the application. The greater of the two values must be less than ( $T_{Kmax}$ ) of the coupling.

Condition:

$$T_{KN} > T_{LN} \times S_u$$

Auxiliary calculation:

$$T_{LN} = \frac{9550 \times P_{LN}}{n}$$

Condition:

$$T_{Kmax} > T_S \times S_z \times S_u$$

Auxiliary calculation:

$$T_S = \frac{T_{AS} \times S_A}{m + 1}$$

$$m = \frac{J_A + J_1}{J_L + J_2}$$



# MODEL ATEX

FOR USE IN HAZARDOUS AREAS AND EXPLOSIVE ATMOSPHERE



AT mosphere EX possible

**ATEX 95 is regulated by the new European directive. Generally the explosive atmosphere is classified in 3 different zones.**

**Zone 0:**

A place in which an explosive atmosphere consists out of a mixture of air and flammable substances in the form of gas, vapor or mist, and **is present frequently, continuously** or for **extended periods**.

**Zone 20:**

Is relevant for an explosive atmosphere in the form of clouds of combustible dust in air under the same conditions as above.

**Zone 1:**

Described as a place in which an explosive atmosphere consists of a mixture of air and flammable substances in the form of gas, vapor or mist, and is **likely to occur** in normal operation occasionally.

**Zone 21:**

Is relevant for an explosive atmosphere in the form of clouds of combustible dust in air under the same conditions as above.

**Zone 2:**

A place in which an explosive atmosphere consists out of mixture of air with flammable substances in the form of gas, vapor or mist, and is **not likely to occur** in normal operation but, if it does occur, it will persist **for a short period only**.

**Zone 22:**

Relevant for an explosive atmosphere in the form of a cloud of combustible dust in air under the same conditions as above.

**For the classified zones 1/21 and 2/22 the Servomax couplings EK-EEX do have an accreditation according to ATEX 95/a**

**Design of the Servomax EX:**

**Hubs:**

**Elastomer insert:**

**Mounting, Sizing:**

**Maintenance:**

**Mounting manuals:**

No dimensional change from the EK standard series, only the material of the inserts will change.

In general the standard material will be used.

A special elastomer insert (Type D/92 Sh A), which is able to conduct electricity is used. This prevents the possibility of electrostatic loads and sparks.

All misalignment values and the transmittable torques must be reduced by 30%. Technical datas on request.

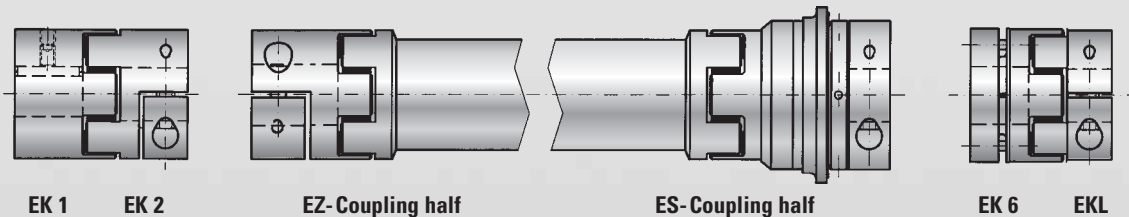
A routine inspection of the coupling must be performed.

Mounting and maintenance manuals are provided with every EEX coupling.

**R+W solutions with standard components**

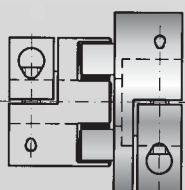
All standards hubs and elastomer inserts are interchangeable in the same sizes.

Example:



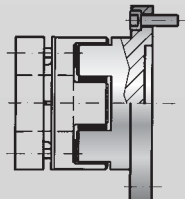
**R+W non standard solutions with special hubs**

**EK 2 Non standard hub**



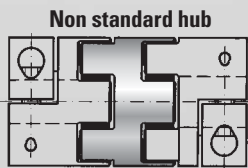
Non standard hubs for bigger bores

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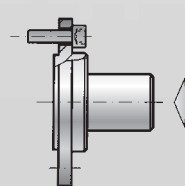
Non-standard hubs with flange

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Intermediate piece for higher lateral misalignment

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Adapter flange for planetary gearboxes acc. to ISO 9409

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