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AT A GLANCE

Speed-controlled centrifugal clutch with high flexibility. For zero-loss power transmission.

Combination of a highly flexible rubber element, subjected only to compressive stress, and several centrifugal weights with friction lining connected by tension springs. Thermally resistant design with precisely determinable engaging speed. Allows complete separation of frictional connection as well as soft engaging and slip-free power transmission when reaching engagement speed. Extremely compact dimensions, additionally protects against overload.

Available in numerous standard and special designs. With flywheel connections acc. to SAE. Also available for non-standard flywheels.

Features

High torsional flexibility
High flexibility in all directions
Temperature resistant

Areas of Application



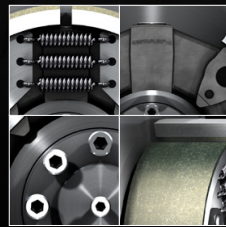
torque range	0.08 to 2.5 kNm
elastic material	NR
temperature range	-45° to +80°C

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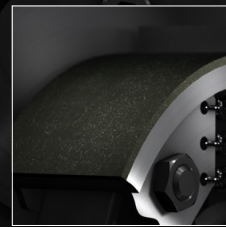
TORSIONAL FLEXIBILITY

The rubber elements are available in different degrees of Shore hardness. This enables the torsional flexibility of the couplings to be adapted with utmost variability to the specific application. Torsional vibrations and impacts are reliably dampened.



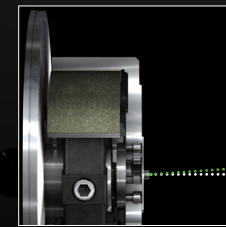
MODULARITY

The design is adaptable to many various applications due to its versatility. The coupling is solid, accident-proof and maintenance-free.



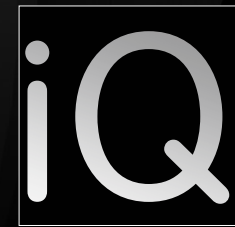
LIFETIME

The friction lining is sufficiently dimensioned and made of highly abrasion resistant material. It guarantees constant friction values and lowest wear rates. Result is a long lifetime in harsh operation without affecting the characteristics.



COMPENSATION OF MISALIGNMENT

Designs VFS and VFF of this coupling series compensate for any kind of misalignment due to the features of the applied CENTAFLEX-A element. They are the ideal solution for applications with misalignments.



QUALITY

When the going gets tough, quality is priceless. With an exemplary Quality Management, CENTA ensures products that withstand the roughest assignments. CENTA's coupling systems are more than the sum of their parts. CENTA entertains the vision of intelligent products that meet the highest requirements in terms of design and quality.

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FUNCTION TYPES

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FOUR FUNCTIONS

The CENTASTART-V clutch combines several functions of different types of couplings and thus often substitutes the expensive application of various power transmission elements such as friction plate clutches, housings, intermediate shafts, bearings and flexible couplings.

1) Starting clutch: provides acceleration and idling speed without load; total separation of the power flow below starting speed, but steep rise of torque over starting speed and thus small interim area, slip free transmission at running speed.

2) Automatic clutch operated by rotational speed: by changing speed of rotation, the driving and driven side of the machine can be connected or disconnected. By means of this automatic speed operated function, malfunctions can be avoided.

3) Highly flexible coupling: shock and vibration absorbing, displacable. The integrated highly flexible CENTAFLEX-A-coupling is a wearfree element for transmission, absorbing torsional vibration and according to design it can also be the compensating element for displacement and misalignment of any kind.

4) Free running coupling: in some drives with requirement to drive installations with 2 motors (stand-by sets) the CENTASTART-V-clutch can be used to connect the combustion engine with the driven machine. Normally the machine is driven by an electrical motor, but in case of electrical failure the combustion engine takes over the job and will be connected automatically by the clutch to the driven machine. These features protect your valuable machinery against expensive breakdown.

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PERFORMANCE

TORQUE TRANSMISSION

The transmittable torque of CENTASTART-V is basically designated by two different factors:

a) The centrifugal force. The torque capacity is a result of this force increasing as a square of the speed, minus an amount due to the power of the springs.

b) The torque capacity of the rubber element. The torque to be transmitted by the rubber element is not dependent of the speed. The permissible torque according the table should always be greater than the engine torque. The coupling speed should be at least a minimum of 20% under the normal working speed of the motor to avoid slip and heat generation.

The transmittable torque of the different sizes, dependent of operational speed and idling speed is shown in figure 2. Thus a certain preselection is possible. For varying idling speeds the characteristics can be provided.

It is possible to select the coupling size based on torque. It is necessary to make a calculation of torsional vibration which we will be glad to carry out.

We require the following information:

- Engine type, number of cylinders and arrangement (in-line or V)
- Idling speed and working speed
- inertia of driven machine
- Type of driven machine: (hydraulic pump, generator etc.)

IDLING SPEED

The most common idling speeds are chosen ensuring sufficient distance between idling and running speed of the combustion engine on which the various couplings could be mounted. Other idling speeds are possible, we will gladly advise.

MAXIMUM SPEEDS

The allowable maximum speeds are defined by the material of the output housing, that is why the running speed should be checked according the tables and the adequate material should be selected for the output housing.

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TYPES

Type VFS Size 900 – 6000

input flange, output shaft

- driving side

The input side of the clutch is in the form of an adapter plate that can be directly bolted to the flywheel of an engine. This adapter plate can be produced to fit many types of engines (SAE standard J620 and others).

- output side

The output side of the clutch can be bored and keywayed or splined to suit the driven machine (pumps, fans, electric motors, speed reducers etc.). This type of clutch includes all the advantages of a highly flexible coupling and can compensate for vibration damping and misalignment of any kind.

Type VFF Size 900 – 2500

input flange, output cardan shaft

- driving side as described for type VFS
- output side

The output side is carried on substantial sealed bearings mounted on an internal stub shaft. Shafts with universal joints etc. can be mounted direct to the output side of the clutch. The connecting dimensions of the bell housing allow for adaption to the cardanflange in wide limits. The flexible CENTAFLEX-A-element in the clutch dampens vibration and noise thus ensuring extended life for joints and floating shafts. The deflection angle of the shaft should not exceed 10°.

Type VFG Size 900 – 2500

input flange, output highly flexible CENTAFLEX-universal joint shaft

- input side as described for type VFS
- output side

The output side is again mounted on substantial sealed bearings and is combined with a floating shaft incorporating two CENTAFLEX flexible elements. This type produces a silent, maintenance free, highly flexible floating shaft and can accept up to 2° angular misalignment. The length of the floating shaft can be varied to suit requirements. This coupling provides excellent torsional damping characteristics.

Type VSS Size 900 – 6000

input and output side arranged on shafts

This type is similar to types VFS, VFF and VFG. The difference is the input hub of the coupling not being driven via a flange, but direct mounting on a shaft. Type VSS is without bearing of the output bell, whereas the other types are with bearing. Special designs are possible. As the design is very versatile, we will be glad to provide you with application samples and special designs for your specific application.

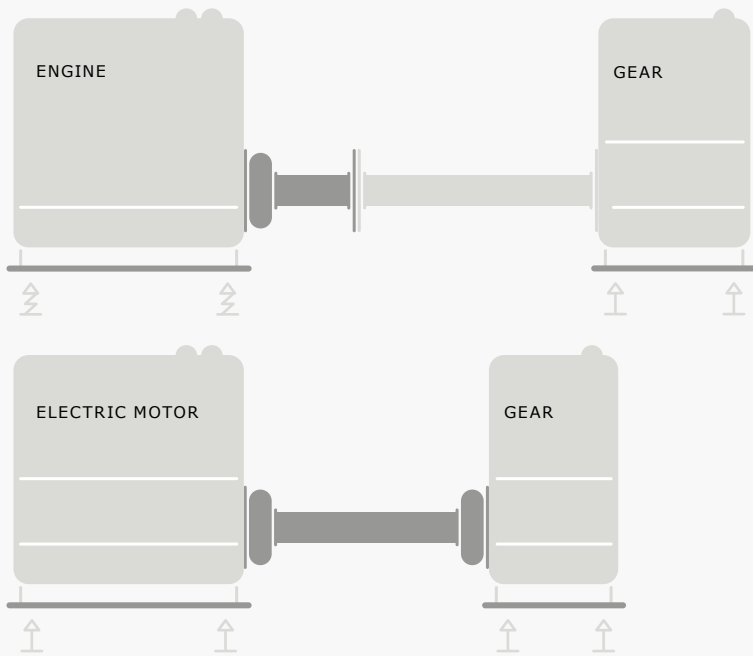
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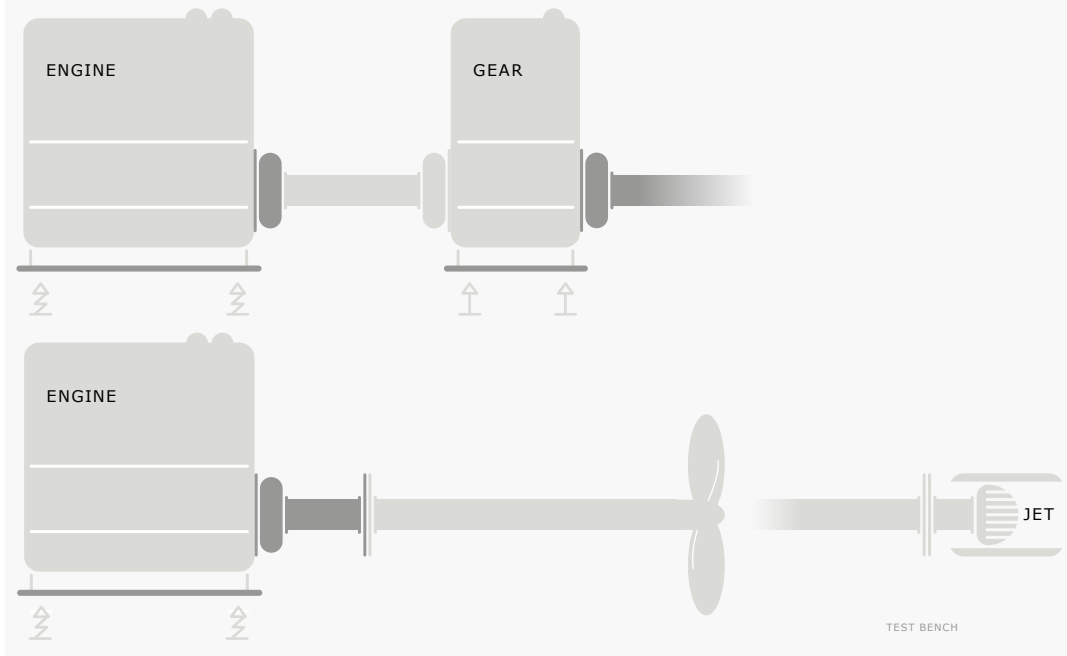
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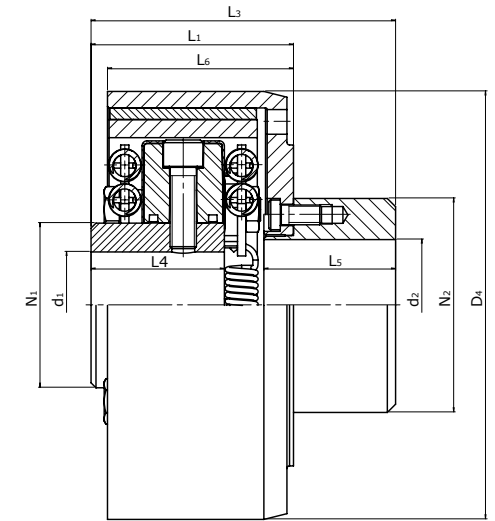
TECHNICAL DATA			↓ SIZES 80 - 6000									
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Size	Rubber quality [Shore A]	Nominal torque T_{KN} [kNm]	Maximum torque T_{Kmax} [kNm]	Continuous vibratory torque T_{KW} [kNm]	Permissible power loss P_{KV} [W]	Dynamic torsional stiffness C_{Tdyn} [kNm/rad]	Relative damping ψ	Switching speed n_E	Speed n_{max}	Permissible axial displacement ΔK_a [mm]	Permissible radial displacement ΔK_r [mm]	Permissible angular displacement ΔK_w [°]
								[min ⁻¹]				
80	50 60	0,1	0,28	0,04	25	0,9 1,5	0,9 1,5	1100	5800	1	0,5	1
180	50 60	0,2	0,56	0,08	40	2 3,4	2 3,4	850 - 1100	5000	1	0,5	1
400	50 60	0,5	1,40	0,20	80	4,8 7,8	4,8 7,8	950 1000	3800	1,5	0,5	1
600	50 60	0,7	2,10	0,30	90	12 19	12 19	820 850	3800	1,5	0,5	1
900	50 60	1,1	3,15	0,45	120	10,5 16	10,5 16	870 - 1000 830 - 960	3000	1,5	0,5	1
1400	50 60	1,7	4,90	0,70	150	26,5 40	26,5 40	850 - 920 900 - 1000	3000	1,5	1	1
2500	50 60	3,0	8,75	1,25	200	43 77	43 77	750 - 850 800 - 850	2650	2	1	1
4000	50 60	5,0	12,50	2,00	240	75 120	75 120	720 - 900	2500	2	1	1
6000	50 60	8,0	20,00	3,20	330	105 160	105 160	750 - 850	2300	2	1	1

* Values for idling speed and transmittable torque on request

** Only for types VSS/VFS without bearing

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TYPE VSS



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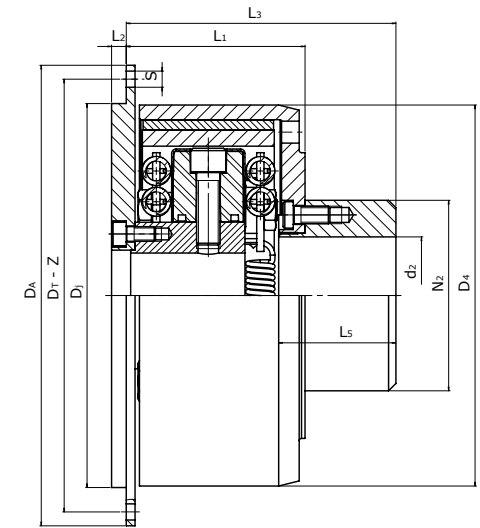
↓ SIZES 80 – 6000

Size	Nominal torque T_{KN} [kNm]	Dimensions										Flange dimensions					
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80	0,1	38	40	178	81	98	52	40	69	60	65	6,5	215,9	200,0	180	9	6x60°
												7,5	241,3	222,3	200	9	8x45°
												8	263,5	244,5	220	11	6x60°
180	0,2	48	50	208	96	120	63	50	88	70	80	7,5	241,3	222,3	200	9	8x45°
												8	263,5	244,5	220	11	6x60°
												10	314,4	295,3	270	11	8x45°
400	0,5	65	80	270	122	184	81	80	113	100	120	10	314,4	295,3	270	11	8x45°
												11,5	352,4	333,4	310	11	8x45°
												10	314,4	295,3	270	11	8x45°
600	0,7	65	80	270	122	184	81	80	113	100	120	10	314,4	295,3	270	11	8x45°
												11,5	352,4	333,4	310	11	8x45°
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900	1,1	85	100	335	147	224	98	100	130	125	160	11,5	352,4	333,4	310	11	8x45°
												14	466,7	438,2	405	13	8x45°
												11,5	352,4	333,4	310	11	8x45°
1400	1,7	85	100	335	147	224	98	100	130	125	160	11,5	352,4	333,4	310	11	8x45°
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2500	3,0	115	120	436	172	224	117	102	159	160	200	14	466,7	438,2	405	13	8x45°
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4000	5,0	120	*	462	212	*	137	*	182	170	*	14	466,7	438,2	405	13	8x45°
												16	517,5	489,0	450	13	8x45°
												18	571,5	542,9	450	17	6x60°
6000	8,0	140	*	560	253,5	*	159	*	214	200	*	18	571,5	542,9	450	17	6x60°
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TYPE VFS

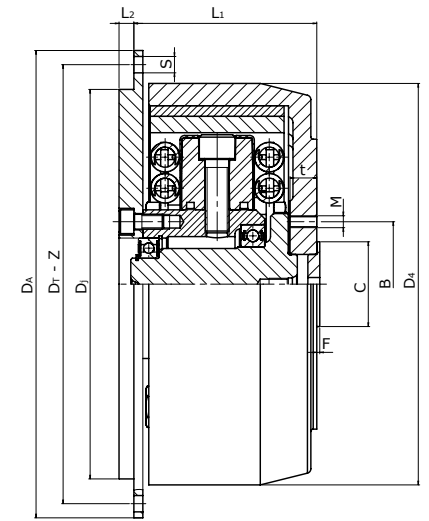


DIMENSIONS		↓ SIZES 80 – 6000												
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									7,5	241,3	222,3	200	9	8x45°
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600	0,7	80	270	122	10	184	80	120	10	314,4	295,3	270	11	8x45°
									11,5	352,4	333,4	310	11	8x45°
900	1,1	100	335	147	12	224	100	160	11,5	352,4	333,4	310	11	8x45°
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									16	517,5	489,0	450	13	8x45°
									18	571,5	542,9	450	17	6x60°
6000	8,0	*	560	253,5	5	*	*	*	18	571,5	542,9	450	17	6x60°
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TYPE VFF



DIMENSIONS

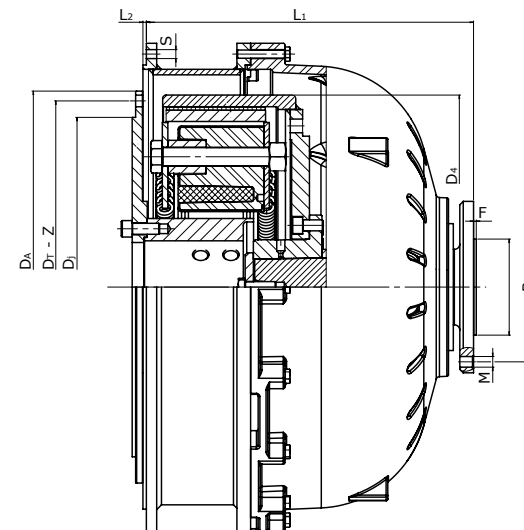
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Size	Nominal torque T_{KN} [kNm]	Dimensions				Flange dimensions						Cardan dimensions				
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80	0,1	178	81	5	6,5	215,9	200,0	180	9	6x60°	58	47	30	1,2	M5	4x90°
					7,5	241,3	222,3	200	9	8x45°	65					
					8	263,5	244,5	220	11	6x60°	75					
180	0,2	208	96	8	7,5	241,3	222,3	200	9	8x45°	75	52	35	1,5	M6	4x90°
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					10	314,4	295,3	270	11	8x45°	100					
400	0,5	270	122	10	10	314,4	295,3	270	11	8x45°	90	62	42	1,5	M6	6x60°
					11,5	352,4	333,4	310	11	8x45°	100					
									11	8x45°	120					
600	0,7	270	122	10	10	314,4	295,3	270	11	8x45°	90	74,5	47	2	M8	4x90°
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									11	8x45°	120					
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					14	466,7	438,2	405	13	8x45°	150					
									13	8x45°	180					
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									13	8x45°	180					
2500	3,0	436	172	16	14	466,7	438,2	405	13	8x45°	180	130	90	2,5	M12	8x45°
					16	517,5	489,0	450	13	8x45°	225					
4000	5,0	462	212	12	14	466,7	438,2	405	13	8x45°	225	155,5	110	2,5	M14	8x45°
					16	517,5	489,0	450	13	8x45°	250					
					18	571,5	542,9	450	17	6x60°	285					
6000	8,0	560	253,5	5	18	571,5	542,9	450	17	6x60°	285	196	140	3	M16	8x45°
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TYPE VFF

WITH FLANGE HOUSING



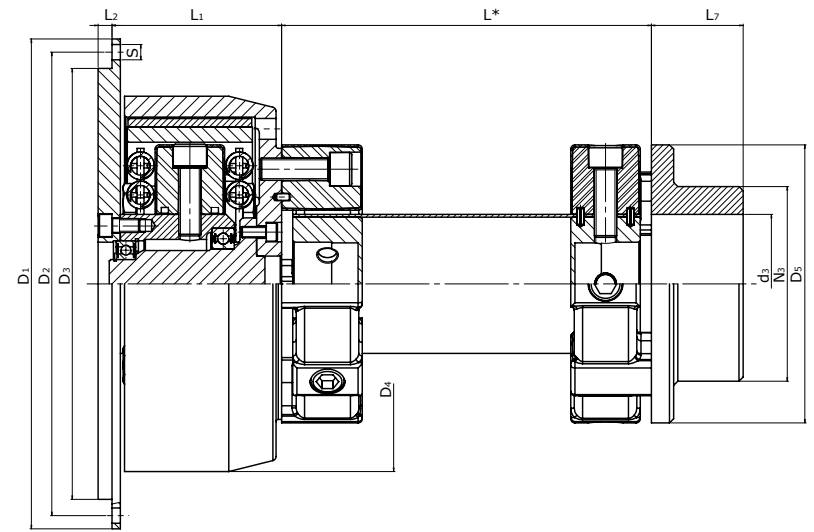
DIMENSIONS

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Size	Nominal torque T_{KN} [kNm]	Dimensions								Flange dimensions					Cardan dimensions			
		d_3	D_4	D_5	L_1	L_2	L_7	N_3	SAE	D_A	D_T	D_j	S	Z	Flanschgröße	B	F	M
80	0,1	55	178	81	5	5	42	80	6,5	215,9	200,0	180	9	6x60°	58	47	1,2	M5
									7,5	241,3	222,3	200	9	8x45°	65			
									8	263,5	244,5	220	11	6x60°	75			
180	0,2	70	208	96	8	8	50	100	7,5	241,3	222,3	200	9	8x45°	75	52	1,5	M6
									8	263,5	244,5	220	11	6x60°	90			
									10	314,4	295,3	270	11	8x45°	100			
400	0,5	100	270	122	10	10	66	140	10	314,4	295,3	270	11	8x45°	90	62	1,5	M6
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													11	8x45°	120			
600	0,7	100	270	122	10	10	66	140	10	314,4	295,3	270	11	8x45°	90	74,5	2	M8
									11,5	352,4	333,4	310	11	8x45°	100			
													11	8x45°	120			
900	1,1	110	335	147	12	12	80	160	11,5	352,4	333,4	310	11	8x45°	120	84	2	M8
									14	466,7	438,2	405	13	8x45°	150			
													13	8x45°	180			
1400	1,7	110	335	147	12	12	80	160	11,5	352,4	333,4	310	11	8x45°	120	101,5	2	M10
									14	466,7	438,2	405	13	8x45°	150			
													13	8x45°	180			
2500	3,0	130	436	172	16	16	100	195	14	466,7	438,2	405	13	8x45°	180	130	2,5	M12
									16	517,5	489,0	450	13	8x45°	225			
4000	5,0	140	462	212	12	12	125	200	14	466,7	438,2	405	13	8x45°	225	155,5	2,5	M14
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									18	571,5	542,9	450	17	6x60°	285			
6000	8,0	180	560	253,5	5	5	170	280	18	571,5	542,9	450	17	6x60°	285	196	3	M16
									21	673,1	641,4	560	17	12x30°	315			

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DIMENSIONS		↓ SIZES 80 - 2500												
Size	Nominal torque T_{KN} [kNm]	Dimensions							Flange dimensions					
		d_3	D_4	D_5	L_1	L_2	L_7	N_3	SAE	D_A	D_T	D_j	S	Z
80	0,1	55	178	81	5	5	42	80	6,5	215,9	200,0	180	9	6x60°
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2500	3,0	130	436	172	16	16	100	195	14	466,7	438,2	405	13	8x45°
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EXPLANATION OF THE TECHNICAL DATA

This appendix shows all explanations of the technical data for all CENTA products.

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EXPLANATION OF THE TECHNICAL DATA

1
Size

This spontaneously selected figure designates the size of the coupling.

2
Rubber quality Shore A

This figure indicates the nominal shore hardness of the elastic element. The nominal value and the effective value may deviate within given tolerance ranges.

3
Nominal torque T_{KN} [kNm]

Average torque which can be transmitted continuously over the entire speed range.

4
Maximum torque [kNm]

T_{Kmax} This is the torque that may occur occasionally and for a short period up to 1.000 times and may not lead to a substantial temperature rise in the rubber element.

In addition the following maximum torques may occur:

$\Delta T_{Kmax} = 1,8 \times T_{KN}$	Peak torque range (peak to peak) between maximum and minimum torque, e.g. switching operation.
$T_{Kmax1} = 1,5 \times T_{KN}$	Temporary peak torque (e.g. passing through resonances). ΔT_{Kmax} or T_{Kmax1} may occur 50.000 times alternating or 100.000 times swelling.
$T_{Kmax2} = 4,5 \times T_{KN}$	Transient torque rating for very rare, extraordinary conditions (e.g. short circuits).

5
Continuous vibratory torque T_{KW} [kNm]

Amplitude of the continuously permissible periodic torque fluctuation with a basic load up to the value T_{KN} . The frequency of the amplitude has no influence on the permissible continuous vibratory torque. Its main influence on the coupling temperature is taken into consideration in the calculation of the power loss.

Operating torque T_{Bmax} [kNm]

The maximum operating torque results of T_{KN} and T_{KW} .

6
Permissible Power Loss P_{KV} [kW] or [W]

Damping of vibrations and displacement results in power loss within the rubber element. The permissible power loss is the maximum heat (converted damping work into heat), which the rubber element can dissipate continuously to the environment (i.e. without time limit) without the maximum permissible temperature being exceeded.

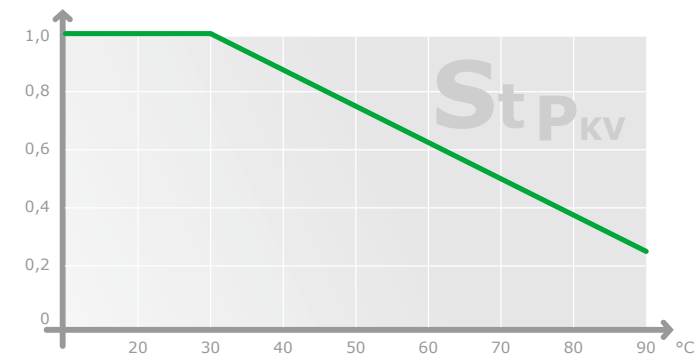
The given permissible power loss refers to an ambient temperature of 30° C.

If the coupling is to be operated at a higher ambient temperature, the temperature factor S_{PKV} has to be taken into consideration in the calculation.

The coupling can momentarily withstand an increase of the permissible power loss for a short period under certain operation modes (e.g. misfiring).

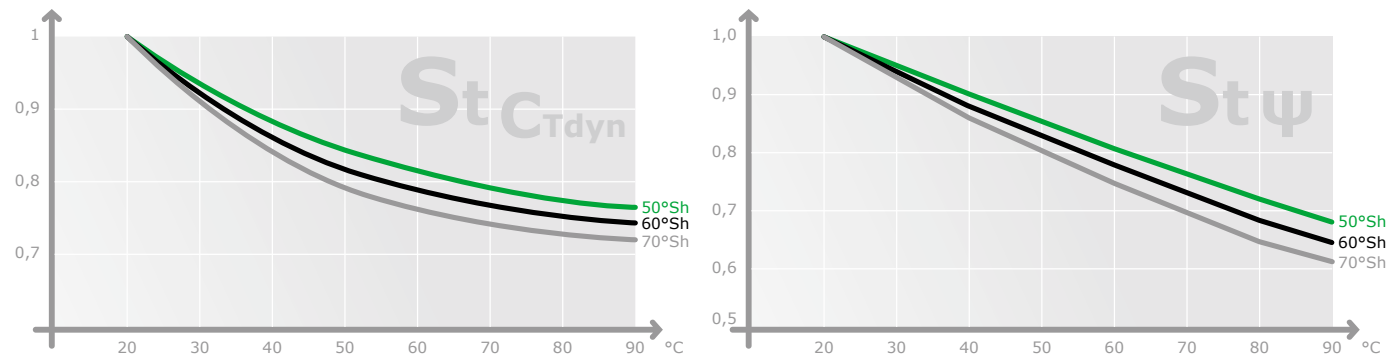
Permissible Power Loss P_{KVZ} [kW]
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Defines an individual and proven guide for power loss under misfiring. This value acknowledges general information of the engine suppliers, in particular the real appearance of misfiring and implemented control and protection devices. Values on request.



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7
Dynamic torsional stiffness
C_{Tdyn} [kNm/rad]

The dynamic torsional stiffness is the relation of the torque to the torsional angle under dynamic loading.

The torsional stiffness may be linear or progressive depending on the coupling design and material.

The value given for couplings with linear torsional stiffness considers following terms:

- Pre-load: 50% of T_{KN}
- Amplitude of vibratory torque: 25% of T_{KN}
- Ambient temperature: 20°C
- Frequency: 10 Hz

For couplings with progressive torsional stiffness only the pre-load value changes as stated.

The tolerance of the torsional stiffness is $\pm 15\%$ if not stated otherwise.

The following influences need to be considered if the torsional stiffness is required for other operating modes:

- Temperature
Higher temperature reduces the dynamic torsional stiffness.
Temperature factor $S_{tC_{Tdyn}}$ has to be taken into consideration in the calculation.
- Frequency of vibration
Higher frequencies increase the torsional stiffness.
By experience the dynamic torsional stiffness is 30% higher than the static stiffness. CENTA keeps record of exact parameters.
- Amplitude of vibratory torque
Higher amplitudes reduce the torsional stiffness, therefore small amplitudes result in higher dynamic stiffness. CENTA keeps record of exact parameters.

8
Relative damping
ψ

The relative damping is the relationship of the damping work to the elastic deformation during a cycle of vibration.

The larger this value [ψ], the lower is the increase of the continuous vibratory torque within or close to resonance.

The tolerance of the relative damping is $\pm 20\%$, if not otherwise stated.

The relative damping is reduced at higher temperatures.

Temperature factor $S_{t\psi}$ has to be taken into consideration in the calculation.

The vibration amplitude and frequency only have marginal effect on the relative damping.

9
Speed
[min^{-1}]

The maximum speed of the coupling element, which may occur occasionally and for a short period (e.g. overspeed).

The characteristics of mounted parts may require a reduction of the maximum speed (e.g. outer diameter or material of brake discs).

The maximum permissible speed of highly flexible coupling elements is normally 90% thereof.

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Permissible axial displacement
[mm]

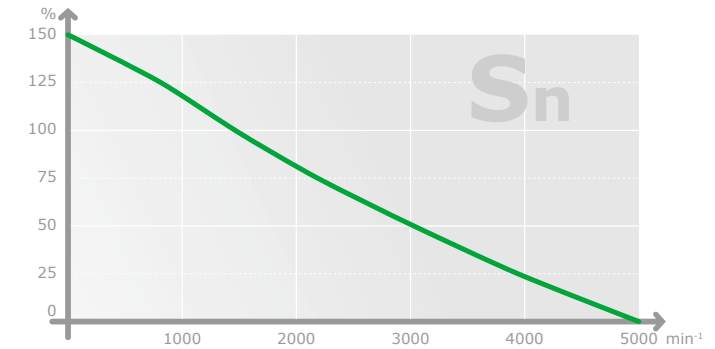
The continuous permissible axial displacement of the coupling.
This is the sum of displacement by assembly as well as static and dynamic displacements during operation.

The maximum axial displacement of the coupling, which may occur occasionally for a short period (e.g. extreme load).

The concurrent occurrence of different kinds of displacements is handled in technical documents (displacement diagrams, data sheets, assembly instructions).

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11	
Axial stiffness [kN/mm]	
C_a	The axial stiffness determines the axial reaction force on the input and output sides upon axial displacement.
$C_{a\ dyn}$	By experience the dynamic stiffness is higher than the static one. The factor depends on the coupling series.

12	
Permissible radial displacement [mm]	
ΔK_r	The continuous permissible radial displacement of the coupling. This is the sum of displacement by assembly as well as static and dynamic displacements during operation. The continuous permissible radial displacement depends on the operation speed and may require adjustment (see diagrams S_n of the coupling series).
$\Delta K_{r\ max}$	The maximum radial displacement of the coupling, which may occur occasionally and for a short period without consideration of the operation speed (e.g. extreme overload). The concurrent occurrence of different kinds of displacements is handled in technical documents (displacement diagrams, data sheets, assembly instructions).

13	
Radial stiffness [kN/mm]	
C_r	The radial stiffness determines the radial reaction force on the input and output sides upon radial displacement.
$C_{r\ dyn}$	By experience the dynamic stiffness is higher than the static one. The factor depends on the coupling series.

14	
Permissible angular displacement [‰]	
ΔK_w	The continuous permissible angular displacement of the coupling. This is the sum of displacement by assembly as well as static and dynamic displacements during operation. The continuous permissible angular displacement depends on the operation speed and may require adjustment (see diagrams S_n of the coupling series).
$\Delta K_{w\ max}$	The maximum angular displacement of the coupling, which may occur occasionally and for a short period without consideration of the operation speed (e.g. extreme overload). The concurrent occurrence of different kinds of displacements is handled in technical documents (displacement diagrams, data sheets, assembly instructions).

15	
Angular stiffness [kNm/ $^\circ$]	
C_w	The angular stiffness determines the restoring bending moment on the input and output sides upon angular displacement.
$C_{w\ dyn}$	By experience the dynamic stiffness is higher than the static one. The factor depends on the coupling series.

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