

# Ball screw drives KGT

## General technical data

### Manufacturing process

The thread profile is produced by cold rolling in the thread rolling method. Both screw and nut have a gothic thread profile. The lead angle is 45°.

### Linear speeds

At present, the permissible rotation limit is in the region of 3000 rpm. This limit defines the maximum rotation, which must be run only under ideal operating conditions.

### Installed position

The position in which the screw drive is installed can always be freely chosen. Please consider that all radial forces that occur need to be absorbed by external guides.

### Accuracy

The standard programme has a precision of 50 µm per 300 mm, screws from the **MICRON Line**® series, which are available on request, achieve an accuracy of 23 µm per 300 mm.

### Safety advice

Ball screw drives are generally not self-locking due to the low friction. It is therefore advisable to install suitable motors with holding brake, particularly when the ball screw drive is installed vertically.

### Duty cycle

The ball screw drive permits a duty cycle of up to 100%. Extremely high charges in combination with high duty cycles can reduce the life time.

### Temperatures

All screw drives are designed for continuous operation at ambient temperatures of -30° up to 80° C. Temperatures of up to 110° C are also permitted for brief periods. Ball screw drives are only in exceptional cases suitable for operation at subzero temperatures.

### Repeatability

The repeatability is defined as the capability of a screw drive to reach an actual position that has once been reached again under the same conditions. It refers to the average position variation according to VDI/DGQ 3441. The repeatability is influenced amongst others by:

- Load
- Speed
- Deceleration
- Direction of travel
- Temperature

### Aggressive ambient working conditions

In cases of heavy dirt and dust particles, an additional bellow or a spiral spring cover is recommended.

### Installation and maintenance

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### Technical Data

- Thread \_\_\_\_\_ Gothic profile (pointed profile)
- Diameter \_\_\_\_\_ Standard: 12 – 63 mm  
**MICRON Line**®: 12 – 40 mm
- Lead \_\_\_\_\_ Standard: 5 – 50 mm  
**MICRON Line**®: 5 – 40 mm
- Number of starts \_\_\_\_\_ 1 – 5
- Thread direction \_\_\_\_\_ Right hand thread, KGS 2005 also left hand thread
- Length \_\_\_\_\_ Standard: 5600 mm  
KGS 1205: 1300 mm
- Material \_\_\_\_\_ 1.1213 (Cf 53)  
Ball track inductively hardened and polished, soft-annealed screw end and core
- Lead accuracy \_\_\_\_\_ Standard: 50 µm/300 mm  
**MICRON Line**®: 23 µm/300 mm
- Straightness \_\_\_\_\_ L < 500 mm: 0.05 mm/m  
L = 500 – 1000 mm: 0.08 mm/m  
L > 1000 mm: 0.1 mm/m
- Left and right hand screw \_\_\_\_\_ KGS 2005 only
- End machining \_\_\_\_\_ To customer specs

### Ball screw drive KGS

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## Ball nuts

NEFF ball screw nuts are made as flanged nuts (KGF) and cylindrical nuts (KGM). They can be combined with all screws with any kind of end machining. Single nuts are also available on assembly sleeves.

Flanged ball screw nuts are made with attachment holes; cylindrical ball screw nuts have a spline.

NEFF manufactures ball screw nuts with three different ball return systems, depending on the diameter and the lead of the screw used. Profiled wipers reduce the seepage of lubricant, and help to repel dirt.

**Material:**

Steel 1.7131 (ESP65) / 1.3505 (100 Cr 6)

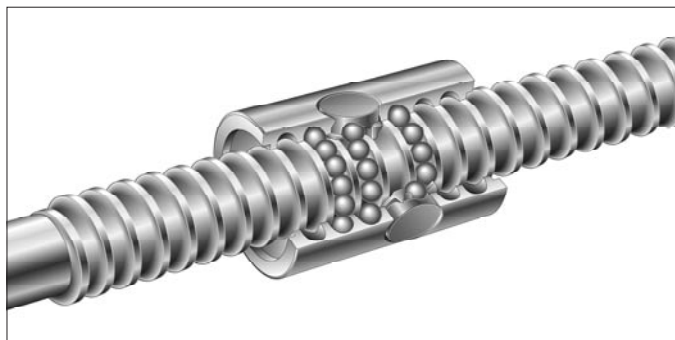
### NEFF ball return systems

#### Single return duct

For single-start screw drives.

The balls are lifted out of the track after every turn of the screw and are moved back one thread lead. The NEFF guide piece, made of fibre glass reinforced plastic, ensures perfect guidance and low ball wear.

Available for our thread leads 5 and 10 mm.

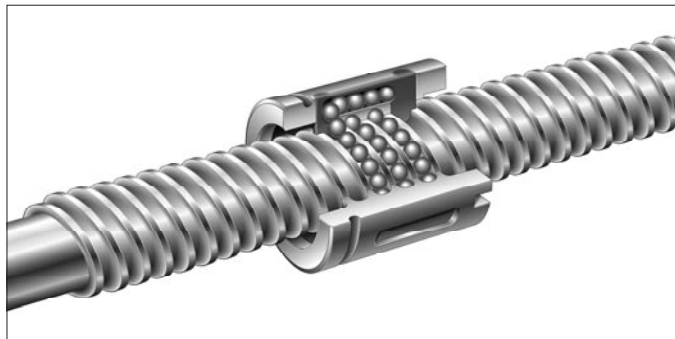


#### Return duct

For single- and multi-start screw drives.

After several revolutions, the balls are returned through a patented reverse and return system that is integrated in the nut.

Available for our thread leads 5, 10 and 20 mm.

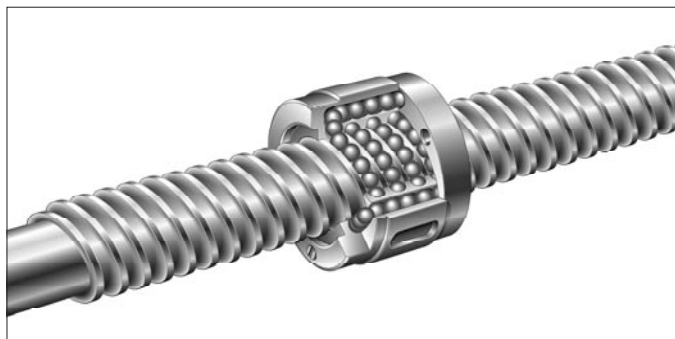


#### Multi-turn return duct

For multi-start screw drives.

The balls are returned via two special recirculating lids and the return duct is integrated in the nut.

Available for our thread leads 20, 25, 40 and 50 mm.



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### Ball nut units – pre-loaded

As a rule all nuts can be combined to form backlash-free, pre-loaded nut units except when the lead is equal to or greater than the diameter of the screw. NEFF supplies ready-to-install units with "O" pre-loading.

#### O pre-loading:

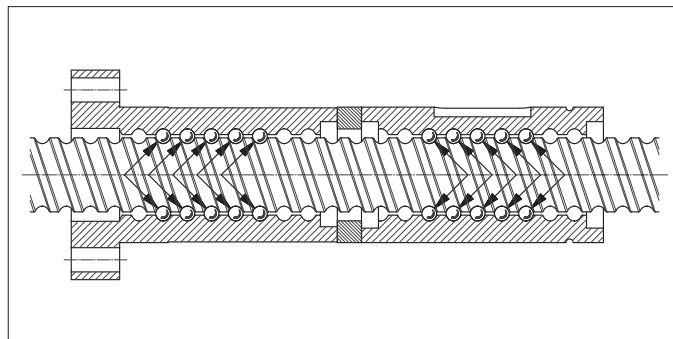
With this type of pre-loading the lines of forces run in a rhomboidal pattern (O-shaped), i.e. the nuts are pressed apart by the pre-loading force. This configuration offers particularly high

rigidity against tilting. The standard pre-loading is equal to 10% of the dynamic load rating C.

### Pre-loading variants

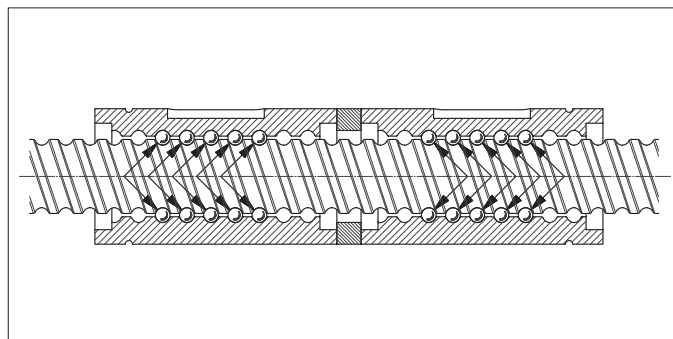
#### KGT-FM

Ball screw drive with one KGF flanged nut and one KGM cylindrical nut with O-pre-loading.



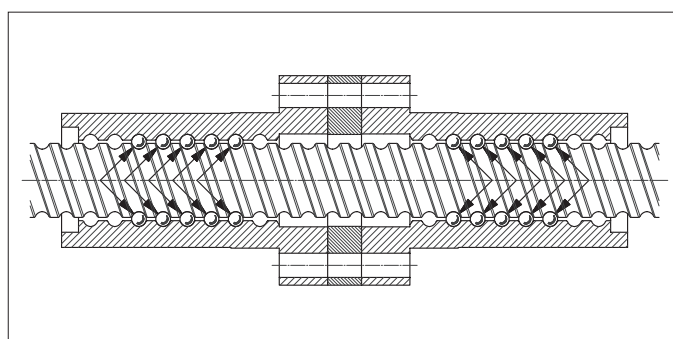
#### KGM-MM

Ball screw drive with two KGM cylindrical nuts and O-pre-loading. Only one of the two feather keys transmits the drive torque.



#### KGT-FF

Ball screw drive with two KGF flanged nuts with O-pre-loading.



# Accessories ball screw drives

## Spiral spring cover

### For KGT 4005 KGT 4040

D<sub>3</sub> = 48 mm  
D<sub>10</sub> = 42 mm  
L<sub>6</sub> = 6 mm  
L<sub>9</sub> = 26 mm

| Type  | L <sub>7h</sub> <sup>2)</sup> | D <sub>9</sub> |
|---|-------------------------------|----------------|
| D <sub>8</sub> /L <sub>7v</sub> <sup>1)</sup> /L <sub>8</sub> |                               |                |
| SF 50/150/30  | 90                            | 63             |
| SF 50/250/30  | 190                           | 68             |
| SF 50/250/50  | 150                           | 62             |
| SF 50/350/50  | 250                           | 66             |
| SF 50/450/50  | 350                           | 70             |
| SF 50/550/50  | 450                           | 73             |
| SF 50/550/60  | 430                           | 68             |
| SF 50/650/60  | 530                           | 73             |
| SF 50/750/60  | 630                           | 76             |
| SF 50/750/75  | 600                           | 78             |
| SF 50/900/75  | 750                           | 84             |
| SF 50/1100/75   | 950                           | 90             |
| SF 50/1100/100  | 900                           | 77             |
| SF 50/1300/100  | 1100                          | 80             |
| SF 50/1500/100  | 1300                          | 87             |
| SF 50/1800/100  | –                             | 94             |
| SF 50/1700/120  | 1460                          | 91             |
| SF 50/1900/120  | 1660                          | 97             |
| SF 50/2100/120  | 1860                          | 102            |
| SF 50/2300/120  | –                             | 105            |
| SF 50/2500/120  | –                             | 111            |
| SF 50/2800/120  | –                             | 118            |
| SF 50/2800/150  | 2500                          | 119            |
| SF 50/3000/150  | –                             | 124            |
| SF 50/3000/180  | 2640                          | 123            |
| SF 50/3250/180  | –                             | 130            |
| SF 50/3250/200  | 2850                          | 128            |
| SF 50/3500/200  | –                             | 134            |

### For KGT 4010 KGT 4020

D<sub>3</sub> = 53 mm  
D<sub>10</sub> = 46 mm  
L<sub>6</sub> = 10 mm  
L<sub>9</sub> = 35 mm

| Type  | L <sub>7h</sub> <sup>2)</sup> | D <sub>9</sub> |
|---|-------------------------------|----------------|
| D <sub>8</sub> /L <sub>7v</sub> <sup>1)</sup> /L <sub>8</sub> |                               |                |
| SF 55/150/30  | 90                            | 68             |
| SF 55/250/30  | 190                           | 73             |
| SF 55/250/50  | 150                           | 66             |
| SF 55/350/50  | 250                           | 71             |
| SF 55/450/50  | 350                           | 74             |
| SF 55/550/50  | 450                           | 77             |
| SF 55/550/60  | 430                           | 75             |
| SF 55/650/60  | 530                           | 79             |
| SF 55/750/60  | 630                           | 83             |
| SF 55/750/75  | 600                           | 83             |
| SF 55/900/75  | 750                           | 89             |
| SF 55/1100/75   | 950                           | 94             |
| SF 55/1100/100  | 900                           | 88             |
| SF 55/1300/100  | 1100                          | 89             |
| SF 55/1500/100  | 1300                          | 94             |
| SF 55/1800/100  | –                             | 102            |
| SF 55/1700/120  | 1460                          | 96             |
| SF 55/1900/120  | 1660                          | 103            |
| SF 55/2100/120  | 1860                          | 106            |
| SF 55/2300/120  | 2060                          | 110            |
| SF 55/2500/120  | –                             | 117            |
| SF 55/2800/120  | –                             | 119            |
| SF 55/2800/150  | 2500                          | 122            |
| SF 55/3000/150  | –                             | 126            |
| SF 55/3000/180  | 2640                          | 127            |
| SF 55/3250/180  | –                             | 130            |

### For KGT 5010 KGT 5020

D<sub>3</sub> = 62 mm  
D<sub>10</sub> = 56 mm  
L<sub>6</sub> = 11 mm  
L<sub>9</sub> = 39 mm

| Type  | L <sub>7h</sub> <sup>2)</sup> | D <sub>9</sub> |
|---|-------------------------------|----------------|
| D <sub>8</sub> /L <sub>7v</sub> <sup>1)</sup> /L <sub>8</sub> |                               |                |
| SF 65/250/30  | 190                           | 85             |
| SF 65/250/50  | 150                           | 76             |
| SF 65/350/50  | 250                           | 83             |
| SF 65/450/50  | 350                           | 88             |
| SF 65/550/60  | 430                           | 88             |
| SF 65/650/60  | 530                           | 92             |
| SF 65/750/60  | 630                           | 96             |
| SF 65/750/75  | 600                           | 93             |
| SF 65/900/75  | 750                           | 99             |
| SF 65/1100/75   | 950                           | 107            |
| SF 65/1100/100  | 900                           | 95             |
| SF 65/1300/100  | 1100                          | 100            |
| SF 65/1500/100  | 1300                          | 109            |
| SF 65/1800/100  | –                             | 120            |
| SF 65/1700/120  | 1460                          | 106            |
| SF 65/1900/120  | 1660                          | 109            |
| SF 65/2100/120  | 1860                          | 113            |
| SF 65/2300/120  | 2060                          | 118            |
| SF 65/2500/120  | –                             | 128            |
| SF 65/2800/120  | –                             | 132            |
| SF 65/2800/150  | 2500                          | 133            |
| SF 65/3000/150  | –                             | 139            |
| SF 65/3000/180  | 2640                          | 136            |
| SF 65/3250/180  | –                             | 146            |
| SF 65/3250/200  | 2850                          | 140            |

### For KGT 6310

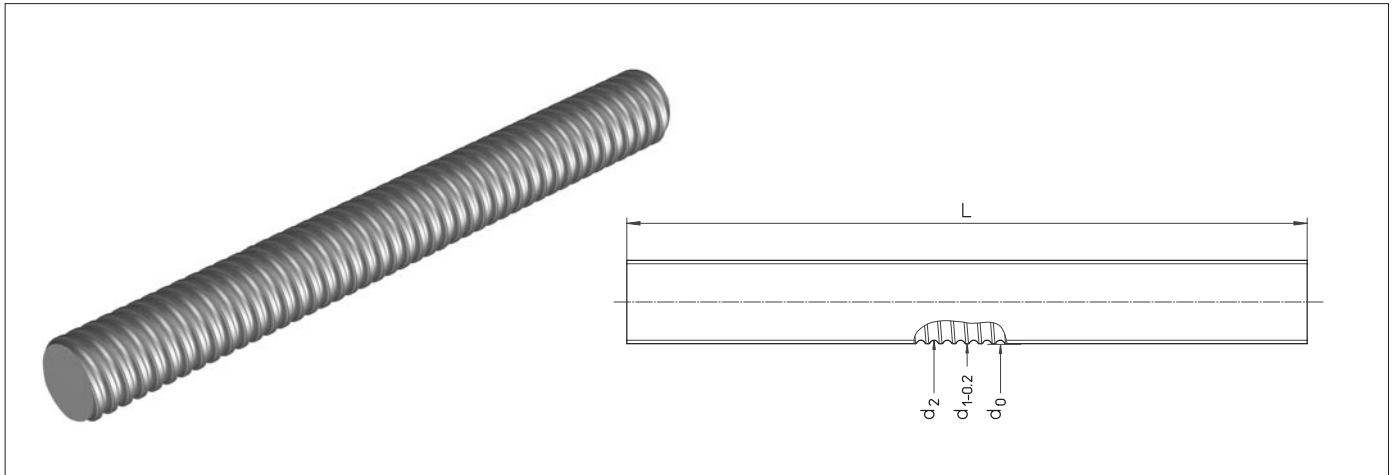
D<sub>3</sub> = 74 mm  
D<sub>10</sub> = 68 mm  
L<sub>6</sub> = 11 mm  
L<sub>9</sub> = 49 mm

| Type  | L <sub>7h</sub> <sup>2)</sup> | D <sub>9</sub> |
|---|-------------------------------|----------------|
| D <sub>8</sub> /L <sub>7v</sub> <sup>1)</sup> /L <sub>8</sub> |                               |                |
| SF 75/250/50  | 150                           | 89             |
| SF 75/350/50  | 250                           | 94             |
| SF 75/450/50  | 350                           | 101            |
| SF 75/550/60  | 430                           | 100            |
| SF 75/650/60  | 530                           | 103            |
| SF 75/750/60  | 630                           | 109            |
| SF 75/650/75  | 500                           | 99             |
| SF 75/750/75  | 600                           | 104            |
| SF 75/900/75  | 750                           | 111            |
| SF 75/1100/100  | 900                           | 108            |
| SF 75/1300/100  | 1100                          | 114            |
| SF 75/1500/100  | 1300                          | 120            |
| SF 75/1700/100  | 1500                          | 126            |
| SF 75/1500/120  | 1260                          | 115            |
| SF 75/1800/120  | 1560                          | 125            |
| SF 75/2000/120  | 1760                          | 128            |
| SF 75/2200/120  | –                             | 132            |
| SF 75/2000/150  | 1700                          | 135            |
| SF 75/2400/150  | 2100                          | 141            |
| SF 75/2800/150  | –                             | 145            |
| SF 75/2800/180  | 2440                          | 142            |
| SF 75/3000/180  | –                             | 148            |
| SF 75/3250/180  | –                             | 156            |
| SF 75/3250/200  | 2850                          | 148            |
| SF 75/3500/200  | –                             | 158            |

<sup>1)</sup> L<sub>7v</sub> = L<sub>7</sub> vertical installation  
<sup>2)</sup> L<sub>7h</sub> = L<sub>7</sub> horizontal installation

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## Summary of ball screws KGS



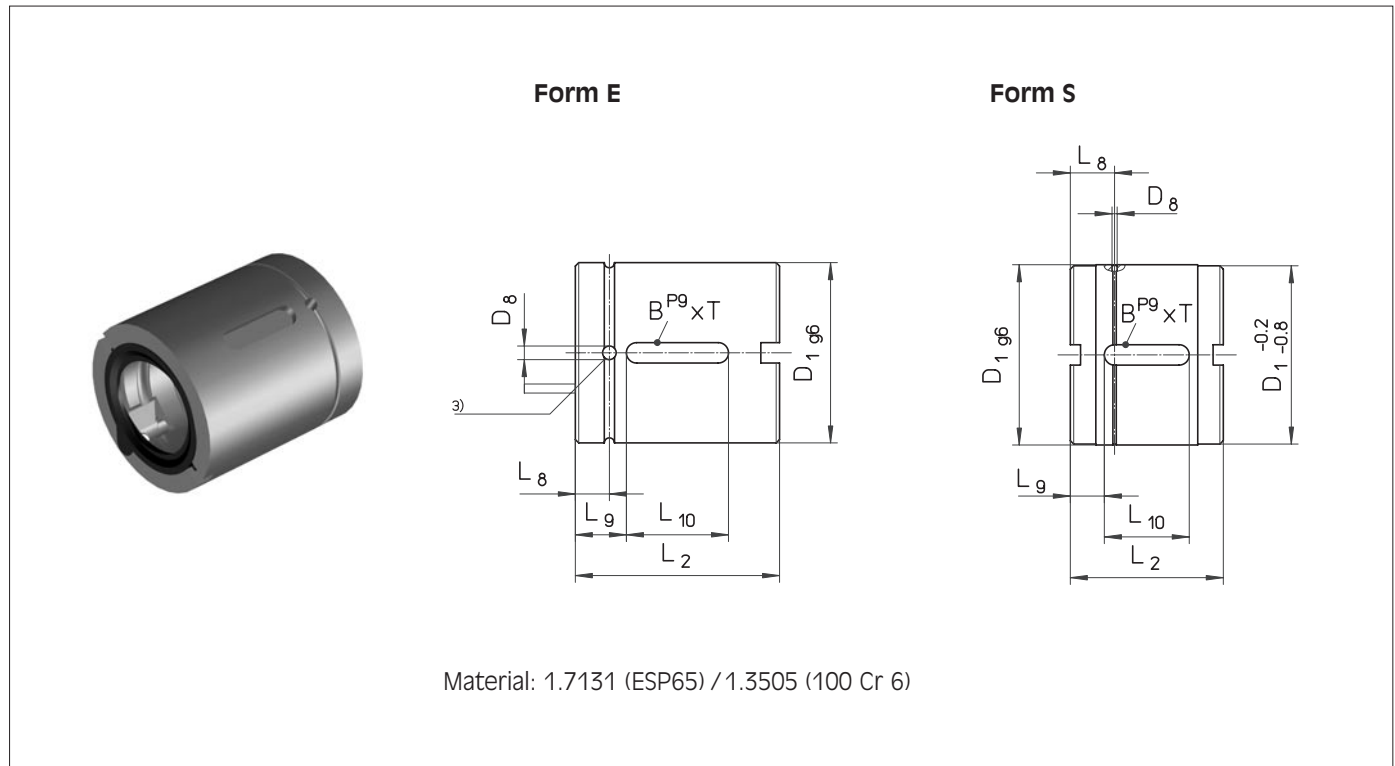
| Type<br>Diameter [mm]<br>Lead [mm]<br>Right hand thread | Accuracy class<br>[ $\mu\text{m}/300\text{mm}$ ] | Dimensions [mm] |       |       |                        | Weight<br>$m'_{\text{KGS}}$<br>[kg/m] | Planar moment<br>of inertia $I_y$<br>[ $10^4 \text{ mm}^4$ ] | Moment of<br>resistance <sup>2)</sup><br>[ $10^3 \text{ mm}^3$ ] | Mass moment<br>of inertia<br>[ $\text{kg m}^2/\text{m}$ ] |
|---|--|-----------------|-------|-------|------------------------|---------------------------------------|--|--|---|
|   |  | $d_0$           | $d_1$ | $d_2$ | $L_{\text{max.}}^{1)}$ |                                       |  |  |   |
| KGS-1205  | 50   | 12              | 11.5  | 10.1  | 1300                   | 0.75                                  | 0.051  | 0.101  | $1.13 \cdot 10^{-5}$                                      |
| KGS-1605  | 50   | 16              | 15.5  | 12.9  | 5600                   | 1.26                                  | 0.136  | 0.211  | $3.21 \cdot 10^{-5}$                                      |
| KGS-1610  | 50   | 16              | 15.4  | 13.0  | 5600                   | 1.26                                  | 0.140  | 0.216  | $3.21 \cdot 10^{-5}$                                      |
| KGS-2005  | 50   | 20              | 19.5  | 16.9  | 5600                   | 2.04                                  | 0.400  | 0.474  | $8.46 \cdot 10^{-5}$                                      |
| KGS-2020  | 50   | 20              | 19.5  | 16.9  | 5600                   | 2.04                                  | 0.400  | 0.474  | $8.46 \cdot 10^{-5}$                                      |
| KGS-2050  | 50   | 20              | 19.1  | 16.5  | 5600                   | 2.04                                  | 0.364  | 0.441  | $8.46 \cdot 10^{-5}$                                      |
| KGS-2505  | 50   | 25              | 24.5  | 21.9  | 5600                   | 3.33                                  | 1.129  | 1.031  | $2.25 \cdot 10^{-4}$                                      |
| KGS-2510  | 50   | 25              | 24.5  | 21.9  | 5600                   | 3.33                                  | 1.129  | 1.031  | $2.25 \cdot 10^{-4}$                                      |
| KGS-2520  | 50   | 25              | 24.6  | 22.0  | 5600                   | 3.33                                  | 1.150  | 1.045  | $2.25 \cdot 10^{-4}$                                      |
| KGS-2525  | 50   | 25              | 24.5  | 22.0  | 5600                   | 3.33                                  | 1.150  | 1.045  | $2.25 \cdot 10^{-4}$                                      |
| KGS-2550  | 50   | 25              | 24.1  | 21.5  | 5600                   | 3.33                                  | 1.049  | 0.976  | $2.25 \cdot 10^{-4}$                                      |
| KGS-3205  | 50   | 32              | 31.5  | 28.9  | 5600                   | 5.63                                  | 3.424  | 2.370  | $6.43 \cdot 10^{-4}$                                      |
| KGS-3210  | 50   | 32              | 32.7  | 27.3  | 5600                   | 5.63                                  | 2.727  | 1.998  | $6.43 \cdot 10^{-4}$                                      |
| KGS-3220  | 50   | 32              | 31.7  | 27.9  | 5600                   | 5.63                                  | 2.974  | 2.132  | $6.43 \cdot 10^{-4}$                                      |
| KGS-3240  | 50   | 32              | 30.9  | 28.3  | 5600                   | 5.63                                  | 3.149  | 2.225  | $6.43 \cdot 10^{-4}$                                      |
| KGS-4005  | 50   | 40              | 39.5  | 36.9  | 5600                   | 9.01                                  | 9.101  | 4.933  | $1.65 \cdot 10^{-3}$                                      |
| KGS-4010  | 50   | 40              | 39.5  | 34.1  | 5600                   | 8.35                                  | 6.737  | 3.893  | $1.41 \cdot 10^{-3}$                                      |
| KGS-4020  | 50   | 40              | 39.7  | 35.9  | 5600                   | 9.01                                  | 8.154  | 4.542  | $1.65 \cdot 10^{-3}$                                      |
| KGS-4040  | 50   | 40              | 38.9  | 36.3  | 5600                   | 9.01                                  | 8.523  | 4.696  | $1.65 \cdot 10^{-3}$                                      |
| KGS-5010  | 50   | 50              | 49.5  | 44.1  | 5600                   | 13.50                                 | 18.566   | 8.420  | $3.70 \cdot 10^{-3}$                                      |
| KGS-5020  | 50   | 50              | 49.5  | 44.1  | 5600                   | 13.50                                 | 18.566   | 8.420  | $3.70 \cdot 10^{-3}$                                      |
| KGS-6310  | 50   | 63              | 62.5  | 57.1  | 5600                   | 22.03                                 | 52.181   | 18.280   | $9.84 \cdot 10^{-3}$                                      |
| Left hand thread  |  |                 |       |       |                        |                                       |  |  |   |
| KGS-2005 LH   | 50   | 20              | 19.5  | 16.9  | 5600                   | 2.04                                  | 0.400  | 0.474  | $8.46 \cdot 10^{-5}$                                      |

<sup>1)</sup> Delivery length 6000 mm, hardened length at least 5600 mm, both ends soft annealed.

<sup>2)</sup> The polar moment of resistance is double the moment of resistance.

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## Cylindrical ball nuts KGM-D according to DIN 69051



| Type<br>Diameter [mm]<br>Lead [mm]<br>Right hand thread | Form | Dimensions [mm] |                |                |                |                |                 |       | Axial<br>backlash<br>max<br>[mm] | No.<br>of<br>circuits | Load rating [kN] |                 |                                 |
|---|------|-----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|-----------------|-------|----------------------------------|-----------------------|------------------|-----------------|---------------------------------|
|   |      | D <sub>1</sub>  | D <sub>8</sub> | L <sub>2</sub> | L <sub>8</sub> | L <sub>9</sub> | L <sub>10</sub> | BxT   |                                  |                       | C <sup>1)</sup>  | C <sup>2)</sup> | C <sub>0</sub> =C <sub>0a</sub> |
| KGM-D 1605 RH-EE  | E    | 28              | 3              | 34             | 7              | 7              | 20              | 5x2   | 0.08                             | 3                     | 12.5             | 9.3             | 13.1                            |
| KGM-D 1610 RH-EE  | E    | 28              | 3              | 50             | 7              | 15             | 20              | 5x2   | 0.08                             | 6                     | 23.0             | 15.4            | 26.5                            |
| KGM-D 2005 RH-EE  | E    | 36              | 3              | 34             | 7              | 7              | 20              | 5x2   | 0.08                             | 3                     | 14.0             | 10.5            | 16.6                            |
| KGM-D 2505 RH-EE  | E    | 40              | 3              | 34             | 7              | 7              | 20              | 5x2   | 0.08                             | 3                     | 15.0             | 12.3            | 22.5                            |
| KGM-D 2510 RH-EE  | E    | 40              | 3              | 45             | 7.5            | 12.5           | 20              | 5x2   | 0.08                             | 3                     | 17.5             | 13.2            | 25.3                            |
| KGM-D 2520 RH-EE  | S    | 40              | 1.5            | 35             | 14             | 11.5           | 12              | 5x3   | 0.15                             | 4                     | 19.0             | 13.0            | 23.3                            |
| KGM-D 2525 RH-EE  | S    | 40              | 1.5            | 35             | 11.5           | 11             | 13              | 5x3   | 0.08                             | 5                     | 21.0             | 16.7            | 32.2                            |
| KGM-D 2550 RH-EE  | S    | 40              | 1.5            | 58             | 17             | 19             | 20              | 5x3   | 0.15                             | 5                     | 22.5             | 15.4            | 31.7                            |
| KGM-D 3205 RH-EE  | E    | 50              | 3              | 45             | 7.5            | 8              | 30              | 6x2.5 | 0.08                             | 5                     | 24.0             | 21.5            | 49.3                            |
| KGM-D 4005 RH-EE  | E    | 63              | 3              | 45             | 7.5            | 8              | 30              | 6x2.5 | 0.08                             | 5                     | 26.0             | 23.8            | 63.1                            |
| KGM-D 4010 RH-EE  | E    | 63              | 4              | 60             | 10             | 15             | 30              | 6x2.5 | 0.08                             | 3                     | 50.0             | 38.0            | 69.1                            |
| KGM-D 4020 RH-EE  | E    | 63              | 3              | 70             | 7.5            | 20             | 30              | 6x2.5 | 0.08                             | 4                     | 44.5             | 33.3            | 76.1                            |
| KGM-D 4040 RH-EE  | S    | 63              | 1.5            | 85             | 15             | 27.5           | 30              | 6x3.5 | 0.08                             | 8                     | 42.0             | 35.0            | 101.9                           |
| Left hand thread  |      |                 |                |                |                |                |                 |       |                                  |                       |                  |                 |                                 |
| KGM-D 2005 LH-EE  | E    | 36              | 3              | 34             | 7              | 7              | 20              | 5x2   | 0.08                             | 3                     | 16.5             | 10.5            | 16.6                            |

<sup>1)</sup> Dynamic load rating according to DIN 69051, part 4, draft 1978.

<sup>2)</sup> Dynamic load rating according to DIN 69051, part 4, draft 1989.

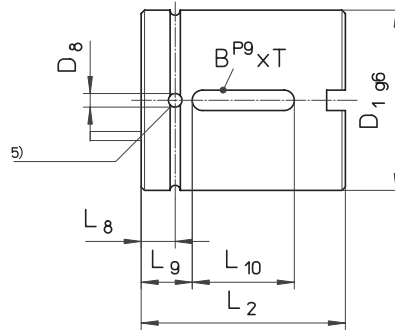
<sup>3)</sup> Position of grease holes not defined on circumference.

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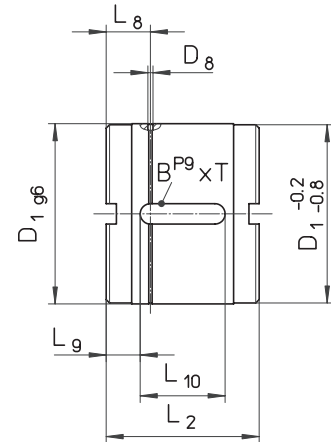
## Cylindrical ball nuts KGM-N according to NEFF standard



Form E



Form S



Material: 1.7131 (ESP65) / 1.3505 (100 Cr 6)

| Type<br>Diameter [mm]<br>Lead [mm]<br>Right hand thread | Form | Dimensions [mm]  |                |                |                |                |                 |       | Axial<br>backlash<br>max<br>[mm] | No.<br>of<br>circuits | Load rating [kN] |                 |                                 |
|---|------|------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|-----------------|-------|----------------------------------|-----------------------|------------------|-----------------|---------------------------------|
|   |      | D <sub>1</sub>   | D <sub>8</sub> | L <sub>2</sub> | L <sub>8</sub> | L <sub>9</sub> | L <sub>10</sub> | BxT   |                                  |                       | C <sup>2)</sup>  | C <sup>3)</sup> | C <sub>0</sub> =C <sub>0a</sub> |
| KGM-N 1205 RH-00  | E    | 20 <sup>4)</sup> | -              | 24             | -              | 5              | 14              | 3x1.8 | 0.08                             | 3                     | 6.0              | 4.4             | 6.8                             |
| KGM-N 2005 RH-EE  | E    | 32               | 3              | 34             | 7              | 7              | 20              | 5x2   | 0.08                             | 3                     | 14.0             | 10.5            | 16.6                            |
| KGM-N 2020 RH-EE  | S    | 35               | 1.5            | 30             | 11.5           | 9              | 12              | 5x3   | 0.08                             | 4                     | 12.0             | 11.6            | 18.4                            |
| KGM-N 2050 RH-EE  | S    | 35               | 1.5            | 56             | 16             | 18             | 20              | 5x3   | 0.15                             | 5                     | 18.0             | 13.0            | 24.6                            |
| KGM-N 2505 RH-EE  | E    | 38               | 3              | 34             | 7              | 7              | 20              | 5x2   | 0.08                             | 3                     | 15.0             | 12.3            | 22.5                            |
| KGM-N 3205 RH-EE  | E    | 45               | 3              | 45             | 7.5            | 8              | 30              | 6x2.5 | 0.08                             | 5                     | 24.0             | 21.5            | 49.3                            |
| KGM-N 3210 RH-EE  | E    | 53               | 4              | 60             | 10             | 15             | 30              | 6x2.5 | 0.08                             | 3                     | 44.0             | 33.4            | 54.5                            |
| KGM-N 3220 RH-EE  | E    | 53               | 3              | 70             | 7.5            | 20             | 30              | 6x2.5 | 0.08                             | 4                     | 42.5             | 29.7            | 59.8                            |
| KGM-N 3240 RH-EE  | S    | 53 <sup>1)</sup> | 1.5            | 45             | 13             | 10             | 25              | 6x4   | 0.08                             | 4                     | 17.0             | 14.9            | 32.4                            |
| KGM-N 4005 RH-EE  | E    | 53               | 3              | 45             | 7.5            | 8              | 30              | 6x2.5 | 0.08                             | 5                     | 26.0             | 23.8            | 63.1                            |
| KGM-N 5010 RH-EE  | E    | 72               | 4              | 82             | 11             | 23             | 36              | 6x2.5 | 0.08                             | 5                     | 78.0             | 68.7            | 155.8                           |
| KGM-N 5020 RH-EE  | E    | 85               | 4              | 82             | 10             | 23             | 36              | 6x2.5 | 0.08                             | 4                     | 82.0             | 60.0            | 136.3                           |
| KGM-N 6310 RH-EE  | E    | 85               | 4              | 82             | 11             | 23             | 36              | 6x2.5 | 0.08                             | 5                     | 86.0             | 76.0            | 197.0                           |

<sup>1)</sup> D<sub>1</sub> -0.2/-0.8 does not apply, therefore D<sub>1</sub> -1.0/-1.5

<sup>2)</sup> Dynamic load rating according to DIN 69051, part 4, draft 1978.

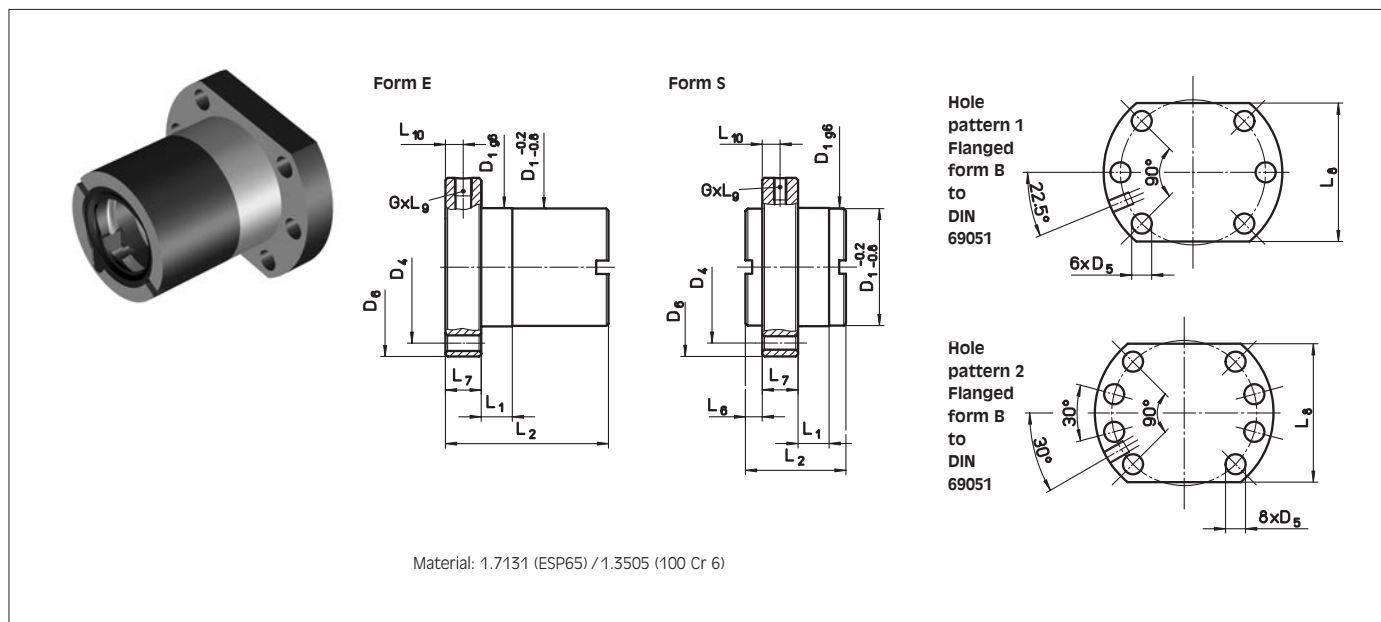
<sup>3)</sup> Dynamic load rating according to DIN 69051, part 4, draft 1989.

<sup>4)</sup> Nut without wiper

<sup>5)</sup> Position of grease holes not defined on circumference.

# Ball screw drives

## Flanged ball nuts KGF-D according to DIN 69051



| Type<br>Diameter (mm)<br>Lead (mm)<br>Right hand thread | Form | Hole pattern | Dimensions (mm)  |                   |                |                |                |                |                |                |                 |                |                 | Lubrication hole G | Axial backlash max (mm) | No. of circuits | Load rating (kN) |                 |                                 |
|---|------|--------------|------------------|-------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|-----------------|----------------|-----------------|--------------------|-------------------------|-----------------|------------------|-----------------|---------------------------------|
|   |      |              | D <sub>1</sub>   | D <sub>4</sub>    | D <sub>5</sub> | D <sub>6</sub> | L <sub>1</sub> | L <sub>2</sub> | L <sub>6</sub> | L <sub>7</sub> | L <sub>8</sub>  | L <sub>9</sub> | L <sub>10</sub> |                    |                         |                 | C <sup>2)</sup>  | C <sup>3)</sup> | C <sub>0</sub> =C <sub>0a</sub> |
| KGF-D 1605 RH-EE  | E    | 1            | 28               | 38                | 5.5            | 48             | 10             | 42             | -              | 10             | 40              | 10             | 5               | M 6                | 0.08                    | 3               | 12.0             | 9.3             | 13.1                            |
| KGF-D 1610 RH-EE  | E    | 1            | 28               | 38                | 5.5            | 48             | 10             | 55             | -              | 10             | 40              | 10             | 5               | M 6                | 0.08                    | 6               | 23.0             | 15.4            | 26.5                            |
| KGF-D 2005 RH-EE  | E    | 1            | 36               | 47                | 6.6            | 58             | 10             | 42             | -              | 10             | 44              | 10             | 5               | M 6                | 0.08                    | 3               | 14.0             | 10.5            | 16.6                            |
| KGF-D 2505 RH-EE  | E    | 1            | 40               | 51                | 6.6            | 62             | 10             | 42             | -              | 10             | 48              | 10             | 5               | M 6                | 0.08                    | 3               | 15.0             | 12.3            | 22.5                            |
| KGF-D 2510 RH-EE  | E    | 1            | 40               | 51                | 6.6            | 62             | 16             | 55             | -              | 10             | 48              | 10             | 5               | M 6                | 0.08                    | 3               | 17.5             | 13.2            | 25.3                            |
| KGF-D 2520 RH-EE  | S    | 1            | 40               | 51                | 6.6            | 62             | 4              | 35             | 10.5           | 10             | 48              | 8              | 5               | M 6                | 0.15                    | 4               | 19.0             | 13.0            | 23.3                            |
| KGF-D 2525 RH-EE  | S    | 1            | 40               | 51                | 6.6            | 62             | 9              | 35             | 8              | 10             | - <sup>4)</sup> | 8              | 5               | M 6                | 0.08                    | 5               | 21.0             | 16.7            | 32.2                            |
| KGF-D 2550 RH-EE  | S    | 1            | 40               | 51                | 6.6            | 62             | 10             | 58             | 10.0           | 10             | 48              | 8              | 5               | M 6                | 0.15                    | 5               | 22.5             | 15.4            | 31.7                            |
| KGF-D 3205 RH-EE  | E    | 1            | 50               | 65                | 9              | 80             | 10             | 55             | -              | 12             | 62              | 10             | 6               | M 6                | 0.08                    | 5               | 24.0             | 21.5            | 49.3                            |
| KGF-D 3210 RH-EE  | E    | 1            | 53 <sup>1)</sup> | 65                | 9              | 80             | 16             | 69             | -              | 12             | 62              | 10             | 6               | M 8x1              | 0.08                    | 3               | 44.0             | 33.4            | 54.5                            |
| KGF-D 3220 RH-EE  | E    | 1            | 53 <sup>1)</sup> | 65                | 9              | 80             | 16             | 80             | -              | 12             | 62              | 10             | 6               | M 6                | 0.08                    | 4               | 42.5             | 29.7            | 59.8                            |
| KGF-D 4005 RH-EE  | E    | 2            | 63               | 78                | 9              | 93             | 10             | 57             | -              | 14             | 70              | 10             | 7               | M 6                | 0.08                    | 5               | 26.0             | 23.8            | 63.1                            |
| KGF-D 4010 RH-EE  | E    | 2            | 63               | 78                | 9              | 93             | 16             | 71             | -              | 14             | 70              | 10             | 7               | M 8x1              | 0.08                    | 3               | 50.0             | 38.0            | 69.1                            |
| KGF-D 4020 RH-EE  | E    | 2            | 63               | 78                | 9              | 93             | 16             | 80             | -              | 14             | 70              | 10             | 7               | M 8x1              | 0.08                    | 4               | 44.5             | 33.3            | 76.1                            |
| KGF-D 4040 RH-EE  | S    | 2            | 63               | 78                | 9              | 93             | 16             | 85             | 7.5            | 14             | - <sup>4)</sup> | 10             | 7               | M 8x1              | 0.08                    | 8               | 42.0             | 35.0            | 101.9                           |
| KGF-D 5010 RH-EE  | E    | 2            | 75               | 93                | 11             | 110            | 16             | 95             | -              | 16             | 85              | 10             | 8               | M 8x1              | 0.08                    | 5               | 78.0             | 68.7            | 155.8                           |
| KGF-D 5020 RH-EE  | E    | 2            | 85 <sup>1)</sup> | 103 <sup>1)</sup> | 11             | 125            | 22             | 95             | -              | 18             | 95              | 10             | 9               | M 8x1              | 0.08                    | 4               | 82.0             | 60.0            | 136.3                           |
| Left hand thread  |      |              |                  |                   |                |                |                |                |                |                |                 |                |                 |                    |                         |                 |                  |                 |                                 |
| KGF-D 2005 LH-EE  | E    | 1            | 36               | 47                | 6.6            | 58             | 10             | 42             | -              | 10             | 44              | 10             | 5               | M 6                | 0.08                    | 3               | 16.5             | 10.5            | 16.6                            |

<sup>1)</sup> D<sub>1</sub> not conforming to DIN 69051.

<sup>2)</sup> Dynamic load rating according to DIN 69051 part 4, draft 1978.

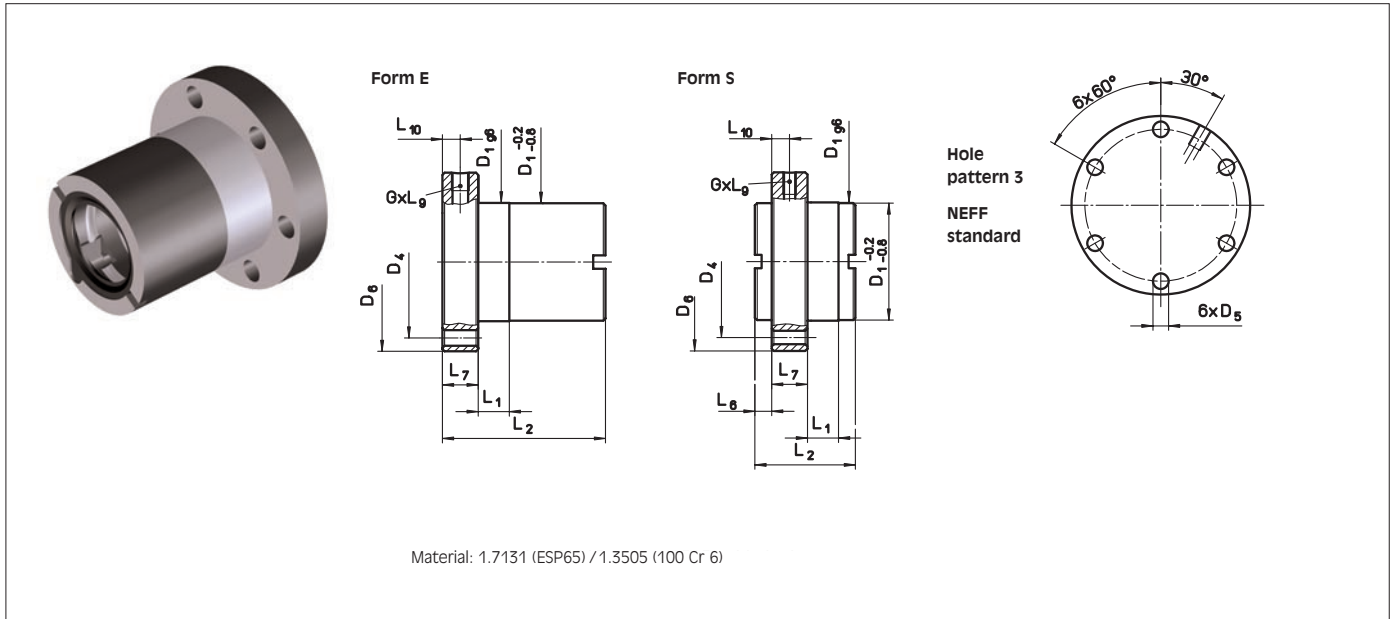
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<sup>4)</sup> Round flange



# Ball screw drives

## Flanged ball nuts KGF-N according to NEFF standard



| Type<br>Diameter [mm]<br>Lead [mm]<br>Right hand thread | Form | Dimensions [mm] |                |                |                |                |                |                |                |                |                 | Lubrication<br>hole<br>G | Axial<br>backlash<br>max<br>[mm] | No.<br>of<br>circuits | Load rating [kN] |                 |                                 |
|---|------|-----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|-----------------|--------------------------|----------------------------------|-----------------------|------------------|-----------------|---------------------------------|
|   |      | D <sub>1</sub>  | D <sub>4</sub> | D <sub>5</sub> | D <sub>6</sub> | L <sub>1</sub> | L <sub>2</sub> | L <sub>6</sub> | L <sub>7</sub> | L <sub>9</sub> | L <sub>10</sub> |                          |                                  |                       | C <sup>1)</sup>  | C <sup>2)</sup> | C <sub>0</sub> =C <sub>0a</sub> |
| KGF-N 1605 RH-EE  | E    | 28              | 38             | 5.5            | 48             | 8              | 44             | -              | 12             | 8              | 6               | M 6                      | 0.08                             | 3                     | 12.0             | 9.3             | 13.1                            |
| KGF-N 2005 RH-EE  | E    | 32              | 45             | 7              | 55             | 8              | 44             | -              | 12             | 8              | 6               | M 6                      | 0.08                             | 3                     | 14.0             | 10.5            | 16.6                            |
| KGF-N 2020 RH-EE  | S    | 35              | 50             | 7              | 62             | 4              | 30             | 8              | 10             | 8              | 5               | M 6                      | 0.08                             | 4                     | 12.0             | 11.6            | 18.4                            |
| KGF-N 2050 RH-EE  | S    | 35              | 50             | 7              | 62             | 10             | 56             | 9              | 10             | 8              | 5               | M 6                      | 0.15                             | 5                     | 18.0             | 13.0            | 24.6                            |
| KGF-N 2505 RH-EE  | E    | 38              | 50             | 7              | 62             | 8              | 46             | -              | 14             | 8              | 7               | M 6                      | 0.08                             | 3                     | 15.0             | 12.3            | 22.5                            |
| KGF-N 3205 RH-EE  | E    | 45              | 58             | 7              | 70             | 10             | 59             | -              | 16             | 8              | 8               | M 6                      | 0.08                             | 5                     | 24.0             | 21.5            | 49.3                            |
| KGF-N 3210 RH-EE  | E    | 53              | 68             | 7              | 80             | 10             | 73             | -              | 16             | 8              | 8               | M 8x1                    | 0.08                             | 3                     | 44.0             | 33.4            | 54.5                            |
| KGF-N 3240 RH-EE  | S    | 53              | 68             | 7              | 80             | 14             | 45             | 7.5            | 16             | 10             | 8               | M 6                      | 0.08                             | 4                     | 17.0             | 14.9            | 32.4                            |
| KGF-N 4005 RH-EE  | E    | 53              | 68             | 7              | 80             | 10             | 59             | -              | 16             | 8              | 8               | M 6                      | 0.08                             | 5                     | 26.0             | 23.8            | 63.1                            |
| KGF-N 4010 RH-EE  | E    | 63              | 78             | 9              | 95             | 10             | 73             | -              | 16             | 8              | 8               | M 8x1                    | 0.08                             | 3                     | 50.0             | 38.0            | 69.1                            |
| KGF-N 5010 RH-EE  | E    | 72              | 90             | 11             | 110            | 10             | 97             | -              | 18             | 8              | 9               | M 8x1                    | 0.08                             | 5                     | 78.0             | 68.7            | 155.8                           |
| KGF-N 6310 RH-EE  | E    | 85              | 105            | 11             | 125            | 10             | 99             | -              | 20             | 8              | 10              | M 8x1                    | 0.08                             | 4                     | 86.0             | 76.0            | 197.0                           |

<sup>1)</sup> Dynamic load rating according to DIN 69051, part 4, draft 1978.

<sup>2)</sup> Dynamic load rating according to DIN 69051, part 4, draft 1989.

# Installation and maintenance

## Installation and maintenance of ball screw drives

### Installation

Ball screw drives are precision machine components; their installation requires specialist knowledge and suitable measuring facilities. Alignment errors can generally not be felt when the screw drive is turned by hand, due to the low friction. Radial or eccentric forces must be taken up by external guides. Ball screw drives can absorb only axial forces. To avoid damage to the ball screw drive, limit switches and end stops must be installed in the machine.

### Cover

Dirt that occurs during installation should be removed with paraffin, oil or petrol. Cold cleaners and paint solvents are not permitted. Ball screw drives must be protected against dust, chips, etc. even if equipped with wipers. Possible protective measures include:

- Bellows (suitable only for vertical installation without additional guide).
- Spiral spring cover.
- Telescopic tubes or sleeves (these take up a lot of axial space).

We also offer fully-protected complete systems:

- NEFF KGT-KOKON ball screw drives with self-closing cover strips (see p. 55)
- NEFF WIESEL mechanical linear drive units with integrated guide systems in encapsulated aluminium profile. Please contact us for further information.

### Lubrication

Proper lubrication is important for the achievement of the calculated service lifetime of a ball screw drive, to prevent excessive warming, and to ensure smooth, quiet running. The same lubricants are used for the ball screw drives as for roller bearings.

### Oil-mist lubrication

In the case of central lubrication with oil mist, note that only ball screw nuts without wipers may be used.

### Oil lubrication

The oil supply should not exceed the volume lost via the wipers; otherwise use recirculating-oil lubrication.

Oil types: Viscosity 25 to 100 mm<sup>2</sup>/s at 100°C.

### Grease lubrication

Add grease as appropriate to the volume lost via the wipers (under normal operating conditions, it is sufficient to add grease every 200 to 300 hours). Experience shows that one-time lubrication for the service lifetime is not sufficient because of the seepage of grease.

**Grease type:** Roller bearing grease without solid lubricant shares. Fuchs Lubritech URETHYN E/M1 roller bearing grease in accordance with NLGI1 DIN ISO 2137 is used for the initial grease filling in the factory. For higher loads, use a grease with NLGI2 in accordance with DIN ISO 2137. You will find detailed information on the required quantities of grease in the Internet at [www.neffaa.de](http://www.neffaa.de)

### Operating temperature

The permissible operating temperature range for ball screw drives is between –30°C and +80°C, up to 110°C. for brief periods. A pre-condition for this is correct lubrication.

The torque may increase by a factor of up to 10 at temperatures below –20°C.

## Installation and maintenance of trapezoidal screw drives

### Installation

Trapezoidal screw drives must be aligned carefully during installation – if suitable measuring equipment is not available, the screw drive should be turned through its entire length by hand before the drive unit is attached. Variations in the amount of force required and/or marks on the external diameter of the screw indicate alignment errors between the spindle axis and guide. In this case, the relevant mounting bolts should first be loosened and the screw drive should be turned through by hand. If the amount of force required is now constant throughout, the appropriate components should be aligned, otherwise the alignment error should be localised by loosening further mounting bolts.

### Cover

By virtue of their design, trapezoidal screw drives are less sensitive to dirt than ball screw drives, particularly at low speeds (manual operation).

Nevertheless motion drives, especially with plastic nuts, in particular require protection against dirt in the same way as ball screw drives.

### Lubrication

#### Oil lubrication

Used only in special cases for trapezoidal screw drives.

#### Grease lubrication

The usual lubrication method for trapezoidal screw drives. Lubrication intervals are governed by operating conditions; it is advisable to clean the screw before greasing especially at use of heavy-duty lubricating machines.

#### Operating temperature

This depends on the type of nut used, the lubrication conditions and the user's requirements. Please consult us in the case of temperatures above 100°C (plastic nuts 70°C).

#### Wear

This can be checked manually: if the axial backlash with a single-start screw drive is more than  $\frac{1}{4}$  of the lead, the nut should be replaced.

# Ball screw drives

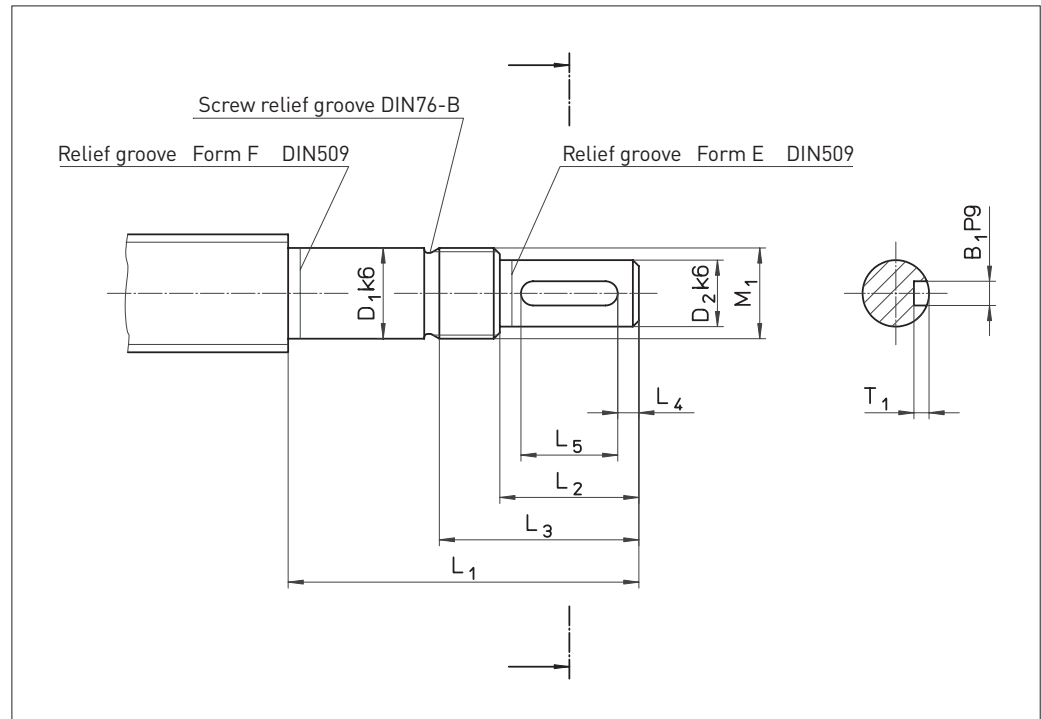
## Screw end machining for movable/ fixed bearing

### Screw end machining for movable/fixed bearing

The type of bearing influences the stiffness of the entire screw drive, and also the vibration and buckling behaviour of the screw. The end machining is carried out on the ball screws as necessary for the various types of bearing.

**Note:**  
Bearings are not part of our  
delivery programme.

### Form D – L



| Form D<br>KGT                | Dimensions (mm) |                |                |                |                |                |                |                |                                | Bearing<br>ZKLF...2RS |
|------------------------------|-----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------|
|                              | D <sub>1</sub>  | D <sub>2</sub> | L <sub>1</sub> | L <sub>2</sub> | L <sub>3</sub> | L <sub>4</sub> | L <sub>5</sub> | M <sub>1</sub> | B <sub>1</sub> xT <sub>1</sub> |                       |
| 1605, 1610                   | 12              | 9              | 55             | 20             | 32             | 2.5            | 16             | M 12x1         | 3x1.8                          | 1255                  |
| 2005, 2020, 2050             | 15              | 11             | 58             | 23             | 35             | 3.5            | 16             | M 15x1         | 4x2.5                          | 1560                  |
| 2505, 2510, 2520, 2525, 2550 | 20              | 14             | 70             | 30             | 44             | 4              | 22             | M 20x1         | 5x3                            | 2068                  |
| 3205, 3210, 3220, 3240       | 25              | 19             | 82             | 40             | 57             | 6              | 28             | M 25x1.5       | 6x3.5                          | 2575                  |
| 4005, 4010, 4020, 4040       | 30              | 24             | 92             | 50             | 67             | 7              | 36             | M 30x1.5       | 8x4                            | 3080                  |

| Form F<br>KGT                | Dimensions (mm) |                |                |                |                |                |                |                |                                | Bearing<br>ZARN...LTN |
|------------------------------|-----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------|
|                              | D <sub>1</sub>  | D <sub>2</sub> | L <sub>1</sub> | L <sub>2</sub> | L <sub>3</sub> | L <sub>4</sub> | L <sub>5</sub> | M <sub>1</sub> | B <sub>1</sub> xT <sub>1</sub> |                       |
| 2505, 2510, 2520, 2525, 2550 | 15              | 11             | 73             | 23             | 35             | 3.5            | 16             | M 15x1         | 4x2.5                          | 1545                  |
| 3205, 3240                   | 20              | 14             | 88             | 30             | 45             | 4              | 22             | M 20x1         | 5x3                            | 2052                  |
| 3210, 3220                   | 20              | 14             | 107            | 30             | 50             | 4              | 22             | M 20x1         | 5x3                            | 2062                  |
| 4005                         | 25              | 19             | 105            | 40             | 58             | 6              | 28             | M 25x1.5       | 6x3.5                          | 2557                  |
| 4010, 4020, 4040             | 25              | 19             | 120            | 40             | 63             | 6              | 28             | M 25x1.5       | 6x3.5                          | 2572                  |
| 5010, 5020                   | 35              | 28             | 145            | 60             | 82             | 10             | 40             | M 35x1.5       | 8x4                            | 3585                  |
| 6310                         | 40              | 36             | 175            | 80             | 103            | 8.5            | 63             | M 40x1.5       | 10x5                           | 4090                  |

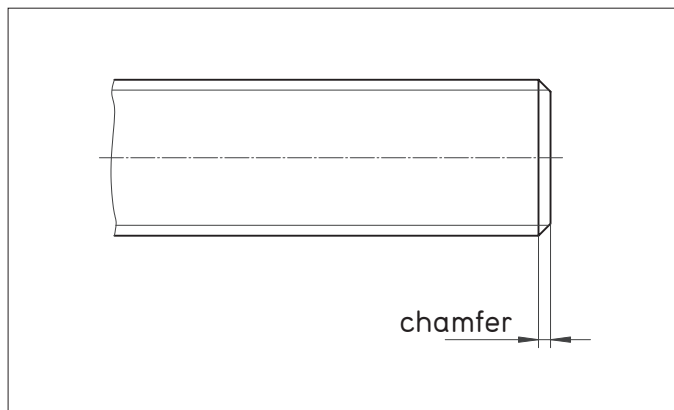
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## Screw end machining for movable/ fixed bearing

| Form H<br>KGT                | Dimensions [mm] |                |                |                |                |                |                |                |                                | Bearing<br>ZARF...LTN |
|------------------------------|-----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------|
|                              | D <sub>1</sub>  | D <sub>2</sub> | L <sub>1</sub> | L <sub>2</sub> | L <sub>3</sub> | L <sub>4</sub> | L <sub>5</sub> | M <sub>1</sub> | B <sub>1</sub> xT <sub>1</sub> |                       |
| 2505, 2510, 2520, 2525, 2550 | 15              | 11             | 85             | 23             | 35             | 3.5            | 16             | M 15x1         | 4x2.5                          | 1560                  |
| 3205, 3240                   | 20              | 14             | 102            | 30             | 44             | 4              | 22             | M 20x1         | 5x3                            | 2068                  |
| 3210, 3220                   | 20              | 14             | 122            | 30             | 49             | 4              | 22             | M 20x1         | 5x3                            | 2080                  |
| 4005                         | 25              | 19             | 120            | 40             | 57             | 6              | 28             | M 25x1.5       | 6x3.5                          | 2575                  |
| 4010, 4020, 4040             | 25              | 19             | 135            | 40             | 63             | 6              | 28             | M 25x1.5       | 6x3.5                          | 2590                  |
| 5010, 5020                   | 35              | 28             | 160            | 60             | 81             | 10             | 40             | M 35x1.5       | 8x4                            | 35110                 |
| 6310                         | 40              | 36             | 195            | 80             | 105            | 8.5            | 63             | M 40x1.5       | 10x5                           | 40115                 |

| Form J<br>KGT                | Dimensions [mm] |                |                |                |                |                |                |                |                                | Bearing<br>FDX |
|------------------------------|-----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|--------------------------------|----------------|
|                              | D <sub>1</sub>  | D <sub>2</sub> | L <sub>1</sub> | L <sub>2</sub> | L <sub>3</sub> | L <sub>4</sub> | L <sub>5</sub> | M <sub>1</sub> | B <sub>1</sub> xT <sub>1</sub> |                |
| 1605, 1610                   | 12              | 9              | 88             | 20             | 32             | 2.5            | 16             | M 12x1         | 3x1.8                          | 12             |
| 2005, 2020, 2050             | 15              | 11             | 92             | 23             | 35             | 3.5            | 16             | M 15x1         | 4x2.5                          | 15             |
| 2505, 2510, 2520, 2525, 2550 | 20              | 14             | 107            | 30             | 44             | 4              | 22             | M 20x1         | 5x3                            | 20             |
| 3205, 3210, 3220, 3240       | 25              | 19             | 122            | 40             | 57             | 6              | 28             | M 25x1.5       | 6x3.5                          | 25             |
| 4005, 4010, 4020, 4040       | 30              | 24             | 136            | 50             | 72             | 7              | 36             | M 30x1.5       | 8x4                            | 30             |
| 5010, 5020                   | 40              | 36             | 182            | 80             | 102            | 8.5            | 63             | M 40x1.5       | 10x5                           | 40             |

| Form L<br>KGT                | Dimensions [mm] |                |                |                |                |                |                |                |                                | Bearing    |
|------------------------------|-----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|--------------------------------|------------|
|                              | D <sub>1</sub>  | D <sub>2</sub> | L <sub>1</sub> | L <sub>2</sub> | L <sub>3</sub> | L <sub>4</sub> | L <sub>5</sub> | M <sub>1</sub> | B <sub>1</sub> xT <sub>1</sub> |            |
| 1605, 1610, 2005, 2020, 2050 | 12              | 9              | 58             | 20             | 30             | 2.5            | 16             | M 12x1         | 3x1.8                          | 7201 BE RS |
| 2505, 2510, 2520, 2525, 2550 | 15              | 11             | 73             | 23             | 33             | 3.5            | 16             | M 15x1         | 4x2.5                          | 7202 BE RS |
| 3205, 3210, 3220, 3240       | 20              | 14             | 88             | 30             | 43             | 4              | 22             | M 20x1         | 5x3                            | 7204 BE RS |
| 4005, 4010, 4020, 4040       | 25              | 19             | 120            | 40             | 55             | 6              | 28             | M 25x1.5       | 6x3.5                          | 7205 BE RS |
| 5010, 5020                   | 35              | 28             | 145            | 60             | 77             | 10             | 40             | M 35x1.5       | 8x4                            | 7207 BE RS |
| 6310                         | 40              | 36             | 175            | 80             | 103            | 8.5            | 63             | M 40x1.5       | 10x5                           | 7208 BE RS |



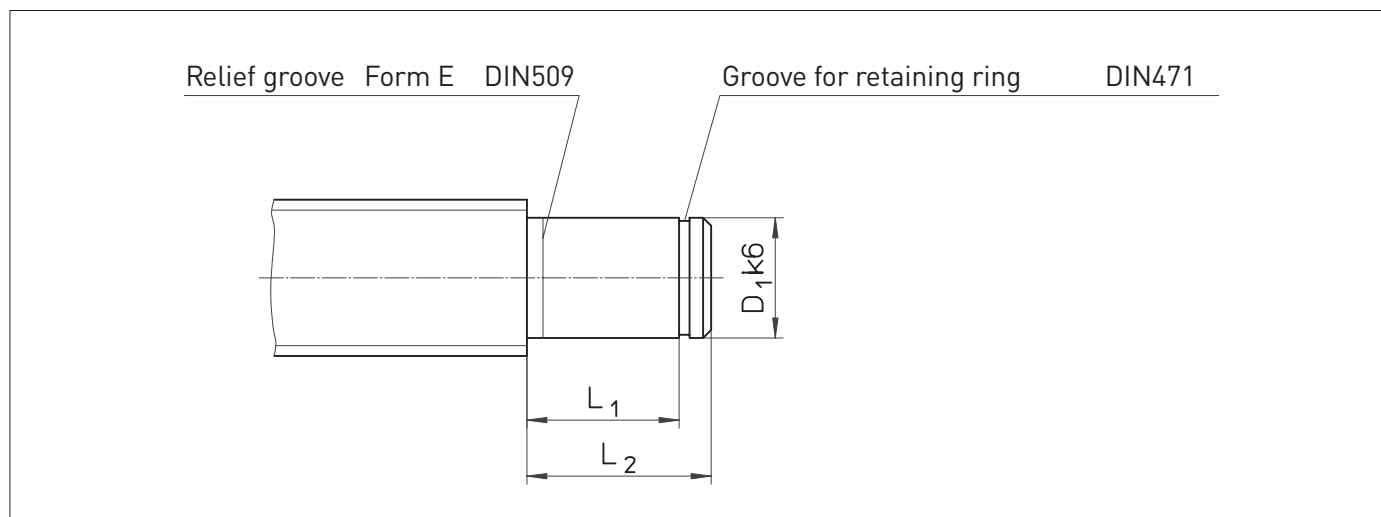
### Form Z

Chamfer 2 x 45°: KGS of  $\varnothing$  12 – 25 mm  
 Chamfer 3 x 45°: KGS of  $\varnothing$  26 – 40 mm  
 Chamfer 4 x 45°: KGS of  $\varnothing$  44 – 50 mm

# Ball screw drives

## Screw end machining for movable/ fixed bearing

### Form S – W



| Form S<br>KGT                | Dimensions [mm] |       |       | Spacer sleeve | Bearing |
|------------------------------|-----------------|-------|-------|---------------|---------|
|                              | $D_1$           | $L_1$ | $L_2$ |               |         |
| 1605, 1610                   | 12              | 40    | 45    | 18x12.1x24    | 6001 RS |
| 2005, 2020, 2050             | 15              | 46    | 51    | 21x15.1x28    | 6002 RS |
| 2505, 2510, 2520, 2525, 2550 | 20              | 53    | 58    | 27x20.1x29    | 6004 RS |
| 3205, 3210, 3220, 3240       | 25              | 53    | 58    | 32x25.1x23    | 6205 RS |
| 4005, 4010, 4020, 4040       | 30              | 60    | 68    | 40x30.1x28    | 6206 RS |
| 5010, 5020                   | 40              | 80    | 88    | 50x40.1x44    | 6208 RS |
| 6310                         | 55              | 102   | 110   | 65x55.1x60    | 6211 RS |

| Form T<br>KGT                | Dimensions [mm] |       |       | Inner ring      | Roller bearing |
|------------------------------|-----------------|-------|-------|-----------------|----------------|
|                              | $D_1$           | $L_1$ | $L_2$ |                 |                |
| 1605, 1610                   | 12              | 40    | 45    | 2 IR 12x16x20   | HK 1614 RS     |
| 2005, 2020, 2050             | 15              | 46    | 51    | 2 IR 15x20x23   | HK 2018 RS     |
| 2505, 2510, 2520, 2525, 2550 | 20              | 53    | 58    | 2 LR 20x25x26.5 | HK 2518 RS     |
| 3205, 3210, 3220, 3240       | 25              | 53    | 58    | 2 LR 25x30x26.5 | HK 3018 RS     |
| 4005, 4010, 4020, 4040       | 30              | 60    | 68    | 2 LR 30x35x30   | HK 3518 RS     |
| 5010, 5020                   | 40              | 80    | 88    | 4 LR 40x45x20   | HK 4518 RS     |

| Form W<br>KGT                | Dimensions [mm] |       |       | Bearing |
|------------------------------|-----------------|-------|-------|---------|
|                              | $D_1$           | $L_1$ | $L_2$ |         |
| 1605, 1610                   | 12              | 8     | 12    | 6001 RS |
| 2005, 2020, 2050             | 15              | 9     | 13    | 6002 RS |
| 2505, 2510, 2520, 2525, 2550 | 20              | 12    | 16    | 6004 RS |
| 3205, 3210, 3220, 3240       | 25              | 15    | 20    | 6205 RS |
| 4005, 4010, 4020, 4040       | 30              | 16    | 21    | 6206 RS |
| 5010, 5020                   | 40              | 18    | 25    | 6208 RS |
| 6310                         | 55              | 21    | 29    | 6211 RS |

**Form G:** Screw end annealed to customer's specification.

**Form K:** Produced specially to customer's drawing.

# Ball screw drives

## Sizing and selection

### Lifetime

The (nominal) lifetime of a ball screw drive can be calculated analogue to that of a ball bearing.

### Average speed

$$n_m = \frac{n_1 \cdot q_1 + n_2 \cdot q_2 + \dots + n_i \cdot q_i}{100} \quad (I)$$

### Dynamic equivalent bearing load

$$F_m = \sqrt[3]{F_1^3 \cdot \frac{n_1 \cdot q_1}{n_m \cdot 100} + F_2^3 \cdot \frac{n_2 \cdot q_2}{n_m \cdot 100} + \dots + F_i^3 \cdot \frac{n_i \cdot q_i}{n_m \cdot 100}} \quad (II)$$

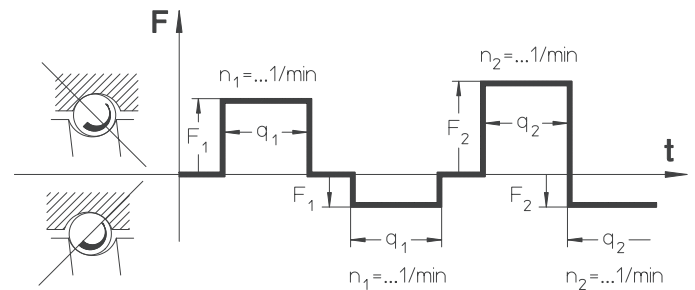
### Lifetime of a ball screw

$$L_{10} = \left( \frac{C}{F_m} \right)^3 \cdot 10^6 \quad (III)$$

**! Note that vibration and shocks reduce the lifetime of the ball screw drive.**

$n_1, n_2, \dots$  Speeds [rpm] during  $q_1, q_2, \dots$   
 $n_m$  Average speed [rpm]  
 $q_1, q_2, \dots$  Components of the duration of a load in one load direction in [%]

$F_1, F_2, \dots$  Axial loads [N] in one load direction during  $q_1, q_2, \dots$   
 $F_m$  Dynamic equivalent bearing load [N]  
 Since loads can act on a ball screw drive in two directions,  $F_m$  should first be determined for each of two load directions; the larger value should then be included in the calculation of  $L$ . It is in general useful to draw a schematic diagram like the one below:



It should be noted that any pre-loading represents a continuous load.

$C$  Axial, dynamic load rating [N]  
 Centrally applied load [N] of constant force direction at which an appropriately large number of identical ball screw drives achieve a nominal lifetime of  $10^6$  revolutions.

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$L_{10}$  Lifetime of the ball screw drive. Expressed as the number of revolutions achieved or exceeded by 90% ( $L_{10}$ ) of a sufficiently large sample of obviously identical ball screw drives before the first signs of material fatigue occur.

# Ball screw drives

## Sizing and selection

### Example calculation lifetime of a ball screw drive

**Given:**  $F_1 = 30000 \text{ N}$  at  $n_1 = 150 \text{ 1/min}$  for  $q_1 = 21 \%$  of the duration of operation  
 $F_2 = 18000 \text{ N}$  at  $n_2 = 1000 \text{ 1/min}$  for  $q_2 = 13 \%$  of the duration of operation  
 $F_3 = 42000 \text{ N}$  at  $n_3 = 75 \text{ 1/min}$  for  $q_3 = 52 \%$  of the duration of operation  
 $F_4 = 1800 \text{ N}$  at  $n_4 = 2500 \text{ 1/min}$  for  $q_4 = 14 \%$  of the duration of operation

**Required:** Maximum achievable lifetime under the given operating conditions.

$$\Sigma = 100 \%$$

Ball screw drive KGT 5010

### Average speed $n_m$

from (I) 
$$n_m = \frac{n_1 \cdot q_1 + n_2 \cdot q_2 + n_3 \cdot q_3 + n_4 \cdot q_4}{100}$$

$$n_m = \frac{150 \cdot 21 + 1000 \cdot 13 + 75 \cdot 52 + 2500 \cdot 14}{100} \text{ 1/min}$$

$$\Rightarrow n_m = 550.5 \text{ 1/min}$$

### Dynamic equivalent bearing load $F_m$

from (II) 
$$F_m = \sqrt[3]{F_1^3 \cdot \frac{n_1 \cdot q_1}{n_m \cdot 100} + F_2^3 \cdot \frac{n_2 \cdot q_2}{n_m \cdot 100} + F_3^3 \cdot \frac{n_3 \cdot q_3}{n_m \cdot 100} + F_4^3 \cdot \frac{n_4 \cdot q_4}{n_m \cdot 100}}$$

$$F_m = \sqrt[3]{30000^3 \cdot \frac{150 \cdot 21}{550.5 \cdot 100} + 18000^3 \cdot \frac{1000 \cdot 13}{550.5 \cdot 100} + 42000^3 \cdot \frac{75 \cdot 52}{550.5 \cdot 100} + 1800^3 \cdot \frac{2500 \cdot 14}{550.5 \cdot 100}} \text{ N}$$

$$F_m = 20144 \text{ N}$$

### Lifetime of a ball screw drive $L_{10}$

from (III) 
$$L_{10} = \left( \frac{C}{F_m} \right)^3 \cdot 10^6$$

Axial, dynamic load rating  $C = 68700 \text{ N}$   
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$$L_{10} = \left( \frac{68700}{20144} \right)^3 \cdot 10^6$$

$$L_{10} = 3.966 \cdot 10^7$$

Number of revolutions  $L_{10}$

$$L_h = \frac{L_{10}}{n_m \cdot 60} = \frac{3.966 \cdot 10^7}{550.5 \cdot 60} = 1201 \text{ h}$$

Lifetime in hours  $L_h$

### Result:



Under the given load conditions, the selected screw drive has a total lifetime of  $3.966 \cdot 10^7$  revolutions, which represents a time of 1201 hours.

# Ball screw drives

## Sizing and selection

### Lifetime of a ball screw drive with pre-loaded nut system

The pre-loading force of the nut unit has the effect of a permanent load on the ball screw drive

### Calculation of the dynamic equivalent bearing load $F_m$

Analog to the single nut (see page 25 equations (I) and (II))

### Lifetime L

$$L = \left( F_{m1}^{\frac{10}{3}} + F_{m2}^{\frac{10}{3}} \right)^{-0.9} \cdot C^3 \cdot 10^6 \quad (IV)$$

|                         |  |
|-------------------------|--|
| $F_{m1}, F_{m2}, \dots$ | Dynamic equivalent bearing load of the first or second nut [N]   |
| C                       | Axial, dynamic load rating [N]<br>Centrally applied load [N] of constant force direction at which an appropriately large number of identical ball screw drives achieve a nominal lifetime of $10^6$ revolutions. |

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The calculation methods above are valid only under correct lubrication conditions. Dirt or lack of lubricant may significantly reduce the lifetime. Reduced lifetime must also be expected in the case of very short strokes – please contact us in these cases.

**!** Ball screw drives cannot absorb radial forces or tilting moments



# Ball screw drives

## Sizing and selection

### Critical speed of ball screws

With thin, fast-rotating screws, there is a danger of "whipping". The method described below allows the resonant frequency to be estimated assuming a sufficiently rigid assembly. Furthermore,

speeds in the vicinity of the critical speed considerably increase the risk of lateral buckling. The critical speed is therefore included in the calculation of the critical buckling force.

### Maximum permissible speed

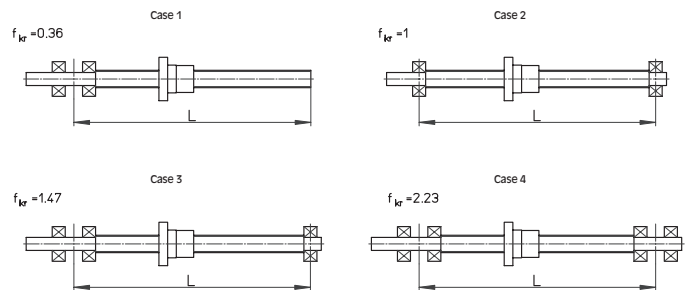
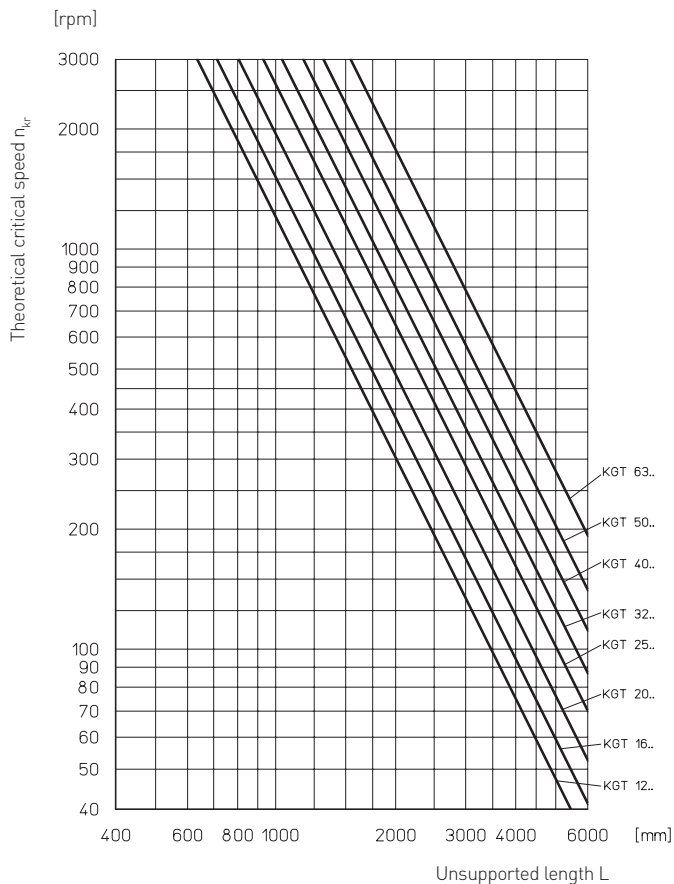
$$n_{zul} = 0.8 \cdot n_{kr} \cdot f_{kr} \quad (V)$$

$n_{zul}$  Maximum permissible speed [rpm]  
 $n_{kr}$  Theoretical critical speed [rpm], that can lead to resonance effects → see diagram  
 $f_{kr}$  Correction factor, considering the bearing support of the screw. → see table  
 ! The operating speed must not exceed 80% of the maximum speed

### Theoretical critical speed $n_{kr}$

### Bearing support

Typical values of correction factor  $f_{kr}$  corresponding to the usual cases of installation for standard screw bearings.



# Ball screw drives

## Sizing and selection

### Critical buckling force of ball screws

With thin, fast-rotating screws under compressive load, there is a danger of lateral buckling. The procedure described below can be used to calculate the permissible axial force according to Euler.

Before the permissible compressive force is defined, allowance must be made for safety factors appropriate to the installation.

### Maximum permissible axial force

$$F_{zul} = 0.8 \cdot F_k \cdot f_k \quad (VI)$$

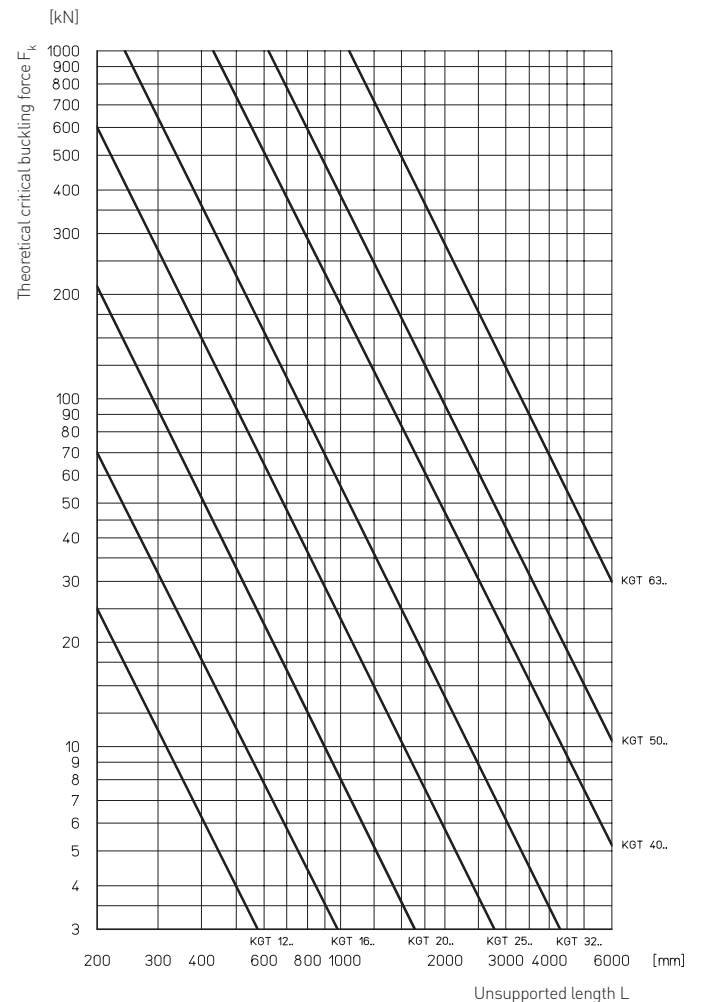
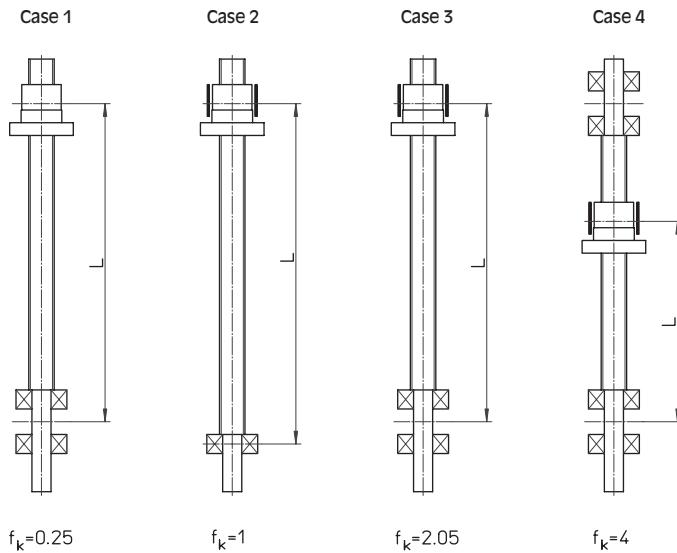
$F_{zul}$  Maximum permissible axial force [kN]  
 $F_k$  Theoretical critical buckling force [kN] → see diagram  
 $f_k$  Correction factor, considering the bearing support of the screw. → see table  
 ! The operating force must not exceed 80 % of the maximum permissible axial force

### Bearing support

Typical values of correction factor  $f_k$  corresponding to the usual cases of installation for standard screw bearings.

### Theoretical critical buckling force $F_k$

! The permissible maximum load is limited by the load rating.



# Ball screw drives

## Sizing and selection

### Deflection of the screw under its own weight

Even in the case of correctly installed screw drives where the resulting radial forces are absorbed by external guides, the weight of

the unsupported screw itself may lead to deflection. The formula below allows you to calculate the maximum deflection of the screw.

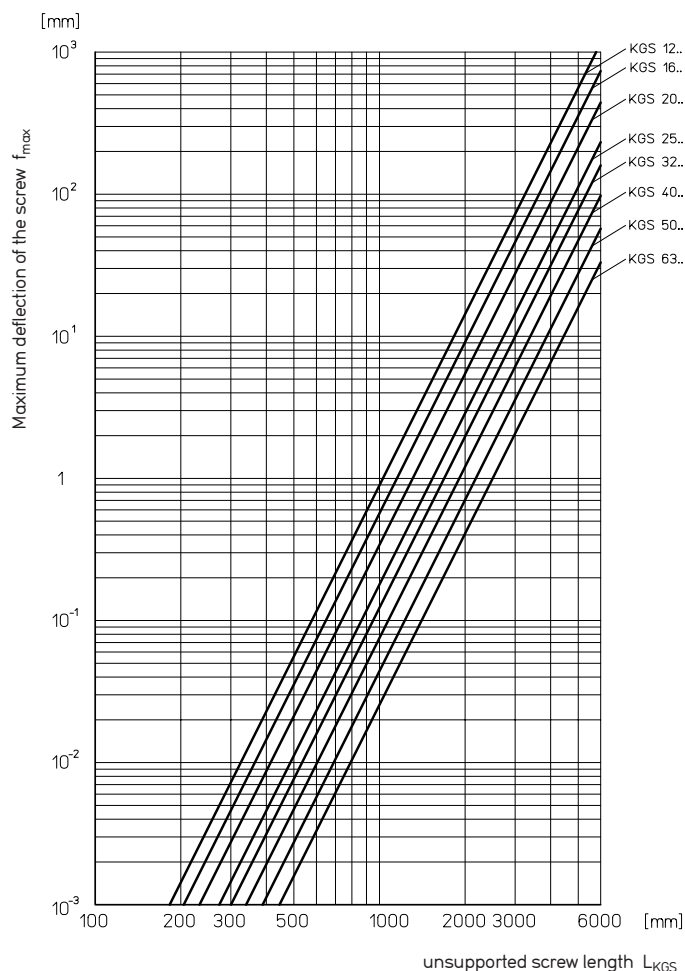
### Maximum deflection of screw

$$f_{\max} = f_B \cdot 0.061 \cdot \frac{m'_{\text{KGS}} \cdot L_{\text{KGS}}^4}{I_Y} \quad (\text{VII})$$

$f_{\max}$  Maximum deflection of the screw [mm]  
 $f_B$  Correction factor considering the bearing support of the screw → see table  
 $I_Y$  Planar moment of inertia [10<sup>4</sup> mm<sup>4</sup>]  
 → see table page 11  
 $L_{\text{KGS}}$  Unsupported screw length [mm]  
 $m'_{\text{KGS}}$  Weight [kg/m]

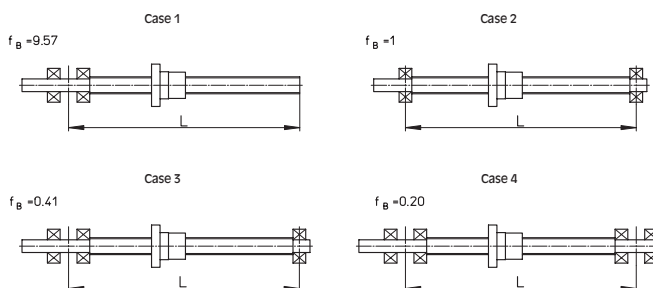
### Theoretical maximum deflection of screw

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### Bearing support

Typical values of correction factor  $f_B$  corresponding to the usual cases of installation for standard screw bearings.



# Accessories ball screw drives

## Spiral spring cover

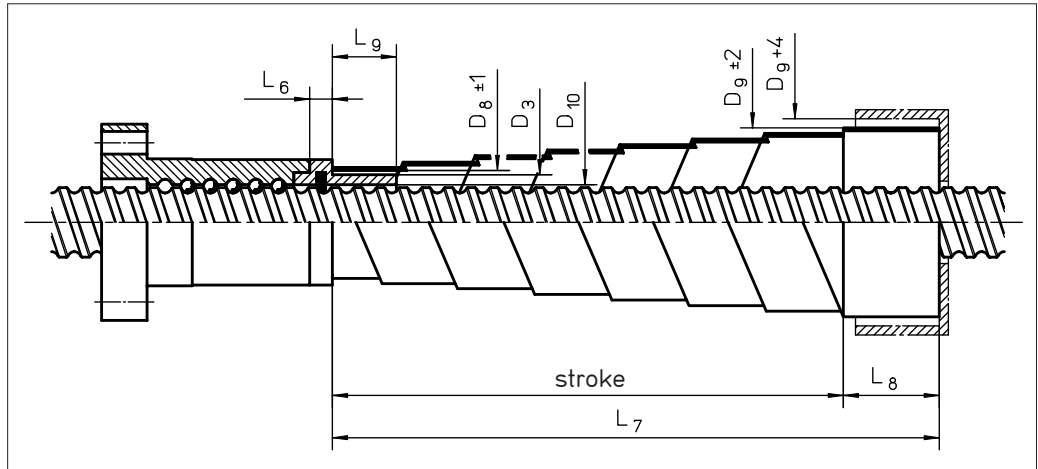
### Spiral spring cover SF

Spiral spring cover for protection against ambient influences. Suitable for horizontal and vertical installation position.

#### Material:

Tempered spring band steel

When a spiral spring cover is used, seal form Z (centering sleeve) is used on the attachment side of the ball-screw nut. (see order code page 62)



#### For KGT 1605 KGT 1610

$D_3 = 22 \text{ mm}$   
 $D_{10} = 17 \text{ mm}$   
 $L_6 = 6 \text{ mm}$   
 $L_9 = 21 \text{ mm}$

| Type<br>$D_8/L_{7V}^{1)/L_8}$ | $L_{7h}^{2)}$ | $D_9$ |
|-------------------------------|---------------|-------|
| SF 25/100/20                  | 60            | 35    |
| SF 25/150/20                  | 110           | 38    |
| SF 25/200/20                  | 160           | 41    |
| SF 25/250/20                  | 210           | 44    |
| SF 25/300/30                  | 240           | 43    |
| SF 25/350/30                  | 290           | 46    |
| SF 25/400/30                  | 340           | 49    |
| SF 25/450/40                  | 370           | 48    |
| SF 25/500/40                  | 420           | 51    |

#### For KGT 2505 KGT 2510 KGT 2520

$D_3 = 28 \text{ mm}$   
 $D_{10} = 26 \text{ mm}$   
 $L_6 = 6 \text{ mm}$   
 $L_9 = 21 \text{ mm}$

| Type<br>$D_8/L_{7V}^{1)/L_8}$ | $L_{7h}^{2)}$ | $D_9$ |
|-------------------------------|---------------|-------|
| SF 30/150/30                  | 90            | 39    |
| SF 30/250/30                  | 190           | 44    |
| SF 30/350/30                  | 290           | 49    |
| SF 30/450/40                  | 370           | 53    |
| SF 30/550/40                  | 470           | 58    |
| SF 30/650/50                  | 550           | 55    |
| SF 30/750/50                  | 650           | 59    |

#### KGT 2525 KGT 2550

#### For KGT 3205 KGT 3240 (continued)

$D_3 = 38 \text{ mm}$   
 $D_{10} = 33 \text{ mm}$   
 $L_6 = 6 \text{ mm}$   
 $L_9 = 26 \text{ mm}$

| Type<br>$D_8/L_{7V}^{1)/L_8}$ | $L_{7h}^{2)}$ | $D_9$ |
|-------------------------------|---------------|-------|
| SF 40/550/50                  | 450           | 61    |
| SF 40/650/50                  | 550           | 66    |
| SF 40/750/50                  | 650           | 69    |
| SF 40/450/60                  | 330           | 55    |
| SF 40/550/60                  | 430           | 58    |
| SF 40/650/60                  | 530           | 62    |
| SF 40/750/60                  | 630           | 66    |
| SF 40/900/60                  | 780           | 70    |
| SF 40/650/75                  | 500           | 63    |
| SF 40/750/75                  | 600           | 66    |
| SF 40/900/75                  | 750           | 72    |
| SF 40/1100/75                 | 950           | 78    |
| SF 40/1300/75                 | 1150          | 84    |
| SF 40/1500/75                 | -             | 87    |
| SF 40/1000/100                | 800           | 69    |
| SF 40/1200/100                | 1000          | 71    |
| SF 40/1500/100                | 1300          | 79    |
| SF 40/1800/100                | 1600          | 82    |
| SF 40/1800/120                | 1560          | 83    |
| SF 40/2000/120                | 1760          | 86    |
| SF 40/2200/120                | -             | 91    |

#### For KGT 3210 (KGT 3220)

$D_3 = 44 \text{ (48) mm}$   
 $D_{10} = 35 \text{ mm}$   
 $L_6 = 8 \text{ mm}$   
 $L_9 = 27 \text{ mm}$

| Type<br>$D_8/L_{7V}^{1)/L_8}$ | $L_{7h}^{2)}$ | $D_9$ |
|-------------------------------|---------------|-------|
| SF 50/150/30                  | 90            | 63    |
| SF 50/250/30                  | 190           | 68    |
| SF 50/250/50                  | 150           | 62    |
| SF 50/350/50                  | 250           | 66    |
| SF 50/450/50                  | 350           | 70    |
| SF 50/550/50                  | 450           | 73    |
| SF 50/550/60                  | 430           | 68    |
| SF 50/650/60                  | 530           | 73    |
| SF 50/750/60                  | 630           | 76    |
| SF 50/750/75                  | 600           | 78    |
| SF 50/900/75                  | 750           | 84    |
| SF 50/1100/75                 | 950           | 90    |
| SF 50/1100/100                | 900           | 77    |
| SF 50/1300/100                | 1100          | 80    |
| SF 50/1500/100                | 1300          | 87    |
| SF 50/1800/100                | -             | 94    |
| SF 50/1700/120                | 1460          | 91    |
| SF 50/1900/120                | 1660          | 97    |
| SF 50/2100/120                | 1860          | 102   |
| SF 50/2300/120                | -             | 105   |
| SF 50/2500/120                | -             | 111   |
| SF 50/2800/120                | -             | 118   |
| SF 50/2800/150                | 2500          | 119   |
| SF 50/3000/150                | -             | 124   |
| SF 50/3000/180                | 2640          | 123   |
| SF 50/3250/180                | -             | 130   |
| SF 50/3250/200                | 2850          | 128   |
| SF 50/3500/200                | -             | 134   |

#### For KGT 2005 KGT 2020 KGT 2050

$D_3 = 26 \text{ mm}$   
 $D_{10} = 21 \text{ mm}$   
 $L_6 = 6 \text{ mm}$   
 $L_9 = 21 \text{ mm}$

| Type<br>$D_8/L_{7V}^{1)/L_8}$ | $L_{7h}^{2)}$ | $D_9$ |
|-------------------------------|---------------|-------|
| SF 30/150/30                  | 90            | 39    |
| SF 30/250/30                  | 190           | 44    |
| SF 30/350/30                  | 290           | 49    |
| SF 30/450/40                  | 370           | 53    |
| SF 30/550/40                  | 470           | 58    |
| SF 30/650/50                  | 550           | 55    |
| SF 30/750/50                  | 650           | 59    |

#### For KGT 3205 KGT 3240

$D_3 = 38 \text{ mm}$   
 $D_{10} = 33 \text{ mm}$   
 $L_6 = 6 \text{ mm}$   
 $L_9 = 26 \text{ mm}$

| Type<br>$D_8/L_{7V}^{1)/L_8}$ | $L_{7h}^{2)}$ | $D_9$ |
|-------------------------------|---------------|-------|
| SF 40/150/30                  | 90            | 51    |
| SF 40/250/30                  | 190           | 56    |
| SF 40/350/30                  | 290           | 60    |
| SF 40/450/40                  | 370           | 64    |
| SF 40/550/40                  | 470           | 68    |
| SF 40/350/50                  | 250           | 55    |
| SF 40/450/50                  | 350           | 59    |

<sup>1)</sup>  $L_{7V} = L_7$  vertical installation  
<sup>2)</sup>  $L_{7h} = L_7$  horizontal installation

# Ball screw drives

## Sizing and selection

### Example calculation for a ball screw drive

**Given:** Ball screw drive KGT 5010,  
 Length  $L = 2000$  mm  
 Installation case 3  
 Maximum operating speed:  $n_{\max} = 3000$  [1/min]

**Required:** Is the operating speed uncritical?  
 What is the permissible axial force?  
 What is the maximum deflection?

### Maximum permissible speed $n_{zul}$

from (V)  $n_{zul} = 0.8 \cdot n_{kr} \cdot f_{kr} = 0.8 \cdot 1290 \text{ 1/min} \cdot 1.47 = 1517 \text{ 1/min}$   
 $\Rightarrow n_{zul} \equiv 1517 \text{ 1/min}$  (< limit speed!)

Theoretical critical speed  $n_{kr} = 1290$  rpm  
 $\Rightarrow$  from diagram "Theoretical critical speed"

from (VI)  $F_{zul} = 0.8 \cdot F_k \cdot f_k = 0.8 \cdot 95 \text{ kN} \cdot 2.05 = 156 \text{ kN}$   
 $\Rightarrow F_{zul} = 153 \text{ kN}$  (max. static load rating  $C_0$ !)

Theoretical critical buckling force  $F_k = 95$  kN  
 $\Rightarrow$  from diagram "Theoretical critical buckling force"

from (VII)

$$f_{\max} = f_B \cdot 0.061 \cdot \frac{m'_{KGS} \cdot L_{KGS}}{I_Y} = 0.41 \cdot 0.061 \cdot \frac{13.50 \text{ kg/m} \cdot 2 \text{ m}}{18.566 \text{ cm}^4}$$

$$f_{\max} = 0.036 \text{ mm}$$

Weight  $m'_{KGS} = 13.50$  kg/m  
 Planar moment of inertia  $I_Y = 18.566$  cm<sup>4</sup>  
 $\Rightarrow$  from table page 11

### Result:



The selected screw drive may be operated only at  $n_{\max} = 1517$  rpm.  
 It can be statically loaded with a maximum axial force of 150 kN,  
 and when installed horizontally has a maximum deflection of 0.036 mm

**Note the dynamic load rating!**