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ESZ pyramid bearing

Unreinforced profiled elastomer bearing
with general supervisory approval

CALCULATION EXAMPLE

PROOF OF PERMISSIBLE COMPRESSION:

The ESZ pyramid bearing is certified for bearing classes 1 and 2 according to DIN 4141-3. The permissible characteristic bearing compression σ_m is determined depending on the form factor S and is limited to 10 N/mm². Due to the profiling, the nominal thickness of $t = 10$ mm is not applied, but rather the thickness of the bearing in the loaded condition, $t_b = 7$ mm.

$$S = \frac{a \times b}{2 \times t_b \times (a + b)}$$

$$\sigma_m = \frac{F}{a \times b} \leq \text{perm } \sigma_m = 2 \frac{N}{\text{mm}^2} \times S \leq 10 \frac{N}{\text{mm}^2}$$

Example of a calculatory stress verification:

Bearing side $a = 100$ mm

Bearing side $b = 200$ mm

$G_k = 100$ kN & $Q_k = 50$ kN \Rightarrow bearing class 1

$F_{z,\text{max}} = 150$ kN

$$S = \frac{100 \times 200}{2 \times 7 \times (100 + 200)} = 4,76$$

$$\sigma_m = \frac{150000}{100 \times 200} \leq \text{perm } \sigma_m = 2 \times 4,76$$

$$\sigma_m = 7,5 \frac{N}{\text{mm}^2} \leq \text{perm } \sigma_m = 9,52 \frac{N}{\text{mm}^2}$$

The pyramid bearing of the size of 100 x 200 mm can thus be loaded up to 9.52 N/mm².

CALCULATION OF THE PERMISSIBLE SUPPORT TORSION

The support torsion is to be verified by the empirical formula from the approval. For the torsion, only half the time-dependent deformations (creep, shrinkage) need be applied, plus the support imperfections (F1). A separate verification is to be made for each side in case of torsion across both bearing sides positioned at a right angle to one another. The following boundary condition is to be adhered to:

$$\alpha \leq \text{perm } \alpha = \frac{2,5}{c} + \frac{210}{c^2} - \frac{1900}{c^3} \times \text{perm } \sigma_m$$

c is the length [mm] of the respectively stressed bearing side

Example of calculatory bearing torsion:

A torsion of 2.2 ‰ acts on bearing side $b = 200$ mm on the pyramid bearing calculated above. The total angle of rotation is 15.325 ‰ plus the imperfections.

$$\alpha_b = \left(\frac{0,625}{200} + 0,01 \right) + 0,0022 = 0,15325$$

With the bearing side $b = 200$ mm and the permissible stress $\text{perm } \sigma_m = 9.52$ N/mm² we go into the boundary condition of the torsion:

$$\alpha_b \leq \text{perm } \alpha_b = \frac{2,5}{200} + \frac{210}{200^2} - \frac{1900}{200^3} \times 9,52$$

$$0,015325 \leq \text{perm } \alpha_b = 0,01548$$

The permissible torsion for this bearing is 15.48 ‰. Therefore the verification of the bearing torsion is provided.

$$\left(\frac{0,625}{c} + 0,01 \right) = \alpha_{\text{Imperfection}} (F1)$$