

EAD 16 vs. ETAG 013: technical modifications and lessons learned

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1) Scope

2) Testing program / Series of sizes

3) Test details

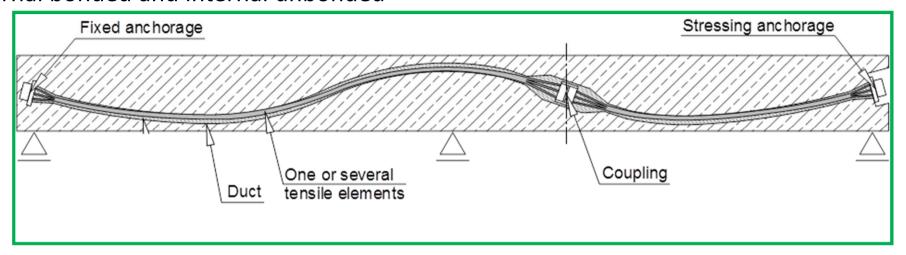
EAD DP 14-16-0004-03.01 (Draft: 12.11.2015)

ETAG 013 (Edition: 2002)

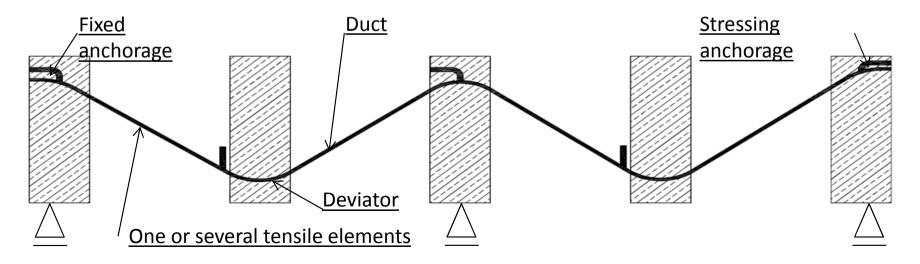


1) Scope - Content focus

Internal bonded and internal unbonded



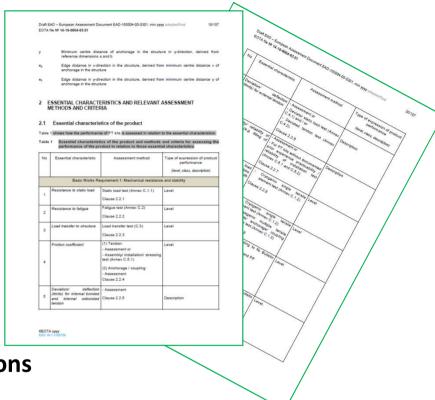
External unbonded





1) Scope - Testing focus

- Resistance to static load
- Resistance to fatigue
- Load transfer to structure
- Friction coefficient
- Deviation / Deflection
- Practicality / Reliability
- Resistance to static load under cryogenic conditions
- Material properties of plastic ducts (PL1, PL2 and PL3)
- Corrosion protection
- Monostrand, sheathing base material
- Monostrand manufactured sheathing
- Monostrand, manufactured monostrand





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2) Testing program - Series of sizes

Description of

- intended use of the construction product
- components and sizes

Description of assessment methods

Reduction of numbers of tests (testing sizes) by proof of series of sizes.



The testing program is the fundament of the assessment process and needs to be agreed with the TAB!



2) Definition of series of sizes

1.3.39 Definition of series of sizes

A specific model of an anchorage, coupling, duct, or tendon, etc. which typically is made in several sizes, using the

- same design concept
- same materials
- same corrosion protection system
- and similar geometrical shape

for all sizes form a series.

2.2 Definition of **testing sizes** (Small S, Medium M and Largest L): Stresses in the components of interpolated sizes shall be not larger than those of the components verified in the test.

Possible reduction of numbers of tests due to similarity of components!

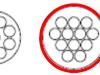








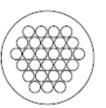


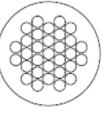


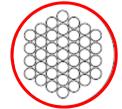






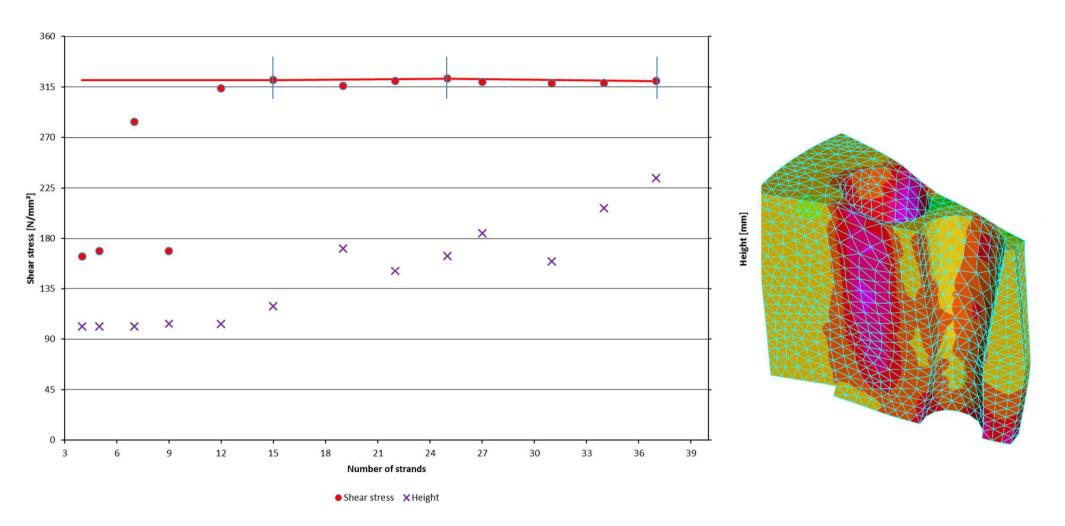








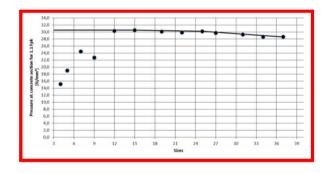
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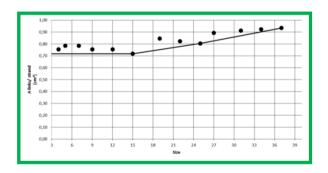


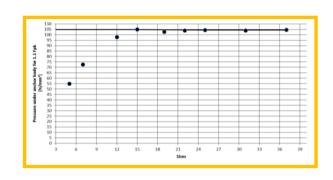
Simple geometrical models are often not sufficient to describe the resistance of the wedge plate due to complexity of loading and material properties!

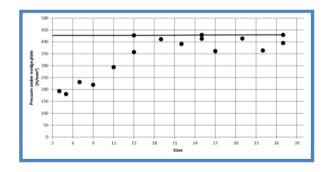


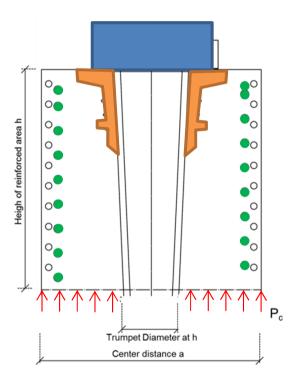
2) Examples of series of sizes - Anchor zone (resistance)









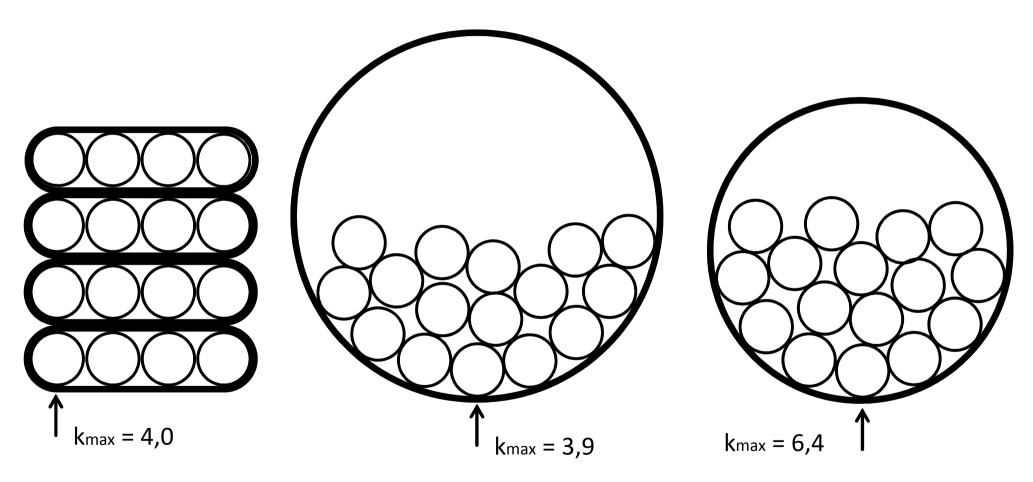


Interaction of all different components (concrete, reinforcement, cast iron trumpet) need to be considered to compare the resistance of the anchor zone!



2) Examples of series of sizes - Deviation (action)

16 strand cable - Is the load always the same?



In some cases the models describing the action need to be defined!



2) Conclusions on testing program - Series of sizes

- → No change of main principles of testing program
- → Mechanical models need to be applied for series of sizes
- → Resistance and action need to be defined properly
- → Simple geometrical models are often not sufficient for comparison of components



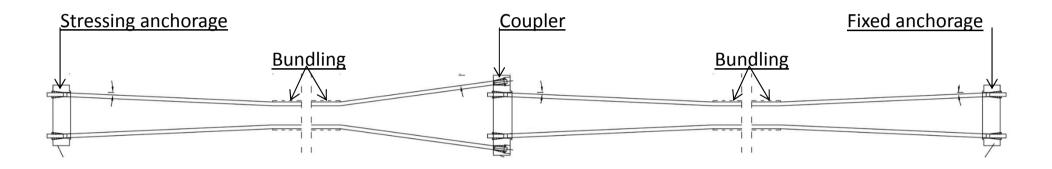
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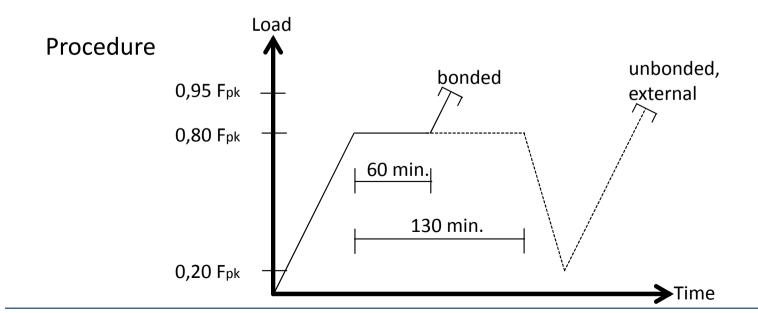
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3) Resistance to static load - General

Test assembly







3) Resistance to static load - Number of tests

Number of tests n = 5

Number of testing sizes N (S/M/L)

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- N = 3 (2)
- n = 5
- 2/1/2
- 2 / 0 / 3 (max. 5 sizes)

EAD $16 \rightarrow F_{pk} \le 10.500 \text{ kN}$

- N = 3 (2)
 n = 5
 2*/1/2 or 1/2*/2
 2*/0/3 or 0/2*/3 (max. 5 sizes)

^{*} Small/Medium size - higher stressed size needs to be tested (more)



3) Resistance to static load - Number of tests

Number of tests n = 4

Number of testing sizes N (S/M/L)

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EAD 16 \rightarrow One size $F_{pk} > 1.500 \text{ kN}$

- N = 2 n = 4 0/2*/2 or 2*/0/2

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3) Resistance to static load - Number of tests

Number of tests $n \ge 5$

Number of testing sizes N (S/M/L)

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EAD 16 \rightarrow F_{pk} > 10.500 kN

- N≥3
- n≥5

- 1* / 1* / (1*/...) 2

^{*} Small/Medium sizes - higher stressed size needs to be tested 2x



3) Resistance to static load - Evaluation of testing sizes

Number of testing sizes N = r2 - r1 + 1; $r1 \ge 2$;

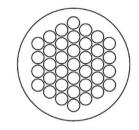
r2= 2 rings of holes r1 = 2 full rings of holes			≤ 7 tensile elements
r2 = 3 rings of holes r1 = 2 full rings of holes		r2 = 3 rings of holes r1 = 3 full rings of holes	≤ 19 tensile elements
r2 = 4 rings of holes r1 = 3 full rings of holes		r2 = 4 rings of holes r1 = 4 full rings of holes	≤ 37 tensile elements
r2 = 5 rings of holes r1 = 4 full rings of holes		r2 = 5 rings of holes r1 = 5 full rings of holes	≤ 61 tensile elements
r2 = 6 rings of holes r1 = 5 full rings of holes		r2 = 6 rings of holes r1 = 6 full rings of holes	≤ 91 tensile elements



3) Resistance to static load - Examples of number of testing sizes

6-4 to 6-37



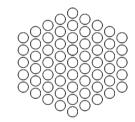


$$F_{pk} = 10.323 \text{ kN} < 10.500 \text{ kN}$$

$$\rightarrow$$
 N = 3

6-4 to 6-61





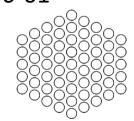
$$F_{pk} = 17.016 \text{ kN} > 10.500 \text{ kN}$$

$$\rightarrow$$
 N = 5 - max(1;2) + 1 = 4

$$r2 = 1$$

6-19 to 6-61





$$F_{pk} = 17.016 \text{ kN} > 10.500 \text{ kN}$$

$$\rightarrow$$
 N = 5 - 3 + 1 = 3

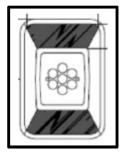
Load range between testing sizes increases!



3) Resistance to static load - Bedding in concrete

Anchor head that do not feature a flat contact surface to place in a steel plate may be tested embedded in concrete body.

- LTT – body



Steel tube



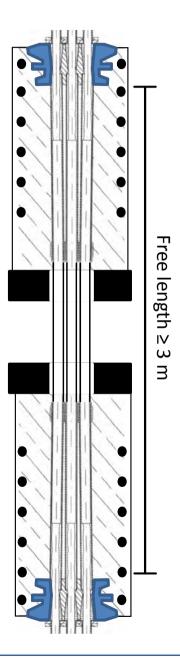
- Concrete strength **f**_{cm,e} ≤ **1,2** _{fcm,0}

Comparability of confinement has to be given!

Stiffness:

→ Shape: ring vs. box

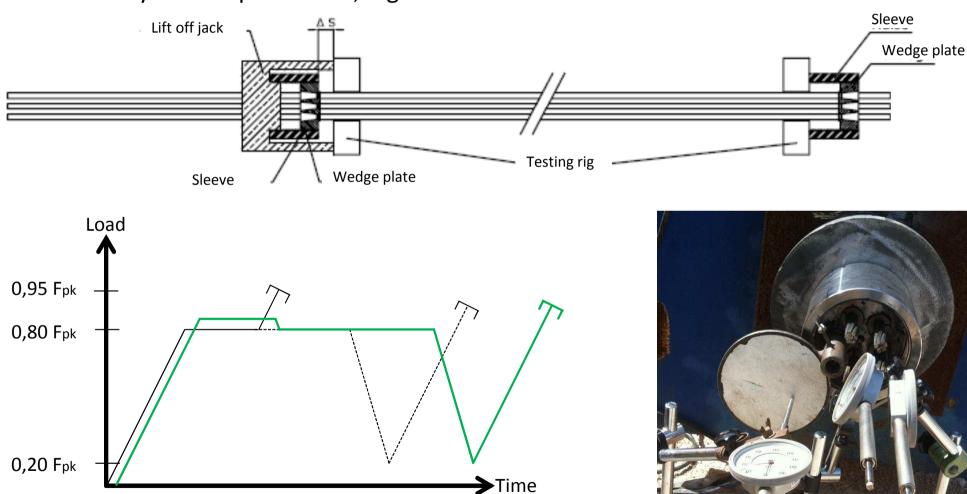
→ Cross section: ring vs. reinforcement (Cutting of rings?)





3) Resistance to static load - Topics not considered yet

Additional system requirements, e.g. Lift off tests



Additional testing requirements might be added to EAD16 regulations.



3) Resistance to static load - Topics not considered yet

Strain measurement of circumferential direction for wedge plates bedded in concrete

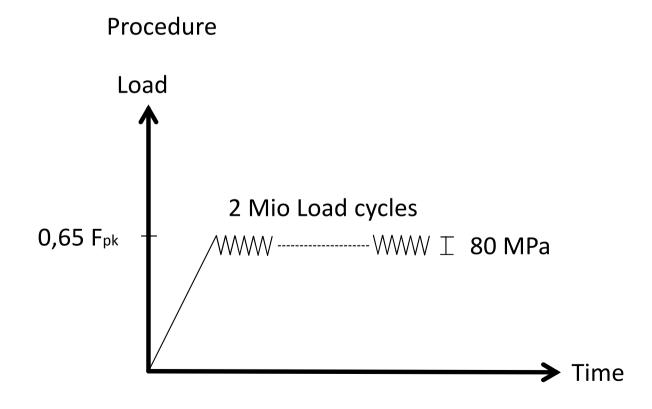


Position with most severe stresses need to be chosen!



3) Resistance to fatigue - General







3) Resistance to fatigue - Number of tests

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- 1/1/2 or 1/0/3 (max. 5 sizes)

EAD 16 → more precisely

- N = 3(2)
- -n=2
- 1/1/2
- 1/1/2 or 2*/0/2 or 0/2*/2 (max. 5 sizes)

One size $F_{pk} > 1.500 \text{ kN}$ (wires or strand)

- N = 2
- n = 4
- 0/2*/2 or 2*/0/2

^{*} Small/Medium size - higher stressed size needs to be tested (more)



3) Resistance to fatigue - Testing procedure

Testing frequency

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- ≤ 10 Hz

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- ≤ 30 Hz

Higher testing frequency is possible!



3) Resistance to fatigue - Test assembly

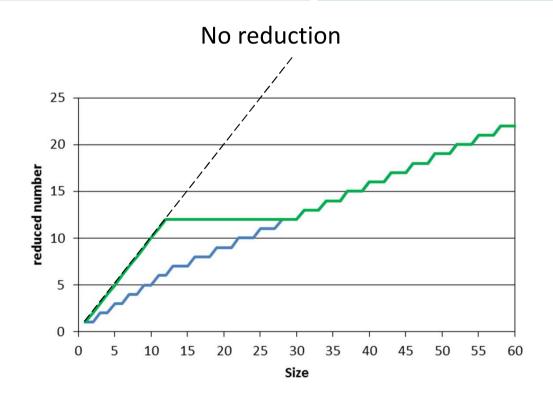
Reduced number of tensile elements

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- If $n \le 12$: $n' \ge n / 2$
- If $n \ge 12$: $n' \ge 6 + (n 12)/3$

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- If n ≤ 12: no reduction is allowed
- If $n \ge 12$: $n' \ge max(12; 6 + (n 12)/3)$





3) Resistance to fatigue - Test assembly

Reduced number of tensile elements - Examples

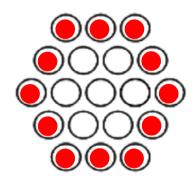
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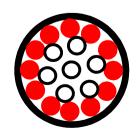
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Is test representative for wedge plate?



Is test representative for situation at bundling ring?



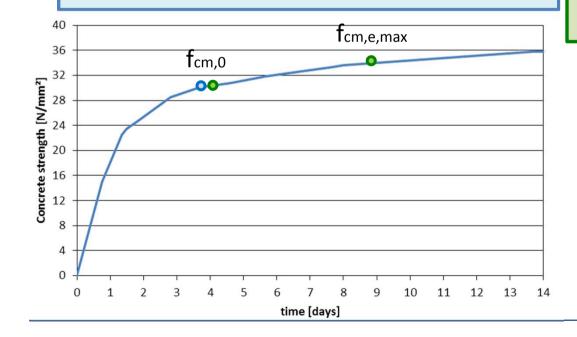


3) Resistance to fatigue - Bond anchorages

Concrete strength of bond anchorages

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- At the start of the fatigue test:
 - $f_{cm,e} \leq f_{cm,0}$



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- At the start of the fatigue test:
 - $f_{cm,e} \leq f_{cm,0}$
- At the end of the fatigue test:

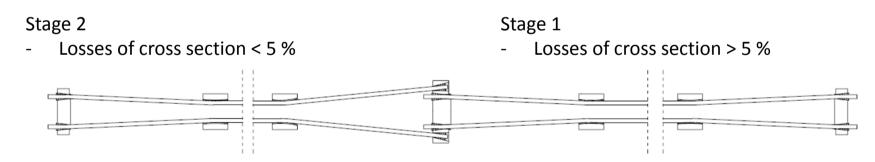
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$$f_{cm,e} \le min \begin{cases} f_{cm,e} \le f_{cm,0} + 10 \text{ MPa} \\ f_{cm,e} \le 1,2 * f_{cm,0} \end{cases}$$



3) Resistance fatigue - Topics not considered yet

Testing of two stages with coupler

- 2 tendons
- 4 anchorages
- = Double the number of potential strand failures (wedge tips, deflections)!
 - → too conservative!



Both stages

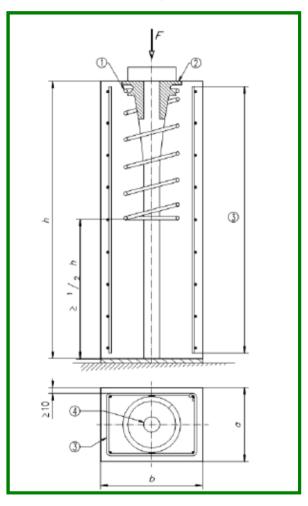
- Losses of cross section > 5 %

Could one see each stage as individual test?

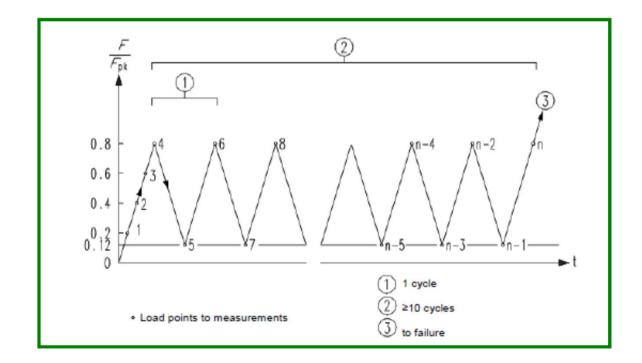


3) Load transfer to structure

Test assembly



Test procedure





Number of tests n = 4 (for lowest declared concrete strength $f_{cm0,min}$)

n = 4 (for the highest declared concrete strength f_{cm0,max})

 $\mathbf{n} = \mathbf{4}$ (for middle concrete strength if $f_{cm0,max} - f_{cm0,min} > 20$ MPa)

Number of testing sizes N (S, M, L)

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- N = 3 (2)
- n = 4
- 1/1/2
- 1 / 0 / 3 (maximum 5 sizes)

EAD $16 \rightarrow F_{pk} \leq 10.500 \text{ kN}$

- -N = 3(2)
- n = 4
- 1/1/2
- 2*/0/2 or 0/2*/2 (max. 5 sizes)

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EAD 16 \rightarrow One size $F_{pk} > 1.500 \text{ kN}$

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$$-n=4$$

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Number of testing sizes N (S, M, L)

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EAD 16 \rightarrow F_{pk} > 10.500 kN

- N ≥ 3
- n≥4

- 1/1/(1/...) 2



Number of tests n = 3 (for lowest declared concrete strength $f_{cm0,min}$)

n = 3 (for the highest declared concrete strength $f_{cm0,max}$)

n = 3 (for middle concrete strength if $f_{cm0,max} - f_{cm0,min} > 20$ MPa)

Number of testing sizes N (L)

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EAD 16 → Only one anchorage size

$$- N = 1$$

$$- n = 3$$



3) Load transfer to structure - Mechanical anchorages

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Mechanical anchorages

- Bursting reinforcement
- longitudinal bars ≤ 0,003 Ac
- uniformly distributed stirrups ≤ 50 kg/m³
- Fu \geq 1,1 Fpk (fcm,e / fcm,0)

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Mechanical anchorages

- Bursting reinforcement
- longitudinal bars ≤ 0,003 Ac
- uniformly distributed stirrups ≤ 50 kg/m³*
- Fu \geq 1,1 Fpk (fcm,e / fcm,0)

^{*} Combination with bursting reinforcement is possible









3) Load transfer to structure - Anchorages with brittle behavior

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Anchorages with brittle behavior

not defined

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Anchorages with brittle behavior*

- longitudinal bars ≤ 0,003 Ac
- uniformly distributed stirrups ≤ 50 kg/m³
- $F_u \ge 1.3 \, F_{pk} \, (f_{cm,e} / f_{cm,0})$

* 50 kg/m³ reinforcement is mandatory for structure!

No regulations regarding distribution of 50kg/m³ in the structure! Is it confining?

Unreinforced structure is not covered!



3) Load transfer to structure - Concrete strength

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Concrete strength

- $f_{cm,e} \leq f_{cm,0}$

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Concrete compressive strength

- $f_{cm,e} \le f_{cm,0} + 3 \text{ MPa}$



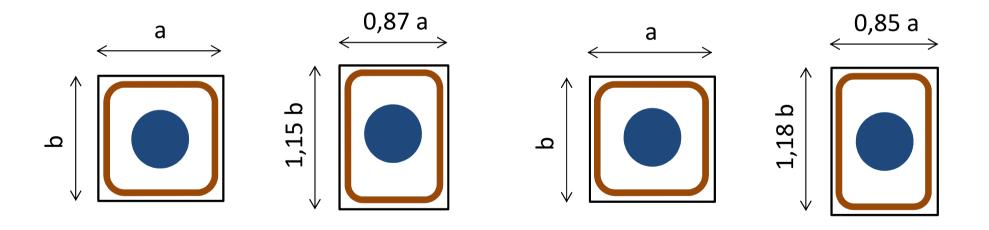
3) Load transfer to structure - Test specimen

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- $A_c = x * y = a * b$
- $x \ge 0.85 a$
- $y \le 1,15 b$

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- $A_c = x * y \ge a * b$ $x \ge 0.85 a$ $y \ge 0.85 b$



Is the mechanical behavior comparable (\rightarrow confinement, Capacity < 110%)?



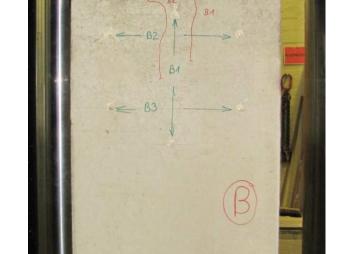
3) Load transfer to structure - Crack width

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 Stabilization criterion for crack width shall, however only apply for cracks widths larger than 0,1 mm



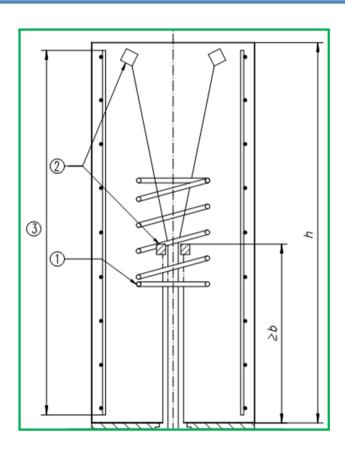
Cracks < 0,1 mm should be measured although because they can grow > 0,1 mm.



3) Load transfer to structure - Bond anchorage

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- Bond anchorages
 - $F_u \ge 1.1 F_{pk} (f_{cm,e} / f_{cm,0})$
 - $f_{cm,e} \le 80 \% f_{cm,0}$



EAD 16 → more precisely

- Bond anchorages
 - $F_u \ge 1,1 F_{pk} (f_{cm,e} / f_{cm,0})$
 - $f_{cm,e} \le 80 \% f_{cm,0}$

Second test if ultimate load force but no stabilization was reached

- Maximum load level 80 % Fpk
- Concrete strength f_{cm,e} ≤ f_{cm,0}
- No need to test to failure

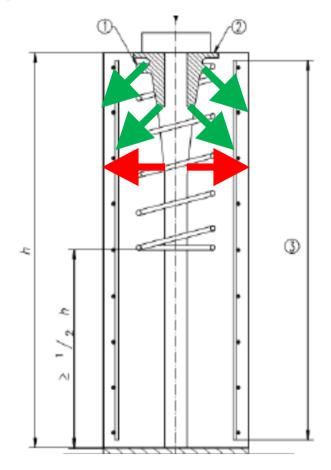
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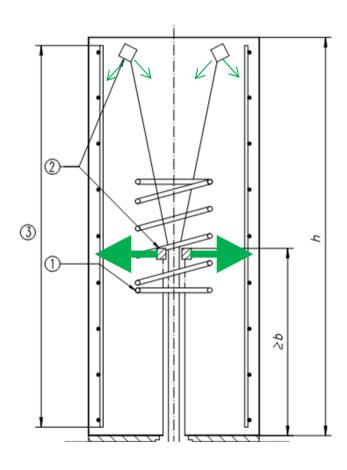
- The test specimen may have a larger cross section to compensate the lower concrete strength $f_{cm,e} \le 80 \% f_{cm,0}$



3) Load transfer to structures - Topics not considered yet

Bursting stresses at strand deviation

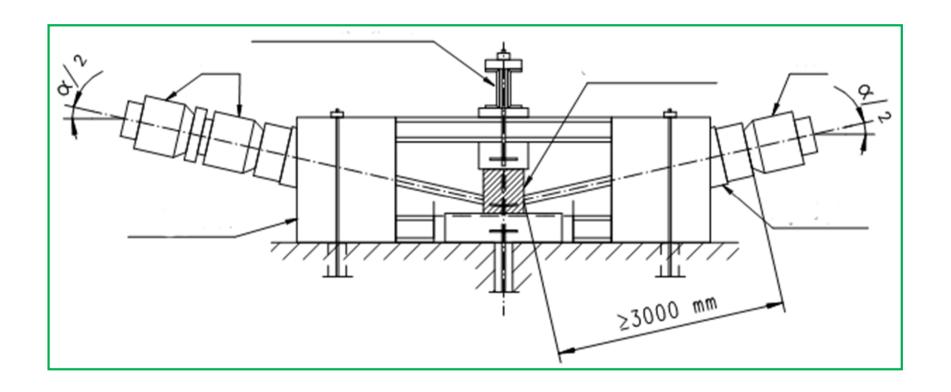




Bursting stresses at strand bundling are not covered by loading from the top without tendon!



3) Deviation and deflection limits





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3) Deviation and deflection limits - General

	Limiting Factors	Fretting	Bending	Wear	Torsion
Bonded	Steel duct	X	X	-	-
	PE-duct	X	X	X	X
Unbonded	Steel duct	_*	X	-	-
	PE-duct	_*	Х	Х	X

Fretting: fatigue of prestressed steel in contact with steel under transverse load

Bending: limited strain of external fibres when bent

Wear: imprint of steel in soft plastic duct

Torsion: Rupture of strands under service load by additional torsion near anchorage

(only for plastic duct, only for strands, only at stressing anchorage, only for

relative movement between strand and duct)

^{*} Cyclic range of stresses is negligible



3) Deviation and deflection limits - Fretting

	Limiting Factors	Fretting	Bending	Wear	Torsion
Bonded	Steel duct	X	X	-	1
	PE-duct	X	X	Х	X
Unbonded	Steel duct	_*	X	-	-
	PE-duct	_*	Х	Х	Х

- National regulations
- EAD Formula
- Tests (Beam fatigue tests)

$$R_{min} = \frac{2.F_{pm0}.d_{strand}}{p_{R,max}.d_{duct,i}} \ge 2.5 \ m$$

 $p_{R,max} = 130, 150 \text{ or } 200 \text{ kN/m}$



3) Deviation and deflection limits - Bending

	Limiting Factors	Fretting	Bending	Wear	Torsion
Bonded	Steel duct	X	X	-	-
	PE-duct	X	X	X	X
Unbonded	Steel duct	_*	X	-	-
	PE-duct	_*	X	X	X

- National regulations
- Proposed values
- Tests (Deviator static load test)

UnitsTendons with strands	Minimum radius of curvature at deviator
19 φ 13 mm or 12 φ 15 mm	2,5 m
31 φ 13 mm or 19 φ 15 mm	3,0 m
55 φ 13 mm or 37 φ 15 mm	4,0 m
61 φ 15 mm	5,5 m



3) Deviation and deflection limits - Wear

	Limiting Factors	Fretting	Bending	Wear	Torsion
Bonded	Steel duct	X	X	-	-
	PE-duct	X	X	X	X
Unbonded	Steel duct	_*	X	-	-
	PE-duct	_*	X	X	X

- Wear resistance according to fib Bulletin 75 (bonded)
- Deviated tendon test (unbonded)



3) Deviation and deflection limits - Torsion of strands

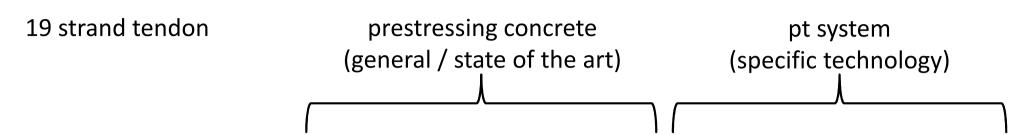
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	PE-duct	X	X	X	X
Unbonded	Steel duct	_*	X	1	-
	PE-duct	_*	X	X	X

- Not covered by ETAG 013 or EAD 16 → safety risk
- Deviated static load test with deviation near anchorage
- Minimum 3 m straight length





3) Deviation and deflection limits - Examples



	Limiting Factors	Fretting	Bending	Wear	Torsion
Bonded	Steel duct	8,7	3,0	1	-
	PE-duct	7,8	3,0	5,5	7,0
Unbonded	Steel duct	-	3,0	1	-
	PE-duct	1	3,0	4,0	7,0
		Formula	Table	Test	(Test)

choose maximum as R_{\min}

Applies only for stressing anchorage



3) Deviation and deflection limits - Deviated tendon test

Residual wall thickness

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- Residual wall thickness of duct wall or sheathing
 - ≥ 50 % of initial wall thickness
 - ≥ 0,8 mm
- Residual sheathing of monostrand after restressing
 - ≥ 50 % of initial wall thickness
 - ≥ 1,0 mm
- Residual wall thickness of duct after restressing
 - ≥ 75 % of initial wall thickness
 - ≥ 2,0 mm

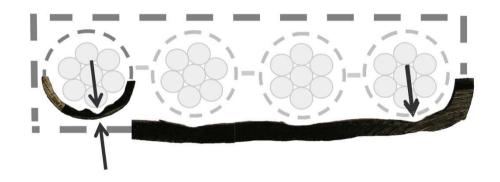
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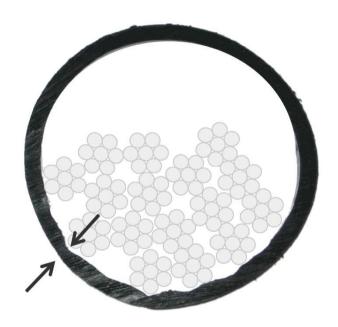
- Residual wall thickness of duct wall or sheathing
 - ≥ 50 % of initial wall thickness
 - ≥ 0,8 mm
- Residual sheathing of monostrand after restressing → not included



3) Deviated tendon test - Topics not considered yet

Measurement of duct initial wall thickness





Production process of duct has to be considered choosing a proper position for initial wall thickness!



3) Resistance to static load under cryogenic conditions



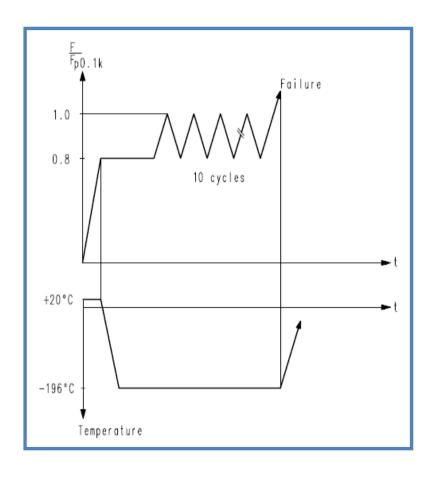


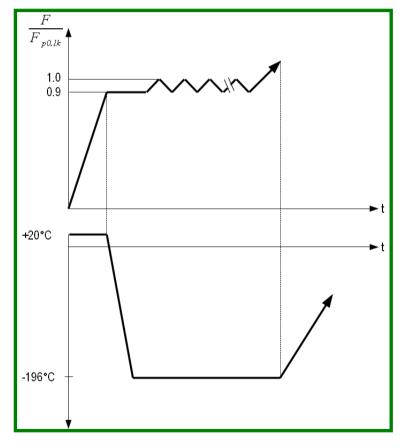


3) Resistance to static load under cryogenic conditions - Test procedure

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3) Resistance to static load under cryogenic conditions - Numbers of tests

Anchorages outside the possible cryogenic zone

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3 single strand tests under cryogenic conditions



3) Resistance to static load under cryogenic conditions - Numbers of tests

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- Single strand tests
- Number of tests: 3

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- Bundle test
- Number of tests: 1
- Testing size: largest tendon size as permitted by available testing facilities shall be tested

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- Bundle test
- Number of tests: 1*
- Testing size: medium size with at least 60
 % F_{pk} of the specified characteristic strength of the largest size of the series

^{*} With either one or both end anchorages subjected to cryogenic conditions. This depends on application.



3) Resistance to static load under cryogenic conditions - Acceptance criteria

No anchorage or only one anchorage under cryogenic conditions

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- F_{max} ≥ 0,95 * F_{pm} (at room temperature)
- F_{max} ≥ 0,95 * F_{pk} (at room temperature)
- Total elongation ϵ_{Tu} at maximum load shall be declared
- Loading to failure

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- F_{max} ≥ 0,95 * F_{pm} (at room temperature)
- F_{max} ≥ 0,95 * F_{pk} (at room temperature)
- Total elongation ε_{Tu} ≥ 2 % at maximum load
- Test may be stopped once 2 % elongation has been reached



3) Resistance to static load under cryogenic conditions - Acceptance criteria

Both anchorages under cryogenic conditions

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- F_{max} ≥ 0,95 * F_{pm} (at room temperature)
- F_{max} ≥ 0,95 * F_{pk} (at room temperature)
- Total elongation ϵ_{Tu} at maximum load shall be declared
- Loading to failure

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- $F_{max} \ge F_{p0,1,cryo}$
- Test may be terminated when Fp0,1,cryo is attained



3) Resistance to static load under cryogenic conditions - Topics not considered yet

Measurement of temperature under cryogenic conditions / stabilization of temperature



Proper stabilization criteria (e.g. waiting for a specific time, etc.) for temperature of tendon is not given!



3) Others (not mentioned)

Friction Coefficient

- EAD 16: Chapter 2.2.4

Practicability / Reliability

- EAD 16: Chapter 2.2.7

Plastic ducts

- EAD 16: Chapter 2.2.10 2.2.12
- fib recommendation Bulletin 75

Corrosion protection

- EAD 16: Chapter 2.2.13

Monostrand

- EAD 16: Chapter 2.2.14 – 2.2.34

Special filling material

- EAD DP 15-16-0027-0301



3) Conclusions

- → No major changes of main principles of testing
- → Number of tests similar, but determined more precisely
- → Acceptance criteria of tests similar, but determined more precisely
- → Some characteristics need to be described more precisely, e.g. deviation

No revolution → evolution

Improvement with minor deficiencies



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