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### General Part

Technical Assessment Body issuing the  
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Trade name of the construction product

Apolo MEA Bonded anchor VA

Product family  
to which the construction product belongs

Bonded anchor with anchor rod of sizes M8, M10, M12,  
M16, M20 and M24 for use in non-cracked concrete

Manufacturer

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Manufacturing plant

Werk 6

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**Specific Part**

**1 Technical description of the product**

The Apolo MEA Bonded anchor VA is a bonded anchor consisting of a mortar capsule and a steel element according to Annex A.  
 The steel element is anchored via the bond between metal part, injection mortar and concrete.  
 The product description is given in Annex A.

**2 Specification of the intended use in accordance with the applicable European Assessment Document**

The performances given in Section 3 are only valid if the anchor is used in compliance with the specifications and conditions given in Annex B.  
 The verifications and assessment methods on which this European Technical Assessment is based lead to the assumption of a working life of the anchor of at least 50 years. The indications given on the working life cannot be interpreted as a guarantee given by the producer, but are to be regarded only as a means for choosing the right products in relation to the expected economically reasonable working life of the works.

**3 Performance of the product and references to the methods used for its assessment**

**3.1 Mechanical resistance and stability (BWR 1)**

Essential characteristic	Performance
Characteristic resistance to tension load (static and quasi-static loading)	See Annex C 1 to C 2
Characteristic resistance to shear load (static and quasi-static loading)	
Displacements (static and quasi-static loading)	
Characteristic resistance and displacements for seismic performance category C1 and C2	No performance assessed

**3.2 Hygiene, health and the environment (BWR 3)**

Essential characteristic	Performance
Content, emission and/or release of dangerous substances	No performance assessed

**4 Assessment and verification of constancy of performance (AVCP) system applied, with reference to its legal base**

In accordance with the European Assessment Document EAD 330499-00-0601 the applicable European legal act is: [96/582/EC].  
 The system to be applied is: 1

**5 Technical details necessary for the implementation of the AVCP system, as provided for in the applicable European Assessment Document**

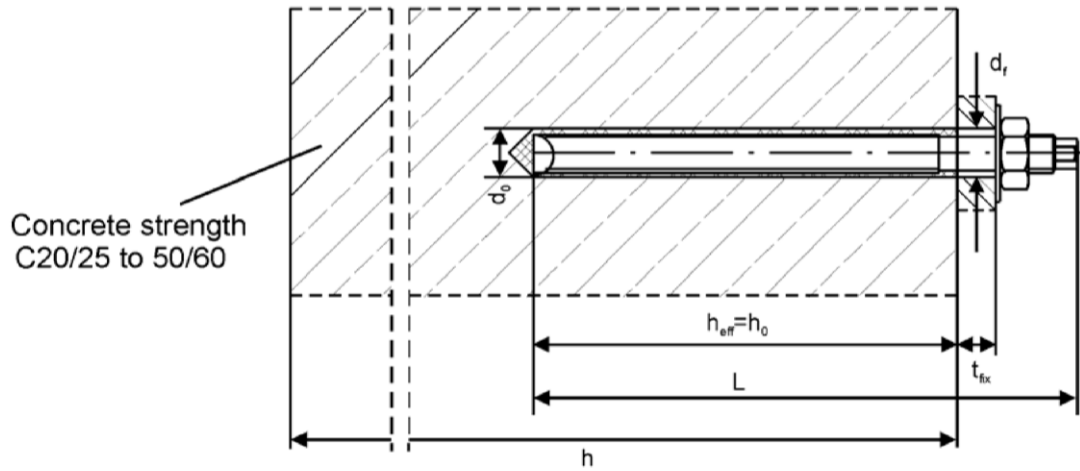
Technical details necessary for the implementation of the AVCP system are laid down in the control plan deposited at Deutsches Institut für Bautechnik.

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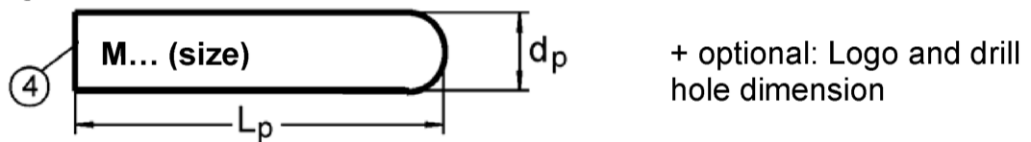
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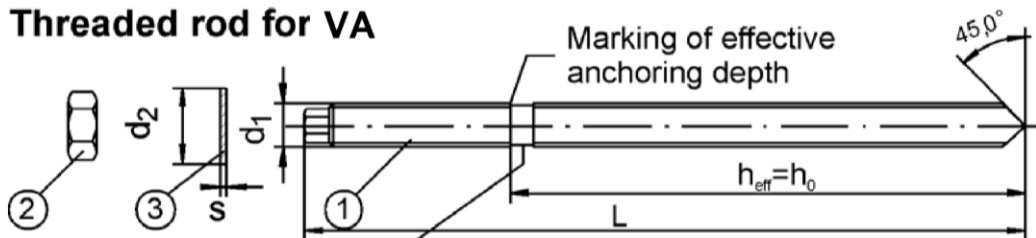
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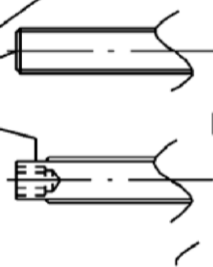
### Mortar Capsule



### Threaded rod for VA




### Marking 1



Marking1: Identifying mark of manufacturing plant, e.g. "K"  
Size of thread M...  
Example KM10, for stainless steel plus E,  
for high corrosion plus H

### Marking 2



Marking2: Example: , for stainless steel plus E,  
for high corrosion plus H

For anchor rods without marking of the effective embedment depth, this must be marked before the installation.

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**Product description**

Installed condition  
Mortar Capsule, Threaded rod

**Annex A 1**

**Table A1: Dimensions**

Anchor size			M8	M10	M12	M16	M20	M24
Threaded rod	Ø d <sub>1</sub>	[mm]	M8	M10	M12	M16	M20	M24
	L ≥	[mm]	90	100	120	140	190	235
	h <sub>ef</sub>	[mm]	80	90	110	125	170	210
Mortar Capsule	d <sub>p</sub>	[mm]	9	10,5	12,5	16,5	23	23
	L <sub>p</sub>	[mm]	80	85	95	95	160	190

**Table A2: Materials**

Part	Designation	Material	
		Steel, zinc plated ≥ 5 µm acc. to EN ISO 4042:2017	Steel, hot-dip galvanized ≥ 40 µm acc. to EN ISO 1461:2009
1	Threaded rod	Steel DIN EN 10087:1998, DIN EN 10263:2001 Property class 5.8, acc. to EN 1993-1-8:2005+AC:2009	
2	Hexagon nut EN ISO 4032:2012	Steel Property class 8, acc. to EN ISO 898-2:2012	
3	Washer EN ISO 7089:2000 EN ISO 7093:2000 EN ISO 7094:2000	Steel, galvanized	Steel, hot-dip galvanized
Part	Designation	Material	
		Stainless steel A4	High corrosion resistant steel (HCR)
1	Threaded rod	Material 1.4401, 1.4404, 1.4571, 1.4578, EN 10088:2005, Property class 70, EN ISO 3506-1:2009	Material 1.4529, 1.4565, EN 10088:2005, Property class 70, EN ISO 3506-1:2009
2	Hexagon nut EN ISO 4032:2012	Material, 1.4401, 1.4404, 1.4571, EN 10088:2005, Property class 70, EN ISO 3506-2:2009	Material 1.4529, 1.4565, EN 10088:2005, Property class 70, EN ISO 3506-2:2009
3	Washer EN ISO 7089:2000 EN ISO 7093:2000 EN ISO 7094:2000	Material, 1.4401, 1.4404, 1.4571, EN 10088:2005	Material 1.4529, 1.4565, EN 10088:2005
Part	Designation	Material	
4	Mortar capsule	Glass, Quartz, Resin, Hardener	

**Apolo MEA Bonded anchor VA**

**Product description**  
Dimensions and Materials

**Annex A 2**

## Specifications of intended use

### Anchorage subject to:

- Static and quasi-static loads.

### Base materials:

- Compacted reinforced or unreinforced normal weight concrete without fibres of strength classes C20/25 to C50/60 according to EN 206:2013.
- Non-cracked concrete.

### Temperature Range:

- -40°C to 80°C (max long term temperature +50 °C and max short term temperature +80 °C)

### Use conditions (Environmental conditions):

- Structures subject to dry internal conditions (zinc coated steel, stainless steel or high corrosion resistant steel).
- Structures subject to external atmospheric exposure (including industrial and marine environment) and to permanently damp internal condition, if no particular aggressive conditions exist (stainless steel or high corrosion resistant steel).
- Structures subject to external atmospheric exposure and to permanently damp internal condition, if other particular aggressive conditions exist (high corrosion resistant steel).

Note: Particular aggressive conditions are e.g. permanent, alternating immersion in seawater or the splash zone of seawater, chloride atmosphere of indoor swimming pools or atmosphere with extreme chemical pollution (e.g. in desulphurization plants or road tunnels where de-icing materials are used).

### Design:

- Anchorages are designed under the responsibility of an engineer experienced in anchorages and concrete work.
- Verifiable calculation notes and drawings are prepared taking account of the loads to be anchored. The position of the anchor is indicated on the design drawings (e. g. position of the anchor relative to reinforcement or to supports, etc.).
- Anchorages are designed in accordance with FprEN 1992-4:2017 and EOTA Technical Report TR 055

### Installation:

- Dry or wet concrete: all sizes.
- Flooded holes (not sea water): M12 to M24.
- Hole drilling by hammer drilling.
- Anchor installation carried out by appropriately qualified personnel and under the supervision of the person responsible for technical matters of the site.
- The mortar capsule is placed into the drilled hole; connecting the anchor rod with the percussion drill by using a corresponding adapter; driving the anchor rod into the mortar capsule by simultaneous hammering and turning of the drill; if the anchorage depth is achieved the drill must be stopped immediately by using some pressure; if the anchor is properly installed mortar must be visible at the member surface

**Apolo MEA Bonded anchor VA**

**Intended Use  
Specifications**

**Annex B 1**



**Table B1: Installation parameters**

Fastener size			M8	M10	M12	M16	M20	M24
Nominal diameter of drill hole	$d_0$	[mm]	10	12	14	18	25	28
Max. cutting diameter of drill hole	$d_{cut}$	[mm]	10,45	12,45	14,5	18,5	25,5	28,5
Depth of drill hole	$h_0$	[mm]	80	90	110	125	170	210
Effective embedment depth	$h_{eff}$	[mm]	80	90	110	125	170	210
Diameter of clearance hole in fixture	$d_{f \leq}$	[mm]	9	12	14	18	22	26
Max. torque moment	$T_{max}$	[Nm]	10	20	40	60	120	150
Minimum member thickness	$h_{min}$	[mm]	110	120	150	160	220	300
Minimum edge distance	$c_{min}$	[mm]	60	70	85	95	130	160
Minimum spacing	$s_{min}$	[mm]	60	70	85	95	130	160

## Cleaning Tools

### Steel Brush



Fastener Size			M8	M10	M12	M16	M20	M24
Diameter of steel brush	d	[mm]	12	14	16	20	27	30

### Blow Pump AB (Standard Cleaning)



### Compressed Air (Premium Cleaning)

Oilfree compressed air with a pressure  $\geq 6$  bar

**Table B2: Minimum curing time**

Temperature in the anchorage base	Minimum curing time in dry concrete [min]	Minimum curing time in wet concrete [min]
0°C to 5°C	180	360
5°C to 10°C	90	180
10°C to 20°C	40	80
> 20°C	20	40

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#### Intended Use

Installation parameters, Cleaning and Setting Tools, Minimum curing time

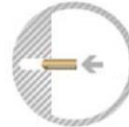
**Annex B 2**



## Installation instructions

### Standard Cleaning

- Drill the hole.  
Blow out the dust with the blow pump AB twice.
- Brush the drill hole twice with the steel brush RBS  
again blow out the dust with the blow pump AB twice.
- Check the capsule before using. The capsule can be used  
if it is undamaged and the resin is viscous. Insert the capsule  
into the drill hole.
- Drive the anchor stud into the drill hole with the help of a  
percussion drill. Notice the curing times. In case of a wet base  
material the curing time has to be doubled.
- Respect the curing time, afterwards the nut can be tightened  
(see table "minimum curing time").  
Note the max. installation torque.



### Premium Cleaning

- Drill the hole.  
Blow out the dust with compressed air (>6 bar) twice
- brush the drill hole twice with steel brush RBS  
Again blow out dust with compressed air (>6 bar) twice.
- Check the capsule before using. The capsule can be used  
if it is undamaged and the resin is viscous. Insert the capsule  
into the drill hole.
- Drive the anchor stud into the drill hole with the help of a  
percussion drill. Notice the curing times .In case of a wet base  
material the curing time has to be doubled.
- Respect the curing time, afterwards the nut can be tightened  
(see table "minimum curing time").  
Note the max installation torque



For all installations the max setting time of 10 seconds should not be exceeded.

**Apolo MEA Bonded anchor VA**

**Intended Use**  
Installation instructions

**Annex B 3**

**Table C1: Characteristic values of resistance under tension loads**

Fastener size			M8	M10	M12	M16	M20	M24
<b>Steel failure</b>								
Characteristic resistance, Steel property class 5.8	$N_{Rk,s}$	[kN]	17	26	38	72	114	165
Partial factor	$\gamma_{Ms}$	[-]	1,56					
Characteristic resistance, Stainless steel (class 70)	$N_{Rk,s}$	[kN]	23	34	52	97	153	222
Partial factor	$\gamma_{Ms}$	[-]	1,87					
<b>Combined pull-out and concrete cone failure</b>								
Installation factor for dry and wet concrete	$\gamma_{inst}$	[-]	1,2					
Installation safety factor for flooded holes	$\gamma_{inst}$	[-]	-			1,2		
Characteristic resistance in uncracked concrete, max. temperature 50/80°C Standard Cleaning	$N_{Rk,p}$	[kN]	9	12	16	25	40	60
Characteristic resistance in uncracked concrete max. temperature 50/80°C Premium Cleaning	$N_{Rk,p}$	[kN]	12	16	25	35	60	75
Increasing factors $\psi_c$ for concrete	C30/37		1,08					
	C40/50		1,15					
	C50/60		1,19					
<b>Concrete cone failure</b>								
Factor for uncracked concrete	$k_{ucr}$	[-]	11,0					
Edge distance	$c_{Cr,N}$	[mm]	1,5 $h_{ef}$					
<b>Splitting failure</b>								
Edge distance	$c_{Cr,Sp}$	[mm]	120	135	165	190	255	315
Spacing	$s_{Cr,Sp}$	[mm]	240	270	330	380	510	630

**Table C2: Displacements under tension loads**

Fastener size			M8	M10	M12	M16	M20	M24
Displacement	$\delta_{N0}$	[mm]	0,1	0,1	0,1	0,2	0,3	0,3
Displacement	$\delta_{N\infty}$	[mm]	1,1	1,1	1,1	2,2	3,3	3,3

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**Performances**

Characteristic values of resistance under tension loads, Displacements under tension loads

**Annex C 1**

**Table C3: Characteristic values of resistance under shear loads**

Fastener size			M8	M10	M12	M16	M20	M24
<b>Steel failure without lever arm</b>								
Characteristic resistance, Steel property class 5.8	$V_{Rk,s}^0$	[kN]	8	13	19	36	57	83
Partial factor	$\gamma_{Ms}$	[-]	1,25					
Characteristic resistance, Stainless steel (class 70)	$V_{Rk,s}^0$	[kN]	11	17	26	49	77	111
Partial factor	$\gamma_{Ms}$	[-]	1,56					
Ductility factor	$k_7$	[-]	1,0					
<b>Steel failure with lever arm</b>								
Characteristic bending moment, Steel property class 5.8	$M_{Rk,s}^0$	[Nm]	16	30	56	144	285	498
Partial factor	$\gamma_{Ms}$	[-]	1,25					
Characteristic bending moment, Steel property class 70	$M_{Rk,s}^0$	[Nm]	22	41	75	194	384	670
Partial factor	$\gamma_{Ms}$	[-]	1,56					
Ductility factor	$k_7$	[-]	1,0					
<b>Concrete pry-out failure</b>								
Pry-out factor	$k_8$	[-]	2,0					
<b>Concrete edge failure</b>								
Effective length of anchor in shear loading	$l_f$	[mm]	80	90	110	125	170	210
Outside diameter of anchor	$d_{nom}$	[mm]	10	12	14	18	25	28

**Table C4: Displacements under shear loads**

Fastener size			M8	M10	M12	M16	M20	M24
Displacement	$\delta_{V0}$	[mm]	1,5	1,6	1,8	2,0	2,5	3,0
Displacement	$\delta_{V\infty}$	[mm]	2,3	2,4	2,7	3,0	3,8	4,5

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**Performances**

Characteristic values of resistance under shear loads, Displacements under shear loads

**Annex C 2**