

## Installation and Operating Manual

(Translation of the original installation and operating manual)

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## Turbo Coupling with Constant Fill

including design as per ATEX directives:

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Serial No. <sup>1)</sup>		
Coupling type <sup>2)</sup>		
Year of manufacture		
Mass (weight)		kg
Power transmission		kW
Input speed		rpm
Operating fluid	<input type="checkbox"/> mineral oil <input type="checkbox"/> water <input type="checkbox"/>	
Filling volume		dm <sup>3</sup> (liters)
Number of screws z <sup>3)</sup>		
Nominal response temperature of fusible plugs		°C
Connecting coupling type		
Sound pressure level L <sub>PA,1m</sub>		dB
Installation position	<input type="checkbox"/> horizontal <input type="checkbox"/> vertical	
Drive via	<input type="checkbox"/> outer wheel <input type="checkbox"/> inner wheel	

- 1) Please indicate the serial number in any correspondence (→ Chapter 18).
- 2) T...: oil / TW...: water.
- 3) Determine and record the number of screws z (→ Chapter 10.1).

Please consult Voith Turbo in case that the data on the cover sheet are incomplete.

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# 1 Voith Turbo Coupling with Constant Fill

## 1.1 Function

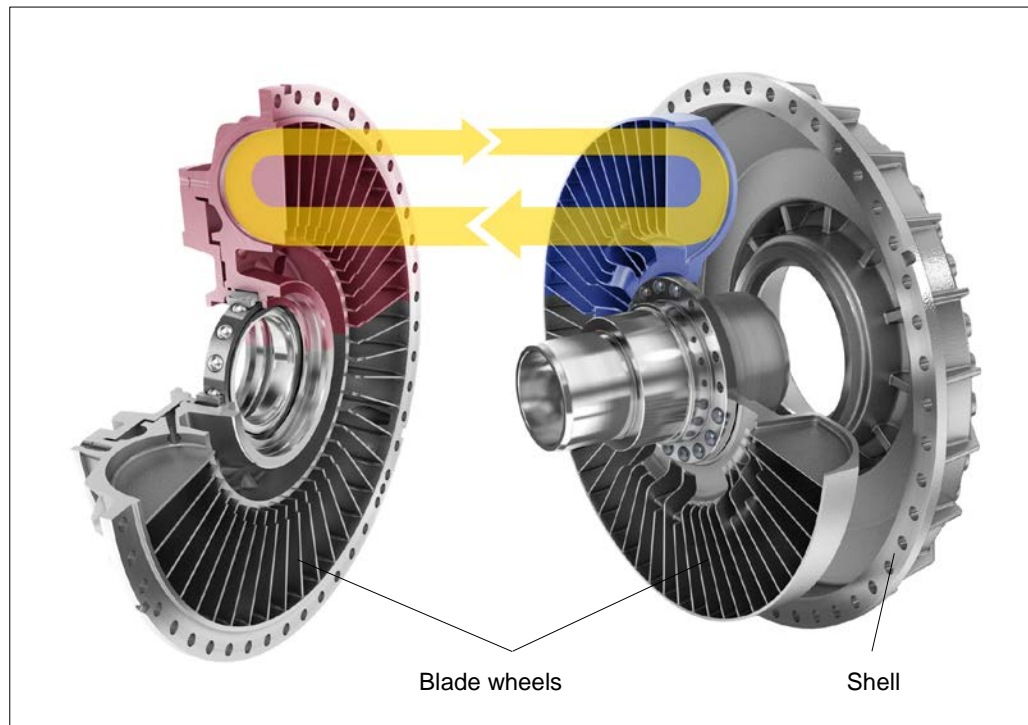


Fig. 1

The Voith turbo coupling is a hydrodynamic coupling working to the Föttinger principle. Its main elements consist of two blade wheels - the pump impeller and the turbine wheel - enclosed by a shell. Both wheels are provided with bearings relative to each other. The power is transmitted with hardly any wear, there is no mechanical contact between the power-transmitting parts. A constant amount of operating fluid is in the coupling.

The mechanical energy provided by the drive motor is converted into kinetic energy of the operating fluid in the connected pump impeller. In the turbine wheel, this kinetic energy is reconverted into mechanical energy.



Three conditions are to be considered with regard to the coupling function:

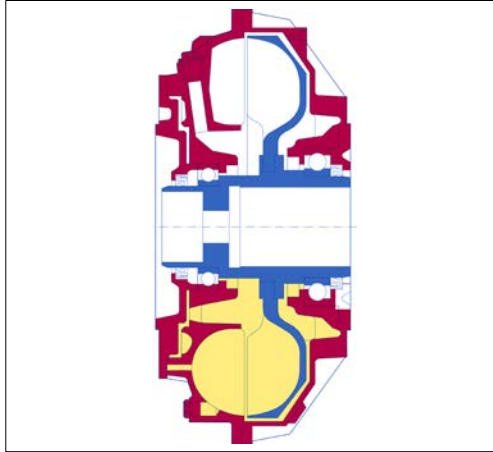


Fig. 2

**Standstill**

The whole operating fluid rests in the coupling.

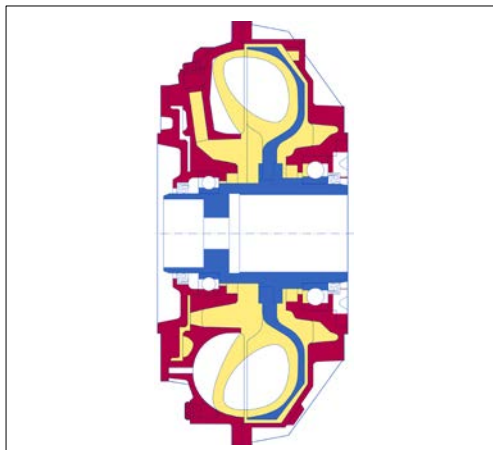


Fig. 3

**Starting condition**

The pump impeller accelerates the operating fluid with increasing motor speed causing a circulating flow in the working chamber. The whole blade space of the turbine wheel is flooded, and the turbine wheel starts to move as a result of the kinetic energy of the fluid flow. The coupling characteristic curve determines the torque curve during start-up.

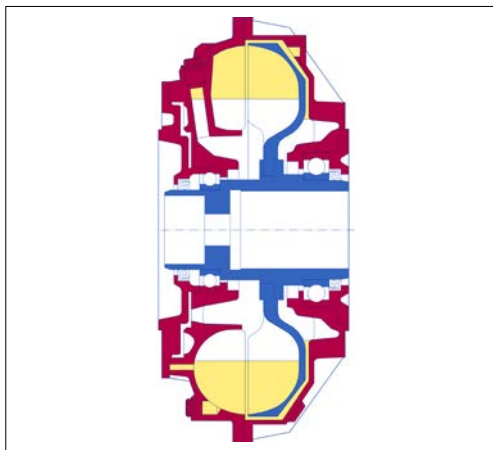


Fig. 4

**Nominal operation**

During nominal operation, only the torque required by the driven machine is transmitted. The low speed difference between pump impeller and turbine wheel (the so-called rated slip) results in a stationary flow condition in the coupling.

## 1.2 Type designation

Type designation  
 → Cover sheet

For hydrodynamic couplings with constant fill, the type designation is determined as follows:

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
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Example: 562 TVVS03

562	T			VV		S		03			
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1	<b>Coupling size (profile diameter in mm)</b> Possible sizes: 154, 206, 274, 366, 422, 487, 562, 650, 750, 866, 1000, 1150
2	<b>Number of hydrodynamic circuits</b> T: single-circuit coupling DT: double-circuit coupling
3	<b>Material</b> "no code letter": Silumin U: ferrous material
4	<b>Operating fluid</b> "no code letter": mineral oil W: water (please consult Voith regarding anti-freezing agent)
5	<b>Delay chamber</b> "no code letter": without delay chamber V: with delay chamber VV: with enlarged delay chamber
6	<b>Draining of delay chamber</b> "no code letter": time-dependent draining without dynamic refill F: with centrifugal valves (normally they are open on standstill) Y: with dynamic refill
7	<b>Shell</b> "no code letter" standard design S: designed as annular chamber
8	<b>Turbo coupling connection</b> "no code letter": designed for flexible connecting coupling mounted on the outer wheel side N: designed for primary coupling flange and flexible connecting coupling mounted on the coupling shaft.
9	<b>Design status</b> "no code letter": first design old: A, B, C, E, G, H, J new: 01, 02, 03, 04, 05, 06, 07, 08, 09, 10, ...
10	<b>Throttle plate</b> "no code letter": without throttle plate D: with throttle plate
11	<b>Design</b> "no code letter": standard design X: special constructional design Z: special hydrodynamic design
12	<b>Possible supplementary information in plain text</b>

### 1.3 Constructional examples

#### 1.3.1 Connecting coupling on the input side

**Type T (basic type):**

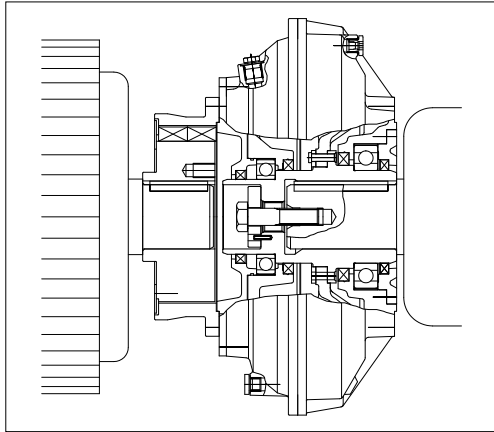


Fig. 5

**Type TV:**

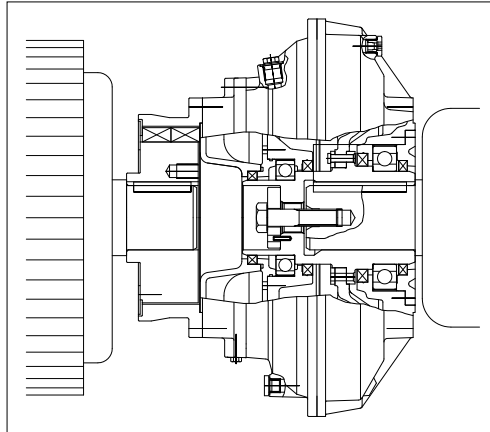


Fig. 6

**Type TVV:**

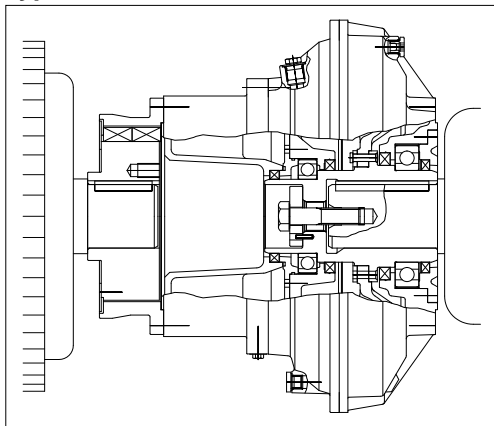


Fig. 7

**Type TVVS:**

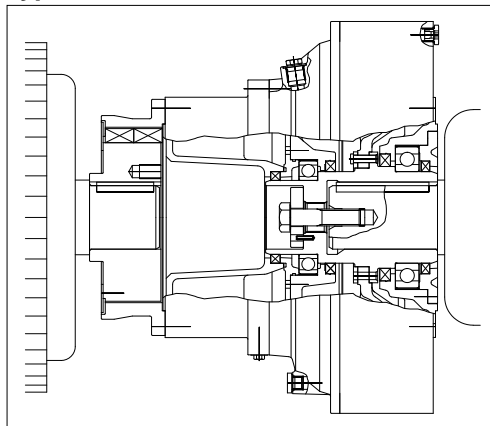


Fig. 8

**Type DT:**

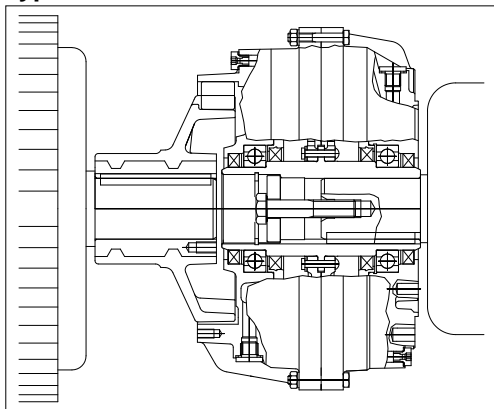


Fig. 9

**Type DTV:**

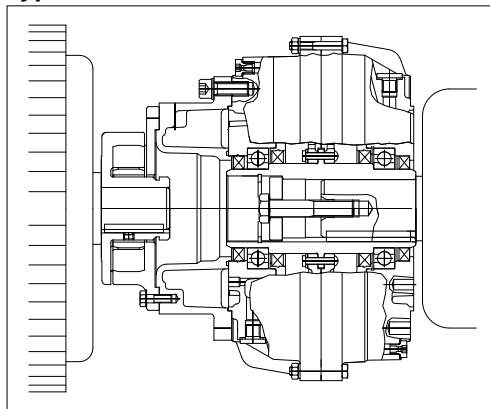


Fig. 10

### 1.3.2 Connecting coupling on the output side

**Type TN (basic type):**

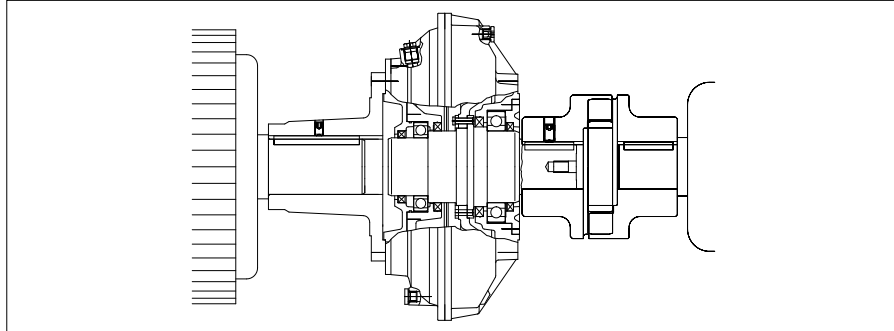


Fig. 11

**Type TVN:**

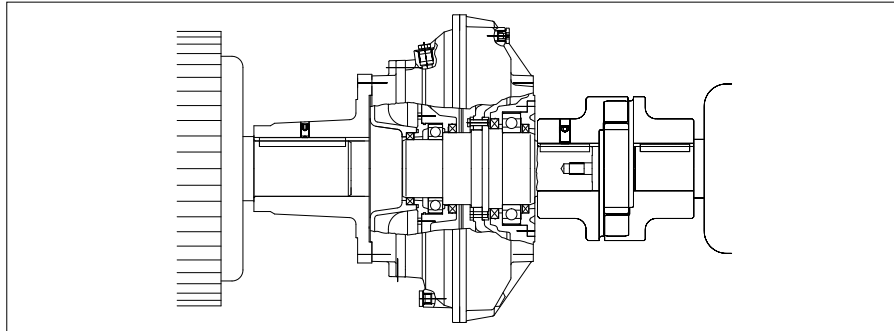


Fig. 12

**Type TVVN:**

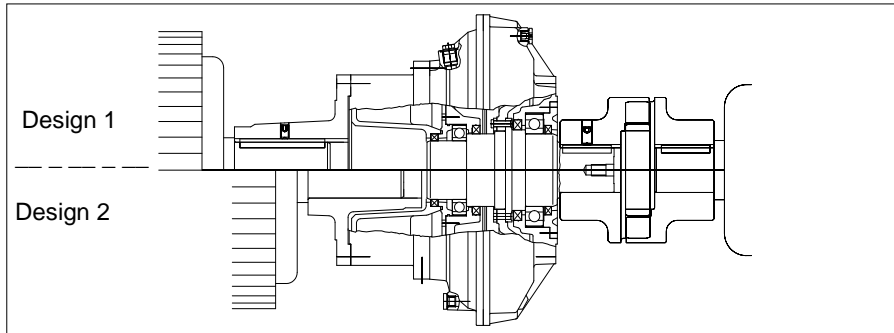


Fig. 13

**Type TVVSN:**

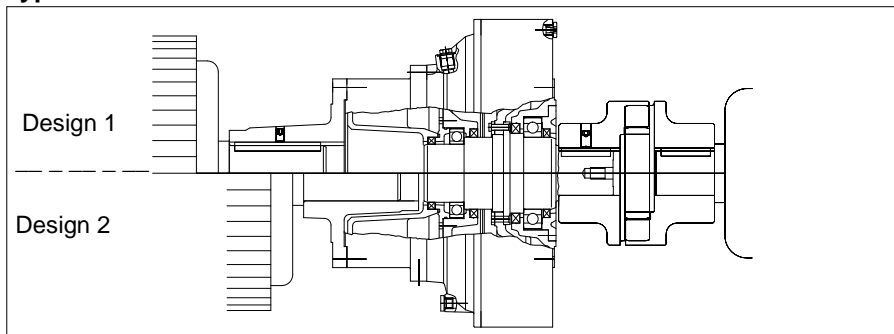


Fig. 14

## 2 Technical Data

### Information required for use in potentially explosive atmospheres:




CE  marking:		
Ambient temperature, if deviating from -25 °C T <sub>a</sub> 40 °C		°C
max. surface temperature (T <sub>3</sub> = 200 °C, T <sub>4</sub> = 135 °C, or deviating)		°C
Temperature monitoring	<input type="checkbox"/> MTS <sup>1)</sup> for pre-warning	
	<input type="checkbox"/> BTS <sup>2)</sup> for pre-warning	
	<input type="checkbox"/> BTS-Ex <sup>2)</sup> for limitation of max. surface temperature for Voith turbo couplings acc. to ATEX Directive.  Maximum permissible temperature of turbo coupling when switching on the motor:	°C
Nominal response temperature of temperature monitoring		°C
Max. permissible filling volume <sup>3)</sup>		dm <sup>3</sup> (liters)
Overload (à Chapter 6.8), causing the thermal fuse (fusible plug/s and/or BTS-Ex) to respond, requires the power supply to be switched off after		s (sec)
An additional monitoring of the output speed is required to switch off the power supply before the fusible plugs respond.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
After switching on the motor, monitoring of output speed has to begin after		s (sec)
Diameter of input <sup>4)</sup>		mm
Diameter of output <sup>4)</sup>		mm
Replacement of ball and roller bearings after		h

Table 1

- 1) MTS: Mechanical thermal switch unit (→ Chapter 19.1).
- 2) BTS: Non-contacting thermal switch unit (→ Chapter 19.2).
- 3) Applies if filling volume is not indicated on the cover sheet.
- 4) Diameter and fit of hub or shaft to be joined by means of shaft-hub connection.



**Additional information/data required for use in potentially explosive atmospheres:**

### 3 Tightening Torques

**NOTICE**

**Damage to property**

The turbo coupling may be damaged by incorrectly tightened screws.

- Tighten all screws using a torque-adjustable torque wrench!

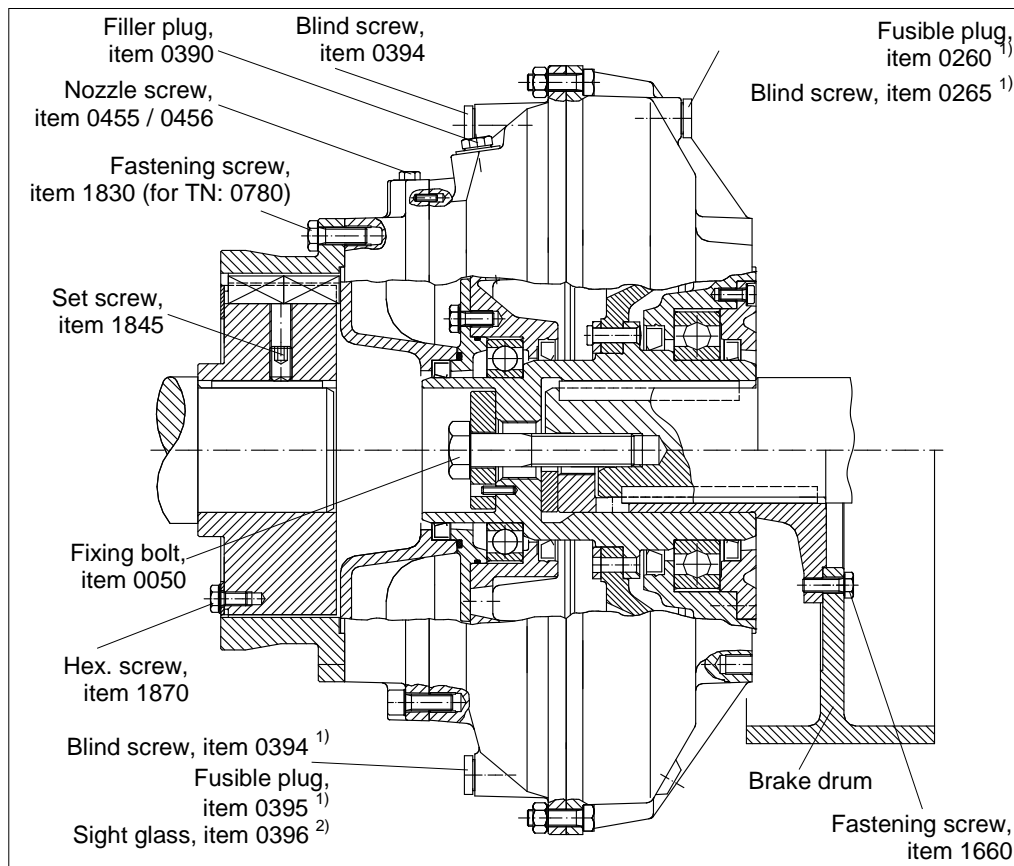


Fig. 15

- 1) For arrangement and quantity, → Chapter 13.4.
- 2) From coupling size 366.

### 3.1 Set screws and fixing bolts

Thread	Tightening torque in Nm									
	M6	M8	M10	M12	M16	M20	M24	M30	M36	M42
<b>Set screw, item 1845</b>	4	8	15	25	70	130	-	-	-	-
<b>Fixing bolt, item 0050</b>	-	23	46	80	195	380	660	1350	2350	3750

Table 2

The tightening torques for set screws apply to property classes as per EN ISO 898-5. The tightening torques for fixing bolts apply to screws with property class 8.8 or higher (as per EN ISO 898-1), oil-moistened and relevant shaft journal material.

### 3.2 Fusible plugs, filler plugs, sight glasses, blind- and nozzle screws

Coup- ling size	Tightening torque in Nm (dimension of thread)				
	Fusible plug, item 0260, item 0395	Filler plug, item 0390	Blind screw, item 0265, item 0394	Sight glass Pos. 0396	Nozzle screw, item 0455, item 0456
<b>154</b>	8 (M8)	13 (M10)	8 (M8)	-	-
<b>206</b>	13 (M10)	20 (M12x1.5)	13 (M10)	-	-
<b>274</b>	13 (M10)	30 (M14x1.5)	13 (M10)	-	-
<b>366 to 650</b>	50 (M18x1.5)	80 (M24x1.5)	50 (M18x1.5)	50 (M18x1.5)	48 (M16x1.5)
<b>750 to 1150</b>	144 (M24x1.5)	235 (M36x1.5)	144 (M24x1.5)	144 (M24x1.5)	48 (M16x1.5)

Table 3



### 3.3 Fastening screws

Coupling size	Tightening torque in Nm (dimension of thread)			
	Fastening screw, item 0780, item 1830	Fastening screw, item 1660	Socket head screw, Nor-Mex G, item 1816 <sup>2)</sup>	Hex. screw, EPK, item 1870
154	9 (M6)	-	-	-
206	23 (M8)	-	-	-
274	68 (M12)	80 (M12)	-	-
366	68 (M12)	80 (M12)	49 (M10)	23 (M8)
422	68 (M12)	80 (M12)	49 (M10)	46 (M10)
487	68 (M12)	80 (M12)	49 (M10)	46 (M10)
562	68 (M12)	195 (M16)	125 <sup>1)</sup> (M12)	46 (M10)
650	135 (M16)	380 (M20)	200 <sup>1)</sup> (M14)	46 (M10)
750	135 (M16)	380 (M20)	200 <sup>1)</sup> (M14)	46 (M10)
866	250 (M20)	380 (M20)	-	80 (M12)
1000	250 (M20)	-	-	80 (M12)
1150	580 (M27)	-	-	80 (M12)

Table 4

Screws with property class 8.8 or higher as per EN ISO 898-1 are used.

- 1) Screws with property class 10.9 as per EN ISO 898-1 are required.
- 2) → Chapter 20.4.2

## 4 Declarations of Manufacturer

### 4.1 Declaration regarding assemblies and components

Since 29 December 2009, a new Machinery Directive 2006/42/EC has to be applied bindingly in the member states of the European Community.

Voith turbo couplings of Product Group "Start-up Components", as defined by the new Machinery Directive 2006/42/EC and the explanations of the guidelines published in December 2009 to implement the Machinery Directive, are neither "machines" nor "incomplete machinery", but rather assemblies or components.

As our products are no incomplete machinery, we do not issue a declaration of incorporation as per Machinery Directive 2006/42/EC.

An EC Declaration of Conformity must not be issued for these products either, nor CE marking be provided, unless specified by other EC directives or regulations.

Voith as certified company ensures that the basic safety and health requirements for their products are always be met by internal quality management systems and by applying harmonized standards.

The technical documentation for Voith products is so comprehensive that they may be installed reliably into machinery or incomplete machinery. Safe operation of the complete machinery with regard to Voith products is also ensured at a later date when observing this documentation.

Issued in	Crailsheim, Germany
On	January 10, 2014
Name of the undersigned	Mr. J. Hagedorn, General Manager - Start-up Components

## 4.2 Conformity Declaration

EC Conformity Declaration as per Directive 94/9/EC (valid until April 19, 2016),

EU Conformity Declaration as per Directive 2014/34/EU (valid from April 20, 2016)

The manufacturer      Voith Turbo GmbH & Co. KG,  
Voithstraße 1, 74564 Crailsheim / Germany

hereby declares that the machinery described below:

Description            T...  
turbo coupling with constant fill

Serial number          see shipping documents

complies with the provisions of the following harmonized standards in the version valid on the date of signature:

- EN ISO 12100-1 / -2    Safety of machinery - basic concepts and general principles for design  
Part 1: Terminology, methodology  
Part 2: Technical principles
- EN 1127-1 / -2        Explosive atmospheres, explosion prevention, basic concepts and methodology
- EN 13463-1            Non-electrical equipment for use in potentially explosive atmospheres,  
Part 1: Basic method and requirements
- EN 13463-5            Non-electrical equipment for use in potentially explosive atmospheres,  
Part 5: Protection by constructional safety "c"
- EN 13463-8            Non-electrical equipment for use in potentially explosive atmospheres,  
Part 8: Protection by liquid immersion "k"
- EN 1710                Equipment and components intended for use in potentially explosive atmospheres in underground mines

as well as with the following European and national standards and technical specifications in the version valid on the date of signature:

- TRBS 2153            Avoidance of ignition hazards resulting from electrostatic charging

Each modification by the customer on the parts supplied, invalidates the declaration.

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On                         November 25, 2015

Name of                 Mr. J. Hagedorn,  
the undersigned        General Manager - Start-up Components

## 5 User Information

This manual will support you in using the turbo coupling with connecting coupling in a safe, proper and economical way.

If you observe the information contained in this manual, you will

- increase the reliability and lifetime of the turbo coupling and installation,
- avoid any risks
- reduce repairs and downtimes

This manual must

- always to be available at the machine jobsite
- be read and used by every person who transports the turbo coupling, works on the turbo coupling or commissions the same.

The turbo coupling has been manufactured according to the latest design standard and approved safety regulations. Nevertheless, the user's or third party's life may be endangered or the machine or other property impaired in case of improper handling or unintended use.

### **Spare parts:**

Spare parts must comply with the requirements determined by Voith. This is guaranteed when original spare parts are used.

Installation and/or use of non-original spare parts may negatively change the mechanical properties of the **Voith turbo coupling** and thus have an adverse impact on safety.

Voith is not liable for any damages resulting from the use of non-original spare parts.

Use only appropriate workshop equipment for maintenance. Professional maintenance and/or repair can only be guaranteed by the manufacturer or an authorized specialist workshop.

This manual has been issued with the utmost care. However, should you need any further information, please contact:

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# 6 Safety

## 6.1 Safety information

Safety information indicating the descriptions and symbols as described in the following are used in the operating manual.

### 6.1.1 Structure of safety information

 <b>DANGER WORD</b>
<p><b>Hazard consequences</b> Source of hazard</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Warding off of danger</li> </ul>

#### Danger word

The danger word divides the severity of the danger in several levels:




Danger word	Severity of danger
 DANGER	Death or serious injury (irreversible personal injury)
 WARNING	Death or serious injury possible
 CAUTION	Minor or moderate injury possible
<i>NOTICE</i>	Possibly damage to property of - the product - its environment
SAFETY INFORMATION	General applications details, useful information, safe job procedure and proper safety measures

Table 5

#### Hazard consequences

Hazard consequences indicate the kind of hazard.

#### Source of hazard

The source of hazard indicates the cause of hazard.

#### Warding off of danger

Warding off of danger describes the measures to be taken to ward off a danger

### 6.1.2 Definition of safety symbols


Symbol	Definition
	Danger of explosion Marking with the Ex-symbol indicates possible hazards which have to be observed for the use in potentially explosive atmospheres.

Table 6

### 6.2 Intended use

The turbo coupling with constant fill is provided to transmit the torque from the drive motor to the driven machine.

The **power** permitted during stationary operation at a specific **input speed** and a specific **coupling filling** (operating fluid and filling) is entered on the cover sheet of this manual. Any use beyond that is deemed unintended (→ Chapter 6.3 Unintended use).

Intended use also includes observing this installation and operating manual and complying with the inspection and maintenance conditions.

The manufacturer is not liable for any damages resulting from unintended use. The risk has to be borne solely by the user.

#### SAFETY INFORMATION

- If not indicated accordingly in → Chapter 2, it is not allowed to use this turbo coupling in potentially explosive atmospheres!
- Please check with reference to the marking whether the turbo coupling is approved for potentially explosive atmospheres.
- If the zonal classification changes, the operator has to check whether it is still allowed to operate the turbo coupling in that zone.



A marking according to Directive ATEX and EN13463 has been provided on the periphery of the turbo couplings. The marking specifies in what potentially explosive atmospheres and under what conditions the use is permitted.

Example:   II 2D c 180 C X

Industrial area in which during normal operation an explosive atmosphere may form occasionally in form of a cloud of combustible dust in the air. Mechanical explosion protection by constructional safety. Maximum surface temperature: 180 °C.

### 6.3 Unintended use

The power transmission permitted during stationary operation at a specific input speed and a specific coupling filling (operating fluid and quantity) is entered on the cover sheet of this manual.

Any use beyond that described herein, e.g. for higher powers, higher speeds, other operating fluids or operating conditions that have not been agreed upon, is considered unintended use.

Moreover, it is not permitted to use BTS-Ex non-contacting thermal switch units from third parties.

### 6.4 Structural modifications



#### **WARNING**

##### **Risk of personal injuries and damage to property**

Structural modifications not done properly on the turbo coupling may cause personal injury and damage to property.

- Modifications, attachments or conversions on the turbo coupling are only allowed with the approval of Voith Turbo GmbH & Co. KG, Crailsheim.

### 6.5 General information as to dangerous situations

**For all work performed on the turbo coupling, please observe the local regulations for the prevention of accidents!**

**Hazards while working on the turbo coupling:**



#### **WARNING**

##### **Risk of injury**

While working on the turbo coupling, there is the risk of injury through cutting, crushing, burns and cold burns in case of minus degrees.

- Never touch the turbo coupling without wearing protective gloves.
- Start to work on the turbo coupling only after it has cooled down to below 44 °C!
- Ensure that there is sufficient light, a sufficiently large working space and good ventilation when working on the turbo coupling.
- Switch off the unit in which the turbo coupling is installed and secure the switch against inadvertent switch-on.
- For all work performed on the turbo coupling ensure that both the drive motor and the driven machine have stopped running and that a re-start is absolutely impossible!



**Hot surfaces:****WARNING****Risk of burning**

The turbo coupling gets warm during operation.

- Please provide a guard for protection against contact with the turbo coupling!  
However, ventilation of the turbo coupling must not be impaired.

**NOTICE****Damage to property**

Thermal distortion or tensions if the warm turbo coupling is cooled down by means of fluids.

- Never use fluids to cool down the turbo coupling!
- Let the turbo coupling cool down at ambient temperature.

**Rotating parts:****WARNING****Entanglement hazard**

Rotating parts, such as the turbo coupling itself and exposed shaft parts need to be protected by a protective cover against contact with and entry of loose parts.

- Never operate the turbo coupling without these protective covers.

Protective cover  
→ Chapter 11

**Noise:****WARNING****Hearing loss, permanent impairment of hearing**

The turbo coupling generates noise during operation. If the A-classified equivalent sound pressure level  $L_{PA, 1m}$  exceeds 80 dB(A), this may cause impairment of hearing!

- Wear ear protection.

Sound pressure  
level  
→ Cover sheet

**Electric shock:**

 **DANGER**

**Electric shock**

On account of incorrectly mounted or incorrectly connected electrical components, and disconnected electric connections, persons could get an electric shock and be severely injured, possibly with fatal consequences.

Incorrectly mounted or incorrectly connected electrical components and disconnected electric connections may cause damages to the machine.

- A qualified electrician has to properly carry out the connection to the electric supply network considering the system voltage and the maximum power consumption!
- The system voltage has to be in conformity with the system voltage indicated on the nameplate!
- There has to be a corresponding electrical protection by a fuse on the network side!

 **DANGER**

**Electrostatic processes**

Electrostatic charging may injure persons by an electric shock.

- Allow only a qualified electrician to install the equipment into which the turbo coupling is installed.
- Machine and electric installation are provided with grounding connections.

**Overspeed:**

This refers only to installations where overspeed (exceeding the rated speed) is possible.

**NOTICE**

**Damage to property**

Non-recognition of overspeed, wrong direction of rotation or parameters outside the tolerance due to incorrect programming, may destroy the turbo coupling.

- Check whether the entire system is equipped with a device which safely prevents overspeed (for example brake or backstop).
- For rated speed, → cover sheet..

**Extreme ambient temperatures:****WARNING****Risk of personal injuries and damage to property**

Extreme ambient temperatures may result in thermal overload of the turbo coupling, thus causing the fusible plugs to melt and seriously injure any persons in their immediate surroundings, and to cause damage to the turbo coupling.

- Observe the permissible ambient temperature.

Ambient  
temperature  
→ Chapter 2

**NOTICE****Damage to property**

The turbo coupling may be damaged by frozen operating fluid.

- The ambient temperature must be above the freezing point of the operating fluid.
- Adhere to the temperature limits indicated (→ Chapter 6.8).

Only when water is  
used as operating  
fluid

**Operating fluid which sprays off or leaks out:****WARNING****Risk of losing sight due to operating fluid spraying off, risk of burning**

In case of thermal overload of the turbo coupling, the fusible plugs respond. Operating fluid leaks out through these fusible plugs.

- Persons close to the turbo coupling must wear safety goggles.
- Please make sure that the spraying-off operating fluid cannot get in contact with persons.
- If the fusible plugs spray off, switch off the drive immediately.
- Electrical devices located near the coupling need to be splash-guarded.

 **WARNING**

**Fire hazard**

After the fusible plugs responded, spraying off oil may ignite on hot surfaces causing fire, as well as releasing toxic gases and vapor.

- Make sure that spraying off operating fluid cannot get into contact with hot machine parts, heaters, sparks or open flames.
- Immediately switch off the driving machine when the fusible plugs respond.
- Please pay attention to the information contained in the safety data sheets.

 **CAUTION**

**Danger of slipping**

Slipping hazard due to spraying off solder of fusible plugs and leaking out operating fluid.

- Please provide a catch pan of sufficient size.
- Immediately remove any leaking out solder and operating fluid.
- Please pay attention to the information contained in the safety data sheets.

**Checking the methane content before working on the turbo coupling:**



Permissible limit values according to local regulations

 **WARNING**

**Explosion hazard**

For turbo couplings with housings made of aluminum alloys and when the protective cover was removed, if the permissible methane content is exceeded, there is the risk of explosion.

- Before and during all work performed on the turbo coupling, check the methane content around the turbo coupling.
- Should this permissible limit value be exceeded, the work has to be stopped until the value is again below the limit value.

## 6.6 Remaining risks



### WARNING

#### Risk of personal injuries and damage to property

Unintended use or incorrect operation may cause death, serious injuries or minor injuries as well as damage to property and the environment.

- Only persons who are sufficiently qualified, trained and authorized are allowed to work on or with the turbo coupling.
- Please observe the warnings and safety information.

## 6.7 What to do in case of accidents

### SAFETY INFORMATION

- In case of accidents, please observe the local regulations, the operating manuals and the operator's safety measures.

## 6.8 Information with regard to operation

### SAFETY INFORMATION

- If irregularities are found during operation, immediately switch off the drive unit.

### Power transmission:

The cover sheet of this manual indicates the possible power transmission at a specific input speed and a specific coupling filling (operating fluid and quantity).

These values describe a permissible working point for the stationary operation of the turbo coupling.

### NOTICE

#### Damage to property

Deviations from the permissible working point cause damage the turbo coupling.

- Voith Turbo's approval is required for a stationary operation of the turbo coupling at a different working point.

**Operating fluid:**

**NOTICE**

**Damage to property**

Too little filling results in thermal overload of the turbo coupling, and in case of too much filling, the turbo coupling may be damaged by internal pressure.

- Operate the turbo coupling only with the filling quantity stated on the cover sheet of this manual.
- Use only the operating fluid indicated on the cover sheet of this manual.

**Heating up during start-up:**

**NOTICE**

**Damage to property**

During start-up, the turbo coupling heats up more than during stationary operation due to the increased slip.

- Please provide sufficient intervals between start-ups to avoid thermal overload.

**Starting characteristic of turbo couplings with delay chamber:**

On start-up, the operating fluid flows from the delay chamber into the turbo coupling working chamber. On standstill, the operating fluid returns into the delay chamber. Please provide sufficient intervals (a few minutes) between the starts to get a correct starting characteristic.

**Coupling temperature:** **WARNING****Explosion hazard**

Explosion hazard due to high temperature of turbo coupling.

- Make sure that the air surrounding the turbo coupling does not exceed the permissible value.

**NOTICE****Damage due to under temperature**

The turbo coupling may be damaged by under temperature.

- Please consult Voith Turbo if the turbo coupling shall be used at ambient temperatures
  - below -25 °C for operating fluid 'oil'
  - below 1 °C for operating fluid 'water'

Technical data  
→ Chapter 2 and  
ordering documents

**NOTICE****Damage due to overheating**

Overheating (nominal temperature is exceeded) may damage the turbo coupling.

- Provide sufficient ventilation / aeration of the turbo coupling.

**Fusible plugs:**

The fusible plugs protect the turbo coupling against damage due to thermal overload.

**NOTICE****Damage to property**

The turbo coupling will be damaged if operation is continued after a fusible plug responded.

- Switch off the drive motor immediately on response of one of the fusible plugs!
- Use original fusible plugs only with the response temperature indicated on the → cover sheet of this operating manual.

Technical data  
→ Chapter 2

**Monitoring devices:**

Monitoring devices  
→ Chapter 19

**NOTICE**

**Damage to property**

Damage to turbo coupling due to monitoring devices not ready for service.

- Check whether existing monitoring devices are in a state ready for service.
- Repair any defective monitoring device immediately.
- Never bypass safety devices.

**Blocking:**

**NOTICE**

**Damage to property**

Blocking of the driven machine may cause overheating of the turbo coupling and response of the fusible plugs thus endangering persons as well as the turbo coupling and environment.

- Immediately switch off the driving machine.



**Overload of turbo coupling:**

After the thermal fuse responded, switch off the power supply after the time required in → Chapter 2 at the latest.

In case of multi-motor drive, switch off the whole system!

If an additional monitoring of the overload is required, monitor the output speed.

If the output speed falls below the input speed by more than 10%, immediately switch off the power supply.

Permissible surface  
temperature,  
→ Chapter 2

It is necessary to switch off the power supply as otherwise the permissible surface temperature indicated cannot be met.



**NOTICE****Overload of turbo coupling**

The turbo coupling will be overloaded in cases where:

- the driven machine blocks
- the driven machine is loaded excessively during nominal operation and/or during start-up.

Please consult Voith Turbo in case of unforeseeable turbo coupling overload.

**Connecting couplings:**

**Connecting  
couplings  
→ Chapter 20.4**

**Connecting couplings of types EPK, ERK:****NOTICE****Damage to property**

Fracture (shearing) of flexible element.

- Immediately stop the drive.
- In case of multi-motor drive, switch off the whole system.
- Regularly check the flexible element for wear.

**Connecting couplings of types ENK, EEK, Nor-Mex G:****WARNING****Risk of personal injuries and damage to property**

In case of too heavily worn flexible element, there is the risk that parts of the connecting coupling touch/hit each other. Fire and explosion hazard due to sparking! Danger to life due to flying debris! Risk of damage to the driving and driven machine!

- Regularly check the flexible element and rollers for wear.

## 6.9 Qualification of staff

Only qualified and authorized professional staff are allowed to perform work, such as transportation, storage, installation, electrical connection, commissioning, operation, maintenance, servicing and repair.

Qualified professional staff in the sense of this operating manual are persons who are familiar with transportation, storage, installation, electrical connection, commissioning, maintenance, servicing and repair and who have got the necessary qualifications relevant to their job performed. Qualification has to be ensured by performing training and giving instructions on the turbo coupling.

This staff must be trained, instructed and authorized to:

- operate and service machines in a professional manner in accordance with the technical safety standards.
- use lifting appliances, slings (ropes, chains, etc.) and lifting points in a professional manner.
- properly dispose of media and their components, e.g. lubricating grease.
- service and use safety devices in a manner that ensures compliance with safety standards.
- prevent accidents and provide first aid.

Staff to be trained may only perform work on the turbo coupling under the supervision of a qualified and authorized person.

The staff in charge of any work to be done on the coupling must

- be reliable,
- have the legal age,
- be trained, instructed and authorized with regard to the intended work.

## 6.10 Product monitoring

We are under legal obligation to keep the performance of our products under observation, even after shipment.

Therefore, please inform us about anything that might be of interest to us. For example:

- Change in operating data,
- experience gained with the machine,
- recurring problems,
- problems experienced with this installation and operating manual.

**Our address,  
→ Page 2**

# 7 Transport and Storage

## 7.1 As delivered condition

- The turbo coupling is delivered in ready-mounted condition.
- The turbo coupling is not filled. If the scope of supply includes the operating fluid, it will be delivered in a separate container.
- Other accessories will be supplied as loose parts.

**Packaging**  
→ Chapter 7.5

### **Basic type T...:**

The turbo coupling is delivered completely with mounted connecting coupling (if included in the scope of supply). Fixing bolt and holding disk are supplied in addition.

### **Basic type T...N...:**

The turbo coupling is delivered completely, with mounted primary coupling flange.

## 7.2 Scope of supply

The turbo coupling will be supplied as indicated on the cover sheet.  
A set of fusible plugs is supplied as spare one.

Additional parts belonging to the scope of supply, such as connecting coupling, fusible plugs, temperature monitoring, mounting and removal device, etc. will be stated in the order confirmation.

### 7.3 Transport



Protective cover  
→ Chapter 11

#### WARNING

##### Explosion hazard

For turbo couplings with housings made of aluminum alloys, there can be the risk of explosion when being transported in / through explosive atmospheres.

- In potentially explosive atmospheres it is only allowed to transport the turbo coupling in suitable packing.
- This transport packing has to meet the same minimum requirements as the protective cover.

#### WARNING

##### Risk of injury

Falling parts may seriously injure or kill you.

- Secure the turbo coupling sufficiently.
- Pay attention to the center of gravity position.
- Use the provided lifting points.
- Use appropriate transportation means and slings (ropes, chains, etc.).

#### WARNING

##### Risk of crushing

Incorrect handling of the turbo coupling may cause bruising of upper and lower limbs and seriously injure persons.

- Skilled staff only is allowed to carry out transportation!

## 7.4 Lifting

### Lifting appliances, load carrying attachments, lifting points

Observe the turbo coupling weight!

Lifting appliances (e.g. crane, high-lift truck), slings (ropes, chains, etc.) and lifting points (swivels, thread size as for items 1830 or 0780, → Chapter 3.3) need to be

- checked and approved
- sufficiently dimensioned and in sound condition,
- and may only be operated by authorized and trained persons.

It is not allowed to use eyebolts!

Read the operating instructions for lifting appliances, slings (ropes, chains, etc.) and lifting points!

**For weight of the turbo coupling → cover sheet. Weights of over 100 kg will be stamped on the turbo coupling.**



#### WARNING

##### Risk of injury

Damaged load carrying attachments or those with insufficient carrying capacity may break under load, with the consequence of serious or even fatal injuries.

- Check the lifting appliances and load carrying attachments for
  - sufficient carrying capacity (for weight, → cover sheet).
  - sound condition.

### Fixing the turbo coupling



#### WARNING

##### Risk of injury

Falling parts may seriously injure or kill you.

- Do not walk under suspended loads.

### NOTICE

#### Personal injury and damage to property

Improper fixing and lifting of the turbo coupling may cause personal injury and damage to property

- It is only allowed to lift the turbo coupling at the lifting points provided for this purpose (see the following pictures).
  - When fastening and lifting the turbo coupling, do not damage the ribbing of the turbo coupling through lifting appliances or load carrying attachments.
  - Damaged ribs may result in unbalance of the turbo coupling, thus causing uneven running of the machine.
- 
- If a connecting coupling is fixed, remove it to allow the screwing in of swivels.
  - Screw suitable swivels (thread size as for items 1830 and 0780, → Chapter 3.3) into the turbo coupling.  
Do not unscrew existing screws for this purpose; please use the threads provided.
  - Fix the slings (ropes, chains, etc.).



Fig. 16

**WARNING****Risk of injury**

Danger to life and risk of injury caused by falling load, tilting or sliding of the turbo coupling.

- Slings (ropes, chains, etc.) must not be slung around the turbo coupling for lifting.
- Always use at least 2 slings (ropes, chains, etc.) for fixing.
- Do not walk under suspended loads.
- Observe the general guidelines for the prevention of accidents.
- Secure the turbo coupling against tilting and sliding as long as it is not mounted between the driving and driven machine.

**Turning the turbo coupling**

- Screw suitable swivels (thread size as for items 1830 and 0780, → Chapter 3.3) into the turbo coupling.  
Do not unscrew existing screws for this purpose; please use the threads provided.
- Fix the slings (ropes, chains, etc.).



Fig. 17

**⚠ WARNING**

**Risk of crushing**

Incorrect handling of the turbo coupling may cause bruising of upper and lower limbs and seriously injure persons.

- Always use at least 2 slings (ropes, chains, etc.) for fixing.
  - For turning, please use 2 slings (ropes, chains, etc.) on each side.
- 
- On the opposite side, screw suitable swivels (thread size as for items 1830 and 0780, → Chapter 3.3) into the turbo coupling.  
Do not unscrew existing screws for this purpose; please use the threads provided.
  - Fix the turbo coupling to the second slings.



Fig. 18



- Align the turbo coupling horizontally using the two lifting appliances.

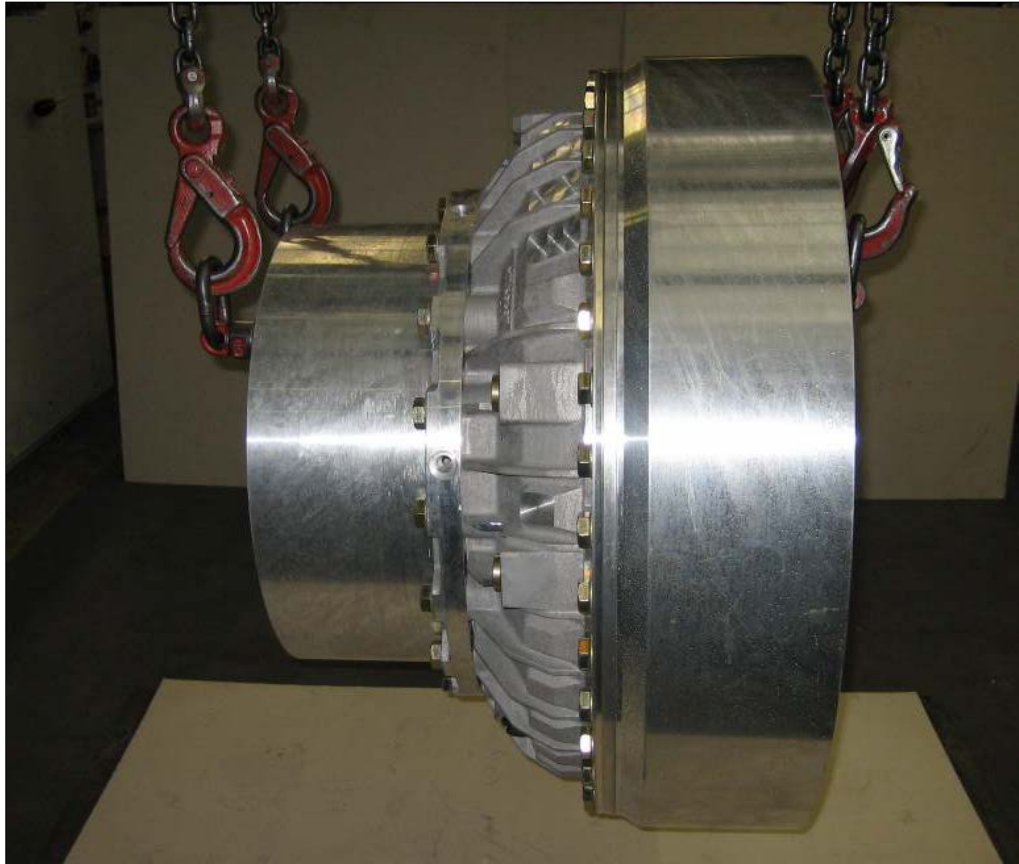


Fig. 19

- Carefully set the turbo coupling down on a wooden board / pallet, and secure it against tilting.  
The turbo coupling has been turned.

## 7.5 Storage / Packing / Preservation

### 7.5.1 Storage of turbo coupling

#### As delivered condition

The as delivered condition of the Voith Turbo Couplings depends on the mode of transport and the storage period:

Condition No. 1 represents the delivered standard, for deviations, → ordering documents.

Condition No.	- Transport - Admissible storage period	Packing / Measures taken
1	- Overland / air transport - Storage up to <b>6 months</b> indoors (building)	- Device to suit transportation - Weather protection provided by the means of transport - Packed in PE foil
2	- Sea transport - Storage up to <b>6 months</b> indoors (building)	- Device to suit transportation - Sharp edges protected - Shrink-wrapped in PE foil - Desiccant according to DIN 55473 / 55474 - Water-proof cardboard or wooden box/crate - Line the inside of the crate lid with sealed ribbed PE sheets (Akylux). Put PVC foil underneath at butt joints
3	- Sea transport - Storage up to <b>12 months</b> indoors (building)	- As for Condition No. 2 - Improved preservation
4	- Sea transport - Storage up to <b>24 months</b> indoors (building)	- As for Condition No. 2 - Shrink-wrapped in aluminum sandwich foil instead of PE foil

Table 7

#### Opening of the packaging

Foils that have been opened for inspection upon receipt are to be re-closed airtight for further storage. Use a new desiccant, if necessary.

Notes on disposal  
→ Chapter 16

#### Disposal of the packaging

Dispose of packaging material according to the local regulations.

#### Extension of storage period

The allowable storage period may be extended maximal three times according to the following descriptions. To do so, it is necessary to check the packaging and to possibly replace it.

After replacing the desiccant, close the foil packings airtight.

**External preservation / re-preservation**

Renew the external preservation according to the allowable storage period. Spray bright metal parts (hub bores, brake disks, etc.) with Houghton Ensis DWG2462.

**Internal preservation / re-preservation:**

Renew the internal preservation annually (for Condition No. 4: every 2 years). Wet the turbo coupling inside with an oil selected from the selection list.

**Selection list for internal preservation agents**

Producer	Designation
ARAL	Aral Oil KONIT SAE 20W-20
Mobil	Mobilarma 524 (SAE 30)
Houghton	Ensis Engine Oil 20
Wintershall	Wintershall Antikorrol 20W-20

The recommended operating fluids may also be used for preservation.

Table 8

**Turbo coupling on bearings or mounted (turnable)**

For re-preservation, fill the turbo coupling with oil above the axis of rotation center and rotate the turbo coupling input and output at least once.

**Turbo coupling mounted (not turnable)**

Fill the turbo coupling up to the upper fusible plug.

Then drain the oil and close the plug on the turbo coupling according to the specified procedure. The oil may remain in the turbo coupling for another scheduled re-preservation if it is ensured that prior to commissioning, the turbo coupling is filled with fresh oil (oil quantity according to design documents).

Protect the turbo coupling against weather and environmental influences if it is installed in a machine that is not set into operation. Renew the external re-preservation every 6 months, internal re-preservation once a year.

If necessary, clean the turbo coupling outside before performing re-preservation. Proceed for external and internal re-preservation as described above.

**Outside cleaning**  
→ Chapter 13.1

### NOTICE

#### Damage to property

Danger of frost

- When storing turbo couplings of type "TW" below 1°C, drain the water.
- Remove the flexible element (item 1820) prior to cleaning the coupling components and applying the long-term preservation!

## 7.5.2 Storage of flexible element



Explosion protection!

The storage period of the flexible element (item 1820) until it is used in the connecting coupling must not exceed **4 years**.

- The storage area has to be dry and free from dust.
- Do not store the flexible element (item 1820) together with chemicals, solvents, fuels, acids, etc.
- They need to be protected against light with a high content of UV rays.

## 8 Installation and Alignment



### WARNING

#### Risk of injury

Please observe, in particular, → Chapter 6 (Safety) when working on the turbo coupling!

### 8.1 Tools



### WARNING

#### Explosion hazard

There is the risk of explosion when using unsuitable tools.

- When using or assembling an Ex-coupling, use only tools approved for application in potentially explosive atmospheres.
- Observe the locally applicable regulations.
- Avoid formation of sparks.



The following tools are required; check in detail with the assembly plan.

#### Tools:

Set of open-end wrenches  
Set of ring spanners  
Socket wrench box (containing hexagon spanners, ratchet, etc.)  
Set of Allan keys  
Screwdrivers  
Torque wrenches  
Hammer, rubber mallet  
Set of files  
Wire brush

Dimension of thread  
→ Chapter 3

#### Measuring equipment:

Dial gauge with holder  
Caliper gauge  
External screw-type micrometer according to shaft diameter  
Inside micrometer      according to hub diameter

Dial gauges  
→ Chapter 8.5.5

#### Mounting auxiliaries:

Auxiliaries for alignment of motor and gearbox (fastening screws),  
e.g. shims for motor and gearbox pedestals (0.1 - 0.3 - 0.5 - 1.0 - 3.0mm).  
Grinding cloth, graining 100, 240.

For swivel sizes,  
→ Chapter 3.3,  
items 1830 and 0780

**Lifting appliances and load carrying attachments:**

Crane.

Two shackles with appropriate slings (ropes, chains, etc.) for lifting the coupling.

Observe the pictures → 8.3.1!

Adjustable chains or ropes with sufficient tensile strength (see individual weights).

## 8.2 Preparation

Weight of turbo coupling  
→ cover sheet.  
Weights of more than 100 kg are stamped on the turbo coupling.

- Prepare suitable tools and lifting appliances.
- Observe the turbo coupling weight.
- Check the shaft journals of drive motor and driven machine for true radial running.
- Check the length of fixing bolt if the length of the shaft journal, on which the turbo coupling is mounted, was changed or not indicated to Voith Turbo.
- Clean fitting surfaces on shaft journals and hubs using emery cloth.
- Degrease flanges which will be bolted.
- Clean all preserved surfaces.
- Slightly oil the threads of bolts.



### NOTICE

**Damage to property**

Overheating may damage the connecting coupling.

- Shafts that are connected to the turbo coupling by means of a flexible connecting coupling, must not exceed 80 °C during operation.

- Apply a thin film of lubricant to the shaft journals.

### SAFETY INFORMATION

Use a lubricant with the following characteristics:

- Operating temperature range: -20 °C...180 °C,
- Water- and wash-out-resistant
- Protection against fretting corrosion and corrosion

**Proposed lubricants:**

Producer	Designation	Note
Dow Corning	Molykote G-N Plus Paste Molykote G-Rapid Plus Paste Molykote TP 42	
Fuchs	Gleitmo 815	
Liqui Moly	LM 48 Montagepaste	
Dow Corning	Molykote D 321 R Anti-Friction Coating	<b>Hazardous substance!</b> Observe the data sheet for hazardous substances!
Castrol Optimol	Molub-Alloy Paste White T Molub-Alloy Paste MP 3	

Table 9

## 8.2.1 Keys

### Requirement

Keys must

- have sufficient back clearance,
- be axially fixed and
- move easily in the grooves.

### Marking

When using a shaft-hub connection with key, the hub is marked at the face side according to DIN ISO 8821:

- H: Half-key convention
- F: Full-key convention

This mark should comply with the mark on the shaft.

### Inserting keys

#### SAFETY INFORMATION

Remove the key to avoid an unbalance in case of a shaft-hub connection with:

- one key
- balancing according to half-key convention
- and if the key is longer than the hub.

- For coupling hubs of sizes 154, 206 and 274 with a key or half-key convention, a compensation groove can be provided opposite for balancing of unbalance.
- For coupling hubs with a key and full-key convention, an identical compensation groove is provided opposite for balancing of unbalance.
- Clean the keyway.
- Insert the key straight into the keyway.
- Do not cant the key.
- If necessary, secure the inserted key against falling out.

### 8.3 Mounting of basic type T turbo coupling

#### Outer wheel drive:

The turbo coupling is mounted on the driven machine shaft, and then coupled with the drive motor through a flexible connecting coupling.

#### Inner wheel drive (special case):

The turbo coupling is mounted on the drive motor shaft, and then coupled with the driven machine shaft through a flexible connecting coupling.

#### 8.3.1 Mounting

Qualification  
→ Chapter 6.9



#### WARNING

##### Risk of crushing, injuries by cuts

During mounting and assembly, manual turning and positioning the turbo coupling, persons could bruise fingers or cut themselves on sharp edges thus getting seriously injured!

- Sufficiently qualified, instructed and authorized persons only are allowed to mount the turbo coupling!
- Proceed carefully.



**NOTICE****Damage to property**

The use of unsuitable working means or methods may cause damage to property.

- Only use tools suitable for mounting:
  - Mounting and removal device (from coupling size 274) available as accessory
- For mounting, **do not use**:
  - hammers
  - welding torches
  - Pressure plates

**SAFETY INFORMATION****Record the mounting process**

For use in areas with potentially explosive atmosphere, it is mandatory to record the mounting process of the turbo coupling.

We recommend recording the process also for all other applications.

- For required records, → Chapter 14.



For turbo couplings using water as operating fluid, the hub bore is provided with a solid film lubricant. The lubricant must not be removed!

**For operating fluid  
'water' only**

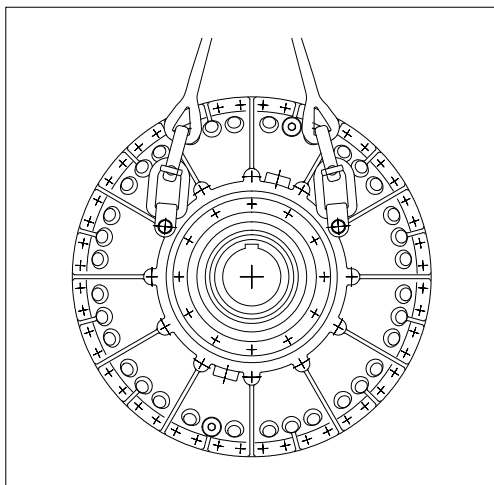


Fig. 20

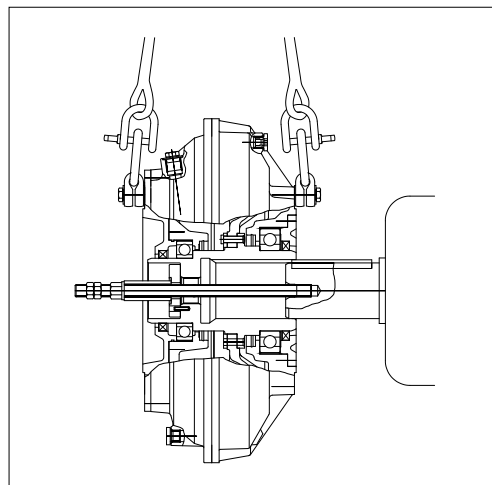


Fig. 21

- Fix the turbo coupling to a suitable lifting appliance.



**WARNING**

**Risk of burning**

The surface is hot due to getting warm.

- Do not touch the hub.

- Nabe auf ca. 80 °C vorsichtig erwärmen (erleichtert das Aufziehen).
- Mount the turbo coupling on the relevant shaft journal.
- Insert the supplied holding disk:
  - For couplings **up to size 274** remove the circlip (item 0046) before inserting the holding disk, and then re-insert it.
  - For couplings **from size 366**, secure the holding disk against twisting by means of a roll pin (item 0070).
- Depending on the design of the shaft, ensure that the coupling hub is in contact with the shaft collar or the end face of shaft journal.

**Coupling sizes 154 and 206:**

- Insert a suitable and slightly oiled threaded rod in the shaft of the relevant machine.
- Mount the coupling on the shaft journal using a nut and a spacer tube.

**Coupling size 274 to 1150:**

- Slightly oil the mounting spindle.
- Mount the coupling on the shaft journal using the mounting spindle, the spacer tube and the holding disk.

Mounting device  
→ Chapter 8.3.2

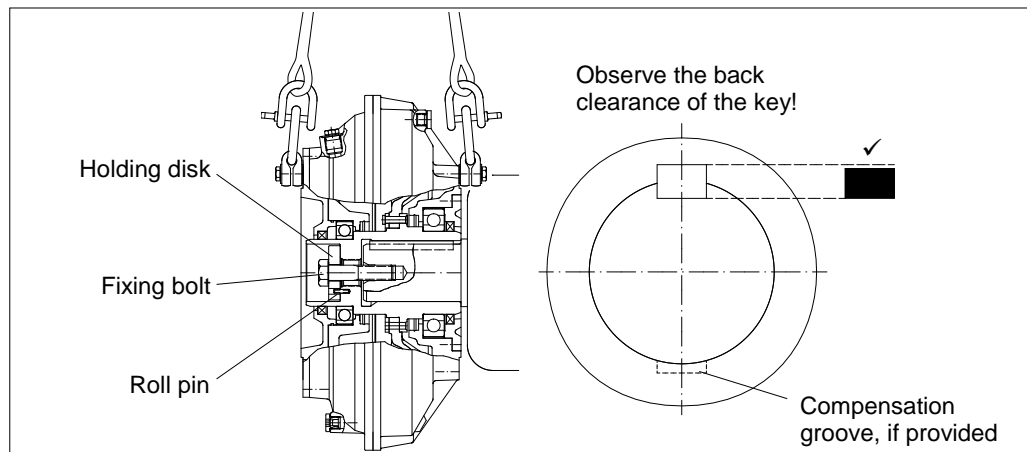


Fig. 22

- Check the holding disk for proper seat.
- Tighten the fixing bolt to the specified tightening torque.

Tightening torque  
→ Chapter 3.1

**NOTICE****Damage to property**

The flexible connecting coupling hub has to be secured axially!

- Usually this is achieved by means of a set screw pressing on the key.
- Axial butting to a shaft collar and securing by means of a holding disk and fixing bolt are also possible.
- Provide a spacer ring between hub and shaft collar, if necessary.



- Fix the flexible connecting coupling hub to a suitable lifting appliance.

**WARNING****Risk of burning**

The surface is hot due to getting warm.

- Do not touch the hub.

- Carefully warm up the flexible connecting coupling hub to approx. 80 °C (facilitates the mounting).
- Mount the flexible connecting coupling hub on the relevant shaft journal.
- Tighten the set screw in the connecting coupling hub, if necessary.
- Insert the flexible element into the connecting coupling hub. Observe the correct number and proper seat of the flexible element in the connecting coupling!
- Move the flexible connecting coupling hub with the relevant machine next to the turbo coupling.
- Fix the machine slightly.
- Align the drive.
- If the turbo coupling is connected with a flexible pad coupling of type EPK, check that the sheet-metal holder (item 1860) and the ring (item 1810) do not touch.

**Alignment**  
→ **Chapter 8.5**

### 8.3.2 Mounting device

Mounting device for the basic type T turbo coupling is available at Voith Turbo.

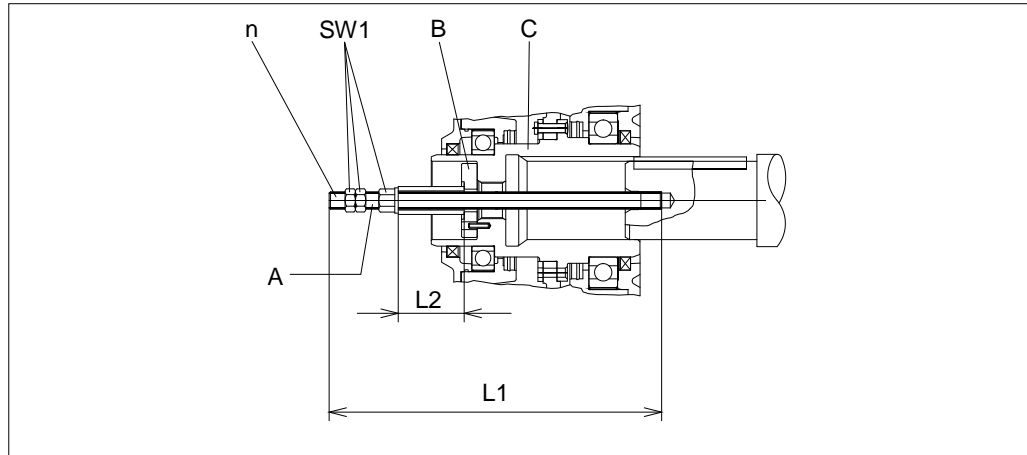


Fig. 23

- A: Mounting spindle
- B: Original holding disk
- C: Coupling hub
- L1: Total length
- L2: Length of spacer tube
- n: Dimension of mounting spindle thread
- SW1: Width across flats

Coupling size	L1 in mm	L2 in mm	n	SW1 in mm	Article No. of mounting spindle	Article No. of spacer tube
274	520	135	M10	17	TCR.10659840	TCR.10659880
			M12	19	TCR.10659850	TCR.10659890
			M16	24	TCR.10659860	TCR.10659900
			M20	30	TCR.10659870	TCR.10659910
366, 422	520	190	M10	17	TCR.10659840	TCR.11110660
			M12	19	TCR.10659850	TCR.11110670
			M16	24	TCR.10659860	TCR.11054200
			M20	30	TCR.10659870	TCR.11054210
487, 562, 650, 750	780	245	M16	24	TCR.11110620	TCR.11110680
			M20	30	TCR.10457720	TCR.10457860
			M24	36	TCR.10457730	TCR.10457870
			M30	46	TCR.10457740	TCR.10457880
866, 1000, 1150	1150	480	M20	30	TCR.11110630	TCR.11110690
			M24	36	TCR.11110640	TCR.11110700
			M30	46	TCR.11071880	TCR.11072020
			M36	55	TCR.11110650	TCR.11110710
			M42	65	TCR.11071890	TCR.11072030

Table 10

## 8.4 Mounting of basic type TN turbo coupling

### Outer wheel drive:

The primary coupling flange is mounted on the motor shaft. Then the turbo coupling is connected with the primary coupling flange and coupled to the driven machine shaft through a flexible connecting coupling.

### 8.4.1 Mounting



#### WARNING

##### Risk of crushing, injuries by cuts

During mounting and assembly, manual turning and positioning the turbo coupling, persons could bruise fingers or cut themselves on sharp edges thus getting seriously injured!

- Sufficiently qualified, instructed and authorized persons only are allowed to mount the turbo coupling!
- Proceed carefully.

Qualification  
→ Chapter 6.9

#### NOTICE

##### Damage to property

The use of unsuitable working means or methods may cause damage to property.

- Use only tools which are suitable for mounting.
- For mounting, **do not** use:
  - hammers
  - welding torches
  - pressure plates

#### SAFETY INFORMATION

##### Record the mounting process

For use in areas with potentially explosive atmosphere, it is mandatory to record the mounting process of the turbo coupling.

We recommend recording the process also for all other applications.

- For required records, → Chapter 14.



- Have the tools at hand, → Chapter 8.1.
- Make preparations, → Chapter 8.2.

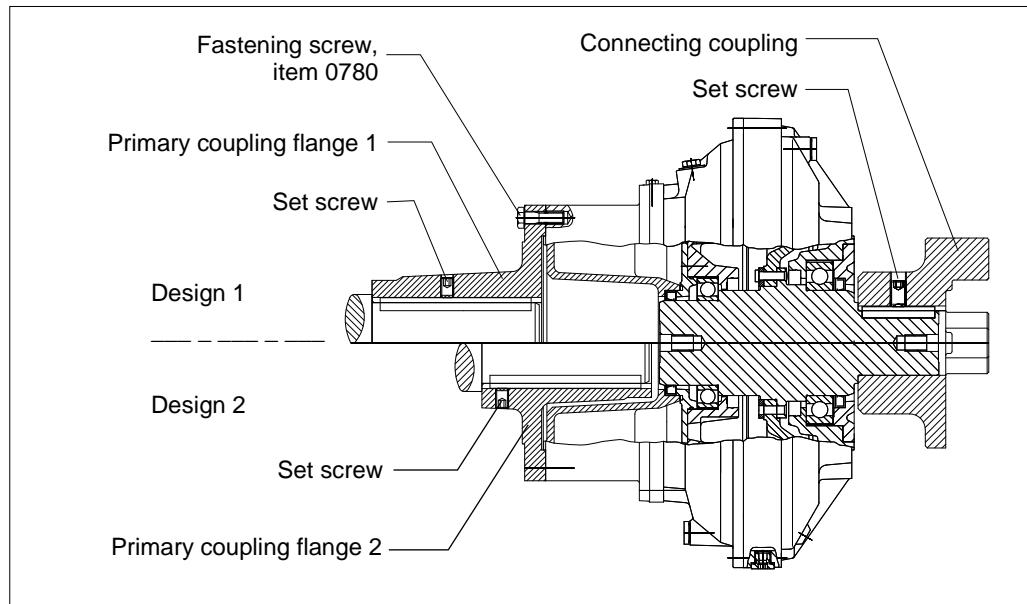


Fig. 24



**WARNING**

**Risk of burning**

The surface is hot due to getting warm.

- Do not touch the primary coupling flange.

- Warm up carefully the primary coupling flange to approx. 80 °C (facilitates mounting).
- Mount the primary coupling flange on the motor shaft and secure it with the relevant set screw in axial direction.
- Position the turbo coupling in front of the primary coupling flange.
- In the event of **complete balancing**, balancing marks (e.g. 0/0, 1/1, 2/2 etc.) are provided at the outer periphery of turbo coupling and the primary coupling flange. **Ensure that the balancing marks match!**

**NOTICE**

**Damage to property**

In case of improper centering it may be damaged.

- Prior to tightening the bolts (item 0780), push the external spigot of turbo coupling manually into the internal spigot of the primary coupling flange.
- Tighten the bolts (item 0780) when the two flange surfaces touch each other without any gap.

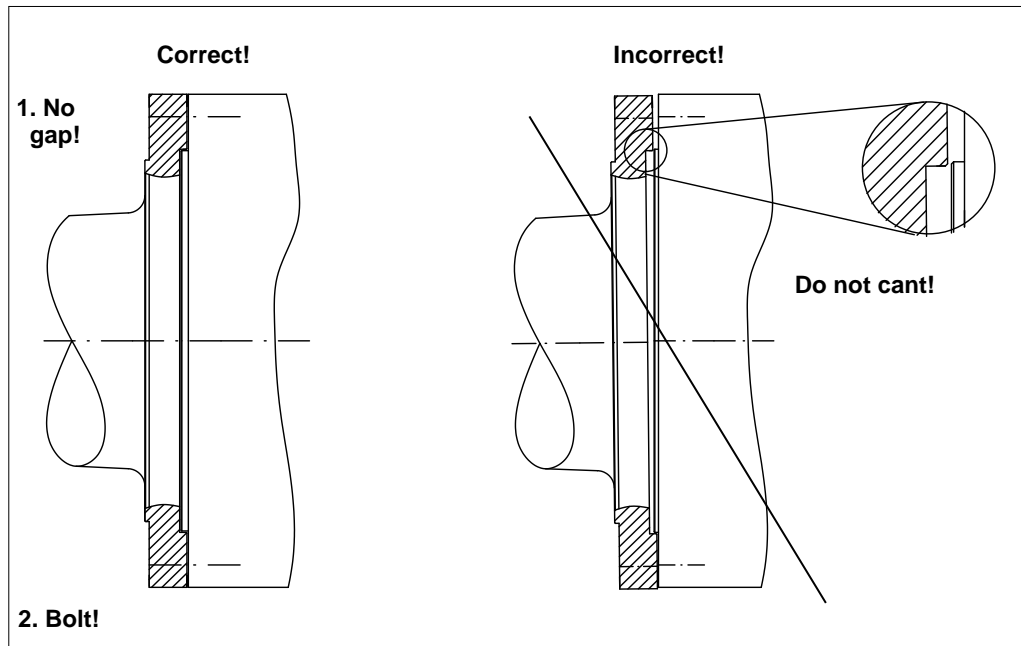


Fig. 25

- Fix the turbo coupling to the primary coupling flange using the relevant bolts (item 0780).

**Tightening torque**  
→ Chapter 3.3

**⚠ WARNING**

**Risk of burning**  
The surface is hot due to getting warm.

- Do not touch the connecting coupling hub.

- Carefully warm up the output side connecting coupling hub to approx. 80 °C (facilitates the mounting).
- Mount the connecting coupling hub on the driven machine.
- Tighten the set screw in the connecting coupling hub.
- Insert the flexible element into the connecting coupling hub.

**NOTICE**

**Personal injury and damage to property**  
Improper fixing and lifting of the mounted unit may cause personal injury and damage to property.

- Fix the slings (ropes, chains, etc.) to the drive motor only!

- Move the mounted drive motor / turbo coupling unit to the driven machine and slightly bolt the drive motor.
- Align the drive.

**Alignment**  
→ Chapter 8.5

## 8.5 Alignment



### **WARNING**

#### **Explosion hazard**

In case of non-adherence to the conditions for explosion protection, there is explosion hazard.

- The connecting couplings supplied by Voith meet the requirements for the use in potentially explosive atmospheres.
- If connecting couplings are used which are not included in Voith's scope of supply, an explosion-protection approval is required, otherwise there is a risk of explosion!

#### **Flexible connecting couplings**

- A flexible connecting coupling couples the turbo coupling with a shaft journal.
- After the alignment, deviations of position remain between turbo coupling and shaft journal. The flexible connecting coupling absorbs these deviations of position.

### 8.5.1 Connecting coupling on the input side (outer wheel drive)

The following connecting couplings are available at Voith Turbo for basic type T turbo couplings:

Flexible roller coupling

**Type ERK:**

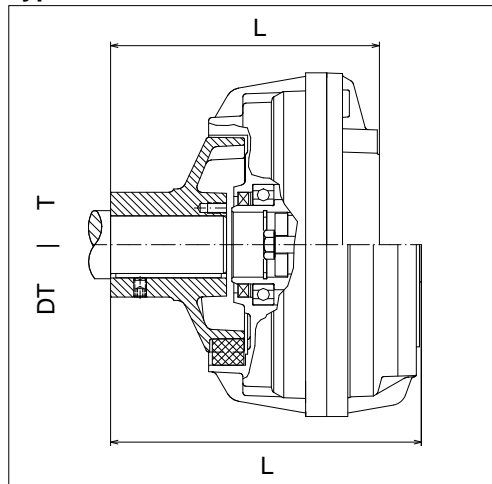


Fig. 26

Flexible pad coupling

**Type EPK:**

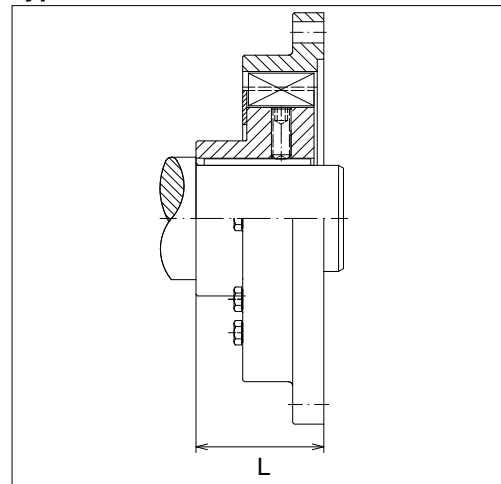


Fig. 27



Flexible element coupling  
**Type EEK-M:**

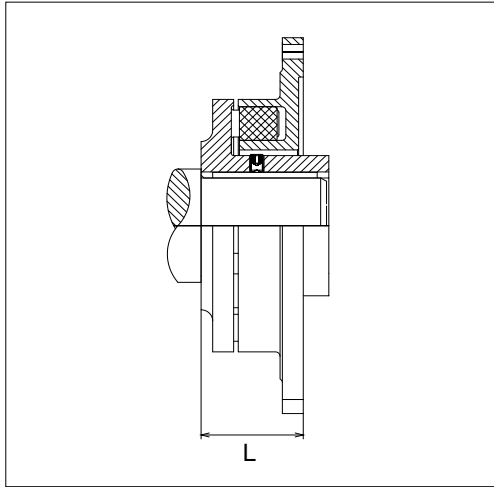


Fig. 28

Flexible element coupling  
**Type EEK-E:**

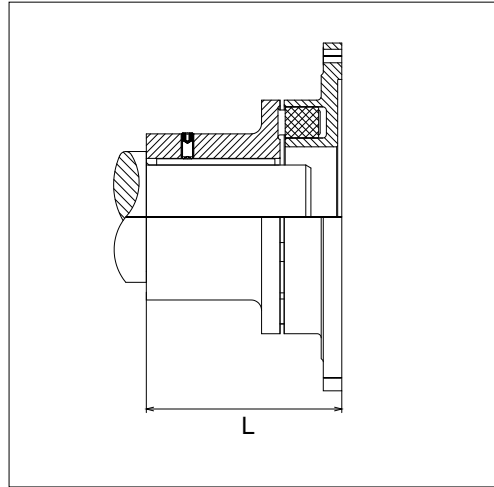


Fig. 29

Flexible cam coupling  
**Type ENK-SX:**

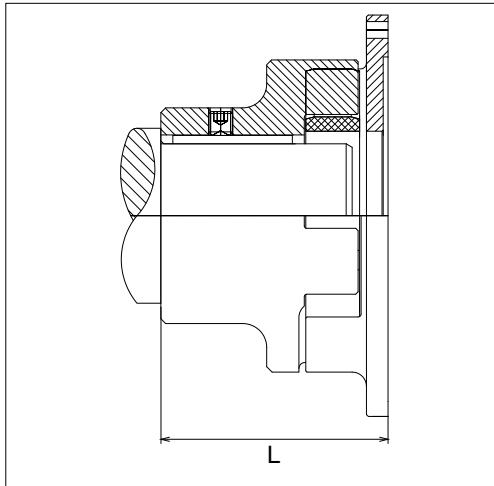


Fig. 30

Flexible cam coupling  
**Type ENK-SV:**

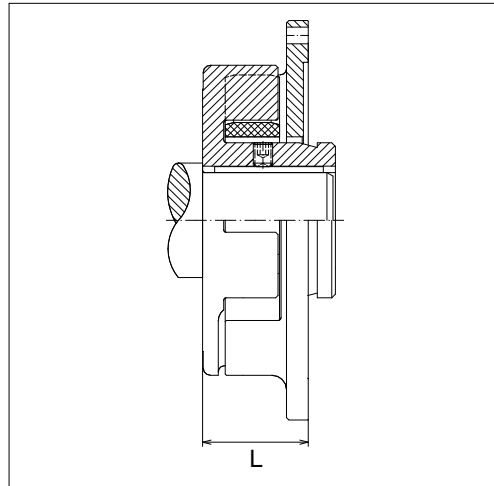


Fig. 31

### 8.5.2 Connecting coupling on the output side (outer wheel drive)

Connecting coupling available at Voith Turbo for basic type TN turbo couplings:

Flexible connecting coupling

**Type Nor-Mex G:**

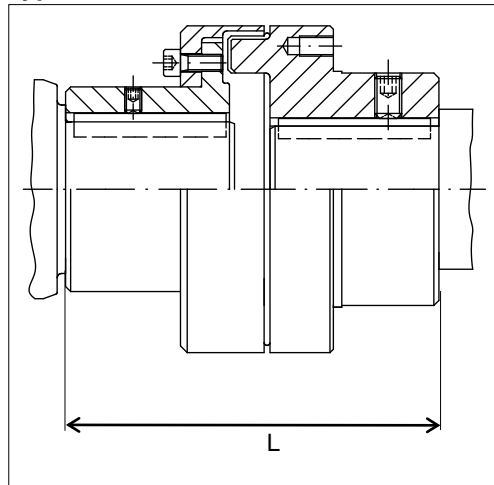


Fig. 32

### 8.5.3 Laid lengths and type allocations turbo coupling / flexible connecting coupling

#### NOTICE

##### Damage to property

Axial constraining forces.

- Pay attention and adhere to laid lengths.
- In particular, observe any displacements due to changes in temperature.



#### WARNING

##### Explosion hazard

Explosion hazard due to damage to the material caused by excessive misalignments.

- If shaft ends axially protrude the connecting coupling hub, measure the dimensions to make sure that a distance of 6 mm to the turbo coupling is kept.

Laid lengths L for flexible connecting couplings, as shown in Chapters 8.5.1 or 8.5.2:

Coupling size and type	Laid lengths L in mm						
	ERK with coupling	EPK	EEK-E	EEK-M	ENK-SX	ENK-SV	Nor-Mex G
154 T...	143 + 1	-	-	-	-	-	-
154 DT...	165 + 1	-	-	-	-	-	-
206 T...	183 + 1	-	-	-	-	-	-
206 DT...	223 + 1	-	-	-	110.5 ± 1.5	56.5 ± 1.5	-
274 T...	255 + 1	78 ± 1	-	-	158.5 ± 2	67 ± 2	-
274 DT...	295 + 1	78 ± 1	159 ± 2	67 ± 2	158.5 ± 2	67 ± 2	-
366 T...	-	78 ± 1	159 ± 2	67 ± 2	158.5 ± 2	67 ± 2	178.5 + 1
422 T...	-	102 ± 1	173 ± 2	72 ± 2	173 ± 2	72 ± 2	200.5 + 1.5
487 T...	-	106 ± 1	190 ± 2	88 ± 2	190 ± 2.5	87.5 ± 2.5	223.5 + 1.5
562 T...	-	116 ± 1	221 ± 2	103 ± 2	221 ± 2.5	102.5 ± 2.5	269.5 + 2
650 T...	-	152 ± 1.5	274 ± 2.5	126 ± 2.5	274 ± 2.5	125.5 ± 2.5	311.5 + 2
750 T...	-	163 ± 1.5	-	-	276 ± 2.5	127.5 ± 2.5	311.5 + 2 <sup>*)</sup> 335.0 + 2.5 <sup>*)</sup>
866 T...	-	189 ± 1.5	-	-	-	-	-
1000 T...	-	210 ± 1.5	-	-	-	-	-
1150 T...	-	210 ± 1.5	-	-	-	-	-
1150 DT...	-	210 ± 1.5	-	-	-	-	-

Table 11

\*) Laid length L = 311.5 for Nor-Mex G – size 265  
Laid length L = 335 for Nor-Mex G – size 295

## 8.5.4 Displacement values



### WARNING

#### Explosion hazard

Explosion hazard due to damage to the material caused by excessive misalignments.

- Keep within the permissible tolerances for true radial and axial running during all operating conditions.
- In particular, observe any displacements due to changes in temperature.

### SAFETY INFORMATION

#### Misalignments

The smaller the radial and angular displacement between turbo coupling and shaft journal

- the higher the lifetime and reliability of the machine.
- the smoother the operation.

The maximum permissible **displacement values** apply to:

- the **radial run-out** in the radial plane of the flexible element (maximum permissible radial deflection of dial gauge!).
- the **axial run-out** measured on the largest connecting coupling diameter (maximum permissible axial deflection of dial gauge!).

**NOTICE**

**Damage to property**

Overspeed

- It is mandatory to observe the maximum permissible speed!

**Maximum permissible speed**  
→ cover sheet

**Maximum permissible displacement values for radial and axial deflection of dial gauge.**

Coupling size	Speed range in rpm			
	0...750	750...1200	1200...1800	1800...3600
154 to 274	0.4 mm	0.4 mm	0.3 mm	0.2 mm
366 to 487	0.6 mm	0.4 mm	0.3 mm	0.2 mm
562 to 1150	0.8 mm	0.6 mm	0.4 mm	0.3 mm

Table 12

### 8.5.5 Alignment

Alignment can be performed using the LASER-optical methods or manually using dial gauges (→ schematic sketch below). More precise results are normally obtained using the LASER-optical methods.

For alignment, support the motor feet using shims or foil sheets. It is advantageous to use claws for the adjusting screws on the foundation for lateral movement of the drive unit.

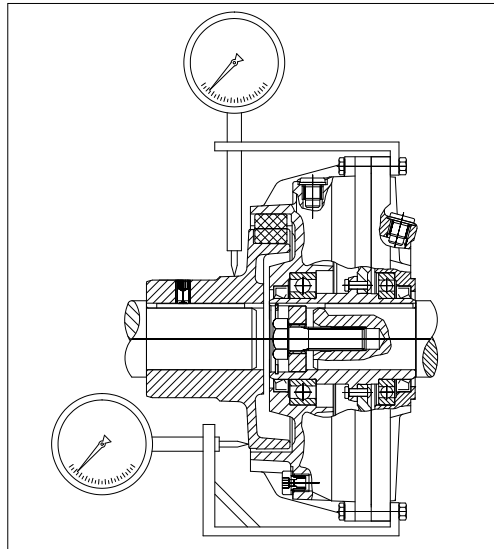


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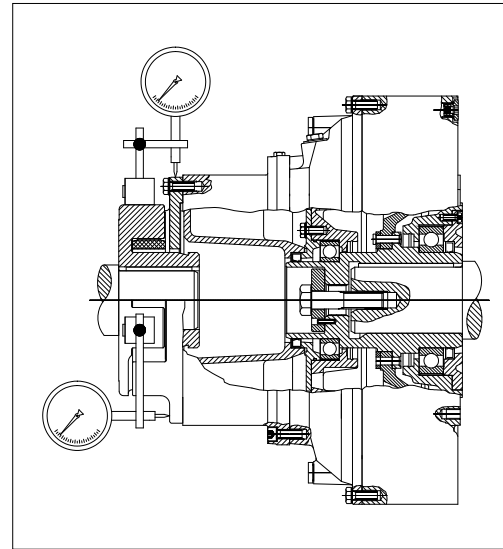


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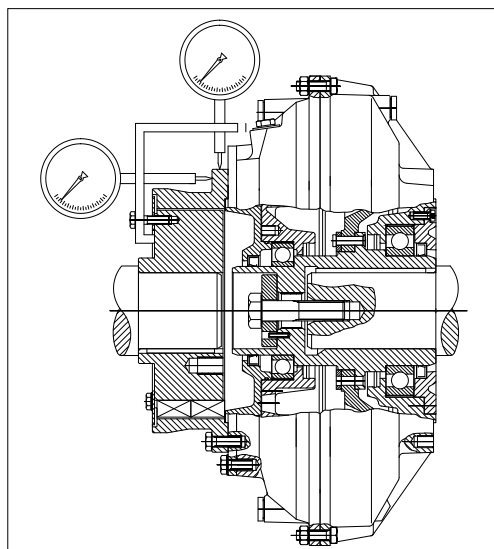


Fig. 35

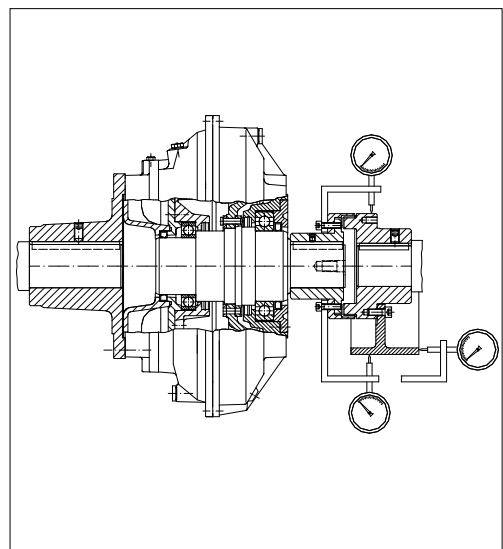


Fig. 36

- Mount the turbo coupling.
- Align the input and output shaft with each other according to the above schematic sketch (above).  
The displacement values of → Chapter 8.5.4 apply.
- Securely fix the motor and gearbox (input and output unit) to the foundation.  
**Stability depends on the whole unit and has to be guaranteed!**
- Tighten all screws.
- Check the alignment, and correct, if necessary.  
In case of misalignment on connecting couplings, an unequal gap forms on the periphery.
- Fill in the assembly check report.

Protocols/reports  
→ Chapter 14

## 9 Operating fluids



### WARNING

#### Risk of injury

Hot operating fluid could spray off from defective components or fusible plugs, seriously injuring persons!

- Maintain the turbo coupling regularly!
- Experts only are allowed to work on the turbo coupling!

### NOTICE

#### Damage to property

Use only the operating fluid for the turbo coupling which is indicated on the cover sheet!

- Unsuitable operating fluids may damage the turbo coupling permanently!
- Consult Voith Turbo if you want to use an operating fluid not mentioned.

### NOTICE

#### Environmental pollution

Operating fluids are detrimental to health and may pollute the environment.

- Dispose of used operating fluid via an authorized collecting station in accordance with the national statutory provisions.
- Make sure that no operating fluid gets into the ground or water!


### SAFETY INFORMATION

The values mentioned for the pour point, flash and fire point are approximate values and data originating from the oil suppliers. These may vary and Voith Turbo does not assume any warranty!

Country-specific production of the basic oil may result in different values.

- We recommend comparing the data with our specifications at any rate.
- In case of deviations, we urgently recommend consulting the respective oil producer.

## 9.1 Requirements to be fulfilled by the operating fluid 'mineral oil'

Requirement to	
Viscosity class	ISO VG 32 acc. to DIN ISO 3448 <sup>*)</sup>
Viscosity on start-up	less than 15000 mm <sup>2</sup> /s (cSt)
Pour point	4 °C below the minimum ambient temperature or lower
Flash point	greater than 180 °C and at least 40 °C above the nominal response temperature of the fusible plugs
Resistance to aging	aging-resistant refined product
Cleanliness grade	Minimum requirements: 21/19/16 acc. to ISO 4406
Sealing compatibility	NBR (Nitril-Butadien caoutchouc) and FPM/FKM (fluor caoutchouc)
Fire point 	at least 50 °C above the max. surface temperature (→ Chapter 2)



\*) In special cases, ISO VG 10 - 46 can be used

### Advantageous additional qualities

Check for	Abrasion of rolling elements	< 30 mg
FE 8: D7,5 / 80-80	Abrasion of cage	<100 mg

### 9.1.1 Usable operating fluids

- Hydraulic oils HLP 32 to DIN 51524, Part 2 <sup>\*)</sup>
- Lubricating oils CLP 32 to DIN 51517, Part 3
- Steam turbine oils LTD 32 to DIN 51515, Part 1 <sup>\*)</sup>
- HD engine oils SAE 10 W
- ATF type A Suffix A (TASA) and type Dexron II, IID, IIE, III, MERCON
- M 891205 and M 921253

\*) In special cases, ISO VG 10 - 46 can be used

### 9.1.2 Operating temperature frequently above 100 °C

FPM/FKM is recommended as sealing material; when selecting the mineral oil, ensure that it provides excellent oxidation resistance.

**This is ensured if original Voith sealings are used.**



## 9.1.3 Proposed operating fluids

Producer	Designation	Pour point in °C	Flash point in °C	Fire point in °C	Class	FE8 Test fulfilled
Addinol	Hydraulic oil HLP 32	-21	195	-	HLP	-
Agip	Agip Oso 32 Agip Blasia 32	-30 -29	204 215	260 265	HLP CLP	- -
Avia	Avia Fluid RSL 32 Gear RSX 32 S	-27 -33	214 210	237 231	HLP CLP	- -
Castrol	Alpha EP 32 Alpha VT 32 Hyspin ZZ 32 Hyspin AWS 32	-27 -42 -30 -27	218 234 216 200	250 252 238 -	CLP CLP HLP HLP	JA JA JA -
Cepsa	HIDROSIC HLP 32 EP 125	-24 -30	204 206	316 316	HLP HLP	- -
Exxon Mobil	DTE 24 Mobilfluid 125 Mobil SHC 524	-27 -30 -54	220 225 234	- - 234	HLP CLP/HLP HLP	- - -
Fuchs	Renolin MR10 Renolin B10	-30 -24	210 205	- -	HLP HLP	- -
Klüber	Lamora HLP 32	-18	200	-	HLP	-
Kuwait Petroleum	Q8 Haydn 32 Q8 Holst 32	-30 -30	208 208	232 234	HLP HLP	- -
Ravenol	Hydr. oil TS32	-24	220	-	HLP	-
Shell	Tegula V32 Tellus S3 M 32 Tellus S4 ME 32	-33 -39 -54	211 236 240	- - -	HLP HLP HLP	JA - -
SRS – Salzbergen	Wintershall Wiolan HS 32 Wintershall Wiolan HF 32	-24 -27	220 200	240 240	HLP HLP	- JA
Texaco	Rando HD 32	-30	196	246	HLP	-
Total	Azolla ZS 32 Azolla VTR 32 Preslia GT	-27 -36 -15	210 230 225	220 - -	HLP CLPD LTD	- JA JA

Table 13

The above oil list is a recommendation and does not claim to be complete.

## 9.2 Proposed operating fluids for special requirements

### Operating fluid suitable for the use in the food industry

Producer	Designation	Pour point in °C	Flash point in °C	Class
Klüber	Summit HySyn FG 32	-45	>230	HLP

Table 14

Note: USDA H1-Registration satisfies the FDA requirements.

### High-flash point operating fluid

Producer	Designation	Pour point in °C	Flash point in °C	Fire point in °C	Class
Fuchs	Renosafe DU 46	-33	305	354	HFD-U

Table 15

Note: Fuchs Renosafe DU 46 is a high-flash point pressure fluid of viscosity class ISO VG 46 and contains neither chlorinated hydrocarbons nor phosphorus acid ester. The density of this fluid is lower than the density of water.

### Biodegradable operating fluid

Producer	Designation	Pour point in °C	Flash point in °C	Class
Fuchs	Plantosyn 3268	-36	230	HEES

Table 16

Note: Fuchs Plantosyn 3268 is a quickly biodegradable fluid of viscosity class ISO VG 46 corresponding to VDMA 24568. The water risk class is 1 and the density of this fluid is lower than the density of water.

### 9.3 Requirements to be fulfilled by the operating fluid 'water'

Requirement to	
Sealing compatibility	NBR (Nitril-Butadien caoutchouc)
ph value	5...8

The water used should

- to the greatest possible extent, be free from solid matters,
- contain only a low amount of salt,
- contain only a low concentration of other additives.

#### 9.3.1 Usable operating fluids

Normally, drinking water satisfies these requirements.

### 9.3.2 Water used as operating fluid for turbo couplings with centrifugal valves (types TW...F...)

**NOTICE**

**Damage to property**

Insufficient lubrication of turbo couplings with centrifugal valve (types TV...F...).

- Observe the respective type!
- It is allowed to fill in water only in a turbo coupling of type TW.
- When refilling turbo couplings with centrifugal valves (types TW...F...), it is necessary to add the indicated amount of grease to the water.

Type designation  
→ Cover sheet

For turbo couplings with centrifugal valves it is necessary to add a low amount of grease to the water. The grease guarantees a permanent functioning of the centrifugal valves.

In the as delivered condition, the corresponding amount of grease is already in the working chamber of the turbo coupling.

**Amount of grease required:**

Coupling size	366	422	487	562	650	750	866
Amount of grease	80 g	100 g	120 g	150 g	180 g	210 g	240 g

Table 17

**Requirements to be fulfilled by the grease:**

Requirement to	
Consistency class	2 to NLGI
Thickeners	Lithium complex Calcium complex
Service temperature	-20 °C ... 120 °C
Material compatibility	NBR (Nitril-Butadien caoutchouc)

**Proposed greases:**

<b>Producer</b>	<b>Designation</b>
Avia	Lithoplex 2 EP
BP	Energrease HTG 2
Castrol	Tribol GR 4020/220-2 PD Tribol GR 4747/220-2 HT
ExxonMobil	Mobilith SHC 220
Fuchs	Renolit CXI 2
Klüber	Petamo GHY 133N
Shell	Gadus S2 V220 2 Gadus S5 V220 2
Total	Multis Complex MV 2 Multis Complex SHD 220

Table 18

The above grease list is a recommendation and does not claim to be complete.

# 10 Filling, Filling Check and Draining

The quantity and type of operating fluid used substantially determines the performance of the turbo coupling.

- A too high quantity stresses the drive motor more on start-up and results in a higher stall torque.
- A too low quantity thermally loads the turbo coupling more and results in a lower stall torque.

## **WARNING**

### **Risk of burning**

The turbo coupling gets warm during operation.

- Please observe, in particular, → Chapter 6 (Safety) when working on the turbo coupling!
- Start to work on the turbo coupling only after it has cooled down to below 44 °C.

## **CAUTION**

### **Danger to health**

Operating fluids may cause irritations or inflammation if coming into contact with skin and mucous membranes.

- Please pay attention to the information contained in the safety data sheets.
- Please always wear safety goggles when working with the operating fluid!
- Should you get any operating fluid in your eyes, rinse them immediately using plenty of water and consult a physician without delay!
- After finishing work, carefully clean your hands with soap.

## **NOTICE**

### **Damage to property**

Insufficient lubrication

- When refilling turbo couplings with centrifugal valves (types TW...F...), it is necessary to add the indicated amount of grease to the water.

Impurities in the operating fluid cause higher wear on the coupling as well as damages to bearings so that explosion protection can no longer be guaranteed.



- Make sure that any containers, funnels, filling tubes, etc. used for filling the coupling, are clean.

## NOTICE

### Damage to property

Non-compliance with specifications.

- Observe the quantity to be filled in that is indicated on the cover sheet of this operating manual.
- An overfilling is not permitted! This would lead to an undue high internal pressure in the coupling, which may destroy the coupling.
- An underfilling is not permitted! This will result in an improper operation of the coupling.
- Do not mix different types of operating fluids.
- Use only the operating fluid indicated on the cover sheet of this manual.
- Ensure that the original sealing rings used are in sound condition.

## 10.1 Filling the turbo coupling

### SAFETY INFORMATION

Turbo couplings are shipped unfilled.

- If operating fluid is included in the scope of supply, it is shipped in a separate container.

### 10.1.1 How to fill turbo couplings installed in horizontal position, inclination $\leq 30^\circ$

- Turbo couplings of sizes 154 – 274:  
Turn the turbo coupling until the filler plug (item 0390) is on top.
- Turbo couplings of sizes 366 – 1150:  
Turn the turbo coupling until the filler plug (item 0390) that is closest to the sight glass (item 0396) is on top.
- Remove the filler plug (item 0390).
- Remove the top fusible plug (item 0260 or item 0395) for pressure compensation.

**Amount of grease**  
→ Chapter 9.3.2

**Operating fluid and filling volume**  
→ Cover sheet

**Tightening torques**  
→ Chapter 3.2

- For turbo couplings with centrifugal valves (type TW...F...), fill in the specified amount of grease into the working chamber of the turbo coupling.
  - Fill in the specified quantity of operating fluid (→ Chapter 9) through a fine strainer
    - mesh size  $\leq 25 \mu\text{m}$  for turbo couplings using oil and operating medium (type T...)
    - mesh size  $\leq 50 \mu\text{m}$  for turbo couplings using water as operating medium (type TW...)
- via the opening in the filler plug (item 0390).
- Tighten the filler plug (item 0390).
  - If the coupling is provided with a sight glass (item 0396), tighten the fusible plug.

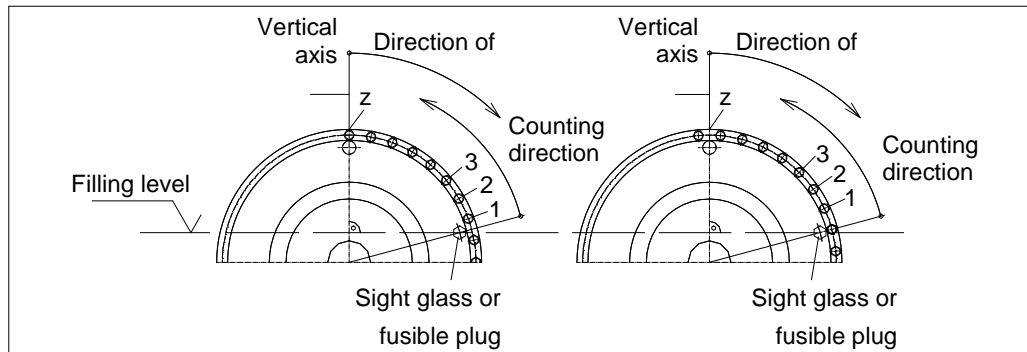


Fig. 37

$z =$  \_\_\_\_\_

**Assembly check report**  
→ Chapter 14.1 or cover sheet  
**Tightening torques**  
→ Chapter 3.2

- Turn the turbo coupling until the operating fluid is just visible on the sight glass (if existing) or until the operating fluid can be seen on the (still) removed fusible plug, but is not yet leaking out.
- Determine the **number z** of the flange screws from the sight glass or fusible plug to the vertical axis. The first screw is the one which center line is in counting direction, **after** the intersection line through the sight glass or the fusible plug.
- For later filling level checks, record the **number z** of screws determined. In addition, mark the turbo coupling or the protective cover.
- Tighten the fusible plug (items 0260 or 0395).
- Check the coupling for leaks during a test run (with protective cover!).



### 10.1.2 How to fill turbo couplings installed in vertical position, inclination > 30°

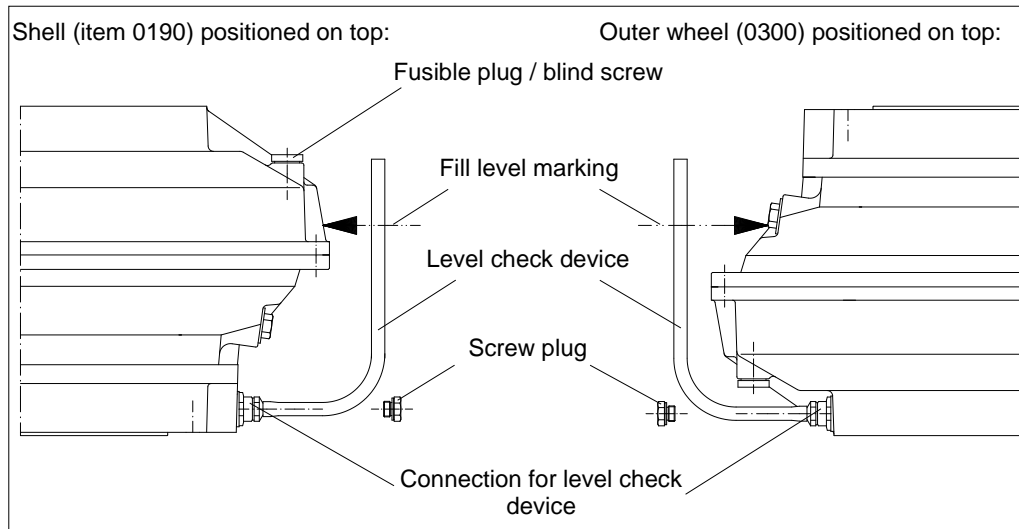


Fig. 38

- Remove the two top screws (either fusible plugs, items 0260 / 0395 or blind screws, item 0265 / 0394).
- Remove the filler plug (item 0390).
- Fill in the specified quantity of operating fluid (→ Chapter 9) through a fine strainer
  - mesh size  $\leq 25 \mu\text{m}$  for turbo couplings using oil as operating medium (type T...)
  - mesh size  $\leq 50 \mu\text{m}$  for turbo couplings using water as operating medium (type TW...)
 via a screw hole. The second screw hole serves for pressure compensation.
- Re-close the screw holes on top using the screws (items 0260, 0265, 0394, or 0395). Rotate the turbo coupling with nominal speed for a short time to let the operating fluid **spread evenly**.
- Remove the screws being on top once again.
- Fit the level check device to the connection provided for this purpose. (→ schematic sketch above).
- Provide the level mark on the turbo coupling or protective cover for later level checks.
- Remove the level check device.
- Tighten slackened screws.  
Tightening torque for the screw plug: **30 Nm** (M14x1.5).
- Check the coupling for leaks during a test run (with protective cover!).

The level check device is available at Voith Turbo as accessory for couplings from size 366.

Tightening torques  
→ 'Chapter 3.2

## 10.2 Level check

You will find the **filling volume** on the **cover sheet** of this operating manual.

### 10.2.1 Level check for turbo couplings installed in horizontal position

#### SAFETY INFORMATION

**From size 366**, turbo couplings are equipped with a sight glass in the outer wheel.

- The sight glass position is marked by an arrow.

- If no sight glass is provided, turn the turbo coupling until a fusible plug is on top. Then unscrew and remove this fusible plug.
- Turn the turbo coupling until the operating fluid is just visible on the sight glass or until the operating fluid can be seen on the removed fusible plug, but is not yet leaking out.
- Determine the **number z** of the flange screws from the sight glass or fusible plug to the vertical axis. The first screw is the one which center line is in counting direction, **after** the intersection line through the sight glass or the fusible plug.
- Compare the number of screws determined with the number of screws determined during filling. Please observe the marking provided additionally on the coupling or guard.
- Correct the quantity filled in, if necessary.
- Re-insert and tighten any removed fusible plug.
- Check the coupling for leaks during a test run (with protective cover!).

Number z  
→ Chapter 10.1

Tightening torques  
→ Chapter 3.2

## 10.2.2 Level check for turbo couplings installed in vertical position

### SAFETY INFORMATION

The level of turbo couplings **from size 366** is checked using a level check device. This level check device is available as accessory at Voith Turbo (→ schematic sketch, Chapter 10.1.2).

Turbo couplings **up to size 274** need to be drained to check the filling, and then be re-filled.

- Remove a screw being on top (fusible plug items, 0260 / 0395 or blind screw, items 0265 / 0394) for ventilation purposes.
- Remove the screw plug.
- Fit the level check device to the connection provided for this purpose.
- Compare the level with the marking that was provided when filling in.
- Correct the quantity filled in, if necessary.
- Remove the level check device.
- Tighten slackened screws.  
Tightening torque for the screw plug: **30 Nm** (M14x1.5).
- Check the coupling for leaks during a test run (with protective cover!).

**Tightening torques**  
→ 'Chapter 3.2

## 10.3 Draining the turbo coupling

### NOTICE

#### Environmental pollution

Improper disposal of operating fluid may cause damages to the environment!

- On disposal, please observe the applicable laws and the producer's or supplier's instructions.
- Provide suitable containers to collect the operating fluid.

**Notes on disposal**  
→ Chapter 16

### 10.3.1 Draining of turbo couplings without delay chamber installed in horizontal position

- Put a catch pan underneath.
- Turn the turbo coupling until one fusible plug is at the bottom.
- Remove this fusible plug.
- For aeration, remove one opposite filler of fusible plug.
- The operating fluid flows out from the turbo coupling.
- Wait until no more operating fluid comes out.
- Only use original seals.
- Re-tighten all screws.

Tightening torques  
→ Chapter 3.2

### 10.3.2 Draining of turbo couplings with delay chamber installed in horizontal position

- Put a catch pan underneath.
- Turn the turbo coupling until one fusible plug is at the bottom.
- Remove this fusible plug.
- For aeration, remove one opposite filler of fusible plug.
- The operating fluid flows out from the working chamber of the turbo coupling.
- Wait until no more operating fluid comes out.

#### Coupling size 274:

- Re-tighten the fusible and filler plugs.
- Switch on the drive motor for about half a minute to maximal one minute. The operating fluid in the delay chamber drains into the working chamber.
- Remove the fusible plug again.

#### Coupling sizes 366 to 1150:

- Remove the nozzle screw (item 0455 / 0456).
- Turn the turbo coupling until the opening of the nozzle screw is at the bottom.
- The operating fluid flows out from the delay chamber of the turbo coupling.
- Wait until no more operating fluid comes out.
- Only use original seals.
- Tighten the nozzle screw.

- Turn the turbo coupling until the opening of the fusible plug is at the bottom.
- The remaining operating fluid flows out from the working chamber of the turbo coupling.
- Wait until no more operating fluid comes out.
- Only use original seals.
- Re-tighten all screws.

**Tightening torques**  
→ 'Chapter 3.2

### 10.3.3 How to drain turbo couplings installed in vertical position

#### SAFETY INFORMATION

On account of its design, the turbo coupling cannot completely drain when installed!

- Put a catch pan underneath.
- For aeration, remove one blind screw or fusible plug at the top of the coupling.

#### Up to coupling size 274:

- Remove one blind screw or fusible plug being at the bottom.

#### From coupling size 366:

- Remove the connection for the level check device.
- The operating fluids flows out from the turbo coupling.
- Wait until no more operating fluid comes out.
- Only use original seals.
- Tighten slackened screws.  
Tightening torque for the screw plug: **30 Nm** (M14x1.5).  
Tightening torque for the connection: **80 Nm** (M24x1.5).

**Tightening torques**  
→ 'Chapter 3.2

# 11 Commissioning



## WARNING

### Risk of injury

Please observe, in particular, → Chapter 6 (Safety) when working on the turbo coupling!

- A commissioning not performed properly could cause injury to persons, or harm to property and the environment!
- Experts only are allowed to perform commissioning, in particular, first starting of the turbo coupling!
- Secure the machine against unintentional switching on!



Marking  
→ Chapter 6.2

### Explosion hazard

- Please check with reference to the marking whether the turbo coupling is approved for use in potentially explosive atmospheres.
  - Provide the turbo coupling with a protective cover (e.g. perforated sheet, size of holes approx. 10 – 12 mm). This protective cover has to
    - prevent intrusion of damaging foreign particles (stones, corrosive steels, etc.).
    - withstand expected impacts without any major damages, thus preventing contact of the turbo coupling with the protective cover. Especially turbo couplings with outer parts made of aluminum must not get in contact with corrosive steel or iron.
    - collect spraying solder of fusible plugs.
    - collect any operating fluid leaking out to prevent contact with parts (motor, belt) that might ignite or catch fire.
    - provide sufficient ventilation to maintain the maximum surface temperature specified.  
A perforated sheet with 65% hole cross section enclosing the coupling on all sides does not reduce the ventilation (consult Voith Turbo, if necessary).
    - guarantee safety distances to prevent hazard zones from being reached (DIN EN ISO 13857).
- For constructional proposals for protective covers, please contact Voith Turbo.
- The turbo coupling is not equipped with insulated ball and roller bearings! The passage of current and stray currents may come from connected machines (e.g. VFD motor).
  - In order to avoid electrostatic charging, it is not allowed to install the turbo coupling with an insulation on both sides.
  - Provide an equipotential bonding between the input and output end.
  - Provide machines on which overspeed is possible, with a device preventing reliably overspeed (e.g. brake or backstop).

**WARNING****Gefahr durch hineinziehen**

Slack clothing, long hair, necklaces, rings or loose parts may get caught and be drawn in or wound up causing serious injuries or damage to the turbo coupling and the environment.

- Only wear close-fitting clothes when working!
- Cover long hair with a hair net!
- Do not wear any jewelry (e.g. necklaces, rings, etc.)!
- Never operate the turbo coupling without protective cover!

**WARNING****Explosion hazard**

Explosion hazard due to frictional heat or overheating.

- Check whether there is any contact in the area of the flexible connecting coupling.
- Check the reference dimension (→ Chapter 13.2.1) on the connecting couplings prior to commissioning.
- If you use a BTS-Ex to limit the maximum surface temperature, make sure not to exceed the maximum permissible temperature of the turbo coupling when switching on the motor.



Technical data  
→ Chapter 2

**NOTICE****Damage to property**

Never operate the turbo coupling without operating fluid.

- On account of the type of bearings used for standard turbo couplings of sizes 366, 422, 487, 562, 650, 750, 866, 1000 and 1150, at least one standstill is required within three months.
- On account of the type of bearings used for the standard turbo couplings of sizes 154, 206 and 274, at least one standstill is required once a week.

### Information with regard to commissioning

- The turbo coupling may be used for any direction of rotation.
- The direction of rotation of the driven machine may be specified! The direction of rotation of the motor must be in accordance with the specified direction of rotation of the driven machine!
- If the motor is started with star/delta connection, switch over from star to delta after 2...5 seconds at the latest.
- In case of a multi-motor drive, you should determine the load of the individual motors. Great differences regarding motor load may be balanced by an appropriate adjustment of the respective coupling filling volumes. **However, do not exceed the maximum permissible coupling filling level!**

Operating fluid and  
filling volume  
→ Cover sheet

### Commissioning

- Perform all commissioning work according to the commissioning report.  
Pay special attention to:
  - a normal machine operation
  - normal noise
- Record the commissioning process.

Commissioning  
report  
→ Chapter 14.2



## 12 Operation



### WARNING

#### Risk of injury

Please observe, in particular, → Chapter 6 (Safety) when working on the turbo coupling!

- An operation presupposes the successful commissioning according to → Chapter 11.

### Information with regard to operation

### NOTICE

#### Damage to property

Never operate the turbo coupling without operating fluid.

- On account of the type of bearings used for standard turbo couplings of sizes 366, 422, 487, 562, 650, 750, 866, 1000 and 1150, at least one standstill within three months is required.
- On account of the type of bearings used for the standard turbo couplings of sizes 154, 206 and 274, at least one standstill per week is required.

During normal operation, no operator actions on the turbo coupling are required.

Perform the necessary maintenance work time-/operating time-based according to → Chapter 13.

If malfunctions occur, eliminate such according to → Chapter 17.

# 13 Maintenance, Servicing

**Definition of the maintenance work described in the following (as per IEC 60079):**

**Maintenance and Servicing:** A combination of all activities conducted in order to maintain an object in a condition or to re-store it to such a condition which meets the requirements of the respective specification and ensures performance of the required functions.

**Inspection:** An activity involving the thorough examination of an object in order to provide a reliable statement as to the condition of said object, performed without disassembly or, if necessary, with only partial disassembly, supplemented by measures such as the taking of measurements.

**Visual inspection:** A visual inspection is an inspection in which visible defects, such as missing screws or bolts, are identified without the use of access equipment or tools.

**Close-up inspection:** An inspection in which, in addition to the areas covered by the visual inspection, defects such as loose bolts, that can only be detected by using access equipment, e.g. mobile stair steps (if required) and tools are identified. For close-up inspections, usually a housing does not need to be opened or the power to the equipment be cut off.

**Detailed inspection:** An inspection in which, in addition to the areas covered by the close-up inspection, defects such as loose connections, that can only be detected by opening housings and/or using tools and test equipment (if required) are identified.

**WARNING**

**Risk of injury**  
Please observe, in particular, → Chapter 6 (Safety) when working on the turbo coupling!

- Please always keep access paths free to the turbo coupling!

- Skilled and authorized persons only are allowed to carry out maintenance and repair work! Qualification is ensured by performing training and giving instructions on the turbo coupling.
- Possible consequences of improper servicing and maintenance could be death, serious or minor injuries, damage to property and harm to the environment.
- Switch off the unit in which the turbo coupling is installed and secure the switch against inadvertent switch-on.
- For all work performed on the turbo coupling ensure that both the drive motor and the driven machine have stopped running and that a re-start is absolutely impossible!
- Components may only be replaced by original spare parts.

**Qualification**  
→ Chapter 6.9

Re-mount all protective covers and safety devices in their original position immediately after completion of the servicing and maintenance work. Check them for proper functioning.

**Maintenance schedule:**

Time	Maintenance work
Routine inspection after 500 operating hours, every 3 months at the latest.	Inspect the machine for irregularities visual inspection: for leaks, noise, vibrations).  Check the foundation bolts of the machine, and if necessary, re-tighten them with the specified torque.
3 months after commissioning, at the latest, then every year	Check the electrical system for sound condition if temperature monitoring is required in Chapter 2 (detailed inspection).
Connecting couplings EEK, ENK, Nor-Mex G: Spätestens 3 Monate nach Inbetriebnahme, dann jeweils jährlich, jedoch spätestens nach 4000 Betriebsstunden bzw. abweichend nach → Chapter 13.2.2	Check the flexible element (item 1820), and <b>replace it in sets of original spare parts when the wear limit has been reached</b> ; if they are worn, metallic contact of the connecting coupling halves may cause sparking. <b>There is the danger of fire and explosion!</b> (→ Chapter 13.2 and Chapter 20.4).



Time	Maintenance work
Connecting couplings ERK, EPK: 3 months after commissioning at the latest, then every year and/or deviatingly to → Chapter 13.2.2	Check the flexible element (item 1820), and <b>replace it in sets of original spare parts when the wear limit has been reached</b> ; if they are worn, the flexible element may break.
After 3 years or 5 years (for ERK and EPK couplings) of use	Replace the flexible element by sets of original spare parts.
When mineral oil is used as operating fluid: After every 15000 operating hours	- change the operating fluid or check it for aging and - determine the remaining service life (see records → Chapter 14)! Consult the operating fluid supplier with regard to the permissible values (see Chapters 9 and 10).
On response of a fusible plug	Replace all fusible plugs and change the operating fluid (→ Chapter 13.4). Check the operating conditions (→ Chapter 2). Check the devices provided for temperature monitoring (see Chapter 19: MTS, BTS(ex), BTM).
In case of leaks	On the occasion of an overhaul of the turbo coupling, have shaft sealing rings, sealing rings and flat seals replaced by skilled persons authorized by Voith.
In case of noise, vibrations	Have the cause determined and eliminated by skilled persons authorized by Voith.
In case of impurities	Cleaning (→ Chapter 13.1).
After contact with materials against which NBR (Nitril-Butadien-caoutchouc) and PUR (polyuretane) are not or only partially resistant (close-up inspection).	Replace the flexible element by sets of original spare parts.

Table 19

**Report samples**  
→ Chapter 14.3

- Carry out any maintenance work and routine inspections according to the report.
- Record the maintenance work carried out.

**For explosion-proof turbo couplings, the following maintenance work needs to be carried out in addition:**



Maintenance intervals	Maintenance work
<p><b>In case of impurities or dusting:</b> Clean the turbo coupling when used in potentially explosive atmospheres in regular intervals. The intervals are specified by the operator according to the environmental impact to which the equipment is exposed on the jobsite, e.g. in case of a dust accumulation of approx. 0.2 ... 0.5 mm or more.</p>	Cleaning (→ Chapter 13.1).
Maintenance interval → Chapter 2	Replacement of ball and roller bearings (→ Chapter 13.3.3).

Table 20

**WARNING**

**Explosion hazard**

Explosion hazard due to maintenance work not performed according to schedule. It is vital to carry out all maintenance work according to the schedule in order to guarantee proper operation within the meaning of explosion-protection.

- Immediately remove any combustible layers of dust on the turbo couplings.
- To ensure a good aeration of the turbo coupling, it is vital to check and clean the protective cover in regular intervals.
- If a fusible plug has responded, immediately cover or close the opening that occurred in order to prevent the ingress of combustible dust into the turbo coupling.



### 13.1 Outside cleaning

**NOTICE**

**Damage to property**

Damage to the turbo coupling due to an improper, unsuitable outside cleaning.

- Please ensure that the cleaning agent is compatible with the sealing materials used, NBR and FPM/FKM!
- Do not use high-pressure cleaning equipment!
- Be careful with gaskets. Do not apply a water and compressed-air jet.

- Clean the turbo coupling with a grease solvent, as and when required.

## 13.2 Flexible connecting coupling

### 13.2.1 Checking the flexible element for wear

#### Connecting coupling of type ERK, EEK, EPK, Nor-Mex G:

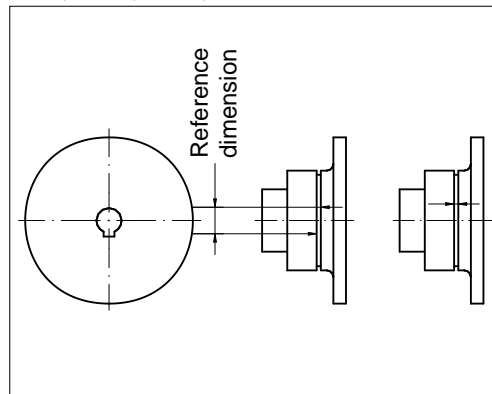


Fig. 39

#### Connecting coupling of type ENK:

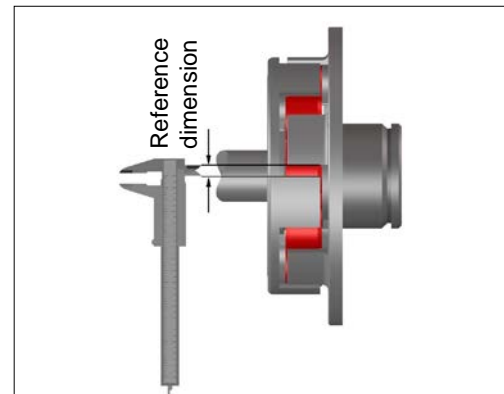


Fig. 40

- Turn the turbo coupling until the flexible element touches without load.
  - Provide markings opposite on the hub and flange or the 2nd hub.
  - Turn the turbo coupling in the opposite direction until the flexible element touches without load.
  - Measure the distance of the markings in peripheral direction on the outer diameter of the hub or on the ring in the area of the outer diameter.
  - Document the reference dimension.
- Measure the distance of the rollers in direction of rotation on the outer diameter of the hub.
  - Measure the distance of the rollers in direction of rotation on the outer diameter of the hub.
  - The reference dimension is the smallest value of both measurements.

Report samples  
→ Chapter 14.3.1

**Permissible reference diamentions of the flexible connecting couplings in mm**

Coupling size	ERK	EPK	EEK-E EEK-M	ENK-SX ENK-SV	Nor-Mex G
154	< 6	-	-	-	-
206	< 6	-	-	> 13.5	-
274	< 8	-	< 8	> 14	-
366	-	< 12	< 8	> 14	< 10
422	-	< 12	< 8	> 15	< 10
487	-	< 12	< 9	> 15	< 10
562	-	< 12	< 11	> 12	< 10
650	-	< 12	< 10	> 12	< 7
750	-	< 12	-	-	< 7
866	-	< 12	-	-	-
1000	-	< 12	-	-	-
1150	-	< 12	-	-	-

Table 21

**SAFETY INFORMATION**

**Lifetime of flexible element**

An unusually quickly worn flexible element may be a sign of improper alignment.

- Align the flexible connecting coupling properly.

### 13.2.2 Maintenance intervals

If, based on the previous wear, wear of 80% of the table value is to be expected until the next check is performed, replace the flexible element or shorten the maintenance intervals accordingly.

On account of changed operating conditions, an increase in wear has to be considered.

#### **NOTICE**

##### **Damage to property**

Connecting coupling may be damaged due to improper alignment.

- Re-align the unit if the connecting machines were displaced while replacing the flexible element.

### 13.3 Bearings

#### 13.3.1 Bearing lubrication when mineral oil is used as operating fluid

Please observe the following in order to guarantee lubrication of the bearings:

#### **NOTICE**

##### **Damage to property**

Danger of bearing damage.

- On account of the type of bearings used for standard turbo couplings from size 366, at least one standstill is required within three months.
- On account of the type of bearings used for standard turbo couplings up to size 274, at least one standstill is required once a week.

#### **SAFETY INFORMATION**

##### **Lifetime grease filling**

- Turbo couplings can be provided with special bearings that allow continuous operation and contain a lifetime grease filling.

#### 13.3.2 Bearing lubrication when water is used as operating fluid

The turbo coupling bearings are filled with lifetime grease when water is used as operating fluid. Re-lubrication is not necessary.



### 13.3.3 Replacement of bearings / re-lubrication



#### SAFETY INFORMATION

On the occasion of an overhaul of the turbo couplings, have the bearings replaced / re-lubricated by skilled persons authorized by Voith.

Replacement interval of ball and roller bearings  
→ Chapter 2

### 13.4 Fusible plugs

- The fusible plugs protect the turbo coupling against damage due to thermal overload.
- When the nominal response temperature is reached, the solder core of the fusible plugs melts and the operating fluid leaks out.

Nominal response temperature of fusible plugs  
→ Cover sheet

Fusible plugs are identified by

- the engraved nominal response temperature in °C,
- a color coding:

Nominal response temperature	Color coding	Operating fluid Oil	Operating fluid Water
95 °C	without (tinned)	X	X
110 °C	yellow	X	X
125 °C	brown	X	-
140 °C	red	X	-
160 °C	green	X	-
180 °C	blue	X	-

Table 22

#### SAFETY INFORMATION

- Use only original fusible plugs SSS-X with the required nominal response temperature!
- Do not replace any fusible plugs by blind screws!
- Do not alter the arrangement of the fusible plugs.
- When water is used as operating fluid, only fusible plugs with a max. nominal response temperature of 110 °C are permitted!
- Never operate the turbo coupling without fusible plugs!

Design  
→ Chapter 2

### SAFETY INFORMATION

#### Switching elements, unbalance

- There is a MTS and/or BTS switching element or a blind screw opposite the sight glass (position is marked by an arrow).
- Insert a weight-tolerated BTM blind screw opposite the BTM switching element. Do not insert the BTM switching element opposite a sight glass, blind screw or fusible plug having a lighter weight.

Tightening torques  
→ Chapter 3.2

#### On response of a fusible plug:

- Replace all fusible plugs.
- Change the operating fluid.

### 13.4.1 Fusible plugs in turbo couplings not suitable for use in potentially explosive atmospheres

### SAFETY INFORMATION

- The fusible plugs for turbo couplings of type "TW" and sizes 422, 487, 562, 650, 750, 866 and 1150 are arranged in the outer wheel.
- If a brake is used, select the position of the fusible plugs so that they do not spray onto the brake. Please check that and, if necessary, change the fusible plugs for the opposite blind screws.

Number and position of fusible plugs, blind screws and switching elements for outer wheel drive (inner wheel drive):

Coupling size and type	Shell (item 0190)					
	Fusible plug Item 0260		Blind screw Item 0265		MTS-, BTS- switching element <sup>2)</sup>	
154 T...	-	(-)	-	(-)	-	(-)
154 DT...	-	(-)	-	(-)	-	(-)
206 T...	-	(-)	1	(1)	1	(-)
206 DT...	-	(-)	-	(-)	-	(-)
274 T...	-	(-)	1	(1)	1	(-)
274 DT...	-	(-)	-	(-)	-	(-)
366 T...	1	(1)	1	(1)	-	(-)
366 TW...	-	(-)	2	(2)	-	(-)
422 T...	2	(2)	-	(-)	-	(-)
487 T...	2	(2)	-	(-)	-	(-)
562 T...	2	(2)	-	(-)	-	(-)
650 T...	3	(3)	1 <sup>5)</sup>	(1) <sup>5)</sup>	-	(-)
750 T...	2	(2)	2	(2)	-	(-)
866 T...	3	(3)	1 <sup>5)</sup>	(1) <sup>5)</sup>	-	(-)
1000 T...	4	(4)	-	(-)	-	(-)
1000 TW...	-	(-)	4	(4)	1	(1)
1000 DT...	-	(-)	-	(-)	-	(-)
1150 T...	4	(4)	-	(-)	-	(-)
1150 DT...	-	(-)	-	(-)	-	(-)

Coupling size and type	Outer wheel (item 0300)						
	Fusible plug Item 0395		Blind screw Item 0394		MTS-, BTS-, BTM <sup>3)</sup> switching element <sup>2)</sup>	Sight glass <sup>4)</sup> Item 0396	
154 T...	1	(1) <sup>1)</sup>	-	(2)	-	(1)	-
154 DT...	2	(2) <sup>1)</sup>	-	(2)	-	(1)	-
206 T...	1	(1) <sup>1)</sup>	-	(2)	-	(1)	-
206 DT...	2	(2) <sup>1)</sup>	-	(2)	-	(1)	-
274 T...	1	(1) <sup>1)</sup>	-	(2)	-	(1)	-
274 DT...	2	(2) <sup>1)</sup>	-	(2)	-	(1)	-
366 T...	-	(-)	5	(5)	1	(1)	1
366 TW...	2	(2)	3	(3)	1	(1)	1
422 T...	-	(-)	7	(7)	1	(1)	1
487 T...	-	(-)	7	(7)	1	(1)	1
562 T...	-	(-)	7	(7)	1	(1)	1
650 T...	-	(-)	5	(5)	1	(1)	1
750 T...	-	(-)	5	(5)	1	(1)	1
866 T...	-	(-)	5	(5)	1	(1)	1
1000 T...	-	(-)	3	(3)	1	(1)	1
1000 TW...	3	(3)	-	(-)	-	(-)	1
1000 DT...	6	(6)	1	(1)	1	(1)	1
1150 T...	-	(-)	5	(5)	1	(1)	1
1150 DT...	8	(8)	3	(3)	1	(1)	1

Table 23

- 1) Radial arrangement
- 2) The MTS, BTS or BTM switching element is inserted instead of a blind screw.
- 3) The blind screw opposite the BTM has to be replaced by the counterweight.
- 4) Position is marked by an arrow.
- 5) Only for annular chamber (type T...S...).



### 13.4.2 Fusible plugs in turbo couplings suitable for use in potentially explosive atmospheres

**⚠ WARNING**

**Fire hazard**

If a brake is used, select the position of the fusible plugs so that they do not spray onto the brake.

- This needs to be checked. In case of any deviation, please consult Voith Turbo.

**SAFETY INFORMATION**

**Thermal monitoring devices**

- A thermal monitoring system can prevent that operating fluid is sprayed off (→ Chapter 19).
- Thermal monitoring systems are available at Voith Turbo as accessories.

Number and position of fusible plugs, blind screws and switching elements for outer wheel drive (inner wheel drive):

Coupling size and type	Shell (item 0190)			
	Fusible plug Item 0260	Blind screw Item 0265	MTS-, BTS-switching element <sup>2)</sup>	
154 T...	- (-)	- (-)	-	-
154 DT...	- (-)	- (-)	-	-
206 T...	- (-)	1 (1)	-	-
206 DT...	- (-)	- (-)	-	-
274 T...	- (-)	1 (1)	-	-
274 DT...	- (-)	- (-)	-	-
366 T...	- (-)	2 (2)	-	-
422 T...	- (-)	2 (2)	-	-
487 T...	- (-)	2 (2)	-	-
562 T...	- (-)	2 (2)	-	-
650 T...	- (-)	3 (3)	-	-
650 T...S...	- (-)	4 (4)	-	-
650 T... <sup>3)</sup>	3 (-)	- (3)	-	-
650 T...S... <sup>3)</sup>	3 (-)	1 (4)	-	-
750 T...	- (2)	2 (-)	-	-
866 T...	- (3)	3 (-)	-	-
866 T...S...	- (3)	4 (1)	-	-
866 T... <sup>3)</sup>	3 (3)	- (-)	-	-
866 T...S... <sup>3)</sup>	3 (3)	1 (1)	-	-
1000 T...	4 (4)	- (-)	-	-
1000 DT...	- (-)	- (-)	-	-
1150 T...	- (4)	4 (-)	-	-
1150 DT...	- (-)	- (-)	-	-

Coupling size and type	Outer wheel (item 0300)				
	Fusible plug Item 0395	Blind screw Item 0394	MTS, BTS switching element <sup>2)</sup>	Sight glass <sup>4)</sup> Item 0396	
154 T...	1 (1) <sup>1)</sup>	- (2)	-	-	-
154 DT...	2 (2) <sup>1)</sup>	- (2)	-	-	-
206 T...	1 (1) <sup>1)</sup>	- (2)	-	-	-
206 DT...	2 (2) <sup>1)</sup>	- (2)	-	-	-
274 T...	1 (1) <sup>1)</sup>	- (2)	-	-	-
274 DT...	2 (2) <sup>1)</sup>	- (2)	-	-	-
366 T...	2 (2)	3 (3)	1	1	1
422 T...	4 (4)	3 (3)	1	1	1
487 T...	2 (4)	5 (3)	1	1	1
562 T...	2 (4)	5 (3)	1	1	1
650 T...	3 (2)	2 (3)	1	1	1
650 T...S...	3 (2)	2 (3)	1	1	1
650 T... <sup>3)</sup>	- (2)	5 (3)	1	1	1
650 T...S... <sup>3)</sup>	- (2)	5 (3)	1	1	1
750 T...	2 (-)	3 (5)	1	1	1
866 T...	3 (-)	2 (5)	1	1	1
866 T...S...	3 (-)	2 (5)	1	1	1
866 T... <sup>3)</sup>	- (-)	5 (5)	1	1	1
866 T...S... <sup>3)</sup>	- (-)	5 (5)	1	1	1
1000 T...	- (-)	3 (3)	1	1	1
1000 DT...	6 (6)	1 (1)	1	1	1
1150 T...	4 (-)	1 (5)	1	1	1
1150 DT...	8 (8)	3 (3)	1	1	1

Table 24

- 1) Radial arrangement
- 2) The MTS or BTS switching element is inserted instead of a blind screw.
- 3) Applies only if a BTS-Ex switch unit is used.
- 4) Position is marked by an arrow.

# 14 Assembly Check-, Commissioning and Maintenance Report



## WARNING

### Risk of injury

Please observe, in particular, → Chapter 6 (Safety) when working on the turbo coupling!

Document all assembly work performed in the assembly check report (→ Chapter 14.1).

Document the commissioning process in the commissioning report (→ Chapter 14.2).



## SAFETY INFORMATION

Document all **maintenance work** performed on the

- turbo coupling  
in the maintenance report for the general maintenance (→ Chapter 14.3).
- flexible connecting coupling  
in the maintenance report for the flexible connecting coupling (→ Chapter 14.3.1).

Use copies of the samples, if necessary.

## 14.1 Assembly check report

Confirm the check or performance of the work by an "X" and/or enter the respective values.

### Voith turbo coupling

Size / type (→ Chapter 18):

Serial No. (→ Chapter 18):

Turbo coupling approved for potentially explosive atmospheres      yes  / no

### Operating fluid of turbo coupling

Filling:  |

Producer:

Designation:

### Motor

Serial No.

Input speed  rpm

Rated power  kW

### Assembly works were carried out

by/on:

Name:

Date:

Signature:

### Driven machine / gearbox

Serial No.

Assembly - check step	Explanations	Completion notice / dimension
Check of fixing bolt length (item 0050)	→ order documents	<input type="checkbox"/>
Measurement of true radial running <sup>1)</sup> of driven machine.	Manufacturer's specification	Desired: [mm] ACTUAL: [mm]
Measurement of diameter 1) of driving machine.	Manufacturer's specification	Desired: [mm] ACTUAL: [mm]
Measurement of true radial running 1) of driven machine.	Manufacturer's specification	Desired: [mm] ACTUAL: [mm]
Measurement of diameter 1) of driven machine.	Manufacturer's specification	Desired: [mm] ACTUAL: [mm]
Diameter 1) of input.	Chapter 2	Desired: [mm] ACTUAL: [mm]
Diameter 1) of output	Chapter 2	Desired: [mm] ACTUAL: [mm]
Check of back clearance of key (input side).	Chapter 8.2	<input type="checkbox"/>
Check of back clearance of key (output side).	Chapter 8.2	<input type="checkbox"/>
Key moves easily in the keyway of the input hub.	Chapter 8.2	<input type="checkbox"/>
Key moves easily in the keyway of the output hub	Chapter 8.2	<input type="checkbox"/>
Check of the input side shaft-hub connection. Balancing method corresponds to DIN ISO 8821 and ISO 8821.	Chapter 8.2	Method applied: <input type="checkbox"/> Half-key convention <input type="checkbox"/> Full-key convention
Check of output side shaft-hub connection. Balancing method corresponds to DIN ISO 8821 and ISO 8821.	Chapter 8.2	Method applied: <input type="checkbox"/> half-key convention <input type="checkbox"/> full-key convention
Cleaning of input side shaft and hub and application of lubricant.	Chapter 8.2	<input type="checkbox"/>
Cleaning of output side shaft and hub and application of lubricant.	Chapter 8.2	<input type="checkbox"/>
Connecting coupling hub Set screw (item 1845) tightened with torque.	Chapter 3.1	<input type="checkbox"/>

1) Dimensions of shaft and/or hub to be connected by means of the shaft-hub connection.

Mounting - check step	Explanations	Completion notice / dimension
Tightening of fixing bolt (item 0050) with torque.	Chapter 3.1	<input type="checkbox"/>
When mounting type TN: Are balancing marks of the primary coupling flange in the proper position?	Chapter 8.4	<input type="checkbox"/>
Measurement of installation dimension "L".	Chapter 8.5.3	Desired: [mm] ACTUAL: [mm]
Foundation bolts were tightened.	Chapter 8.5.5	<input type="checkbox"/>
Mounting of coupling Bolts (item 1830) were tightened.	Chapter 3.3	<input type="checkbox"/>
MTS / BTS / BTM (if required) Installation position was checked according to operating manual.	Chapter 2 Chapter 19	<input type="checkbox"/>
MTS / BTS / BTM (if required) Electrical functioning was checked.	Chapter 2 Chapter 19	<input type="checkbox"/>
A guard was mounted as recommended.	Chapter 11	<input type="checkbox"/>
Equipotential bonding between input and output was realized.	Chapter 11	<input type="checkbox"/>
Operating fluid was filled into the coupling.	Chapter 10	<input type="checkbox"/>
For <b>horizontally</b> installed turbo couplings only: Number of screws "z" for filling was determined.	Chapter 10.1	<b>z</b> = screws
For <b>vertically</b> installed turbo couplings only: Level check device was used. Fill level was marked on the coupling.	Chapter 10.1.2	<input type="checkbox"/>
Alignment of turbo coupling was checked.	Enter alignment values	<input type="checkbox"/>
Radial running of motor shaft is OK		<input type="checkbox"/>
Enter the displacement values (→ Chapter 8.5.4):		
Viewing from the motor towards driven machine	RADIAL (true radial running)	AXIAL (true axial running)
Please tick where applicable		
- Data from dial gauge <input type="checkbox"/>		
- Data from shaft center offset <input type="checkbox"/>		
- Data (dial gauge) from turbo coupling <input type="checkbox"/>		
- Data (dial gauge) from shaft center displacement <input type="checkbox"/>		
- AXIAL values measured on Ø: .....mm		
Displacements during operation (are to be indicated by the machine manufacturer): Observe displacements resulting from an increase in temperature or from mechanical movements.		
Enter only those values that change the above-ascertained alignment values.		
- Radially (e.g. different thermal expansion of input / output)	..... mm	
- Axially (e.g. through angular displacements)	..... mm	
- Linear expansion (for installation tolerance - dimension "L", e.g. shaft expansion)	..... mm	



## 14.2 Commissioning report

Confirm the check or performance of the work by an "X" and/or enter the respective values.

**Voith turbo coupling**

Size / type (→ Chapter 18):

Serial No. (→ Chapter 18):

Turbo coupling approved for potentially explosive atmospheres      yes  / no

**Commissioning was performed by:**

after  Oper. hrs.

Name:

Date:

Signature:

Commissioning - check step	Explanations	Completion notice
<b>Checks prior to switching on the drive motor:</b>		
Assembly/mounting check steps were carried out. Fill in the assembly check report.	Chapter 14.1	<input type="checkbox"/>
Applies only to turbo couplings that are used in potentially explosive atmospheres: Check according to the marking whether the turbo coupling is approved for the use in potentially explosive atmospheres.	Chapter 6.2	<input type="checkbox"/>
For <b>horizontally</b> installed turbo couplings only: Check the filling level / determine the number of screws "Z" for filling.	Chapter 10.2	<input type="checkbox"/> / z =                  screws
For <b>vertically</b> installed turbo couplings only: Use the fill level check device. Compare the fill level with the previously made fill level marking.	Chapter 10.2.2	<input type="checkbox"/> / Difference =                  mm
Fix a guard over the turbo coupling (for design, → Chapter 11).	Chapter 11	<input type="checkbox"/>
Check whether the machine was earthed with a grounding cable (16mm <sup>2</sup> ).		<input type="checkbox"/>
Applies only to installations where overspeed is possible: Provide the unit with a device that reliably prevents overspeeds (e.g. brake or backstop).	Chapter 3	<input type="checkbox"/>
Determine the next standstill of coupling for maintenance services.	Chapter 13	<input type="checkbox"/>
Check whether there is any metallic contact in the area of the flexible connecting coupling.	Chapter 8.5, Chapter 13.2	<input type="checkbox"/>
The reference dimension on the connecting couplings was checked.	Chapter 13.2	<input type="checkbox"/>
Applies only when a BTS-Ex is used as temperature monitoring system: Make sure that the maximum permissible turbo coupling temperature is not exceeded when switching on the motor!	Chapter 2	<input type="checkbox"/>
Check of foundation bolts.		<input type="checkbox"/>

Commissioning - check step	Explanations	Completion notice
<b>Checks during the test run:</b>		
Motor run-up is normal.		<input type="checkbox"/>
Turbo coupling is tight. Check of floor and environment for oil moistening, oil did not leak out.		<input type="checkbox"/>
Machine operation is normal.		<input type="checkbox"/>
Noises are normal.		<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>Checks after switching off the drive motor:</b>		
Turbo coupling is tight. Check of floor and environment for oil moistening, oil did not leak out.		<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>Check of switch units for temperature monitoring <sup>1)</sup>, if applicable:</b>		
Performance of a visual inspection.	<sup>1)</sup>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Removal of dust deposits.	<sup>1)</sup>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Check of electrical system.	<sup>1)</sup>	<input type="checkbox"/>

1) See separate operating manual / → Chapter 19

### 14.3 Maintenance report for general maintenance

Confirm the check or performance of the work by an "X" and/or enter the respective values.

**Voith turbo coupling**

Size / type (→ Chapter 18):

Serial No. (→ Chapter 18):

Turbo coupling approved for potentially explosive atmospheres      yes  / no

**The maintenance work was performed by:**

after  Oper. hrs.

Name:

Date:

Signature:

Maintenance - check step	Explanations	Completion notice
Check for irregularities (every <b>500 h</b> , every <b>3 months</b> at the latest)		
- Turbo coupling is tight. Check of floor and environment for oil moistening, oil did not leak out.		<input type="checkbox"/>
- Machine operation is normal.		<input type="checkbox"/>
- Noises are normal		<input type="checkbox"/>
- Check of protective cover.	Chapter 11	<input type="checkbox"/>
- Check of foundation bolts.		<input type="checkbox"/>
Check of switch units for temperature monitoring <sup>1)</sup> , if applicable (every <b>3 months</b> )		
- Performance of a visual inspection.	<sup>1)</sup>	<input type="checkbox"/>
- Removal of dust deposits.	<sup>1)</sup>	<input type="checkbox"/>
- Check of electrical system (after <b>3 months</b> , then <b>every year</b> ).	<sup>1)</sup>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Operating fluid (every <b>15000 h</b> )		
- Check of operating fluid.		<input type="checkbox"/>
- Determination of remaining operating time.		<input type="checkbox"/> /            hours
- Change of operating fluid.	Chapter 10	<input type="checkbox"/>
Ball and roller bearings (for the intervals, → Chapter 2)		
- Replacement of ball and roller bearings.	Chapter 13.3.3	<input type="checkbox"/>
Cleaning of turbo coupling (after every contamination)		
- Cleaning was performed.	Chapter 13.1	<input type="checkbox"/>

1) See separate operating manual / → Chapter 19

### 14.3.1 Maintenance report for flexible connecting coupling

Confirm the check or performance of the work by an "X" and/or enter the respective values.

**Voith turbo coupling**

Size / type (→ Chapter 18):

Serial No. (→ Chapter 18):

Turbo coupling  
 Approved for potentially  
 explosive atmospheres      yes  / no

**The maintenance work was performed by:**

after  Oper. hrs.

Name:

Date:

Signature:

**Flexible connecting coupling installed (→ cover sheet):**

	ERK	EPK	EEK-E EEK-M	ENK-SV ENK-SX	Nor-Mex G
Replace flexible elements after a max. period of [months]	60	60	36	36	36
Perm. reference dimension (→ Chapter 13.2.1)					
80% value [mm]					

**Maintenance work:**

		EEK, ENK, Nor-Mex G							
		ERK, EPK connecting couplings							
Maintenance work		Commissioning - new flexible element	Check, replace, if necessary	Check, replace, if necessary	Check, replace, if necessary	Check, replace, if necessary	Check, replace, if necessary	Check, replace, if necessary	Replacement
Operating time [months]		0	3	12	24	36	48	60	
1. Flexible element (new condition)	Actual ref. dimension								
	Name								
	Date								
	Signature								
Reduced operating time [months] (→ Chapter 13.2.2)									
2. Flexible element (1st replacement)	Actual ref. dimension								
	Name								
	Date								
	Signature								
Reduced operating time [months] (→ Chapter 13.2.2)									
3. Flexible element (2nd replacement)	Actual ref. dimension								
	Name								
	Date								
	Signature								
Reduced operating time [months] (→ Chapter 13.2.2)									

# 15 Disassembly of Turbo Coupling



## WARNING

### Risk of injury

Please observe, in particular, → Chapter 6 (Safety) when working on the turbo coupling!

- Before beginning to work on the turbo coupling, switch off the main switch of the drive motor and secure it against being switched on!
- For all work performed on the turbo coupling ensure that both the drive motor and the driven machine have stopped running and that a re-start is absolutely impossible!

## 15.1 Preparation

- Prepare suitable tools and lifting appliances.  
Observe the turbo coupling weight!

**Weight of turbo coupling**  
→ cover sheet.  
**Weights of more than 100 kg are stamped on the turbo coupling.**



## WARNING

### Risk of injury

Damaged load carrying attachments or those with insufficient carrying capacity may break under load, with the consequence of serious or even fatal injuries!

- Check the lifting appliances and load carrying attachments for
  - sufficient carrying capacity (for weight, → cover sheet),
  - sound condition.



## WARNING

### Risk of injury

Falling parts may seriously injure or kill you.

- Do not walk under suspended loads.

- Fix the turbo coupling to a suitable lifting appliance.

**Lifting appliances**  
→ Chapter 7.4

## 15.2 Disassembly of basic type T turbo coupling

### NOTICE

#### Damage to property

Turbo coupling may be damaged due to improper use of the removal device.

- It is not allowed to use an impact screwdriver to apply the torque.

Removal devices  
→ Chapter 15.2.1  
→ Chapter 15.2.2

### SAFETY INFORMATION

From **size 274**,

- mounting and removal devices can be procured as accessory from Voith Turbo.
- mechanical puller spindles to remove the turbo coupling are required.

From **size 422**,

- hydraulic puller spindles are available.
- We recommend using the hydraulic puller spindles from size 562 in order to be able to reliably apply the necessary forces.

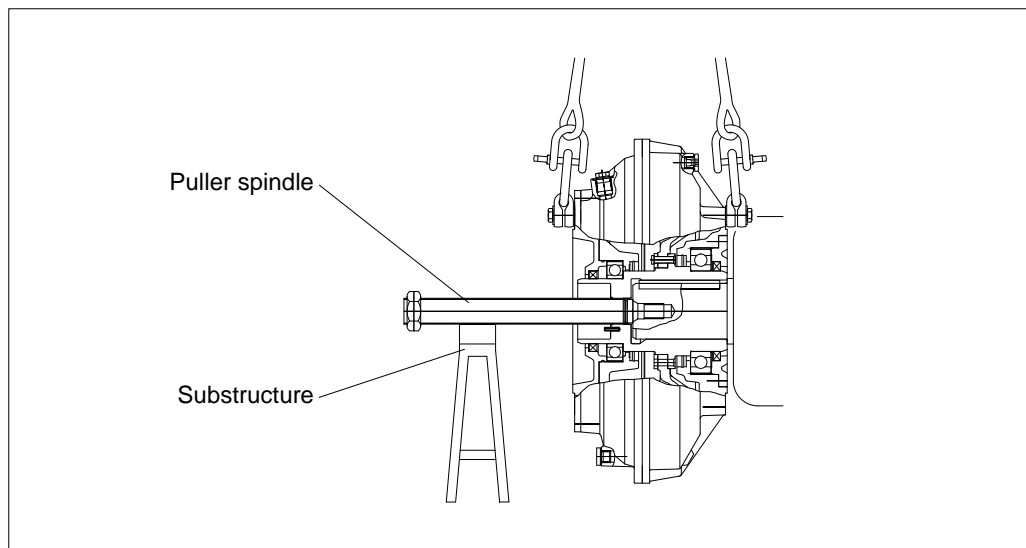


Fig. 41

- **Coupling sizes 154 and 206:**
  - After removing the fixing bolt, turbo couplings of sizes 154 and 206 are removed by inserting a suitable, slightly oiled screw.
  
- **Coupling size 274:**
  - Remove the circlip, fixing bolt and holding disk.
  - Put the threaded ring, supplied together with the removal device, into the coupling hub.
  - Secure the threaded ring using the circlip.
  - Apply lubricant to the thread of the puller spindle.
  - Screw the puller spindle into the internal thread of the threaded ring.
  
- **Coupling sizes 366 to 1150:**
  - Remove the fixing bolt and holding disk.
  - Apply lubricant to the thread of the puller spindle.
  - Screw the puller spindle into the thread of coupling hub.
  
- Support the puller spindle by a substructure.
- Remove the turbo coupling using the puller spindle.

**Lubricant**  
→ **Chapter 8.2**

### 15.2.1 Removal using the hydraulic removal device

Very high forces with a low torque can be applied with the hydraulic removal device so that no substructure of the removal device is necessary for absorbing the force.

Hydraulic removal devices available at Voith Turbo for turbo couplings of basic type T:

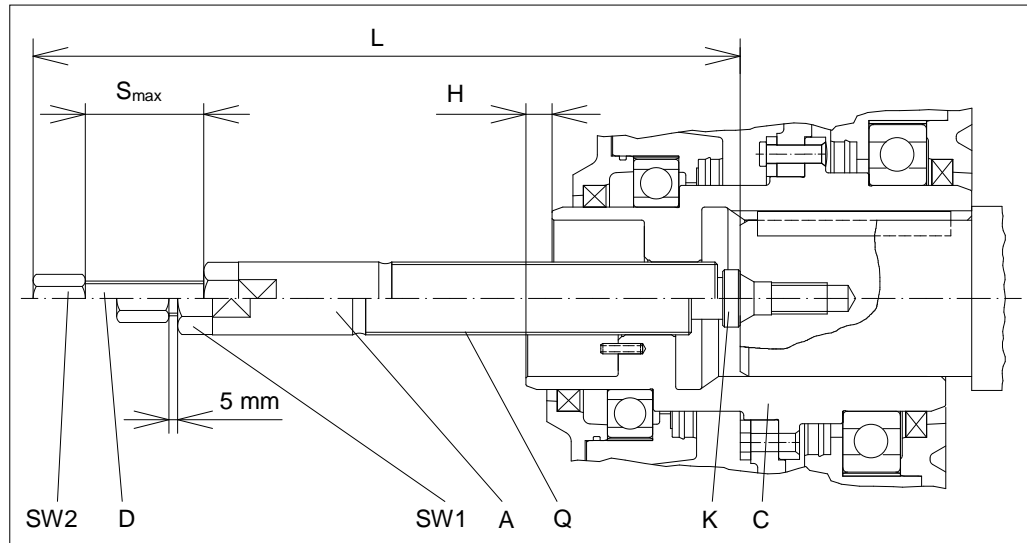


Fig. 42

- |                   |  |
|-------------------|--|
| A: Puller spindle | L: Total length                          |
| C: Coupling hub   | Q: Dimension of thread of puller spindle |
| D: Thrust bolt    | $S_{max}$ : maximum removal dimension    |
| H: Stroke         | SW1: Width across flats (spindle)        |
| K: Piston         | SW2: Width across flats (thrust bolt)    |

Coupling sizes	L in mm	H in mm	Q in inches	SW1 in mm	SW2 in mm	$S_{max}$ in mm	Article No. of puller spindle
422, 487	406	15	G 1-¼	36	24	58	TCR.10063480
562, 650	580	15	G 1-½	36	-	125	TCR.10450060
750, 866, 1000, 1150	1161	15	G 2-¼	36	36	310	TCR.10668200

Table 25



**Procedure:**

1. Unscrew the thrust bolt (D) until reaching the maximum removal dimension  $S_{max}$ .
2. Apply lubricant to the thread of puller spindle (A) and to the thread of thrust bolt (D).
3. Screw the puller spindle (A) via SW1 hexagon, up to the stop, into the thread of coupling hub (C).

**Lubricant**  
→ Chapter 8.2

**NOTICE****Damage to property**

If the dimension 5 mm is not observed, there is the risk of seizing of the thread (wear).

- The pressure chamber of the hydraulic removal device is subject to high pressure and must not be opened!

4. Screw in the thrust bolt (D), stop 5 mm before the limit stop.
5. Unscrew the thrust bolt (D).
6. Screw the puller spindle (A) via SW1 hexagon, up to the stop, into the thread of coupling hub (C).
7. Repeat steps 4 to 6 until the turbo coupling can be easily removed with SW1.

**15.2.2 Removal using the mechanical removal device**

A very careful preparation is necessary for removing the turbo coupling with the mechanical puller spindle in order to apply the necessary high forces without damaging the thread.

To do so, it is necessary to support the puller spindle by a substructure (→ Chapter 15.2).

**NOTICE****Damage to property**

Turbo coupling may be damaged due to improper use of the removal device.

- It is not allowed to use an impact screwdriver to apply the torque.
- Support the puller spindle by a substructure.
- Use the recommended lubricants.

**Lubricant**  
→ Chapter 8.2

Mechanical removal devices available at Voith Turbo for turbo couplings of basic type T:

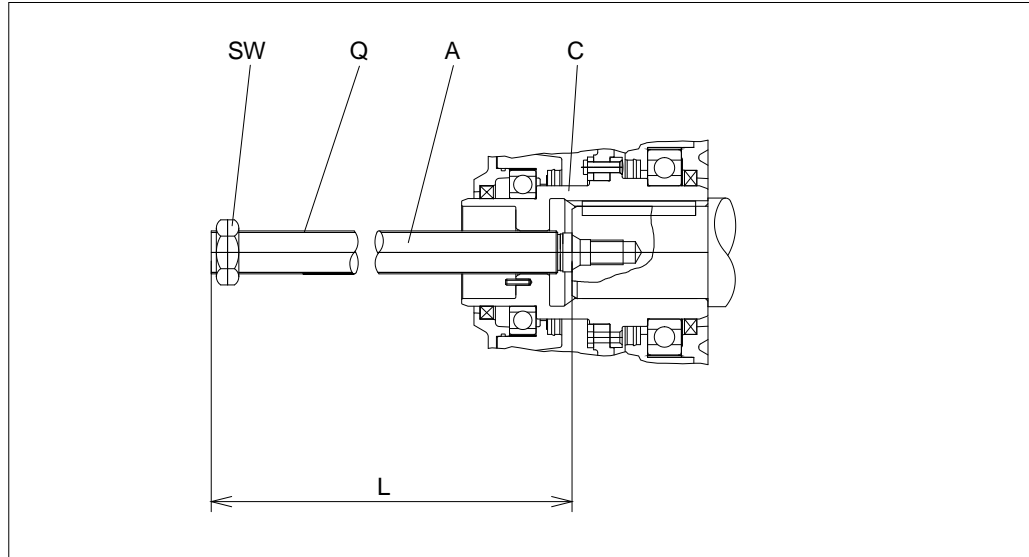


Fig. 43

- A: Puller spindle
- C: Coupling hub
- L: Total length
- Q: Dimension of thread of puller spindle
- SW: Width across flats

Coupling sizes	L in mm	Q in inches	SW in mm	Article No. of puller spindle
274	360	G ¾	36	TCR.10657260
366	350	G 1	46	TCR.10457520
422, 487	460	G 1-¼	55	TCR.11055700
562, 650	650	G 1-½	60	TCR.11054150
750, 866, 1000, 1150	1000	G 2-¼	55	TCR.10670710

Table 26

### **15.3 Reassembly of basic type T turbo coupling**

Procedure for reassembly of the turbo coupling is described in → Chapter 8.3.

### **15.4 Disassembly of basic type TN turbo coupling**

For disassembly, proceed according to → Chapter 8.4, in reverse order.

### **15.5 Reassembly of basic type TN turbo coupling**

Procedure for reassembly of the turbo coupling is described in → Chapter 8.4.

# 16 Disposal

## Disposal of the packaging

Dispose of packaging material according to the local regulations.

## How to dispose of operating fluids

On disposal, please observe the applicable laws and the producer's or supplier's instructions.

## How to dispose of the turbo coupling

Clean the turbo coupling carefully to ensure a purity of material.

Dismantle the turbo coupling, if necessary.

Dispose of the turbo coupling according to the local regulations.

For special information on the disposal of the substances and materials used, please see the following table:

Material / substance	Kind of disposal		
	Reuse	Residual waste	Special waste
Metals	x	-	-
Cables	x	-	-
Seals	-	x	-
Plastics	x <sup>1)</sup>	(x)	-
Operating media	-	-	x <sup>1), 2)</sup>
Packaging	x	-	-

Table 27

- 1) If possible
- 2) Disposal according to the safety data sheet or the manufacturer's instructions

# 17 Malfunctions - Remedial Actions

**WARNING**

**Risk of injury**  
Please observe, in particular, → Chapter 6 (Safety) when working on the turbo coupling!

The following table is intended to help finding the cause of malfunctions or problems quickly and to take remedial action, if necessary.

Malfunction	Possible cause(s)	Remedial action	See
Starting behavior of driven machine is not as expected.	Turbo coupling is not filled with the correct quantity of operating fluid.	Check and correct the quantity filled in.	Chapter 10.1
	The operating conditions have changed.	Please consult Voith Turbo.	Chapter 18
Driven machine does not reach the specified speed.	Driven machine is blocked or overloaded.	Eliminate blocking or the cause of overload.	
	Turbo coupling is not filled with the correct quantity of operating fluid.	Check and correct the quantity filled in.	Chapter 10.1
Drive motor does not reach normal operation within the expected time.	Changeover from star to delta too late.	Changeover from star to delta should be made after 2...5s at the latest.	
	Drive motor is electrically or mechanically not in order.	Have the drive motor checked by authorized personnel.	
Operating fluid leaks out of the turbo coupling.	A fusible plug responded due to overload (excess temperature).	Clarify the cause for the overload. Replace <b>all</b> fusible plugs and change the operating fluid.	Chapter 13.4

<b>Malfunction</b>	<b>Possible cause(s)</b>	<b>Remedial action</b>	<b>See</b>
Operating fluid leaks out of the turbo coupling.	The turbo coupling is leaky.	Eliminate the leak, check, in particular, tightening torques and seal rings of fusible and filler plugs as well as sight glasses and, if necessary, check the switching element of the thermal switch unit. If the leak cannot be eliminated, please consult Voith Turbo.	Chapter 3
			Chapter 18
An existing thermal monitoring unit (MTS, BTS or BTM) has responded.	The turbo coupling was overloaded.	Clarify the cause for the overload, and avoid another overload.  Check and correct the quantity filled in.	Chapter 19  Chapter 10.2
	Thermal monitoring unit (MTS, BTS or BTM) is defective.	Check the monitoring unit.	Chapter 19
Uneven running of the machine (increased vibration).	Foundation fixing is loose.	Retighten the foundation fixing. Align the machine.	
	The machine is not aligned.	Align the machine.	Chapter 8.5
	Machine is not balanced.	Clarify the cause and eliminate the unbalance.	
	The flexible element of the connecting coupling is defective.	Replace the flexible element in sets. Re-align the machine, if necessary.	Chapter 13.2
	Bearings are damaged.	Eliminate the bearing damage; consult Voith Turbo in case of a bearing damage on the turbo coupling.	Chapter 18
	Loose screw connections.	Check the coupling components for damages, and replace the same, if necessary. Check the alignment of the machine. Tighten the screws and bolts with the specified tightening torque.	Chapter 3

<b>Malfunction</b>	<b>Possible cause(s)</b>	<b>Remedial action</b>	<b>See</b>
Premature wear of flexible element.	Alignment error.	Eliminate the cause for alignment error. Re-align the machine. Check the flexible element for wear.	Chapter 13.2
	Impermissible temperatures.	Eliminate the cause for excessive temperature. Replace the flexible element. Re-align the machine, if necessary.	
	Contact with aggressive media.	Check the coupling components for damages, and replace the same, if necessary. Replace the flexible element. Re-align the machine, if necessary. Eliminate the cause for contact with aggressive media.	
	Excessive torque	Eliminate the cause for excessive torque. Check the filling level.	Chapter 10.2
Roller wear / breakage of the rollers of connecting coupling EEK, ENK, Nor-Mex G.	Flexible element is worn.	Replace damaged coupling components. Re-align the machine. Shorten maintenance intervals.	
	Excessive torque	Check the coupling design. Please consult Voith Turbo. Install the new coupling. Re-align the machine.	Chapter 18

Please consult Voith Turbo (→ Chapter 18), in case of a malfunction which is not included in this table.

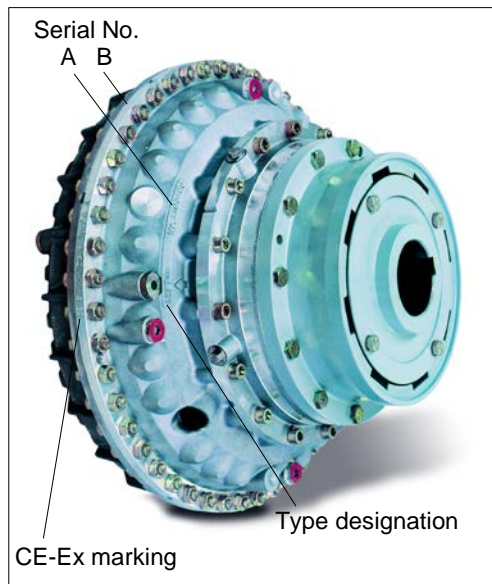
Table 28

# 18 Queries, Orders Placed for Service Engineers and Spare Parts

For

- Queries
- Ordering a service engineer
- Spare parts orders
- Commissionings

we need:



the **serial number** and **type designation** of the turbo coupling.

- You will find the serial number and type designation either on the outer wheel / coupling shell (A) or on the turbo coupling periphery (B).
- The serial number is stamped in with figure stamps.
- For turbo couplings, intended for the use in potentially explosive atmospheres, you will find the CE-Ex marking on the turbo coupling periphery.

Fig. 44

When placing an order for a **service engineer**, **commissioning** or a **service**, we need, in addition

- the turbo coupling installation site,
- the name and address of a contact person,
- details of the malfunction/problem occurred.

When placing a **spare parts order**, we need, in addition,

- the destination for the spare parts shipment.

Representatives  
→ Chapter 21

Please contact the local Voith representative  
(outside business hours: the emergency hotline).



# 19 Temperature monitoring

## SAFETY INFORMATION



The thermal switch units MTS and BTS can be used in potentially explosive atmospheres to monitor the temperature. The signals serve for pre-warning. The MTS or BTS do not limit the maximum surface temperature.

The BTS-Ex is available as safety device to limit the maximum surface temperature, and it can be used as thermal switch-off device.

Also in this case, it is not allowed to replace the existing fusible plugs by fusible plugs with different nominal response temperatures or by blind screws.

Never bypass safety devices!



## DANGER

### Electric shock

Electric voltage may kill or severely injure you

- A qualified electrician has to properly carry out the connection to the electric supply network considering the system voltage and the maximum power consumption!
- The system voltage has to be in conformity with the system voltage indicated on the nameplate!
- There has to be a corresponding electrical protection by a fuse on the network side.

The temperature in the turbo coupling can be monitored by means of a limit switch or a temperature instrument.

The following systems are available as limit switch

- a mechanical MTS system
- an electronic BTS system

These limit switches serve to monitor the temporarily permissible peak temperature, and to prevent a response of the fusible plugs provided the overload is eliminated promptly (e.g. by switching off the drive).

The BTM can be used as temperature measuring device. This way, not only the temporarily permissible peak temperature can be monitored, but also the nominal operation.

For the MTS,  
Operating Manual  
3626-011800 is  
available at Voith  
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[www.voith.com/  
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## 19.1 MTS mechanical thermal switch unit for pre-warning

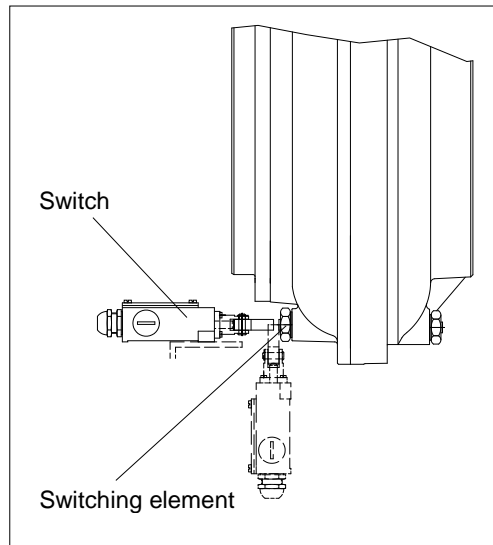


Fig. 45

### Functioning:

On excess temperature, the switching element releases a pin. The pin activates a switch on coupling rotation. This signal, for example, may trip an alarm or switch off the drive motor. The switching element needs to be replaced.

**In case of inner wheel drive and blocking of driven machine, the function is no longer guaranteed!**

The MTS is available for turbo couplings of all sizes.

For arrangement, see the table in → Chapter 13.4.1.

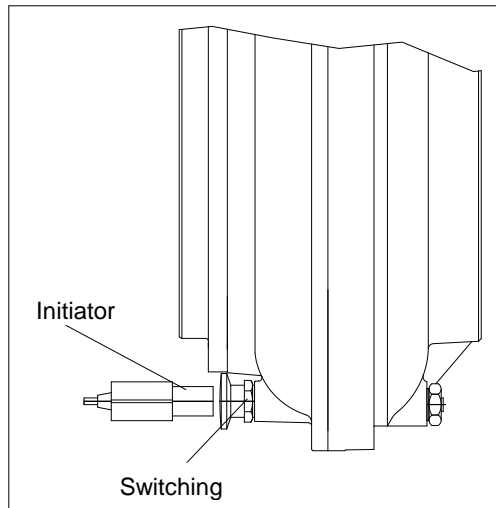
The switch is available in two designs:

- enclosed [protection IP 65],
- suitable for use in potentially explosive atmospheres  
type of protection:  $\text{Ex}$  II 2G EEx d IIC T6 (PTB 03 ATEX 1067 X).  
 $\text{Ex}$  II 2D IP65 T 80 C (PTB 03 ATEX 1067 X).

## 19.2 BTS non-contacting thermal switch unit

### 19.2.1 BTS non-contacting thermal switch unit for pre-warning

For the BTS, Operating Manual 3626-011500 is available at Voith Turbo. Or download it at [www.voith.com/fluid-couplings](http://www.voith.com/fluid-couplings).



#### Functioning:

On excess temperature, the switching element gives a specific signal to the initiator. This signal is transferred to an evaluator and may, for example,

- trigger an alarm
- or switch off the drive motor.

After the turbo coupling has cooled down, the switching element is again ready for service; it does not have to be replaced.

Fig. 46

The BTS is provided for turbo couplings from **size 206**.

For arrangement, see the table in → Chapter 13.4.1.

Switching element and initiator are

- cast in plastic,
  - insensitive to dirt,
  - suitable for use in potentially explosive atmospheres
- type of protection:  $\text{Ex}$  II 2G EEx ia IIC T6 (PTB 00 ATEX 2048 X).  
 $\text{Ex}$  II 1D Ex iaD 20 T... C (ZELM 03 ATEX 0128 X).

### SAFETY INFORMATION

As the control circuit of the evaluator is **not** intrinsically safe, provide an appropriate isolating switch amplifier between evaluator and initiator!

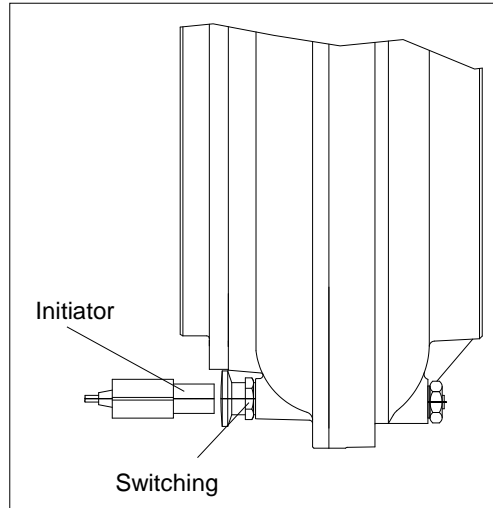


- Isolating switch amplifier type KFD2-SOT2-Ex2 (24 V DC)  
type of protection:  $\text{Ex}$  II (1) GD [EEx ia] IIC (PTB 00 ATEX 2035).
- Isolating switch amplifier type KFA6-SOT2-Ex2 (230 V AC)  
type of protection:  $\text{Ex}$  II (1) G [EEx ia] IIC (PTB 98 ATEX 2164).



For the BTS-Ex, Operating Manual 3626-019600 is available at Voith Turbo. Or download it at [www.voith.com/fluid-couplings](http://www.voith.com/fluid-couplings).

### 19.2.2 BTS-Ex non-contacting thermal switch unit for limiting the maximum surface temperature



**Functioning:**

On excess temperature, the switching element gives a specific signal to the initiator. This signal is sent to an isolating switch amplifier and has to enforce the switch-off of the drive motor.

Use a BTS-Ex approved by Voith for this application.

After the turbo coupling has cooled down, the switching element is again ready for service; it does not have to be replaced.

Fig. 47

The BTS-Ex is provided for turbo couplings from **size 366**.

For arrangement, see the table in → Chapter 13.4.2.

The BTS-Ex is provided for use in potentially explosive atmospheres as per Directive ATEX in Equipment Group II, Equipment Category 2G and 2D (Ex II 2GD).



#### SAFETY INFORMATION

The BTS-Ex for limiting the maximum surface temperature is approved only in connection with the components supplied by Voith according to BTS-Ex operating manual.

Use of original Voith spare parts is imperative in case of a replacement demand. The evaluator serves to transmit control commands from potentially explosive atmospheres into non-explosive areas and to safely isolate intrinsically safe and non-intrinsically safe circuits.

- Make sure not to exceed the maximum permissible temperature of the turbo coupling when switching on the motor.

Technical data  
→ Chapter 2

### 19.3 BTS non-contacting thermal measuring device for pre-warning

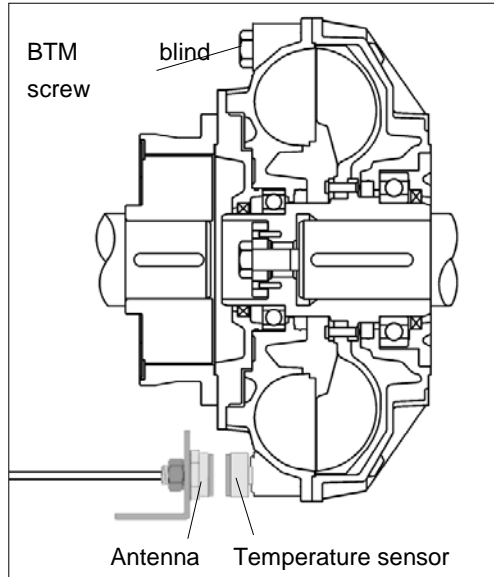


Fig. 48

The BTM is provided for turbo couplings from **size 366**.

For arrangement, see the table in → Chapter 13.4.1.

#### Functioning:

The temperature sensor permanently transmits a measuring signal to the antenna. This signal is sent to an evaluator with 4 channels.

The measured temperatures of every channel are indicated on the evaluator. In addition, the measured temperatures are output as 4-20 mA signals.

Furthermore, two relay outputs are available per measuring channel with switching thresholds (e.g. pre-warning, switch-off) adjustable via the keyboard on the evaluator.

For the BTM, Operating Manual 3626-019800 is available at Voith Turbo. Or download it at [www.voith.com/fluid-couplings](http://www.voith.com/fluid-couplings).

#### SAFETY INFORMATION

The BTM is not provided for use in potentially explosive areas as per Directive ATEX.



## 20 Spare Parts Information

### SAFETY INFORMATION

#### Variety of variants

Considering the great variety, please find in the following only the basic designs of turbo couplings with constant fill.

- Spare parts must comply with the technical requirements determined by Voith. This is guaranteed when original spare parts are used. Installation and/or use of non-original spare parts may negatively change the mechanical properties of the **Voith turbo couplings**, and may thus impair safety. Voith is not liable for any damages resulting from the use of non-original spare parts.
  - You will find the type of your turbo coupling on the cover sheet of this operating manual.
  - If a flexible connecting couplings belongs to the scope of supply, you will find the type also on the cover sheet of this operating manual. For matching possibilities of turbo coupling and flexible connecting coupling, please see → Chapter 8.5.3.
  - Observe → Chapter 1.2 (type designation) and → Chapter 18 (Queries, Orders places for Service Engineers and Spare Parts).
  - The customer is only allowed to perform the following work:
    - Replacement of fusible pluts (item 0395 / 0260) (→ Chapter 13.4).
    - Replacement of flexible element (item 1820) (→ Chapter 13.2, 14.3.1, 20.4).
    - Work according to maintenance report (→ Chapter 14.3).
    - Change of operating fluid (→ Chapter 10).
    - Mounting of parts for which tightening torques are indicated (→ Chapter 3).
- All remaining work may be performed by Voith staff only.**

**NOTICE**

**Unauthorized changes or retrofits are not allowed to be performed on the coupling!**

**Do not retrofit accessories or equipment originating from other manufacturers!**

Any changes or conversions performed without the prior written consent of Voith Turbo will result in the loss of any warranty! Any claims will forfeit.

- Professional maintenance or repair can only be guaranteed by the manufacturer!

**SAFETY INFORMATION**

If the turbo coupling is used in potentially explosive atmospheres (as per Directive ATEX), the use of original parts that have been released for use in hazardous areas is allowed only.



## 20.1 Components overview - Voith turbo coupling 154 – 1150

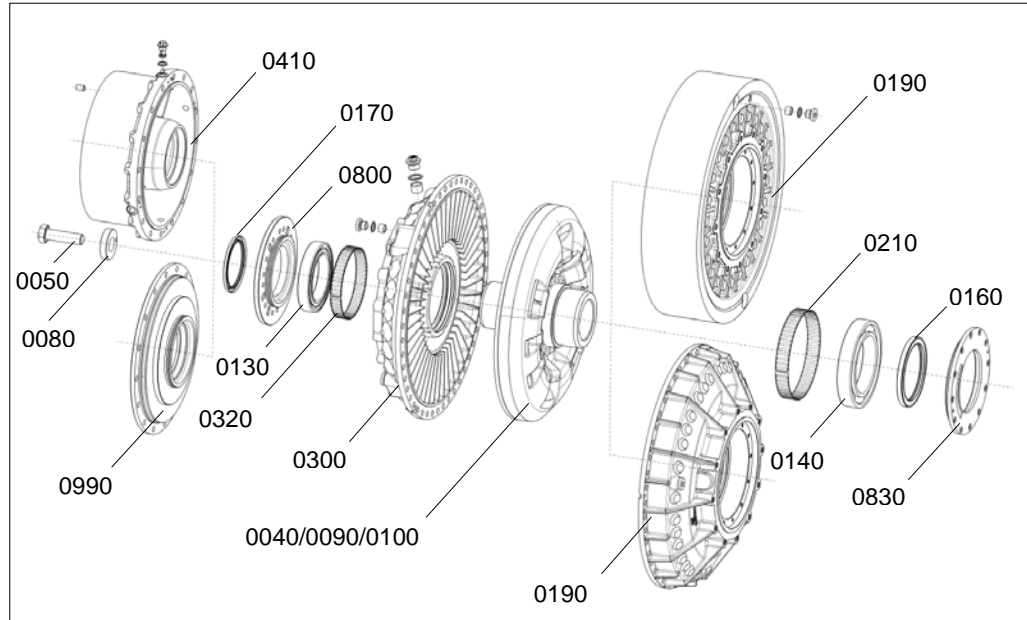


Fig. 49

Item No.	Description	Item No.	Description
0040	Coupling hub	0190	Coupling shell
0050	Fixing bolt	0210	Tolerance ring
0080	Holding disk	0300	Outer wheel
0090	Inner wheel	0320	Tolerance ring
0100	Riveting ring/threaded ring/clamping ring	0410	Delay chamber cover
0130	Grooved ball bearing	0800	Bearing support cover
0140	Grooved ball bearing	0830	Sealing ring cover
0160	Radial shaft sealing ring	0990	Connecting cover
0170	Radial shaft sealing ring		

Table 29

Spare parts for Voith turbo coupling → Chapter 20.2 or Chapter 20.3.



## 20.2 Spare parts for Voith turbo coupling 154 – 274

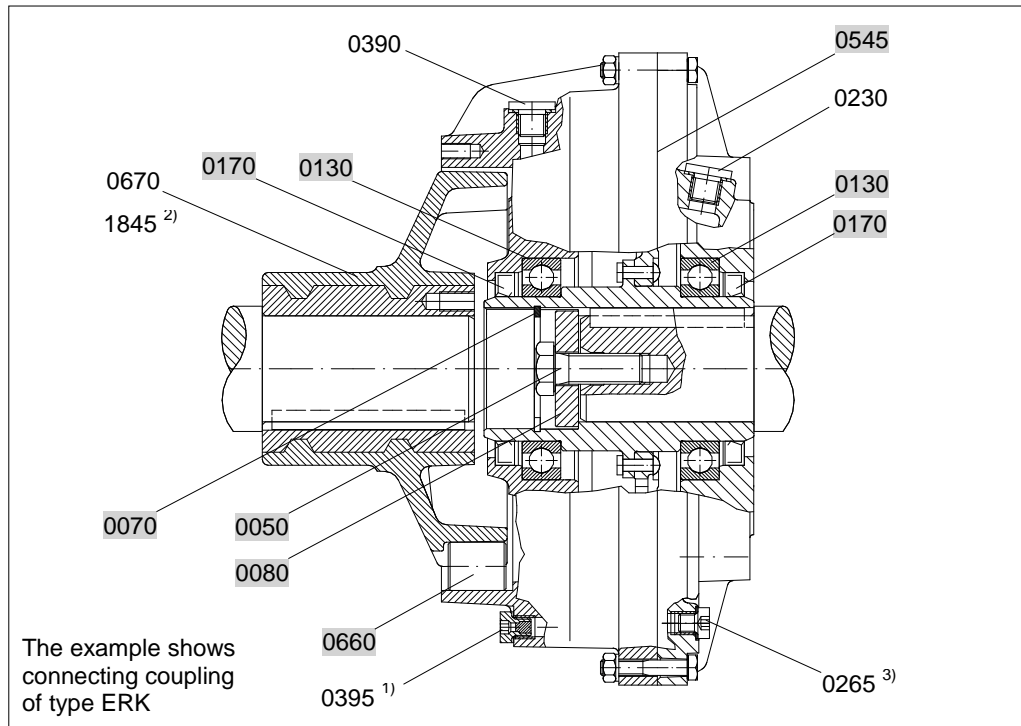


Fig. 50

- 1) For arrangement and quantity, see the tables → Chapter 13.4
- 2) Set screw, item 1845, is not shown
- 3) Not existing for coupling size 154

xxxx Nonrepairable items (→ the following table)

xxxxx Repair parts / wearing parts (V) (→ the following table)

Item No.	Nonrepairable items	Item No.	Repair parts / wearing parts (V)
0230	Filler plug	0050	Fixing bolt
0265	Blind screw	0075	Circlip
0390	Filler plug	0080	Holding disk
0395	Fusible plug	0130	Grooved ball bearing (V)
1845	Set screw	0170	Radial shaft sealing ring (V)
		0545	Sealing tape (V)
<b>Item No.</b>	<b>Description</b>	0660	Elastikum (V)
0670	ERK-Nabe		

Table 30

### 20.3 Spare parts for Voith turbo coupling 366 – 1150

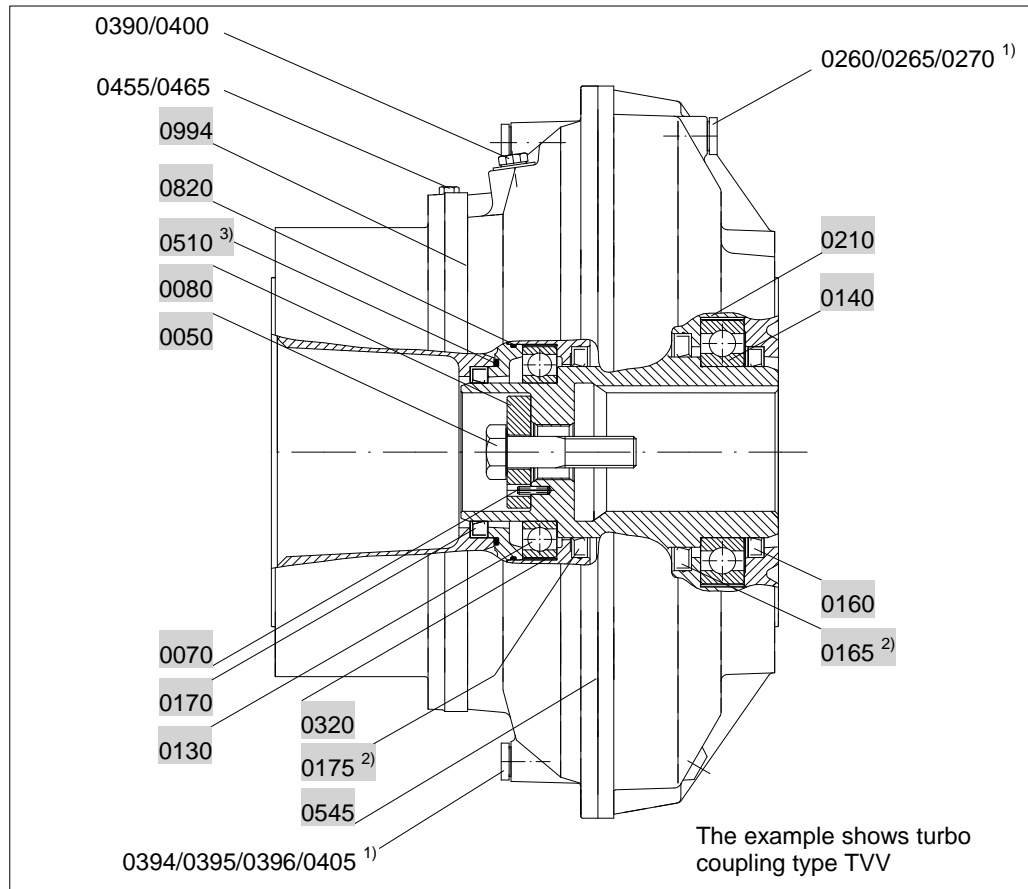


Fig. 51

- 1) For arrangement and quantity, see the tables → Chapter 13.4
- 2) Only for continuous operation or operating fluid 'water' (TW...).
- 3) For sizes 366 and 422 inserted in the delay chamber groove.

xxxx Nonrepairable items (→ the following table)

xxxxx Repair parts / wearing parts (V) (→ the following table)

Item No.	Nonrepairable items	Item No.	Repair parts / wearing parts (V)
0260	Fusible plug	0050	Fixing bolt
0265	Blind screw	0070	Roll pin
0270	Sealing ring	0080	Holding disk
0390	Filler plug	0130	Grooved ball bearing (V)
0394	Blind screw	0140	Grooved ball bearing (V)
0395	Fusible plug	0160	Radial shaft sealing ring (V)
0396	Sight glass	0165	Radial shaft sealing ring (V)
0400	Sealing ring	0170	Radial shaft sealing ring (V)
0405	Sealing ring	0175	Radial shaft sealing ring (V)
0455	Nozzle screw	0210	Tolerance ring (V)
0465	Sealing ring	0320	Tolerance ring (V)
		0510	O-ring (V)
		0545	Sealing tape (V)
		0820	O-ring (V)
		0994	Sealing tape (V)

Table 31

## 20.4 Spare parts for connecting coupling

### 20.4.1 Connecting coupling on the input side

#### Flexible pad coupling type EPK

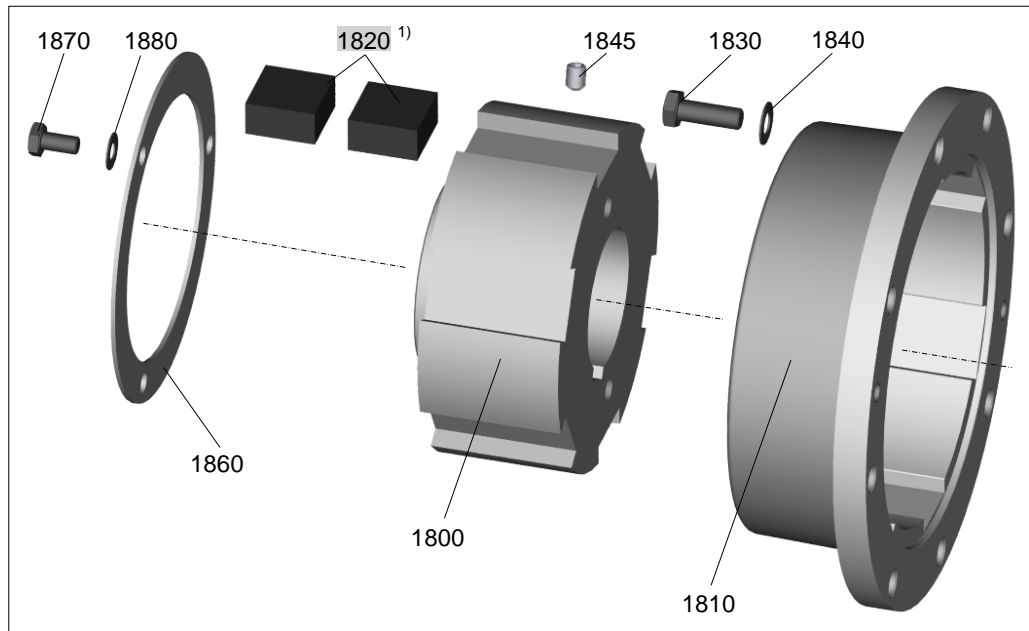


Fig. 52

- 1) Flexible element is available in various lengths.

#### Flexible element coupling type EEK

##### Outer shaft hub, type **EEK-E**

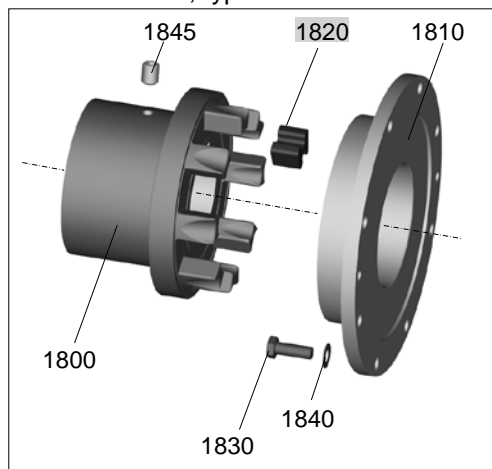


Fig. 53

##### Inner shaft hub, type **EEK-M**

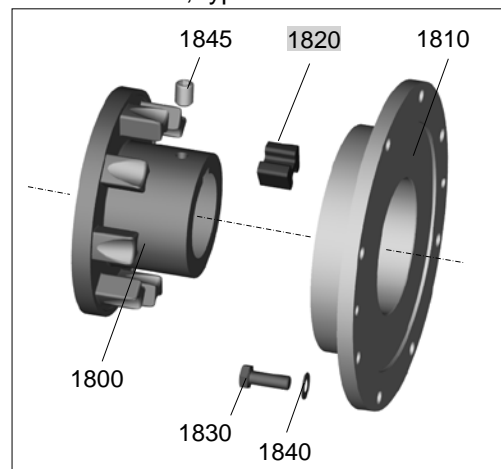


Fig. 54

**Flexible cam coupling type ENK**

Outer shaft hub, type **ENK-SX**

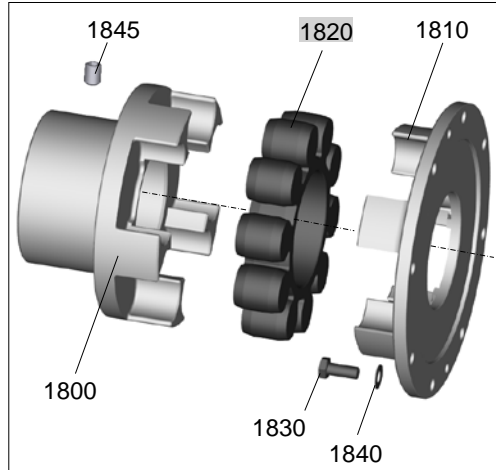


Fig. 55

Inner shaft hub, type **ENK-SV**

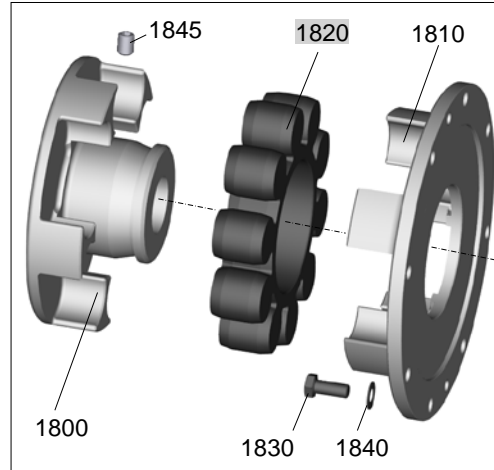


Fig. 56

Item No.	Screws and standard parts	EPK	EEK	ENK
1830	Hex. screw	X	X	X
1840	Lock washer	X	X	X
1845	Set screw	X	X	X
1870	Hex. screw	X	-	-
1880	Spring washer	X	-	-
	<b>Connecting coupling parts / wearing parts (V)</b>			
1800	Hub	X	X	X
1810	Ring / flange	X	X	X
1820	Flexible element (V)	X	X	X
1860	Sheet-metal holder	X	-	-

Table 32

## 20.4.2 Connecting coupling on the output side

### Nor-Mex G coupling

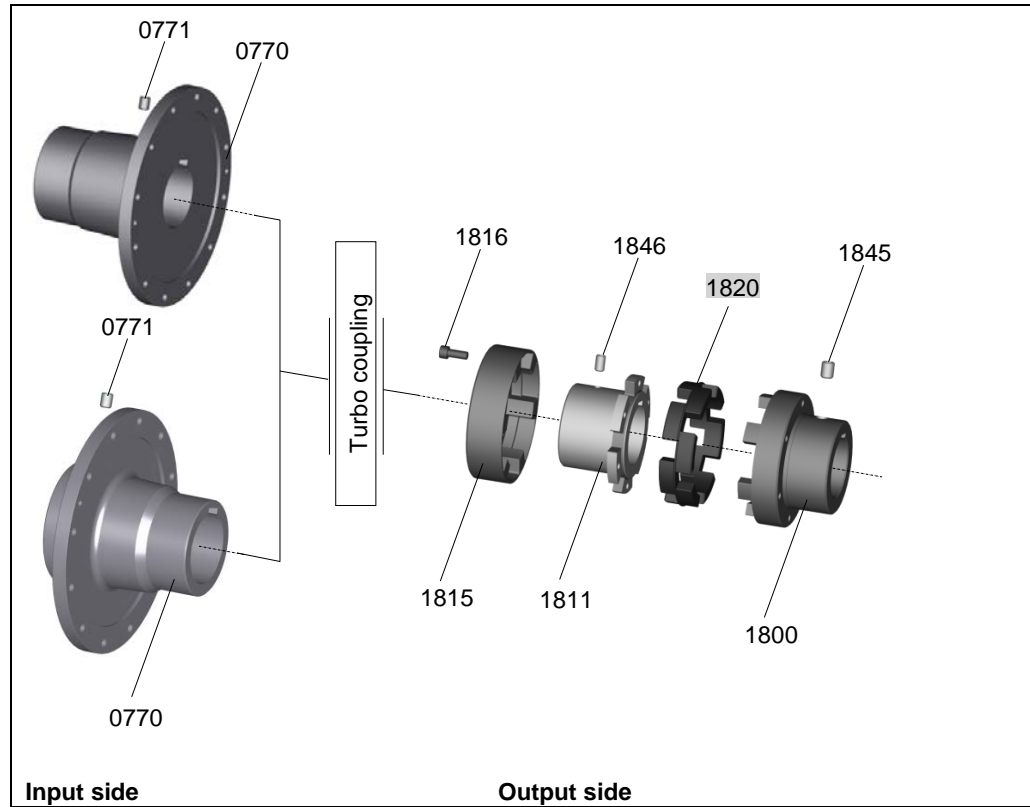


Fig. 57

Item No.	Screws and standard parts	Item No.	Connecting coupling parts / wearing parts (V)
0771	Set screw	0770	Primary coupling flange 1
1816	Socket head screw	0770	Primary coupling flange 2
1845	Set screw	1800	Hub
1846	Set screw	1811	Flange hub
		1815	Claw ring
		1820	Flexible element (V)

Table 33

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