SIT-LOCK® self locking elements

Advantages of SIT-LOCK® on the shaft-hub connection compared with traditional systems

Easy assembly and disassembly
Both actions take place by locking and unlocking the clamping screws with common tools.
The use of a torque wrench is only necessary when a more precise torque is required.

Superior holding power
The action of the clamping cones creates shaft clamping torque superior to a normal keyed hub.

Overload protection
When the pre-set torque is exceeded SIT-LOCK® will slip, preventing the connected elements from being broken.
Note: SIT-LOCK® units are not friction couplings so, excessive slip will cause damage.

Easy adjustment
Combining the SIT-LOCK® design of smooth cone action with superior holding power, the hub can be clamped at any position along a shaft, eliminating the need for lock washers, spacers, stop rings, etc.

Precision location
With the SIT-LOCK® smooth cone action, the SIT-LOCK® is ideal for clamping cams, timing devices, and indexing mechanisms accurately and precisely.

Temperature
-20 °C ÷ 150 °C

Unlimited use possibilities
SIT-LOCK® units are suitable to connect any type of hub (flywheels, chainwheels, gears, levers, pulleys, eccentrics, coupling, etc).

Various solutions in stock
Available in stock in 10 different types, SIT-LOCK® units can be utilized in a varied range of industrial applications

Order form

SIT-LOCK®		**CAL**	**1**	**F25**	**/50**

CAL: SIT-LOCK® self locking element

Type

Shaft diameter

External diameter (hub bore)

Performances

Given values of transmissible torque, axial force, and pressure between shaft and hub are valid for a lubricated installation (friction coefficient µ=0,12). Both hub and shaft, as well as locking unit's contact surfaces and screws, should be lubricated.

Locking unit and screws are supplied already oiled.

Always consider tolerances and roughness values per single locking unit.

To avoid decrease of locking unit performances, do not use molybdenum disulfide lubricant or other substances that drastically reduce coefficient of friction.

Design procedure

For a correct functioning of SIT-LOCK®, the transmissible torque M_T (stated in this catalogue) must always exceed the maximum torque in operation. So, in selecting the SIT-LOCK® dimensions, you must consider the start up torque could be even 4 times larger than the nominal one.
The transmissible axial forces (F_{ax}) given in the tables are valid for cases where there is no torque. If it is necessary to transmit both a torque and an axial force (ex. helical gear), the following formula must be used:

$$M_T \geq \sqrt{ M_a^2 + \left(\frac{F_{ax} \cdot d}{2000} \right)^2 } \quad [Nm]$$

where:
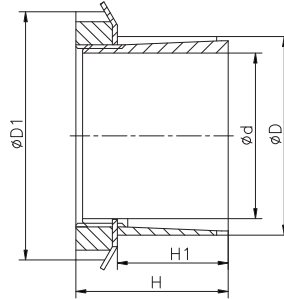M_a = maximum torque to be transmitted [Nm]
F_{ax} = axial force in operation [N]
d = shaft diameter [mm]

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SIT-LOCK® 13 - Self-Centering

SIT-LOCK®13 is very close to the standard type SIT-LOCK® 9, but it is manufactured in a longer execution. It is made of two tapered rings and a locking nut.

Installation

Carefully clean contact surfaces of shaft and hub. Then lightly oil both surfaces with standard mineral oil. Position the SIT-LOCK® in the machined bore of the hub. Insert the shaft. Gradually and uniformly tighten the locking nut to the tightening torque (Ms).

Note: once the tightening torque is reached, do no tighten the locking nut anymore.

Do not use lubricant like "Molykote" or molybdenum disulfide based oils.

Removal

Loosen the lock nut until the SIT-LOCK® is completely released.

Note: Disassembling the SIT-LOCK® 13 may be difficult due to its particular taper angle. Therefore, if torque is sufficient, it is recommended to use SIT-LOCK® 9, which is easier to be disassembled.

	Dimensions [mm]			Performances		Pressure [N/mm²]		Slotten nut		
d x D	D_1	H_1	H	M_T [Nm]	F_{ax} [kN]	p_w	p_n	N°	Size	M_s [Nm]
14 x 25	32	23	31	72	9	98	55	KM4	M20x1	95
15 x 25	32	23	31	77	9	91	55	KM4	M20x1	95
18 x 30	38	24	33	125	13	98	59	KM5	M25x1,5	160
19 x 30	38	24	33	132	13	93	59	KM5	M25x1,5	160
20 x 30	38	24	33	139	13	88	59	KM5	M25x1,5	160
24 x 35	45	29	38	202	15	74	51	KM6	M30x1,5	200
25 x 35	45	29	38	210	15	71	51	KM6	M30x1,5	220
28 x 40	52	34	44	312	20	76	53	KM7	M35x1,5	340
30 x 40	52	34	44	335	20	71	53	KM7	M35x1,5	340
32 x 45	58	34	45	442	25	82	58	KM8	M40x1.5	340
35 x 45	58	34	45	483	25	75	58	KM8	M40x1,5	480
40 x 50	65	35	46	696	31	82	66	KM9	M45x1,5	680
45 x 55	70	35	47	902	36	84	69	KM10	M50x1,5	870
48 x 60	75	35	47	991	37	82	65	KM11	M55x2	970
50 x 60	75	35	47	1.014	37	77	64	KM11	M55x2	970
55 x 65	80	36	48	1.158	38	73	61	KM12	M60x2	1.100
60 x 70	85	36	50	1.379	41	73	62	KM13	M65x2	1.300

Notes:
Dimensions representing the total length of the hub are indicative; they are calculated according to the geometric rules.

For assemblies requiring larger dimensions, contact our Technical Department.
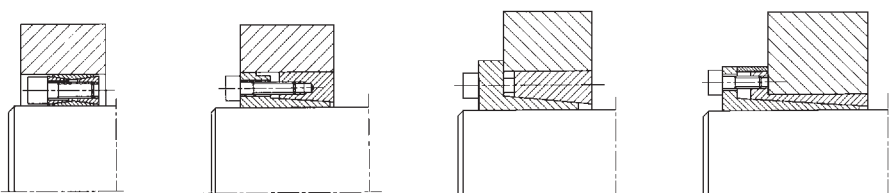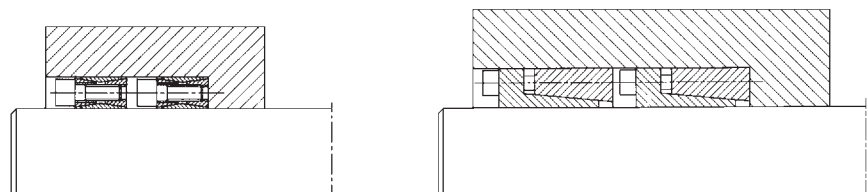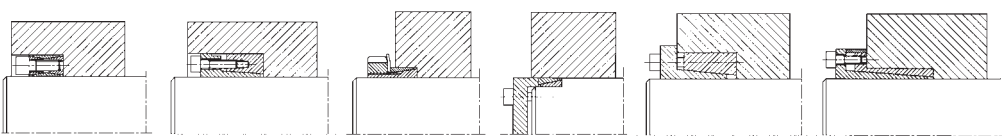
Maximum allowable roughness
Rt 16 µm
Maximum recommended tolerance
shaft h 8 - hub H 8

M_S	Screw tightening torque	Nm
M_T	Transmissible torque moment	Nm
F_{ax}	Transmissible axial load	N
p_w	Shaft pressure	N/mm²
p_n	Hub pressure	N/mm²

Design of hub outside minimum diameter

When using the locking units, the shaft-hub connection is characterized by a pressure on the hub surface, which is exerted by the locking unit outer ring when the clamping screws are tightened to the stated value. It is important to design correctly the hub outside diameter. The following table summarizes the procedure as a simple calculation. To determine the hub outside minimum diameter, simply multiply the factor K by the SIT-LOCK® outside diameter to obtain the hub outside minimum diameter. The factor K varies depending on the yield limit of hub material, the hub surface pressure (Pn) and the factor (x), variable according to the application type (A, B, C).

Installation type A ($L_M \cong L_c$)
X = 1

Installation type B ($L_M \cong 2 L_c$)
X = 0,8

Installation type C ($L_M > 2 L_c$)
X = 0,6

Hub min diameter D x K
for: K = factor stated in the table
          D = SIT-LOCK® outside diameter

L_M	Hub length		mm
L_c	SIT-LOCK® length		mm

Hollow shaft

For application with locking-assemblies on hollow shaft, it is important to scale both hub minimum diameter and hollow shaft diameter. Contact our Technical Department for design.

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Coefficient K

Hub surface pressure		Yield limit of hub material σ_{02} [N/mm²]										
		150	180	200	220	250	270	300	350	400	450	600
		Hub material										
p_n [N/mm²]	Application	GG 20	GG 25 GS 38	GG 30 GTS 35	GS 45 ST 37-2	GG 40 GS 52	ST 50-2 C 35	GG 50 GS 60 ST 60-2	GG 60 GS 62 ST 70-2	GG 70 GS 70 C 60	Heat treatment steel	
60	C	1,29	1,26	1,21	1,19	1,16	1,15	1,13	1,11	1,10	1,09	1,07
	B	1,40	1,31	1,25	1,24	1,23	1,21	1,19	1,16	1,13	1,12	1,09
	A	1,53	1,43	1,37	1,33	1,29	1,26	1,23	1,19	1,17	1,15	1,11
65	C	1,31	1,26	1,23	1,21	1,19	1,16	1,14	1,12	1,11	1,10	1,08
	B	1,45	1,36	1,31	1,29	1,25	1,23	1,21	1,17	1,15	1,13	1,10
	A	1,61	1,46	1,41	1,36	1,31	1,29	1,25	1,21	1,19	1,17	1,13
70	C	1,35	1,27	1,25	1,23	1,19	1,17	1,16	1,13	1,12	1,11	1,08
	B	1,49	1,39	1,35	1,31	1,26	1,24	1,21	1,19	1,16	1,14	1,11
	A	1,66	1,51	1,46	1,41	1,35	1,31	1,26	1,23	1,21	1,18	1,14
75	C	1,31	1,29	1,26	1,24	1,21	1,19	1,16	1,15	1,13	1,12	1,09
	B	1,53	1,43	1,37	1,33	1,29	1,26	1,23	1,19	1,17	1,15	1,12
	A	1,75	1,56	1,49	1,43	1,37	1,34	1,31	1,26	1,21	1,19	1,14
80	C	1,40	1,32	1,29	1,26	1,22	1,21	1,19	1,16	1,14	1,12	1,09
	B	1,59	1,46	1,40	1,36	1,31	1,28	1,25	1,21	1,19	1,16	1,12
	A	1,82	1,62	1,54	1,47	1,40	1,37	1,32	1,27	1,23	1,21	1,15
85	C	1,43	1,35	1,31	1,28	1,24	1,22	1,20	1,17	1,15	1,13	1,10
	B	1,64	1,50	1,43	1,39	1,33	1,30	1,27	1,23	1,20	1,17	1,13
	A	1,91	1,68	1,58	1,51	1,43	1,40	1,35	1,29	1,25	1,22	1,16
90	C	1,47	1,37	1,33	1,29	1,26	1,23	1,21	1,18	1,16	1,14	1,10
	B	1,70	1,54	1,47	1,41	1,35	1,32	1,29	1,24	1,21	1,19	1,14
	A	2,01	1,74	1,63	1,55	1,47	1,42	1,37	1,31	1,27	1,23	1,17
95	C	1,50	1,40	1,35	1,31	1,27	1,25	1,22	1,19	1,16	1,15	1,11
	B	1,76	1,58	1,50	1,44	1,38	1,35	1,31	1,26	1,22	1,20	1,15
	A	2,12	1,81	1,69	1,60	1,50	1,45	1,40	1,33	1,28	1,25	1,18
100	C	1,54	1,42	1,37	1,33	1,29	1,26	1,23	1,20	1,17	1,15	1,12
	B	1,82	1,62	1,54	1,47	1,40	1,37	1,32	1,27	1,23	1,21	1,15
	A	2,25	1,88	1,74	1,64	1,54	1,49	1,42	1,35	1,30	1,26	1,19
105	C	1,57	1,45	1,40	1,35	1,30	1,28	1,25	1,21	1,18	1,16	1,12
	B	1,89	1,67	1,57	1,51	1,43	1,39	1,34	1,29	1,25	1,22	1,16
	A	2,39	1,96	1,80	1,69	1,57	1,52	1,45	1,37	1,32	1,28	1,20
110	C	1,61	1,48	1,42	1,37	1,32	1,29	1,26	1,22	1,19	1,17	1,13
	B	1,97	1,72	1,61	1,54	1,45	1,41	1,36	1,30	1,26	1,23	1,17
	A	2,56	2,05	1,87	1,74	1,61	1,55	1,48	1,39	1,34	1,29	1,21
115	C	1,65	1,51	1,44	1,37	1,34	1,31	1,27	1,23	1,20	1,18	1,13
	B	2,05	1,77	1,65	1,57	1,48	1,44	1,38	1,32	1,27	1,24	1,18
	A	2,76	2,14	1,94	1,80	1,65	1,59	1,51	1,42	1,35	1,31	1,22
120	C	1,70	1,54	1,47	1,40	1,35	1,32	1,29	1,24	1,21	1,19	1,14
	B	2,14	1,82	1,70	1,61	1,51	1,46	1,40	1,34	1,29	1,25	1,19
	A	3,01	2,25	2,01	1,85	1,70	1,62	1,54	1,44	1,37	1,32	1,23
125	C	1,74	1,57	1,49	1,44	1,37	1,34	1,30	1,25	1,22	1,19	1,14
	B	2,25	1,88	1,74	1,64	1,54	1,49	1,42	1,35	1,30	1,26	1,19
	A	3,33	2,36	2,09	1,92	1,74	1,66	1,57	1,46	1,39	1,34	1,25
130	C	1,79	1,60	1,52	1,46	1,39	1,36	1,31	1,26	1,23	1,20	1,15
	B	2,36	1,94	1,79	1,68	1,57	1,51	1,45	1,37	1,31	1,28	1,20
	A	3,75	2,50	2,18	1,98	1,79	1,70	1,60	1,49	1,41	1,36	1,26
135	C	1,84	1,62	1,55	1,48	1,41	1,37	1,33	1,28	1,24	1,21	1,16
	B	2,49	2,01	1,84	1,72	1,60	1,54	1,47	1,39	1,33	1,29	1,21
	A	4,37	2,66	2,28	2,05	1,84	1,74	1,63	1,51	1,43	1,37	1,27
140	C	1,89	1,67	1,57	1,51	1,43	1,39	1,34	1,29	1,25	1,22	1,16
	B	2,64	2,08	1,89	1,76	1,63	1,55	1,49	1,40	1,34	1,30	1,22
	A	5,40	2,84	2,39	2,13	1,89	1,79	1,67	1,54	1,45	1,39	1,28
145	C	1,95	1,70	1,60	1,53	1,45	1,41	1,36	1,30	1,26	1,23	1,17
	B	2,81	2,16	1,95	1,81	1,66	1,59	1,51	1,42	1,36	1,31	1,23
	A	7,67	3,06	2,51	2,22	1,95	1,83	1,70	1,56	1,47	1,41	1,29
150	C	2,01	1,74	1,63	1,55	1,47	1,42	1,37	1,31	1,27	1,24	1,17
	B	3,01	2,25	2,01	1,85	1,70	1,62	1,54	1,44	1,37	1,32	1,24
	A	—	3,33	2,66	2,31	2,01	1,88	1,74	1,59	1,49	1,42	1,30
155	C	2,07	1,78	1,66	1,58	1,49	1,44	1,39	1,32	1,28	1,25	1,18
	B	3,26	2,34	2,07	1,90	1,73	1,66	1,56	1,46	1,39	1,34	1,24
	A	—	3,67	2,81	2,41	2,07	1,93	1,78	1,62	1,52	1,44	1,31
160	C	2,14	1,82	1,70	1,61	1,51	1,46	1,40	1,34	1,29	1,25	1,19
	B	3,56	2,44	2,14	1,95	1,77	1,68	1,59	1,48	1,40	1,35	1,25
	A	—	4,13	3,01	2,53	2,14	1,99	1,82	1,65	1,54	1,48	1,32
165	C	2,22	1,87	1,73	1,63	1,53	1,48	1,42	1,35	1,30	1,26	1,19
	B	3,97	2,56	2,22	2,01	1,81	1,72	1,61	1,50	1,42	1,36	1,26
	A	—	4,81	3,24	2,66	2,22	2,05	1,87	1,68	1,56	1,48	1,34

Note: p_n is stated in the dimensional table of each of the locking assemblies. Installation type (A, B, C) are stated in the previous page.

Example of calculation procedure

Design data
- Power transmission element to be connected: V-pulley
- Shaft diameter: 50 mm
- Maximum Torque in operation (Ma): 1.500 Nm
- V-pulley material: cast iron GG20
- Yield limit of V-pulley material: 150 N/mm²

Calculation
- SIT-LOCK® type: for this kind of applcation SIT-LOCK® 1 is suggested
- Size selection: 50 x 80 mm (see table SIT-LOCK® 1)
- Performance control: verify $M_T \geq M_a$

  From the table obtain M_T = 1.889 Nm, so the above condition is verified
- Tolerance: h11 for the shaft - H11 for the SIT-LOCK® bore
- Roughness: $R_t \leq 16$
- Screws tightening torque: M_s = 37 Nm (see table SIT-LOCK® 1)
- Hub surface pressure: from the table you can find the value P_n = 125 N/mm²
- Application type: in this case it is preferable to adopt the application "C" with the centering guide between shaft and hub

- Coefficient K : obtained through the table "Coefficient K" by considering the following information:
  - yield limit of hub material = 150 N/mm²
  - hub surface pressure = 125 N/mm²
  - installation C

  Then, K = 1,74

- Hub outside minimum diameter:

  $$\text{Hub } D_{min} \geq D \cdot K$$

  for

  - D = SIT-LOCK® outside diameter [mm]
  - K = 1,74

  Then, hub D_{min} = (80 · 1,74) = **140 [mm]**

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Screw diameter	Pv [N]			Ms [Nm]		
	8,8	**10,9**	**12,9**	**8,8**	**10,9**	**12,9**
M2,5	1.600	2.140	2.565	0,76	1,0	1,2
M3	2.210	3.110	3.730	1,3	1,9	2,2
M4	3.900	5.450	6.550	2,9	4,1	4,9
M5	6.350	8.950	10.700	6	8,5	10
M6	9.000	12.600	15.100	10	14	17
M7	13.200	18.500	22.200	16	23	28
M8	16.500	23.200	27.900	25	35	41
M9	22.000	30.900	37.100	36	51	61
M10	26.200	36.900	44.300	49	69	83
M12	38.300	54.000	64.500	86	120	145
M14	52.500	74.000	88.500	135	190	230
M16	73.000	102.000	123.000	210	295	355
M18	88.000	124.000	148.000	290	405	485
M20	114.000	160.000	192.000	410	580	690
M22	141.000	199.000	239.000	550	780	930
M24	164.000	230.000	276.000	710	1.000	1.200
M27	215.000	302.000	363.000	1.050	1.500	1.800
M30	262.000	368.000	442.000	1.450	2.000	2.400

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