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# Our company

**TRM develops, manufactures and markets high-quality systems for the transport of water and for deep foundation of structures – made of ductile iron.**

We see ourselves as a Tyrolean manufacturer with a long-standing tradition specializing in pipe and pile systems made of ductile iron for the water industry and for deep foundation engineering.

We operate worldwide and have our core market in Europe. Since 1947, we have focused our activities on quality, safety, mutual trust and respect.

We see ourselves as a reliable and competent partner in a wide range of applications within our industry; a view that is shared by our partners.

Our products are high-performance, sustainable and robust. They stand out particularly due to their ecological and economical benefits. The features of ductile iron and our expertise in all fields of applications enable us to overcome even extreme challenges.

The sustainable properties of ductile iron combined with innovative technologies and professional expertise in all fields of application make us a leading partner in the water industry and deep foundation.

Due to our high competence, willingness and reliability, we are a powerful and long-term system partner.



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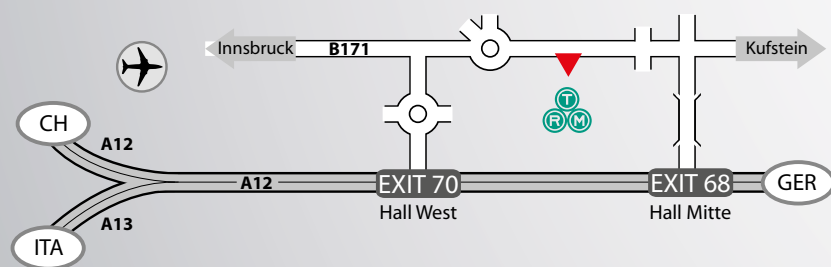
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### Products:

Pipes according to EN 545 and EN 598 of nominal sizes from  
DN 80 to DN 1.000 and piles





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# 1 – ADVANTAGES OF DUCTILE IRON PIPE SYSTEMS





## Production

Only the highest quality raw materials are used for making TRM ductile iron piping. Scrap iron and steel are used exclusively to produce the pig iron. Ductile iron piping is particularly sustainable, economically efficient and environmentally friendly as it is made using recycled material, has an extremely long service life and is almost fully recyclable.

The used scrap metal is smelted together with coke and other aggregates in a cupola and then treated with magnesium. The chemical composition and the mechanical properties of the pig iron and the treated iron are checked at specific, frequent intervals.

After treatment with magnesium, the ductile iron is cast into “cast iron pipe blanks” in various centrifugal casting machines using the “De Lavaud” process. To form the internal contours of the sockets, a sand core is used in the centrifugal casting mold, which varies depending on the type of connection. The pipes are then annealed at around 960 °C, which finally gives them their ductile properties. When the annealed pipes are tested, it must be ensured that the characteristics of the material comply with EN 545 (for drinking water pipes) and EN 598 (for sewage pipes).

The cleaning and test area is connected to the annealing furnace. This is where the pipes get their zinc or zinc and aluminum coating, are examined in meticulous detail and are individually checked for any leaks by means of a pressure test. Material samples are taken at regular intervals and checked to make sure that they comply with the specified parameters. The process continues with weld bead being applied to pipes with a VRS®-T connection.

### Cement mortar lining

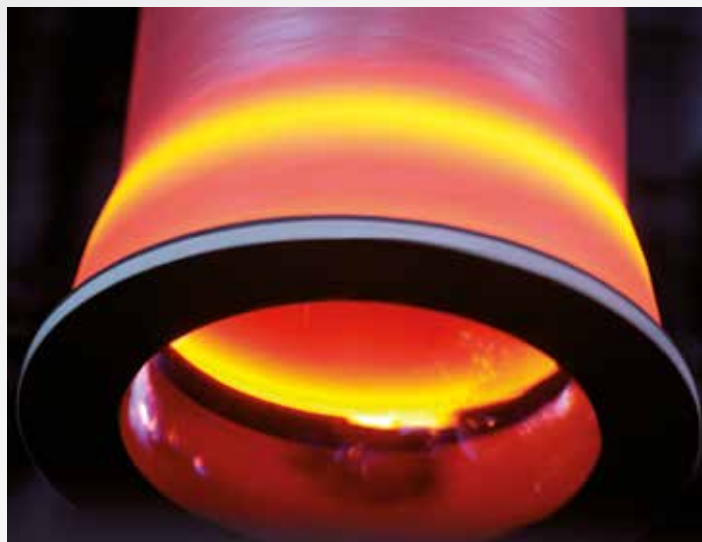
A cement mortar lining is added to every pipe. This is carried out in accordance with ÖNORM B 2562. The lining is subject to rigorous quality controls – as well as checking the source materials and the fresh mortar, the stipulated thickness must be observed, depending on the nominal width.

### Outer coating

The standard external coating consists of a PUR coating, or a finishing layer of epoxy. Alternatively, however, a cement mortar coating (ZMU) can be applied to the zinc-coated pipe. Pipes with this ZMU coating can subsequently be used in soils with grain sizes of up to 100 mm or in soils of any level of corrosiveness, or can be used for trenchless installation. A further benefit of the ZMU is that it extends the expected technical service life to up to 140 years.

In the final part of the production process, markings are applied, caps are fitted to drinking water pipes, the pipes are bundled, and a final quality control is carried out. The parallel, curved grooves some 3 mm deep in the front of the socket further identify the material as “ductile iron”.

Manufacturing a high quality product and achieving customer satisfaction are TRM’s main corporate goals. We operate a quality management system which is certified according to EN ISO 9001. The products and production processes are monitored by the inspection, monitoring and certification body in Vienna (MA 39).



### Certificates

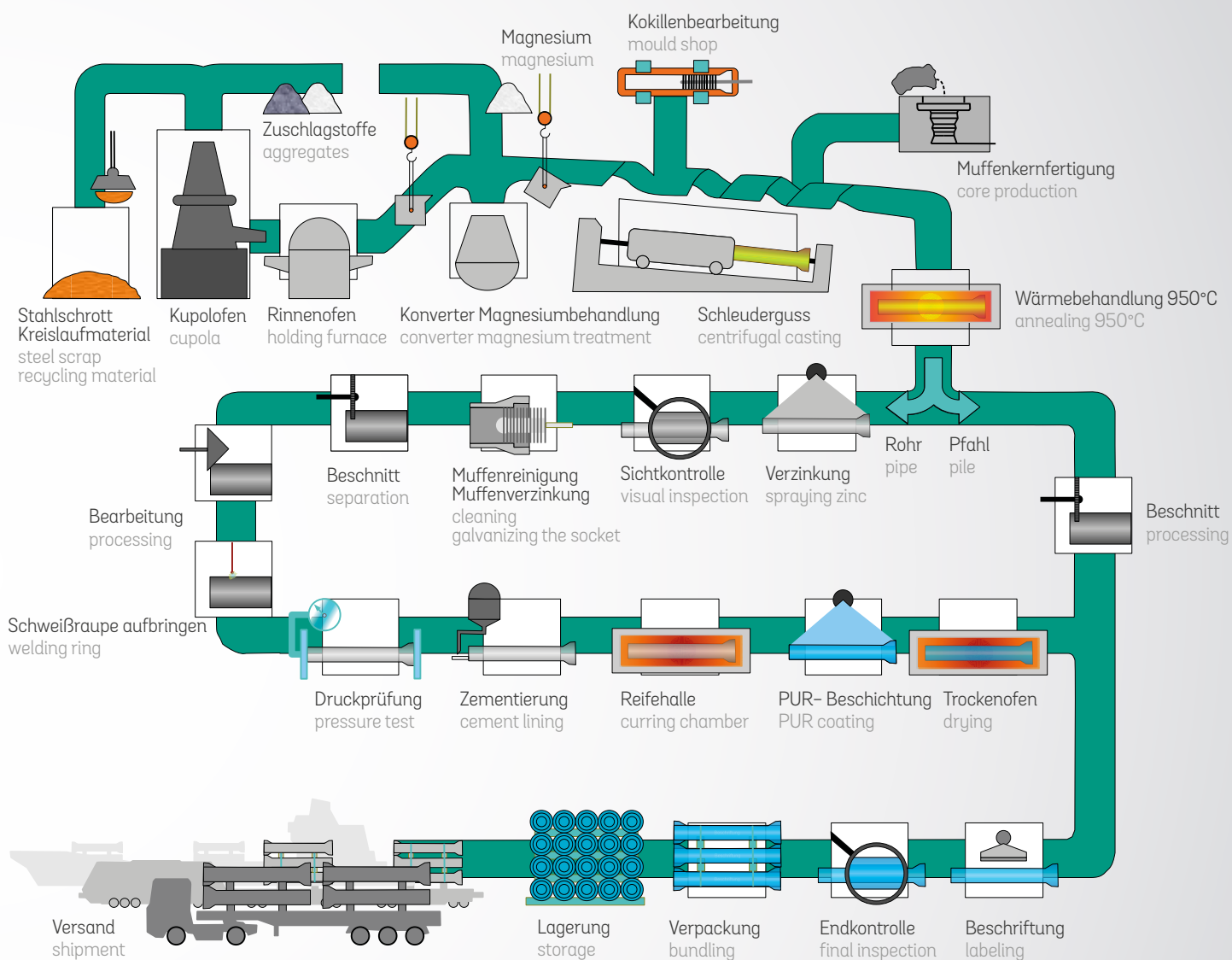
Naturally, all TRM products are certified for the supply of drinking water by the Austrian Association for Gas and Water (ÖVGW). All the materials used by us in the manufacturing process that will subsequently come into contact with drinking water, such as the antiseize agents, gaskets and cement mortar, have been tested in accordance with the relevant guidelines or have been approved under ÖNORM B5014 part 1, or KTW UBA. The possibility of the quality of drinking water being adversely affected can therefore be ruled out. Our ductile iron pipes with VRS®-T plug-in socket connections, in nominal sizes DN 80 to DN 500, also have FM approval, which means that these pipes can be used for fire extinguishing systems.

Our fittings are coated internally and externally with an epoxy finishing layer according to EN 14 901. This coating also meets the stringent requirements laid down by the Quality Association for Heavy Duty Corrosion Protection (Gütegemeinschaft Schwerer Korrosionsschutz, GSK). This means that our fittings that are certified according to EN 545 can be installed in soils of any corrosivity. A selection of the most important certificates is available for download at [www.trm.at](http://www.trm.at).

### Texts for use in invitations to tender

Texts for use in invitations to tender conforming to the current EN 545 for pipes and fittings are available to download at [www.trm.at](http://www.trm.at) in a variety of formats (Word, PDF and GAEB).







## Materials

The first known ductile iron pipes were used in 1455 to supply water to the castle of Dillenburg and they remained in operation for more than 300 years. Over the course of the following centuries, the development of ductile iron as a material continued in line with the increasing demands being placed upon it. Since the 1960s, pipes have no longer been made of the previously traditional grey ductile iron (GG), but have instead been constructed from ductile iron (GJS, formerly GGG). The word “ductile” comes from the Latin verb ducere (= to lead or reshape) and means able to be stretched or shaped into a new form. This highlights one of the key properties of ductile cast iron piping: its ability to be deformed under load and thus withstand very high stresses caused by traffic or internal pressure, for example.

Ductile iron is a tough iron-carbon material in which the carbon content exists predominantly as graphite in a free form. The main difference between grey ductile iron and ductile iron is the shape of the graphite particles. Treatment of the molten iron with magnesium causes the carbon to crystallize in a largely spheroidal form as solidification takes place. This results in a considerable increase in strength and malleability compared with grey ductile iron. The so-called spheroids of graphite have only a minor effect on the properties of the microstructure of the metal. In the formerly used grey ductile iron, the graphite lamellae decreased the relatively high strength of the microstructure because of its notch effect.

Whereas in ductile iron with lamellar graphite the stress lines become highly concentrated at the tips of the graphite lamellae, in ductile iron they flow round the graphite which has separated out in spheroidal form almost undisrupted. This is why ductile iron is able to deform under load. In static terms, ductile iron pipes and fittings are considered to be flexible pipes.

### Characteristics of the material

In accordance with EN 545, tensile strength and elongation after rupture can be tested on test bars.

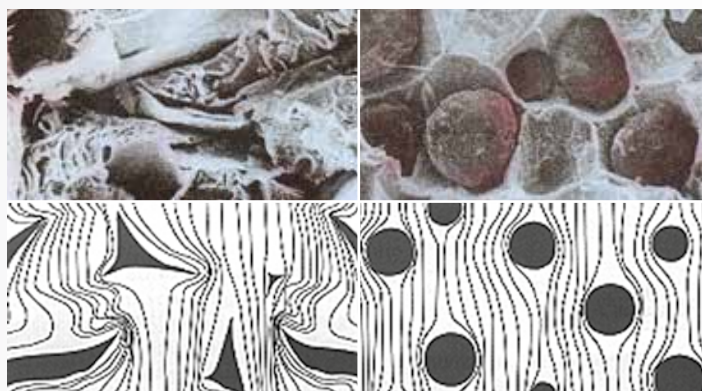
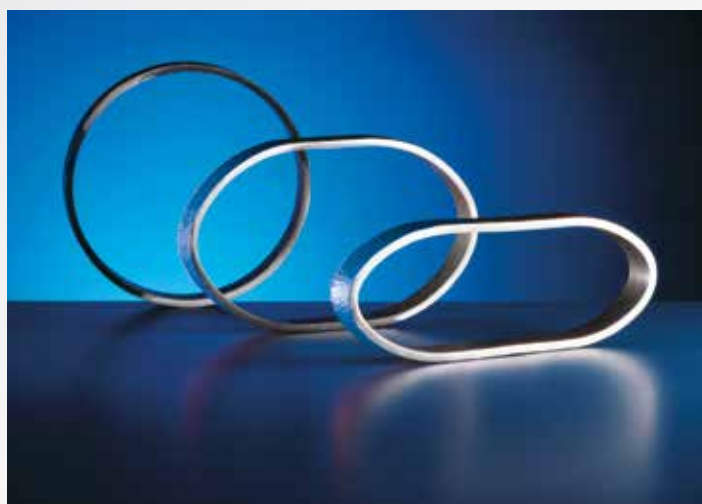
The table below provides an overview of the characteristics of ductile iron:

Characteristic values	Units	Value
Tensile strength	N/mm <sup>2</sup>	420
0.2 % proof stress	N/mm <sup>2</sup>	300
Elongation after rupture	%	≥ 10
Compressive strength	N/mm <sup>2</sup>	900
Modulus of elasticity	N/mm <sup>2</sup>	170.000
Bursting strength	N/mm <sup>2</sup>	300
Compressive strength at crown	N/mm <sup>2</sup>	550
Longitudinal bending stiffness	N/mm <sup>2</sup>	420
Oscillation bandwidth	N/mm <sup>2</sup>	135
Mean coefficient of thermal expansion	m/mK	10 x 10 <sup>-6</sup>
Thermal conductivity	W/cmK	0,42
Specific heat	J/gK	0,55

The mechanical properties of a metallic material like ductile iron are maintained for the whole of its service life. That is why ductile cast iron pipes are still able to withstand loads and remain safe even after decades of use.

### Made in Austria

The expertise for our ductile iron pipe systems comes from Hall in Tyrol. The majority of our products are also manufactured at our production site in Hall. This ensures consistently high quality and short distances and times for delivery, while also safeguarding jobs in Austria.



Path followed by the stress lines in with spheroidal graphite (right) ductile iron with lamellar graphite (left)

### Bound by tradition

We have been producing ductile iron piping since 1947. Over the years and the decades, the production processes, the types of internal and external protection for the pipes, and the connection systems have been developed and refined to an ever higher standard. Today we can look back on our many years of experience and invest our knowledge in the ongoing development of products for the benefit of our customers.

### Service

Our company headquarters are located in the heart of Europe, which not only enables us to keep the distances for transport short, but also ensures that our applications engineers and field sales staff can be at your service promptly to provide advice and assistance throughout the sales area. We have an experienced team of technicians, engineers and salesmen ready to support you with help and advice.

### Hygiene

One of the primary tasks of our civilization is always to get water reliably to its destination. For generations, our ductile iron pipes have set the standard for quality in water supply. Water is the most important natural resource on our planet and for this reason it has to be protected against contamination and the effects of chemicals while it is being transported through pipelines.

Our ductile iron pipes are provided as standard with a cement mortar lining. Pipelines almost 100 years old lined with cement mortar have shown that as a mineral lining cement mortar is superior for working life and effectiveness to all the other materials which have been used to date. The cement mortar lining has both an active and a passive protective action. The active action is based on an electrochemical process. Water penetrates into the pores of the cement mortar



and dissolves free lime and this raises its pH to a level of more than 12. With a pH of this level, it is impossible for ductile iron to corrode. The passive action results from the physical separation which exists between the pipe's ductile iron wall and the water.

The cement mortar lining consists of a mixture of sand, cement and water which is introduced into the pipe as the latter rotates and which is then flung against the internal surface of the pipe by centrifugal force. The centrifuging process powerfully drives out the water mechanically and compacts the cement mortar (water/cement ratio > 0.35:1). What this gives is firstly high strength for the cured cement and secondly extremely high resistance to any possible corrosive attack by water as a medium. For drinking water supply, the cement used is principally blast furnace cement or Portland cement. High-alumina cement is used for sewage disposal.

#### Diffusion seal

Ductile iron pipes are sealed – and in more than one way. As an inorganic material, the ductile iron of the pipe wall is impervious to diffusion. This means that nothing can penetrate through the pipe wall from the inside outwards or vice versa. For the ductile iron piping, this means that no pollutants can find their way into the drinking water, which is important, especially when pipes are laid in contaminated soils.

#### Resistant to root penetration

The connection is proven to prevent plant roots from penetrating the ductile iron pipe, which is a frequent problem with other types of connections, over several decades.

#### One pipe – many possibilities

Our ductile iron pipes have a variety of uses.

#### Typical areas of application of the VRS®-T system include:

- Supply of drinking water
- Disposal of sewage
- Snow-making systems
- Turbine pipelines
- Fire-extinguishing pipelines (FM and German Federal Railways approved)
- Replacement of concrete thrust blocks during conventional laying techniques
- Bridge pipelines/above-ground pipelines
- Temporary pipelines (for a temporary water supply)
- Trenchless installation techniques (HDD, burst lining, press-pull technique, pipe relining, floating-in etc.)
- Laying on steep slopes
- Use in regions at risk of earthquakes or settlement
- Water crossings/culvert pipelines
- Building installations

#### Complete system engineering

In addition to our pipes, we have an extensive range of fittings for use with VRS®-T connections and TYTON® connections. Almost all the fittings available are listed in this catalog and others are available on request. All our fittings are produced specifically for us by prestigious German foundries.

#### Over mountains and through valleys – pipeline stability

Thanks to their long overall length of 5 to 6 m, ductile iron pipes are largely unaffected by changes in position caused by settlement or by an uneven supporting layer. Because of their high longitudinal bending stiffness, pipes are able to bridge faults in the supporting layer without being overloaded and suffering damage as a result.

Furthermore, depending on the nominal width and the type of connection, our plug-in socket connections can be bent to angles of up to 5°. For a 6-meter-long pipe, for example, this is equal to a deflection of about 50 cm from the axis of the socket of the previous pipe or fitting. This means that even extensive settlement cannot impair the impermeability of the system and no unwanted restraints are passed on from one pipe to the next.

In the event of settlements, landslides or earthquakes and, therefore, changes in the length of the pipeline, the VRS®-T connection also safeguards pipes and fittings against longitudinal forces and stops them from being pulled apart.

#### Not to be underestimated – structural safety/laying on cradles carried on piles

Ductile iron pipes are equal to almost any load. For example, given the right nominal size, wall thickness and conditions of installation, our pipes can be laid with only 30 cm of cover and withstand a traffic load conforming to the SLW 60 load model (heavy goods vehicle applying a total load of 600 kN). This is achieved thanks to the high diametrical stiffness and longitudinal bending stiffness.

It is also possible to vary the wall thickness in cases where there are elevated stress levels due to traffic, top cover, internal pressure, etc. In static terms, ductile iron pipes can be considered a flexible system. Evidence of their serviceability can be obtained from the allowable deformation or stresses and from the checks made on fatigue strength. Our application engineering unit therefore offer verifiable pipe stress analyses. Nor are there usually any stress-related problems with laying pipelines on cradles carried on piles. Because of the high loadbearing capacity of the pipes, in many cases only one cradle per pipe is required.

#### Safety margins

When it is a question of supplying our most precious commodity, drinking water, safety should be a primary concern. All of our pipes, without exception, are therefore tested for leaktightness at our production site. Ductile iron pipes have triple protection against internal pressure.

#### Sustainability

Ductile iron pipes have been laid for more than 550 years for the purpose of transporting liquids. Even back in the early days, the potential of this material was recognized. Outstanding standards of performance have been achieved thanks to the constant ongoing development of the production processes, the material itself and the joining techniques used.

The long life of the ductile iron pipes takes the strain off future renovation budgets, and the very low damage rates also help to cut operating and maintenance costs. Experience from the past six centuries bears witness to the extremely long technical service life offered by ductile iron pipe systems.

#### Economical

To assess the economic efficiency of pipeline systems, more than just the price of the pipe material has to be taken into account. The costs of installation, the damage rate and the technical service life must also be considered.

Ductile iron pipes are well known for the quick and easy way in which they can be laid and for how forgiving they are of mistakes in the laying. Our VRS®-T and TYTON® connecting systems can be assembled extremely quickly without the need for any expensive special tools. Most only require a square timber crowbar or an excavator, and costly and periodic training or certification is not necessary. The following formula is a simple way of estimating the average annual cost of a pipeline in euros per meter.



$$\emptyset K = I * (1/n + p/200)$$

$\emptyset K$  = average annual cost of the pipeline in EUR/m  
 $I$  = investment costs (cost of production) in EUR/m  
 $n$  = technical service life in years  
 $p$  = interest in %

Using this formula, it is very easy to see that the average annual cost of a pipeline depends principally on its technical service life. Consequently, high production costs due to the use of high grade materials for the pipeline are therefore perfectly economical when viewed across the entire lifetime. And this is true even before allowing for the advantages offered by ductile iron pipes in terms of operating and damage-related costs.

### Environmentally friendly

TRM ductile iron pipes are a model of environmental performance. This is primarily due to four factors:

1. We use only scrap steel and iron – i.e. recycled material – to produce the molten pig iron. This not only saves valuable iron ore resources but also saves energy. Unlike crude oil, there is still an infinite supply of scrap metal.
2. Because ductile iron pipes consist essentially of iron and cement mortar, they are almost fully recyclable.
3. The main waste products generated in our production, such as slag and sand, are used and recycled in cement works and in road building.
4. Ductile iron pipe systems have an extremely long technical service life of up to 140 years. Calculated over their life span, this minimizes the CO<sub>2</sub> and other emissions released during production.

### Quality

Manufacturing a high quality product and achieving customer satisfaction are TRM's main corporate goals. We operate a quality management system which is certified according to EN ISO 9001. The products and production processes are regularly monitored by external material testing institutions. This ensures that our products are made to a consistently high quality and creates and safeguards jobs.



### Ductile iron pipe systems are technically superior

- Corrosion resistant thanks to the inner and outer coating
- Secure external protection for all soil types and installation methods
- Linings that are resistant to aggressive media
- High static load-bearing capacity
- Break-proof
- High safety margins (with regard to pressure fluctuations, static overload and external influences)
- Patented restrained connections
- Deflection angle of up to 5°
- Suitable for trenchless installation
- Impermeable even when exposed to high internal pressures, negative pressure and high groundwater levels
- Pipe material with a diffusion seal
- Resistant to root penetration
- Constant material properties (long-term durability)

### Ductile iron pipe systems are economically superior

- Faster and easier, cost-effective assembly
- Narrower trenches thanks to thinner pipe walls
- Excavated material is mainly reusable
- No welding necessary (extremely simple socket connection)
- Installation in all weather conditions
- Ideal for trenchless laying
- Material resistant to ageing
- Long service life
- Complete system engineering through fittings and accessories
- Efficient and cost-effective planning with TRM application engineering
- Extremely low damage rates

### Ductile iron pipe systems – designed with the environment in mind

TRM ductile iron pipes are a model of environmental performance.

This is primarily due to four factors:

- Inorganic material
- Made of recycled iron and fully recyclable
- Satisfies the highest sanitary requirements
- The sand used for the cement mortar lining is free from binding agents and chemical additives
- Completely impermeable pipe wall
- Lifespan of up to 140 years



### Environmental sustainability criteria for ductile iron pipe systems

<b>Diffusion seal</b>	safeguards drinking water in all soil types and installation conditions as well as groundwater when sewage is being transported
<b>Linings</b>	ensure hygienic and environmentally safe transport of drinking water approved to food hygiene standards
<b>Scrap as the raw material</b>	minimizes the use of primary and fossil raw materials
<b>Ductile iron</b>	saves resources for present and future generations through recycling
<b>Low maintenance and repair costs and a long service life</b>	minimizes the consumption of resources and reduces CO <sub>2</sub> emissions

### Economic sustainability criteria for ductile iron pipe systems

<b>Plug-in sleeves make for highly productive installation</b>	reduces labor costs
<b>No welding required</b>	saves time and subsequent costs, e.g. waiting times and weld seam testing
<b>Installation in all weathers</b>	reduces labor costs
<b>Sand bedding often not required</b>	reduces materials, logistics and labor costs
<b>Concrete thrust blocks not needed when connections are restrained</b>	reduces materials, logistics and labor costs
<b>Bendable connections</b>	saves on fittings
<b>Wide range of fittings available so custom-made designs are not required</b>	reduces materials and labor costs; ensures availability in case of faults or alterations
<b>Extremely low damage rates</b>	reduces repair and maintenance costs
<b>Lifespan of more than 100 years</b>	keeps the renovation budget to a minimum

### Technical sustainability criteria for ductile iron pipe systems

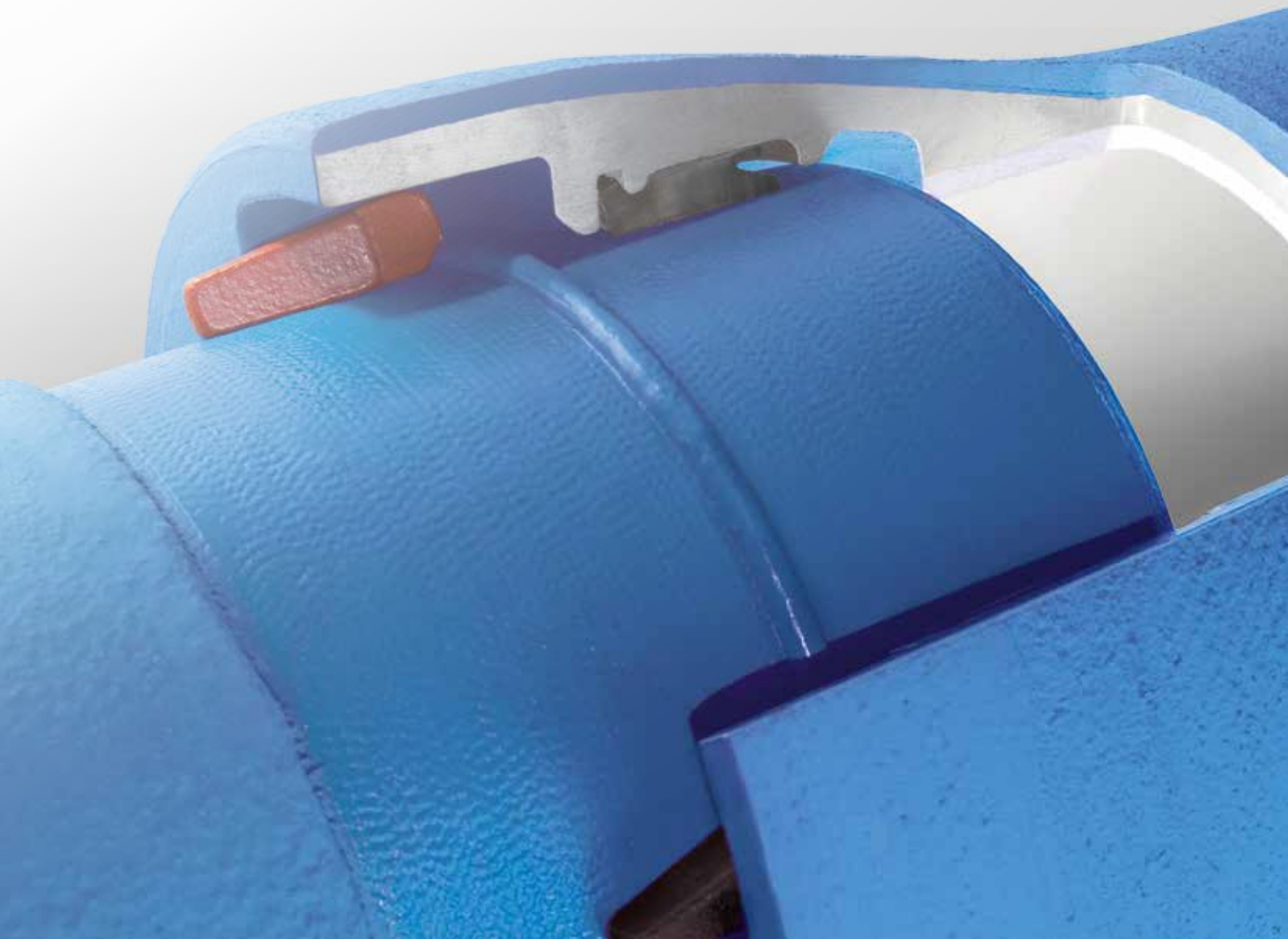
<b>Strong material</b>	allows operating pressures of more than 100 bar
<b>External protection</b>	protects against mechanical and chemical attack
<b>Static load-bearing capacity</b>	allows very high stresses in the transverse and longitudinal directions
<b>Connection</b>	is resistant to root penetration which stops it becoming clogged
<b>Ductile iron</b>	is non-combustible; high operational reliability in unplanned loading conditions
<b>Installation</b>	is possible without special equipment in all climates and weather conditions
<b>Restrained connections</b>	allow very high tensile forces and are therefore ideal for trenchless installation
<b>The material has superior properties</b>	which allow special applications in mountainous regions, in areas at risk of earthquakes or settlement and for fire-extinguishing pipelines and hydroelectric power stations







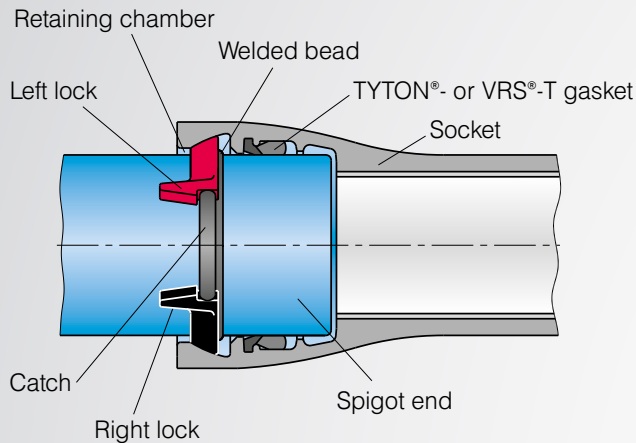
## 2 – THE POSITIVE LOCKING SYSTEM





## Introduction

This chapter deals only with restrained push-in joints where the restraint is based on a positive locking interengagement. Positive locking push-in joints can always be recognised by a welded bead on the spigot end and a retaining chamber. The positive locking interengagement between the welded bead and the retaining chamber is obtained by inserting locking segments. This enables forces to be transmitted mechanically between the spigot end and the socket of the next pipe or fitting.



An example of a positive locking joint (VRS®-T joint)

Forces may be generated by internal pressure or external tractive forces. Allowable operating pressures (PFA) and allowable tractive forces are specified on the pages 71 ff as a function of nominal size. Higher pressures and tractive forces are possible; please check with our Applications Engineering Division.

### TRM supplies the following positive locking push-in joints for pipes and fittings:

#### The VRS®-T joint (DN 80 to DN 500)

This joint has been a success for decades and can be assembled with a TYTON® or the VRS®-T gasket. Depending on the nominal size and the nature of the application, locking is from 2 to 4 locks. It is notable principally for its easy and quick assembly, the reliable high operating pressures and tractive forces and the versatility with which it can be used. A clamping ring can be used on cut pipes. This enables the on-site application of a welded bead to be dispensed with in most cases. Pipes with VRS®-T joints are available in laying lengths of 5 m and 6 m. You will find further information on the VRS®-T joint from p. 18 on.

#### The BLS® joint (DN 600 to DN 1000)

In this case a TYTON® gasket is used. The joint is locked by 9 to 14 locking segments which are inserted through openings in the socket and which are distributed round the circumference of the pipe. Pipes with BLS® joints are available in a laying length of 6 m. You will find further information on the BLS® joint from p. 19 on.

## Fields of use/advantages

There are almost no limits to the versatility with which pipes and fittings with VRS®-T joints can be used. The quick and easy assembly and the very high allowable operating pressures and tractive forces for which they can be relied on make them suitable for virtually any conceivable application in the laying of pressure pipelines (for water or sewage).

- urban water supply
- replacement of concrete thrust blocks in conventional open trench laying
- bridge pipelines/above-ground pipelines
- temporary pipelines (for temporary water supplies)
- trenchless installation techniques (HDD, burst lining and press-pull techniques, pipe relining, floating-in, etc.)
- snow-making systems
- turbine pipelines
- laying on steep slopes
- fire-fighting and fire-extinguishing pipelines (FM Approval)
- crossings below bodies of water/culvert pipelines
- building services
- use in regions at risk of earthquakes or settlement

The very high angular deflectability of up to a maximum of 5° and the rotatability through 360° make these joints suitable even for the laying of complicated and demanding intersections.

## PFA

Under EN 545, the allowable operating pressures (PFA) of the VRS®-T joints have to be stated in manufacturers' catalogues. See the following pages.

$PMA = 1.2 \times PFA$  (allowable maximum operating pressure for a short period, e.g. the period of a pressure surge).

$PEA = 1.2 \times PFA + 5$  (allowable site test pressure).

The classification into C classes under EN 545 does not apply to positive locking joints. The minimum wall thicknesses therefore differ from those in Table 17 of EN 545 (which applies to non-restrained joints).

## Compatibility

There is no compatibility with the positive locking systems used by other manufacturers. For possible solutions in this regard, please get in touch with our Applications Engineering Division.

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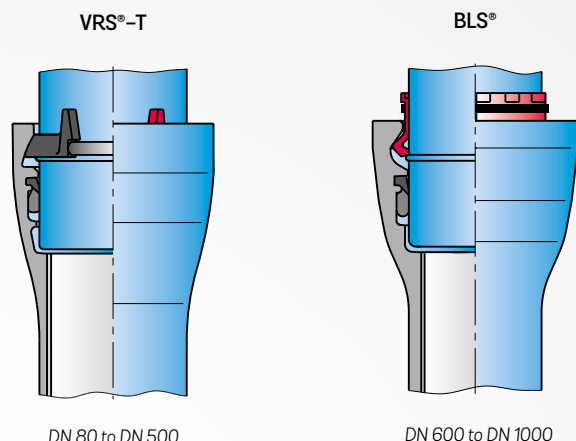
## Clamping ring

The use of clamping rings is possible in the majority of cases on pipes of nominal sizes from DN 80 to DN 500. For details of the fields of use of the rings see p. 17 and for installation instructions see p. 72 on. By using clamping rings it is possible to dispense with the retrospective application of welded beads to pipes which are cut on site.



## 2.1 Positive locking joints and pipes

### Overview

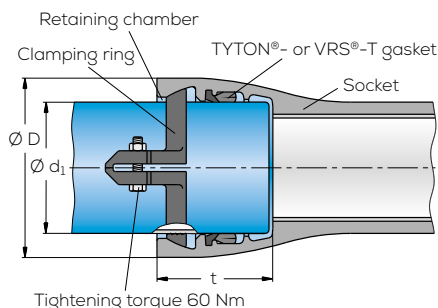
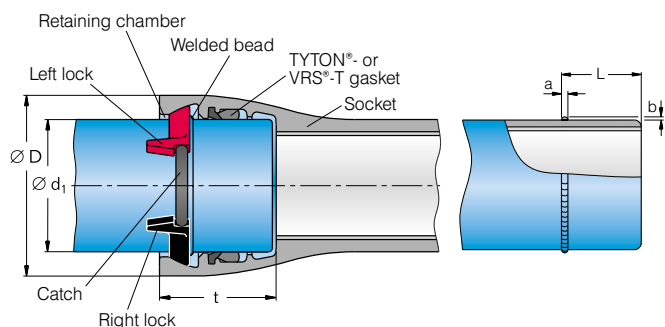


DN	PFA <sup>1)</sup> [bar]	Allowable tractive force <sup>3)</sup> [kN]	Max. angular deflection [°]
80 <sup>2)</sup>	100	115	5
100 <sup>2)</sup>	75	150	5
125 <sup>2)</sup>	63	225	5
150 <sup>2)</sup>	63	240	5
200	42	350	4
250	40	375	4
300	40	380	4
400	30	650	3
500	30	860	3
600	32	1,525	2
700	25	1,650	1.5
800	16/25 <sup>2)</sup>	1,460	1.5
900	16/25 <sup>2)</sup>	1,845	1.5
1,000	10/25 <sup>2)</sup>	1,560	1.5

<sup>1)</sup> PFA: allowable operating pressure – also applies to clamping rings; PMA = 1.2 x PFA; PEA = 1.2 x PFA + 5 – higher PFA's on enquiry. <sup>2)</sup> Wall-thickness class K10 under EN 545:2006. <sup>3)</sup> DN 80 to DN 250 with high-pressure lock – higher tractive forces on enquiry

#### VRS®-T joint DN 80 to DN 500

#### VRS®-T joint with clamping ring DN 80 to DN 500



#### Notes on the use of VRS®-T joints

- trenchless installation of DN 80 to DN 250 size pipes only with high-pressure lock
- for installation instructions see p. 71
- higher pressures are possible, e. g. for snow-making systems or turbine pipelines

#### Notes on the use of clamping rings

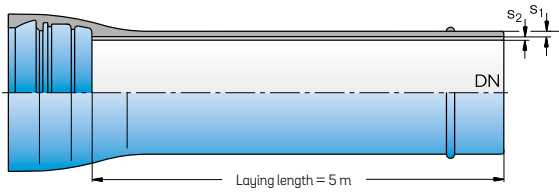
- as a replacement for the welded bead, e.g. on pipes cut on site
- up to PFA of 16 bars in double socket bends, socket spigot-bends, 90° flange socket duckfoot bends and 90° duckfoot bends with side outlets; higher PFA's on enquiry
- not in above-ground pipelines or buried pipelines subject to pulsating pressures
- not in trenchless installation techniques
- tightening torque of bolts ≥ 60 Nm
- for installation instructions see p. 72

DN	Dimensions <sup>1)</sup> [mm]						Weight [kg]				PFA <sup>2)</sup> [bar]			Number of locks <sup>3)</sup>	Allowable tractive force <sup>4)</sup> [kN]	Max. angular deflection [°]	Min. radius <sup>5)</sup> [m]	
	d1	D	t	L	a	b	Set of locks	High pressure lock	Clamping ring	Gasket	Without high pressure lock	With high pressure lock	Clamping ring					
80	98	+1 -2.7	156	127	86	8	5	0.4	0.3	0.9	0.13	100	110	45	2	115	5	57/69
100	118	+1 -2.8	182	135	91	8	5	0.4	0.4	1.0	0.16	75	100	45	2	150	5	57/69
125	144	+1 -2.8	206	143	96	8	5	0.6	0.5	1.4	0.19	63	100	45	2	225	5	57/69
150	170	+1 -2.9	239	150	101	8	5	0.8	0.6	1.7	0.22	63	75	45	2	240	5	57/69
200	222	+1 -3	293	160	106	9	5.5	1.1	0.8	2.2	0.37	42	63	45	2	350	4	72/86
250	274	+1 -3.1	357	165	106	9	5.5	1.5	1.2	2.7	0.48	40	44	45	2	375	4	72/86
300	326	+1 -3.3	410	170	106	9	5.5	2.7	–	3.6	0.67	40	–	30	4	380	4	72/86
400	429	+1 -3.5	521	190	115	10	6	4.4	–	6.0	1.1	30	–	30	4	650	3	95/115
500	532	+1 -3.8	636	200	120	10	6	5.5	–	7.2	1.6	30	–	30	4	860	3	95/115

<sup>1)</sup> Tolerances are possible. <sup>2)</sup> PFA: allowable operating pressure; PMA = 1.2 x PFA; PEA = 1.2 x PFA + 5 – higher PFA's on enquiry. <sup>3)</sup> Plus high-pressure lock if required with DN 80 to DN 250 sizes; <sup>4)</sup> Higher tractive forces on enquiry. <sup>5)</sup> Min. radius of curves (5 m pipe/6 m pipe), which results from the angular deflection possible at the sockets – applies to both open trench and trenchless laying. <sup>6)</sup> Approx. assembly time of the joint not including any protection it may be given



**VRS®-T pipe**  
DN 80 to DN 500



Laying length of 5 m.

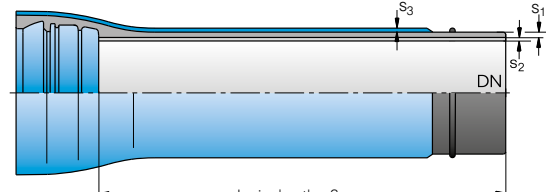
**External coatings**

- Zinc coating with PUR-longlife polyurethane finishing layer
- Zinc coating with PUR-TOP Enhanced polyurethane finishing layer plus PE-tape
- WKG insulation
- Other coatings up on request

**Internal coatings**

- Portland cement
- High-alumina cement
- Other coatings up on request

For notes on the fields of use of coatings see chapter 5



Laying length of 6 m.

**External coatings**

- Cement mortar coating (ZMU)
- Zinc coating with finishing layer
- Zinc-aluminium coating with finishing layer (Zinc PLUS coating)
- WKG insulation
- ZMU PLUS cement mortar coating

**Internal coatings**

- Blast furnace cement
- High-alumina cement

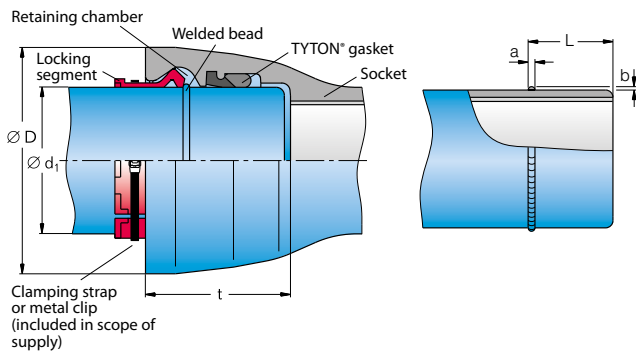
For notes on the fields of use of the coatings see chapter 5

DN	Dimensions [mm] <sup>1)</sup>			Total weight [kg]		PFA <sup>1)</sup> [bar]			Number of locks <sup>5)</sup>	Allowable tractive force <sup>6)</sup> [kN]	Max. angular deflection [°]	Min. radius <sup>7)</sup> [m]
	s <sub>1</sub> Ductile iron	s <sub>2</sub> Cement mortar lining	s <sub>3</sub> Cement mortar coating	per m pipe <sup>2)</sup>	per m pipe + cement mortar coating <sup>3)</sup>	Without high-pressure lock	With high-pressure lock	Clamping ring <sup>4)</sup>				
80	4.7	4	5	16.3	19.4	100	110	45	2	115	5	57/69
100	4.7	4	5	20.0	24.0	75	100	45	2	150	5	57/69
125	4.8	4	5	25.6	30.7	63	100	45	2	225	5	57/69
150	5.0	4	5	31.4	37.5	63	75	45	2	240	5	57/69
200	4.8	4	5	40.9	48.5	42	63	45	2	350	4	72/86
250	5.2	4	5	54.0	63.7	40	44	45	2	375	4	72/86
300	5.6	4	5	73.9	81.3	40	–	30	4	380	4	72/86
400	6.4	5	5	104.0	117.8	30	–	30	4	650	3	95/115
500	7.2	5	5	142.4	156.8	30	–	30	4	860	3	95/115

<sup>1)</sup> PFA: allowable operating pressure; PMA = 1.2 x PFA; PEA = 1.2 x PFA + 5 – higher PFA's on enquiry. <sup>2)</sup> Theoretical weight per m pipe incl. cement mortar lining, zinc (zinc-aluminium) and finishing layer. <sup>3)</sup> Theoretical weight per m pipe incl. cement mortar coating & lining and zinc. <sup>4)</sup> s1 = min. dimension, s2/s3 = nominal dimensions. Note that tolerances are possible

<sup>5)</sup> Plus high-pressure lock if required with DN 80 to DN 250 sizes. <sup>6)</sup> Higher tractive forces on enquiry. <sup>7)</sup> Min. radius of curves (5 m pipe/6 m pipe), which results from the angular deflection possible at the sockets – applies to both open trench and trenchless laying. <sup>8)</sup> Approx. assembly time of the joint, not including any protection it may be given. <sup>9)</sup> See notes on the use of clamping rings, page 72

**BLS® joint**  
DN 600 to DN 1000



**Notes on the use of BLS® joints**

- trenchless installation only with metal clips
- for installation instructions see p. 74
- higher pressures are possible. e.g. for snow-making systems or turbine pipelines

DN	Dimensions [mm] <sup>1)</sup>							Weight [kg]		Number of locks	PFA <sup>2)</sup> [bar]	Allowable tractive force <sup>3)</sup> [kN]	Max. angular deflection [°]	Min. radius <sup>4)</sup> [m]
	d <sub>i</sub>	D	t	L	a	b	Set of locks	Gasket						
600	635	+1 -4	732	175	116	9	6	9	2.3	9	32	1,525	2.0	172
700	738	+1 -4.3	849	197	134	9	6	11	4.3	10	25	1,650	1.5	230
800	842	+1 -4.5	960	209	143	9	6	14	5.2	10	16/25 <sup>5)</sup>	1,460	1.5	230
900	945	+1 -4.8	1,073	221	149	9	6	13	6.3	13	16/25 <sup>5)</sup>	1,845	1.5	230
1,000	1,048	+1 -5	1,188	233	159	9	6	16	8.3	14	10/25 <sup>5)</sup>	1,560	1.5	230

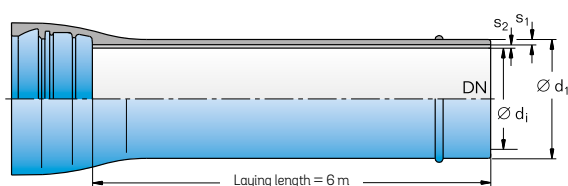
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<sup>4)</sup> Min. radius of curves, which results from the angular deflection possible at the sockets – applies to both open trench and trenchless laying.

<sup>5)</sup> Approx. assembly time of the joint, not including any protection it may be given. <sup>6)</sup> Wall-thickness class K 10 under EN 545:2006



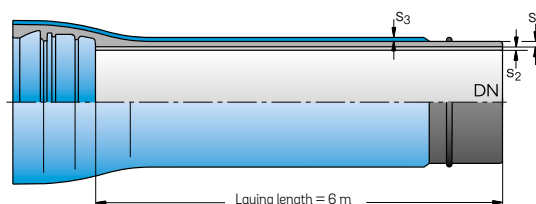
## BLS®-pipe DN 600 to DN 1000



Laying length of 6 m.

### External coatings

- Cement mortar coating (TRM ZMU)
- Zinc coating with finishing layer
- Zinc-aluminium coating with finishing layer (Zinc PLUS)
- WKG insulation



### Internal coatings

- Blast furnace cement
- High-alumina cement

For notes on the fields of use of the coatings see chapter 5

DN	S <sub>1</sub>	Dimensions [mm] <sup>4)</sup>		Weight [kg]		Number of locks	PFA <sup>1)</sup> [bar]	Allowable tractive force <sup>5)</sup> [kN]	Max. angular deflection <sup>6)</sup> [°]	Minimum radius <sup>7)</sup> [m]
		Cement mortar lining s <sub>2</sub>	Cement mortar coating s <sub>3</sub>	per m pipe <sup>2)</sup>	per m pipe + cement mortar coating <sup>3)</sup>					
600	8.0	5	5	186.4	206.6	9	32	1,525	2.0	172
700	8.8	6	5	235.0	258.3	10	25	1,650	1.5	230
800	9.6	6	5	294.6	321.3	10	16/25 <sup>8)</sup>	1,460	1.5	230
900	10.4	6	5	355.2	385.0	13	16/25 <sup>8)</sup>	1,845	1.5	230
1,000	11.2	6	5	420.7	453.9	14	10/25 <sup>8)</sup>	1,560	1.5	230

<sup>1)</sup> PFA: allowable operating pressure; PMA = 1.2 x PFA; PEA = 1.2 x PFA + 5 – higher PFA's on enquiry. <sup>2)</sup> Theoretical weight per m pipe incl. cement mortar lining, zinc (zinc-aluminium) and epoxy finishing layer. <sup>3)</sup> Theoretical weight per m pipe incl. cement mortar lining & coating and zinc. <sup>4)</sup> s<sub>1</sub> = min. dimension, s<sub>2</sub>/s<sub>3</sub> = nominal dimensions. Tolerances are possible

<sup>5)</sup> Higher tractive forces on enquiry. <sup>6)</sup> Min. radius of curves, which results from the angular deflection possible at the sockets – applies to both open trench and trenchless laying. <sup>7)</sup> Approx. assembly time of the joint not including any protection it may be given. <sup>8)</sup> Wall-thickness class K 10 under EN 545:2006

## 2.2 Fittings with positive locking joints

### Compatibility

There is no compatibility with positive locking systems used by other manufacturers. For possible solutions in this regard, please get in touch with our Applications Engineering Division.

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### Laying lengths

Except where otherwise noted, the laying lengths Lu of fittings conform to the A series in EN 545.

### Flanged fittings (see chapter 4)

When ordering flanged fittings, it is essential to give the PN pressure rating required. Accessories such as hex-head bolts, nuts, washers and gaskets must be obtained from specialist suppliers.

### Coating

Except where otherwise specified, all the fittings shown below are provided internally and externally with an epoxy coating at least 250 µm thick. The coating complies with EN 14 901 and meets the requirements of the Quality Association for the Heavy Duty Corrosion Protection of Powder Coated Valves and Fittings (GSK). All fittings to EN 545, Annex D.2.3., can thus be installed in soils of any desired corrosiveness. For notes on the fields of use of the coating see chapter 5.

### Allowable operating pressure (PFA)

(except where otherwise stated)

DN	PFA [bar]		Flanged
	VRS-T	BLS <sup>®</sup>	
80–300	100	–	PFA = PN
400	30	–	
500	30	–	
600	–	40	
700	–	25	
800	–	25	
900	–	25	
1,000	–	25	

PFA: maximum allowable operating pressure in bars

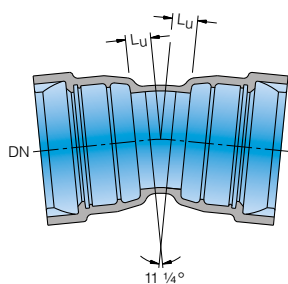
- PMA = 1.2 x PFA (allowable maximum operating pressure for a short period, e.g. the period of a pressure surge)
- PEA = 1.2 X PFA + 5 (allowable site test pressure)

### Scope of supply

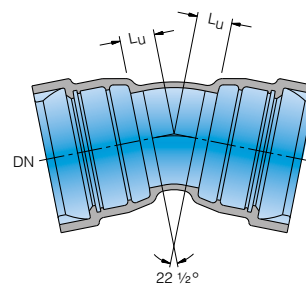
The fittings supplied by TRM include all the gaskets, locks and other securing components required for all the sockets. For flanged joints, the gaskets, bolts, nuts and washers are not included in the scope of supply.



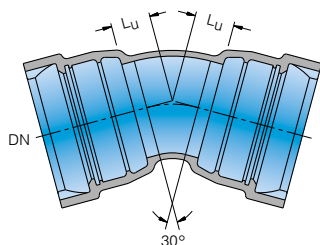


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**11¼° double socket bends**  
 to EN 545


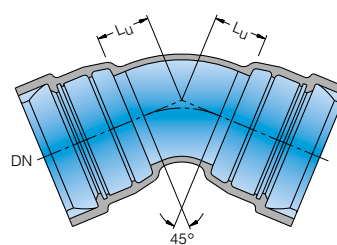
DN	Dimensions [mm]	PFA [bar]	Weight [kg] ~
	L <sub>u</sub>		
VRS®-T			
80	30	100	10.1
100	30		14.0
125	35		18.6
150	35		23.3
200	40		38.2
250	50		52.3
300	55		70.4
400	65	30	116.0
500	75		171.5
BLS®			
600	85	40	186.0
700	95	25	277.0
800	110		378.0
900	120		532.0
1,000	130		614.0

**MMK 22 fittings**  
**22½° double socket bends**  
 to EN 545


DN	Dimensions [mm]	PFA [bar]	Weight [kg] -
	L <sub>u</sub>		
VRS®-T			
80	40	100	10.2
100	40		14.3
125	50		19.4
150	55		24.3
200	65		39.2
250	75		56.9
300	85		78.6
400	110	30	120.4
500	130		197.0
BLS®			
600	150	32	215.5
700	175	25	320.0
800	195		458.0
900	220		594.0
1,000	240		723.0

**MMK 30 fittings**  
**30° double socket bends**  
 to EN 545


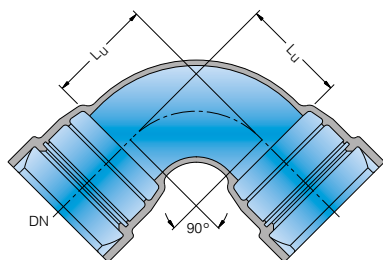
DN	Dimensions [mm]	PFA [bar]	Weight [kg] -
	L <sub>u</sub>		
VRS®-T			
80	45	100	10.4
100	50		14.7
125	55		20.3
150	65		25.2
200	80		41.4
250	95		59.3
300	110		79.9
400	140	30	137.0
500	170		205.5
BLS®			
600	200	40	230.0
700	230	25	333.0
800	260		473.0
900	290		635.0
1,000	320		809.0

**MMK 45 fittings**  
**45° double socket bends**  
 to EN 545


DN	Dimensions [mm]	PFA [bar]	Weight [kg] -
	L <sub>u</sub>		
VRS®-T			
80	55	100	11.0
100	65		14.7
125	75		20.8
150	85		26.3
200	110		41.5
250	130		65.1
300	150		86.4
400	195	30	157.0
500	240		227.0
BLS®			
600	285	40	261.0
700	330	25	376.0
800	370		548.0
900	415		716.0
1,000	460		879.0

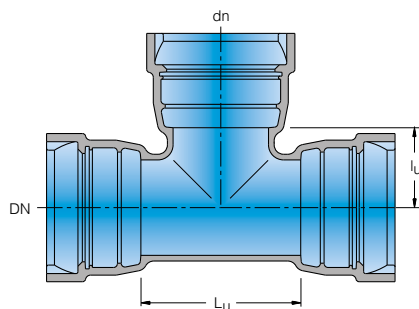


**MMQ fittings**  
90° double socket bends  
to EN 545



DN	Dimensions [mm]	PFA [bar]	Weight [kg] -
	L <sub>u</sub>		
VRS <sup>®</sup> -T			
80	100	100	11.6
100	120		15.9
125	145		22.4
150	170		28.9
200	220		55.1
250	270		76.0
300	320		94.5
400	430	30	200.5

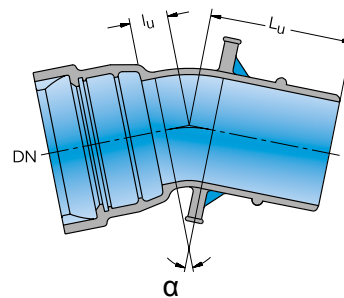
**MMB fittings**  
All-socket tees with 90° branch  
to EN 545



DN	dn	Dimensions [mm]		PFA [bar]	Weight [kg] -
		L <sub>u</sub>	L <sub>u</sub>		
VRS®-T					
80	80	170	85	100	16.1
100	80	170	95		20.0
	100	190	95		22.4
125	80	170	105		25.1
	100	195	110		28.1
150	125	225	110		31.0
	80	170	120		33.6
	100	195	120		34.5
	125	255	125		39.0
200	150	255	125		41.1
	80	175	145		46.2
	100	200	145		47.3
	125	255	145		50.0
250	150	255	150		54.3
	200	315	155		63.1
	80	180	170		72.0
	100	200	170		63.9
300	125	230	175		78.0
	150	260	175		70.6
	200	315	180		77.8
	250	375	190		89.1
400*	80	180	195	100	93.0
	100	205	195		80.2
	150	260	200		88.6
	200	320	205		96.6
	250	375	210		109.0
500*	300	435	220	127.4	
400*	400	560	280	30	236.0
500*	500	800	400		396.8

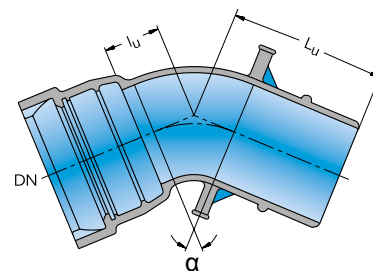
\* To manufacturer's standard

**MK 11 and MK 22 fittings**  
11¼° and 22½° single socket bends  
to manufacturer's standard



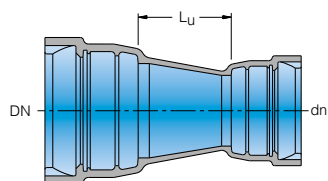
DN	Dimensions [mm]		PFA [bar]	Weight [kg] -
	$l_u$	$l_v$		
VRS®-T; = 11¼°				
80	30	175	100	8.4
100	30	185		11.1
125	35	200		15.1
150	35	210		20.1
200	40	230		32.7
250	50	250		51.0
300	55	270		71.0
400	65	375	63	125.0
500	75	405	50	220.0
DN	Dimensions [mm]		PFA [bar]	Weight [kg] -
	$l_u$	$l_v$		
VRS®-T; = 22½°				
80	40	185	100	8.7
100	40	195		11.6
125	50	215		15.9
150	55	230		21.5
200	65	255		35.3
250	75	275		53.0
300	85	300		73.0
400	110	420	63	138.8
500	130	460	50	220.0

**MK 30 and MK 45 fittings**  
30° and 45° single socket bends  
to manufacturer's standard



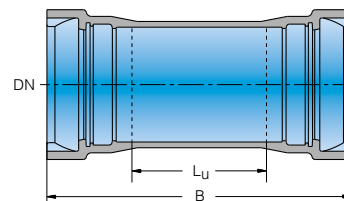
DN	Dimensions [mm]		PFA [bar]	Weight [kg] -
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VRS®-T; = 30°				
80	45	190	100	8.9
100	50	205		11.9
125	55	220		16.2
150	65	240		22.4
200	80	270		36.5
250	95	295		57.0
300	110	320	63	82.0
400	140	450		157.2
500	170	495	50	224.0
DN	Dimensions [mm]		PFA [bar]	Weight [kg] -
	L <sub>u</sub>	L <sub>u</sub>		
VRS®-T; = 45°				
80	55	200	100	9.1
100	65	220		12.3
125	75	240		17.0
150	85	260		24.2
200	110	300		39.7
250	130	335		60.5
300	150	365		87.3



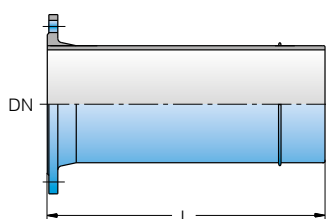
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DN	dn	L <sub>a</sub> [mm]	PFA [bar]	Weight [kg] ~
VRS <sup>®</sup> -T				
100	80	90	100	12.3
125	80	140		15.9
	100	100		16.7
150	80	190		19.9
	100	150		20.8
	125	100		21.0
200	100	250		29.6
	150	150		30.4
250	150	250		45.3
	200	150		46.7
300	150	350	30	57.0
	200	250		58.9
	250	150		62.8
400*	300	260		111.0
500*	400	260		148.0

**U fittings  
Collars  
to EN 545**

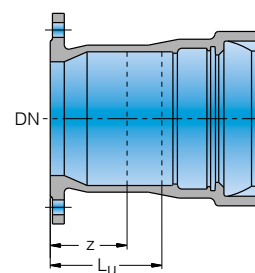
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F fittings  
Flanged spigots  
to EN 545



DN	L [mm]	Weight [kg]					
		PN 10	PN 16	PN 25	PN 40	PN 63	PN 100
VRS <sup>-T</sup>							
80	350	7.5				11.9	11.2
100	360	8.5		10.4		14.1	15.7
125	370	12.4		13.1	14.3	20.0	22.8
150	380	19.3		21.0	21.0	31.9	28.0
200	400	25.2	25.2	26.0	30.8	46.6	55.4
250	420	35.1	35.2	37.7	45.4	-	-
300	440	46.0	44.8	49.1	62.0	-	-
400	480	104.0	109.0	114.0	154.0*	-	-
500	500	146.0	156.0	161.0	-	-	-
BLS <sup>®</sup>							
600	560	134.3	160.3	174.3	235.3	-	-
700	600	180.6	195.6	229.6	-	-	-
800	600	228.0	247.0	296.0	-	-	-
900	600	348.0	359.0	-	-	-	-
1,000	600	503.0	538.0	-	-	-	-

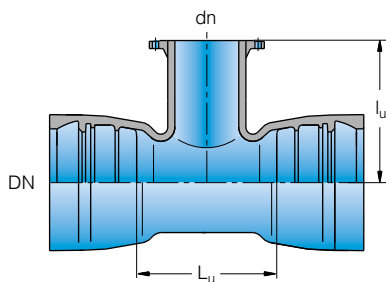
**EU fittings**  
**Flanged sockets**  
to EN 545

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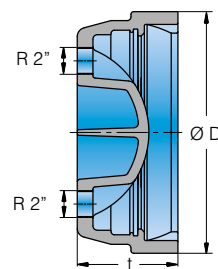
**MMA fittings**  
Double socket tees with flanged branch  
to EN 545



DN	dn	L <sub>u</sub> [mm]	l <sub>u</sub> [mm]	Weight [kg]			
				PN 10	PN 16	PN 25	PN 40
VRS®-T							
80	80	170	165	15.8			
100	80	170	175	20.5			
	100	190	180	21.9		-	
125	80	170	190	24.8			
	100	195	195	27.6		-	
	125	255	200	-		-	-
150	80	170	205	30.6			
	100	195	210	33.0		-	
	150	225	220	39.0		-	-
200	80	175	235	45.4			
	100	200	240	46.8		-	
	150	250	250	51.6		-	-
	200	315	260	-	57.0	-	-
250	80	180	265	56.0			
	100	200	270	57.5		-	
	150	260	280	63.5		-	-
	200	315	290	-	71.5	-	-
	250	375	300	-	-	-	-
300	80	180	295	76.6			
	100	205	300	81.2		-	
	150	260	310	80.0		-	-
	200	320	320	-	-	-	-
	300	435	340	110.0		-	-
400	150	270	370	148.0		152.0	152.0
	200	440	380	170.0		173.0	
	300	440	400	191.0		197.0	
	400	560	420	200.0		217.0	
500	200	450	440	192.5		194.5	-
	300	450	460	205.0		211.0	-
	400	565	480	297.0		315.0	-
	500	680	500	338.0		363.0	372*
600	150	570	490	237.0		238.0	-
	200		500	254.0		247.0	-
	300		520	266.0		272.0	-
	400		540	279.0		296.0	-
	600	800	580	376.5		415.0	-
800	150	1045	580	657.0		645.0	-
	200		585	667.0		655.0	-
	400		615	682.0		693.0	-
	600		645	770.0		784.0	-
	800		675	809.0		855.0	-
900	100	475	630	540.0		598.0	-
	125		635	541.0		594.0	-
	150		640	543.0		600.0	-
	200		645	546.0		603.0	-
	250		655	550.0		608.0	-
	300		660	555.0		613.0	-
1,000	100	480	690	672.0		745.0	-
	125		695	673.0		746.0	-
	150		700	675.0		747.0	-
	200		705	678.0		750.0	-
	250		715	682.0		750.0	-
	300		720	687.0		760.0	-

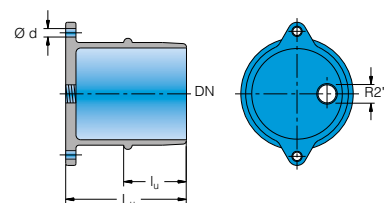
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**O fittings**  
Spigot end caps  
to manufacturer's standard



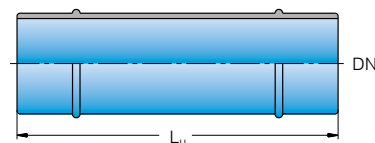
DN	t [mm]	D [mm]	PFA [bar]	Weight [kg]
VRS®-T O-Stücke				
400	225	540	30	117
500	240	650	30	170

**P plugs**  
Socket plugs  
to manufacturer's standard



DN	L <sub>u</sub> [mm]	l <sub>u</sub> [mm]	d [mm]	PFA [bar]	Masse [kg]
VRS®-T P plug					
80	170	86	M 12	100	4.1
100	175	91	M 12		4.4
125	195	96	M 16		6.7
150	200	101	M 16		9.2
200	210	106	M 16		14.5
250	250	106	M 20		27.2
300	300	106	M 20		49.4

**GL fittings (GDR fittings)**  
Plain ended pipe pieces  
with two welded beads  
to manufacturer's standard



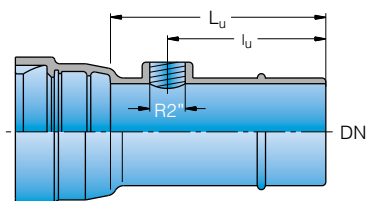
DN	Weight [kg]							Coating internal/ external
	PFA [bar]							
	10	16	25	30	40	63	100	
VRS®-T L <sub>u</sub> = 400 mm oder 800 mm								
80	7.6 bzw. 15.4							Epoxy/ Epoxy
100	9.5 bzw. 18.8							
125	12.0 bzw. 25.0							
150	15.6 bzw. 31.0							
200	22.0 bzw. 44.0 <sup>1)</sup>							
VRS®-T L <sub>u</sub> = 800 mm								
250	44.6					66.7		Epoxy/ Epoxy
300	55.8			56.8		98.0		
400	81.3			-				
500	104.0							
BLS® L <sub>u</sub> = 800 mm								
600	127.6 <sup>2)</sup>				-	-	-	Cement mortar/ zinc + epoxy
700	164.1			-	-	-	-	
800	201.8		219.6		-	-	-	
900	240.4		263.2		-	-	-	
1000	283.4	310.4		-	-	-	-	

1) PFA of 100 with high-pressure lock 2) Max. PFA of 32



### HAS fittings (A fittings)

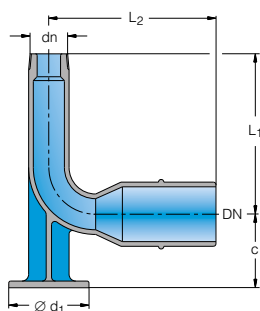
House service connection fittings  
with outlet with 2" female thread  
to manufacturer's standard



DN	L <sub>u</sub> [mm]	l <sub>u</sub> [mm]	PFA [bar]	Weight [kg]
VRS®-T HAS-fittings				
80	305	215	100	10.5
100	315	225		13.8
125	325	235		17.8
150	340	250		23.1
200	355	265		34.8
250	370	275		54.0
300	380	285		72.0

### ENH fittings

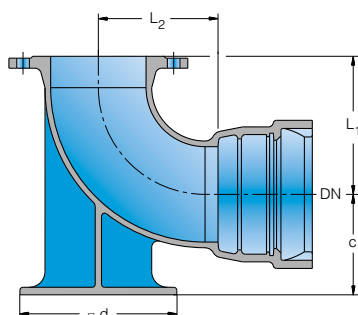
90° duckfoot bends for hydrants  
with male threaded outlet  
to manufacturer's standard



DN	dn ["]	L <sub>1</sub> [mm]	L <sub>2</sub> [mm]	c [mm]	d <sub>1</sub>	PFA [bar]	Weight [kg]
VRS®-T ENH-fittings							
80	1.5	240	250	110	120	100	7.3
80	2.0	240	250	110	120	100	7.3

### EN fittings

90° duckfoot bends  
to manufacturer's standard



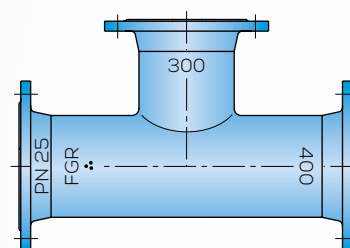
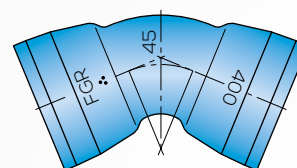
DN	Dimensions [mm]				Weight [kg]			
	L <sub>1</sub>	L <sub>2</sub>	c	d	PN 10	PN 16	PN 25	PN 40
VRS®-T EN-fittings								
80	165	145	110	180	16.4			
100	180	158	125	200	22.6		-	

### Marking of fittings

All fittings produced by member companies of the "Fachgemeinschaft Gussrohrsysteme/European Association for Ductile Iron Pipe Systems (FGR/EADIPS)" carry the "FGR" mark indicating that all the guidelines required for the award of the "FGR Quality Mark" have been complied with. As well as this, all fittings are marked with their nominal sizes and bends are marked with their respective angles.

Flanged fittings have the pressure ratings PN 16, 25 or 40 cast or stamped onto them. No pressure rating appears on flanged fittings for PN 10 or on any socket fittings.

To identify their material as "ductile iron", fittings are marked with three raised dots arranged in a triangle (●●●) on their outer surface. In special cases, there may be further markings which are specified as needing to be applied.





### 3 – THE NON-POSITIVE LOCKING SYSTEM





### 3.1 Overview

This Chapter deals only with non-positive locking push-in joints.

Dealt with below are the following non-restrained joints:

- **The TYTON joint (TYT) to DIN 28 603 – DN 80 to DN 1,000**

The TYTON joint has been the leading joint for pipes and fittings on the international market since 1965. It can be deflected angularly to a maximum of 5°, is resistant to the penetration of roots and is leaktight at any desired internal water pressure.

- **The bolted gland joint (STB) to DIN 28 602 – DN 400 to DN 1,000** Available for certain fittings such as flanged sockets and collars Suitable above all for later connections into existing pipelines.

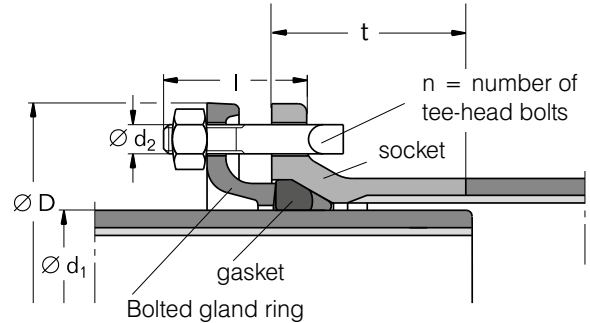
Pipes and fittings with non-positive locking joints are designed primarily for conventional open trench laying.

The sizing of thrust blocks and of the lengths of pipelines needing to be restrained is dealt with in outline in Chapter 8.

#### PFA – allowable operating pressure

**Under EN 545:2010, ductile iron pipe with non-restrained push-in joints (e.g. TYTON® joints) are divided into pressure classes.** These pressure classes are also known as C classes. The maximum PFA of a pipe corresponds to its pressure class (e.g. C 50 = PFA of 50 bars). **This applies only to non-restrained pipes.**

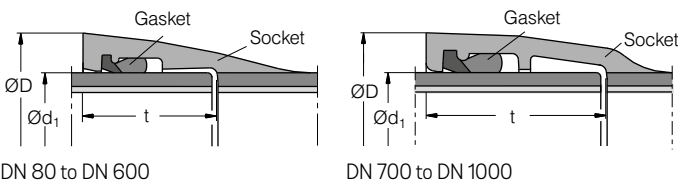
#### Bolted gland joint (STB) to DIN 28 602



DN	Dimensions [mm]				n	Weight [kg] ~				Max. angular deflection	PFA
	Ø d <sub>1</sub>	Ø D	Ø d <sub>2</sub>	l		t	Bolted gland ring	Gasket	Tee-head bolt		
400	429	570	M 20	90	12	132	10.6	0.8	5.5	3°	25
500	532	680	M 20	100	16	138	15.0	1.1	7.7		25
600	635	790	M 20	100	16	143	20.9	1.5	7.7	2°	25
700	738	900	M 20	110	20	149	27.2	1.9	10.0		16
800	842	1,010	M 20	110	24	154	34.1	2.3	12.0	1.5°	16
900	945	1,125	M 20	120	24	160	44.0	2.9	12.5		16
1,000	1,048	1,250	M 24	120	24	165	56.9	3.5	18.5		16

PFA: allowable operating pressure in bars; may be lower depending on the pressure class  
PMA = 1.2 x PFA; PEA = 1.2 x PFA + 5

#### TYTON® push-in joint to DIN 28 603



DN 80 to DN 600

DN 700 to DN 1000

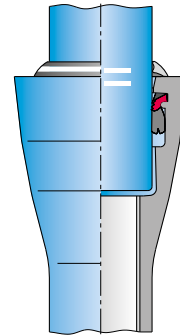
Socket for fittings

Socket for flanged sockets

DN	Dimensions [mm]			Weight [kg] ~				Max. angular deflection
	Ø d <sub>1</sub>	Ø D <sup>9</sup>	t	Socket			Gasket	
				Pipe	Fitting	Flanged socket		
80	98	142	84	3.4	2.8	2.4	0.13	5°
100	118	163	88	4.3	3.3	3.1	0.16	
125	144	190	91	5.7	4.5	4.0	0.19	
150	170	217	94	7.1	5.6	4.9	0.22	
200	222	278	100	10.3	8.0	7.1	0.37	
250	274	336	105	14.2	11.1	9.7	0.48	4°
300	326	385	110	18.6	14.3	12.5	0.67	
350	378	448	110	23.7	17.1	15.2	0.77	
400	429	500	110	29.3	20.8	18.6	1.1	
500	532	607	120	42.3	31.7	27.6	1.6	
600	653	732*	120	59.3	42.3	36.2	2.3	3°
700	738	849*	197	79.1	71.2	59.1	4.3	
800	842	960*	209	102.6	95.4	79.8	5.2	
900	945	1,073*	221	129.9	150.3	122.7	6.3	
1,000	1,048	1,188*	233	161.3	186.9	152.1	8.3	

<sup>9</sup> Standard value; \*smaller D upon request

#### BRS® joint



DN	PFA	Max. angular deflection	Weight [kg] ~ Gasket
80	32	3°	0.15
100	32	3°	0.17
125	25	3°	0.20
150	25	3°	0.24
200	25	3°	0.41
250	25	3°	0.56
300	25	3°	0.93
350	25	3°	1.15
400	16	2°	1.44
500	16	2°	2.20
600	10	2°	2.93

PFA: allowable operating pressure in bars; may be lower depending on the pressure class  
PMA = 1.2 x PFA; PEA = 1.2 x PFA + 5

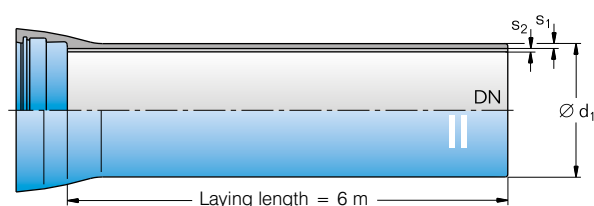


## 3.2 Tyton® pipes – 6 m laying length

Tyton® pipes – 6 m laying length

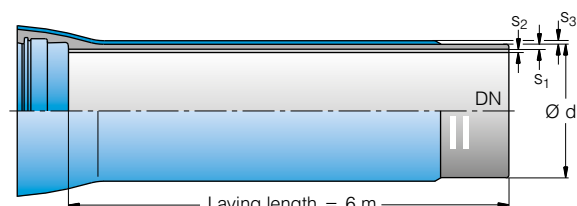
DN 80 to DN 1000

to EN 545:2010



### External coatings

- cement mortar coating (TRM ZMU)
- zinc coating with finishing layer
- zinc-aluminium coating with finishing layer (TRM Zinc PLUS)
- WKG coating



### Internal coatings

- blast furnace cement
- high-alumina cement

For notes on the fields of use of the coatings see Chapter 5

DN	d <sub>1</sub> [mm]	C 25		C 30		C 40			C 50			C 64			C 100			Weight ZMU [kg]	s <sub>2</sub>	s <sub>3</sub>
		S <sub>1</sub>	Weight [kg]	S <sub>1</sub>	Weight [kg]	S <sub>1</sub>	Weight [kg]	PFA (BRS)	S <sub>1</sub>	Weight [kg]	PFA (BRS)	S <sub>1</sub>	Weight [kg]	PFA (BRS)	S <sub>1</sub>	Weight [kg]	PFA (BRS)			
80	98 <sup>1,2,7</sup>								3.5	79.1	16				4.7 <sup>3</sup>	94.0	32	19.5	4	
100	118 <sup>1,2,8</sup>								3.5	98.7	16				4.7 <sup>3</sup>	118.4	32	24.0	4	
125	144 <sup>1,2,8</sup>								3.5	125.2	16	4.8 <sup>3</sup>	150.4	25	5.0	155.5	25	28.0	4	
150	170 <sup>1,2,9</sup>								3.7 <sup>1</sup>	154.3	16	4.7 <sup>2</sup>	175.4	25	5.9	205.8	25	33.0	4	
200	222 <sup>1,3,0</sup>								3.9	209.1	16	5.0 <sup>2</sup>	245.4	25	7.7	323.1	25	43.0	4	
250	274 <sup>1,3,1</sup>					4.2 <sup>1</sup>	272.9	16	5.2 <sup>2</sup>	316.3	25	6.1	347.4	25	9.5	468.1	25	52.0	4	
300	326 <sup>1,3,3</sup>					4.6	351.8	16	5.7 <sup>2</sup>	410.0	25	7.3	475.8	25				63.0	4	
350	378 <sup>1,3,4</sup>			4.7	416.1	6.0 <sup>2</sup>	496.0	25	6.6	524.8	25	8.5	615.6	25				72.0	5	
400	429 <sup>1,3,5</sup>			4.8	513.3	6.4 <sup>2</sup>	601.3	16	7.5	661.5	16	9.6	775.4	16				82.0	5	
500	532 <sup>1,3,6</sup>			5.6	707.4	7.5	837.4	16	9.3	959.7	16							101.0	5	
600	635 <sup>1,3,0</sup>			6.7	982.1	8.9	1162.0	10										121.0	5	
700	738 <sup>1,3,3</sup>	6.8	1173.3	7.8	1268.8	10.4	1516.0	–										140.0	6	
800	842 <sup>1,3,5</sup>	7.5	1479.1	8.9	1631.8													160.0	6	
900	945 <sup>1,3,8</sup>	8.4	1798.4	10.0	1994.4													179.0	6	
1,000	1,048 <sup>1,3,0</sup>	9.3	2,151.3	11.1	2,395.9													199.0	6	

<sup>1</sup> C40 under EN545:2006; <sup>2</sup> K9 under EN 545:2006; <sup>3</sup> K10 under EN 545:2006

s<sub>1</sub>) Minimum wall thickness in mm; s<sub>2</sub>) Nominal thickness of cement mortar lining in mm; s<sub>3</sub>) Nominal thickness of ZMU in mm; Weight of the pipes = theoretical figures in kg incl. cement mortar lining, zinc-aluminium coating and epoxy finishing layer; Weight of ZMU = additional weight of ZMU in kg;

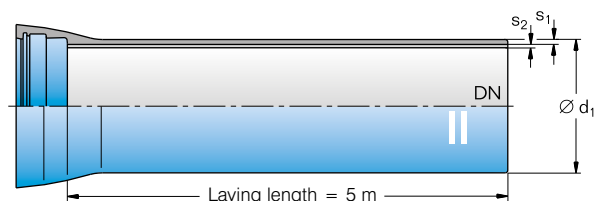
The maximum PFA of a pipe corresponds to its pressure class (e.g. C 50 = PFA of 50 bars); PFA (BRS) = allowable operating pressure in bars with BRS gasket; PMA = 1.2 x PFA; PEA = 1.2 x PFA + 5; Inside green frames: all coatings are possible; outside: only Zinc Plus; Other laying lengths and outside coatings upon request.

## 3.3 Tyton® pipes – 5 m laying length

Tyton® pipes – 5 m laying length

DN 80 to DN 500

to EN 545:2010



### External coatings

- Zinc coating with PUR-longlife finishing layer
- Zinc coating with PUR-TOP finishing layer
- WKG coating
- Other coatings up on request

### Internal coatings

- Portland cement
- High-alumina cement
- Other coatings up on request

For notes on the fields of use of the coatings see Chapter 5

DN	d <sub>1</sub> [mm]	C 30		C 40			C 50			C 64			C 100			s <sub>2</sub>
		S <sub>1</sub>	Weight [kg]	S <sub>1</sub>	Weight [kg]	PFA (BRS)	S <sub>1</sub>	Weight [kg]	PFA (BRS)	S <sub>1</sub>	Weight [kg]	PFA (BRS)	S <sub>1</sub>	Weight [kg]	PFA (BRS)	
80	98 <sup>1,2,7</sup>												4.7 <sup>3</sup>	79.5	32	4
100	118 <sup>1,2,8</sup>												4.7 <sup>3</sup>	97.3	32	4
125	144 <sup>1,2,8</sup>									4.8 <sup>3</sup>	123.8	25	5.0	126.7	25	4
150	170 <sup>1,2,9</sup>									4.7 <sup>2</sup>	146.3	25	5.9	167.1	25	4
200	222 <sup>1,3,0</sup>									5.0 <sup>2</sup>	202.5	25	7.7	264.1	25	4
250	274 <sup>1,3,1</sup>			3.9	215.1	16	5.2 <sup>2</sup>	260.1	25	6.1	285.9	25	9.5	382.0	25	4
300	326 <sup>1,3,3</sup>			4.6	293.5	16	5.7 <sup>2</sup>	331.6	25	7.3	386.4	25				4
400	429 <sup>1,3,5</sup>	4.8	423.8	6.4 <sup>2</sup>	497.2	16	7.5	547.3	16	9.6	642.3	16				5
500	532 <sup>1,3,6</sup>	5.6	585.3	7.5 <sup>2</sup>	693.7	16	9.3	795.6	16							5

<sup>1</sup> C40 under EN545:2006; <sup>2</sup> K9 under EN 545:2006; <sup>3</sup> K10 under EN 545:2006

s<sub>1</sub>) Minimum wall thickness in mm; s<sub>2</sub>) Nominal thickness of cement mortar lining in mm; Weight = theoretical figures in kg incl. cement mortar lining, zinc coating and polyurethane (PUR) finishing layer; The

maximum PFA of a pipe corresponds to its pressure class (e.g. C 50 = PFA of 50 bars); PFA (BRS) = allowable operating pressure in bars with BRS gasket; PMA = 1.2 x PFA; PEA = 1.2 x PFA + 5; Other laying lengths and outside coatings upon request.



### 3.4 Fittings with non-positive locking joints

#### Compatibility

Except where otherwise noted, all fittings comply with DIN 28 603 (TYTON®). This means that TYTON®-SIT-PLUS® gaskets can also be inserted in their sockets, thus producing the friction locking BRS® push-in joint.

#### Laying lengths

Except where otherwise noted, the laying lengths  $L_u$  of fittings conform to the A series in EN 545.

#### Flanged fittings (see Chapter 4)

When ordering flanged fittings, it is essential to give the PN pressure rating required. Accessories such as hex-head bolts, nuts, washers and gaskets must be obtained from specialist suppliers.

#### Coating (see Chapter 5)

Except where otherwise specified, all the fittings shown below are provided internally and externally with an epoxy coating at least 250  $\mu\text{m}$  thick. The coating complies with EN 14 901 and meets the requirements of the Quality Association for the Heavy Duty Corrosion Protection of Powder Coated Valves and Fittings (GSK).

All fittings to EN 545, Annex D.2.3., can thus be installed in soils of any desired corrosiveness.

#### Allowable operating pressure (PFA)

(except where otherwise specified)

DN	PFA <sup>1)</sup> [bar]			
	TYTON®	BRS <sup>2)</sup>	STB	Flange
80	100	32	-	PFA = PN
100				
125				
150	64	25		
200				
250				
300	50			
350				
400				
500	40	16	25	
600		10		
700		30		
800				
900				
1,000				

<sup>1)</sup> PFA: allowable operating pressure in bars. PMA = 1.2 x PFA; PEA = 1.2 x PFA + 5

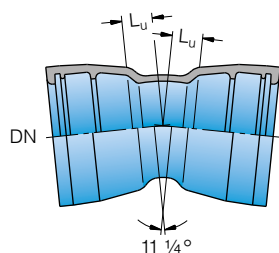
<sup>2)</sup> PFA depends on the C class of the pipe used, see p. 27

#### Scope of supply

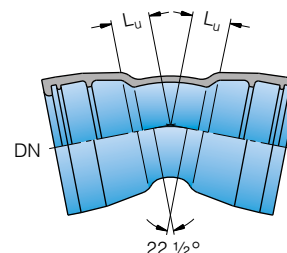
The socket fittings supplied include the gaskets required and with screwed socket joints and bolted gland joints they include the additional components required (slide rings, screw rings, bolted gland rings, tee-head bolts). For flanged joints, the gaskets, bolts, nuts and washers are not included in the scope of supply.



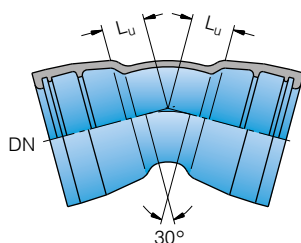


**MMK 11 fittings**  
**11¼° double socket bends**  
 to EN 545


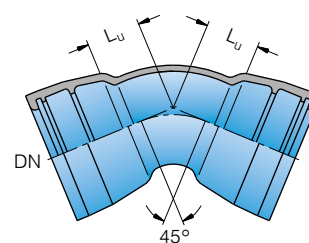
DN	Dimensions [mm]	PFA [bar]	Weight [kg] ~
	$L_u$		
80	30	100	7.5
100	30		8.5
125	35		12.8
150	35	64	16.5
200	40		24.9
250	50		34.2
300	55	50	43.0
350	60		60.5
400	65		70.9
500	75	40	100.0
600	85		140.0
700	95		190.7
800	110	30	271.2
900	120		393.5
1,000	130		495.7

**MMK 22 fittings**  
**22½° double socket bends**  
 to EN 545


DN	Dimensions [mm]	PFA [bar]	Weight [kg] ~
	$L_u$		
80	40	100	7.7
100	40		9.4
125	50		13.3
150	55	64	17.5
200	65		21.0
250	75		30.7
300	85	50	40.4
350	95		64.6
400	110		80.2
500	130	40	100.4
600	150		140.5
700	175		185.7
800	195	30	315.8
900	220		456.0
1,000	240		575.9

**MMK 30 fittings**  
**30° double socket bends**  
 to EN 545


DN	Dimensions [mm]	PFA [bar]	Weight [kg] ~
	$L_u$		
80	45	100	7.7
100	50		9.7
125	55		14.0
150	65	64	18.0
200	80		22.0
250	95		32.0
300	110	50	43.2
350	125		71.5
400	140		85.3
500	180	40	109.2
600	200		155.9
700	230		275.3
800	260	30	345.9
900	290		496.3
1,000	320		630.3

**MMK 45 fittings**  
**45° double socket bends**  
 to EN 545


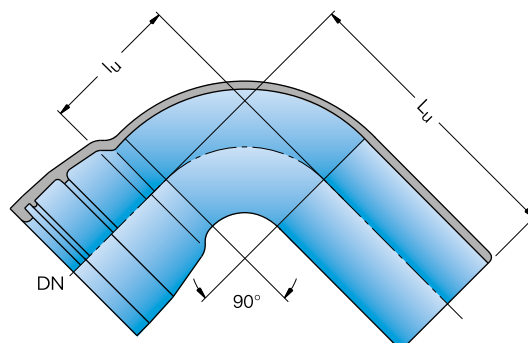
DN	Dimensions [mm]	PFA [bar]	Weight [kg] ~
	$L_u$		
80	55	100	8.1
100	65		10.0
125	75		14.1
150	85	64	18.4
200	110		24.6
250	130		35.7
300	150	50	48.7
350	175		76.9
400	195		86.0
500	240	40	127.0
600	285		183.6
700	330		296.7
800	370	30	406.1
900	415		577.9
1,000	460		737.2



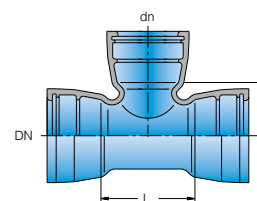




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DN	Dimensions [mm]		PFA [bar]	Weight [kg] ~
	L <sub>u</sub>	L <sub>u</sub>		
80	312	102	100	9.0
100	333	123		11.2
125	374	49	64	18.4
150	419	174		25.4
200	491	226		43.8
250	583	280		76.1
300	660	330	50	83.2
350	580	410		139.0
400	625	430		186.3
500	715	550	40	235.4
600	805	645		314.0
700	900	720	30	473.0
800	1080	800		644.5



DN	dn	L <sub>y</sub> [mm]	l <sub>y</sub> [mm]	PFA [bar]	Weight [kg]	
80	40 <sup>(102)</sup>	170	80	40	10.5	
	80		64	13.7		
100	40 <sup>(102)</sup>	190	90	40	13.6	
	80		64	14.7		
	100			16.6		
125	40 <sup>(102)</sup>	170	100	40	15.1	
	80		105	16.5		
	100	195	110	64	17.8	
	125	225	110	19.9		
150	40 <sup>(102)</sup>	170	115	40	18.2	
	80		62	19.9		
	100	195		20.9		
	150	255		125	25.5	
200	40 <sup>(102)</sup>	200	140	40	29.5	
	80 <sup>(10)</sup>		50	30.0		
	100			31.0		
	150			255	150	41.0
250	200	315		155	44.6	
	80 <sup>(10)</sup>	200	170	43	44.4	
	100		175		45.3	
	125 <sup>(10)</sup>		175		45.5	
	150		260		180	50.4
	200		315		185	54.4
	250		375		190	63.9
80 <sup>(10)</sup>	205		195		40	55.5
100	205	200	57.0			
150 <sup>(10)</sup>	320	200	60.7			
200	320	205	64.4			
250 <sup>(10)</sup>	430	210	79.6			
300	300	430	215	89.4		

<sup>1</sup> To manufacturer's standard; <sup>2</sup> Screwed socket joint; weight not including screw ring



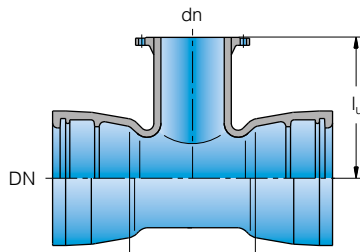








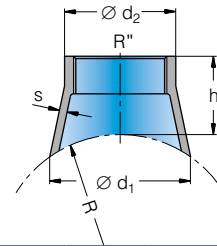
**MMA fittings**  
Double socket tees with flanged branch  
to EN 545



DN	dn	Dimensions [mm]		Weight [kg] ~			
		L <sub>u</sub>	l <sub>u</sub>	PN10	PN16	PN25	PN40
80	40°	170	155	10.8			
	50°		160	11.4			
	80°		165	12.9			
100	40°	170	170	12.6			
	50°		170	13.2			
	80°		175	14.5			
	100°	190	180	15.8		16.3	
125	40°	170	185	16			
	50°		190	18			
	80°		195	19.3		19.8	
	125°	255	200	21.6	22.1	23.6	
150	40°	170	195	19.2			
	50°		200	19.9			
	80°		205	21.3			
	100°	195	210	22.7		23.2	
	150°	255	220	27.4	29.4	30.9	
200	40°	175	230	26.7			
	50°		230	28			
	80°		235	28.6			
	100°	200	240	30.4		30.9	
	150°	255	250	36.1	37.1	39.1	
	200°	315	260	42.2	41.7	43.7	49.2
250	80°	200	265	37.9			
	100°		270	39.7		40.2	
	150°	260	280	46.3	47.3	49.3	
	200°	315	290	52.9	52.9	54.9	60.4
	250°	375	300	61	60.5	64.5	74.5
	80°	180	295	47.2			
300	100°	205	300	50		50.5	
	150°	260	310	57	58	60	
	200°	320	320	65	65	67	72.5
	300°	435	340	83.6	83.1	88.6	104.6
	100°	205	330	59.3			
350	200°	325	350	77.2	76.7	79.2	84.2
	350°	495	380	106	109.6	117.6	138.6
	80°	185	355	67.8			
400	100°	210	360	71.4		71.9	
	150°	270	370	81.4		82.4	
	200°	325	380	91.1	90.6	92.6	98.1
	300°	440	400	113.5	113.5	118.5	134.5
	400°	560	420	135.6	140.6	152.6	185.6
	80°	215	415	103			
500	100°	330	420	104		104	
	150°		430	126		128	
	200°		440	127.9	127.9	129.9	134.9
	250°	450	450	157	156	161	173
	300°		460	156.7	155.7	161.7	176.7
	350°		470	182	188	199	230
	400°	565	480	182.5	188.5	199.5	233.5
	500°	680	500	212.1	227.1	239.1	273.1
	80°	340	475	163			
	100°		480	164		165	
600	150°		490	166		167	168
	200°	340	500	168.5	168.5	170.5	175.5
	250°		510	224	224	228	238
	300°		520	230	230	235	251
	350°	570	530	233	236	245	266
	400°		540	233.3	239.3	250.3	284.3
	500°		560	303	317	327	361
	600°	800	580	308.7	335.7	349.7	401.7
	80°		505	250			
	100°		510	250		250	
700	150°	345	520	262		263	
	200°		525	255.3	255.3	257.3	
	300°		540	327	327	343	
	400°	375	555	386.7	392.7	403.7	
	500°		570	432	446	480	
	600°		585	457	481	502	
	700°	925	600	481	496	531	
	80°		570	325		326	
800	150°	303	580	316		318	
	200°		585	316.9	316.9	318.9	
	250°		590	350	349	352	
	300°	580	600	417	417	422	
	400°		615	405.4	411.4	422.4	
	500°		630	590	605	617	
	600°	1,045	645	579	606	620	
	800°		675	612	611	680	

**Miscellaneous**  
Weld-on connections  
for ductile iron pipes

Straight connections with female thread

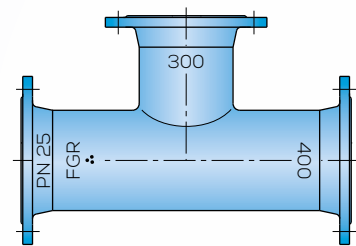
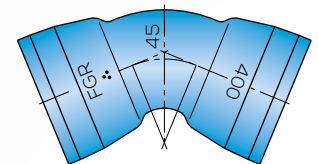


Nominal size of connection	Radius	For pipes of nominal sizes	Dimensions [mm]				Weight
R''	R	DN	Ø d <sub>1</sub>	Ø d <sub>2</sub>	s	h	[kg] ~
2"	98	150-200	90	71	8	50	0.7

R has to be adapted for pipes of other nominal sizes (DN's)

**Marking of fittings**

All fittings produced by member companies of the "Fachgemeinschaft Gussrohrsysteme/European Association for Ductile Iron Pipe Systems (FGR/EADIPS)" carry the "FGR" mark indicating that all the guidelines required for the award of the "FGR Quality Mark" have been complied with.



As well as this, all fittings are marked with their nominal sizes and bends are marked with their respective angles. Flanged fittings have the pressure ratings PN 16, 25 or 40 cast or stamped onto them. No pressure rating appears on flanged fittings for PN 10 or on any socket fittings.

To identify their material as "ductile iron", fittings are marked with three raised dots arranged in a triangle (●●●) on their outer surface. In special cases, there may be further markings which are specified as needing to be applied.



## 4 – FLANGED JOINTS, PIPES AND FITTINGS





## Introduction

The flanged joints described in this Chapter comply with EN 1092-2. The flanges may be integrally cast, bolted on or welded on.

Regardless of the material of which they are made, all flanges of the same DN and the same PN can be combined with one another. Shown on the following pages are flanged joints of the PN 10, PN 16, PN 25 and PN 40 pressure ratings.

PN 63 and PN 100 flanges are also possible. For further information on them see our leaflet entitled "Ductile iron pipe systems for Snow-making systems".

### Fields of use/advantages

Flanged joints are restrained joints. Their primary field of use is above-ground pipeline laying, equipment in manholes, and building services. The standardised hole patterns also allow them to be used for transitions between different materials.

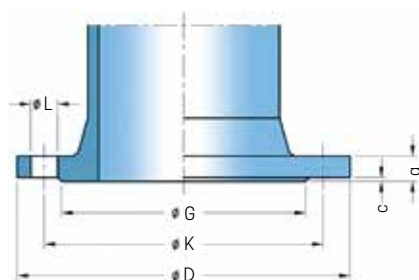
When buried pipelines are laid, flanges are used above all for the installation of shut-off devices.

### PFA – allowable operating pressure

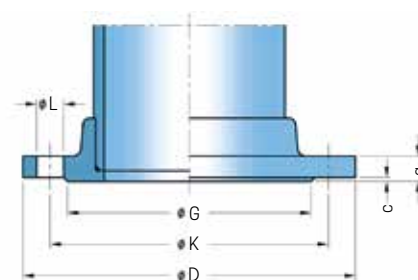
- the stated PN defines the allowable operating pressure (PFA)
- $PMA = 1.2 \times PFA$  (allowable maximum operating pressure for a short period, e.g. the period of a pressure surge)
- $PEA = 1.2 \times PFA + 5$  (allowable site test pressure).

## 4.1 Flanged joints

### Flanged joints Measurements



cast-on flanged joint



screwed-on flanged joint

Flanged joints for PN10 – PN63 to EN 1092-2 and for PN100 to EN 1092-1. Flanged joints produced to this norm can be connected with all other flanges with measurements to DIN 2501-1.

DN	Flange				Gasket		Screws			
	PN	Ø D	Ø K	a	Ø G	c	Number	Thread	Ø L	SW
50	10	165	125	19	99	3	4	M 16	19	24
	16	165	125	19	99	3	4	M 16	19	24
	25	165	125	19	99	3	4	M 16	19	24
	40	165	125	19	99	3	4	M 16	19	24
	63	180	135	28	99	3	4	M 20	23	30
	100 <sup>0</sup>	195	145	30	99	3	4	M 24	28	36
80	10	200	160	19	132	3	8	M 16	19	24
	16	200	160	19	132	3	8	M 16	19	24
	25	200	160	19	132	3	8	M 16	19	24
	40	200	160	19	132	3	8	M 16	19	24
	63	215	170	31	132	3	8	M 20	23	30
	100 <sup>0</sup>	230	180	32	132	3	8	M 24	28	36



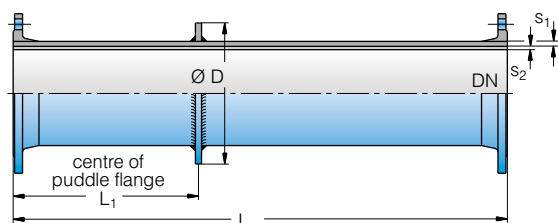
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	PN	Ø D	Ø K	a	Ø g	c	Number	Thread	Ø L	SW
100	10	220	180	19	156	3	8	M 16	19	24
	16	220	180	19	156	3	8	M 16	19	24
	25	235	190	19	156	3	8	M 20	23	30
	40	235	190	19	156	3	8	M 20	23	30
	63	250	200	33	156	3	8	M 24	28	36
125	100 <sup>1)</sup>	265	210	36	156	3	8	M 27	31	41
	10	250	210	19	184	3	8	M 16	19	24
	16	250	210	19	184	3	8	M 16	19	24
	25	270	220	23,5	184	3	8	M 24	28	36
	40	270	220	23,5	184	3	8	M 24	28	36
150	63	295	240	37	184	3	8	M 27	31	41
	100 <sup>1)</sup>	315	250	40	184	3	8	M 30	34	46
	10	285	240	19	211	3	8	M 20	23	30
	16	285	240	19	211	3	8	M 20	23	30
	25	300	250	26	211	3	8	M 24	28	36
200	40	300	250	26	211	3	8	M 24	28	36
	63	345	280	39	211	3	8	M 30	34	46
	100 <sup>1)</sup>	355	290	44	211	3	12	M 30	34	46
	10	340	295	20	266	3	8	M 20	23	30
	16	340	295	20	266	3	12	M 20	23	30
250	25	360	310	22	274	3	12	M 24	28	36
	40	375	320	30	284	3	12	M 27	31	41
	63	415	345	46	284	3	12	M 33	37	50
	100 <sup>1)</sup>	430	360	52	284	3	12	M 33	37	50
	10	400	350	22	319	3	12	M 20	23	30
300	16	400	355	22	319	3	12	M 24	28	36
	25	425	370	24,5	330	3	12	M 27	31	41
	40	450	385	34,5	345	3	12	M 30	34	46
	63	470	400	50	345	3	12	M 33	37	50
	100 <sup>1)</sup>	505	430	60	345	3	12	M 36	40	55
400	10	455	400	24,5	370	4	12	M 20	23	30
	16	455	410	24,5	370	4	12	M 24	28	36
	25	485	430	27,5	389	4	16	M 27	31	41
	40	515	450	39,5	409	4	16	M 30	34	46
	63	530	460	57	409	4	16	M 33	37	50
500	100 <sup>1)</sup>	585	500	68	409	4	16	M 39	43	60
	10	565	515	24,5	480	4	16	M 24	28	36
	16	580	525	28	480	4	16	M 27	31	41
	25	620	550	32	503	4	16	M 33	37	50
	40	660	585	48	535	4	16	M 36	40	55
600	63	670	585	65	535	4	16	M 39	44	60
	100 <sup>1)</sup>	715	620	78	535	4	16	M 45	50	70
	10	670	620	26,5	582	4	20	M 24	28	36
	16	715	650	31,5	609	4	20	M 30	34	46
	25	730	660	36,5	609	4	20	M 33	37	50
700	40	755	670	52	615	4	20	M 39	44	60
	63 <sup>1)</sup>	800	705	68	602	4	20	M 45	48	70
	100 <sup>1)</sup>	870	760	94	630	4	20	M 52	56	80
	10	780	725	30	685	4	20	M 27	31	41
	16	840	770	36	725	4	20	M 33	37	50
800	25	845	770	42	720	4	20	M 36	40	55
	40	890	795	58	735	4	20	M 45	50	70
	10	895	840	32,5	800	4	24	M 27	31	41
	16	910	840	39,5	795	4	24	M 33	37	50
	25	960	875	46,5	820	4	24	M 39	43	60
900	40	995	900	77	840	4	24	M 45	48	70
	10	1015	950	35	905	5	24	M 30	34	46
	16	1025	950	43	900	5	24	M 36	41	55
	25	1085	990	51	930	5	24	M 45	49	70
	40	1140	1030	80	960	5	24	M 52	57	80
1000	10	1115	1050	37,5	1005	5	28	M 30	34	46
	16	1125	1050	46,5	1000	5	28	M 36	41	55
	25	1185	1090	55,2	1030	5	28	M 45	49	70
	40	1250	1140	90	1070	5	28	M 52	57	80
	10	1230	1160	40	1110	5	28	M 33	37	50
1000	16	1255	1170	50	1115	5	28	M 39	44	60
	25	1320	1210	60	1140	5	28	M 52	56	80
	40	1360	1250	99	1180	5	28	M 52	57	80

<sup>1)</sup> Maße nach EN 1092-1



## 4.2 Flanged pipes

**Ductile iron flanged pipes**  
**PN 10, PN 16 and PN 25 double-flanged pipes**  
 to EN 545  
 with puddle flange to manufacturer's standard



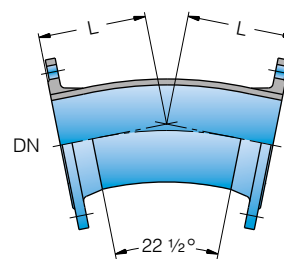
External protection: zinc coating plus finishing layer,  
 puddle flange bare metal  
 Internal protection: cement mortar lining (CML)

DN	Dimensions [mm]			Weight [kg] ~		
	Ø D			One puddle flange		
	PN 10	PN 16	PN 25	PN 10	PN 16	PN 25
80	140			0.7		
100	160			0.8		
125	190			1		
150	230			1.5		
200	300			3		
250	320		370	1.7		5.7
300	380		430	2.3		8.2
350	440		500	3.1		13.1
400	500		530	4.9		10.4
500	620		650	8.8		
600	740		780	15.1		

Larger DN's and higher PN's available on enquiry; When ordering, please state: L, L1, whether to be in the form of a flanged spigot, Ø D if different from Table; puddle flanges can also be supplied in sections which can be welded-on at site. Minimum concrete class C20/25. Curing time of 3 days

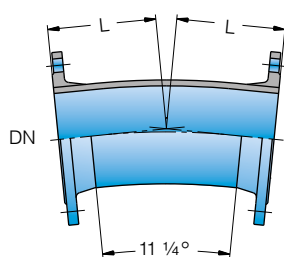
## 4.3 Flanged fittings

**FFK 22 fittings**  
**22½° double flanged bends**  
 to EN 545



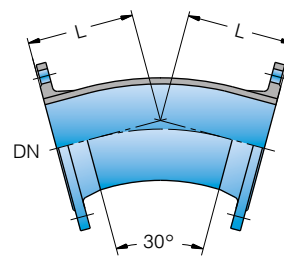
DN	Dimensions [mm]	Weight [kg] ~			
	L	PN10	PN16	PN25	PN40
80	130	9.5			
100	140	11.9			
125	150	15.3		17.8	20.5
150	160	19.7		21.5	25.5
200	180	29	27.5	32.5	42
250	210	41.5	41	48	65.5
300	255	60	59	69.5	96.5
350	140	58	64	81	128
400	153	67	75.5	98	156.5
500	185	99	127	148	232
600	254	182	227	248	350
700	284	313	339	334	
800	314	428	646	445	-

**FFK 11 fittings**  
**11¼° double flanged bends**  
 to manufacturer's standard



DN	Dimensions [mm]	Weight [kg] ~			
	L	PN10	PN16	PN25	PN40
80	130	9.5			
100	140	11.9		12.9	
125	150	15.3		17.3	20.5
150	160	19		21.5	25.5
200	180	26	25	29.5	39
250	210	41.5	41	48	65.5
300	255	60	59.5	69.5	96.5
350	105	56	61.5	77	135.9
400	113	58	67.5	90	165.3
500	135	85	113	134	232.8
600	174	157	202	223	253.2
700	194	243	269	299	
800	213	330	366	333	-

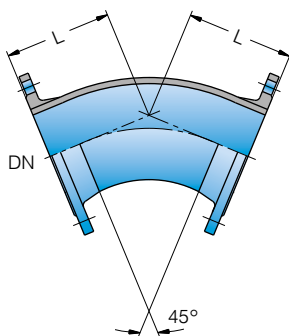
**FFK 30 fittings**  
**30° double flanged bends**  
 to EN 545



DN	Dimensions [mm]	Weight [kg] ~			
	L	PN10	PN16	PN25	PN40
80	130	9.5			
100	140	11.9		12.9	
125	150	15.3		17.8	20.5
150	160	19.5		19.5	25
200	180	29	27.5	32.5	42
250	210	41.5	40.5	48	65
300	255	59.5	59	69	96
350	165	65	71	88	138
400	183	73	82.5	106	163.5
500	220	109	137	158	256
600	309	212	257	278	284
700	346	360	386	430	
800	383	493	529	674	-

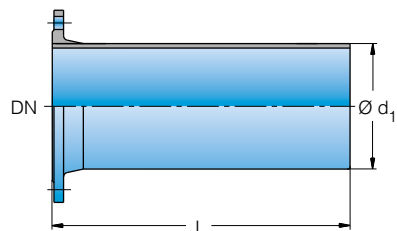


FFK 45 fittings  
45° double flanged bends  
to EN 545



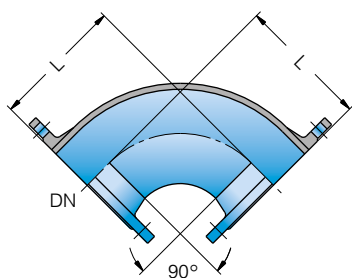
DN	Dimensions [mm]	Weight [kg] ~			
	L	PN10	PN16	PN25	PN40
80	130	9.4			
100	140/200*	11.3		12.3*	
125	150	14.5		15.7	18.3
150	160	18.4		20.5	24.5
200	180	27.5	27	31	41.5
250	350	54.5	54	61.5	82
300	400	77.2	76.2	87.7	118.2
350	298	75.5	82	99	141
400	324	94.4	106.4	128.4	196.4
500	375	143.5	173.5	196.5	264.5
600	426	210	263	292	397
700	478	292.5	322.5	392.5	
800	529	399.5	437.5	535.5	
900	581	513	561	682	
1,000	632	661	744	899	

F fittings  
Flanged spigots  
nach EN 545



DN	Dimensions [mm]		Weight [kg] ~			
	L	d <sub>1</sub>	PN10	PN16	PN25	PN40
80	350	98	7.5			
100	360	118	8.5		10.4	
125	370	144	12.4		13.1	14.3
150	380	170	15.6		16.6	17.5
200	400	222	24.6	24	24.5	29
250	420	274	32	31.5	36	45
300	440	326	43.2	42.7	47.7	63.2
350	460	378	52.3	55.3	64.3	85.3
400	480	429	64.3	70.3	81.3	115
500	520	532	93.9	109	121	154
600	560	635	133	159	173	226
700	600	738	179	194	228	–
800	600	842	226	245	294	–
900	600	945	272	295	356	–
1,000	600	1,048	328	369	447	–

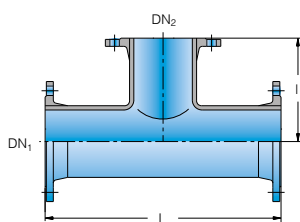
Q fittings  
90° double flanged bends  
to EN 545



DN	Dimensions [mm]	Weight [kg] ~			
	L	PN10	PN16	PN25	PN40
80	165	9.7			
100	180	12.3		12.3	
125	200	18.0		21.1	22.3
150	220	19.8		21.8	26.3
200	260	31.2	30.2	34.7	45.2
250	350	50	49	57	77
300	400	69.9	68.9	80.4	110.9
350	450	93.1	102.2	146	190
400	500	133.2	146.2	205.5	272.5
500	600	179	209	233	300
600	700	269	322	350	455
700	800	381.5	411.5	481.5	
800	900	527	565.5	664.5	
900	1,000	690	737	858	
1,000	1,100	896	979	1,135	



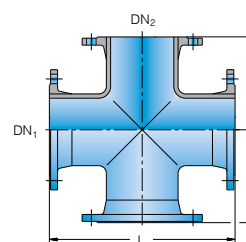
**T fittings**  
**All flanged tees**  
to EN 545



DN <sub>1</sub>	DN <sub>2</sub>	Dimensions [mm]		Weight [kg] -			
		L	I	PN10	PN16	PN25	PN40
80	40 <sup>0</sup>	330	155	14			
	160		15				
	165		15.7				
100	40 <sup>0</sup>	360	170	18		19	
	175		17.1		18.1		
	180		18.4		19.6		
	190		19		20.5		
125	80	400	190	22.8		24.3	
	195		23.8		25.8		
	200		25.2		26.7		
150	80	440	205	28.5		30.5	
	210		29.4		31.9		
	215		30.9		33.4		
	220		32.2		35.3		
200	80	520	235	42.2		41.7	
	240		43.1		42.6		
	245		51		51		
	250		46		45.5		
	260		49.5		48.5		
	265		72		71		
	275		67.6		66.6		
250	125 <sup>0</sup>	700	92	91		100	
	150 <sup>0</sup>		81		80		
	200		325		75.2		
	250		350		81		
300	80 <sup>0</sup>	800	290	98		97	
	100		300		93.8		
	150 <sup>0</sup>		325		101		
	200		350		102.4		
	250 <sup>0</sup>		400		113.9		
	300 <sup>0</sup>		375		117.4		
	325		115		121.5		
350	200	850	200	120.5		126.5	
	350		425		138.8		
	80 <sup>0</sup>		15.4		167.4		
400	100	900	350	158		173.2	
	150 <sup>0</sup>		144		156		
	200		179.5		179.5		
	300 <sup>0</sup>		183		187.3		
	400		182.5		209.5		
500	80 <sup>0</sup>	1,000	400	215.5		216	
	100		218.5		247		
	150 <sup>0</sup>		225.5		255.5		
	200		242.3		273.6		
	300 <sup>0</sup>		259		267		
	400		266.9		327.4		
	500		291.7		298.2		
600	80 <sup>0</sup>	1,100	450	335		366	
	100 <sup>0</sup>		350.7		385.5		
	150 <sup>0</sup>		363.6		365		
	200		296.4		394.9		
	300 <sup>0</sup>		368		416.6		
	400		355		409		
	500 <sup>0</sup>		370		435		
700	600	1,200	550	388		488	
	100 <sup>0</sup>		310		336		
	150 <sup>0</sup>		310		336		
	200		339.3		377.1		
	300 <sup>0</sup>		383		416		
	400		468.4		444.5		
	500 <sup>0</sup>		539.8		532		
800	600	1,350	600	541.4		627.8	
	700		604		591		
	80 <sup>0</sup>		407.5		445.5		
	100 <sup>0</sup>		398.5		452		
	150 <sup>0</sup>		438.2		409		
	200		585		448.7		
	300 <sup>0</sup>		600		547.6		
900	400	1,500	615	556.2		553	
	500 <sup>0</sup>		645		697.6		
	600		654.4		729		
	700 <sup>0</sup>		679		731		
	800		716		720		
	100 <sup>0</sup>		640		445		
	200		645		432		
1,000	300 <sup>0</sup>	1,650	660	544		588	
	400		675		532.5		
	500 <sup>0</sup>		690		784		
	600		705		771		
	700		750		818		
	800		561		640		
	900		564		643		
1,100	300 <sup>0</sup>	1,800	645	724		738	
	400		657		738		
	500 <sup>0</sup>		951		1,055		
	600 <sup>0</sup>		966		1,082		
	700 <sup>0</sup>		989		1,102		
	800 <sup>0</sup>		1,016		1,123		
	900 <sup>0</sup>		1,036		1,148		
1,000	1,066		1,186				

<sup>†</sup> To manufacturer's standard

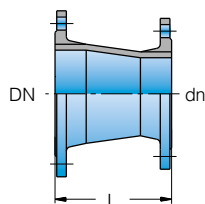
**TT fittings**  
All flanged crosses  
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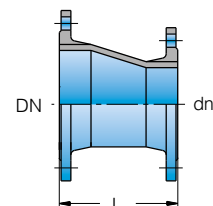
FFR fittings  
Double flanged tapers  
to EN 545



DN <sub>1</sub>	dn	Dimensions [mm]	Weight [kg] -			
		L	PN10	PN16	PN25	PN40
80	40 <sup>0</sup>	200	7.8			
	50 <sup>0</sup>		7.9			
	65		9.2			
100	40 <sup>0</sup>	200	8.9		9.7	
	50 <sup>0</sup>		9.4		11	
	65 <sup>0</sup>		10.6		12.6	
	80		11.1		13.1	
125	40 <sup>0</sup>	200	12.5	13.5	13.5	
	50 <sup>0</sup>		12.6	14.5	14.5	
	65 <sup>0</sup>		13	15.5	15.5	
	80		13	17.5	17.5	
	100		13.1	18	18	
150	40 <sup>0</sup>	300	14.4	15.4	17.4	
	50 <sup>0</sup>		17.4	18.4	20.4	
	65 <sup>0</sup>		17.9	18.4	21.4	
	80 <sup>0</sup>	200	13.9	15.9	15.9	
	100 <sup>0</sup>		15.9	18.8	20.4	
	125		16.4	18.4	22.4	
200	50 <sup>0</sup>	300	20.6	20.6	25.1	32.1
	80 <sup>0</sup>		22.9	22.9	28.1	34.1
	100 <sup>0</sup>		23.8	23.8	29.2	37.5
	125 <sup>0</sup>		25.5	25.5	30.9	38.5
	150		26.4	26.4	35.1	39.4
	80 <sup>0</sup>	300	26	29	30.5	41
250	100 <sup>0</sup>		29	32.5	33	44
	125 <sup>0</sup>		31.5	32.5	33	46.5
	150 <sup>0</sup>		32.5	33	36.6	55.5
	200		34.1	34.1	40	56.5
	100 <sup>0</sup>	300	29	29	35	48
300	150 <sup>0</sup>		33	32.5	38	55
	200 <sup>0</sup>		35.9	35.4	42.9	63.9
	250		40.8	39.8	49.3	74.8
350	200 <sup>0</sup>	600	87	90	103	127
	250 <sup>0</sup>	300	44.4	46.9	59.4	90.4
	300		49.7	52.2	66.2	103.2
400	200 <sup>0</sup>	300	45.6	50.5	63.5	98
	250 <sup>0</sup>		49.1	54.6	69.6	113.1
	300		54.4	59.4	76.4	125.9
	350		58.1	66.6	86.1	141.1
	350 <sup>0</sup>		145	149	166	201
500	400	600	133.6	163.6	175.6	210.6
600	400 <sup>0</sup>	600	178	219	237.5	309.5
	500		185.5	226.5	257	343
700	400 <sup>0</sup>	600	253.5	281.5	334.5	-
	500 <sup>0</sup>		258	273	337	-
	600		301.4	332.4	285.4	-
	500 <sup>0</sup>		308.5	359.5	442.5	-
800	600 <sup>0</sup>	600	363	375	459	-
	700		397.3	431.3	484.3	-
	600 <sup>0</sup>		336	384	453	-
	700 <sup>0</sup>		456	497	481	-
900	800	600	374.2	414.2	518.2	-
	800 <sup>0</sup>		516	612	739	-
	900		530.2	592.2	576.2	-

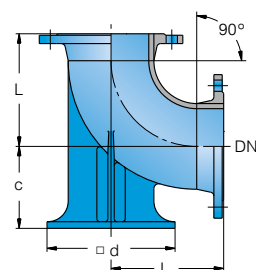
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FFRe fittings  
Eccentric double flanged tapers  
to manufacturer's standard



DN <sub>1</sub>	dn	Dimensions [mm]	Weight [kg] -			
		L	PN10	PN16	PN25	PN40
50	40	200	7			
	40		8.5			
65	50	200	9			
	40		9.2			
80	50	200	9.7			
	65		10.7			
	40		11.1		11.6	
100	50	200	12.1		12.1	
	65		12.6		12.6	
	80		13.1		13.1	
	50		13.6		14.2	16.1
125	65	200	14.6		15.1	16.4
	80		15.6		16.2	17.5
	100		16.5		17.1	18.4
	50		17.9		21.5	23.5
150	80	300	19		23	25
	100		20		24.5	26.5
	125		25.5		25.5	29
	80		24.4	25	27	33.5
200	100	300	24.5	24.5	28	34
	125		25.5	25.5	29	35
	150		29.5	29.5	31.5	38.5
	100		35.5	35.5	39	49
250	125	300	36	36	39.5	50.5
	150		40	40	42.5	51.5
	200		42	42	48	64
	100		40.5	40.5	45	60
300	150	300	42.5	46.1	59	82
	200		53.1	53.1	63	87.5
	250		55	55	66.5	94
	200		82	85	99	122
350	250	500	83	85.5	101	128
	300		108	114	125	162
	150		81	90	102	138
	200		85	85	110.5	150.5
400	250	500	91	102	123	163
	300		105	104	124	183
	350		117	126	145	200
	250		114.5	127	140.5	186
500	300	500	115	135	153	204
	350		120.5	141	158	207
	400		162	162	194	194
	300		182	193	212	288
600	400	500	196	241	252	345
	500		236	252	262	357

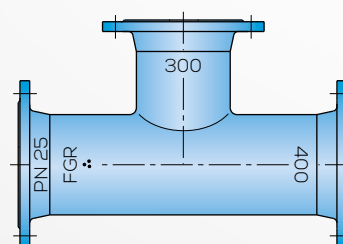
N fittings  
Double flanged 90° duckfoot bends  
to EN 545



DN	Dimensions [mm]			Weight [kg] -			
	L	c	d	PN 10	PN 16	PN 25	PN 40
80	165	110	180	13.2			
100	180	125	200	16.9			
125	200	140	225	22.1			
150	220	160	250	28.8			
200	260	190	300	46.2	45.2	49.7	60.2
250	350	225	350	73.5	72.5	80.5	101
300	400	255	400	103.9	102.9	113.9	144.9
350	450	290	450	136	142	158	201
400	500	320	500	176.4	186.4	209.4	277.4
500	600	385	600	281	311	335	402
600	700	450	700	425	478	506	612

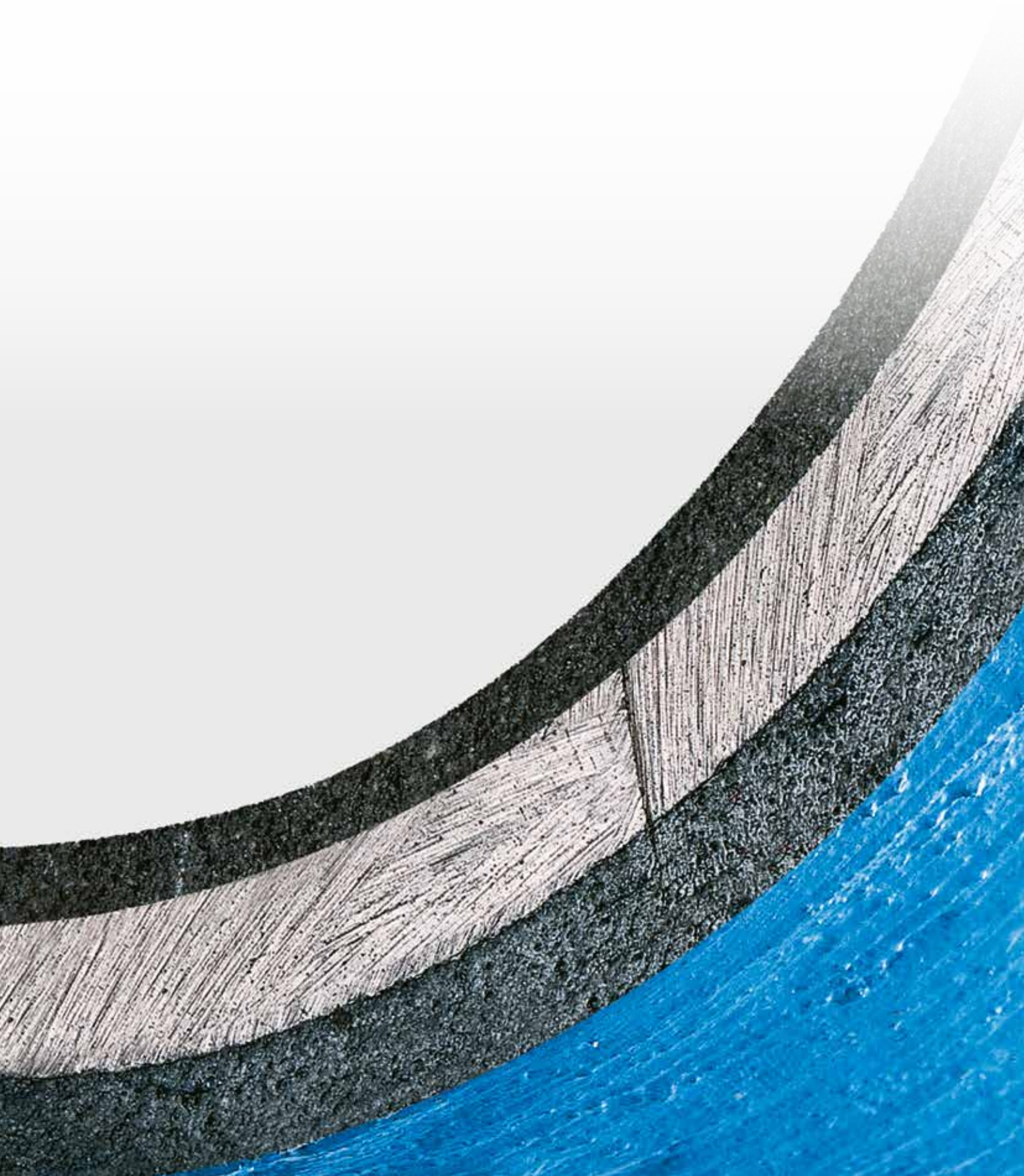


DN	b [mm]				Weight [kg] -				Optional bored hole(s) ["]
	PN 10	PN 16	PN 25	PN 40	PN 10	PN 16	PN 25	PN 40	
40	16				2.5				1 x 1/8" central
50	16				3				
65	16				4				
80	16				3.6				
100	16				4.3		4.8		1 x 2" central
125	16			20.5	5.6		6.2	7.9	
150	16		17	23	7.2		8.3	11.1	
200	17		19	27	11	10.8	13.3	20	
250	19		21.5	31	16.9		21	33.5	
300	20.5		23.5	35.5	26	25.5	32	51.5	
350	20.5	22.5	26	40 <sup>0</sup>	33	37	46	73.5	2 x 2" eccentric
400	20.5	24	28	44 <sup>0</sup>	41	49	62.5	106	
500	22.5	27.5	32.5	48 <sup>0</sup>	65	85.5	102	151	
600	25	31	37	53 <sup>0</sup>	99.5	136	159	230	
700	27.5	34.5	41.5 <sup>0</sup>	-	147	179	225	-	
800	30	38	46 <sup>0</sup>	-	207	252	325	-	
900	32.5	41.5	50.5 <sup>0</sup>	-	273	335	429	-	
1000	35	45	55 <sup>0</sup>	-	360	453	578	-	

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# 5 – COATINGS





## Preliminary remarks

In their as-supplied form, ductile iron pipes and fittings have factory-applied internal and external coatings. The various coatings available for pipes can be selected to suit a wide variety of factors and can be combined almost as desired.

Some of the crucial influencing factors are as follows:

- the medium to be carried
- the corrosiveness of the soil and groundwater
- the grain size of the bedding
- the temperature of the medium
- the ambient temperature
- the installation technique

The structure, operation and fields of use of the various internal and external coatings available for pipes are described in the following Chapter.

For fittings, what has shown itself to be the state of the art internal and external coating is the epoxy coating to EN 14 901. Fittings with this coating can be used both for the supply of drinking water and for the disposal of sewage and other wastewater. Other coatings such as a cement mortar lining, enamelling or bitumen are possible on enquiry.



## 5.1 External coatings

### Zinc coating with polyurethane finishing layer (PUR Longlife coating)

#### Structure

A zinc coating with a polyurethane (PUR) finishing layer is available for 5 m laying length pipes of nominal sizes from DN 80 to DN 500 and for all push-in joints. The finishing layer consists of polyurethane.

It complies with Austrian Ö-NORM B 2560 and is available in the following colours:

- blue for drinking water
- black for snow-making systems and turbine pipelines

Other colours are available on enquiry.

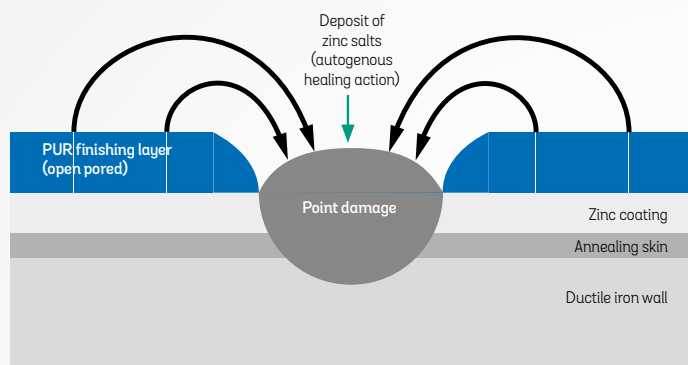
The mean thickness of the finishing layer is 120 µm. Below the finishing layer there is a zinc coating with a mass of at least 200 g/m².

#### Operation

There are three factors on which the protective action of the zinc coating with a finishing layer is based:

- the electrochemical action of the zinc
- a reduction in any subsequent diffusion of the attacking medium, caused by the products of reaction of the zinc which form and which are insoluble in water
- the anti-bacterial action of zinc salts

If there is damage to the corrosion protection which extends down to the surface of the ductile iron, an electrochemical cell, a so-called macrocell, forms at the damaged point. When metals are arranged in the electrochemical series, zinc is a less noble metal than iron; it has a more negative electrode potential and if it is in conductive contact with iron and an electrolyte is present it goes into solution. In electrochemical terms, the exposed surface of the ductile iron thus forms a cathode and the zinc-coated surface of the pipe an anode. Zinc ions migrate to the damaged point and form a layer of "scarring" which stops the corrosion.



Cathodic protective action of the zinc at injuries to the protective layer

When pipes are laid in the ground, over the course of time the layer of zinc changes into a dense, firmly adhering, impermeable and uniformly crystalline layer of insoluble compounds consisting of zinc oxides, hydrates and zinc salts of different compositions. Although the exchange processes between the zinc and the ground are hampered by the porous finishing layer, they are not completely suppressed and in a spatially confined region conditions are created for a slow conversion which encourages salts to crystallise out.

Even though the metallic zinc which was originally present has been converted, this layer of products of the corrosion of the zinc maintains the protective action.

In anaerobic soils in which bacterial corrosion by sulphate-reducing bacteria may occur, zinc provides additional protection as a result of its antibacterial action and its ability to increase the pH at the interface between the ductile iron and the soil.

#### Fields of use

- Under Austrian ÖNORM B 2538, the allowable grain size of the pipe bedding material is limited to 100 mm
- With regard to the corrosiveness of the bedding material, the present external coating can be assumed to be comparable to the zinc coating and reinforced finishing layer under EN 545. Many soils are permitted as pipe bedding materials in this case but the following are exceptions
  - soils with a low resistivity of less than 1,000 ohms x cm when installation is above the water table or one of less than 1,500 ohms x cm when installation is below the water table
  - mixed soils, i.e. soils made up of two or more different types of soil
  - soils with a pH of less than 6 and a high base-neutralising capacity
  - soils which contain refuse, cinders or slag or which are polluted by wastes or industrial effluents.

Further information on the present subject can be found in Chapter 8.



## 5.2 External coatings PUR-TOP premium coating

The PUR-TOP finishing layer is an enhanced version of the PUR Longlife finishing layer. The PUR finishing layer is increased to a thickness of 400 µm and it also has a polyethylene bandage for protection against impacts wound round it. The thickness of the impact protection bandage is  $\geq 0.65$  mm.

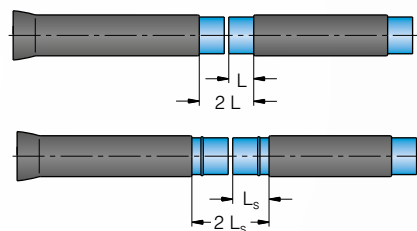
With regard to the corrosiveness of the bedding material, the PUR TOP coating constitutes a reinforced coating under EN 545. Soils of any desired corrosiveness are thus possible as bedding materials.

PE tape protection	
Enhanced polyurethane finishing layer (min. 400µm)	
	Zinc coating
	Annealing skin
	cast iron wall

### Installation instructions

The directions given in Chapter 8 relating to bedding materials and the cutting of pipes should be followed. Special requirement for PUR TOP coatings.

Before pipes with PUR TOP coatings are cut, the polyethylene bandage must be removed by pulling it off for a length of 2L or 2L<sub>s</sub>, as the case may be, as shown in the Table below (for collars, allowance must also be made for the dimension for sliding on the collar).



DN	TYTON® / L (mm)	VRS®-T L <sub>s</sub> (mm)
80	95	165
100	100	175
125	100	185
150	105	190
200	110	200
250	115	205
300	120	210
350	120	-
400	120	230
500	130	245

Once the pipe joint has been assembled, the region in which the joint is situated should be covered with a shrink-on sleeve.

## 5.3 External coatings Zinc coating with epoxy layer

### Structure

A zinc coating with a finishing layer is available for 6 m laying length pipes of nominal sizes from DN 80 to DN 1000 and for all push-in joints. The finishing layer may consist of epoxy paint or bitumen.

It complies with EN 545 and is available in the following colours:

- blue for drinking water
- green for non-drinking water
- black (bitumen) for snow-making systems and turbine pipelines

Other colours are available on enquiry.

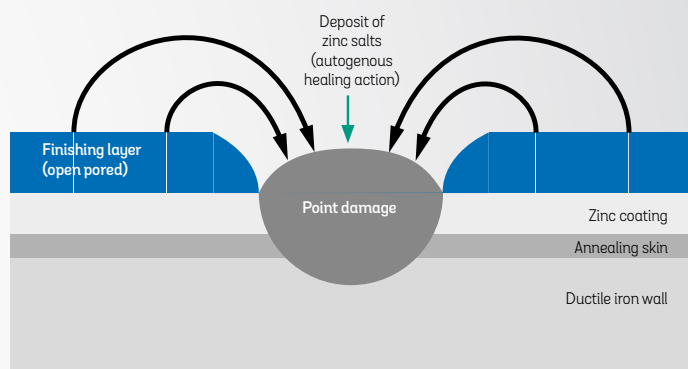
The mean thickness of the finishing layer is 70 µm. Below the finishing layer there is a zinc coating with a mass of at least 200 g/m<sup>2</sup>.

### Operation

There are three factors on which the protective action of the zinc coating with a finishing layer is based:

- the electrochemical action of the zinc
- a reduction in any subsequent diffusion of the attacking medium, caused by the products of reaction of the zinc which form and which are insoluble in water
- the anti-bacterial action of zinc salts

If there is damage to the corrosion protection which extends down to the surface of the ductile iron, an electrochemical cell, a so-called macrocell, forms at the damaged point. When metals are arranged in the electrochemical series, zinc is a less noble metal than iron; it has a more negative electrode potential and if it is in conductive contact with iron and an electrolyte is present it goes into solution. In electrochemical terms, the exposed surface of the ductile iron thus forms a cathode and the zinc-coated surface of the pipe an anode. Zinc ions migrate to the damaged point and form a layer of "scarring" which stops the corrosion.



Cathodic protective action of the zinc at injuries to the protective layer

When pipes are laid in the ground, over the course of time the layer of zinc changes into a dense, firmly adhering, impermeable and uniformly crystalline layer of insoluble compounds consisting of zinc oxides, hydrates and zinc salts of different compositions. Although the exchange processes between the zinc and the ground are hampered by the porous finishing layer, they are not completely suppressed and in a spatially confined region conditions are created for a slow conversion which encourages salts to crystallise out. Even though the metallic zinc which was originally present has been converted, this layer of products of the corrosion of the zinc maintains the protective action.

In anaerobic soils in which bacterial corrosion by sulphate-reducing bacteria may occur, zinc provides protection as a result of its antibacterial action and its ability to increase the pH at the interface between the ductile iron and the soil.

### Fields of use

Pipes with a zinc coating are used above all in applications where an exchange of soil is intended. There are two main factors which may dictate such an exchange:



- Under DVGW W 400-2, Anhang G, the allowable grain size of the pipe bedding material is limited to 0 to 32 mm (rounded grains) or 0 to 16 mm (fragmented grains)
- Many soils are permitted as pipe bedding materials under EN 545 but the following are exceptions
  - soils with a low resistivity of less than 1,500 ohms x cm when installation is above the water table or one of less than 2,500 ohms x cm when installation is below the water table
  - mixed soils, i.e. soils made up of two or more different types of soil
  - soils with a pH of less than 6 and a high base-neutralising capacity
  - soils which contain refuse, cinders or slag or which are polluted by wastes or industrial effluents.

A thicker finishing layer with a local minimum thickness of 100 µm is able to widen the field of use to cover a soil resistivity of 1,000 ohms x cm when installation is above the water table and one of 1,500 ohms x cm when it is below the water table.

Further information on the present subject can be found in Chapter 8.

#### Installation instructions

The directions given in Chapter 8 relating to bedding materials and the cutting of pipes should be followed.

## 5.4 External coatings

### Zinc-aluminium coating with finishing layer (Zinc Plus)

#### Structure

A zinc-aluminium coating with a finishing layer is available for 6 m laying length pipes of nominal sizes from DN 80 to DN 1,000 and for all push-in joints. The finishing layer consists of blue epoxy paint and complies with EN 545. Other colours are available on enquiry.

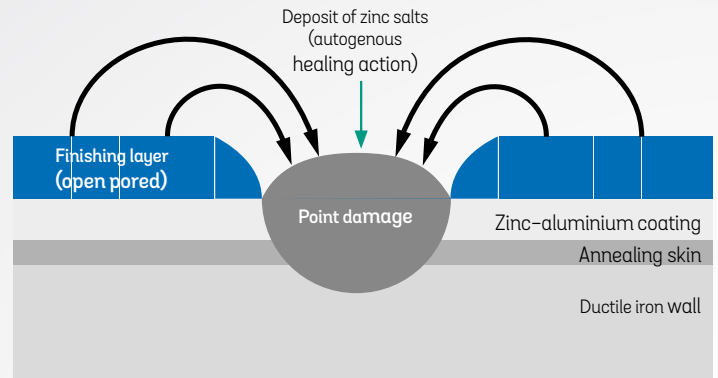
The mean thickness of the finishing layer is 70 µm. Below the finishing layer there is a zinc-aluminium coating (85% zinc and 15% aluminium) with a mass of at least 400 g/m<sup>2</sup>.

#### Operation

There are three factors on which the protective action of the zinc-aluminium coating with a finishing layer is based:

- the electrochemical action of the zinc
- a reduction in any subsequent diffusion of the attacking medium. caused by the products of reaction of the zinc which form and which are insoluble in water
- the anti-bacterial action of zinc salts

If there is damage to the corrosion protection which extends down to the surface of the ductile iron, an electrochemical cell, a so-called macrocell, forms at the damaged point. When metals are arranged in the electrochemical series, zinc is a less noble metal than iron; it has a more negative electrode potential and if it is in conductive contact with iron and an electrolyte is present it goes into solution. In electrochemical terms, the exposed surface of the ductile iron thus forms a cathode and the zinc-coated surface of the pipe an anode. Zinc ions migrate to the damaged point and form a layer of "scarring" which stops the corrosion.



Cathodic protective action of the zinc at injuries to the protective layer

When pipes are laid in the ground, over the course of time the layer of zinc changes into a dense, firmly adhering, impermeable and uniformly crystalline layer of insoluble compounds consisting of zinc oxides, hydrates and zinc salts of different compositions. Although the exchange processes between the zinc and the ground are hampered by the porous finishing layer, they are not completely suppressed and in a spatially confined region conditions are created for a slow conversion which encourages salts to crystallise out.

Even though the metallic zinc which was originally present has been converted, the layer of products of the corrosion of the zinc maintains the protective action.

To delay the effect of this conversion for as long as possible, and thus to maintain the protective electrochemical action, the zinc has a 15% proportion of aluminium added to it. This and the increase in the total mass of zinc produces a further rise in the technical operating life which can be expected and an extension of the fields of use.

In anaerobic soils in which bacterial corrosion by sulphate-reducing bacteria may occur, zinc provides additional protection as a result of its antibacterial action and its ability to increase the pH at the interface between the ductile iron and the soil.

#### Fields of use

Pipes with a zinc-aluminium coating (Zinc Plus) are used above all in applications where an exchange of soil is intended. Such an exchange is dictated mainly by the allowable grain sizes.

Under DVGW W 400-2, the allowable grain size of the pipe bedding material is limited to 0 to 32 mm (rounded grains) or 0 to 16 mm (fragmented grains).

Few limits are set in respect of the corrosiveness of the pipe bedding material and the only soils which are ruled out under EN 545 are the following:

- acidic peaty soils
- soils which contain refuse, cinders or slag or which are polluted by wastes or industrial effluents
- soils below sea level whose resistivity is less than 500 ohms x cm.

In soils of these kinds, and also where stray currents occur, it is advisable for pipes with a cement mortar coating to be used.

Further information on the present subject can be found in Chapter 8.



### Installation instructions

The directions given in Chapter 8 relating to bedding materials and the cutting of pipes should be followed.

## 5.5 External coatings Cement mortar coating

### Structure

The cement mortar coating (ZMU) is available for 6 m laying length pipes of nominal sizes from DN 80 to DN 1,000 and for all push-in joints. It complies with EN 15 542. The nominal layer thickness is therefore 5 mm. Below the ZMU there is always a zinc coating of a mass of at least 200 g/m<sup>2</sup>.

An additional primer may be applied between the zinc and the ZMU but this can be dispensed with if the ZMU is of the polymer-modified type. The cement mortar is applied by an extrusion process (winding-on) or a spraying process. The sockets are protected by rubber protective sleeves or shrink-on material (see Chapter 6, p. 51).

For special conditions of use, such for example as for trenchless installation in non-cohesive soils, we can also supply our ZMU Plus coating. In this case the pipe is sheathed with cement mortar to a depth sufficient to give it an entirely cylindrical external outline.

### Operation

The ZMU is highly effective in providing corrosion protection and protects against both chemical and mechanical attack.

The protective action against chemicals is based above all on the porosity and alkalinity of the mortar used, which is based on blast furnace cement. When the mortar is acted on by groundwater or the soil moisture, what is produced, in time, at the surface of the ductile iron pipe is a pH > 10, which is a reliable means of stopping corrosion from occurring.

In the unlikely event of the ZMU being damaged mechanically, the corrosion protection is maintained by the zinc coating situated below the ZMU.

In addition to this, the allowable mechanical loads are laid down by stipulations relating to them in EN 15 542. Standardised figures are given for, amongst other things, strength of adhesion and impact resistance. The consequence is that the ZMU has an outstanding ability to carry mechanical loads.

### Fields of use

Because of the excellent mechanical and chemical protective properties of the ZMU, pipes with an external coating of this kind can be used almost anywhere. Some of the significant fields of use are:

- corrosive/contaminated soils  
Under Annex D of EN 545, ductile iron pipes with a fibre-reinforced cement mortar coating to EN 15 542 can be installed in soils of any desired corrosiveness.
- coarse grained pipe bedding material  
DVGW directive W 400-2 regulates the allowable grain sizes of the pipe bedding material. Under Anhang G to this directive, a maximum grain size of 100 mm, where the grains are of a rounded or fragmented form, is allowable for pipes with a cement mortar coating.

- trenchless installation techniques

The trenchless installation techniques for which ductile iron pipes are relevant are regulated in DVGW directives GW 320-1 to GW 324. Under these documents, pipes with a cement mortar coating are approved for all such techniques.

- stray currents

The latest investigations indicate that ductile iron pipes with a cement mortar coating should be used in areas subject to stray currents. In this way, by installing joints which are not electrically conductive, stray currents can be stopped from having an adverse effect on the pipeline.





## 5.6 Internal coatings

### Operation

The cement mortar lining has both an active and a passive protective action. The active action is based on an electrochemical process. Water penetrates into the pores of the cement mortar. When this happens the pH of the water rises to a level of more than 12 as a result of the absorption of free lime from the mortar. It is impossible for ductile iron to corrode in this pH range. The passive action results from the physical separation which exists between the pipe's ductile iron wall and the water.

### Fields of use

Ductile iron pipes with a cement mortar lining based on blast furnace cement or Portland cement can be used to transport all types of water for human consumption which comply with EU Council Directive 98/83/EC. For other types of water such as raw water for example, the limits governing use are given in the Table below as a function of the type of cement used for the lining.

Water characteristics	Portland cement	Blast furnace cement	High-alumina cement
Minimum pH	6-12	6-12	4-10
Maximum content (mg/l) of:			
- corrosive CO <sub>2</sub>	7	15	Unlimited
- sulphate (SO <sub>4</sub> <sup>-</sup> )	400	3,000	Unlimited
- magnesium (Mg <sup>+</sup> )	100	500	Unlimited
- ammonium (NH <sub>4</sub> <sup>+</sup> )	30	30	Unlimited

### Repairing the cement mortar lining

#### On-site repairs to the cement mortar lining (ZMA)

All repairs to any damaged parts of the ZMA must be carried out using the repair kit supplied by the pipe manufacturer.

Contents of the repair kit:

approx. 5 kg of sand/cement mixture

approx. 1 litre of diluted additive.

These components are specially adjusted for use with Duktus drinking water pipes. They must not be replaced by any other material or used to produce classes of cement mortar different from those specified on the repair kit.

Repair instructions

A proper repair can only be made at temperatures of above 5°C.

Apart from the repair kit, what you will also need are:

Rubber gloves

Dust-tight protective goggles

Wire brush

Spatula

Additional mixing vessel

Possibly drinking water for mixing

If there is severe damage:

Hammer

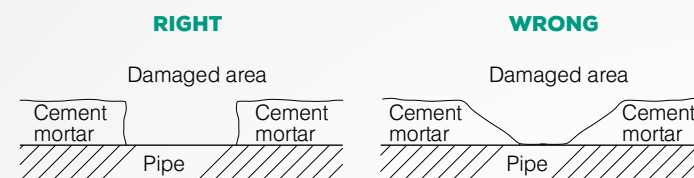
Cold chisel

#### Preparing the damaged area

If there is only slight surface damage, simply remove any loose pieces of cement mortar and any pieces which are not firmly attached with the wire brush.

Finally, moisten the damaged area. If the damage is severe, it is advisable for the cement mortar to be completely removed (down to the bare metal) in the damaged area with a hammer and cold chisel. The protective goggles must be worn when doing the above!

Remove the cement mortar in such a way that square edges are obtained:



Do not use excessive force when removing the cement mortar as this may cause the sound cement mortar to become detached in the region next to the damaged area. Remove any loose material which is still present with the wire brush and moisten the damaged area.

### Mixing

First of all stir the diluted additive well. Then mix the mortar, adding as little additive and water as possible, until a mixture which can be applied easily with the spatula is obtained – the amount of water contained in the additive is normally all that is needed. To begin with, use only the additive solution and meter it in carefully. Then add extra water if necessary (e.g. at high temperatures in summer).

### Application

Once the mortar is easily workable, fill the damaged area with it and level off the surface. Finally, smooth the repaired area, and especially the parts at the edges, with a moistened, wide paintbrush or a moistened dusting brush.

### Drying, installation and entry into service

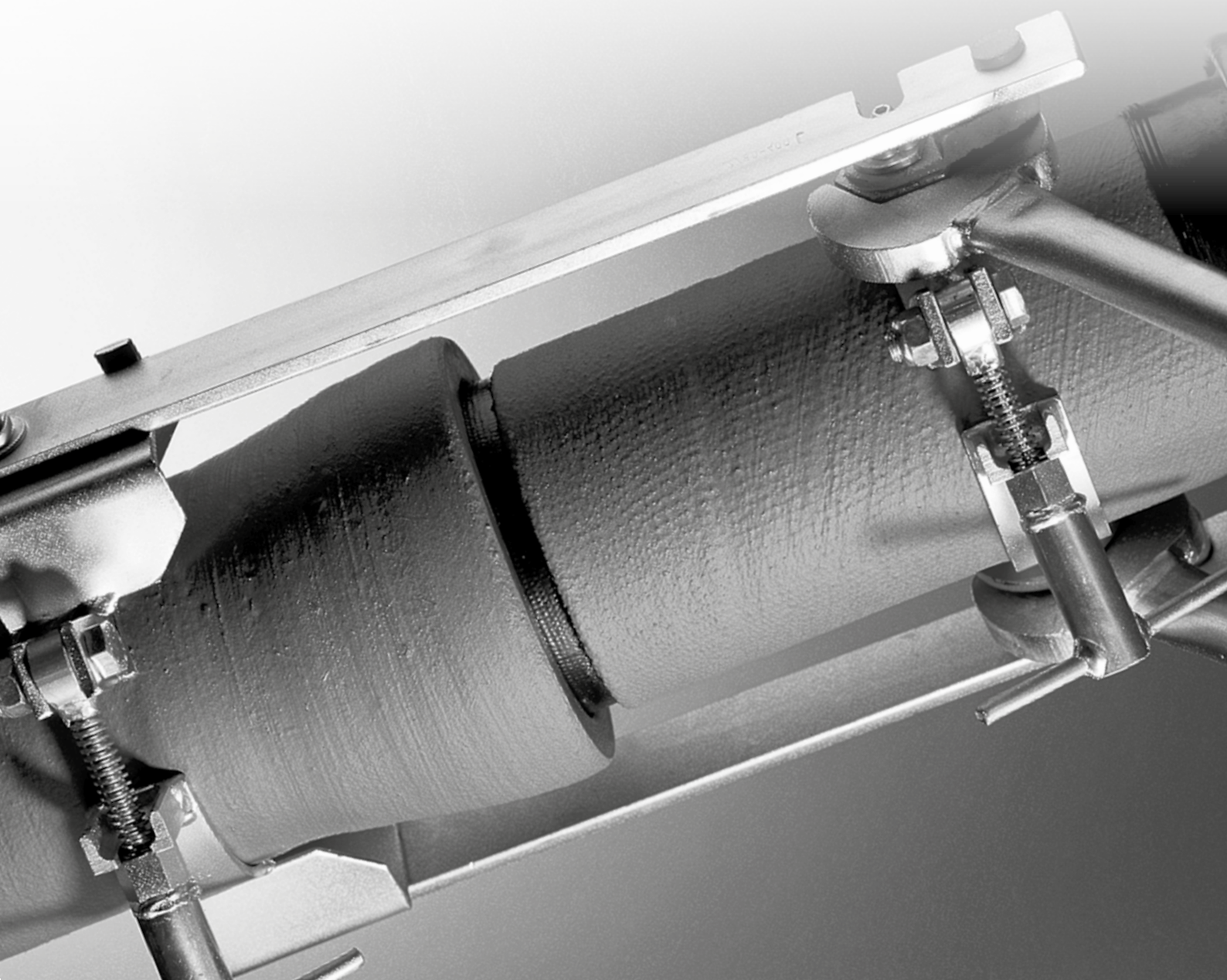
Pipes can be installed immediately; however, the repaired areas are not capable of withstanding any mechanical loads (e.g. impacts, vibration, etc.) until after about an hour, and significantly later in cold, damp weather.

A pipeline must not be put into service until at least 12 hours after a repair.





## 6 – ACCESSORIES





### Laying tools and other accessories for pipes and fittings with TYTON®, BRS® or VRS®-T push-in joints

The following laying tools and other accessories are needed for laying and assembling pipes and fittings:

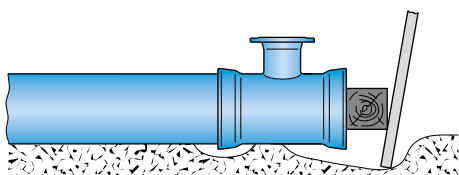
Note: a chain-hoist traction assembly must be used for assembling BRS® push-in joints of DN 350 size and above!

#### Laying tools

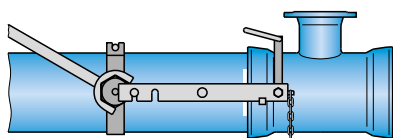
DN	Pipes	Fittings	
80		MMA, MMB.	MMK, MK
100	Lever	MMR und	Laying tool
125		EU: Lever	(f.e. Typ 1)
80	Laying tool		
100			
125	Type 1	As for pipes	
150			
200	Type 2	As for pipes, plus yoke and chain of Type 1 tool	
250			
300			
350 <sup>0</sup>	Type 3	As for pipes	
400 <sup>0</sup>			
500			
600			
700	Chain-hoist traction	As for pipes	
800			
900			
1,000			

<sup>0</sup> Use chain-hoist traction assemblies for BRS® push-in joints of DN 350 size and above.

#### Lever for sizes up to and including DN 125



#### Laying tools for nominal sizes up to and including DN 400



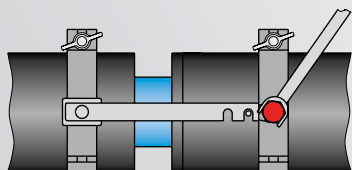
DN	Consisting of		Weight [kg] -
	Type 1	Type 2	
80			13.8
100			14.0
125			15.0
150	1 mounting clamp		15.5
200	1 yoke	2 mounting clamps	17.1
250	2 levers	2 levers	18.1
300			20.5
350 <sup>0</sup>			23.5
400 <sup>0</sup>			25.0

<sup>0</sup> Use chain-hoist traction assemblies for BRS® push-in joints of DN 350 size and above.

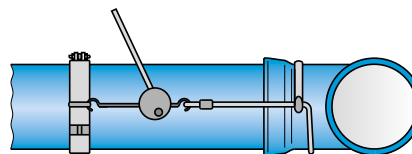
**Laying tool type 1** for DN 80 to DN 400 size pipes and fittings with a zinc or zinc-aluminium coating and a finishing layer (silver identifying marking).

**Laying tool type 2** for DN 80 to DN 400 size pipes with a cement mortar coating (blue identifying marking).

**Laying tool type 3** for DN 80 to DN 400 size pipes and fittings with thermal insulation (WKG) (red identifying marking).



#### Chain-hoist traction assemblies for nominal sizes from DN 350 to DN 1000



DN	Consisting of	Weight [kg] -
350 <sup>0</sup>		92
400 <sup>0</sup>	2 x 30 kN lever chain-hoists*	97
500	1 cable yoke	101
600	1 traction cable	105
700	1 mounting clamp	108
800		112
900	2 x 50 kN lever chain-hoists*	115
1,000	1 cable yoke 1 traction cable 1 mounting clamp	119

\* Obtainable from specialist suppliers

<sup>0</sup> Use chain-hoist traction assemblies for BRS® push-in joints of DN 350 size and above.

#### Other accessories

Dusting brush, cotton waste, wire brush, spatula, scraper (e.g. bent screwdriver), paint brush, lubricant, depth gauge.

#### For cutting of pipes

Use a disc cutter or grinder fitted with a cutting disc for stone, e.g. the C24RT Spezial type. For bevelling the spigot end use a coarse-grain grinding disc.

### Laying tools and other accessories for pipes and fittings with BLS®/VRS®-T push-in joints

As well as the usual laying tools and other accessories, the following may also be needed when pipes and fittings with VRS®-T push-in joints are being laid.

DN	Accessory	Used for
80 bis 500	Torque wrench able to apply a torque of at least 50 kN	Tightening the bolts of a clamping ring
80 bis 1000	Copper guide of the appropriate nominal size to guide the welded bead	Re-application of welded bead (e.g. to cut pipes)

### Laying tools and other accessories for fittings with screwed socket and bolted gland joints

The following laying tools and other accessories are needed for assembling fittings with screwed socket and bolted gland joints.

#### Laying tools

DN	Screwed socket joints	Bolted gland joints
40		
50		
65		
80		
100		
125		
150	Hook spanner	
200	Wooden driver	
250	Yarning iron	
300		
350		
400		
500		
600		
700		
800		
900		
1,000		Ring spanner Hardwood wedges

#### Other accessories:

Dusting brush, wire brush, spatula, chalk, hammer, paint brush, lubricant.

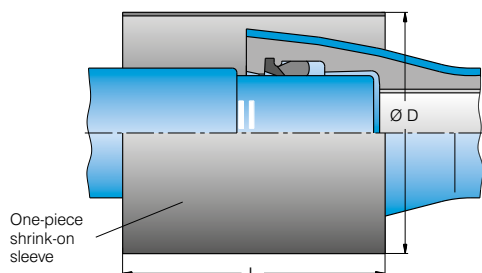


## Laying tools and other accessories for fittings with screwed socket joints

### Hook spanner

DN	40	80	100	125	150
Weight [kg] ~	2.4	3.3	4	5.6	6
DN	200	250	300	350	400
Weight [kg] ~	7.7	10.5	10.7	16.2	18

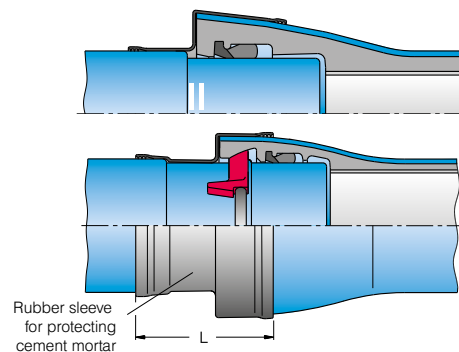
### One-piece shrink-on sleeves for pipes with a cement mortar coating (ZMU) and TYTON®, BRS® or VRS®-T push-in joints DN 80 to DN 500



DN	Product	Product designation			Dimensions [mm]	
		Loading class	Width L	Nominal size (DN)	L	ØD/Ød <sup>1)</sup>
80	MPSM	C30	300	DN XXX	300	200/80
100					300	235/100
125					300	280/135
150					300	280/135
200					300	340/205
250	PMO	C30	300	DN XXX	300	405/243
300					300	460/275
350					300	515/314
400					300	565/345
500					300	680/414

<sup>1)</sup> Ø D/Ø d = ~ in unshrunk state/smallest shrunken size; dimensions and degrees of shrinkage may vary slightly depending on the product; tape material should be used on joints of DN 600 size and above

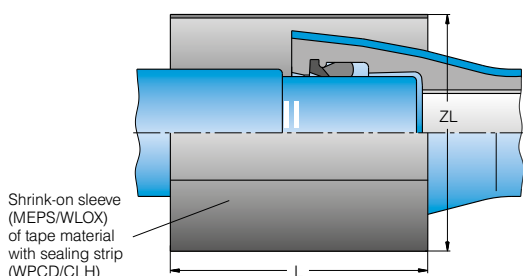
### Rubber sleeves for protecting cement mortar, for pipes with a cement mortar coating (ZMU) and TYTON®, BRS® or VRS®-T push-in joints



These are combination sleeves which will fit TYTON®, BRS® and VRS®-T push-in joints.

DN	Dimensions [mm]	
	L	
80	155	
100	155	
125	160	
150	165	
200	170	
250	180	
300	200	
350	135	
400	210	
500	210	
600	265	
700	265	
800	265	
900	265	
1,000	265	

### Pre-cut shrink-on sleeves of tape material with a sealing strip for pipes with a cement mortar coating (ZMU) DN 600 to DN 1000



Width L = 300 mm (12 inch) for TYTON®/BRS®  
Width L = 450 mm (17 inch) for BLS®

DN	Product	Product designation			Dimensions [mm]	
		Loading class	Width L	Nominal size	ZL <sup>1)</sup>	
600	MEPS	C30	300 or 450	DN XXX	2.500	
700					2.950	
800					3.260	
900	WLOX	C30	300 or 450	DN XXX	3.600	
1,000					3.960	

<sup>1)</sup> Sleeves are supplied already cut to the specified length and fitted with a sealing strip.  
Tape material in the form of 30 m rolls is available on enquiry for DN 250 to DN 1000 sizes







## 7 – SPECIAL PRODUCTS





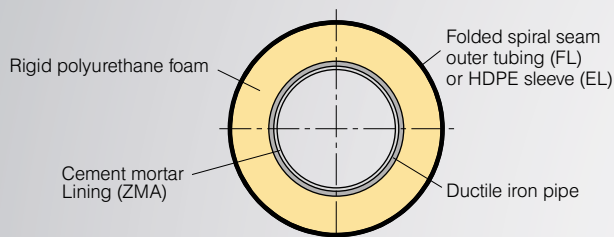
## 7.1 External coatings

### Thermally insulated ductile iron pipes and fittings (WKG)

#### Structure of the WKG pipe system

The WKG pipe system consists of ductile iron pipes and socket bends (MMK, MMQ) to EN 545 (water) or EN 598 (sewerage) with TYTON® push-in joints to DIN 28 603 which may be restrained if desired.

The pipes are enclosed in thermal insulation formed by a CFC-free rigid polyurethane (PUR) foam with an average density of  $80 \text{ kg/m}^3$ . This rigid foam is protected from the effects of the weather in one of two ways: for above-ground pipelines (FL), by folded spiral-seam outer tubing of galvanized steel to EN 1506 or, as an option, of stainless steel, or for buried pipelines (EL) with a small height of cover which are thus at risk of freezing, by an outer sleeve of high-density polyethylene (HDPE) to EN 253.



The gap in the area of the push-in joint is filled with a ring of soft polyethylene and is covered with a sheet-metal sleeve (in the case of the FL system) or with a shrink-on polyethylene bandage (in the case of the EL system).



#### Operation

The insulation slows down the heat loss from the pipeline and hence from the drinking water it contains. In this way, even when the water stands still for quite long periods in the pipeline, it is possible for such periods to be waited out without the pipeline freezing. The exact periods depend on a variety of factors such as the ambient temperature, the temperature of the water, the thickness of the insulating layer and special local factors. The tables on p. 55 provide an overview of possible heat loss times.

If these times are not long enough, it is possible for a trace heating system to be incorporated. This system consists of a self-limiting heating cable which is bonded to the pipe carrying the medium and which is switched on at the desired temperature by means of a thermostat. The number and heating capacity of the cables have to be matched to the particular circumstances.

#### Fields of use

WKG pipes and fittings can be used anywhere where the pipeline can be expected to freeze. Some typical applications are the following:

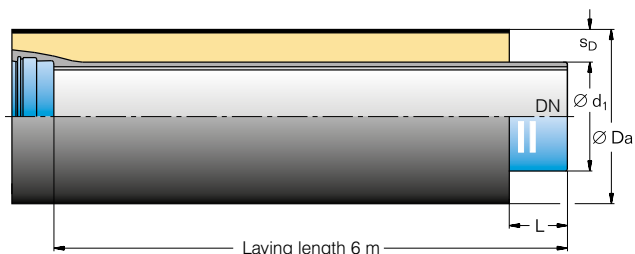
- Bridge pipelines and pipelines laid above ground  
Positive locking joint systems (VRS®-T joints) should always be used in this case. The outer covering should be galvanized steel or stainless steel.
- Buried pipelines with small heights of cover  
A polyethylene outer sleeve should be used in this case. The grain size of the bedding material should not exceed 0 to 40 mm (rounded grains) or 0 to 11 mm (fragmented material). There is no limit to the corrosiveness of the bedding material. All the types of joint can be used, as dictated by the particular conditions.





## 7.2 Product range

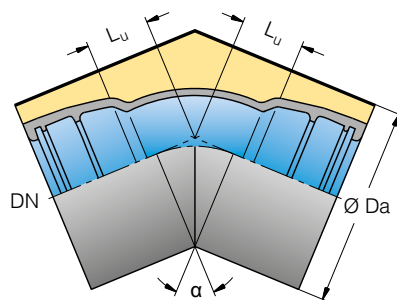
WKG pipes with TYTON® push-in joints  
to DIN 28 603, or, up to DN 600, BRS® restrained push-in joints  
Folded spiral-seam outer tubing (FL) HDPE outer sleeve (EL)



DN	Dimensions [mm]				Weight [kg] - <sup>1)</sup>	
	Ø D <sub>a</sub>	Ø d <sub>1</sub>	L	s <sub>D</sub>	FL-pipe*	EL-pipe
80	180	98	94	41.0	112	108
100	200	118	98	41.0	135	129
125	225	144	101	40.5	168	159
150	250	170	104	40.0	207	195
200	315	222	110	46.5	276	261
250	400	274	115	63.0	369	366
300	450	326	120	62.0	453	456
400	560	429	120	65.5	683	696
500	710	532	130	89.0	966	983
600	800	635	130	82.5	1,218	1,266
700	900	738	172	81.0	1,548	1,614
800	1,000	842	184	79.0	1,896	1,974

<sup>1)</sup> Total weight; other nominal sizes, insulating layers of other thicknesses and trace heating are available on enquiry. \* Where pipes are intended for use in above-ground pipelines it is essential to consult our Applications Engineering Division.

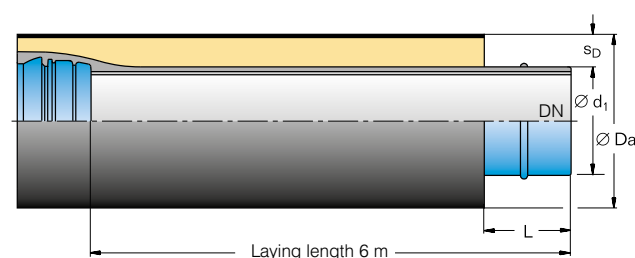
WKG socket bends (MMK) with TYTON® push-in joints or, up to DN 600, BRS® restrained push-in joints  
Folded spiral-seam outer tubing (FL)/HDPE outer sleeve (EL)



DN	Ø D <sub>a</sub>	Dimensions L [mm]				
		MMK 11°	MMK 22°	MMK 30°	MMK 45°	MMQ (90°)
80	180	30	40	45	55	100
100	200	30	40	50	65	120
125	225	35	50	55	75	145
150	250	35	55	65	85	170
200	315	40	65	80	110	220
250	400	50	75	95	130	270
300	450	55	85	110	150	320
400	560	65	110	140	195	430
500	710	75	130	170	240	550
600	800	85	150	200	285	645

Other nominal sizes, insulating layers of other thicknesses and trace heating are available on enquiry. Other types of fitting have to be insulated by the installer. \* Where BRS® push-in joints are intended for use in above-ground pipelines it is essential to consult our Applications Engineering Division.

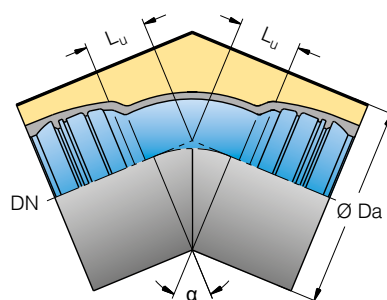
WKG pipes with VRS®-T push-in joints  
Folded spiral-seam outer tubing (FL)  
HDPE outer sleeve (EL)



DN	Dimensions [mm]				Weight [kg] - <sup>1)</sup>	
	Ø D <sub>a</sub>	Ø d <sub>1</sub>	L	s <sub>D</sub>	FL-pipe	EL-pipe
80	180	98	207	41.0	121	110
100	225	118	215	53.5	149	140
125	250	144	223	53.0	180	171
150	280	170	230	55.0	212	204
200	355	222	240	66.5	300	288
250	400	274	265	63.0	383	378
300	450	326	270	62.0	476	471
400	560	429	290	65.5	705	715
500	710	532	300	89.0	986	1,003
600	800	635	280	82.5	1,266	1,314
700	900	738	302	81.0	1,632	1,698
800	1,000	842	314	79.0	2,004	2,082

<sup>1)</sup> Total weight; other nominal sizes, insulating layers of other thicknesses and trace heating are available on enquiry.

WKG socket bends (MMK) with VRS®-T push-in joints  
Folded spiral-seam outer tubing (FL)/HDPE outer sleeve (EL)



DN	Ø D <sub>a</sub>	Dimensions L [mm]				
		MMK 11°	MMK 22°	MMK 30°	MMK 45°	MMQ (90°)
80	180	30	40	45	55	100
100	225	30	40	50	65	120
125	250	35	50	55	75	145
150	280	35	55	65	85	170
200	355	40	65	80	110	220
250	400	50	75	95	130	270
300	450	55	85	110	150	320
400	560	65	110	140	195	430
500	710	75	130	170	240	-
600	800	85	150	200	285	-

Other nominal sizes, insulating layers of other thicknesses and trace heating are available on enquiry. Other types of fitting have to be insulated by the installer.

Dimension and weights of pipes of 5 m laying length are available on enquiry



### Example: Installation of a bridge pipeline using WKG FL system and push-in joints

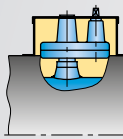
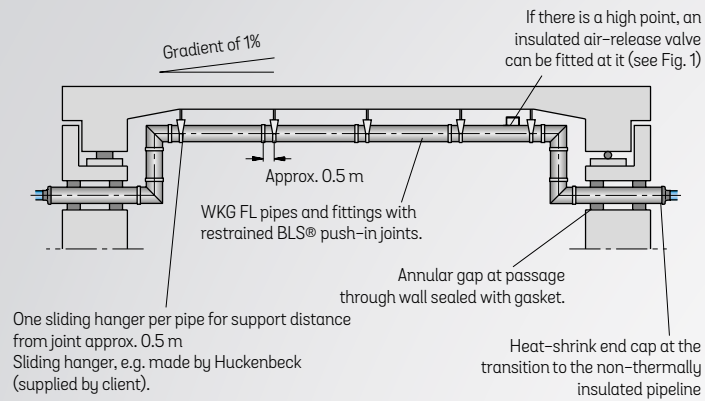
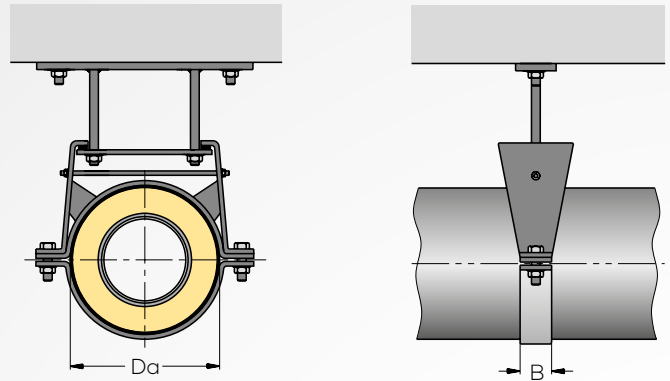


Fig. 1  
Manual air-release valve  
Hawlinger valve is used as standard

The change of length between the pipeline and the bridge can be compensated for by angular deflection at the bends.  
If you have any questions, please consult our Applications Engineering Division.

### Hangers for above-ground pipelines



Width B of clamp when hangers are spaced 6 m apart

DN	80–125	150–200	250–300	400–500	600–700	800
B	100	150	200	300	400	450

Sliding hangers with anti-lift-off guards. For fastening with anchor bolts or to brackets or bridges. Suitable for WKG pipes in line with structural requirements (e.g. made by Huckenbeck, supplied by the client)

### Heat loss times for standing water in fully filled pipes (initial water temperature 8°C)

Above-ground pipelines (FL) with folded spiral-seam outer tubing and TYTON® push-in joints

DN of medium pipe	Thickness of insulation $s_0$ [mm]	Temperature of ambient air -20°C		Temperature of ambient air -30°C	
		Cooling to 0°C [h]	Cooling to 25% ice [h]	Cooling to 0°C [h]	Cooling to 25% ice [h]
80	41.0	10	21	7	14
100	41.0	12	28	9	19
125	40.5	16	39	11	26
150	40.0	20	49	14	32
200	46.5	31	80	22	53
250	63.0	51	135	36	90
300	62.0	62	167	44	111
400	65.5	89	241	63	161
500	89.0	150	410	106	273
600	82.5	172	472	120	315
700	81.0	199	> 500	140	366
800	79.0	224		157	415

For other temperatures of ambient air, please consult our Applications Engineering Division.

### Heat loss times for standing water in fully filled pipes (initial water temperature 8°C)

Buried pipelines (EL) with HDPE outer sleeves and TYTON® push-in joints

DN of medium pipe	Thickness of insulation $s_0$ [mm]	Max. depth of frost penetration 1.4 m			
		Height of cover 0.3 m		Height of cover 0.5 m	
		Cooling to 0°C [h]	Cooling to 25% ice [h]	Cooling to 0°C [h]	Cooling to 25% ice [h]
80	41.0	24	68	32	102
100	41.0	31	94	41	142
125	40.5	40	130	53	196
150	40.0	49	169	64	254
200	46.5	76	292	100	440
250	63.0	125		164	
300	62.0	151		199	
400	65.5	214		282	
500	89.0	447			
600	82.5		> 500		> 500
700	81.0			> 500	
800	79.0				

For other depths of frost penetration and heights of cover, please consult our Applications Engineering Division.



## 7.3 Installation instructions for ductile iron pipes with WKG thermal insulation

### Applicability

These installation instructions apply to thermally insulated (WKG) ductile iron pipes and fittings. For the assembly of the joints of pipes or fittings, see the particular installation instructions applicable to ductile iron pressure pipes with

- TYTON® push-in joints,
- restrained VRS®-T push-in joints,
- restrained BRS® push-in joints.

### Special notes on transport and storage

When pipes are to be loaded or unloaded or moved about on site, and when they are being installed, slings should be used. Pipes must only be placed down on at least 10 cm wide lengths of squared timber or other suitable materials spaced about 1.5 m away from the ends of the pipes.

### They are not to be:

- put down with a jolt,
- thrown off the vehicle,
- dragged or rolled,
- stacked.

### Laying tools and other accessories

- TYTON® assembly kit (bent screwdriver and depth gauge),
- V 303 laying tool for DN 80 to DN 400 pipes<sup>1)</sup>,
- chain-hoist or cable-hoist laying tool for all other nominal sizes.

### Plus. in the case of pipes with restrained VRS®-T push-in joints

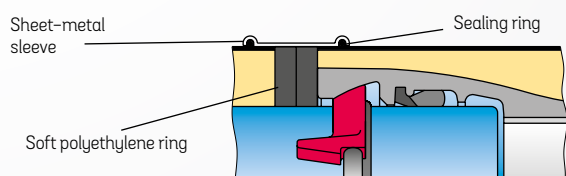
- copper guide for welded bead
- clamping strap (DN 600 and above); see p. 18.

<sup>1)</sup> For BRS® push-in joints on pipes of DN 350 size and above, use a chain-hoist laying tool.

### FL system for above-ground pipelines (folded spiral-seam outer tubing)

First the joint is assembled or assembled and locked, as the case may be, and then, depending on the type of joint (TYTON®, BRS®\* or VRS®-T), one or more rings of soft polyethylene are inserted in the gap that is left between the spigot end and the end-face of the socket.

Finally, the joint is sealed off with a sheet-metal sleeve.



For this purpose, the installer inserts elastic sealing rings (supplied) in the beads formed on the sheet-metal sleeve and fixes the sleeve in position over the joint, in a centralised position, with self-tapping screws.

### EL system for buried pipelines (outer sleeve of HDPE)

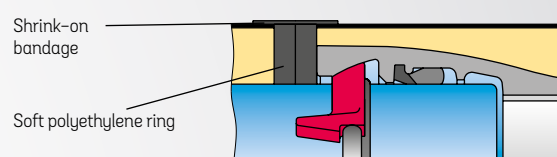
The gap is first insulated as in the case of the FL system. The joint is then sealed off with heat-shrinkable material (a heat-shrinkable bandage). One-piece sleeves have to be slid onto the barrels of the pipes before the joint is assembled.

Clean the surface area which is going to be covered of any grease, dirt and loose particles. Heat this area to about 60°C with a propane gas flame set to a soft setting. Peel the backing film protecting the adhesive away from the bandage for a distance of about 150 mm.

\* Our applications Engineering Division must be consulted when BRS® or TYTON® push-in joints are going to be used in above-ground pipelines.

Fix the free end of the bandage over the joint in a centralised position and at right angles to the plane of the joint and wrap the bandage loosely around the outer sleeve while at the same time peeling off the rest of the protective backing film. Overlap the bandage by at least 80 mm in an easily accessible area at the top of the pipeline.

At low ambient temperatures, it is advisable for the inner side of the overlapping part of the bandage and the inner side of the sealing strip to be heated briefly and pressed firmly against the pipes.



From the outside, heat the sealing strip evenly with a soft, constantly moving flame until the texture of the glass-fibre fabric can be seen. While wearing gloves, press the sealing strip firmly against the pipes by hand.

Shrink on the bandage in the circumferential direction using a soft, evenly moved, flame.

### The shrinking-on has been properly carried out if

- the whole of the bandage has been shrunk on,
- it rests down flat, without any cold spots or air bubbles, and the sealing adhesive has been pressed out at both ends,
- the overlap on the outer tube is at least 50 mm.

The transition from a WKG thermally insulated pipe to ductile iron pipes with no thermal insulation is made by means of a heat-shrinkable end cap. With the appropriate changes, this is fitted in the same way as the shrink-on bandages.

### Cutting of pipes

Ensure that the pipes are suitable for cutting (see p. 82). Cuttable pipes are identified by a continuous longitudinal line (adhesive tape) on the outer tubing or outer sleeve and by the white stamped letters "SR" (Schnittrohr = cuttable pipe) on the end-face of the socket. Before the medium pipe is cut to the desired length, the outer tubing or outer sleeve and the polyurethane foam have to be removed in the region of the future spigot end. The length required for the spigot end must be copied from the original pipe or taken from the Tables on p. 55.

When collars (EU and U fittings) having screwed socket joints or bolted gland joints are being used, allowance must be made at the polyurethane foam and the outer tubing or outer sleeve for the larger amount of clear space required. As dictated by the type of joint, the spigot ends should be finished as directed in the corresponding installation instructions.



### Support for the FL system

Ensure that above-ground pipelines have supports, i.e. pipe hangers, of the minimum widths (see p. 55).

### Underground installation of EL system

Bedding as per DVGW directive W 400-2 or EN 805 should be provided for the pipes. In the region of surfaces carrying traffic, the filling of pipeline trenches should follow the directive for backfilling pipeline trenches (issued by the Forschungsgesellschaft für das Straßen- und Verkehrswesen of Cologne). When there are small heights of cover (< 0.5 m), load distributing slabs should be used above the pipeline zone. Our Applications Engineering Division is at your service to answer any other questions you may have!

### Trace heating

When WKG pipes with trace heating are being used, make sure that the heating cable is situated at the bottom of the pipes.

## 7.4 Coating of fittings (internal and external)

### Structure

In a similar way to what is happening with valves, the powder coating of fittings with epoxy powder is becoming an increasingly important practice. Under EN 545, fittings coated in this way are suitable for use in soils of all classes of corrosiveness. For this purpose, the fittings are first subjected to surface treatment by abrasive blasting (to give a standard of cleanliness of Sa 2.5). They are then heated to a temperature of approx. 200°C and are dipped into a fluidised bed of epoxy powder or are electrostatically coated by the use of a spray gun. Pore-free layers of a thickness of more than 250 µm are obtained when this is done. If the type of system being used is suitable, the coating process can be automated. When they have cooled, the fittings have their coatings made good at the points of suspension and are tested and packed.

The coating of our fittings meets the requirements of EN 14 910 and those of the GSK, the Quality Association for the Heavy Duty Corrosion Protection of Powder Coated Valves and Fittings.



### Operation

The action of the epoxy coating in protecting against corrosion is based on its absolutely pore-free nature, which keeps all corrosive factors away from the ductile iron. Provided the coating is intact, there is a guarantee of protection. Any injuries to the coating should be avoided or should be repaired as quickly as possible.

### Fields of use

Ductile iron fittings with an epoxy finishing layer to EN 14 901 can be used for transporting drinking water, non-drinking water, surface runoff, raw water, sewage and other wastewater.

Under EN 545 they can be used in soils of any desired corrosiveness. The grain size of the bedding material should not exceed 0 to 32 mm (rounded grains) of 0 to 16 mm (fragmented grains).

### Installation instructions

It is essential to avoid any damage to the internal and external coatings. Should any damage nevertheless occur, it must be repaired as quickly as possible. For this purpose, any loose parts of the coating must be removed and the damaged point repainted with a suitable epoxy paint. The point which has been repaired must be allowed to cure before the repaired fitting is re-installed.





## 8 – PLANNING, TRANSPORT AND INSTALLATION





## 8.1 Transport and storage

By carrying out comprehensive checks on all pipes and fittings during and after manufacture, including tests of their strength and leak tightness, we ensure that they are all in perfect condition when they leave us.

Provided our products are carefully handled during transport, storage and installation, the drinking water pipelines for which they are used will provide many years of trouble-free service. We therefore recommend that you only allow pipes and fittings to be unloaded and installed under the supervision of properly trained personnel.

### Unloading and storage of pipes and pipe bundles

Pipes of up to DN 350 nominal size are supplied bundled. Above this size they are supplied as individual pipes. The exact number of pipes per bundle is shown in the table below. The weights of the pipes can, if required, be found from the pages dealing with the individual pipes.

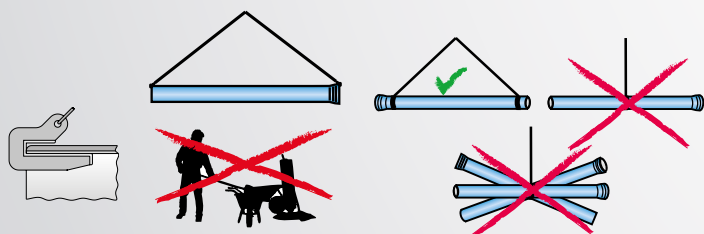
DN	pipes per bundle							
	80	100	125	150	200	250	300	350
6 m-pipes	15	15	10	6	6	4	4	4
5 m-pipes	15	15	12	8	6	4	4	

When pipes or bundles of pipes are to be loaded or unloaded by crane, slings should be used. If individual pipes are unloaded with crane hooks, this must be done with wide, padded hooks fitted at the top of the ends of the pipe as otherwise there is a risk of the pipe and its coating or lining being damaged. Particularly with large pipes, an insert shoe matched to the shape of the pipe must be placed between the hook and the pipe. As an alternative to loading and unloading by crane, suitable fork-lift trucks may also be used. In this case, particular attention must be paid to the following points:

- The pipes must not be able to tilt off the forks sideways (the forks should be at a width of at least 3 m).
- The pipes must not be able to roll off the forks.
- The forks must be adequately padded to prevent them from damaging the pipe.

During the loading or unloading operation, no-one must stand below the pipe or pipe bundle or on it or in the danger area around the crane.

If pipes are to be moved around by hand, the caps fitted into the ends must first be removed temporarily.



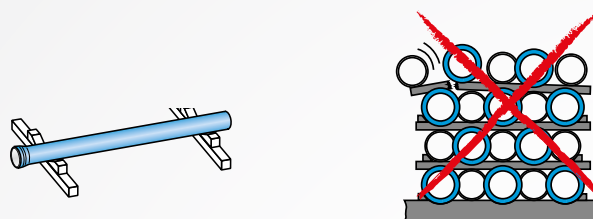
Pipes must only be placed down or stacked on lengths of squared timber or other suitable materials.

### They are not to be:

- put down with a jolt,
- thrown off the vehicle,
- dragged, or to be rolled for any great distance.

### They are to be:

- secured against rolling and slipping,
- stored on level ground able to take their weight.

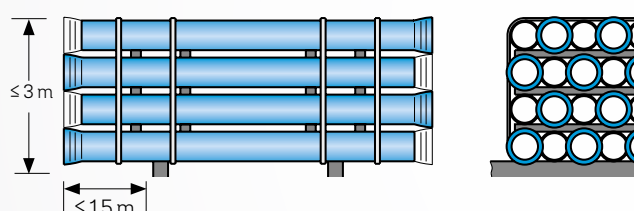


If ductile iron drinking water pipes are stored in stacks, they must rest on lengths of squared timber at least 10 cm wide, spaced approx. 1.5 m in from the ends of the pipes.

### Maximum allowable heights of stack

DN	Layers
80-150	15
200-300	10
350-600	4
700-1,000	2

To prevent accidents, you should avoid building any stacks higher than 3 m. Thermally insulated ductile iron pipes (WKG pipes) must not be stacked!



### Unstrapping bundles of pipes

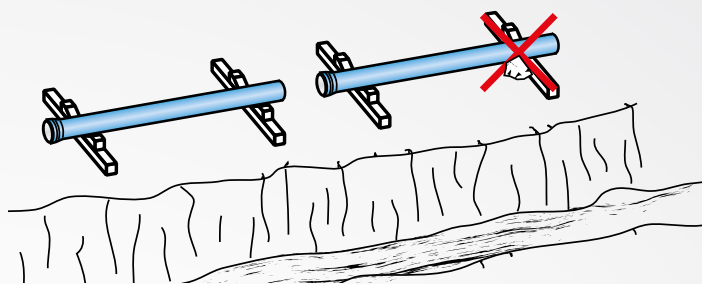
Steel or plastic straps are used to bundle our pipes. The straps should only be cut with suitable tools such as tin snips or side cutters. Using cold chisels, crowbars, pickaxes or the like may cause damage to the external coating of the pipes and also means a greater risk of accidents. Before the straps are cut, make sure that

- the bundle of pipes is standing on non-sloping ground which is as level as possible and which is able to carry the weight of the bundle,
- the pipes are secured against rolling and slipping,
- no-one is standing beside the bundle of pipes or on top of it.

### Laying out the pipes on the installation site

If the pipes are laid out beside the pipe trench before they are installed, they should be stored on lengths of squared timber as described above and should be secured against slipping and rolling. The caps fitted to seal off the ends of drinking water pipes should not be removed at this stage. They should only be removed just before the pipes are installed.





### Storage of gaskets

To ensure that the pipeline will operate reliably, it is essential that the gaskets fitted are only ones which comply with the relevant quality specifications and are supplied with the pipes by the manufacturer. If other gaskets are used this may invalidate any claims under guarantee.

Gaskets should be stored in a cool, dry place without being in any way deformed. They should be protected from direct sunlight. Care must be taken to ensure that they are not damaged and do not get dirty.

At temperatures of below 0°C, the hardness of the gaskets increases to some degree. To make fitting easier, gaskets should therefore be stored at a temperature of more than 10°C when the outside temperature is below 0°C. Gaskets should not be removed from the store until just before they are going to be fitted and should be checked for any fouling or damage at this time.

## 8.2 Pipeline trenches and bedding

Pipeline trenches should be set out and dug in accordance with current technical codes. Codes to be observed include:  
EN 805, EN 1610, DIN 18 300, DIN 4124, DIN 50 929 Part 3, ONORM B 2538, DIN 30 375 Part 2, DVGW directive W 400-2 or GW 9, ATV DVGW directive A 139 and the directive on the filling of pipeline trenches.

### Installation

Pipes and fittings should be installed in accordance with our installation instructions. The external coatings of pipes and the bedding material used for them should be selected in accordance with DIN 30 675 Part 2.

Pipe coating	Coating recommended for joints	Anode backfill	Fields of use in the form of soil classes
Zinc coating with finishing layer, to EN 545	None	No	I, II
Zinc-aluminium coating with finishing layer, to EN 545	None	No	I, II, III <sup>2)</sup>
Cement mortar coating to EN 15 542	Rubber sleeves or heat-shrink material, or B-50M <sup>1)</sup> or C-50M <sup>1)</sup> coating to DIN 30 672 <sup>1)</sup>	No	I, II, III

<sup>1)</sup> A B-50M or C-30M coating to DIN 30 672 may be used for joints at sustained operating temperatures of T 30°C.

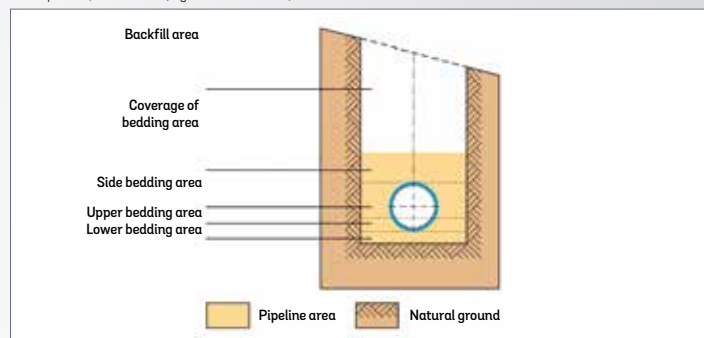
<sup>2)</sup> Not suitable when there is constant exposure to eluates of pH < 6 and in peaty, boggy, muddy and marshy soils. The directions given in section 4.1 of DIN 30 675 Part 2 must be followed.

Classification of soils into main groups under DIN 50 929 Part 3		
Evaluation number	Soil class	Aggressiveness of soil
> 0	I a	Not aggressive
-1 bis -4	I b	Of low aggressiveness
-5 bis -10	II	Aggressive
< -10	III	Highly aggressive

Not only the aggressiveness of the soil but also its grain size has a part to play in the selection of the external coating for pipes. DVGW directive W 400-2 provides an overview of the allowable grain sizes.

Pipe material	Coating	Grain size of rounded material	Grain size of fragmented material
Ductile iron pipes	Zinc/bitumen Zinc/epoxy Zinc-aluminium/epoxy Zinc/polyurethane	0-32 mm Individual grains up to a max. of 63 mm*	0-16 mm Individual grains up to a max. of 32 mm
Ductile iron pipes	Cement mortar	0-63 mm Individual grains up to a max. of 100 mm	0-63 mm Individual grains up to a max. of 100 mm

\*According to ÖNORM B2538 the designer has the possibility to increase the maximum grain size up to 100mm for ductile iron pipes coated with PUR (polyurethane finishing) or PUR-TOP (polyurethane finishing plus PE-tape). Essential condition therefore is no compression of the backfill area and settlements which may occur on top are acceptable (f.e. forest soil, agricultural areas...).



### Heights of cover for TYTON pipes

DN		40 – 150	200 – 300	350 – 400	450 – 600	700 – 2000
K (2)		Class 40	Class 40	Class 30	Class 30	Class 25
= 0,5 Rural areas	E' = 0	0,110 (20°)	0,110 (20°)	0,105 (45°)	0,105 (45°)	0,103 (60°)
	E' = 1000	0,3 – 12,0	0,3 – 7,0	0,3 – 3,8	0,3 – 3,1	0,5 – 1,6
	E' = 2000	0,3 – 12,6	0,3 – 7,8	0,3 – 4,8	0,3 – 4,2	0,3 – 3,0
	E' = 5000	0,3 – 13,2	0,3 – 8,6	0,3 – 5,7	0,3 – 5,2	0,3 – 4,2
= 0,75 Access roads	E' = 0	0,3 – 15,0	0,3 – 11,1	0,3 – 8,5	0,3 – 8,1	0,3 – 7,8
	E' = 1000	0,3 – 12,0	0,3 – 6,9	0,4 – 3,7	0,5 – 3,0	0,9 – 1,2
	E' = 2000	0,3 – 12,6	0,3 – 7,7	0,3 – 4,7	0,4 – 4,1	0,4 – 2,9
	E' = 5000	0,3 – 13,2	0,3 – 8,6	0,3 – 5,6	0,3 – 5,1	0,3 – 4,1
= 1,50 Main roads	E' = 0	0,3 – 14,9	0,3 – 11,0	0,3 – 8,5	0,3 – 8,1	0,3 – 7,8
	E' = 1000	0,3 – 11,9	0,4 – 6,7	0,9 – 3,2	1,2 – 2,2	a
	E' = 2000	0,3 – 12,5	0,4 – 7,6	0,7 – 4,3	0,8 – 3,7	1,0 – 2,3
	E' = 5000	0,3 – 13,1	0,3 – 8,4	0,6 – 5,4	0,6 – 4,8	0,7 – 3,9

a) Not recommended; a specific calculation for each case provides an adequate answer only.

### Heights of cover for K9 VRS®-T/BLS pipes

DN		40 – 200	250 – 300	350 – 450	500 – 2000
K (2)		0,110 (20°)	0,110 (20°)	0,105 (45°)	0,103 (60°)
= 0,5 Rural areas	E' = 0	0,3 – 15,4	0,3 – 9,9	0,3 – 6,9	0,3 – 2,2
	E' = 1000	0,3 – 15,9	0,3 – 10,6	0,3 – 7,8	0,3 – 3,5
	E' = 2000	0,3 – 16,4	0,3 – 11,3	0,3 – 8,7	0,3 – 4,7
	E' = 5000	0,3 – 17,9	0,3 – 13,4	0,3 – 11,4	0,3 – 8,3
= 0,75 Access roads	E' = 0	0,3 – 15,3	0,3 – 9,8	0,4 – 6,8	0,5 – 2,0
	E' = 1000	0,3 – 15,8	0,3 – 10,5	0,3 – 7,7	0,4 – 3,4
	E' = 2000	0,3 – 16,4	0,3 – 11,2	0,3 – 8,7	0,3 – 4,6
	E' = 5000	0,3 – 17,9	0,3 – 13,3	0,3 – 11,3	0,3 – 8,2
= 1,50 Main roads	E' = 0	0,3 – 15,2	0,3 – 9,7	0,4 – 6,6	a
	E' = 1000	0,3 – 15,8	0,3 – 10,4	0,4 – 7,6	0,6 – 3,0
	E' = 2000	0,3 – 16,3	0,3 – 11,1	0,3 – 8,5	0,5 – 4,4
	E' = 5000	0,3 – 17,8	0,3 – 13,2	0,3 – 11,2	0,3 – 8,1

a) Not recommended; a specific calculation for each case provides an adequate answer only.

### Pressure testing

The execution of pressure tests on pressure pipelines is governed by EN 805 or DVGW directive W 400-2. During pressure testing, all work on the pipelines being tested must be stopped. Particularly in the case of pressure pipelines, all personnel must remain at an adequate safe distance from the pipeline.



### 8.3 Calculating vertical offsets when using flanged fittings

#### Formulas

$$L_H = H / \tan$$

$$L_S = H / \sin$$

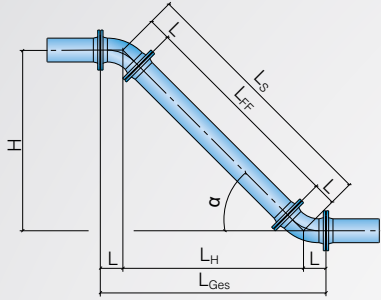
$$L_{FF} = L_S - 2 \cdot L$$

$$L_{Ges} = L_H + 2 \cdot L$$

H = Vertical offset from pipe axis to pipe axis

L = Centre-to-end length of the double flanged bend

= Angle of the double flanged bend



**How long does the double flanged pipe have to be when existing double flanged bends are being used and the vertical offset is known?**

1. Find the value "L<sub>S</sub>" from Table 2 for the known vertical offset and the angle of the bend.
2. Find the centre-to-end length "L" of the bend from Table 1 or our Drinking Water Catalogue.
3. To find the length "L<sub>FF</sub>" of the double flanged pipe, deduct twice "L" from "L<sub>S</sub>".

**Worked example:**

FFK 30°, DN 200, H = 70 cm

140 cm

18.0 cm

$$L_{FF} = 140 \text{ cm} - 2 \cdot 18 \text{ cm} = 104 \text{ cm}$$

**How large is the vertical offset "H" when an existing double flanged pipe and existing double flanged bends are being used?**

1. Measure the length "L<sub>FF</sub>" of the double flanged pipe.
2. Find the centre-to-end length "L" of the bend from Table 1 or our Drinking Water Catalogue.
3. Calculate "L<sub>S</sub>":  $L_S = L_{FF} + 2 \cdot L$ .
4. Find the sin of the bends which are being used from Table 2.
5. Calculate the vertical offset "H" given by the above as follows:  $H = L_S \cdot \sin$ .

**Worked example:**

FFK 30°, DN 200, L<sub>FF</sub> = 104 cm

104 cm

18.0 cm

$$L_S = 104 \text{ cm} + 2 \cdot 18 \text{ cm} = 140 \text{ cm}$$

0.5 cm

$$H = 140 \text{ cm} \cdot 0.5 = 70 \text{ cm}$$

**How long is the distance "L<sub>GES</sub>" when the vertical offset "H" and the angle of the double flanged bends are known?**

1. From the known vertical offset and the angle of the double flanged bend, find the value "L<sub>H</sub>" from Table 3.
2. Find the centre-to-end length "L" of the bend from Table 1 or our Drinking Water Catalogue.
3. Calculate "L<sub>GES</sub>" as follows:  $L_{GES} = L_H + 2 \cdot L$ .

**Worked example:**

FFK 30°, DN 200, H = 70 cm

121.2 cm

18.0 cm

$$L_{GES} = 121.2 \text{ cm} + 2 \cdot 18 \text{ cm} = 157.2 \text{ cm}$$

**Table 1: Centre-to-end lengths "L" of double flanged bends (FFK) as a function of the angle and diameter DN**

Angle of FFK	Centre-to-end length L [cm] of double flanged bend								
	DN 80	DN 100	DN 125	DN 150	DN 200	DN 250	DN 300	DN 350	DN 400
11°	13.0	14.0	15.0	16.0	18.0	21.0	25.0	10.5	11.3
22°	13.0	14.0	15.0	16.0	18.0	21.0	25.0	14.0	15.3
30°	13.0	14.0	15.0	16.0	18.0	21.0	25.0	16.5	18.3
45°	13.0	14.0	15.0	16.0	18.0	35.0	40.0	29.8	32.4
90°	16.5	18.0	20.0	22.0	26.0	35.0	40.0	45.0	50.0

Angle of FFK	Centre-to-end length L [cm] of double flanged bend					
	DN 500	DN 600	DN 700	DN 800	DN 900	DN 1000
11°	13.5	17.4	19.4	21.3	–	–
22°	18.5	25.4	28.4	31.4	–	–
30°	22.0	30.9	34.6	38.3	–	–
45°	37.5	42.6	47.8	52.9	58.1	63.2
90°	60.0	70.0	80.0	90.0	100.0	110.0

Dimensions may differ from those shown. The centre-to-end lengths "L" can also be found in Chapter 4.

**Table 2 for determining the length "L<sub>S</sub>" as a function of the angle and vertical offset "H"**

Angle of FFK	sin	Length of the slope "L <sub>S</sub> " [cm]									
		Vertical offset H [cm] (pipe axis to pipe axis)									
		5	10	15	20	25	30	35	40	45	50
11°	0.19081	26.2	52.4	78.6	104.8	131.0	157.2	183.4	209.6	235.8	262.0
22°	0.37461	13.3	26.7	40.0	53.4	66.7	80.1	93.4	106.8	120.1	133.5
30°	0.5	10.0	20.0	30.0	40.0	50.0	60.0	70.0	80.0	90.0	100.0
45°	0.70711	7.1	14.1	21.2	28.3	35.4	42.4	49.5	56.6	63.6	70.7
90°	1	5.0	10.0	15.0	20.0	25.0	30.0	35.0	40.0	45.0	50.0

Angle of FFK	sin	Length of the slope "L <sub>S</sub> " [cm]									
		Vertical offset H [cm] (pipe axis to pipe axis)									
		55	60	65	70	75	80	85	90	95	100
11°	0.19081	288.2	314.4	340.7	366.9	393.1	419.3	445.5	471.7	497.9	524.1
22°	0.37461	146.8	160.2	173.5	186.9	200.2	213.6	226.9	240.2	253.6	266.9
30°	0.5	110.0	120.0	130.0	140.0	150.0	160.0	170.0	180.0	190.0	200.0
45°	0.70711	77.8	84.9	91.9	99.0	106.1	113.1	120.2	127.3	134.3	141.4
90°	1	55.0	60.0	65.0	70.0	75.0	80.0	85.0	90.0	95.0	100.0

**Table 3 for determining the length "L<sub>H</sub>" as a function of the angle and vertical offset "H"**

Angle of FFK	tan	Horizontal length "L <sub>H</sub> " [cm] of the offset, from centre to centre of bends									
		Vertical offset H [cm] (pipe axis to pipe axis)									
		5	10	15	20	25	30	35	40	45	50
11°	0.19438	25.7	51.4	77.2	102.9	128.6	154.3	180.1	205.8	231.5	257.2
22°	0.40403	12.4	24.8	37.1	49.5	61.9	74.3	86.6	99.0	111.4	123.8
30°	0.57735	8.7	17.3	26.0	34.6	43.3	52.0	60.6	69.3	77.9	86.6
45°	1	5.0	10.0	15.0	20.0	25.0	30.0	35.0	40.0	45.0	50.0
90°	∞	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Angle of FFK	tan	Vertical offset H [cm] (pipe axis to pipe axis)									
		Vertical offset H [cm] (pipe axis to pipe axis)									
		55	60	65	70	75	80	85	90	95	100
11°	0.19438	283.0	308.7	334.4	360.1	385.8	411.6	437.3	463.0	488.7	514.5
22°	0.40403	136.1	148.5	160.9	173.3	185.6	198.0	210.4	222.8	235.1	247.5
30°	0.57735	95.3	103.9	112.6	121.2	129.9	138.6	147.2	155.9	164.5	173.2
45°	1	55.0	60.0	65.0	70.0	75.0	80.0	85.0	90.0	95.0	100.0
90°	∞	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0



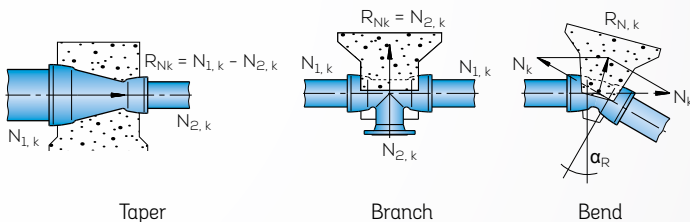
## 8.4 Dimensioning of concrete thrust blocks

This summary of the on-site procedure applies only to thrust blocks at dead ends, changes of direction and branches lying in a horizontal plane, under the following limiting conditions:

- nominal size  $\leq$  DN 300
- concrete of strength class C30/37
- thrust block laid out symmetrically to the line along which the force to be absorbed ( $N$ ,  $R_N$ ) acts
- load spread angle in the concrete:  $2\alpha_k = 90^\circ$
- outside temperatures of between  $+10^\circ\text{C}$  and  $+30^\circ\text{C}$
- horizontal terrain
- concrete placed against undisturbed soil and vertical wall of trench
- depth of foundation  $h$  of the thrust block:  
 $1.0\text{ m} \leq h \leq 3.0\text{ m}$   
 $\frac{1}{4}h \leq h_g \leq \frac{2}{3}h$
- height  $h_g$  of thrust block against the trench wall:  
curing time until the pressure test: at least 3 days
- approximately square bearing area of thrust block against the trench wall:  $h_g \times b_g$
- water table lower than bottom face of thrust block

For practical reasons, no figures are given for the values ( $h_R$  and  $b_R$ ) defining the area for transmitting force between the pipeline and the thrust block and it is recommended that the concrete covers the full width, to the sockets, of the pipeline component and that there is adequate concrete cover above the component.

For parameter values which differ from those given above, reference should be made to DVGW directive GW 310, January 2008 version.



Characteristic longitudinal force:

$$N_k = p \cdot \frac{\pi \cdot d_a^2}{4} \quad [\text{kN}]$$

Characteristic resultant force:

$$R_{N,k} = 2N_k \cdot \sin \frac{\alpha_R}{2} \rightarrow R_{N,k} = N_k \cdot a \quad [\text{kN}] \quad \text{where} \quad a = 2 \cdot \sin \alpha_R / 2$$

(for a see table below)

$d_a$  = outside diameter of pipe [m]

$p$  = internal pressure (test pressure) [kN/m<sup>2</sup>]  $\rightarrow$  1 bar = 100 kN/m<sup>2</sup>

	11°	22°	30°	45°	Dead ends and branches	90°
$\alpha$	0.2	0.4	0.5	0.8	1.0	1.4

The following table shows the values of the resultant force  $R_{N,k}$  calculated for the most widely used nominal sizes and bends, for a test pressure of 15 bars. With these figures, it is now possible to calculate the required bearing area of a thrust block against the soil.

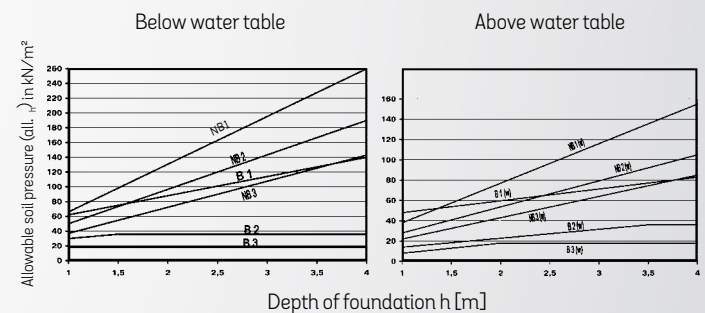
DN	$N_k$ [kN]	$R_{N,k}$ [kN] for bends of angles					
	(15 bar)	11°	22°	30°	45°	90°	
65	7.9	1.5	3.1	4.1	6.1	11.2	
80	11.3	2.2	4.4	5.9	8.7	16.0	
100	16.4	3.2	6.4	8.5	12.6	23.2	
125	22.4	4.8	9.5	12.6	18.7	34.5	
150	34.0	6.7	13.3	17.6	26.1	48.1	
200	58.1	11.4	22.7	30.1	44.4	82.1	
250	88.4	17.3	34.5	45.8	67.7	125.1	
300	125.2	24.5	48.9	64.8	95.8	177.1	
350	168.3	33.0	65.7	87.1	128.8	238.1	
400	216.8	42.5	84.6	112.2	165.9	305.6	
500	333.4	65.4	130.1	172.6	255.2	471.5	
600	475.0	93.1	185.4	245.9	363.6	671.8	
700	641.6	125.8	250.4	332.1	491.1	907.4	
800	835.2	163.7	325.9	432.3	639.3	1,181.2	
900	1,052.1	206.2	410.5	544.6	805.2	1,478.9	
1,000	1,293.9	253.7	504.9	669.8	990.3	1,829.9	

Required bearing area against the soil:

$$A_g = b_g \cdot h_g \quad [\text{m}^2] \quad A_g = \frac{R_{N,k}}{\sigma_{h,w}} \quad [\text{m}^2]$$

Allowable  $\sigma_{h,w}$  = allowable soil pressure [kN/m<sup>2</sup>]

Allowable soil pressure (allowable  $\sigma_{h,w}$ ) as a function of soil group and depth of foundation  $h$  for thrust blocks with a square bearing area ( $h_g/b_g=1$ )



NB1: Sand, gravel or sharp-edged, natural broken stone, tightly compacted

NB2: Sand or sandy gravel, compacted to medium tightness

NB3: Sand or sandy gravel, loosely compacted

B1: Till, loam or clay, of at least semi-firm consistency (not kneadable)

B2: Loam, silt or clay, of at least soft consistency (difficult to knead)

B3: Loam, silt or clay, of at least soft consistency (easily kneadable)

For any desired test pressure  $p$ , the formula which applies to bearing area is:

$$A_g = \frac{R_{N,k}}{\text{Allowable } \sigma_{h,w}} \cdot \frac{p}{15} \quad [\text{m}^2]$$



**Example:**

Pipeline	DN 200
Test pressure	$p = 30 \text{ bar}$
Soil pressure	Allowable $\sigma_{h,w} = 50 \text{ kN/m}^2$
Angle of bend	$\alpha_k = 30^\circ$

Question: How large does the bearing area AG against the soil need to be?

$R_N = 30.1 \text{ kN}$  (see table below)

$$A_G = \frac{30.1}{50} \cdot \frac{30}{15} \text{ [m}^2\text{]}$$

$$A_G = 1.204 \text{ m}^2$$

For calculating concrete thrust blocks under DVGW directive 310, there is also a tool for calculation available at [www.eadips.org](http://www.eadips.org)

Table for the dimensioning of concrete thrust blocks at bends and branches.

Figures were calculated for a test pressure of 15 bars and a soil pressure of  $100 \text{ kN/m}^2$ . Area = breadth B x height H.

DN	cm <sup>2</sup> cm x cm	= 11°	= 22°	= 30°	= 45°	= 90°	Dead ends and branches <sup>1)</sup>
80	F B x H	500 20 x 25	500 20 x 25	590 24 x 25	870 29 x 30	1600 38 x 42	1130 34 x 34
100	F B x H	500 20 x 25	640 25 x 26	850 29 x 30	1260 35 x 36	2320 48 x 49	1640 40 x 41
125	F B x H	500 20 x 25	950 30 x 32	1260 35 x 36	1870 43 x 44	3450 58 x 60	2440 49 x 50
150	F B x H	670 20 x 25	1330 36 x 37	1760 42 x 42	2610 50 x 52	4810 69 x 70	3400 58 x 59
200	F B x H	1140 33 x 35	2270 48 x 48	3010 55 x 55	4440 67 x 67	8210 91 x 91	5810 76 x 77
250	F B x H	1730 42 x 42	3450 59 x 59	4580 68 x 68	6770 82 x 83	12510 112 x 112	8840 94 x 94
300	F B x H	2450 49 x 50	4890 70 x 77	6480 80 x 81	9580 98 x 98	17710 133 x 133	12520 112 x 112
400	F B x H	4250 65 x 66	8460 92 x 92	11220 106 x 106	16590 129 x 129	30560 175 x 175	21680 147 x 148

<sup>1)</sup> These values apply only to dead ends and branches of the nominal sizes specified.

## 8.5 Lengths of pipeline to be restrained

Forces are exerted at bends, branches, dead ends and tapers in pipelines and the size of these forces can be calculated on the basis of, for example, DVGW directive GW 310.

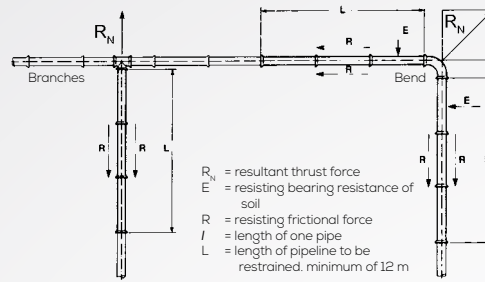
In pipelines which already have restrained joints, such as welded or flanged joints for example, these forces are transmitted by the pipe joints. In pipelines with non-restrained joints, e.g. push-in joints (TYTON® joints) or screwed socket joints, these forces have to be:

- absorbed by means of concrete thrust blocks (see GW 310), or
- transmitted longitudinally and transferred to the surrounding soil by providing restraint at a number of sockets (socket restraint).

The number of sockets which have to be restrained by the provision of longitudinal restraint depends on the test pressure, the nominal size of the pipes and the standard to which the pipeline trench has been backfilled (type of soil, degree of compaction).

The forces generated by the internal pressure are resisted by the following:

- at bends, branches, dead ends and tapers: the frictional forces between the pipe wall and the surrounding soil,
- at bends: additionally, the bearing resistance of the soil which acts on the adjoining pipes.



### Coefficient of friction

The coefficient of friction  $\mu$  for the friction between the soil and the pipe is between 0.1 and 0.6. Our recommended assumed figures are as follows:

- $\mu = 0.5$  for non-cohesive sands, gravels and tills (soil types NB1 to NB3 under GW 310)
- $\mu = 0.25$  for very loamy sand, sandy loam, marl, loess or loess loam and clay, of at least semi-firm consistency (soil type B1 under GW 310)
- $\mu = 0.5$  for pipes with a cement mortar coating
- $\mu = 0$  when a pipeline is laid below the water table and/or in cohesive soils of soft and stiff consistency which are difficult to compact (soil types B2 to B4 under GW 310) → In such cases we recommend restraining the entire pipeline.

### Soil pressure

The soil pressure which is possible very much depends on the degree of compaction of the trench filling immediately surrounding the pipeline. This should be at least  $D_{pr} = 95\%$ . In this latter case, it can be expected that the values of allowable horizontal soil pressure (allowable  $\sigma_{h,w}$ ) given in the graph from GW 310 (see page 63) will be reduced by 50%.

### Notes

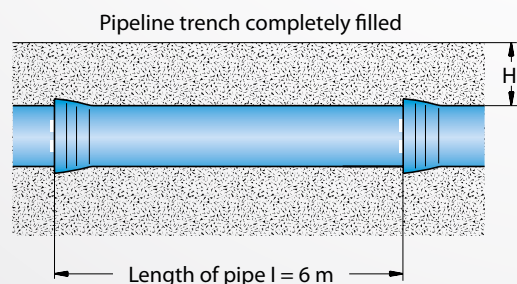
At least the following must always be restrained:

- in the case of bends: 2 sockets on each side,
- in the case of branches and dead ends: 2 sockets,
- in the case of tapers: 2 sockets on the side of the larger nominal size.

For a variety of parameters such as coefficient of friction, soil pressure, height of cover of pipes and system test pressure, the tables shown on the following pages give the lengths of pipeline to be restrained for ductile iron pipes. Where a bend at which the resultant force is directed towards the surface is to be restrained, the length of pipeline to be restrained is the same as for a branch or dead end (180°). There are other calculations which can be carried out by going to [www.eadips.org](http://www.eadips.org)

### The tables on the following pages apply provided the following conditions are met:

- The pipeline trench is completely filled to the height H.
- The material used to fill the pipeline trench is carefully compacted ( $D_{pr} = 95\%$ )
- There is no water in the pipeline trench.
- Ductile iron pipes with a wall thickness of class K9 are used





### Length of pipeline to be restrained L [m] when the following parameters apply

**Soil in the pipeline zone:** Sand, gravel or broken stone, tightly compacted (NB1)  
**Coefficient of friction:**  $\mu = 0.50$   
**Soil pressure:** Allowable  $\sigma_{h,w} = 40 \text{ kN/m}^2$   
**Height of cover of pipeline:**  $H = 1.00 \text{ [m]}$   
 (pipeline trench completely filled)

Length of pipeline to be restrained L [m] at test pressure of 10 bars

DN bend	80	100	125	150	200	250	300	400	500	600	700	800	900	1000
180°	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	15	18	22	25	28	31	34
90°	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	15	18	21	24	27	30	
45°	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	13	16	19	22	25	
30°	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	15	18	21
22°	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	13	16
11°	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12

**Soil in the pipeline zone:** Very loamy sand, sandy loam, loam, clay, marl (B1)  
**Coefficient of friction:**  $\mu = 0.25$   
**Soil pressure:** Allowable  $\sigma_{h,w} = 30 \text{ kN/m}^2$   
**Height of cover of pipeline:**  $H = 1.00 \text{ [m]}$   
 (pipeline trench completely filled)

Length of pipeline to be restrained L [m] at test pressure of 10 bars

DN bend	80	100	125	150	200	250	300	400	500	600	700	800	900	1000
180°	12	12	12	13	17	21	24	32	39	45	52	58	63	69
90°	12	12	12	12	12	15	18	26	33	40	46	53	58	64
45°	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	18	25	32	39	45	51	57
30°	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	17	25	31	38	44	50
22°	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	15	17	24	30	37	43
11°	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	16

Length of pipeline to be restrained L [m] at test pressure of 15 bars

DN bend	80	100	125	150	200	250	300	400	500	600	700	800	900	1000
180°	12	12	12	12	13	16	19	24	30	34	39	44	48	52
90°	12	12	12	12	12	12	13	19	24	29	34	38	43	47
45°	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	13	19	24	29	33	38	42
30°	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	14	19	24	29	33	38
22°	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	14	19	24	28	33	
11°	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	16

Length of pipeline to be restrained L [m] at test pressure of 15 bars

DN bend	80	100	125	150	200	250	300	400	500	600	700	800	900	1000
180°	12	15	18	21	27	32	38	49	59	69	78	87	96	104
90°	12	12	12	13	19	25	31	42	52	62	71	81	89	97
45°	12	12	12	12	12	16	22	32	44	54	64	73	82	90
30°	12	12	12	12	12	12	14	26	37	47	57	66	75	84
22°	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	17	29	39	49	59	68	77
11°	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	22	31	41	50

Length of pipeline to be restrained L [m] at test pressure of 21 bars

DN bend	80	100	125	150	200	250	300	400	500	600	700	800	900	1000
180°	12	12	12	14	19	23	27	34	41	48	55	61	67	73
90°	12	12	12	12	13	17	21	29	36	43	49	56	62	68
45°	12	12	12	12	12	12	15	23	30	37	44	51	57	63
30°	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	15	25	33	40	46	52	58
22°	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	20	27	34	41	48	54	
11°	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	16	23	29	36		

Length of pipeline to be restrained L [m] at test pressure of 21 bars

DN bend	80	100	125	150	200	250	300	400	500	600	700	800	900	1000
180°	17	20	25	29	37	45	53	68	83	96	110	122	134	145
90°	12	13	17	21	30	38	46	61	76	90	103	115	127	139
45°	12	12	12	12	21	29	37	53	68	82	95	108	120	132
30°	12	12	12	12	13	21	29	45	60	74	88	101	113	125
22°	12	12	12	12	12	13	21	37	52	67	80	94	106	120
11°	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	18	22	38	52	66	79	92

Length of pipeline to be restrained L [m] at test pressure of 30 bars

DN bend	80	100	125	150	200	250	300	400	500	600
180°	12	15	18	21	27	32	38	49	59	69
90°	12	12	12	14	20	26	32	43	53	63
45°	12	12	12	12	15	24	29	38	48	58
30°	12	12	12	12	12	15	21	32	43	53
22°	12	12	12	12	12	12	16	27	38	48
11°	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	18	29	

Length of pipeline to be restrained L [m] at test pressure of 30 bars

DN bend	80	100	125	150	200	250	300	400	500	600
180°	23	28	34	41	53	64	76	98	118	138
90°	17	22	28	34	47	58	70	92	113	132
45°	12	13	19	25	38	50	61	84	105	125
30°	12	12	12	17	30	42	53	76	97	118
22°	12	12	12	12	21	33	45	68	89	110
11°	12	12	12	12	12	12	14	37	59	81

Length of pipeline to be restrained L [m] at test pressure of 45 bars

DN bend	80	100	125	150	200	250	300
180°	18	22	26	31	40	49	57
90°	12	16	20	25	34	43	51
45°	12	12	14	19	28	37	45
30°	12	12	12	14	23	32	40
22°	12	12	12	12	17	26	35
11°	12	12	12	12	12	12	14

Length of pipeline to be restrained L [m] at test pressure of 45 bars

DN bend	80	100	125	150	200	250	300
180°	35	43	52	61	80	97	114
90°	29	36	46	55	73	91	108
45°	20	27	37	46	65	82	100
30°	12	19	29	38	57	74	92
22°	12	12	20	29	48	66	83
11°	12	12	12	12	16	34	52



### Length of pipeline to be restrained L [m] when the following parameters apply

**Soil in the pipeline zone:** Very loamy sand, sandy loam, loam, clay, marl (B1)

**Coefficient of friction:**  $\mu = 0.50$

**Soil pressure:** Allowable  $\sigma_{h.w} = 30 \text{ kN/m}^2$

**Height of cover of pipeline:**  $H = 1.00 \text{ [m]}$   
(pipeline trench completely filled)

Length of pipeline to be restrained L [m] at test pressure of 10 bars

DN / bend	80	100	125	150	200	250	300	400	500	600	700	800	900	1000
180°	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	15	19	22	25	28	31	34
90°	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	16	19	23	26	29	32
45°	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	15	19	22	25	28	
30°	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	15	18	22	25	
22°	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	15	18	21	
11°	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	

**Soil in the pipeline zone:** Sand, gravel or broken stone, tightly compacted (NB1)

**Coefficient of friction:**  $\mu = 0.50$

**Soil pressure:** Allowable  $\sigma_{h.w} = 40 \text{ kN/m}^2$

**Height of cover of pipeline:**  $H = 1.50 \text{ [m]}$   
(pipeline trench completely filled)

Length of pipeline to be restrained L [m] at test pressure of 10 bars

DN / bend	80	100	125	150	200	250	300	400	500	600	700	800	900	1000
180°	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	13	15	18	20	22	25
90°	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	13	15	18	20	22
45°	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	14	16	19
30°	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	13	15
22°	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12
11°	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12

Length of pipeline to be restrained L [m] at test pressure of 15 bars

DN / bend	80	100	125	150	200	250	300	400	500	600	700	800	900	1000
180°	12	12	12	12	12	15	18	24	29	34	39	43	47	52
90°	12	12	12	12	12	12	15	21	26	31	36	40	45	49
45°	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	16	22	27	32	37	41	45
30°	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	13	18	23	28	33	38	42
22°	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	14	19	25	29	34	39	
11°	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	16	20	25	

Length of pipeline to be restrained L [m] at test pressure of 15 bars

DN / bend	80	100	125	150	200	250	300	400	500	600	700	800	900	1000
180°	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	16	20	24	27	31	34	37
90°	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	13	17	21	25	28	31	35
45°	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	13	17	21	24	28	31
30°	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	14	18	21	25	28
22°	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	14	18	21	25
11°	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12

Length of pipeline to be restrained L [m] at test pressure of 21 bars

DN / bend	80	100	125	150	200	250	300	400	500	600	700	800	900	1000
180°	12	12	12	13	18	22	26	33	41	48	54	61	67	73
90°	12	12	12	12	15	19	23	30	38	45	52	58	64	70
45°	12	12	12	12	12	14	19	26	34	41	48	54	60	66
30°	12	12	12	12	12	12	15	23	30	37	44	51	57	63
22°	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	18	26	33	40	47	53	60
11°	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	19	26	33	40	46	

Length of pipeline to be restrained L [m] at test pressure of 21 bars

DN / bend	80	100	125	150	200	250	300	400	500	600	700	800	900	1000
180°	12	12	12	12	12	15	18	23	28	33	38	43	48	52
90°	12	12	12	12	12	12	15	20	26	31	36	41	45	50
45°	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	16	22	27	32	37	42	46
30°	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	18	24	29	34	38	43
22°	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	15	20	25	30	35	40
11°	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	17	22	27	

Length of pipeline to be restrained L [m] at test pressure of 30 bars

DN / bend	80	100	125	150	200	250	300	400	500	600
180°	12	13	16	20	26	32	37	48	59	69
90°	12	12	12	13	16	23	28	34	45	56
45°	12	12	12	12	12	18	24	30	41	52
30°	12	12	12	12	14	20	26	37	48	58
22°	12	12	12	12	12	16	22	33	44	54
11°	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	18	29	40

Length of pipeline to be restrained L [m] at test pressure of 30 bars

DN / bend	80	100	125	150	200	250	300	400	500	600
180°	12	12	12	13	17	21	25	33	41	48
90°	12	12	12	12	15	19	23	31	38	45
45°	12	12	12	12	12	15	19	27	34	42
30°	12	12	12	12	12	12	15	23	31	38
22°	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	19	27	35
11°	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	13	21

Length of pipeline to be restrained L [m] at test pressure of 45 bars

DN / bend	80	100	125	150	200	250	300
180°	17	21	25	30	39	48	57
90°	14	18	22	27	36	45	54
45°	12	13	18	23	32	41	49
30°	12	12	14	18	28	37	45
22°	12	12	12	14	23	32	41
11°	12	12	12	12	12	16	26

Length of pipeline to be restrained L [m] at test pressure of 45 bars

DN / bend	80	100	125	150	200	250	300
180°	12	12	17	20	27	32	39
90°	12	12	14	17	24	30	36
45°	12	12	12	13	20	26	32
30°	12	12	12	12	16	22	29
22°	12	12	12	12	12	18	25
11°	12	12	12	12	12	12	12



## Length of pipeline to be restrained L [m] when the following parameters apply

**Soil in the pipeline zone:** Very loamy sand, sandy loam, loam, clay, marl (B1)  
**Coefficient of friction:**  $\mu = 0.25$   
**Soil pressure:** Allowable  $\sigma_{h.w} = 30 \text{ kN/m}^2$   
**Height of cover of pipeline:**  $H = 1.50 \text{ [m]}$   
 (pipeline trench completely filled)

Length of pipeline to be restrained L [m] at test pressure of 10 bars

DN / bend	80	100	125	150	200	250	300	400	500	600	700	800	900	1000
180°	12	12	12	12	12	14	17	22	27	32	37	41	46	50
90°	12	12	12	12	12	12	13	18	23	28	33	38	42	46
45°	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	13	18	23	28	32	37	41
30°	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	17	22	27	32	36
22°	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	17	22	26	31	
11°	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12

**Soil in the pipeline zone:** Very loamy sand, sandy loam, loam, clay, marl (B1)  
**Coefficient of friction:**  $\mu = 0.50$   
**Soil pressure:** Allowable  $\sigma_{h.w} = 30 \text{ kN/m}^2$   
**Height of cover of pipeline:**  $H = 1.50 \text{ [m]}$   
 (pipeline trench completely filled)

Length of pipeline to be restrained L [m] at test pressure of 10 bars

DN / bend	80	100	125	150	200	250	300	400	500	600	700	800	900	1000
180°	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	13	16	18	20	23	25
90°	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	14	16	18	21	23
45°	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	13	16	18	20
30°	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	13	16	18
22°	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	13	15
11°	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12

Length of pipeline to be restrained L [m] at test pressure of 15 bars

DN / bend	80	100	125	150	200	250	300	400	500	600	700	800	900	1000
180°	12	12	12	13	18	22	26	34	41	48	56	62	69	75
90°	12	12	12	12	13	18	22	30	37	45	52	59	65	72
45°	12	12	12	12	12	16	24	32	39	46	53	60	67	
30°	12	12	12	12	12	12	18	26	34	41	48	55	62	
22°	12	12	12	12	12	12	13	21	28	36	43	50	57	
11°	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	19	23	30	37		

Length of pipeline to be restrained L [m] at test pressure of 15 bars

DN / bend	80	100	125	150	200	250	300	400	500	600	700	800	900	1000
180°	12	12	12	12	12	12	13	16	20	24	28	31	34	38
90°	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	14	18	22	26	29	32	36
45°	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	15	19	23	26	30	33
30°	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	13	17	20	24	27	31
22°	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	14	18	21	25	28
11°	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	15	18	

Length of pipeline to be restrained L [m] at test pressure of 21 bars

DN / bend	80	100	125	150	200	250	300	400	500	600	700	800	900	1000
180°	12	13	16	19	25	31	36	47	58	68	78	88	97	106
90°	12	12	13	15	21	27	32	43	54	64	74	84	93	102
45°	12	12	12	12	15	21	26	38	48	59	69	79	88	97
30°	12	12	12	12	12	15	21	32	43	54	64	74	83	92
22°	12	12	12	12	12	12	15	27	37	48	58	68	78	87
11°	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	17	37	38	48	58	68	

Length of pipeline to be restrained L [m] at test pressure of 21 bars

DN / bend	80	100	125	150	200	250	300	400	500	600	700	800	900	1000
180°	12	12	12	12	12	15	18	23	29	35	39	44	48	53
90°	12	12	12	12	12	13	16	21	27	32	37	42	46	51
45°	12	12	12	12	12	12	13	18	24	29	34	39	44	48
30°	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	16	21	26	32	36	41	46
22°	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	13	18	24	29	34	38	43
11°	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	13	19	24	29	34	

Length of pipeline to be restrained L [m] at test pressure of 30 bars

DN / bend	80	100	125	150	200	250	300	400	500	600
180°	16	19	23	28	36	44	52	68	83	98
90°	12	15	19	23	32	40	48	64	79	94
45°	12	12	13	17	26	34	42	58	73	88
30°	12	12	12	12	20	29	37	53	68	83
22°	12	12	12	12	14	23	31	47	63	78
11°	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	26	42	57

Length of pipeline to be restrained L [m] at test pressure of 30 bars

DN / bend	80	100	125	150	200	250	300	400	500	600
180°	12	12	12	13	18	22	26	34	41	49
90°	12	12	12	12	16	20	24	32	39	47
45°	12	12	12	12	13	17	21	29	36	44
30°	12	12	12	12	12	14	18	26	34	41
22°	12	12	12	12	12	12	15	23	31	38
11°	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	13	21	28

Length of pipeline to be restrained L [m] at test pressure of 45 bars

DN / bend	80	100	125	150	200	250	300
180°	24	29	36	42	54	67	79
90°	20	25	31	38	50	63	75
45°	14	19	25	32	44	57	69
30°	12	13	20	26	39	51	64
22°	12	12	14	20	33	45	58
11°	12	12	12	12	12	24	36

Length of pipeline to be restrained L [m] at test pressure of 45 bars

DN / bend	80	100	125	150	200	250	300
180°	12	14	17	21	27	33	39
90°	12	12	15	18	25	31	37
45°	12	12	12	15	22	28	34
30°	12	12	12	13	19	25	31
22°	12	12	12	12	16	22	29
11°	12	12	12	12	12	12	18



## 8.6 Installation instructions for pipes with a ZMU

### Applicability

These installation instructions apply to ductile iron pipes to EN 545 with a cement mortar coating (ZMU) to EN 15 542. The installation instructions applicable to the given type of joint should be followed when assembling joints between pipes.

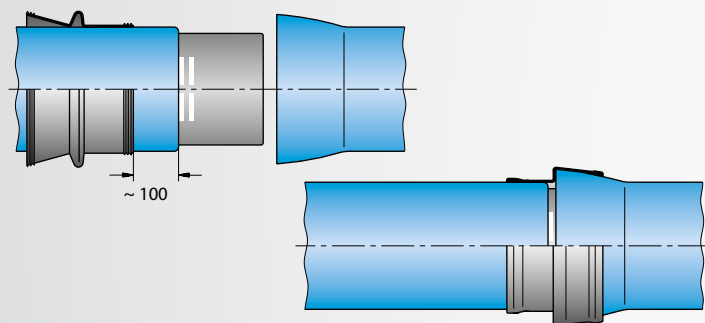
### Recommendations for installation

Installation must be carried out in such a way that the cement mortar coating is not damaged. The following options are available for protecting the socket joints:

- rubber sleeves for protecting cement mortar,
- heat-shrink material or protective tapes (to DIN 30 672),
- mortar bandages (e.g. made by the Ergelit company) for special applications.

### Rubber sleeves for protecting cement mortar

Rubber sleeves for protecting cement mortar can be used for TYTON®, BRS® and VRS®-T joints in pipes up to DN 800 in size. Before the joint is assembled, turn the sleeve inside out and, with the larger diameter end leading, pull it onto the spigot end sufficiently far for the cement mortar coating to project from the sleeve by about 100 cm. Fitting can be made easier by applying lubricant to the cement mortar coating.



Once the joint has been assembled and the seating of the gasket checked with the depth gauge, turn the sleeve back outside in, pull it along until it is resting against the end-face of the socket and hook it over the socket. It will then rest firmly and tightly against the pipes.

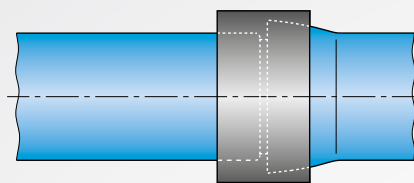
### Shrink-on material and protective tapes

Shrink-on material and protective tapes can be used on all joints. The shrink-on material must be suitable for the dimensions of the particular joint and for the intended use; see Chapter 6. p. 51.

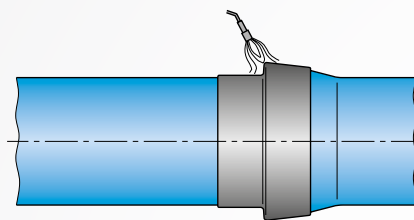
### Fitting a shrink-on sleeve

Pull the shrink-on sleeve onto the socket end before the joint is assembled. The surface to be covered should be prepared as detailed in directive GW 15, i.e. the area to which the sleeve is to be fitted should be freed of any rust, grease, dirt and loose particles. Preheat the surface to about 60°C, and thus dry it, with a propane gas flame.

After the joint has been assembled, pull the shrink-on sleeve over the joint, leaving approximately half its length on the socket.



The protective lining present in the sleeve should not be removed until after the sleeve has been positioned on the socket and shortly before it is going to be heated. With a propane gas flame set to a soft setting, heat the shrink-on sleeve evenly all round at the point where the end-face of the socket is situated until the sleeve begins to shrink and the outline of the socket appears within it. Then, while keeping the temperature even by fanning the burner up and down in the circumferential direction, shrink on first the part of the sleeve on the socket and then, starting from the end face of the socket, the part on the barrel of the pipe.



The process has been satisfactorily carried out when:

- the whole of the sleeve has been shrunk onto the joint between the pipes,
- it is resting smoothly against the surface with no cold spots or air bubbles and the sealing adhesive has been forced out at both ends,
- the requisite overlap of 50 cm over the factory-applied coating has been achieved.

### Covering a socket joint with a shrink-on sleeve of tape material

The shrink-on tape is available in pre-cut form with a sealing strip already incorporated or in 30 m rolls which include a sealing strip for each socket. When in 30 m rolls, the shrink-on tape has to be cut to the appropriate length on site (see p. 51). The surface to be covered should be prepared as detailed in directive GW 15, i.e. the area to which the tape is to be fitted should be freed of any rust, grease, dirt and loose particles. Preheat the surface to about 60°C, and thus dry it, with a propane gas flame.

Detach the backing film from the tape for about 150 mm. Position the end of the tape centrally over the joint between the pipes, at right angles to the plane of the joint, and wrap the tape loosely round the joint, removing the rest of the backing film as you do so. The overlap between the ends of the tape should be at least 80 cm and should be situated at an easily accessible point in the top third of the pipes. At low ambient temperatures, it is useful for the adhesive side of the point of overlap and of the sealing strip to be heated for a short period.

Position the sealing strip centrally across the overlap and with a constantly moving soft yellow flame heat the strip evenly from the outside until the lattice pattern of the fabric becomes apparent. Then, wearing gloves, press the sealing strip hard against the tape. Moving the flame evenly in the circumferential direction of the pipes, shrink the tape first onto the socket, beginning on the side away from the sealing strip, and then, in the same way, onto the spigot end.



The process has been satisfactorily carried out when:

- the whole of the tape has been shrunk onto the joint between the pipes
- it is resting smoothly against the surface with no cold spots or air bubbles and the sealing adhesive has been forced out at both ends
- the requisite overlap of 50 cm over the factory-applied coating has been achieved.

With the types of socket protection described, the whole of the angular deflections specified in the installation instructions can still be used even after the protection has been applied.

Rather than the molecularly cross-linked Thermofit heat-shrinkable material, what may also be used are protective tapes of other kinds provided they meet the requirements of DIN 30 672 and carry a DIN/DVGW registered number.

### Wrapping with protective tapes

Once the joint has been fully assembled, the protective tape is wrapped around the joint in several layers in such a way that it covers the cement mortar coating for  $\geq 50$  mm.

### Wrapping with a mortar bandage (made by the Ergelit company)

Soak the mortar bandage in a bucket filled with water until no more air bubbles are released; maximum soak time should be two minutes.

Take the wet bandage out of the bucket and gently press the water out of it.

Wrap the bandage round the area to be covered (cover the cement mortar coating for  $\geq 50$  mm) and shape it to the contours of the joint.

For a layer 6 mm thick, wrap the bandage round twice or in other words make 50% of the bandage an overlap. The protective bandage will be able to take mechanical loads after about 1 to 3 hours.

### Filling of the pipeline trench

The bedding for the pipeline should be laid in accordance with EN 805 or DVGW directive W 400-2.

Virtually any excavated material can be used as a filling material, even soil containing stones up to a maximum grain size of 100 mm (see DVGW directive W 400-2). Only in special cases does the pipeline need to be surrounded with sand or with some other foreign material.

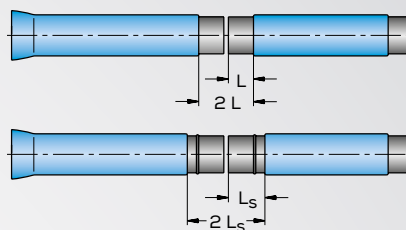
In the region of surfaces carrying traffic, the filling of pipeline trenches should follow the directive for backfilling pipeline trenches (issued by the Forschungsgesellschaft für das Straßen- und Verkehrswesen of Cologne).

Push-in joints protected by rubber sleeves for protecting cement mortar or by shrink-on material should be surrounded by fine-grained material or should be protected by pipe protection mats.

### Cutting of pipes

Ensure that the pipes are suitable for cutting (see p. 82).

Before pipes are cut, the cement mortar coating must be removed for a length of  $2L$  or  $2L_s$ , as the case may be, as shown in the Table below (for collars, allowance must also be made for the dimension for sliding on the collar).



DN	TYTON® /	VRS®-T
	L (mm)	L <sub>s</sub> (mm)
80	95	165
100	100	175
125	100	185
150	105	190
200	110	200
250	115	205
300	120	210
350	120	–
400	120	230
500	130	245
600	145	300
700	205	315
800	220	330
900	230	345
1,000	245	360

The lengths of spigot ends free of cement mortar coating appropriate to TYTON® gaskets apply as follows to sockets to DIN 28 603

Form A up to DN 600

Form B (long socket) DN 700 and above

### Procedure for removing the cement mortar coating

- At the dimensions given in the above table, mark lines indicating the cuts to be made in the cement mortar coating.
- Following the lines, make cuts into the cement mortar coating to about half the depth of the layer (to a depth of 2–3 mm). Important: Do not cut into the ductile iron wall of the pipe! Protective workwear, especially safety goggles, must be used all the time.
- Make two or three longitudinal cuts (as described above) into the cement mortar coating, distributing the cuts around the circumference.
- In the case of pipes which have had a primer applied between the zinc coating and the cement mortar coating, the cement mortar coating should be heated to approx. 160–200°C before it is detached. Such pipes are identified by a line below the marking for the coating standard, i.e. "EN 15 542".
- Detach the cement mortar coating by gentle blows with a hammer – starting at the longitudinal cuts.
- Split all the cuts apart with a cold chisel.
- Remove the cement mortar coating and free the spigot end of any residual cement mortar with a scraper and wire brush.
- The pipe can now be cut and the spigot end bevelled as indicated in the section entitled "Cutting of pipes" (see p. 82).

It is essential for the new zinc-coated spigot ends which are produced to be repainted with a suitable finishing coating!

### Fitting pipe saddles

To make house connections to ductile iron pipes with a cement mortar coating, what should preferably be used are saddles with an internal sealing sleeve.

Within the hole in the pipeline, this type of pipe saddle seals directly against the surface of the ductile iron pipe in the drilled hole made in the pipe. Fittings of this kind are available from many manufacturers, e.g. Erhard, EWE and Hawle.

For further information see DVGW-directive W 333.



### On-site repairs to the cement mortar coating (ZMU)

All repairs to any detached parts of the ZMU must be carried out using the repair kit supplied by the pipe manufacturer.

#### Contents of the repair kit

approx. 4 kg of sand/cement mixture  
plus approx. 5 m of 200 mm wide gauze  
1 litre of diluted additive.

These components are specially adjusted for use with TRM pipes. They must not be replaced by any other material or used to produce classes of cement mortar different from those specified on the repair kit!

#### Repair instructions

A proper repair can only be made at temperatures of above 5°C.

Apart from the repair kit, what you will also need are:

Rubber gloves  
Dust-tight protective goggles  
Wire brush  
Spatula  
Additional mixing vessel  
Possibly water for mixing

#### If there is severe damage:

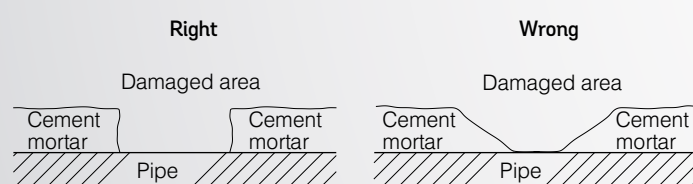
**Hammer**

**Cold chisel**

#### Preparing the damaged area

If there is only slight surface damage, simply remove any loose pieces of cement mortar and any pieces which are not firmly attached with the wire brush. Finally, moisten the damaged area.

If the damage is severe, it is advisable for the cement mortar to be completely removed (down to the bare metal) in the damaged area with a hammer and cold chisel. The protective goggles must be worn when doing the above! Remove the cement mortar in such a way that square edges are obtained:



Do not use excessive force when removing the cement mortar as this may cause the sound cement mortar to become detached in the region next to the damaged area.

Remove any loose material which is still present with the wire brush and moisten the damaged area.

#### Mixing

First of all stir the diluted additive well. Then mix the mortar, adding as little additive and water as possible, until a mixture which can be applied easily with the spatula is obtained – the amount of water contained in the additive is normally all that is needed. To begin with, use only the additive solution and meter it in carefully. Then add extra water if necessary (e.g. at high temperatures in summer).

#### Application

Once the mortar is easily workable, fill the damaged area with it and level off the surface. Finally, smooth the repaired area, and especially the parts at the edges, with a moistened, wide paintbrush or a moistened dusting brush.

If the damage covers a large area, the gauze is needed to fix the mortar in place in the damaged region. For this purpose the gauze should be positioned about 1 – 2 mm below the surface of the mortar. The gauze must not come into contact with the metal surface of the pipe because, if it does so, it will then act as a wick. Having completed the repair, seal the repair kit again so that it is airtight.

#### Drying and entry into service

Repairs covering a particularly large area should be covered with plastic film to allow them to dry slowly, thus minimising the risks of cracks forming.

There should be a wait of at least 12 hours before repaired pipes are installed or the damaged area should be provided with adequate protection against mechanical loads.



## 8.7 Installation instructions VRS®-T joints DN 80 to DN 500

### Applicability

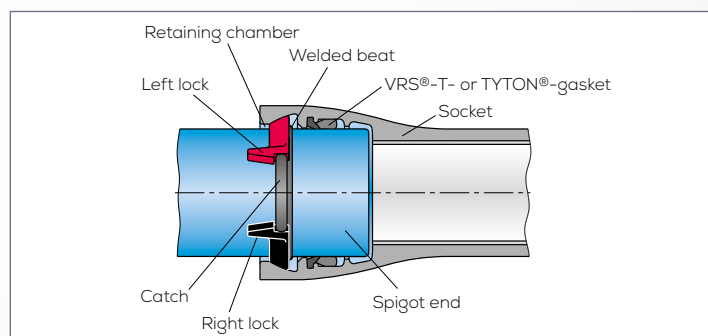
These installation instructions apply to ductile iron pipes and fittings of DN 80 to DN 500 nominal sizes with restrained VRS®-T push-in joints. For recommendations for transport, storage and installation, see p. 60 ff. For laying tools and other accessories, see Chapter 6. For very high internal pressures and trenchless installation techniques (e.g. the press-pull, rocket plough or HDD techniques), an additional high pressure lock should be used in pipes of DN 80 to DN 250 nominal sizes (see the section entitled "High pressure lock" on p. 17). The number of joints to be restrained should be decided on in accordance with DVGW directive GW 368 (see p. 65 ff).

For allowable tractive forces for trenchless installation techniques, see table below or DVGW directives GW 320-1, 321, 322-1, 322-2, 323 and 324.

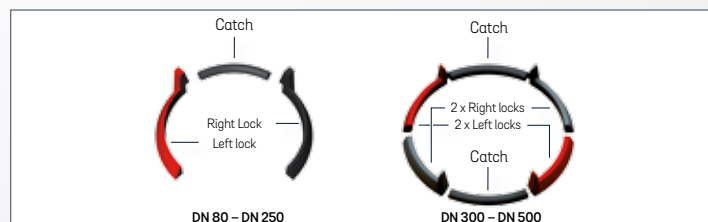
DN	PFA [bar] <sup>1)</sup>	Allowable tractive force F <sub>all</sub> [kN] TRM	Max. angular deflection at sockets <sup>2)</sup> [°]	Min. radius of curves [m]	Number of fitters	Assembly time without joint protection [min]	Assembly time when using a protective sleeve [min]	Assembly time when using a shrink-on sleeve [min]
80*	110	115	5	69	1	5	6	15
100*	100	150	5	69	1	5	6	15
125*	100	225	5	69	1	5	6	15
150*	75	240	5	69	1	5	6	15
200	63	350	4	86	1	6	7	17
250	44	375	4	86	1	7	8	19
300	40	380	4	86	2	8	9	21
400	30	650	3	115	2	10	12	25
500	30	860	3	115	2	12	14	28
600	32	1,525	2	172	2	15	18	30
700	25	1,650	1.5	230	2	16	–	31
800	16	1,460	1.5	230	2	17	–	32
900	16	1,845	1.5	230	2	18	–	33
1,000	10	1,560	1.5	230	2	20	–	35

<sup>1)</sup> Basis for calculation was wall-thickness class K9. Higher pressures and tractive forces are possible in some cases and should be agreed with the pipe manufacturer. <sup>2)</sup> When the route is straight (max. of 0.5° deflection per joint), the tractive forces can be raised by 50 kN. High-pressure lock is required on DN 80 to DN 250 pipes. <sup>3)</sup> At nominal dimension; \* Wall-thickness classes K10

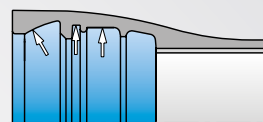
### Construction of the joint



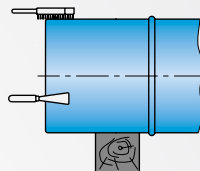
VRS®-T-gasket	VRS®-T-locks	
EPDM to EN 681-1	DN 80 – DN 250	DN 300 – DN 500
	1 Right lock (black) 1 Left lock (red) 1 Catch	2 Right locks (black) 2 Left locks (red) 2 Catches



### Cleaning



Clean the surfaces of the seating for the gasket, the retaining groove and the retaining chamber which are indicated by the arrows and remove any excess paint (paint humps, bubbles or pimples) from them. Use a scraper (e.g. a bent screwdriver) to clean the retaining groove.

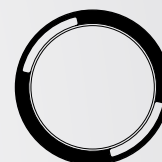


Clean the spigot end. Remove any fouling and any excess paint (paint humps, bubbles or pimples).

### Positions of the openings in the socket end-face when the pipe is in the pipeline trench



DN 80 to DN 250

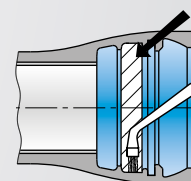


DN 300 to DN 500

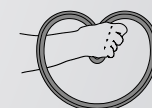
For inserting the locks or bolting on the clamping ring, it is advisable for the openings in the end-face of the socket to be positioned as shown. For fittings, the position of the openings will depend on the particular installation situation. For WKG pipes with trace heating, care must be taken to see that the heating cable is positioned at the bottom of the pipe.

### Inserting the gasket

Lubricant should be used below TYTON® gaskets. For this purpose, carefully wipe a thin film of the lubricant supplied with the pipes by the manufacturer over the sealing surface identified by the oblique lines. Note: Do not put any lubricant in the retaining groove (the narrow groove)! No lubricant is used with VRS®-T gaskets.



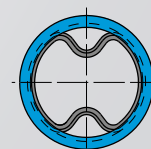
Clean the gasket and make a loop in it so that it is heart-shaped.



Fit the gasket into the socket so that the hard-rubber claw on the outside engages in the retaining groove in the socket. Then press the loop flat.



If you have any difficulty in pressing the loop flat, pull out a second loop on the opposite side. These two small loops can then be pressed flat without any difficulty.





The inner edge of the hard-rubber claw of the gasket must not project below the locating collar.

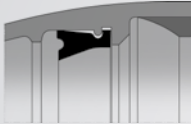
**Right**



**Cross section of VRS®-T gasket**



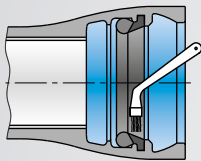
**Wrong**



**Cross section of TYTON® gasket**



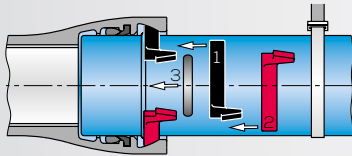
Apply a thin layer of lubricant to the gasket.



### Spigot end with welded bead

Apply a thin layer of lubricant to the cleaned spigot end – and particularly to the bevel – and then pull or push the spigot end into the socket until it is in abutment with the end-wall of the socket. Pipes must not be in a deflected angular position when they are being pushed in or the locks are being inserted.

Do not remove whatever is being used to lift the pipe until the joint has been fully assembled



1) Insert the “right” lock in the opening in the socket and slide it to the right as far as possible.

2) Insert the “left” lock in the opening in the socket and slide it to the left as far as possible.

3) Press the catch into the opening in the socket.

On pipes of DN 300 size and above, steps 1 to 3 have to be carried out twice because 2x2 locks and 2 catches are used in this case.

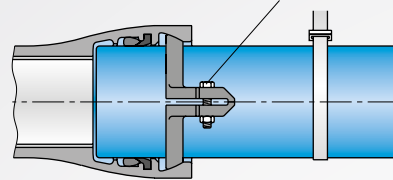
### Spigot end without a welded bead

First insert the two halves of the clamping ring into the retaining chamber separately and then connect them together loosely with the two bolts. Mark the depth of insertion (the depth of the socket) on the spigot end.

Apply lubricant to the cleaned spigot end – and particularly to the bevel – and then pull or push it in until it is fully home in the socket. Pipes must not be at an angular deflection when they are being pulled in. After the pulling-in, the mark previously made on the spigot end should be almost in line with the end-face of the socket.

Pull the clamping ring towards the end-face of the socket as far as possible and then tighten the bolts  $\geq 60$  Nm.

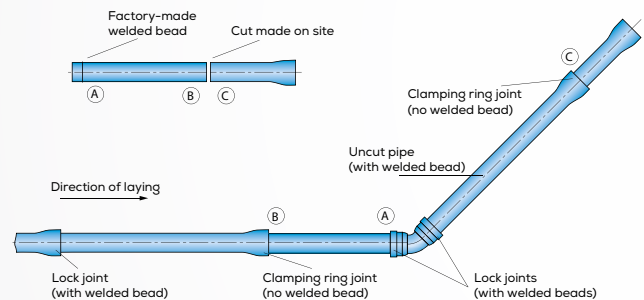
Tightening torque  $\geq 60$  Nm



### Notes on clamping ring joints

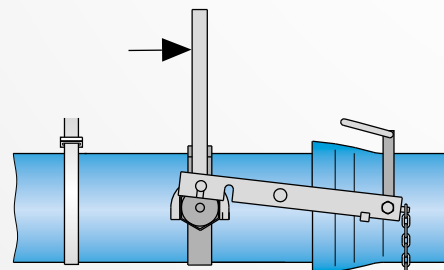
Care should be taken to see that clamping ring joints are not used in above-ground pipelines or pipelines subject to pulsations or for trenchless installation techniques. For single socket bends, double socket bends, 90° flange socket duckfoot bends and 90° duckfoot bends with side outlets, the PFA is a maximum of 16 bars. Please enquire for PFA's of more than 16 bars. For connections at bends where the operating pressure is  $> 16$  bars, an adaptor, a piece of cut pipe with two spigot ends, is turned through 180° so that the end carrying the welded bead mates with the socket of the bend.

Before the remaining, socketed, piece of the cut pipe is installed, an uncut pipe is laid. The spigot end of the piece of cut pipe, which does not carry a welded bead, is then inserted in the socket of the uncut pipe. Our Applications Engineering Division should be consulted before clamping rings are used in culvert or bridge pipelines and before joints using them are laid on steep slopes, in casing tubes or pipes, in utility tunnels or in above-ground pipelines or pipelines subject to pulsations. Clamping rings should not be used in these cases or in trenchless installation techniques. The pieces of adapter pipe required should be provided with welded beads.



### Locking

Pull or push the pipe out of the socket, e.g. with a laying tool, until the locks or the clamping ring are firmly in abutment in the retaining chamber. The joint is now restrained.



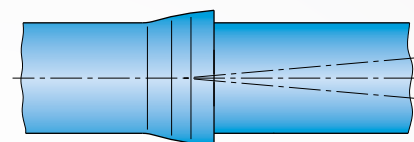


### Angular deflection

Once the joint has been fully assembled, pipes and fittings can be deflected angularly as follows:

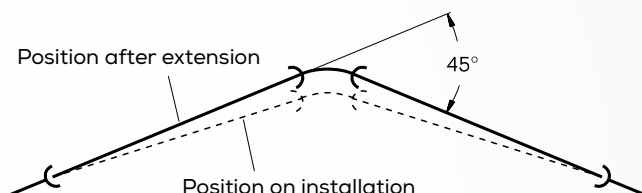
DN 80 to DN 150	– max. of 5°
DN 200 to DN 300	– max. of 4°
DN 400 and DN 500	– max. of 3°

For a pipe length of 6 m, 1° of angular deflection causes the axis of the pipe to lie approx. 10 cm off the axis of the pipe or fitting installed previously, i.e. 3° = 30 cm. With 5 m long pipes, 1° corresponds to approx. 9 cm.



### Note on installation

Make sure that, as a function of the internal pressure and the tolerances on joints, it is possible for extensions of up to about 8 mm to occur. To allow for the travel of the pipeline when it extends when pressure is applied, joints at bends should be set to the maximum allowable angular deflection in the negative direction.



### Cutting of pipes

Ensure that the pipes are suitable for cutting (see p. 82). If pipes have to be cut on site, the welded bead required for the VRS®-T push-in joint has to be applied using an electrode as specified by the pipe manufacturer. The welding work should be done in accordance with directive DVS 1502 or the technical recommendations for welding given from p. 83 ff on.

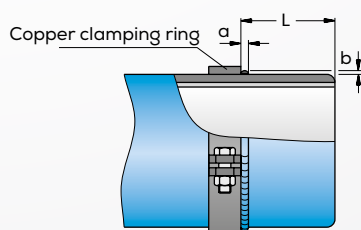
The distance between the end of the spigot end and the welded bead and the size of the welded bead must be as shown in the table below.

Electrode type, e.g. Castolin 7330-EC, UTP FN 86, ESAB OK 92.58, Gricast 31 or 32.

The electrode diameter should be 3.2 mm below DN 400 and 4.0 mm at DN 400 and above.

For electrode consumption see p. 76

DN	80	100	125	150	200	250	300	400	500
L	86±4	91±4	96±4	101±4	106±4	106±4	106±4	115±5	120±5
a	8±2	8±2	8±2	8±2	9±2	9±2	9±2	10±2	10±2
b	5 <sup>+0.5</sup> <sub>-1</sub>	5 <sup>+0.5</sup> <sub>-1</sub>	5 <sup>+0.5</sup> <sub>-1</sub>	5 <sup>+0.5</sup> <sub>-1</sub>	5.5 <sup>+0.5</sup> <sub>-1</sub>	5.5 <sup>+0.5</sup> <sub>-1</sub>	5.5 <sup>+0.5</sup> <sub>-1</sub>	6 <sup>+0.5</sup> <sub>-1</sub>	6 <sup>+0.5</sup> <sub>-1</sub>



To ensure that there is a good welded bead at a uniform distance from the end, a copper welding guide must be fastened to the spigot end at the specified distance from the end (see table) as a guide for application. The area to be welded must be bright metal. Any fouling or zinc coating must be removed by filing or grinding. When the welding guide is removed, the cut edge of the spigot end should be matched to the form of an original spigot end and the area of the welded bead should be cleaned. Finally, the appropriate protective coating should be applied to both these areas.

### Disassembly

Push the pipe as far as possible into the socket along its axis. Remove the catch through the opening in the socket end-face. Slide the locks round and remove them through the opening. If a high-pressure lock is fitted, slide it round from the bottom of the pipe to the opening with a flat object (e.g. a screwdriver) and remove it.

### Disassembly of clamping ring joints

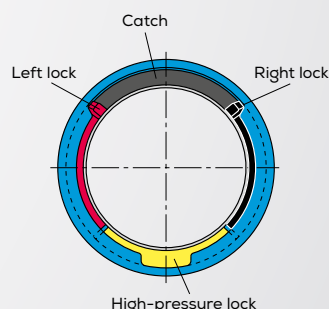
Push the pipe into the socket along its axis until it is in abutment.

Remove the clamping bolts and then loosen the halves of the clamping ring by hitting them with a hammer. Ensure that the halves of the clamping ring remain loose during disassembly (if necessary by again hitting them with a hammer as the spigot end is pulled out). They can also be stopped from jamming on the spigot end during disassembly by inserting a square steel bar between the lugs at the ends of the halves. Do not under any circumstances hit the socket or the barrel of the pipe with the hammer!

### High-pressure lock

An additional high-pressure lock should be used whenever very high internal pressures are expected (e.g. in the case of turbine pipelines) and whenever trenchless installation techniques are used (e.g. the press-pull, rocket plough or horizontal directional drilling techniques). Before the left and right locks are inserted, the high-pressure lock is inserted in the retaining chamber through the opening in the end-face of the socket and is positioned at the bottom of the pipe. The locks can then be inserted and the high-pressure lock is thus situated between their flat ends. The locks are then fixed in place in the usual way with the catch.

The illustration below shows a fully assembled VRS®-T socket with a high-pressure lock. The high-pressure lock can be used for pipes of nominal sizes from DN 80 to DN 250.





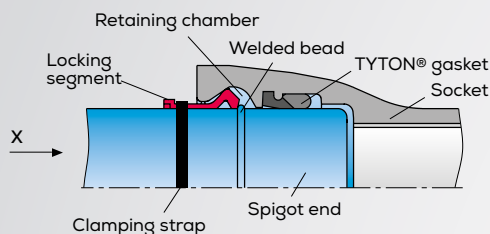
## 8.8 Installation instructions BLS® joints DN 600 – DN 1000

### Applicability

These installation instructions apply to DN 600 – DN 1,000 ductile iron pipes and fittings with restrained BLS® push-in joints.

For recommendations for transport, storage and installation, see p. 60 ff. For laying tools and other accessories, see Chapter 6.

### Construction of the joint

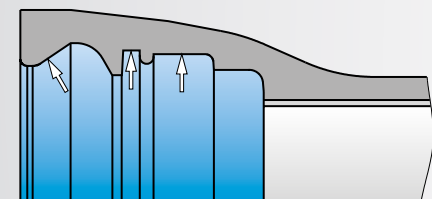


Number n of locking segments per joint

DN	600	700	800	900	1,000
n	9	10	10	13	14

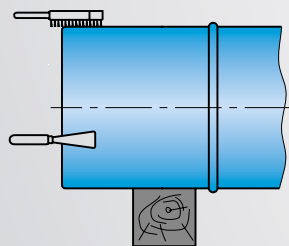
### Cleaning

Clean the surfaces of the seating for the gasket, the retaining groove and the retaining chamber which are indicated by the arrows and remove any excess paint (paint humps, bubbles or pimples).



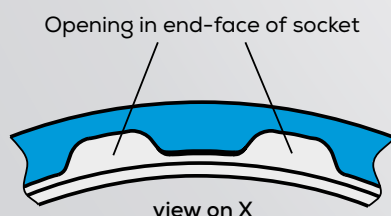
Use a scraper (e.g. a bent screwdriver) to clean the retaining groove.

Clean the spigot end. Remove any fouling and any excess paint (paint humps, bubbles or pimples).



### Positions of the openings in the socket end-face

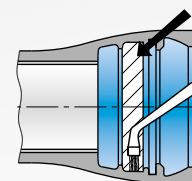
The opening in the end-face of the socket should always be situated at the top of the pipe.



### Inserting the gasket

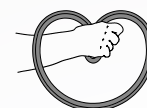
Lubricant should be used below TYTON® gaskets.

For this purpose, carefully wipe a thin film of the lubricant supplied with the pipes by the manufacturer over the sealing surface identified by the oblique lines.



Note: Do not put any lubricant in the retaining groove (the narrow groove)!

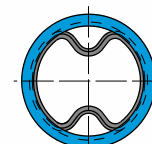
Clean the TYTON® gasket and make a loop in it so that it is heart-shaped



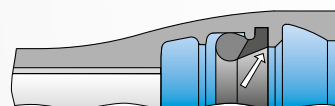
Fit the TYTON® gasket into the socket so that the hard-rubber claw on the outside engages in the retaining groove in the socket. Then press the loop flat.



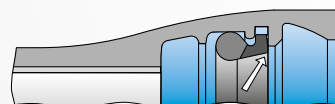
If you have any difficulty in pressing the loop flat, pull out a second loop on the opposite side. These two small loops can then be pressed flat without any difficulty. The inner edge of the hard-rubber claw of the TYTON® gasket must not project below the locating collar.



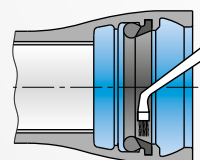
### Right



### Wrong

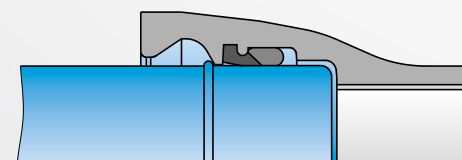


Apply a thin layer of lubricant to the TYTON® gasket.



### Assembling the joint

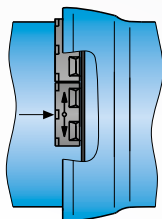
Apply a thin film of lubricant to the cleaned spigot end – and particularly to the bevel – and then pull or push it in until it is fully home in the socket. The pipes must not be at an angular deflection when being pulled in or when the lock segments are being fitted.





First insert the locking segments through the opening in the end-face of the socket and distribute them around the circumference of the pipe, working alternately left and right. Then move all the segments round in one direction until the last segment can be inserted through the openings in the end-face of the socket and can be moved to a position where it provides secure locking.

Only a small part of the humps on the last locking segment should be visible through the opening in the end-face of the socket. Should segments jam, they should be moved to their intended position by gentle taps with a hammer by moving the pipe as it hangs from the sling.



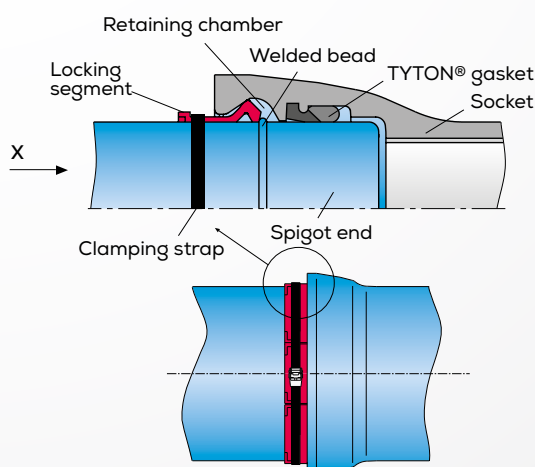
Do not under any circumstances hit the socket or the barrel of the pipe with the hammer!

### Locking

Pull back all the locking segments in the outward direction until they are in abutment against the slope of the retaining chamber. Then fit the clamping strap around the outside of the segments as shown in the illustration. Tighten the clamping strap only sufficiently far enough to still allow the locking segments to be moved. Now line up the locking segments. They should be resting against the barrel of the pipe over their full area and should not be overlapping. Then tighten the clamping strap until the locking segments are bearing firmly against the pipe around the whole of its circumference.

It should now no longer be possible to move the locking segments. By pulling on it axially (e.g. by means of a locking clamp), pull the pipe out of the joint until the welded bead comes to rest against the segments. When the pipe is in an undeflected state, the locking segments should all be approximately the same longitudinal distance away from the end-face of the socket.

Note: A metal clip rather than the clamping strap should be used in all trenchless techniques.

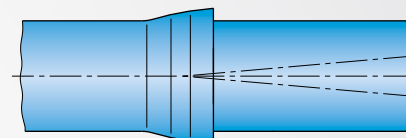


### Angular deflection

Once the joint has been fully assembled, pipes and fittings can be deflected angularly as follows:

DN 600	– max. of 2.0°
DN 700	– max. of 1.5°
DN 800	– max. of 1.5°
DN 900	– max. of 1.5°
DN 1000	– max. of 1.5°

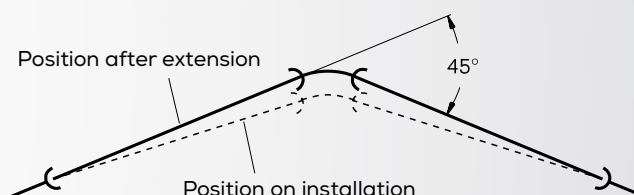
For a pipe length of 6 m, 1° of angular deflection causes the axis of the pipe to lie approx. 10 cm off the axis of the pipe installed previously, i.e. 3° = 30 cm.



### Note on installation

Please remember that, as a function of the internal pressure, it is possible for extensions of up to about 8 mm per joint to occur as a result of the locking segments adjusting.

To allow for the travel of the pipeline when it extends when pressure is applied, joints at bends should be set to the maximum allowable angular deflection in the negative direction.



### Cutting of pipes

Ensure that the pipes are suitable for cutting (see p. 82).

If pipes have to be cut on site, the welded bead required for the BLS® push-in joint has to be applied using an electrode as specified by the pipe manufacturer. The welding work should be done in accordance with directive DVS 1502 or the technical recommendations for welding given from p. 83 ff on.

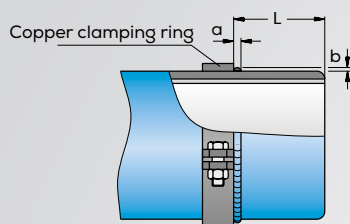
The distance between the end of the spigot end and the welded bead and the size of the welded bead must be as shown in the table below. Electrode type, e.g. Castolin 7330-EC, UTP FN 86, ESAB OK 92.58, Gricast 31 or 32.

DN	600	700	800	900	1,000
L	116	134	143	149	159
a	9±1	9±1	9±1	9±1	9±1
b	6	6	6	6	6

To ensure that there is a good welded bead at a uniform distance from the end, a copper welding guide must be fastened to the spigot end at the specified distance from the end (see table) as a guide for application.



The area to be welded must be bright metal. Any fouling or zinc coating must be removed by filing or grinding.



When the welding guide is removed, the cut edge of the spigot end should be matched to the form of an original spigot end and it and the area of the welded bead should be cleaned. Finally, the appropriate protective coating should be applied to both these areas.

### Disassembly

Push the pipe into the socket along its axis until it is in abutment and remove the locking segments through the opening in the socket end-face.

### Special pipelines

Our Applications Engineering Division should be consulted if for example joints of this kind are to be used in casing tubes or pipes, on bridges, for the horizontal direction drilling technique or in culvert pipelines.

Pipelines on steep slopes should be installed from the top down, meaning that after each individual pipe has been extended the locking will be maintained by gravity. If this procedure cannot be followed, suitable steps must be taken to prevent the locking from being cancelled out by gravity.

### Combining fittings belonging to other systems with BLS® joints

Our Applications Engineering Division should be consulted if pipe ends of the present type are to be combined with fitting sockets belonging to other systems.

### Electrode consumption

DN nominal size	Electrode consumption per bead		Time required per welded bead [min]
	Ø 3.2 mm [unit]	Ø 4.0 mm [unit]	
80	5	-	15
100	6		18
125	8		24
150	9		27
200	12		36
250	15		43
300	17		50
400	8	+	11
500	11	+	14
600	13	+	16
700	16	+	19
800	18	+	22
900	21	+	25
1,000	23	+	27

The welded bead should normally be applied in two passes, the root pass normally being welded with a Ø 4.0 mm electrode on pipes of DN 400 size and above.

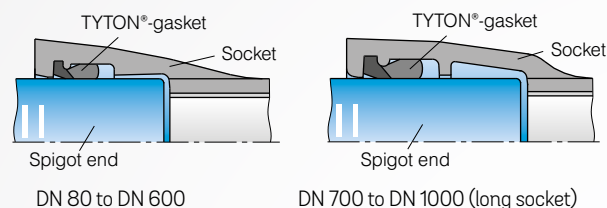
The electrode consumptions and times required given in the table are only a guide.

## 8.9 Installation instructions TYTON® push-in joints

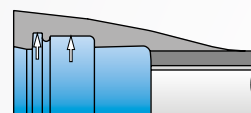
### Applicability

These installation instructions apply to ductile iron pipes and fittings to EN 545 and DIN 28 650 with TYTON® push-in joints to DIN 28 603. There are separate installation instructions for installation and assembly when using restrained joints (VRS®-T and BRS® joints) and/or for pipes with a cement mortar coating (ZMU). For recommendations for transport, storage and installation, see p. 60 ff. For laying tools and other accessories, see Chapter 6.

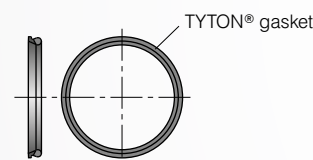
### Construction of the joint



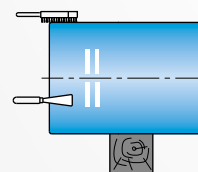
### Cleaning



Clean the surfaces of the seating for the gasket and the retaining groove which are indicated by the arrows and remove any excess paint (paint humps, bubbles or pimples) from them. Use a scraper (e.g. a bent screwdriver) to clean the retaining groove.

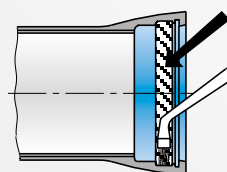


Clean the spigot end back to the line marking. Remove any fouling and any excess paint (paint humps, bubbles or pimples)



Carefully apply a thin coat of the lubricant supplied by the pipe manufacturer only to the sealing surface identified by the oblique lines.

Note: Do not apply any lubricant to the retaining groove (the narrow groove).





### Assembling the joint

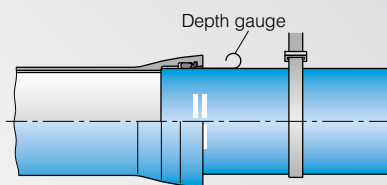
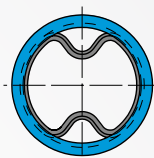
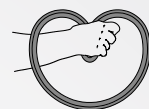
Inserting the TYTON® gasket.

Clean the TYTON® gasket and make a loop in it so that it is heart-shaped.

Fit the TYTON® gasket into the socket so that the hard-rubber claw on the outside engages in the retaining groove in the socket.

Then press the loop flat.

If you have any difficulty in pressing the loop flat, pull out a second loop on the opposite side. These two small loops can then be pressed flat without any difficulty. The inner edge of the hard-rubber claw of the gasket must not project below the locating collar.



Once the joint has been assembled, check the seating of the gasket with the depth gauge around the entire circumference.

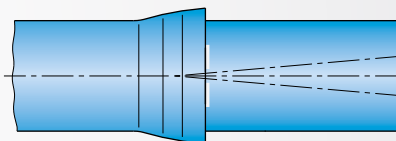
The gauge should penetrate into the gap between the spigot end and the socket to a uniform depth all round the circumference. If it is able to penetrate deeper at one or more points, it is possible that the gasket has been pushed out of the retaining groove at these points and hence that there will be leaks there. If this is the case, the joint must be disassembled and the seating of the gasket checked.

### Angular deflection

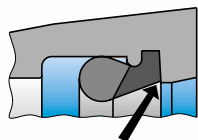
Once the joint has been fully assembled, pipes and fittings can be deflected angularly as follows:

Up to	DN 300	–	max. of 5°
	DN 400	–	max. of 4°
	DN 1000	–	max. of 3°

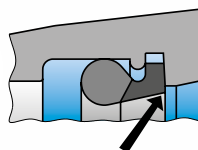
For a pipe length of 6 m, 1° of angular deflection causes the axis of the pipe to lie 10 cm off the axis of the pipe or fitting installed previously, i.e. 3° = 30 cm. With 5 m long pipes, 1° corresponds to approx. 9 cm.



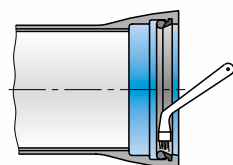
### Right



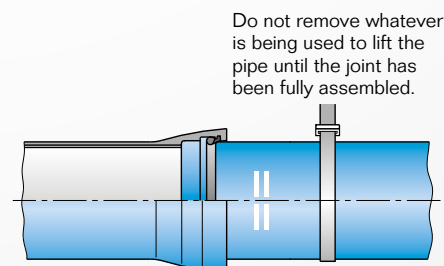
### Wrong



Apply a thin layer of lubricant to the gasket.



Apply a thin layer of lubricant to the spigot end – and particularly to the bevel – and then insert the spigot end into the socket until it is resting against the gasket in a centralised position. The axes of the pipe or fitting already installed and the fitting or pipe which is being connected to it should be in a straight line.

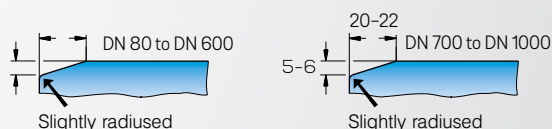


Push the spigot end into the socket until the first marking line can no longer be seen.

### Cutting of pipes

Ensure that the pipes are suitable for cutting (see p. 82). Cut pipes must be bevelled at the cut end to match the original spigot end.

The bevel must be made as shown in the diagram.



The cut surface must be re-painted (see p. 82).

Copy the line markings from the original spigot end to the new spigot end which has been cut.

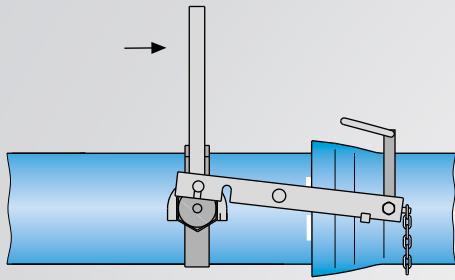
### Disassembly

If newly installed pipes or fittings have to be disassembled, this can be done without any special tools. Either use the laying tool to do this or move the pipe or fitting gently to and fro while pulling on it.

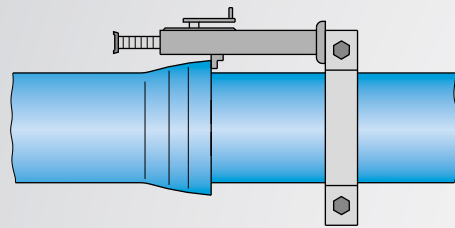
Pipelines fitted with TYTON® push-in joints which have already been in place for quite some time can be disassembled as follows.



### With a laying tool



### With a clamp and a jack

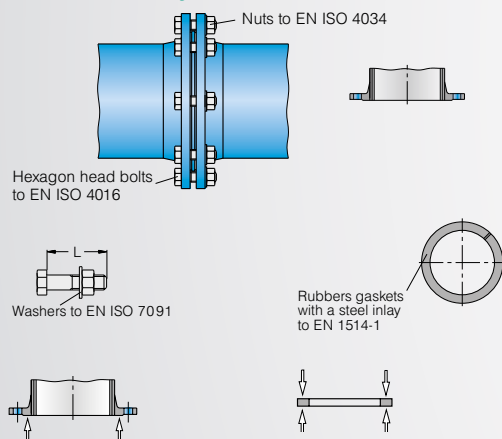


## 8.10 Installation instructions for flanged joints

### Applicability

These installation instructions apply to ductile iron pipes and fittings to EN 545 with flanges to EN 1092-2.

### Construction of the joint



Clean the bolt holes and the surfaces of the sealing ridge and the gasket which are indicated by the arrows and remove any excess paint (paint humps, bubbles or pimples) from them.

### Assembling the joint

For recommendations for transport, storage and installation, see p. 60.

For better assembly and greater reliability in operation, only gaskets with a steel inlay should be fitted.

Flanged pipes and fittings must be carefully supported.

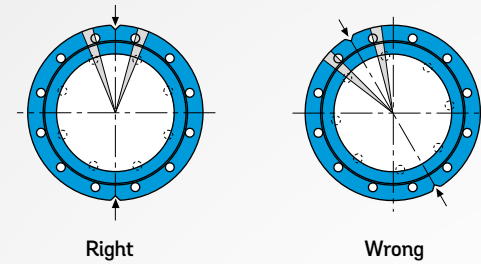
Rigid joints in pipes are unable to withstand differing loads and differing amounts of settlement. Under no circumstances must the pipes or fittings be supported on stones or other similar material.

### Positioning the bolt holes

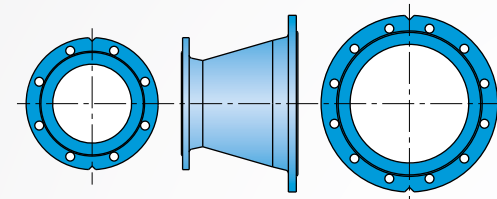
The rule for the positioning of bolt holes which applies to flanged pipes and flanged fittings is that no bolt holes must be situated on the vertical or horizontal centre-lines of the flanges.

### Note in the installation of flanged fittings

To make it easier for flanged fittings to be installed properly, their flanges have two oppositely situated notches made in them. These notches must be in line with one another horizontally or vertically at the time of installation.



### Installing double flanged tapers



The example shown is an FFR 300/200 PN 10 taper

Because of the differing numbers of bolt holes in the two flanges of double flanged tapers, the next valve or fitting will be skewed around its axis if the taper is not correctly installed. The amounts of skew may, depending on the nominal size, be up to 22.5°.

### Important!

With large nominal sizes such skews are almost imperceptible.

### Tightening torques

The tightening torque  $M_D$  depends on the gasket material, the nominal size DN and the pressure rating PN.

It can be calculated as follows:

$$M_{D,PN10} = DN/3 \text{ [Nm]}$$

$$M_{D,PN16} = DN/1.5 \text{ [Nm]}$$

$$M_{D,PN25} = DN/1 \text{ [Nm]}$$

$$M_{D,PN40} = DN/0.5 \text{ [Nm]}$$



## 8.10 Installation instructions BRS® push-in joints

### Applicability

These installation instructions apply to ductile iron pipes and fittings to EN 545 and DIN 28 650 with restrained BRS® push-in joints to DIN 28 603. There are separate installation instructions for the installation and assembly of other restrained joints and/or of pipes with a cement mortar coating (ZMU).

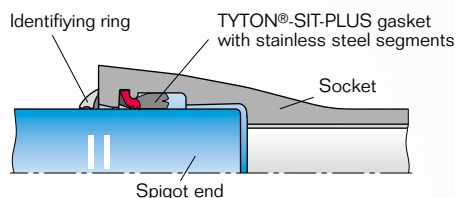
For recommendations for transport, storage and installation, see p. 60 ff.

For laying tools and other accessories, see Chapter 6.

The number of joints which have to be restrained should be decided on in accordance with DVGW directive GW 368 (see p. 65).

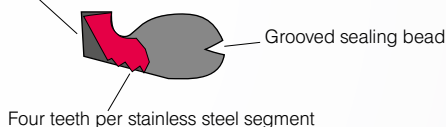
Our Applications Engineering Division should always be consulted before joints of the present type are used in culvert or bridge pipelines and before they are laid on steep slopes or in casing tubes or pipes or in utility tunnels or in unstable soil.

### Construction of the joint



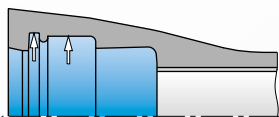
**Important!** There are three notable features by which the TYTON®-SIT-PLUS® gasket can be recognised:

The marking "TYTON®-SIT-PLUS"

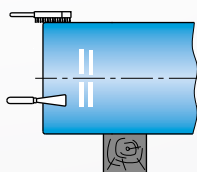


### Cleaning

Clean the surfaces of the seating for the gasket and the retaining groove which are indicated by the arrows and remove any excess paint (paint humps, bubbles or pimples) from them.



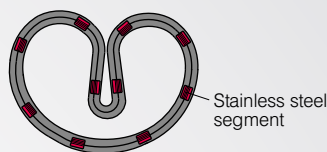
Use a scraper (e.g. a bent screwdriver) to clean the retaining groove.



Clean the spigot end back to the line marking. Remove any fouling and any excess paint (paint humps, bubbles or pimples).

### Assembling the joint

Insert the TYTON®-SIT-PLUS® gasket as specified in the installation instructions for the TYTON® push-in joint (see p. 77).



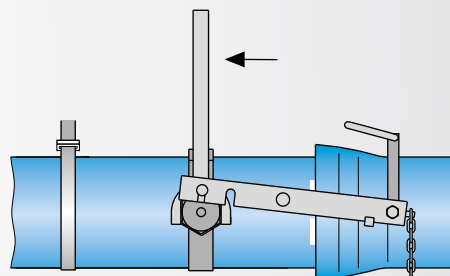
Clean the TYTON®-SIT-PLUS® gasket, make a loop in it so that it is heart-shaped, and fit it into the seating for the gasket.

**Important!** The point of the loop must always be between two segments.

Apply a thin layer of lubricant to the TYTON®-SIT-PLUS® gasket once it has been fitted into the seating. Take the profiled identifying ring marked with a stripe of white paint and slide it onto the spigot end.

Apply a thin layer of lubricant to the spigot end – and particularly to the bevel – and then insert the spigot end into the socket until it is resting against the TYTON®-SIT-PLUS® gasket and is centralised.

Fit the laying tool to the socket and the spigot end and use it to pull the spigot end of the pipe or fitting being inserted into the socket of the pipe already laid. Avoid any angular deflection when doing so.

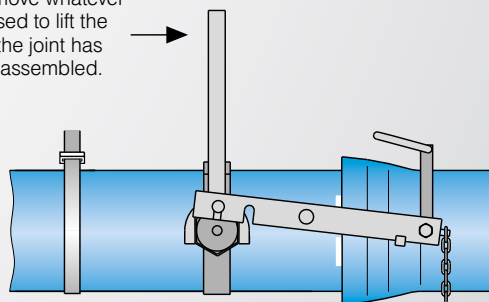


Push the spigot end into the socket until the first marking line can no longer be seen. It is now no longer permissible for either part of the joint to be turned.

### Locking

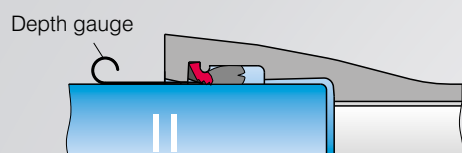
Pull or press the pipe out of the socket, e.g. with a laying tool, until the stainless steel segments engage.

Do not remove whatever is being used to lift the pipe until the joint has been fully assembled.



The joint is now restrained.





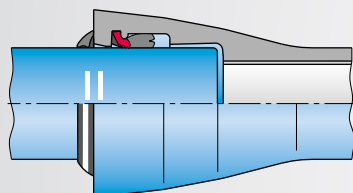
Once the joint has been assembled, check that the TYTON®-SIT-PLUS® gasket is correctly seated around the entire circumference with the depth gauge supplied. The gauge should penetrate into the gap between the spigot end and the socket to a uniform depth all round the circumference. The depth of penetration is usually greater in the region of the segments than in the rest of the gasket. If the depth of penetration is unduly large at one or more points, there may be a hump in the gasket and hence a possible leak at these points. If this is the case, the joint must be disassembled and the seating of the gasket checked.

#### Important:

Do not re-use TYTON®-SIT-PLUS® gaskets from joints which have been disassembled!

#### Identification of the joint

As a durable means of identifying the restrained push-in joint, we supply a profiled rubber ring carrying a stripe of white paint on its circumferential surface. The ring should be positioned as shown in the illustration before the joint is assembled.

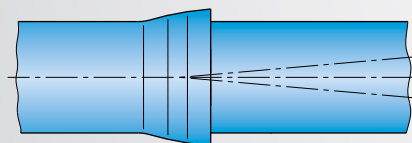


#### Angular deflection

Once the joint has been fully assembled, pipes and fittings can be deflected angularly as follows:

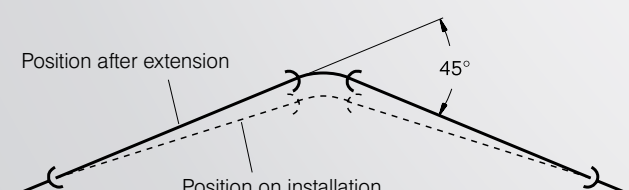
DN 80 to DN 350 – max. of 3°  
DN 400 to DN 600 – max. of 2°

For a pipe length of 6 m, 1° of angular deflection causes the axis of the pipe to lie approx. 10 cm off the axis of the pipe or fitting installed previously, i.e. 3° = 30 cm. With 5 m long pipes, 1° corresponds to approx. 9 cm.



#### Note on installation

Make sure that, as a function of the internal pressure and the tolerances on joints, it is possible for extensions of up to about 8 mm per joint to occur. To allow for the travel of the pipeline when it extends when pressure is applied, joints at bends should be set to the maximum allowable angular deflection in the negative direction.



#### Cutting of pipes

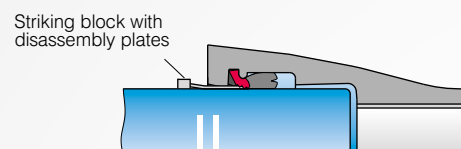
Ensure that the pipes are suitable for cutting (see p. 82).

Copy the line markings from the original spigot end to the new spigot end which has been cut.

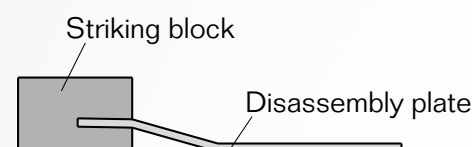
#### Disassembly

Push the pipe into the socket until it is in abutment.

Apply lubricant to the disassembly plates and, using the striking block, drive them into the gap between the socket and the pipe all round. Then disassemble the joint with the laying tool or the disassembling clamp.



A dismantling tool consists of a striking block and the number of disassembly plates shown in the table below.



DN	80	100	125	150	200	250	300	350	400	500	600
Number of plates	4	4	5	6	8	10	12	14	16	19	23

## 8.11 Installation instructions

### Bolted gland joints

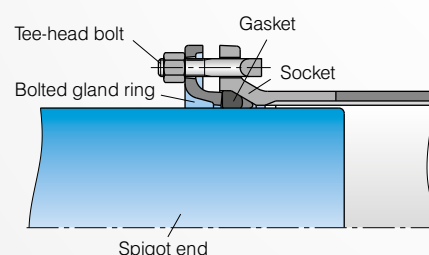
#### Applicability

These installation instructions apply to ductile iron fittings to EN 545 with bolted gland joints to DIN 28 602.

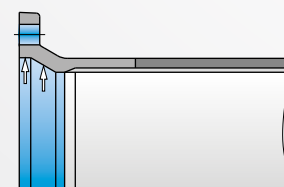
For recommendations for transport, storage and installation, see p. 60.

For laying tools and other accessories, see Chapter 6.

#### Construction of the joint



#### Cleaning



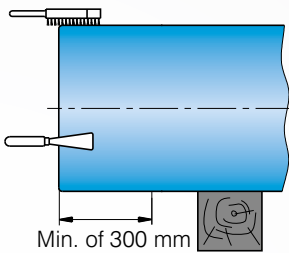
Clean the surfaces of the seating for the gasket which are indicated by the arrows and remove any excess paint (paint humps, bubbles or pimples) from them. Use a tool such as a wire brush to clean the seating for the gasket.



Clean the front pressure-applying face of the bolted gland ring thoroughly.

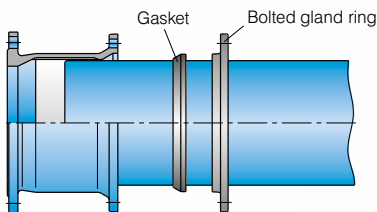


Clean the spigot end for a length of at least 300 mm. Remove any fouling and any excess paint (paint humps, bubbles or pimples).

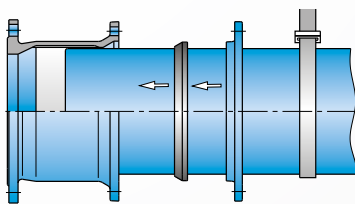


### Assembling the joint

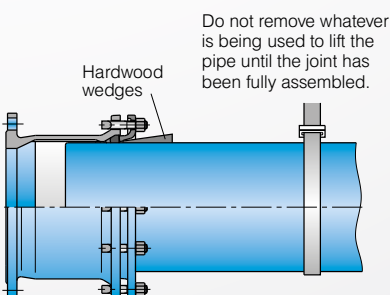
Slide the bolted gland ring and the gasket onto the spigot end. Important! Do not use any lubricant!



Using a piece of lifting equipment, insert the spigot end into the socket, centralise it and check the depth of insertion. Press the gasket into the sealing chamber to a uniform depth all round.

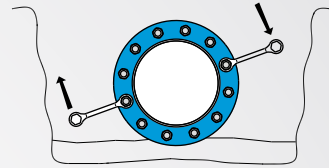


Slide the bolted gland ring in behind the gasket and centralise it with two hardwood wedges, which can easily be fitted in at the top between the bolted gland ring and the spigot end. When the bolted gland ring is accurately centralised, it is then easy for the tee-head bolts to be inserted.



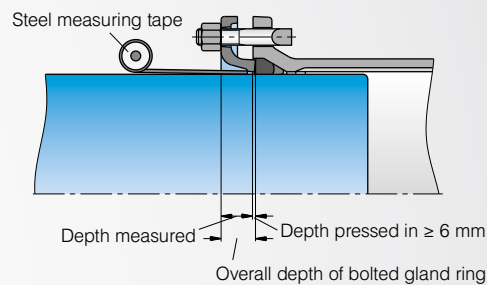
Do not remove whatever is being used to lift the pipe until the joint has been fully assembled.

Insert the tee-head bolts through the flange and the bolted gland ring. Tighten the nuts as far as you can finger-tight, evenly all round. Then tighten the nuts in sequence with a ring spanner, always tightening two diametrically opposed nuts at a time by about half a turn to one full turn.



The gasket has been correctly compressed when the bolted gland ring has been pressed into the gasket to a depth of at least 6 mm.

How deep it has been pressed in can be found by measuring the overall depth of the bolted gland ring, and the depth from the outer face of the bolted gland ring to the gasket once the bolts have been tightened. The depth for which it is pressed in should be as even as possible all round for the given bolted gland joint.



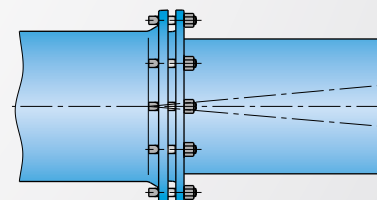
At least three measurements therefore have to be made at each joint. Check the correct depth of insertion again. Re-paint the tee-head bolts and the nuts with a standard bitumen paint.

### Angular deflection

Once the joint has been assembled with the pipe centralised, pipes and fittings can be deflected angularly by.

Up to	DN 500	–	max. of 3°
	DN 700	–	max. of 2°
	DN 1,000	–	max. of 1.5°

For a pipe length of 6 m, 1° of angular deflection causes the axis of the pipe to lie approx. 10 cm off the axis of the pipe or fitting installed previously, e.g. 3° = 30 cm. With 5 m long pipes, 1° corresponds to approx. 9 cm.



### Cutting of pipes

Ensure that the pipes are suitable for cutting (see p. 82).

### Disassembly

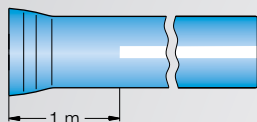
Unscrew the nuts and slide back the bolted gland ring. Pull the spigot end out of the socket.



## 8.12 Cutting of pipes

### Suitability for cutting (6 m pipes)

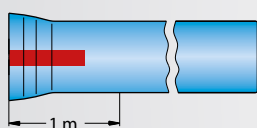
Up to and including a nominal size of DN 300, the pipes supplied can be cut, in the region of the barrel, at points more than 1 m away from the socket, to enable a spigot end for a joint to be formed. Above a nominal size of DN 300 only pipes which carry a continuous longitudinal stripe can be cut. Pipes of this kind ("Schnittrohre" or cuttable pipes) have to be ordered separately. An additional identifier for a cuttable pipe is an "SR" marked on the end-face of the socket.



### Suitability for cutting (5 m pipes)

Up to and including a nominal size of DN 300, the pipes supplied are within the permitted tolerance range, and can therefore be cut, in the region of the barrel, over 2/3 of their length measured from the spigot end.

Above a nominal size of DN 300 the diameter of the pipes should be checked before they are cut (use a steel measuring tape to compare the circumference of the pipe at the spigot end and at the intended cutting point). Specially marked dimensionally accurate (cuttable) pipes of the kind available as standard up to and including DN 300 can also be ordered. The marking is a red longitudinal stripe (approx. 0.5 m long) extending over the socket to the barrel.



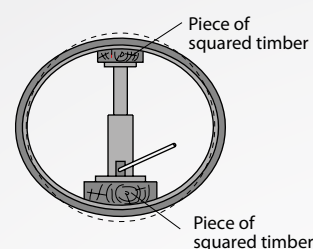
### Tools

The best way of cutting ductile iron pipes is with cutters using abrasive discs and powered in a variety of ways, e.g. by compressed air, electric motors or petrol engines.

The cutting disc we recommend is the C 24 RT Spezial type made of silicon carbide. These are cutting discs for stone but have proved successful in practice for cutting ductile iron pipes. Protective goggles and respiratory protection must be worn when cutting pipes with a cement mortar coating or lining. All swarf must be carefully removed from inside the pipe.

With pipes of fairly large nominal sizes it may happen that the new spigot ends produced are slightly oval after the pipes have been cut. If this happens, the spigot ends should be re-rounded with suitable devices applied to the inside or outside of the pipe, e.g. hydraulic jacks or re-rounding clamps.

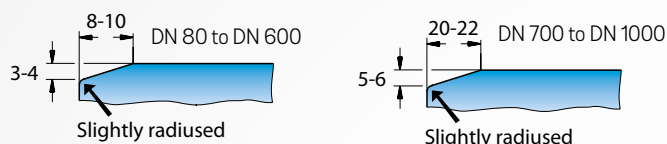
The device should not be removed until after the joint has been fully assembled.



### Grinding of cut ends

The cut ends of pipes shortened on site must be bevelled with a grinding disc to match the original spigot ends.

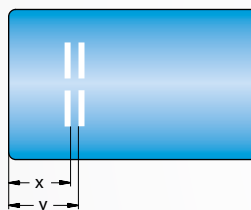
The bevelling should be done as shown in the diagrams.



Repaint the bare metal surface with a paint corresponding to the external protection which the pipe has. A quick drying finishing layer which complies with the requirements of the German Foodstuffs Law is suitable for this purpose.

To speed up the drying process, it is advisable to warm first the pipe ends, and then the paint when it has been applied, with a gas flame.

Then copy the line markings on the original spigot end to the new spigot end which has been cut.



### Dimensions for line markings

	DN	80	100	125	150	200	250	300	350
Form A Standard socket	X	69	73	76	79	85	90	95	95
	Y	82	86	89	92	98	103	108	108

	DN	400	500	600	700	800	900	1,000
Form A Standard socket	X	95	105	105	135	145	160	170
	Y	108	118	118	148	158	173	183
Form B Long socket	X	—	—	—	148	157	167	177
	Y	—	—	—	161	170	180	190

No line marking is used on pipes with VRS®-T joints. In place of it, a welded bead has to be applied to cut ends of pipes of this kind. On this point see the installation instructions for VRS®-T joints (see p. 71 ff) and the technical recommendations for welding on the next page.

For cutting pipes with a cement mortar coating, the directions given from p. 69 should also be followed.



## 8.13 Technical recommendations for manual metal arc welding

### Applicability

Welding work can be done on ductile iron pipes to EN 545 in the following cases:

- on water pipelines having allowable operating pressures (PFA) of up to 16 bars
- for welding on DN 2" ductile iron or steel connections
- for welding on DN 80 to DN 300 ductile iron or steel outlets
- puddle flanges for building pipes into structures
- welded beads for restrained push-in joints

These recommendations do not apply to sand-cast fittings and pipes or to grey ductile iron pipes.

**Pipes with a minimum wall thickness of less than 4.5 mm must not be welded!**

### Process and electrodes

The process used should be manual metal arc welding using nickel-based stick electrodes, preferably ones complying with EN ISO 1071.

The recommended electrode types are for example:

Castolin 7330-EC, UTP FN 86, ESAB OK 92.58, Gricast 31 or 32.

Basically, the following standards of the German Welding Society (DVS) also apply:

DVS 1502, Parts 1 & 2  
DVS 1148

The welders used should be qualified under DVS 1148.

<sup>1)</sup> Please consult our Applications Engineering Division before you carry out any welding work for the first time.

### Preparing for welding work

When welding is being done, the temperature of the pipe wall must not be less than +20°C.

The workplace must be dry.

The area to be welded must be bright metal. Remove any fouling or zinc coatings by filing or grinding.

Pinholes should not be welded over. They must be ground out down to solid metal and filled with weld metal. Connectors should be matched to the outside diameter of the barrel of the pipe in such a way that, if at all possible, the gap does not exceed 0.5 mm.

### Execution of welding work

#### Type of current

Either AC or DC can be used for welding work. Follow the guidelines for use issued by the electrode manufacturer.

#### Welding parameters

The current levels and rates of deposition specified by the electrode manufacturer should be taken as the guideline values.

#### Preheating

Preheating is generally an advantage. The area to be welded should be preheated as detailed in Table 1 before the tack welding and before the root pass is welded.

Table 1

Conditions for crack-free welds on ductile iron pipes.

Making of weld	In at least two passes (inc. for pipe to connection joints)		
	Not filled with water *)		Filled with flowing water
	Not cement-mortar lined	Cement-mortar lined	Cement-mortar lined
Thickness of pipe wall (actual)			
≥ 4.7 ... 6 mm	at 20°C	At 20°C	Not allowed
6 ... 10 mm	at 20°C	At 20°C	At 20°C
10 ... 12 mm	Preheat to 150°C	At 20°C	At 20°C
>12 mm	Preheat to 150°C	Preheat to 150°C	Preheat to 150°C

\*) Also applies to partly filled pipelines when the areas for welding are above the water table

\*\*) Preheating is advisable when the pipe wall temperature is below 20°C

### Tack welding

Fix the parts to be welded in place with suitable clamping devices. They must be tack welded at at least two points. The angles of the tack welds should be as shallow as possible so that they can be welded over; this can be achieved by grinding them if necessary. Check the tack welds to ensure they are free of cracks. Any cracks in tack welds must be ground out.

### Welding

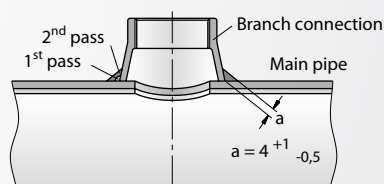
Any weld must be made as far as possible in a single operation. Interruptions in the welding work should be avoided. Make sure that the preheating temperature is maintained during the welding. If there are interruptions in the welding work, preheat again as in Table 1 before resuming welding.

### Welding on of DN 2" ductile iron or steel branch connections

Branch connections are supplied in a ready-to-weld state and can be welded on with fillet welds once the zone for the welding has been prepared and the branch connection has been matched to the outside diameter of the main pipe.

The weld should be made in two passes. The a dimension of the first pass (root pass) should be 3 mm.

The second pass should be a weave pass between the main pipe and the branch connection over the top of the root pass. The finished weld should be flat to slightly concave. The test of the weld for leaktightness should be carried out before the hole is drilled in the main pipe. On water pipelines it should be made at the system test pressure (STP), which is the nominal pressure + 5 bars.

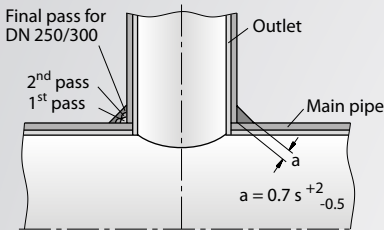


### Welding on of DN 80 to DN 300 ductile iron or steel outlets

The nominal size of the outlets may not be more than half the nominal size of the main pipe. Outlets are to be welded on with fillet welds. The welding should generally be done in two passes. The a dimension of the first pass (root pass) should be at least 3 mm. The second pass should be first a weave pass between the root pass and the main pipe and then a weave pass between the root pass and the outlet. The finished weld should be flat to slightly concave and its a dimension should be  $0.7s_{\pm 0.5}$  (s = thickness of the outlet). On outlets of DN 250 and DN 300 nominal size, a final pass may also be welded to give the a dimension.



It may be an advantage for the welding-on of outlets of fairly large sizes to be done with a buffer layer. The test of the weld for leaktightness should be carried out before the hole is drilled in the main pipe. On water pipelines it should be made at the system test pressure (STP), which is the nominal pressure + 5 bars. When new pipelines are being laid it is advisable for outlets to be welded on out of the pipeline trench. In this case the hole in the main pipe can be drilled before the outlet is welded on. The internal pressure test on the outlet can then be carried out together with the pressure test on the pipeline.



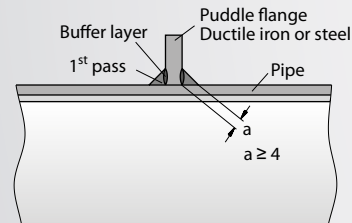
### Welding on of ductile iron or steel puddle flanges

Pipes with puddle flanges are used to allow pipes to be built into structures. By welding it is possible for puddle flanges to be fastened in place at any desired point along the barrel of a pipe. Puddle flanges are supplied in annular sections and should be fitted tightly to the pipe.

#### Welding

Puddle flanges should be welded on with at least two-pass fillet welds and the a dimension of the welds should not be less than 4 mm. On pipes of fairly large sizes with corresponding wall thicknesses it is advisable for a buffer layer to be used.

The length of the weld should be decided on in line with the operating requirement (allowable thrust  $z_{ul} = 130 \text{ N/mm}^2$ ). After being welded on, annular sections should be welded together.



### Application of welded beads

When pipes with positive locking restrained push-in joints are cut on site, the welded beads have to be applied to the new spigot ends. The procedure, accessories and dimensions for this are given in the installation instructions under "Cutting of pipes".

### Heat treatment after welding

No heat treatment of welded joints or welded parts is required after they have been welded. The area of the weld should be cleaned once it has cooled and, after checking, should be carefully repainted with a protective paint such for example as a bitumen-based one.

### Checking of welds

Welds should generally undergo a visual inspection and, where necessary, a non-destructive test for surface flaws and cracks. Welds which are not called upon to be leaktight, such as those fixing puddle flanges for example, should be randomly checked for surface flaws.

Flaws, such as surface pores or cracks in or next to the weld, which are found in the course of checking or testing should be fully ground out before they are repaired. Flaws may only be repaired once.

## 8.14 Pressure testing

Under EN 805, pipelines have to be subjected to an internal pressure test. For water pipelines, the codes governing the execution of this pressure test are EN 805 or DVGW directive W 400-2.

### Test sections

It may be necessary for pipelines of quite a considerable length to be divided into sections. The test sections should be decided on in such a way that

- the test pressure is reached at the lowest point of each test section.
- at least 1.1 times the system test pressure (MDP) is reached at the highest point of each test section.
- the amount of water required for the test can be supplied and drained away.
- the maximum length of a test section is not more than 2.5 – 3 km.

The pipeline should be vented as thoroughly as possible, using "pigs" if necessary, and should be filled with drinking water from the lowest point.

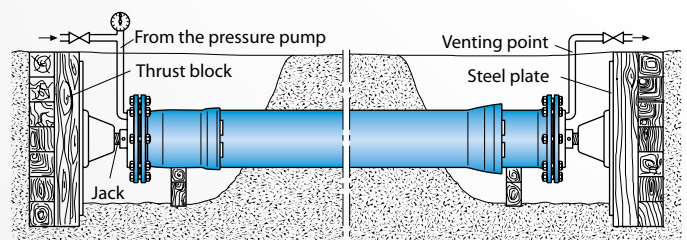
### Backfilling and restraint

If necessary, pipelines must be covered with backfill material before the pressure test to avoid any changes in length. Backfilling around the joints is optional.

At their ends and at bends, branches and tapers, non-restrained pipelines must be anchored to resist the forces generated by the internal pressure. The thrust blocks required for this purpose should be dimensioned as directed in GW 310.

There is no need for thrust blocks to be installed for restrained systems provided that GW 368 has been observed in deciding on the lengths to be restrained.

There is no point in carrying out a pressure test against a closed shut-off valve. The temperature at the outer wall of the pipeline should be kept as constant as possible and must not exceed 20°C.



### Filling the pipeline

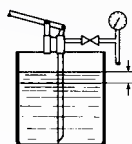
It is useful for the pipeline to be filled from the lowest point so that the air contained in it is able to escape easily from venting points of adequate size provided at the highest points of the pipeline.



We recommend the following filling rates in l/s

DN	100	150	200	250	300	400	500	600	700	800	900	1,000
Filling rate	0.3	0.7	1.5	2	3	6	9	14	19	25	32	40

For drinking water pipelines, initial disinfection should be carried out in conjunction with the pressure test. This requires a concentration of at least 50 mg of chlorine per litre of water. Depending on how dirty the pipeline is, the level of chlorine may be increased to up to 150 mg per litre of water. The relationship between the amount of water added and the increase in pressure obtained may serve as an indication of any leaks or of inadequate venting. As the pressure increases, the water consumption should therefore be noted bar by bar.



Water consumption for 1 bar

bar	mm	in litres
0-1		
1-2		
2-3		
3-4		
5-6		

Where a pipeline has been properly laid and is properly vented, the amount of water which needs to be pumped in per bar of increased pressure is approximately constant. Allowing for the compressibility of water and the elastic properties of the pipes, this amount is (theoretically) approximately 50 ml per cubic metre of space within the pipeline per bar. In practice, this figure is around 1.5 to 2 times higher because air trapped in the joints of pipes and fittings and in valves has to be compressed.

The Table shows the amounts of water required, in litres per bar of increased pressure, for pipeline lengths from 100 to 1,000 m, including a 100% allowance for trapped air.

DN	Amounts of water in litres per bar of increased pressure, for pipeline lengths [m] given in the column headings									
	100	200	300	400	500	600	700	800	900	1,000
80	0.05	0.09	0.14	0.19	0.24	0.28	0.33	0.38	0.42	0.47
100	0.07	0.13	0.20	0.26	0.33	0.39	0.45	0.52	0.59	0.65
125	0.12	0.24	0.36	0.48	0.60	0.72	0.84	0.96	1.05	1.20
150	0.18	0.35	0.53	0.70	0.87	1.05	1.22	1.40	1.54	1.75
200	0.32	0.64	0.97	1.28	1.60	1.93	2.25	2.55	2.90	3.20
250	0.52	1.04	1.57	2.10	2.60	3.15	3.65	4.20	4.70	5.20
300	0.78	1.56	2.35	3.15	3.90	4.67	5.45	6.25	7.05	7.80
350	1.06	2.12	3.20	4.25	5.30	6.38	7.43	8.50	9.55	10.60
400	1.44	2.90	4.30	5.80	7.20	8.65	10.10	11.55	13.00	14.40
500	2.35	4.70	7.05	9.40	11.80	13.10	16.20	18.80	21.10	23.50
600	3.45	7.00	10.50	14.00	17.15	21.00	24.50	28.00	31.50	35.00

### Performing a pressure test

The following procedures for performing a pressure test on ductile iron pipes are described in DVGW directive W 400-2:

- standard procedure (for pipes of all nominal sizes, with or without a cement mortar lining)
- shortened standard procedure (for pipes of nominal sizes up to DN 600 with a cement mortar lining)

We describe below the two procedures which are most frequently followed, the standard procedure and the shortened standard procedure.

In both these procedures the level of test pressure is as follows:

- for pipelines with an allowable operating pressure of up to 10 bars: 1.5 x nominal pressure
- for pipelines with an allowable operating pressure of above 10 bars: nominal pressure + 5 bars.

### The standard procedure

The standard procedure is carried out in three phases:

- preliminary test
- pressure drop test
- main test

### Preliminary test

The purpose of the preliminary test is to saturate the cement mortar lining and to extend the pipeline. To do this, the test pressure is kept constant for a period of 24 hours by pumping in more water as and when required. If any leaks are found or any changes in length exceeding the allowable limits occur, the pipeline must be de-pressurised and the reason found and remedied.

### Pressure drop test

The purpose of the pressure drop test is to establish that the pipeline is free of air. Pockets of air in the pipeline may result in incorrect measurements and may mask small leaks.

A volume of water  $\Delta V$  sufficient to cause a drop in pressure  $\Delta p$  of at least 0.5 bars is drawn off from the pipeline. The volume of water  $\Delta V$  drawn off is measured. The pipeline must then be re-pressurised to the test pressure.

The pipeline is considered to have been adequately vented if  $\Delta V$  is no greater than the allowable change in volume  $\Delta V_{zul}$ . If it is greater, then the pipeline must be vented again.

$\Delta V_{zul}$  is calculated as follows:

$$\Delta V_{zul} = 1,5 \cdot a \cdot \Delta p \cdot L$$

$\Delta V_{zul}$  = allowable change in volume [cm<sup>3</sup>]

$\Delta p$  = measured drop in pressure [bar]

L = length of the section tested [m]

a = pressure constant characteristic of the size of pipe [cm<sup>3</sup>/(bar x m)]

→ see Table below

DN	a	DN	a
80	0.314	400	9.632
100	0.492	500	15.614
125	0.792	600	23.178
150	1.163	700	32.340
200	2.147	800	43.243
250	3.482	900	55.679
300	5.172	1,000	69.749
350	7.147	1,200	103.280

### Main test

Following the pressure drop test, the main test is then carried out.

The duration of the test is as follows:

Up to	DN 400	3 h
	DN 500 to DN 700	12 h
more than	DN 700	24 h

The test conditions are considered to have been met if the pressure loss at the end of the test is no higher than is specified below:

Nominal pressure	Test pressure	Max. pressure loss
10	15 bar	0.1 bar
16	21 bar	0.15 bar
more than 16	PN + 5 bar	0.2 bar



### Test report

A test report should be produced. Templates for test reports are included in DVGW directive W 400-2. The details required, such as the following, can be seen in these templates:

- description of the pipeline
- test parameters
- description of the performance of the test
- findings during the test
- note indicating report has been checked

### The shortened standard procedure

The advantage of the shortened standard procedure is above all that it saves an enormous amount of time. The time required is only about 1.5 hours.

The shortened standard procedure is carried out in three phases:

- saturation phase
- pressure drop test
- leak test

### Saturation phase

To achieve a high level of saturation, the test pressure is kept constant for half an hour by pumping in more water as and when required. The key factor in saturation is first and foremost the level of the test pressure. Unduly low pressure cannot be compensated for by increasing the length of the saturation phase.

### Pressure drop test

The purpose of the pressure drop test is to establish that the pipeline is free of air. Pockets of air in the pipeline may result in incorrect measurements and may mask small leaks.

A volume of water  $\Delta V_{zul}$  (see below) is drawn off from the pipeline at the test pressure. The resulting drop in pressure  $\Delta p$  is measured. This becomes the allowable drop in pressure  $\Delta p_{zul}$  in the subsequent leak test. The pipeline must be re-pressurised to the test pressure after the pressure drop test.

$\Delta V_{zul}$  is calculated as follows:

$$\Delta V_{zul} = (DN \cdot L) / (100 \cdot k)$$

- $\Delta V_{zul}$  = allowable change in volume [cm<sup>3</sup>]  
 L = length of the section tested [m]  
 100 x k = proportionality factor, k = 1 m/cm<sup>3</sup>

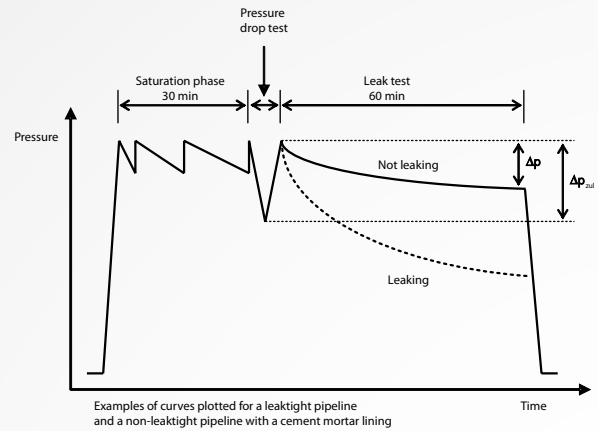
The pipeline is considered to have been adequately vented if, when the volume of water  $\Delta V_{zul}$  is drawn off, the drop in pressure is equal to or greater than the minimum levels specified for  $\Delta p$  in the table below.

Nominal size DN	Minimum drop in pressure p [bar]
80	1.4
100	1.2
150	0.8
200	0.6
300	0.4
400	0.3
500	0.2
600	0.1

### Leak test

The pipeline is considered not to leak if the loss of pressure  $\Delta p$  goes down at a constant rate over equal intervals of time and if, over the duration of the leak test, it does not exceed the level  $\Delta p_{zul}$  found in the pressure drop test.

The duration of the test is one hour.



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- test parameters
- description of the performance of the test
- findings during the test
- note indicating report has been checked

## 8.15 Disinfection of drinking water pipelines

Disinfection needs to be carried out both on the drinking water itself and on the infrastructure used to supply it. There are a variety of disinfectants and different methods of disinfection which can be used to produce the disinfectant effect. Only when satisfactory test results have been obtained is the disinfection of a pipeline considered to have been successfully completed.

### General

Water supply companies have to provide drinking water which is in a satisfactory state hygienically. This requirement is laid down in the German Foodstuffs and Consumer Goods Law, the Federal Epidemic Control Law and the European Drinking Water Directive. Under these codes, drinking water must be of a nature such that its consumption does not harm public health. A prerequisite for this is that the drinking water pipelines are in a hygienically satisfactory condition. This is achieved by disinfecting the pipelines.

Disinfection covers all the measures which reduce the number of bacteria in such a way that they do not adversely affect the quality of the water transported in the pipelines. Such measures do relate to the drinking water but they also relate to the infrastructure used to supply it. Under the Foodstuffs and Consumer Goods Law, pipelines are "requisites which are used in distributing drinking water and which thus come into contact with it".



Drinking water pipelines must be disinfected in accordance with DVGW directive W 291. For ductile iron pipes with a cement mortar lining, it is useful for disinfection to be carried out at the same time as the pressure test. When drinking water pipelines are being laid, the greatest possible care should be taken at the outset to stop pipes which will later be carrying water from getting dirty.

You should stop pipes from getting dirty as a result of actions by the personnel, as a result of items of equipment used (dirty rags used to wipe out sockets, etc.) or as a result of pollutants in the air (e.g. oily exhaust fumes from two-stroke pipe cutters). The ends of pipelines should be sealed off tightly in such a way that neither groundwater nor dirty water nor animal life can get in.

Disinfection is essential in the following cases:

- before drinking water pipelines are put into service
- after repairs and other work on the pipeline network
- if the drinking water becomes stagnant
- if drinking water pipelines become polluted with bacteria

### Flushing out of drinking water pipelines

Under DVGW directive W 291, flushing out with drinking water is the simplest means of reducing the concentration of bacteria and is normally all that is needed for pipelines of small nominal sizes up to DN 150. It is possible that this will make any additional disinfection unnecessary.

When flushing out takes place, ensure that the flow velocity is high enough (at least 1.5 m/s). The flushing action can be boosted by simultaneous pigging or by flushing out with a mixture of air and water.

The volume of water available to flush out the pipeline should be at least 3 to 5 times the capacity of the pipeline (for pipes of DN 150 size and below) or 2 to 3 times the capacity of the pipeline (for pipes of DN 200 size and above).

Attention should be paid to the following points when flushing out pipelines:

- You should only use items of equipment, such as hoses, which are suitable for drinking water and have been flushed out and, if at all possible, disinfected.
- Sloping pipelines should be flushed out from the top downwards.
- Any air which is injected should be free of oil and dust.
- Water from the section flushed out must not get into the supply network or to consumers.
- There must not be any non-allowable drop in pressure on the pipeline network.
- It must not be possible for dirty water to be sucked back into the pipeline when it is being drained.
- After flushing with a mixture of air and water, the pipeline must be fully vented.

### Disinfectants

The choice of disinfectant should be made on the basis of the local conditions. These include for example whether the disinfectant can be properly handled and will be properly effective and whether it can be satisfactorily disposed of. The following are the disinfectants most frequently used for disinfecting drinking water pipelines:

Sodium hypochlorite, potassium permanganate, hydrogen peroxide and chlorine dioxide.

Due to the checks required under the German Hazardous Materials Regulations, a critical view has to be taken of the use of disinfectants containing chlorine. If you cannot manage without a disinfectant, you should use mainly hydrogen peroxide or potassium permanganate. Both of these can be used as a working solution in a concentration which is below the threshold for hazardous materials (see Schlicht, issue 2/2003 of the magazine bbr).

### Sodium hypochlorite (NaOCl)

Sodium hypochlorite is the most widely used disinfectant.

It is commercially available as a sodium hypochlorite solution (chlorine bleach solution). The solution should contain at least 12% of free chlorine (150 to 160 g of chlorine per litre). Note that when the solution is stored there is a steady fall in the free chlorine content. When solution has been in store for any great length of time, the chlorine content should therefore be checked. A well-tried disinfectant solution for ductile iron pipes with a cement mortar lining is for example a concentration of 50 mg of chlorine per litre of water.

For rechlorination, we recommend using a higher concentration (up to about 150 mg of chlorine per litre of water). The pH of the sodium hypochlorite solution is between 11.5 and 12.5. When a pipeline is being disinfected, such a solution necessarily increases the pH of the water being treated.

We do not advise reducing the pH by mixing acids with the solution because this may cause chlorine gas to be released and may cause an accident. Mixing with very hard water may result in the precipitation of calcium carbonate.

Disinfectant solutions containing chlorine must always be treated to make them safe before they are allowed to make their way into the sewers or any waterways or bodies of water. This can be done by dilution or by chemical neutralisation with sodium thiosulphate. Dechlorination is also possible by filtration through activated carbon filters.

### Hydrogen peroxide (H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub>)

Hydrogen peroxide is a colourless liquid which mixes well with water. The commercially available solutions used have concentration of 35% and 50%. Hydrogen peroxide gradually breaks down into water and oxygen and this process is speeded up by the effects of heat, light and dust and by heavy metal compounds and organic materials. The solution must therefore be stored where none of these things can affect it.

Disinfectants containing hydrogen peroxide solutions are commercially available under a variety of brand names. Commercially available hydrogen peroxide solutions are always diluted before being used for disinfection. They should not be used on site in a concentration of more than 5%. Concentrations of 150 mg per litre of water and standing times of 24 hours have proved suitable for newly laid pipelines. Unlike solutions containing chlorine, hydrogen peroxide can be drained into the sewers at these concentrations. There is normally no need for the solution to be treated before it is drained into the sewers.

### Potassium permanganate (KMnO<sub>4</sub>)

Potassium permanganate is available in the form of violet crystals and has a virtually unlimited shelf life in this form. Its solubility in water is very much dependent on temperature (28 g/litre of water at 0°C, 91 g/litre of water at 30°C). Depending on its concentration, the solution is coloured as follows: deep violet for strong solutions, reddish violet for medium strength solutions and pink for weak solutions.

Being easy to work with and dispose of, potassium permanganate has been increasingly widely used for disinfection in recent years.

Disinfection with a potassium permanganate solution is carried in much the same way as with chlorine, except that 3 to 4% concentrations are used in this case. The concentration used should be about 10 mg of potassium permanganate to 1 litre of water. Potassium permanganate solutions can be completely reduced by adding ascorbic acid (vitamin C). This can be recognised by a change in the colour of the solution from violet to colourless.



### Chlorine dioxide (ClO<sub>2</sub>)

Chlorine dioxide is a gas which is freely soluble in water and which is produced from two separate components, namely a sodium chlorite solution and sodium peroxide sulphate. Always follow the manufacturer's instructions when working with the ready-made solution. The container for the concentrated chloride dioxide stock solution (0.3 weight%) must be such that no chlorine dioxide gas is able to escape.

#### Chemical properties

In well sealed containers, the individual components for producing chlorine dioxide will remain stable and can be stored almost indefinitely. Chlorine dioxide itself is produced by mixing component 1 and component 2. Chlorine dioxide may break down into ionic end products when acted on by light and heat. The ready-mixed solution should therefore be stored in a cool, dark place. Under these conditions, a 0.3% aqueous solution of chlorine dioxide of neutral pH can be kept for around 40 days at 22°C.

#### Stock solution

An aqueous solution of 0.3% or 3 g/litre of ClO<sub>2</sub>; this is added to the water to obtain the desired concentration of disinfectant.

#### Disposal

When water distribution systems are being disinfected, the excess chlorine dioxide and the chlorite, one of the by-products of its chemical reaction, must be de-activated (e.g. with calcium sulphite filters or activated carbon filters) before they are drained into the sewers or an open receiving water.

### Disinfection procedures

#### Stand-in-place procedure

In this procedure disinfection is achieved by leaving the solution to stand in the pipeline for a fairly long period (not less than 12 hours). It is important in this procedure to ensure that the proportion in which the disinfectant solution is mixed with the water remains constant.

Infeed of the disinfectant solution must not be stopped until the entire pipeline is filled with it. Of course, no disinfectant solution must be allowed to get into any part of the pipeline network which is in use!

While the solution is left to stand in the pipeline, you should also operate any gate valves or hydrants so that they too are disinfected. If there are very stubborn bacterial deposits in the pipeline it will need to be disinfected more than once. The concentration of the disinfectant solution may be increased in this case. It is also essential for the pipeline to be flushed out again with an adequate volume of water at a high flow velocity. The disinfection process must be repeated until no microbiological contamination is found in the samples taken. When sodium hypochlorite is used, there should still be evidence of chlorine in the water at the end of the stand-in-place period.

#### Flow procedure

With pipelines of large nominal sizes, it may be advantageous for the pipelines to be flushed out and disinfected at the same time over quite a long period of time. If this is done, the concentration of the disinfectant in the water flowing out must be checked repeatedly in the course of the flushing-out process. The total pipeline content should be replaced 2 to 3 times.

### Disinfection during the pressure test

The combining of the disinfection and pressure testing of a pipeline has proved to be a successful technique, the water which is used for the pressure testing being water which already has disinfectant admixed with it. The high pressure forces the disinfectant solution into the pores of the cement mortar lining. With this technique it is essential for the pipeline being disinfected to be isolated from all pipelines which are in service.

### Disinfection measures when work is done on existing pipelines

When repairs are made or new pipes are connected in at a later date, there are often compelling reasons why a section of a network has to go back into service very quickly, meaning that disinfection cannot be carried out by the procedures described above. Other measures then have to be taken to ensure that the drinking pipeline will be in a satisfactory state hygienically once the work has been completed. For instance, the parts which are installed may already have been washed in clean water or disinfectant solution. Once the work is completed the pipeline should then be flushed out with water at a suitably high flow velocity. Should any additional disinfection of the pipeline be necessary, care must be taken to see that no disinfectant solution gets into any of the adjoining parts of the system. The pipeline may not be put back into operation until it has been thoroughly flushed out.

#### Disposal

Disinfectant solutions must be disposed of without any harm being done to the environment. Basically, all the relevant DIN standards and DVGW directive must be observed. Particular note should be taken of DVGW directive W 291 and the European Drinking Water Directive.

Close attention should also be paid to all product-specific information from disinfectant manufacturers, to the safety data sheets and to accident prevention regulations.

### Microbiological checks and release for use

Once pipelines have been disinfected, i.e. once the flushing-out has been completed, water samples must be taken from them for microbiological examination. The samples should be taken from the ends of the pipelines and, where the pipelines are of any great length, from individual sections as well. When taking samples, it is imperative that you take the steps specified in the standards document known as "German Standard Methods for the Examination of Water, Wastewater and Sludge" (DEV). These include the draining, cleaning and flame sterilisation of the valves used for sampling.

Under the existing directives and guidelines, disinfection can be regarded as successful if microbiological examination of the water shows that the colony count does not exceed the benchmark figure of 100 per ml of water. At the same time, the water must not contain any *Escherichia coli* (*E. coli*) or any coliform bacteria. If either of these requirements is not met, disinfection of the pipeline must be repeated.

Only when the results of the appropriate microbiological examinations show that everything is microbiologically safe can the drinking water pipeline be released for use. In all examinations, the guidelines laid down in the European Drinking Water Directive must be followed.



### The disinfection process

To sum up, you must observe the following steps in your procedure when disinfecting drinking water pipelines (see also DVGW directive W 291):

- Flush out the pipeline
- Disinfect the pipeline
- Drain off and if necessary neutralise the disinfectant solution after the appropriate stand-in-place time
- Flush out the pipeline
- Take samples and perform a microbiological examination

Only when the tests give satisfactory results can the pipeline which has been connected in be put into service.

In view of the important function performed by the disinfection of drinking water pipelines, it is essential for the process described above to be adhered to exactly.

## 8.16 Hydraulic calculation of drinking water pipelines

Calculations are needed to ensure that a pipeline will perform properly in hydraulic terms. High flow velocities result in considerable pressure losses. Particularly when pipelines are long, the flow velocity has a major impact on the economics of the supply system as a whole.

Low flow velocities result in the water standing still (stagnating) for long periods. This being the case, it has to be ensured that there is a sufficiently high exchange of water for hygienic reasons (to prevent turbidity and microbial contamination).

The texts governing the hydraulic dimensioning of water pipelines are DVGW directive GW 303-1 and DVGW directive GW 400-1. The optimum flow velocities as a function of the type of pipeline (main pipeline, connecting pipeline, etc.) are specified in GW 400-1. These are mainly between 1.0 m/s and 2.0 m/s.

GW 303-1 has something to say about, amongst other things, the operating roughness ( $k_2$ , which is referred to as  $k_i$  – integral roughness – in it) of pipeline networks. What are subsumed under integral roughness are all the features of a pipeline or pipeline network which set up a resistance to flow, such as the roughness of the walls, socket transitions, deposits, and the effect of components inserted in pipelines (valves, bends, tapers, etc.). The following standard values have been laid down which apply equally to all pipeline materials:

$k_i = 0.1 \text{ mm}$  for trunk mains and feeder mains which run for a considerable distance

$k_i = 0.4 \text{ mm}$  for pipelines which run largely for a considerable distance

$k_i = 1.0 \text{ mm}$  for new networks; this is an approximation which takes into account a high level of interconnection.

From the tables given below it is possible to make a rough estimate of the flow velocity ( $v$ ) and the pressure losses ( $l$ ), as a function of the DN, integral roughness ( $k_i$ ) and the volumetric flow rate ( $Q$ )

A calculation tool for the hydraulic calculation of ductile iron pipes is available for downloading free of charge at [www.eadips.org](http://www.eadips.org)



## Pressure loss table for DN 80

Q [l/s]	DN 80			
	v [m/s]	k <sub>s</sub> =0.1 J [m/km]	k <sub>s</sub> =0.4 J [m/km]	k <sub>s</sub> =1.0 J [m/km]
0.50	0.10	0.232	0.258	0.303
0.60	0.12	0.320	0.360	0.427
0.70	0.14	0.420	0.477	0.572
0.80	0.16	0.532	0.610	0.737
0.90	0.18	0.656	0.758	0.924
1.00	0.20	0.791	0.992	1.130
1.25	0.25	1.181	1.400	1.738
1.50	0.30	1.641	1.975	2.474
1.75	0.35	2.171	2.645	3.339
2.00	0.40	2.770	3.412	4.334
2.25	0.45	3.438	4.274	5.457
2.50	0.50	4.173	5.233	6.710
2.75	0.55	4.976	6.287	8.091
3.00	0.60	5.846	7.437	9.601
3.25	0.65	6.784	8.683	11.240
3.50	0.70	7.788	10.030	13.010
3.75	0.75	8.859	11.460	14.910
4.00	0.80	9.996	13.000	16.930
4.25	0.85	11.200	14.630	19.090
4.50	0.90	12.470	16.350	21.370
4.75	0.94	13.810	18.170	23.780
5.00	0.99	15.210	20.090	26.330
5.25	1.04	16.680	22.100	29.000
5.50	1.09	18.210	24.210	31.800
5.75	1.14	19.810	26.410	34.720
6.00	1.19	21.480	28.710	37.780
6.25	1.24	23.210	31.100	40.970
6.50	1.29	25.010	33.590	44.280
6.75	1.34	26.870	36.180	47.730
7.00	1.39	28.800	38.860	51.300
7.25	1.44	30.800	41.640	55.010
7.50	1.49	32.860	44.510	58.840
7.75	1.54	34.980	47.480	62.800
8.00	1.59	37.180	50.540	66.890
8.25	1.64	39.430	53.700	71.100
8.50	1.69	41.760	56.960	75.450
8.75	1.74	44.150	60.310	79.930
9.00	1.79	46.600	63.760	84.530
9.25	1.84	49.120	67.300	89.270
9.50	1.89	51.710	70.940	94.130
9.75	1.94	54.360	74.670	99.120
10.00	1.99	57.070	78.500	104.200
10.25	2.04	59.860	82.430	109.500
10.50	2.09	62.710	86.450	114.900
10.75	2.14	65.620	90.570	120.400
11.00	2.19	68.600	94.780	126.000
11.50	2.29	74.750	103.500	137.700
12.00	2.39	81.170	112.600	149.900
12.50	2.49	87.850	122.100	162.500
13.00	2.59	94.790	131.900	175.800
13.50	2.69	102.000	142.200	189.500
14.00	2.79	109.500	152.800	203.700
14.50	2.88	117.200	163.800	218.500
15.00	2.98	125.200	175.200	233.700
15.50	3.08	133.400	187.000	249.500
16.00	3.18	141.900	199.100	265.800
16.50	3.28	150.700	211.700	282.600
17.00	3.38	159.700	224.600	300.000
17.50	3.48	169.000	237.900	317.800
18.00	3.58	178.600	251.600	336.200
18.50	3.68	188.400	265.600	355.100
19.00	3.78	198.500	280.100	374.500
19.50	3.88	208.800	294.900	394.400
20.00	3.98	219.400	310.200	414.800
20.50	4.08	230.300	325.800	435.800
21.00	4.18	241.400	341.700	457.200
21.50	4.28	252.800	358.100	479.200
22.00	4.38	264.500	374.900	
22.50	4.48	276.400	392.000	
23.00	4.58	288.600	409.500	
23.50	4.68	301.000	427.400	
24.00	4.77	313.700	445.700	
24.50	4.87	326.600	464.300	
25.00	4.97	339.900	483.400	
25.50	5.07	353.300		
26.00	5.17	367.100		
26.50	5.27	381.100		

## Pressure loss table for DN 100

Q [l/s]	DN 100			
	v [m/s]	k <sub>s</sub> =0.1 J [m/km]	k <sub>s</sub> =0.4 J [m/km]	k <sub>s</sub> =1.0 J [m/km]
0.60	0.08	0.110	0.120	0.137
0.70	0.09	0.144	0.158	0.183
0.80	0.10	0.182	0.201	0.235
0.90	0.11	0.224	0.249	0.293
1.00	0.13	0.269	0.302	0.357
1.25	0.16	0.400	0.456	0.546
1.50	0.19	0.554	0.639	0.774
1.75	0.22	0.730	0.852	1.041
2.00	0.25	0.929	1.095	1.347
2.25	0.29	1.149	1.367	1.693
2.50	0.32	1.392	1.669	2.077
2.75	0.35	1.656	2.000	2.501
3.00	0.38	1.941	2.361	2.964
3.25	0.41	2.247	2.751	3.466
3.50	0.45	2.575	3.171	4.007
3.75	0.48	2.924	3.620	4.587
4.00	0.51	3.294	4.099	5.207
4.25	0.54	3.684	4.607	5.865
4.50	0.57	4.096	5.144	6.563
4.75	0.60	4.528	5.710	7.300
5.00	0.64	4.982	6.306	8.076
5.25	0.67	5.456	6.932	8.891
5.50	0.70	5.950	7.587	9.745
5.75	0.73	6.466	8.271	10.640
6.00	0.76	7.002	8.984	11.570
6.25	0.80	7.558	9.727	12.540
6.50	0.83	8.136	10.500	13.550
6.75	0.86	8.733	11.300	14.600
7.00	0.89	9.352	12.130	15.690
7.25	0.92	9.991	12.990	16.820
7.50	0.95	10.650	13.880	17.990
7.75	0.99	11.330	14.800	19.190
8.00	1.02	12.030	15.750	20.440
8.25	1.05	12.750	16.730	21.720
8.50	1.08	13.490	17.730	23.050
8.75	1.11	14.250	18.770	24.410
9.00	1.15	15.040	19.840	25.810
9.25	1.18	15.840	20.930	27.250
9.50	1.21	16.660	22.050	28.730
9.75	1.24	17.510	23.210	30.250
10.00	1.27	18.370	24.390	31.810
10.25	1.31	19.260	25.600	33.410
10.50	1.34	20.160	26.850	35.050
10.75	1.37	21.090	28.120	36.720
11.00	1.40	22.030	29.420	38.440
11.50	1.46	23.980	32.110	41.980
12.00	1.53	26.020	34.910	45.690
12.50	1.59	28.130	37.840	49.550
13.00	1.66	30.330	40.880	53.570
13.50	1.72	32.610	44.030	57.740
14.00	1.78	34.970	47.310	62.070
14.50	1.85	37.410	50.700	66.550
15.00	1.91	39.930	54.210	71.200
15.50	1.97	42.530	57.840	76.000
16.00	2.04	45.220	61.590	80.950
16.50	2.10	47.990	65.450	86.070
17.00	2.16	50.830	69.430	91.330
17.50	2.23	53.760	73.520	96.760
18.00	2.29	56.770	77.740	102.300
18.50	2.36	59.860	82.070	108.100
19.00	2.42	63.040	86.520	114.000
19.50	2.48	66.290	91.090	120.000
20.00	2.55	69.630	95.770	126.200
20.50	2.61	73.040	100.600	132.600
21.00	2.67	76.540	105.500	139.100
21.50	2.74	80.120	110.500	145.800
22.00	2.80	83.780	115.700	152.600
22.50	2.86	87.520	120.900	159.600
23.00	2.93	91.340	126.300	166.800
23.50	2.99	95.240	131.800	174.100
24.00	3.06	99.230	137.500	181.500
24.50	3.12	103.300	143.200	189.100
25.00	3.18	107.400	149.100	196.900
25.50	3.25	111.700	155.000	204.900
26.00	3.31	116.000	161.100	212.900
26.50	3.37	120.400	167.300	221.200
27.00	3.44	124.800	173.700	229.600



Q [l/s]	DN 125			
	v [m/s]	ki=0.1 J [m/km]	ki=0.4 J [m/km]	ki=1.0 J [m/km]
1.00	0.08	0.090	0.098	0.112
1.25	0.10	0.134	0.147	0.170
1.50	0.12	0.184	0.205	0.240
1.75	0.14	0.242	0.272	0.321
2.00	0.16	0.307	0.348	0.414
2.25	0.18	0.379	0.433	0.518
2.50	0.20	0.458	0.527	0.635
2.75	0.22	0.544	0.630	0.762
3.00	0.24	0.636	0.742	0.902
3.25	0.26	0.736	0.862	1.053
3.50	0.28	0.841	0.992	1.216
3.75	0.30	0.954	1.130	1.390
4.00	0.32	1.073	1.277	1.576
4.25	0.34	1.198	1.433	1.773
4.50	0.36	1.330	1.598	1.983
4.75	0.38	1.468	1.772	2.203
5.00	0.40	1.613	1.954	2.436
5.25	0.42	1.765	2.146	2.680
5.50	0.44	1.922	2.346	2.935
5.75	0.46	2.086	2.555	3.203
6.00	0.48	2.257	2.772	3.481
6.25	0.50	2.434	2.999	3.772
6.50	0.52	2.617	3.234	4.074
6.75	0.54	2.806	3.479	4.387
7.00	0.56	3.002	3.732	4.713
7.25	0.59	3.204	3.993	5.049
7.50	0.61	3.413	4.264	5.398
7.75	0.63	3.628	4.543	5.758
8.00	0.65	3.849	4.831	6.130
8.25	0.67	4.076	5.128	6.513
8.50	0.69	4.310	5.434	6.908
8.75	0.71	4.550	5.749	7.314
9.00	0.73	4.796	6.072	7.732
9.25	0.75	5.048	6.404	8.162
9.50	0.77	5.307	6.745	8.603
9.75	0.79	5.572	7.095	9.056
10.00	0.81	5.843	7.454	9.521
10.50	0.85	6.404	8.197	10.480
11.00	0.89	6.990	8.976	11.490
11.50	0.93	7.601	9.790	12.550
12.00	0.97	8.237	10.640	13.650
12.50	1.01	8.897	11.520	14.800
13.00	1.05	9.583	12.440	16.000
13.50	1.09	10.290	13.400	17.240
14.00	1.13	11.030	14.390	18.530
14.50	1.17	11.790	15.410	19.870
15.00	1.21	12.570	16.470	21.250
15.50	1.25	13.380	17.570	22.680
16.00	1.29	14.220	18.700	24.150
16.50	1.33	15.070	19.860	25.670
17.00	1.37	15.960	21.060	27.240
17.50	1.41	16.870	22.300	28.850
18.00	1.45	17.800	23.570	30.510
18.50	1.49	18.760	24.880	32.220
19.00	1.53	19.740	26.220	33.970
19.50	1.57	20.750	27.590	35.770
20.00	1.61	21.780	29.010	37.620
20.50	1.65	22.830	30.450	39.510
21.00	1.69	23.910	31.930	41.450
21.50	1.74	25.020	33.450	43.440
22.00	1.78	26.150	35.000	45.470
22.50	1.82	27.310	36.590	47.540
23.00	1.86	28.490	38.210	49.670
23.50	1.90	29.690	39.870	51.840
24.00	1.94	30.920	41.560	54.060
24.50	1.98	32.170	43.290	56.320
25.00	2.02	33.450	45.060	58.630
25.50	2.06	34.750	46.850	60.990
26.00	2.10	36.080	48.690	63.390
26.50	2.14	37.430	50.560	65.840
27.00	2.18	38.810	52.460	68.340
27.50	2.22	40.210	54.400	70.880
28.00	2.26	41.640	56.370	73.470
28.50	2.30	43.090	58.380	76.100
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Q [l/s]	DN 150			
	v [m/s]	k=0.1 J [m/km]	k=0.4 J [m/km]	k=1.0 J [m/km]
12.50	0.70	3.542	4.439	5.604
13.00	0.73	3.812	4.791	6.055
13.50	0.75	4.091	5.155	6.523
14.00	0.78	4.380	5.533	7.009
14.50	0.81	4.678	5.925	7.512
15.00	0.84	4.986	6.329	8.033
15.50	0.87	5.303	6.747	8.571
16.00	0.89	5.630	7.179	9.126
16.50	0.92	5.967	7.623	9.699
17.00	0.95	6.313	8.081	10.290
17.50	0.98	6.668	8.552	10.900
18.00	1.01	7.033	9.037	11.520
18.50	1.03	7.407	9.535	12.170
19.00	1.06	7.791	10.050	12.830
19.50	1.09	8.184	10.570	13.500
20.00	1.12	8.587	11.110	14.200
20.50	1.14	8.999	11.660	14.910
21.00	1.17	9.421	12.220	15.640
21.50	1.20	9.852	12.800	16.390
22.00	1.23	10.290	13.390	17.150
22.50	1.26	10.740	14.000	17.930
23.00	1.28	11.200	14.610	18.730
23.50	1.31	11.670	15.240	19.550
24.00	1.34	12.150	15.890	20.380
24.50	1.37	12.640	16.550	21.240
25.00	1.40	13.130	17.220	22.100
25.50	1.42	13.640	17.900	22.990
26.00	1.45	14.160	18.600	23.890
26.50	1.48	14.680	19.310	24.820
27.00	1.51	15.220	20.030	25.750
27.50	1.54	15.760	20.770	26.710
28.00	1.56	16.310	21.520	27.680
28.50	1.59	16.880	22.280	28.680
29.00	1.62	17.450	23.060	29.680
29.50	1.65	18.030	23.850	30.710
30.00	1.68	18.620	24.650	31.750
30.50	1.70	19.220	25.470	32.810
31.00	1.73	19.830	26.300	33.890
31.50	1.76	20.450	27.140	34.990
32.00	1.79	21.080	28.000	36.100
32.50	1.81	21.720	28.870	37.230
33.00	1.84	22.370	29.750	38.380
33.50	1.87	23.020	30.650	39.540
34.00	1.90	23.690	31.560	40.730
34.50	1.93	24.370	32.490	41.930
35.00	1.95	25.050	33.420	43.150
35.50	1.98	25.750	34.370	44.380
36.00	2.01	26.450	35.330	45.630
36.50	2.04	27.160	36.310	46.900
37.00	2.07	27.890	37.300	48.190
37.50	2.09	28.620	38.300	49.490
38.00	2.12	29.360	39.320	50.820
38.50	2.15	30.110	40.350	52.160
39.00	2.18	30.870	41.390	53.510
39.50	2.21	31.640	42.450	54.890
40.00	2.23	32.420	43.520	56.280
40.50	2.26	33.210	44.600	57.690
41.00	2.29	34.010	45.700	59.120
41.50	2.32	34.820	46.810	60.560
42.00	2.35	35.630	47.930	62.020
42.50	2.37	36.460	49.070	63.500
43.00	2.40	37.290	50.220	65.000
43.50	2.43	38.140	51.380	66.510
44.00	2.46	38.990	52.550	68.040
44.50	2.48	39.860	53.740	69.590
45.00	2.51	40.730	54.950	71.160
45.50	2.54	41.610	56.160	72.740
46.00	2.57	42.500	57.390	74.340
46.50	2.60	43.400	58.630	75.960
47.00	2.62	44.310	59.890	77.590
47.50	2.65	45.230	61.160	79.250
48.00	2.68	46.160	62.440	80.920
48.50	2.71	47.100	63.740	82.610
49.00	2.74	48.050	65.040	84.310
49.50	2.76	49.010	66.370	86.030
50.00	2.79	49.980	67.700	87.780
51.00	2.85	51.940	70.410	91.310



Pressure loss table for DN 200

Q [l/s]	DN 200			
	v [m/s]	ki=0.1 J [m/km]	ki=0.4 J [m/km]	ki=1.0 J [m/km]
2.50	0.08	0.045	0.048	0.054
3.00	0.09	0.062	0.067	0.076
3.50	0.11	0.081	0.089	0.102
4.00	0.12	0.103	0.114	0.131
4.50	0.14	0.127	0.141	0.164
5.00	0.15	0.154	0.172	0.200
5.50	0.17	0.183	0.205	0.240
6.00	0.18	0.214	0.241	0.284
6.50	0.20	0.247	0.280	0.331
7.00	0.22	0.282	0.321	0.382
7.50	0.23	0.319	0.366	0.436
8.00	0.25	0.359	0.413	0.494
8.50	0.26	0.401	0.463	0.556
9.00	0.28	0.445	0.516	0.621
10.00	0.31	0.539	0.630	0.762
11.00	0.34	0.642	0.755	0.917
12.00	0.37	0.753	0.892	1.087
13.00	0.40	0.872	1.039	1.271
14.00	0.43	1.000	1.197	1.470
15.00	0.46	1.136	1.367	1.682
16.00	0.49	1.280	1.548	1.909
17.00	0.52	1.432	1.740	2.151
18.00	0.55	1.593	1.942	2.407
19.00	0.58	1.762	2.156	2.677
20.00	0.62	1.938	2.381	2.961
21.00	0.65	2.123	2.618	3.260
22.00	0.68	2.316	2.865	3.573
23.00	0.71	2.517	3.123	3.901
24.00	0.74	2.726	3.392	4.242
25.00	0.77	2.943	3.673	4.598
26.00	0.80	3.168	3.964	4.969
27.00	0.83	3.402	4.267	5.354
28.00	0.86	3.643	4.581	5.753
29.00	0.89	3.892	4.905	6.166
30.00	0.92	4.149	5.241	6.594
31.00	0.95	4.414	5.588	7.036
32.00	0.98	4.688	5.946	7.493
33.00	1.02	4.969	6.315	7.964
34.00	1.05	5.258	6.695	8.449
35.00	1.08	5.555	7.086	8.948
36.00	1.11	5.860	7.488	9.462
37.00	1.14	6.174	7.901	9.990
38.00	1.17	6.495	8.326	10.530
39.00	1.20	6.824	8.761	11.090
40.00	1.23	7.161	9.208	11.660
41.00	1.26	7.506	9.665	12.250
42.00	1.29	7.859	10.130	12.850
43.00	1.32	8.219	10.610	13.460
44.00	1.35	8.588	11.100	14.090
45.00	1.38	8.965	11.610	14.730
46.00	1.42	9.350	12.120	15.390
47.00	1.45	9.742	12.640	16.060
48.00	1.48	10.140	13.180	16.750
49.00	1.51	10.550	13.720	17.450
50.00	1.54	10.970	14.280	18.160
52.50	1.62	12.040	15.720	20.010
55.00	1.69	13.170	17.230	21.950
57.50	1.77	14.340	18.810	23.980
60.00	1.85	15.570	20.460	26.090
62.50	1.92	16.840	22.180	28.300
65.00	2.00	18.170	23.970	30.600
70.00	2.15	20.960	27.750	35.460
75.00	2.31	23.960	31.800	40.680
80.00	2.46	27.150	36.140	46.260
85.00	2.62	30.540	40.750	52.200
90.00	2.77	34.120	45.640	58.490
95.00	2.92	37.910	50.800	65.150
100.00	3.08	41.890	56.240	72.160
105.00	3.23	46.070	61.960	79.530
110.00	3.39	50.440	67.950	87.260
115.00	3.54	55.020	74.230	95.350
120.00	3.69	59.790	80.770	103.800
125.00	3.85	64.760	87.600	112.600
130.00	4.00	69.930	94.700	121.800
135.00	4.15	75.290	102.100	131.300
140.00	4.31	80.850	109.700	141.200
145.00	4.46	86.610	117.700	151.400

Pressure loss table for DN 250

Q [l/s]	DN 250			
	v [m/s]	ki=0.1 J [m/km]	ki=0.4 J [m/km]	ki=1.0 J [m/km]
4.00	0.08	0.035	0.038	0.042
4.50	0.09	0.043	0.047	0.053
5.00	0.10	0.052	0.057	0.064
5.50	0.11	0.062	0.068	0.077
6.00	0.12	0.072	0.079	0.090
6.50	0.13	0.084	0.092	0.105
7.00	0.14	0.095	0.105	0.121
7.50	0.15	0.108	0.120	0.138
8.00	0.16	0.121	0.135	0.156
8.50	0.17	0.135	0.151	0.176
9.00	0.18	0.150	0.168	0.196
10.00	0.20	0.181	0.204	0.240
11.00	0.22	0.215	0.244	0.288
12.00	0.24	0.252	0.288	0.341
13.00	0.26	0.292	0.334	0.398
14.00	0.28	0.334	0.385	0.459
15.00	0.30	0.379	0.438	0.525
16.00	0.31	0.426	0.496	0.596
17.00	0.33	0.476	0.556	0.670
18.00	0.35	0.529	0.620	0.749
19.00	0.37	0.584	0.688	0.833
20.00	0.39	0.642	0.758	0.920
21.00	0.41	0.702	0.833	1.013
22.00	0.43	0.765	0.910	1.109
23.00	0.45	0.831	0.992	1.210
24.00	0.47	0.899	1.076	1.315
25.00	0.49	0.970	1.164	1.425
26.00	0.51	1.043	1.256	1.539
27.00	0.53	1.119	1.350	1.658
28.00	0.55	1.197	1.449	1.781
29.00	0.57	1.278	1.550	1.908
30.00	0.59	1.361	1.655	2.039
31.00	0.61	1.447	1.764	2.176
32.00	0.63	1.536	1.876	2.316
33.00	0.65	1.627	1.991	2.461
34.00	0.67	1.720	2.110	2.610
35.00	0.69	1.816	2.232	2.763
36.00	0.71	1.915	2.357	2.921
37.00	0.73	2.016	2.486	3.084
38.00	0.75	2.119	2.619	3.250
39.00	0.77	2.225	2.754	3.421
40.00	0.79	2.334	2.894	3.597
41.00	0.81	2.445	3.036	3.777
42.00	0.83	2.558	3.182	3.961
43.00	0.85	2.674	3.332	4.150
44.00	0.87	2.792	3.484	4.343
45.00	0.89	2.913	3.641	4.540
46.00	0.90	3.037	3.800	4.742
47.00	0.92	3.163	3.963	4.948
48.00	0.94	3.291	4.130	5.158
49.00	0.96	3.422	4.300	5.373
50.00	0.98	3.556	4.473	5.592
52.50	1.03	3.900	4.921	6.160
55.00	1.08	4.260	5.391	6.755
57.50	1.13	4.635	5.882	7.377
60.00	1.18	5.026	6.394	8.026
62.50	1.23	5.433	6.927	8.703
65.00	1.28	5.854	7.482	9.408
70.00	1.38	6.745	8.655	10.900
75.00	1.48	7.696	9.9140	12.500
80.00	1.57	8.710	11.260	14.210
85.00	1.67	9.785	12.690	16.030
90.00	1.77	10.920	14.200	17.960
95.00	1.87	12.120	15.800	20.000
100.00	1.97	13.380	17.490	22.140
105.00	2.07	14.700	19.260	24.400
110.00	2.16	16.090	21.110	26.770
115.00	2.26	17.530	23.050	29.250
120.00	2.36	19.040	25.080	31.830
125.00	2.46	20.600	27.190	34.530
130.00	2.56	22.230	29.390	37.330
135.00	2.66	23.920	31.670	40.250
140.00	2.75	25.680	34.030	43.270
145.00	2.85	27.490	36.490	46.410
150.00	2.95	29.360	39.020	49.650
155.00	3.05	31.300	41.650	53.010
160.00	3.15	33.300	44.350	56.470



Pressure loss table for DN 300

Q [l/s]	DN 300			
	v [m/s]	k <sub>s</sub> =0.1 J [m/km]	k <sub>s</sub> =0.4 J [m/km]	k <sub>s</sub> =1.0 J [m/km]
6.00	0.08	0.030	0.032	0.036
7.00	0.10	0.039	0.043	0.048
8.00	0.11	0.050	0.054	0.061
9.00	0.12	0.062	0.067	0.077
10.00	0.14	0.075	0.082	0.094
11.00	0.15	0.089	0.098	0.113
12.00	0.16	0.104	0.115	0.133
13.00	0.18	0.120	0.133	0.155
14.00	0.19	0.137	0.153	0.179
15.00	0.20	0.155	0.174	0.204
16.00	0.22	0.174	0.197	0.231
17.00	0.23	0.194	0.220	0.260
18.00	0.25	0.216	0.246	0.290
19.00	0.26	0.238	0.272	0.322
20.00	0.27	0.261	0.300	0.356
22.00	0.30	0.311	0.359	0.428
24.00	0.33	0.365	0.424	0.507
26.00	0.35	0.423	0.493	0.593
28.00	0.38	0.485	0.568	0.685
30.00	0.41	0.551	0.649	0.784
32.00	0.44	0.620	0.734	0.889
34.00	0.46	0.694	0.825	1.002
36.00	0.49	0.772	0.921	1.121
38.00	0.52	0.853	1.022	1.246
40.00	0.55	0.939	1.128	1.378
42.00	0.57	1.028	1.240	1.517
44.00	0.60	1.121	1.357	1.663
46.00	0.63	1.218	1.479	1.815
48.00	0.65	1.319	1.606	1.974
50.00	0.68	1.424	1.738	2.139
52.50	0.72	1.561	1.911	2.355
55.00	0.75	1.703	2.092	2.582
57.50	0.78	1.852	2.281	2.819
60.00	0.82	2.006	2.479	3.066
62.50	0.85	2.167	2.684	3.324
65.00	0.89	2.333	2.898	3.592
70.00	0.95	2.684	3.349	4.159
75.00	1.02	3.059	3.833	4.768
80.00	1.09	3.458	4.350	5.418
85.00	1.16	3.880	4.899	6.110
90.00	1.23	4.327	5.481	6.844
95.00	1.30	4.797	6.095	7.619
100.00	1.36	5.291	6.741	8.435
105.00	1.43	5.808	7.421	9.294
110.00	1.50	6.350	8.132	10.190
115.00	1.57	6.915	8.877	11.130
120.00	1.64	7.504	9.654	12.120
125.00	1.70	8.116	10.460	13.140
130.00	1.77	8.752	11.300	14.210
135.00	1.84	9.412	12.180	15.310
140.00	1.91	10.100	13.090	16.460
145.00	1.98	10.800	14.030	17.650
150.00	2.05	11.530	15.000	18.890
155.00	2.11	12.290	16.000	20.160
160.00	2.18	13.070	17.040	21.480
165.00	2.25	13.870	18.110	22.830
170.00	2.32	14.690	19.210	24.230
175.00	2.39	15.540	20.340	25.670
180.00	2.45	16.410	21.510	27.150
185.00	2.52	17.310	22.710	28.670
190.00	2.59	18.230	23.940	30.240
195.00	2.66	19.170	25.210	31.840
200.00	2.73	20.140	26.510	33.490
205.00	2.79	21.130	27.840	35.180
210.00	2.86	22.150	29.200	36.910
215.00	2.93	23.180	30.590	38.680
220.00	3.00	24.250	32.020	40.500
225.00	3.07	25.330	33.480	42.350
230.00	3.14	26.440	34.970	44.250
235.00	3.20	27.570	36.500	46.190
240.00	3.27	28.730	38.050	48.170
245.00	3.34	29.910	39.640	50.190
250.00	3.41	31.110	41.270	52.250
255.00	3.48	32.340	42.920	54.360
260.00	3.54	33.590	44.610	56.500
265.00	3.61	34.860	46.330	58.690
270.00	3.68	36.160	48.080	60.920

Pressure loss table for DN 400

Q [l/s]	DN 400			
	v [m/s]	k <sub>s</sub> =0.1 J [m/km]	k <sub>s</sub> =0.4 J [m/km]	k <sub>s</sub> =1.0 J [m/km]
9.00	0.07	0.016	0.017	0.019
10.00	0.08	0.020	0.021	0.023
12.50	0.10	0.029	0.032	0.035
15.00	0.12	0.041	0.044	0.050
17.50	0.14	0.054	0.059	0.067
20.00	0.16	0.068	0.075	0.086
25.00	0.20	0.102	0.114	0.132
30.00	0.24	0.142	0.161	0.188
35.00	0.27	0.189	0.215	0.253
40.00	0.31	0.241	0.277	0.328
45.00	0.35	0.300	0.347	0.413
50.00	0.39	0.364	0.424	0.508
55.00	0.43	0.434	0.509	0.612
60.00	0.47	0.510	0.602	0.726
65.00	0.51	0.592	0.703	0.849
70.00	0.55	0.679	0.811	0.982
75.00	0.59	0.773	0.926	1.125
80.00	0.63	0.872	1.050	1.277
85.00	0.67	0.977	1.181	1.440
90.00	0.71	1.088	1.319	1.611
95.00	0.75	1.204	1.466	1.793
100.00	0.78	1.326	1.620	1.984
105.00	0.82	1.454	1.781	2.185
110.00	0.86	1.587	1.950	2.395
115.00	0.90	1.726	2.127	2.615
120.00	0.94	1.871	2.312	2.845
125.00	0.98	2.022	2.504	3.085
130.00	1.02	2.178	2.704	3.334
135.00	1.06	2.339	2.911	3.593
140.00	1.10	2.507	3.126	3.861
145.00	1.14	2.680	3.349	4.140
150.00	1.18	2.859	3.579	4.427
155.00	1.22	3.043	3.817	4.725
160.00	1.26	3.233	4.063	5.032
165.00	1.29	3.429	4.316	5.349
170.00	1.33	3.630	4.577	5.675
175.00	1.37	3.837	4.846	6.012
180.00	1.41	4.050	5.122	6.358
185.00	1.45	4.268	5.406	6.713
190.00	1.49	4.492	5.697	7.078
195.00	1.53	4.721	5.996	7.453
200.00	1.57	4.956	6.303	7.838
205.00	1.61	5.197	6.617	8.232
210.00	1.65	5.443	6.939	8.636
215.00	1.69	5.695	7.269	9.049
220.00	1.73	5.953	7.606	9.473
225.00	1.77	6.216	7.951	9.905
230.00	1.80	6.484	8.303	10.350
235.00	1.84	6.759	8.664	10.800
240.00	1.88	7.039	9.031	11.260
245.00	1.92	7.324	9.407	11.730
250.00	1.96	7.616	9.790	12.210
260.00	2.04	8.215	10.580	13.210
270.00	2.12	8.837	11.400	14.240
280.00	2.20	9.481	12.250	15.310
290.00	2.28	10.150	13.130	16.410
300.00	2.35	10.840	14.040	17.560
310.00	2.43	11.550	14.980	18.740
320.00	2.51	12.280	15.950	19.970
330.00	2.59	13.040	16.960	21.230
340.00	2.67	13.820	17.990	22.530
350.00	2.75	14.620	19.050	23.870
360.00	2.83	15.440	20.150	25.250
370.00	2.90	16.290	21.270	26.670
380.00	2.98	17.150	22.430	28.120
390.00	3.06	18.050	23.620	29.620
400.00	3.14	18.960	24.830	31.150
410.00	3.22	19.890	26.080	32.720
420.00	3.30	20.850	27.360	34.330
430.00	3.37	21.830	28.670	35.980
440.00	3.45	22.830	30.000	37.670
450.00	3.53	23.860	31.370	39.390
460.00	3.61	24.910	32.770	41.160
470.00	3.69	25.980	34.200	42.960
480.00	3.77	27.070	35.670	44.800
490.00	3.85	28.180	37.160	46.690
500.00	3.92	29.320	38.680	48.610



## Pressure loss table for DN 500

Q [l/s]	DN 500			
	v [m/s]	k <sub>v</sub> =0.1 J [m/km]	k <sub>v</sub> =0.4 J [m/km]	k <sub>v</sub> =1.00 J [m/km]
15.00	0.008	0.0014	0.0015	0.0016
17.50	0.009	0.0018	0.0019	0.0022
20.00	0.100	0.0023	0.0025	0.0028
25.00	0.130	0.0035	0.0037	0.0042
30.00	0.150	0.0048	0.0052	0.0060
35.00	0.180	0.0063	0.0070	0.0080
40.00	0.200	0.0081	0.0090	0.0104
45.00	0.230	0.0100	0.0120	0.0130
50.00	0.250	0.0120	0.0137	0.0160
55.00	0.280	0.0145	0.0164	0.0192
60.00	0.300	0.0170	0.0193	0.0227
65.00	0.330	0.0197	0.0225	0.0266
70.00	0.350	0.0225	0.0259	0.0307
75.00	0.380	0.0256	0.0296	0.0351
80.00	0.400	0.0288	0.0335	0.0398
85.00	0.430	0.0323	0.0376	0.0449
90.00	0.450	0.0359	0.0420	0.0502
95.00	0.480	0.0397	0.0466	0.0558
100.00	0.500	0.0436	0.0514	0.0617
105.00	0.530	0.0478	0.0565	0.0679
110.00	0.550	0.0521	0.0618	0.0744
115.00	0.580	0.0566	0.0674	0.0812
120.00	0.600	0.0613	0.0732	0.0883
125.00	0.630	0.0662	0.0792	0.0957
130.00	0.650	0.0713	0.0854	0.1034
135.00	0.680	0.0765	0.0919	0.1114
140.00	0.700	0.0819	0.0987	0.1197
145.00	0.730	0.0875	0.1056	0.1283
150.00	0.750	0.0932	0.1128	0.1372
155.00	0.780	0.0992	0.1203	0.1463
160.00	0.800	0.1053	0.1280	0.1558
165.00	0.830	0.1116	0.1359	0.1656
170.00	0.850	0.1181	0.1440	0.1757
175.00	0.880	0.1247	0.1524	0.1860
180.00	0.900	0.1316	0.1610	0.1967
185.00	0.930	0.1386	0.1699	0.2076
190.00	0.950	0.1457	0.1790	0.2189
195.00	0.980	0.1531	0.1883	0.2304
200.00	1.000	0.1606	0.1979	0.2423
205.00	1.030	0.1683	0.2077	0.2544
210.00	1.005	0.1762	0.2177	0.2669
215.00	1.008	0.1843	0.2280	0.2796
220.00	1.100	0.1925	0.2385	0.2927
225.00	1.130	0.2009	0.2492	0.3060
230.00	1.150	0.2095	0.2602	0.3196
235.00	1.180	0.2183	0.2714	0.3335
240.00	1.200	0.2272	0.2829	0.3478
245.00	1.230	0.2364	0.2946	0.3623
250.00	1.250	0.2457	0.3065	0.3770
260.00	1.300	0.2648	0.3310	0.4076
270.00	1.350	0.2846	0.3566	0.4393
280.00	1.400	0.3051	0.3830	0.4722
290.00	1.450	0.3263	0.4104	0.5063
300.00	1.500	0.3482	0.4387	0.5416
310.00	1.550	0.3709	0.4680	0.5780
320.00	1.600	0.3942	0.4982	0.6157
330.00	1.650	0.4182	0.5294	0.6545
340.00	1.700	0.4429	0.5615	0.6945
350.00	1.750	0.4683	0.5945	0.7358
360.00	1.800	0.4945	0.6285	0.7782
370.00	1.850	0.5213	0.6635	0.8217
380.00	1.900	0.5488	0.6994	0.8665
390.00	1.950	0.5770	0.7362	0.9125
400.00	2.000	0.6059	0.7740	0.9596
410.00	2.006	0.6355	0.8127	0.10080
420.00	2.110	0.6659	0.8523	0.105700
430.00	2.160	0.6969	0.8929	0.110080
440.00	2.210	0.7286	0.9345	0.116000
450.00	2.260	0.7610	0.9770	0.121300
460.00	2.310	0.7941	0.102000	0.126700
470.00	2.360	0.8279	0.106500	0.132300
480.00	2.410	0.8624	0.11000	0.137900
490.00	2.460	0.8976	0.115600	0.143700
500.00	2.510	0.9335	0.120040	0.149600
525.00	2.630	0.102600	0.132600	0.164900
550.00	2.760	0.112300	0.145400	0.180090
575.00	2.880	0.122500	0.158800	0.197700

## Pressure loss table for DN 600

Q [l/s]	DN 600			
	v [m/s]	ki=0.1 J [m/km]	ki=0.4 J [m/km]	ki=1.0 J [m/km]
25.00	0.09	0.014	0.015	0.017
30.00	0.10	0.020	0.021	0.024
35.00	0.12	0.026	0.028	0.032
40.00	0.14	0.033	0.036	0.041
45.00	0.16	0.041	0.045	0.051
50.00	0.17	0.050	0.055	0.063
55.00	0.19	0.059	0.066	0.075
60.00	0.21	0.069	0.077	0.089
65.00	0.23	0.080	0.090	0.104
70.00	0.24	0.092	0.103	0.120
75.00	0.26	0.104	0.118	0.137
80.00	0.28	0.118	0.133	0.155
85.00	0.30	0.131	0.149	0.174
90.00	0.31	0.146	0.166	0.195
95.00	0.33	0.161	0.184	0.216
100.00	0.35	0.177	0.203	0.239
110.00	0.38	0.212	0.244	0.288
120.00	0.42	0.249	0.288	0.342
130.00	0.45	0.288	0.336	0.400
140.00	0.49	0.331	0.388	0.462
150.00	0.52	0.376	0.443	0.529
160.00	0.56	0.425	0.501	0.601
170.00	0.59	0.476	0.564	0.677
180.00	0.63	0.529	0.630	0.758
190.00	0.66	0.586	0.700	0.843
200.00	0.70	0.645	0.773	0.933
210.00	0.73	0.707	0.850	1.027
220.00	0.76	0.772	0.930	1.126
230.00	0.80	0.840	1.015	1.229
240.00	0.83	0.910	1.102	1.337
250.00	0.87	0.983	1.194	1.450
260.00	0.90	1.059	1.289	1.567
270.00	0.94	1.137	1.388	1.688
280.00	0.97	1.218	1.490	1.814
290.00	1.01	1.302	1.596	1.945
300.00	1.04	1.389	1.705	2.080
310.00	1.08	1.478	1.819	2.219
320.00	1.11	1.570	1.935	2.363
330.00	1.15	1.665	2.056	2.512
340.00	1.18	1.763	2.180	2.665
350.00	1.22	1.863	2.308	2.823
360.00	1.25	1.966	2.439	2.985
370.00	1.29	2.071	2.574	3.152
380.00	1.32	2.180	2.712	3.324
390.00	1.36	2.291	2.854	3.499
400.00	1.39	2.405	3.000	3.680
410.00	1.43	2.521	3.150	3.865
420.00	1.46	2.640	3.303	4.054
430.00	1.49	2.762	3.459	4.248
440.00	1.53	2.887	3.620	4.447
450.00	1.56	3.014	3.783	4.650
460.00	1.60	3.144	3.951	4.857
470.00	1.63	3.277	4.122	5.070
480.00	1.67	3.412	4.297	5.286
490.00	1.70	3.550	4.475	5.507
500.00	1.74	3.691	4.657	5.733
520.00	1.81	3.981	5.032	6.198
540.00	1.88	4.282	5.422	6.681
560.00	1.95	4.593	5.825	7.183
580.00	2.02	4.915	6.244	7.702
600.00	2.09	5.248	6.676	8.240
625.00	2.17	5.679	7.238	8.937
650.00	2.26	6.127	7.822	9.663
675.00	2.35	6.592	8.429	10.420
700.00	2.43	7.074	9.058	11.200
725.00	2.52	7.573	9.710	12.010
750.00	2.61	8.089	10.380	12.850
775.00	2.69	8.621	11.080	13.720
800.00	2.78	9.170	11.800	14.610
825.00	2.87	9.736	12.540	15.540
850.00	2.95	10.320	13.310	16.490
875.00	3.04	10.920	14.100	17.470
900.00	3.13	11.540	14.910	18.480
925.00	3.22	12.170	15.740	19.520
950.00	3.30	12.820	16.600	20.580
975.00	3.39	13.490	17.470	21.680
1,000.00	3.48	14.170	18.370	22.800
1,050.00	3.65	15.590	20.240	25.130



## Pressure loss table for DN 700

Q [l/s]	DN 700			
	v [m/s]	ki=0.1 J [m/km]	ki=0.4 J [m/km]	ki=1.0 J [m/km]
30.00	0.08	0.010	0.010	0.011
35.00	0.09	0.013	0.013	0.015
40.00	0.10	0.016	0.017	0.019
45.00	0.12	0.020	0.021	0.024
50.00	0.13	0.024	0.026	0.029
55.00	0.14	0.028	0.031	0.035
60.00	0.15	0.033	0.036	0.041
65.00	0.17	0.038	0.042	0.048
70.00	0.18	0.044	0.048	0.055
75.00	0.19	0.050	0.055	0.063
80.00	0.21	0.056	0.062	0.071
85.00	0.22	0.063	0.070	0.080
90.00	0.23	0.070	0.077	0.089
95.00	0.24	0.077	0.086	0.099
100.00	0.26	0.084	0.095	0.110
110.00	0.28	0.101	0.113	0.132
120.00	0.31	0.118	0.134	0.156
130.00	0.33	0.137	0.156	0.182
140.00	0.36	0.157	0.179	0.211
150.00	0.38	0.178	0.205	0.241
160.00	0.41	0.201	0.232	0.274
170.00	0.44	0.225	0.260	0.308
180.00	0.46	0.250	0.291	0.345
190.00	0.49	0.277	0.323	0.383
200.00	0.51	0.304	0.356	0.424
210.00	0.54	0.333	0.391	0.467
220.00	0.56	0.364	0.428	0.511
230.00	0.59	0.395	0.467	0.558
240.00	0.62	0.428	0.507	0.607
250.00	0.64	0.462	0.549	0.658
260.00	0.67	0.497	0.592	0.711
270.00	0.69	0.534	0.637	0.766
280.00	0.72	0.572	0.684	0.822
290.00	0.74	0.611	0.732	0.881
300.00	0.77	0.651	0.782	0.943
310.00	0.80	0.693	0.834	1.006
320.00	0.82	0.736	0.887	1.071
330.00	0.85	0.780	0.942	1.138
340.00	0.87	0.825	0.998	1.207
350.00	0.90	0.871	1.056	1.278
360.00	0.92	0.919	1.116	1.352
370.00	0.95	0.968	1.177	1.427
380.00	0.98	1.019	1.241	1.504
390.00	1.00	1.070	1.305	1.584
400.00	1.03	1.123	1.372	1.665
410.00	1.05	1.177	1.440	1.749
420.00	1.08	1.232	1.509	1.834
430.00	1.10	1.288	1.580	1.922
440.00	1.13	1.346	1.653	2.011
450.00	1.15	1.405	1.728	2.103
460.00	1.18	1.465	1.804	2.197
470.00	1.21	1.527	1.882	2.293
480.00	1.23	1.589	1.961	2.390
490.00	1.26	1.653	2.042	2.490
500.00	1.28	1.718	2.125	2.592
520.00	1.33	1.852	2.295	2.802
540.00	1.39	1.991	2.472	3.020
560.00	1.44	2.134	2.656	3.246
580.00	1.49	2.283	2.846	3.480
600.00	1.54	2.437	3.042	3.723
625.00	1.60	2.635	3.297	4.037
650.00	1.67	2.842	3.562	4.365
675.00	1.73	3.056	3.838	4.705
700.00	1.80	3.278	4.123	5.058
725.00	1.86	3.507	4.419	5.423
750.00	1.92	3.745	4.725	5.802
775.00	1.99	3.989	5.042	6.193
800.00	2.05	4.242	5.368	6.597
825.00	2.12	4.502	5.705	7.014
850.00	2.18	4.770	6.052	7.443
875.00	2.25	5.045	6.409	7.885
900.00	2.31	5.329	6.777	8.340
925.00	2.37	5.619	7.154	8.808
950.00	2.44	5.918	7.542	9.288
975.00	2.50	6.224	7.941	9.781
1,000.00	2.57	6.538	8.349	10.290
1,050.00	2.69	7.188	9.197	11.340
1,100.00	2.82	7.869	10.090	12.440

## Pressure loss table for DN 800

Q [l/s]	DN 800			
	v [m/s]	k <sub>s</sub> =0.1 J [m/km]	k <sub>s</sub> =0.4 J [m/km]	k <sub>s</sub> =1.0 J [m/km]
40.00	0.08	0.008	0.009	0.010
50.00	0.10	0.012	0.013	0.015
60.00	0.12	0.017	0.019	0.021
70.00	0.14	0.023	0.025	0.028
80.00	0.16	0.029	0.032	0.036
90.00	0.18	0.036	0.039	0.045
100.00	0.20	0.044	0.048	0.055
110.00	0.22	0.052	0.057	0.066
120.00	0.23	0.061	0.068	0.078
130.00	0.25	0.071	0.079	0.091
140.00	0.27	0.081	0.091	0.105
150.00	0.29	0.092	0.103	0.120
160.00	0.31	0.103	0.117	0.136
170.00	0.33	0.116	0.131	0.153
180.00	0.35	0.128	0.146	0.171
190.00	0.37	0.142	0.162	0.190
200.00	0.39	0.156	0.179	0.210
210.00	0.41	0.171	0.197	0.231
220.00	0.43	0.186	0.215	0.253
230.00	0.45	0.202	0.234	0.277
240.00	0.47	0.219	0.254	0.301
250.00	0.49	0.236	0.275	0.326
260.00	0.51	0.254	0.297	0.352
270.00	0.53	0.273	0.319	0.379
280.00	0.55	0.292	0.342	0.407
290.00	0.57	0.312	0.366	0.436
300.00	0.59	0.332	0.391	0.466
310.00	0.61	0.354	0.417	0.497
320.00	0.63	0.375	0.443	0.529
330.00	0.65	0.398	0.471	0.562
340.00	0.67	0.421	0.499	0.597
350.00	0.68	0.444	0.528	0.632
375.00	0.73	0.506	0.603	0.724
400.00	0.78	0.571	0.684	0.822
425.00	0.83	0.641	0.770	0.927
450.00	0.88	0.714	0.861	1.038
475.00	0.93	0.791	0.957	1.155
500.00	0.98	0.872	1.058	1.278
525.00	1.03	0.956	1.164	1.408
550.00	1.08	1.045	1.275	1.544
575.00	1.13	1.137	1.391	1.686
600.00	1.17	1.233	1.512	1.835
625.00	1.22	1.333	1.638	1.990
650.00	1.27	1.437	1.770	2.151
675.00	1.32	1.544	1.906	2.318
700.00	1.37	1.656	2.047	2.491
725.00	1.42	1.771	2.194	2.671
750.00	1.47	1.890	2.345	2.857
775.00	1.52	2.013	2.502	3.050
800.00	1.57	2.139	2.663	3.248
825.00	1.61	2.270	2.830	3.453
850.00	1.66	2.404	3.001	3.664
875.00	1.71	2.542	3.178	3.881
900.00	1.76	2.684	3.359	4.105
925.00	1.81	2.829	3.546	4.335
950.00	1.86	2.979	3.738	4.571
975.00	1.91	3.132	3.935	4.814
1,000.00	1.96	3.289	4.137	5.062
1,050.00	2.05	3.614	4.555	5.578
1,100.00	2.15	3.954	4.994	6.120
1,150.00	2.25	4.310	5.453	6.686
1,200.00	2.35	4.680	5.933	7.277
1,250.00	2.45	5.066	6.432	7.893
1,300.00	2.54	5.467	6.952	8.535
1,350.00	2.64	5.883	7.492	9.201
1,400.00	2.74	6.315	8.052	9.893
1,450.00	2.84	6.761	8.632	10.610
1,500.00	2.94	7.222	9.232	11.350
1,550.00	3.03	7.699	9.852	12.120
1,600.00	3.13	8.191	10.490	12.910
1,650.00	3.23	8.698	11.150	13.730
1,700.00	3.33	9.220	11.830	14.570
1,750.00	3.42	9.757	12.540	15.430
1,800.00	3.52	10.310	13.260	16.330
1,850.00	3.62	10.880	14.000	17.240
1,900.00	3.72	11.460	14.760	18.180
1,950.00	3.82	12.060	15.540	19.150
2,000.00	3.91	12.670	16.340	20.140



Pressure loss table for DN 900

Q [l/s]	DN 900			
	v [m/s]	ki=0.1 J [m/km]	ki=0.4 J [m/km]	ki=1.0 J [m/km]
50.00	0.08	0.007	0.007	0.008
60.00	0.09	0.010	0.010	0.011
70.00	0.11	0.013	0.014	0.015
80.00	0.12	0.016	0.018	0.020
90.00	0.14	0.020	0.022	0.025
100.00	0.15	0.025	0.027	0.030
110.00	0.17	0.029	0.032	0.036
120.00	0.19	0.034	0.038	0.043
130.00	0.20	0.040	0.044	0.050
140.00	0.22	0.045	0.050	0.057
150.00	0.23	0.052	0.057	0.065
160.00	0.25	0.058	0.065	0.074
170.00	0.26	0.065	0.072	0.083
180.00	0.28	0.072	0.081	0.093
190.00	0.29	0.080	0.089	0.104
200.00	0.31	0.087	0.099	0.114
210.00	0.32	0.096	0.108	0.126
220.00	0.34	0.104	0.118	0.138
230.00	0.36	0.113	0.129	0.150
240.00	0.37	0.123	0.140	0.163
250.00	0.39	0.132	0.151	0.177
260.00	0.40	0.142	0.163	0.191
270.00	0.42	0.152	0.175	0.206
280.00	0.43	0.163	0.188	0.221
290.00	0.45	0.174	0.201	0.236
300.00	0.46	0.185	0.214	0.253
310.00	0.48	0.197	0.228	0.270
320.00	0.49	0.209	0.243	0.287
330.00	0.51	0.222	0.258	0.305
340.00	0.53	0.234	0.273	0.323
350.00	0.54	0.247	0.289	0.342
375.00	0.58	0.281	0.330	0.392
400.00	0.62	0.318	0.374	0.445
425.00	0.66	0.356	0.421	0.501
450.00	0.70	0.396	0.470	0.561
475.00	0.73	0.439	0.522	0.624
500.00	0.77	0.484	0.577	0.691
525.00	0.81	0.530	0.634	0.761
550.00	0.85	0.579	0.695	0.834
575.00	0.89	0.630	0.758	0.911
600.00	0.93	0.683	0.824	0.991
625.00	0.97	0.738	0.892	1.074
650.00	1.00	0.795	0.963	1.161
675.00	1.04	0.854	1.037	1.251
700.00	1.08	0.915	1.114	1.345
725.00	1.12	0.979	1.193	1.442
750.00	1.16	1.044	1.275	1.542
775.00	1.20	1.111	1.360	1.646
800.00	1.24	1.181	1.447	1.753
825.00	1.27	1.252	1.538	1.863
850.00	1.31	1.326	1.630	1.977
875.00	1.35	1.402	1.726	2.094
900.00	1.39	1.479	1.825	2.214
925.00	1.43	1.559	1.926	2.338
950.00	1.47	1.641	2.029	2.465
975.00	1.51	1.725	2.136	2.596
1,000.00	1.55	1.811	2.245	2.730
1,050.00	1.62	1.989	2.472	3.008
1,100.00	1.70	2.175	2.709	3.299
1,150.00	1.78	2.370	2.958	3.604
1,200.00	1.85	2.572	3.217	3.922
1,250.00	1.93	2.783	3.487	4.254
1,300.00	2.01	3.003	3.768	4.600
1,350.00	2.09	3.230	4.060	4.958
1,400.00	2.16	3.466	4.363	5.331
1,450.00	2.24	3.709	4.677	5.716
1,500.00	2.32	3.961	5.001	6.115
1,550.00	2.39	4.221	5.337	6.528
1,600.00	2.47	4.490	5.683	6.954
1,650.00	2.55	4.766	6.040	7.394
1,700.00	2.63	5.051	6.409	7.847
1,750.00	2.70	5.344	6.787	8.313
1,800.00	2.78	5.645	7.177	8.793
1,850.00	2.86	5.954	7.578	9.287
1,900.00	2.94	6.272	7.990	9.794
1,950.00	3.01	6.598	8.412	10.310
2,000.00	3.09	6.931	8.845	10.850
2,050.00	3.17	7.274	9.290	11.400

Pressure loss table for DN 1000

Q [l/s]	DN 1000			
	v [m/s]	k <sub>i</sub> =0.1 J [m/km]	k <sub>i</sub> =0.4 J [m/km]	k <sub>i</sub> =1.0 J [m/km]
60.00	0.08	0.006	0.006	0.007
70.00	0.09	0.008	0.008	0.009
80.00	0.10	0.010	0.010	0.012
90.00	0.11	0.012	0.013	0.014
100.00	0.13	0.015	0.016	0.018
110.00	0.14	0.018	0.019	0.021
120.00	0.15	0.021	0.022	0.025
130.00	0.16	0.024	0.026	0.029
140.00	0.18	0.027	0.030	0.033
150.00	0.19	0.031	0.034	0.038
160.00	0.20	0.035	0.038	0.043
170.00	0.21	0.039	0.043	0.049
180.00	0.23	0.043	0.047	0.054
190.00	0.24	0.047	0.053	0.060
200.00	0.25	0.052	0.058	0.067
210.00	0.26	0.057	0.064	0.073
220.00	0.28	0.062	0.069	0.080
230.00	0.29	0.067	0.076	0.087
240.00	0.30	0.073	0.082	0.095
250.00	0.31	0.079	0.089	0.103
260.00	0.33	0.085	0.095	0.111
270.00	0.34	0.091	0.103	0.119
280.00	0.35	0.097	0.110	0.128
290.00	0.36	0.104	0.118	0.137
300.00	0.38	0.110	0.126	0.146
325.00	0.41	0.128	0.146	0.171
350.00	0.44	0.147	0.169	0.198
375.00	0.47	0.167	0.193	0.227
400.00	0.50	0.188	0.218	0.257
425.00	0.53	0.211	0.245	0.290
450.00	0.56	0.235	0.274	0.324
475.00	0.59	0.260	0.304	0.361
500.00	0.63	0.286	0.336	0.399
525.00	0.66	0.314	0.370	0.440
550.00	0.69	0.342	0.405	0.482
575.00	0.72	0.372	0.441	0.526
600.00	0.75	0.403	0.479	0.572
625.00	0.78	0.436	0.519	0.620
650.00	0.81	0.469	0.560	0.670
675.00	0.84	0.504	0.603	0.722
700.00	0.88	0.540	0.647	0.776
725.00	0.91	0.577	0.693	0.832
750.00	0.94	0.615	0.741	0.889
775.00	0.97	0.655	0.790	0.949
800.00	1.00	0.696	0.840	1.011
825.00	1.03	0.738	0.893	1.074
850.00	1.06	0.781	0.946	1.140
875.00	1.09	0.825	1.002	1.207
900.00	1.13	0.870	1.059	1.276
925.00	1.16	0.917	1.117	1.348
950.00	1.19	0.965	1.177	1.421
1,000.00	1.25	1.064	1.302	1.573
1,050.00	1.31	1.169	1.433	1.733
1,100.00	1.38	1.278	1.570	1.901
1,150.00	1.44	1.391	1.714	2.076
1,200.00	1.50	1.510	1.864	2.259
1,250.00	1.56	1.633	2.020	2.450
1,300.00	1.63	1.761	2.182	2.649
1,350.00	1.69	1.893	2.351	2.855
1,400.00	1.75	2.031	2.526	3.069
1,450.00	1.81	2.173	2.707	3.291
1,500.00	1.88	2.320	2.894	3.520
1,550.00	1.94	2.472	3.088	3.758
1,600.00	2.00	2.628	3.288	4.003
1,650.00	2.06	2.789	3.494	4.255
1,700.00	2.13	2.955	3.707	4.516
1,750.00	2.19	3.126	3.926	4.784
1,800.00	2.25	3.301	4.151	5.060
1,850.00	2.31	3.481	4.382	5.344
1,900.00	2.38	3.666	4.619	5.635
1,950.00	2.44	3.855	4.863	5.935
2,000.00	2.50	4.050	5.113	6.242
2,050.00	2.56	4.249	5.370	6.556
2,100.00	2.63	4.453	5.632	6.879
2,150.00	2.69	4.661	5.901	7.209
2,200.00	2.75	4.874	6.176	7.547
2,250.00	2.81	5.092	6.458	7.892
2,300.00	2.88	5.315	6.745	8.246







## 9 – SEWAGE





## 9.1 Introduction

Safe and efficient management of sewage and industrial waste water is an essential element of every modern society. In environmentally protected areas in particular, it's very important to pass sewage water through safely and to minimize the risk of contamination in the long term. Every construction project interferes with the environment to a significant degree, which is why it's not enough just to depend on the reliability of the pipe network itself. Rather, the durability of the pipe material contributes to safe sewage management with the lowest maintenance costs. Ductile iron pipe systems from TRM have fulfilled these high demands for decades.

### Advantages of ductile iron pipe systems from TRM:

- One safe and reliable system made entirely of ductile iron
- Large fittings portfolio
- Simple and fast installation
- Maximum lifetimes for pipe networks
- Safe from ingrowing roots
- 100% diffusion-resistant
- Self-healing outside coatings
- Self-healing cement linings

### What does TRM stand for?

- Optimum support in all stages of your project with our experienced and trained sales team.
- Maximum flexibility and delivery capacity due to an appropriate stock of standard goods
- ISO-9001 certificate
- GRIS certificate
- GSK certificate for fittings
- CE marking

### Notes for sewage pipes made of ductile iron

We supply ductile iron pipes for sewage water according to EN598:

- VRS®-T positive locked joint DN 80 – DN 500
- BLS® positive locked joint DN 600 – DN 1000
- TYTON® push in joint according to DIN 28 603 (Form A socket) DN 80 – DN 600
- TYTON® push in joint according to DIN 28 603 (Form B socket) DN 700 – DN 1000

TYTON® rubber gaskets can be supplied in NBR or EPDM. NBR gaskets can be detected easily through their yellow markings.

VRS®-T-rubber gaskets can be supplied in EPDM (not available in NBR).

Allowable operation pressure (PFA):

Our ductile iron pipes made according to EN598 can be used for gravity pipelines as well as pressure pipelines for maximum pressure rates that conform to EN598. Higher pressure rates possible upon request.

### Coatings

- Inside: standard high alumina cement lining for DN 80 – 1000 according to EN 598, ONORM B 2562 and DIN 2880.

Inside: alternative cement lining with sophisticated acrylate dispersion for DN 80 – 500, specially used for mining penstocks

- Outside: according to EN598, active zinc coating 200g/m<sup>2</sup> with red-brown finishing layer according to ÖNORM B2560 (PUR long-life polyurethane) or DIN 30674 part 3 (epoxy finishing layer)
- For very aggressive and/or stony soils, pipes can be supplied with premium coatings: ZMU (cement mortar coating according to EN15542) or PUR-TOP coating.

Pipelines at risk from frost above ground (e.g. bridge lines) or installed in ground with less soil coverage (e.g. at tunnel portals) can be optimally protected with our WKG insulation. Please see chapter 7.

Higher allowable pressures, higher static loads and pipes with different wall thicknesses or our positive locked joints VRS®-T and BLS® upon request. Please contact our sales team at [office@trm.at](mailto:office@trm.at)

## 9.2 Effluent disposal

### Cement mortar lining

For transport of sewage water, our pipes use a high alumina cement lining according to EN 598 and ÖNORM B 2562.

Long-term tests with ductile iron pipe systems using high alumina cement lining for diluted acids and strong bases showed that pH values between 4.5 and 9 are not a problem during continuous operation. Furthermore, this area of application can be enlarged to pH 4–12 for communal sewage pipelines. Upon consultation with our engineering team, this area of application can be enlarged even further. Please contact us with more information (temperature, values of aggressive components, frequencies, etc.) at: [office@trm.at](mailto:office@trm.at)

### Biogenic sulfur acid corrosion (BSK)

The high alumina cement lining will be applied by centrifugal rotation. This guarantees a constant thickness over the whole pipe length. As a result of the high centrifugal forces during rotation, the cement lining is strongly compacted and a special fine-grained layer is formed on top.

Both factors also increase the high resistance against biogenic sulfuric acid corrosion (BSK) of high alumina cement mortar linings. BSK may occur at the crossover from pressure pipelines to gravity pipelines or pipelines with particularly high stagnation times. High temperatures increase BSK.

The cement lining meets the requirements of the association

"Güteschutzverbandes der Rohre im Siedlungswasserbau" and has GRIS 131 and GRIS 151 certification. As a result of the manufacturing process, hairline cracks may occur on the top of the cement mortar lining. Once the cement comes into contact with water again, it will swell and the hair cracks will close autonomously.



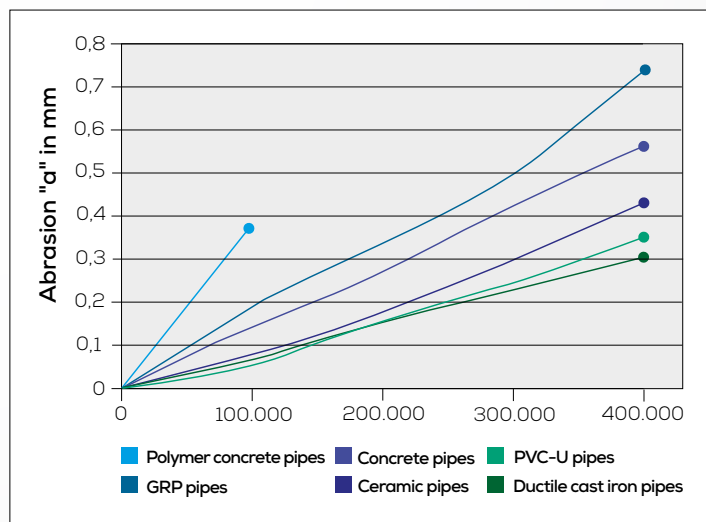
The maximum width of hair cracks according to EN 598:

DN	Maximum width of hair cracks and maximum radial offset in mm
40 – 300	0,4
350 – 600	0,5
700 – 1000	0,6

The cement mortar lining withstands typical impacts during transport and installation. Ovalities of up to 4% are within the tolerance range and do not damage the cement mortar lining.

### Abrasion resistance

The strong compression of the cement mortar lining causes high abrasion resistance. The abrasion resistance independent of the pipe material can be verified using the "Darmstädter Kipprinnenversuch" (tip channeling test) according to DIN EN 295-3. Even flow velocities up to 20m/s that may occur in steep slopes can be handled easily. With regard to the abrasion resistance, the cement mortar lining exhibits the best values. The abrasion is between 0.8 and 1.22mm after 1million test cycles (equal to a statistic abrasion of 100 years). That's why ductile iron pipes with cement mortar lining are also the best choice for high flow rates. For special industrial applications with a high demand for abrasion resistance, our cement mortar lining can be boosted with a unique, sophisticated acrylate dispersion. In comparison with the standard high-alumina cement, this solvent-free, synthetically modified cement mortar lining exhibits significantly higher chemical and mechanical abrasive resistance, more elasticity and extraordinary adhesive strength, making it the best choice for mining penstocks (slurry transport lines). Damage when flushing the pipeline with high pressure jets up to 250 bar and when adding solid substances (such as gravel) also can be ruled out. The high quality standards of the base material as well as the cement mortar lining meet the requirements of the association "Güteschutzverbandes der Rohre im Siedlungswasserbau" and have GRIS 131 certification.



For drainage canals and pipelines, the operation roughness "kb" is defined in directive ATV A110. The operation roughness "kb" is made up of higher roughness values based on a blanket concept. The blanket concept leads to the same total loss of energy as the sum of individual single and local energy losses. The blanket concept for "kb" includes:

- inside roughness of the pipe material
- inaccuracies and changes in location
- splices of pipes
- intake fittings
- manhole structures

The effective inside pipe roughness of 0.1 is also included.

NOT INCLUDED in blanket concept for "kb" (to be evaluated and calculated separately):

- Difference between calculated and existing clear width
- Merging structures
- Inlets and outlets of throttled lines
- Impact of over-accumulation

Depending on the kind of canal, the values listed below for the "kb" blanket concept are recommended:

kb [mm]	Application	Remark
0,25	Throttled lines, pressure pipelines, culvert pipelines and relining without manholes	All DN
0,5	Transport lines with manholes, collector lines with manholes	All DN up to DN 1000
0,75	Transport lines with special manhole structures, collector lines with special manhole structures	All DN
1,5	Brick wall lines, in-situ concrete lines, other non standardized pipes, pipes without verification of internal roughness	All DN



Alongside the operation roughness "kb" defined in directive ATV A110, a "table book for hydraulic calculation of ductile iron pipes" and "calculation software" are also available on the FGR website [www.eadips.org](http://www.eadips.org)

### Static loads

Ductile iron pipes have the ability to handle massive static loads consisting of earth pressure and traffic loads. For example, the soil coverage can be from 0.3m up to 9m depending on the DN, load and installation. Table D.1 in annex D of EN598 shows possible soil coverage levels. The usage of ductile iron pipes can usually be checked using the above-mentioned table and does not have to be calculated additionally. A separate static calculation according to ÖNORM B 5012 is only needed for special locations or loads (>SWL 60 loads, train or airplane loads). In this case, please contact our sales team at [office@trm.at](mailto:office@trm.at). We would be pleased to provide you with an auditable static calculation that can be double-checked and approved by any authorized structural engineer.

Factor K depends on soil stress distribution over the top of the pipe and on the support below. Usually, factor K is between 0.11 (for  $2\alpha=20^\circ$ ) and 0.09 (for  $2\alpha=120^\circ$ ). The value for  $20^\circ$  corresponds to a pipe lying directly on a smooth floor without compaction. Factor  $E'$  depends on the kind of soil around the pipe and on the conditions during installation. The indication values for  $E'$  in the table relate to the compaction of soil at 1,000 kN/m<sup>2</sup> (minimal), 2,000 kN/m<sup>2</sup> (sufficient) and 5,000 kN/m<sup>2</sup> (good).  $E' = 0$  is the limit value for the worst conditions during installation and the soil (no compaction of soil, groundwater over the pipe, removed sheet pile walls after refilling the trench or the pipeline installed under dam conditions). Please also consider EN805, EN1610, DIN 50 929 part 3, ÖNORM 2538 and DIN 30 375 part2 for pipe trenches.

### Heights of cover pressure pipes (EN598:2007):

DN		80 – 300	350 – 450	500 – 2000
K (2)		0,110 (20°)	0,105 (45°)	0,103 (60°)
= 0,5 Rural areas	$E' = 0$	0,3 – 5,0	0,3 – 3,0	0,4 – 2,2
	$E' = 1000$	0,3 – 5,8	0,3 – 4,0	0,3 – 3,5
	$E' = 2000$	0,3 – 6,6	0,3 – 5,0	0,3 – 4,7
	$E' = 5000$	0,3 – 9,2	0,3 – 8,0	0,3 – 7,8
= 0,75 Access roads	$E' = 0$	0,3 – 4,8	0,5 – 2,8	0,6 – 2,0
	$E' = 1000$	0,3 – 5,7	0,4 – 3,9	0,4 – 3,5
	$E' = 2000$	0,3 – 6,6	0,3 – 4,9	0,3 – 4,6
	$E' = 5000$	0,3 – 9,1	0,3 – 7,9	0,3 – 7,8
= 1,50 Main roads	$E' = 0$	0,6 – 4,5	a	a
	$E' = 1000$	0,5 – 5,4	0,8 – 3,4	0,9 – 3,0
	$E' = 2000$	0,4 – 6,3	0,6 – 4,6	0,6 – 4,3
	$E' = 5000$	0,3 – 9,0	0,4 – 7,7	0,4 – 7,6

a) Not recommended; a specific calculation for each case provides an adequate answer only.

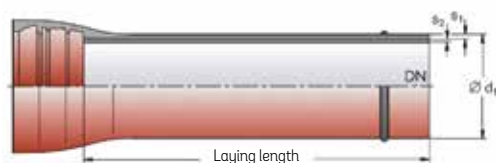
### Heights of cover gravity pipelines (EN598:2007):

DN		80 – 300	350
K (2)		0,110 (20°)	0,105 (45°)
= 0,5 Rural areas	$E' = 0$	0,3 – 3,2	0,3 – 9,9
	$E' = 1000$	0,3 – 4,1	0,3 – 10,6
	$E' = 2000$	0,3 – 5,0	0,3 – 11,3
	$E' = 5000$	0,3 – 7,5	0,3 – 13,4
= 0,75 Access roads	$E' = 0$	0,3 – 3,0	0,4 – 3,4
	$E' = 1000$	0,3 – 4,0	0,3 – 4,4
	$E' = 2000$	0,3 – 4,9	0,3 – 5,4
	$E' = 5000$	0,3 – 7,5	0,3 – 8,1
= 1,50 Main roads	$E' = 0$	0,3 – 2,2	a
	$E' = 1000$	0,3 – 3,5	0,7 – 4,0
	$E' = 2000$	0,3 – 4,5	0,6 – 5,0
	$E' = 5000$	0,3 – 7,3	0,4 – 8,0

a) Not recommended; a specific calculation for each case provides an adequate answer only.



**Sewage pipes with positive locking joints VRS®-T-/BLS® according to EN598**  
DN 80 – 500 with push-in joint VRS®-T  
DN 600 – 1000 with push-in joint BLS®

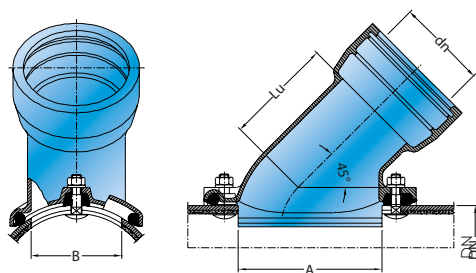


**Inside coatings:** High alumina cement lining (ZMA) according to ÖNORM B 2562 or DIN 2880. Other linings upon request.  
**Outside coating:** Zinc-coating with finishing layer (DN 80 – 500 PUR long-life polyurethane coating acc. to ÖNORM B 2560, DN 600 – 1000 Epoxy coating acc. to DIN 30 674-3). Cement mortar coating or other coatings upon request.

Nominal diameter	Outside diameter	Dimensions [mm]		Weight [kg] ~		Laying length
DN	Ø d1	s1	Cement mortar lining s2	per m pipe <sup>1)</sup>	per pipe <sup>2)</sup>	[m]
80	98	6	4	15,1	75,5	5
100	118	6	4	18,7	93,5	5
125	144	6	4	23,4	117	5
150	170	6	4	28,4	142	5
200	222	6	4	36,8	184	5
250	274	6	4	45,4	227	5
300	326	6,4	4	57,6	288	5
400	429	7,2	5	91,5	457,5	5
500	532	8	5	126	630	5
600	635	9,9	5	172,9	1037	6
700	738	10,8	6	224	1344	6
800	842	11,7	6	275,7	1654	6
900	945	12,6	6	334,2	2005	6
1000	1048	13,5	6	397	2382	6

<sup>1)</sup> Theoretical weight per m pipe incl. cement mortar lining, zinc coating and finishing layer.  
<sup>2)</sup> Theoretical weight of one pipe incl. cement mortar lining, zinc coating and finishing layer. All stated weights are theoretical and standardized values. Higher weights are possible. Other laying lengths and outside coatings upon request.

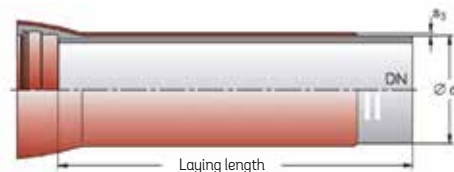
**KAS SEWAGE CONNECTOR**  
45° connection according to EN 598 and TYTON®-push-in joint



Nominal diameter		Dimensions [mm]			Weight [kg] ~
DN	dn	A	B	Lu	ductile iron body
200	150	240	145	180	14,20
250-300	150	240	150	180	14,40
400-500	150	240	155	180	13,50
600-1000	150	240	160	180	13,05
250	200	310	195	220	19,25
300	200	310	200	220	19,25
400-500	200	310	205	220	19,10
600-800	200	310	210	220	18,90

To connect other pipe materials please use junction couplings and gaskets.

**Sewage pipes with TYTON® push-in joints (non positive locked) according to EN598 and DIN 28 603**  
DN 150 – 600 socket A  
DN 700 – 1000 socket B

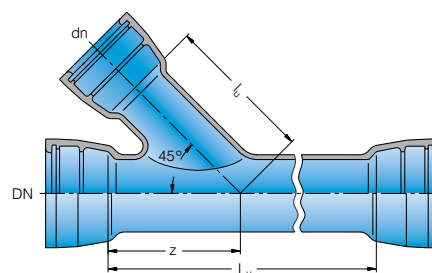


**Inside coating:** High alumina cement lining (ZMA)  
**Outside coating:** Zinc-coating with finishing layer (DN 80 – 500 PUR long-life polyurethane coating acc. to ÖNORM B 2560, DN 600 – 1000 Epoxy coating acc. to DIN 30 674-3).

Nominal diameter	Outside diameter	Dimensions [mm]		Weight [kg] ~		Laying length
DN	Ø d1	s1	Cement mortar lining s2	per m pipe <sup>1)</sup>	per pipe <sup>2)</sup>	[m]
150	170	6	4	27,4	137	5
200	222	6	4	36,5	182,5	5
250	274	6	4	43,6	218	5
300	326	6,4	4	55,3	276,5	5
400	429	7,2	5	75,7	378,5	5
500	532	8	5	118,9	594,5	5
600	635	7,7	5	153	917	6
700	738	9,6	6	198	1184	6
800	842	10,4	6	242	1453	6
900	945	11,2	6	291	1745	6
1000	1048	12	6	344	2063	6

<sup>1)</sup> Theoretical weight per m pipe incl. cement mortar lining, zinc coating and finishing layer.  
<sup>2)</sup> Theoretical weight of one pipe incl. cement mortar lining, zinc coating and finishing layer. All stated weights are theoretical and standardized values. Higher weights are possible. Other laying lengths and outside coatings upon request.

**MMC ALL SOCKET TEE WITH 45°**  
branch according to EN 598 and TYTON®-push-in joint



Nominal diameter		Dimensions [mm]		Weight [kg] ~
DN	dn	Lu	lu	ductile iron body
150	150	315	290	29,2
200	200	450	370	58,9

To connect other pipe materials please use junction couplings and gaskets.



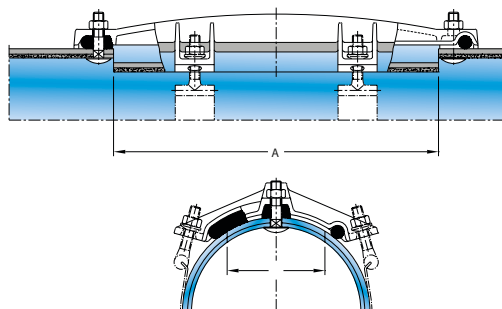
**KPS CLEANOUT COVERS**

in accordance with EN 598

PFA 6 bars

Epoxy coated internally and externally

Galvanized steel clamping clips



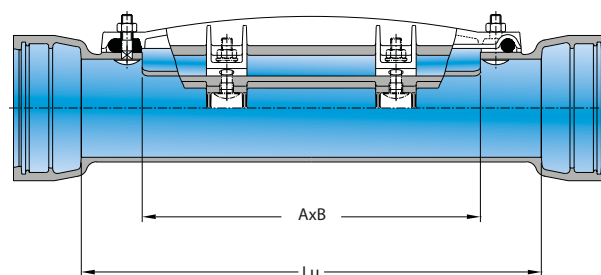
Nominal diameter	Dimensions [mm]		Weight [kg] -
DN	A	B	ductile iron body
200	500	145	11,0
250-300	500	150	10,9
400-500	500	155	10,8
600-1000	500	160	8,3

**KPS CLEANOUT FITTINGS**

in accordance with EN598

PFA 6 bars, TYTON® push-in joint

Epoxy coated internally and externally

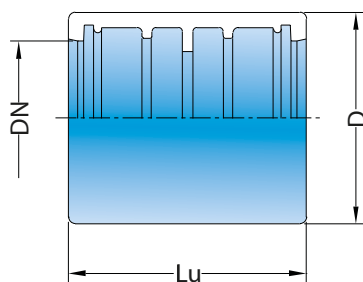


Nominal diameter	Dimensions [mm]			Weight [kg] -	
DN	Lu	A	B	ductile iron body	Cover
150	680	500	140	31,25	11,0

**KUP TYTON® COUPLINGS**

in accordance with EN 598

PFA 6 bars TYTON® push-in joint



Nominal diameter	Dimensions [mm]		Weight [kg] -
DN	D	Lu	ductile iron body
150	210	160	8,0
200	262	165	11,5
250	315	180	14,5
300	370	200	20
400	480	210	32
500	590	225	45
600*	695	250	56
700*	810	305	97
800*	920	325	128
900*	1025	350	169
1000*	1135	365	205

\* Upon request

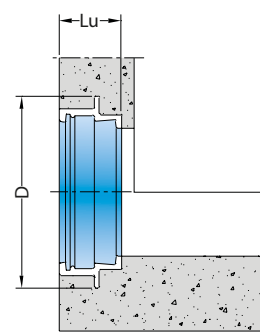
**SAS TYTON® MANHOLE CONNECTORS**

in accordance with EN 598

TYTON® push-in joint

Epoxy coated internally

Plain metal external surface



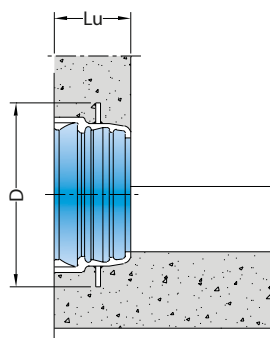
Nominal diameter	Dimensions [mm]		Weight [kg] -
DN	D	Lu	ductile iron body
150	280	110	6,5
200	310	110	8
250	360	110	10
300	415	110	12,5
400	520	110	16,5
500	635	110	22
600*	730	120	26,5
700*	845	160	43
800*	950	160	49
900*	1055	175	61
1000*	1160	185	71,5

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## SAS VRS®-T MANHOLE CONNECTORS

in accordance with EN 598  
VRS®-T positive locked joint  
Epoxy coated internally  
Plain metal external surface

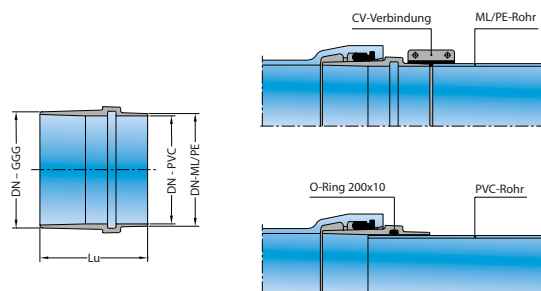


Nominal diameter	Dimensions [mm]		Weight [kg] ~
DN	D	Lu	Cover
80*	240	145	6,0
100*	260	150	7,5
125*	290	160	9,0
150	320	170	12,0
200	380	180	17,0
250	440	190	23,0
300	500	195	30,5
400*			
500*			

\* Upon request. Note: not held in stock. Please order in good time!

## UEB JUNCTION COUPLING ML/PVC/PE

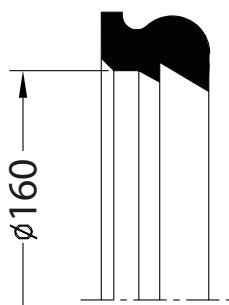
To connect other pipe materials with  
TYTON®-push-in joint DN 200



Material in DN 150	Dimensions [mm]			Weight [kg] ~ ductile iron body
	Nominal size	OD min.	OD max.	
Ductile iron pipe without socket	210	208	212	junction coupling ML-PVC-PE, CE-connection, TYTON®-gasket
Ductile iron pipe	222	219	223	TYTON®-gasket
PVC-pipe	200	200	200,6	junction coupling ML-PVC-PE, O-Ring, TYTON®-gasket
PE-HD pipe	200	200	201	junction coupling ML-PVC-PE, O-Ring, TYTON®-gasket
GRP-pipe	220,5	220,5	220,5	TYTON®-gasket
Ceramic pipe				junction coupling ML-PVC-PE, CE-connection, TYTON®-gasket, ceramic pipes connector, Tecotect-se-gasket

## GKS JUNCTION GASKET

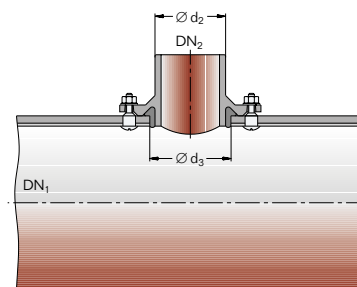
To connect other pipe materials with  
TYTON®-push-in joint DN 150



Material in DN 150	Dimensions [mm]			Weight [kg] ~ ductile iron body
	Nominal size	OD min.	OD max.	
Ductile iron pipe without socket	160	158	162	GKS-gasket
Ductile iron pipe	170	167,1	171	TYTON®-gasket
PVC-pipe	160	160	160,5	GKS-gasket
PE-HD pipe	160	160	161,5	GKS-gasket
GRP-pipe	168	168	168	TYTON®-gasket
Ceramic pipe	186	184	188	GKS-gasket ceramic pipes connector Tecotect-se-gasket

## SI 90

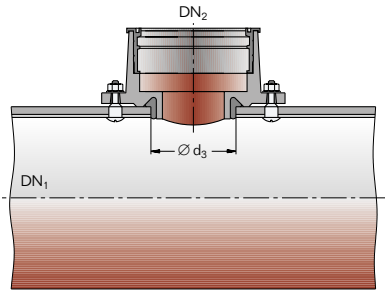
90° saddles



DN <sub>1</sub>	DN <sub>2</sub>	Dimensions [mm]			Weight [kg] ~	
		Ø d <sub>2</sub>		Ø d <sub>3</sub> of bore in pipe	cast	Vitrified clay
		cast	Vitrified clay			
250-300	150	170	186	172	9,1	10,0
300	200	222	242	232	15,3	16,4
350	200	-	242	232	-	15,8
400	200	222	242	232	14,1	15,3
400-600	150	170	186	172	7,2	8,4
500-600	200	222	242	232	13,2	14,4
700-800	200	222	242	232	12,6	13,8
700-1200	150	170	186	172	6,6	7,5
900-1200	200	222	242	232	13,0	15,0

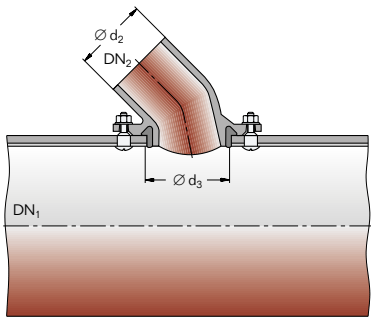


SM 90  
90° saddles



DN <sub>1</sub>	DN <sub>2</sub>	Dimensions [mm]		Weight [kg] ~
		To fit spigot end of vitrified clay pipes	Ø d <sub>3</sub> of bore in pipe	
250-300	150	186	172	10,3
350				9,8
400-600				9,3
700-1200				8,5

SI 45  
45° saddles



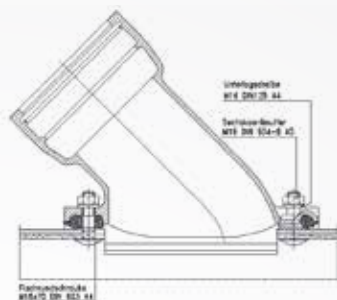
DN <sub>1</sub>	DN <sub>2</sub>	Dimensions [mm]		Weight [kg]
		Ø d <sub>2</sub> cast	Ø d <sub>3</sub> of bore in pipe	
250-300	150	170	172	14



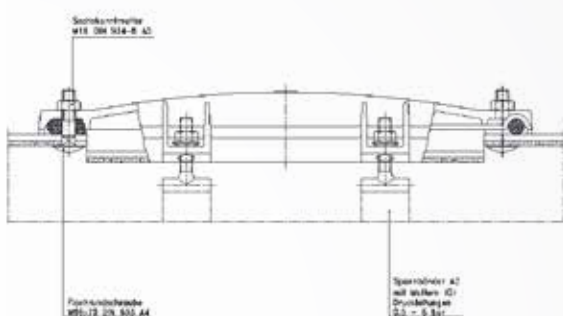
## 9.3 Installation instructions

### 1. Installation instructions for cleanout fitting and cleanout cover

#### a) Cleanout fitting

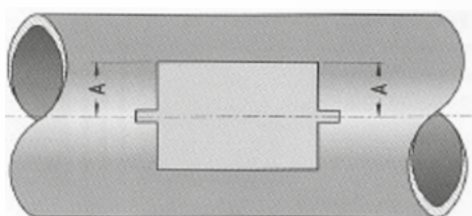


#### b) Cleanout cover



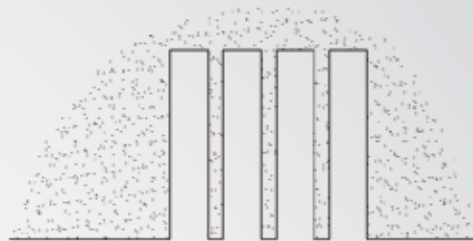
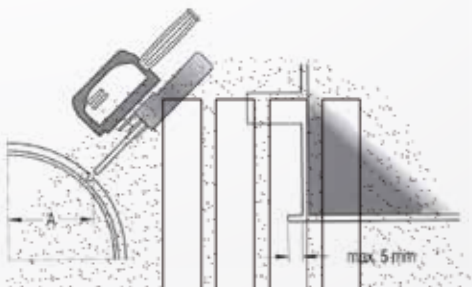
#### Step 1

Stick on the template. Please ensure that the template and pipe axis are parallel.



#### Step 2

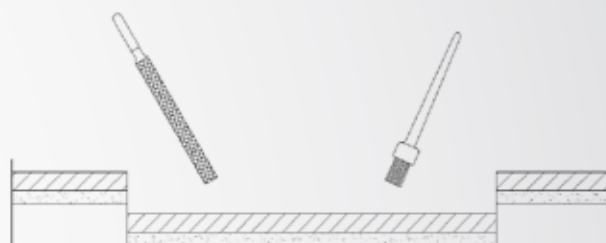
Use a disc grinder with a stone or diamond disc to cut along the white mark on the template. The cutting should be done vertically to the pipe surface. The white markings are the external edges. A cut can be made 5 mm over the marking in the longitudinal direction to remove the cover easily.



Simply make the notches by grooving with the disc several times. Be careful not to make the notches too big (the square box screws may spin).

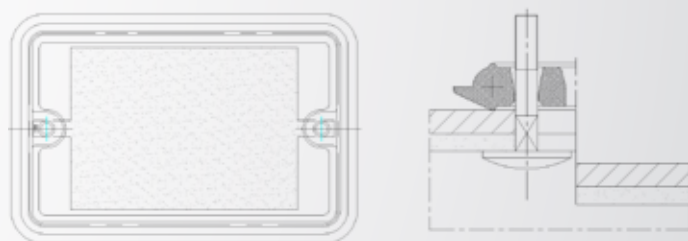
#### Step 3

After removing the cover and waste inside the pipe, please remove the remaining template on the pipe. The cut area should be deburred (with the disc grinder or a coarse file) and sealed with a repair kit. Please see chapter 8 (page 70) for more details.



#### Step 4

Put lubricant on the gasket and place it on the pipe. Plug the square box screws completely from the inside and ensure that the screws are prevented from spinning.



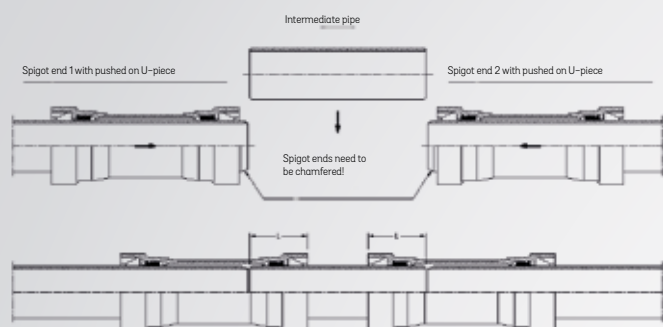
#### Sealing of cut areas of sewage pipes, KAS, KPS, SI and SM fittings

All cut areas have to be sealed immediately to guarantee perfect corrosion protection. Therefore, we provide a repair kit (zinc-spray and painting) approved for sewage systems. Before processing, please ensure that the surface is free of oils, fat, dust and oxides. The pipe/fitting can be used once the sealed area is dry.



## 2. Connecting sewage pipes with 2 U-pieces

### TYTON® or VRS®-T joint DN 80 – DN 500



DN	L min
80	127
100	135
125	143
150	150
200	160
250	165
300	170
400	190
500	200

Incline tolerances in mm (in accordance with ÖNORM B 2503):

DN/ID	Horizontal divergence $a_{\text{real}}$ pipeline axis to designed axis	Vertical divergence $a_{\text{real}}$ incline (level) to designed incline $l_{\text{soil}}$ ; $a_{\text{real}}^{\text{cumax}}$			Tolerated height divergence of the level at the splice	Tolerated horizontal height divergence at the sides
		< 5 ‰	5 ‰ – 20 ‰	> 20 ‰		
< 200	40	10	15	20	10	10
200 – 400		10	15	20	10	10
400 – 900		12	17	25	15	15
> 900		15	20	30	20	20

Increase and decrease  $\pm 1l$  in regard to the designed incline  $l_{\text{soil}}$  should not be bigger than  $l_{\text{soil}} \pm 20 \text{ ‰ } 5 \text{ mm/m}$ , and  $l_{\text{soil}} > 20 \text{ ‰ } 10 \text{ mm/m}$ .

For all level planks the maximum tolerated height divergence of the level at the splice (in the flow direction) is +2mm and -5mm. Counter splices should be avoided.

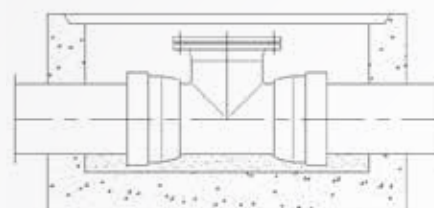
### Manhole connector with positive locked VRS®-T-joint:



Manhole connectors with VRS®-T positive locked joint are used mainly on steep slopes to connect the manhole to the pipeline in a positively locked manner.

### b) Manholes with closed wash

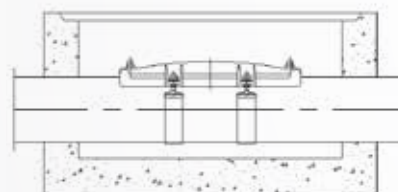
#### TRM cleanout fitting for wash-out manhole



Starting with DN400/500 MMA can be used as gate for camera testing also.

MMA fitting for use at washing manholes (with a positive locked joint or non positive locked joint). Changes in direction can be made outside of the manhole.

#### TRM cleanout cover for wash-out manhole

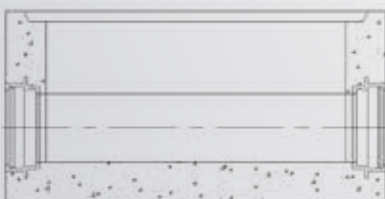


Cleanout covers for washing or service, also suitable for pressure pipelines. Changes in direction can be made outside of the manhole. Can be used as a gate for camera testing.

## 3. Manhole connections

### a) Manholes with open wash

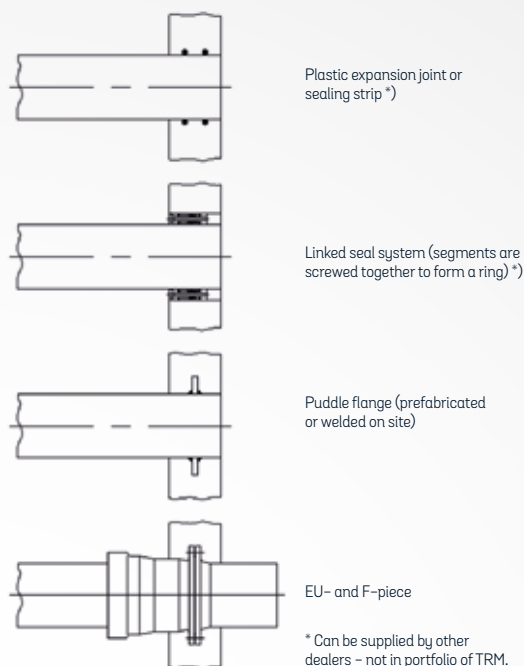
#### Manhole connector with Tyton® joint:



Manhole connectors from TRM with the TYTON® push-in joint can be used for all prefabricated and in-situ concrete manholes. The connectors can be installed at the concrete plant, directly on the construction site or in the in-situ concrete manhole.



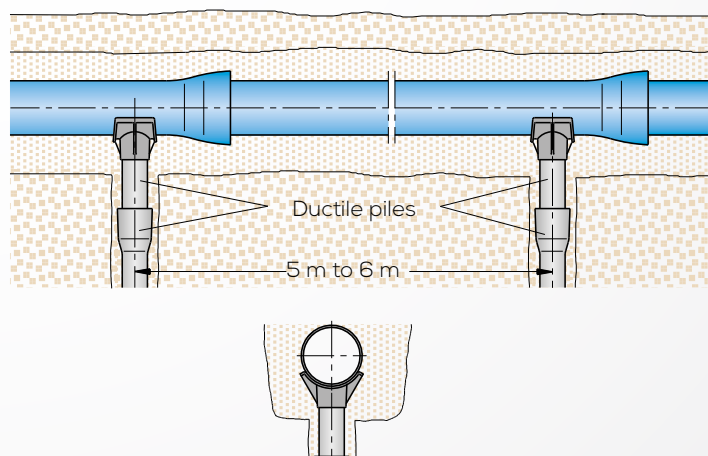
#### 4. Pipes through walls



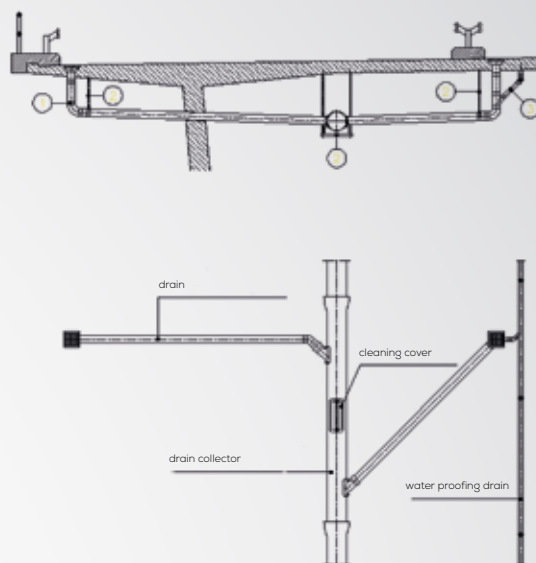
#### 5. Installation together with ductile piles

A constant incline is essential for every sewage pipeline. Less compact soils in particular can cause unexpected settlement that leads to high operation and maintenance costs. In this case, the one and only sustainable solution is installing TRM ductile iron pipes together with TRM ductile piles. Due to the unique strength characteristics of ductile iron pipes and ductile piles from TRM, only one pile per pipe is needed. Please contact our sales team for more information at [office@trm.at](mailto:office@trm.at)

Load-carrying system with TRM ductile piles in combination with TRM ductile iron pipes:



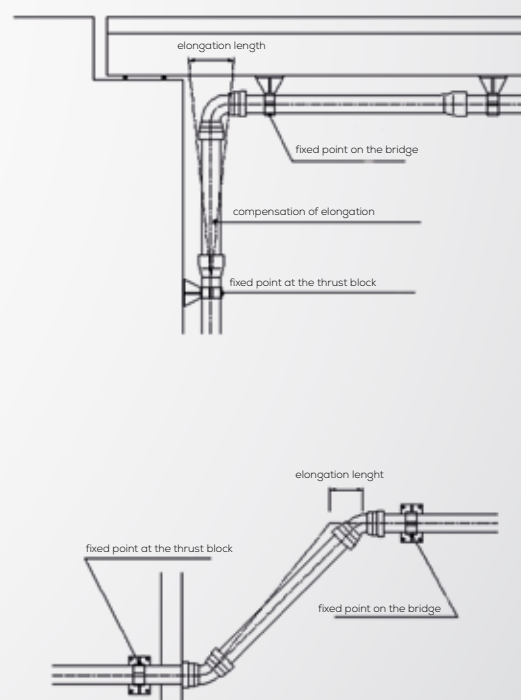
#### 6. Bridge lines



1. Discharge nozzles of ductile iron drains can be directly connected with ML-connectors. We recommend using CE-connectors made of CR-NI-steel. CV-connectors should not be used because of the aggressive environmental influences.
2. To install the pipeline on the bridge, different pipe clamps made of stainless or galvanized steel are available.
3. Dewatering pipelines should have DN 50 minimum.

#### 7. Compensation of elongation

Elongation caused by warping at the thrust blocks, pillars or installation on different floors can be compensated (arrangement can also be used for horizontal pipeline routes):





### 8. Pressure testing

Newly installed pipelines have to be pressure tested to verify the leak tightness of all pipes and fittings and to verify that the pipeline is safely positioned. Pressure testing for sewage systems should be performed in accordance with EN 805 and EN 1610.





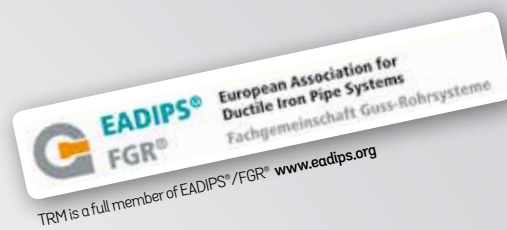


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