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1 Scope and field of application

This International Standard lays down dimensions, tolerances, measuring loads and minimum breaking loads, together with the tooth gap forms and rim profiles of the associated chain wheels, and welded cranked link¹⁾ drag chains suitable for the conveying of bulk materials and related applications.

The chain is designed to operate with the closed end of each link forward for maximum scraping action against the material to be conveyed.

Dimensions for five types of attachments are also specified.

The specified chain dimensions ensure complete interchangeability of any given size and provide interchangeability of individual links of chain for repair purposes.

2 References

ISO 286/1, *ISO system of limits and fits — Part 1: General, tolerances and deviations.*²⁾

ISO 1101, *Technical drawings — Geometrical tolerances — Tolerancing of form, orientation, location and run-out — Generalities, definitions, symbols, indications on drawings.*

3 Chains

3.1 Nomenclature

The nomenclature of chains is indicated in figures 1, 2 and 3, and in tables 1 and 1M.

The illustrations do not necessarily define the actual form of the cranked links.

3.2 Designation

Welded steel type cranked link drag chains are designated by the prefix "WD" to indicate that they are of welded design, followed by a number which is the same as the cast type which they replace.

1) In the USA, the term "offset sidebar" is used in place of "cranked link".

2) At present at the stage of draft. (Revision of ISO/R 286-1962.)

3.3 Construction

A chain is constructed from a series of cranked link assemblies (see figures 1 and 2) which are joined by connecting pins passing through each pitch hole. The connecting pins are a press fit in the cranked plate and/or mechanically locked, for example, flats, to prevent their rotation.

3.4 Dimensions

Chains shall conform to the dimensions given in tables 1 and 1M. Maximum and minimum dimensions are specified to ensure interchangeability of links as produced by different makers of chain. They represent limits for interchangeability, but are not the actual tolerances that should be used in manufacture.

Pitch p is a theoretical reference dimension used in calculating strand lengths and chain wheel dimensions; it is not intended for inspection of individual links.

3.5 Breaking loads

The test length shall have a minimum of three free pitches. The ends shall be attached to the testing machine shackles by a pin through the plate holes or the barrel. The shackles shall be so designed as to allow universal movement; the actual method to be used is left to the discretion of the manufacturer.

Tests in which failures occur adjacent to the shackles shall be disregarded.

The minimum tensile breaking loads shall be those given in tables 1 and 1M.

3.6 Length accuracy

Finished chains shall be measured either dry or after only light lubricating.

The standard nominal length for measurement shall be that nearest to 3 048 mm (120 in).

The chain shall be supported throughout its entire length and the measuring load given in tables 1 and 1M applied. To comply with this International Standard, the length shall be the nominal length subject to the limits of tolerance $+ \frac{0,32}{0} \%$.

The length accuracy of chains which have to work in parallel shall be within the above limits but matched by agreement with the manufacturer.

3.7 Marking

The chain shall be marked with :

- a) the manufacturer's name or trademark;
- b) the ISO chain number (see 3.2).

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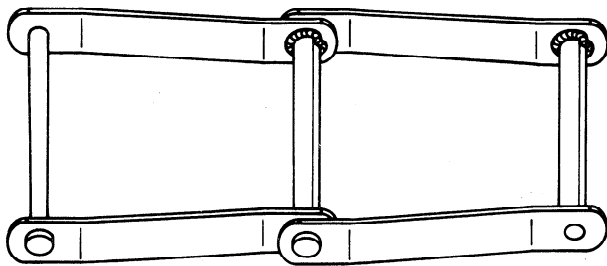


Figure 1 — Cranked link chain assembly

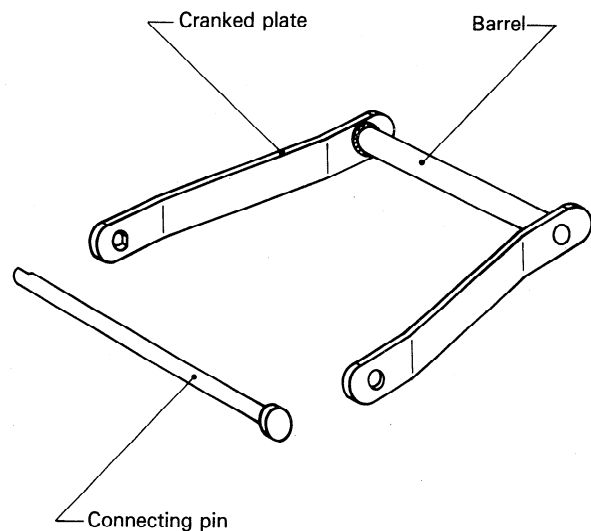


Figure 2 — Typical cranked link components

4 Attachments

4.1 General

Except when otherwise stated, the dimensions and test details for the chain with attachments shall conform to clause 3.

4.2 Designation

Five types of attachments are given, having the following designations and distinguishing features :

- C1, C3 and C4 : a scraper bar attached to the barrel perpendicular to the direction of travel (see figure 4);
- RR : a triangular spur attached to each cranked plate (see figure 5);

- Wing : an angle section attached to the outer face of each cranked plate (see figure 6).

4.3 Dimensions

The attachments shall conform to the dimensions given in tables 2 to 6M respectively.

4.4 Manufacture

The actual form of the attachments is left to the discretion of the manufacturer whilst maintaining the dimensions specified in 4.3.

4.5 Marking

The marking of the chain required by 3.7 shall not be obscured by an attachment.

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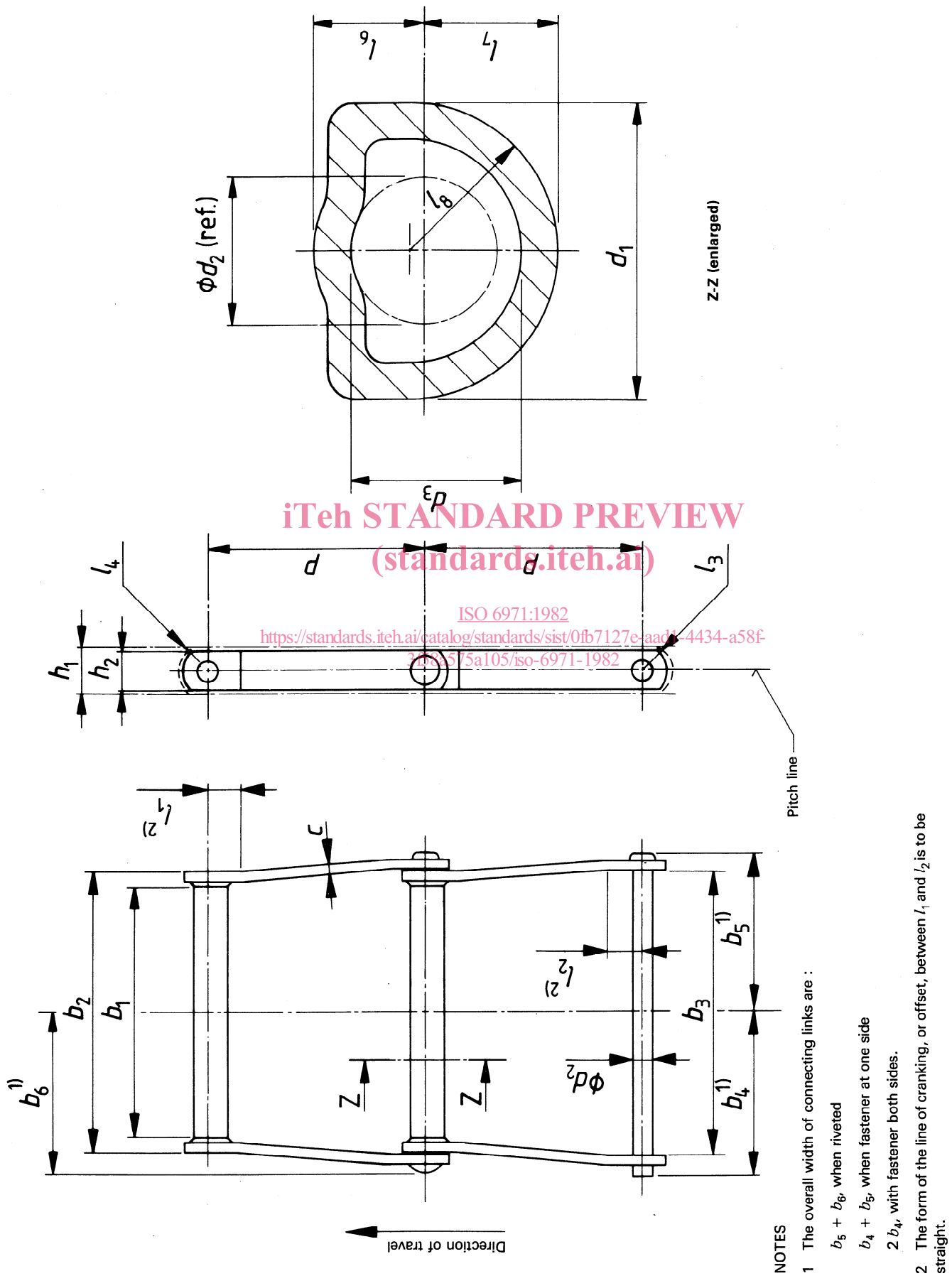


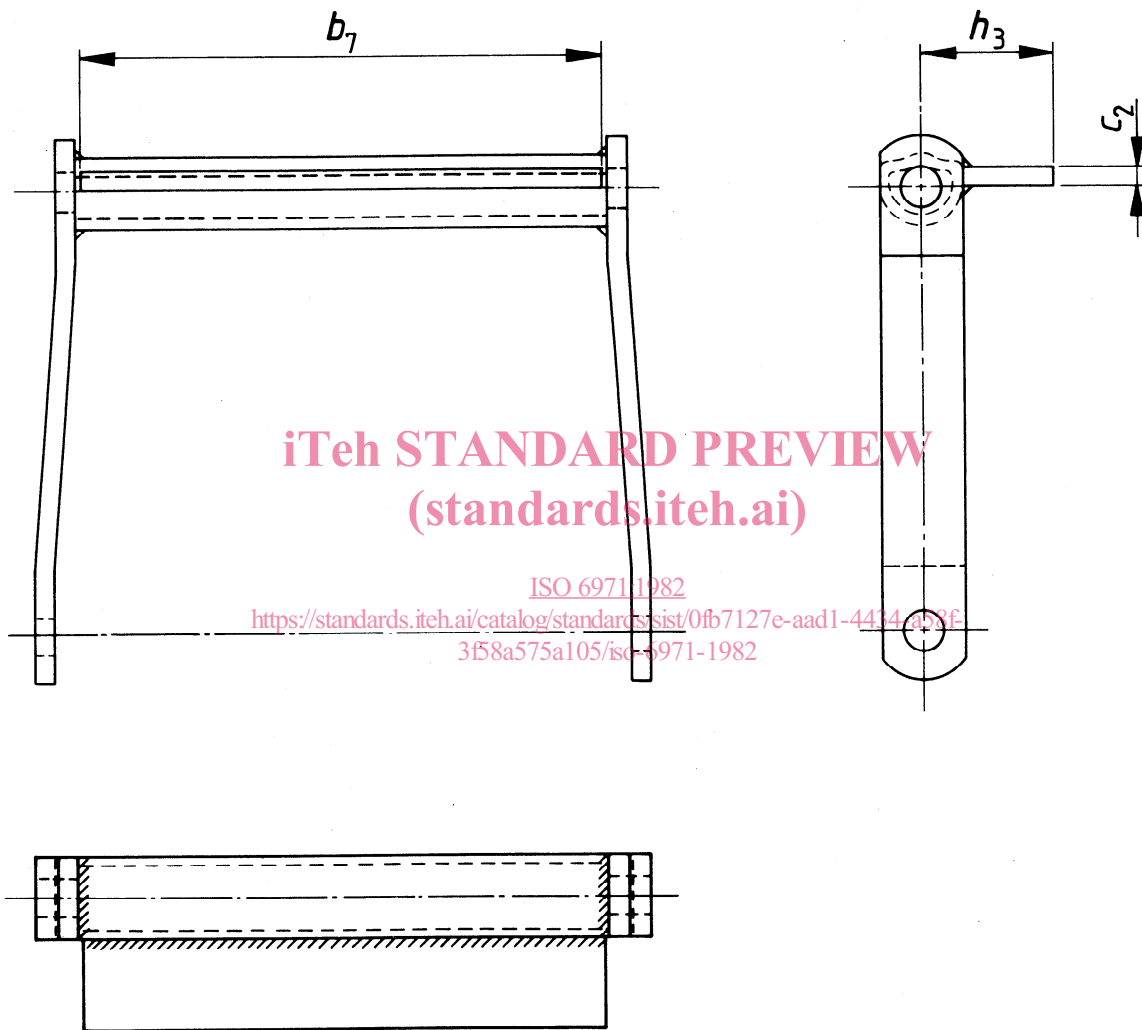
Figure 3 — Symbols related to tables 1 and 1M

Table 1 — Chain dimensions, measuring loads and breaking loads (Inch-pound units)

| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 | 21 | | |
|-------|-------|------|---------------|------------|-------|-------|------------|------------|-----------------|------------|------------|-------------------------------------|----------------------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|----------|------|--------------|---|
| | | | ISO chain no. | Pitch p | | | | | | | | Width acc. to section Z-Z of barrel | Plate hole for barrel bore | | | | | | | | | | Barrel shape | Width between plates for wheel contact at inner end |
| | | | d_1 min. | d_3 min. | l_6 | l_7 | l_8 max. | b_1 min. | ϕd_2 max. | h_1 max. | h_2 max. | l_1 min. | l_2 min. | l_3 max. | l_4 max. | b_2 max. | b_3 min. | b_4 max. | b_5 max. | b_6 max. | c nom. | lbf | lbf | |
| WD102 | 5.000 | 1.50 | 1.54 | 0.758 | 0.56 | 0.69 | 0.77 | 6.38 | 0.753 | 1.56 | 1.54 | 1.01 | 1.01 | 1.00 | 1.00 | 7.76 | 7.78 | 5.03 | 4.63 | 5.03 | 0.38 | 600 | 38 250 | 55 000 |
| WD104 | 6.000 | 1.50 | 1.54 | 0.758 | 0.56 | 0.69 | 0.77 | 4.12 | 0.753 | 1.56 | 1.54 | 1.01 | 1.01 | 1.00 | 1.00 | 5.39 | 5.41 | 3.70 | 3.44 | 3.70 | 0.38 | 400 | 38 250 | 55 000 |
| WD110 | 6.000 | 1.50 | 1.54 | 0.758 | 0.56 | 0.69 | 0.77 | 9.00 | 0.753 | 1.56 | 1.54 | 1.01 | 1.01 | 1.00 | 1.00 | 10.39 | 10.41 | 6.20 | 5.95 | 6.20 | 0.38 | 700 | 38 250 | 55 000 |
| WD112 | 8.000 | 1.50 | 1.54 | 0.758 | 0.56 | 0.69 | 0.77 | 9.00 | 0.753 | 1.56 | 1.54 | 1.01 | 1.01 | 1.00 | 1.00 | 10.39 | 10.41 | 6.20 | 5.95 | 6.20 | 0.38 | 600 | 38 250 | 55 000 |
| WD113 | 6.000 | 1.50 | 1.54 | 0.883 | 0.62 | 0.69 | 0.77 | 9.00 | 0.878 | 1.56 | 1.54 | 1.01 | 1.01 | 1.00 | 1.00 | 10.64 | 10.66 | 6.50 | 6.19 | 6.50 | 0.50 | 800 | 48 000 | 57 000 |
| WD116 | 8.000 | 1.75 | 1.78 | 0.758 | 0.63 | 0.81 | 0.89 | 13.00 | 0.753 | 1.81 | 1.78 | 1.13 | 1.13 | 1.12 | 1.12 | 14.14 | 14.16 | 8.08 | 7.90 | 8.08 | 0.38 | 800 | 55 000 | 59 000 |
| WD118 | 8.000 | 2.00 | 2.04 | 0.883 | 0.81 | 0.94 | 1.02 | 13.25 | 0.878 | 2.06 | 2.04 | 1.39 | 1.39 | 1.38 | 1.38 | 14.89 | 14.91 | 8.66 | 8.31 | 8.66 | 0.50 | 1300 | 70 000 | 79 000 |
| WD122 | 8.000 | 2.00 | 2.04 | 0.883 | 0.81 | 0.94 | 1.02 | 8.75 | 0.878 | 2.06 | 2.04 | 1.39 | 1.39 | 1.38 | 1.38 | 10.26 | 10.28 | 6.38 | 6.00 | 6.38 | 0.50 | 900 | 70 000 | 79 000 |
| WD480 | 8.000 | 2.00 | 2.04 | 0.883 | 0.81 | 0.94 | 1.02 | 11.12 | 0.878 | 2.06 | 2.04 | 1.26 | 1.39 | 1.25 | 1.38 | 12.76 | 12.78 | 7.63 | 7.25 | 7.63 | 0.50 | 1000 | 70 000 | 79 000 |

Table 1M — Chain dimensions, measuring loads and breaking loads (Metric units)

| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 | 21 | | |
|-------|--------|-------|---------------|------------|-------|-------|------------|------------|-----------------|------------|------------|-------------------------------------|----------------------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|----------|-----|--------------|---|
| | | | ISO chain no. | Pitch p | | | | | | | | Width acc. to section Z-Z of barrel | Plate hole for barrel bore | | | | | | | | | | Barrel shape | Width between plates for wheel contact at inner end |
| | | | d_1 min. | d_3 min. | l_6 | l_7 | l_8 max. | b_1 min. | ϕd_2 max. | h_1 max. | h_2 max. | l_1 min. | l_2 min. | l_3 max. | l_4 max. | b_2 max. | b_3 min. | b_4 max. | b_5 max. | b_6 max. | c nom. | daN | daN | |
| WD102 | 127,00 | 38,10 | 39,1 | 19,25 | 14,2 | 17,5 | 19,6 | 162,1 | 19,13 | 39,6 | 38,12 | 25,7 | 25,7 | 25,4 | 25,4 | 197,1 | 197,6 | 127,8 | 117,6 | 127,8 | 9,7 | 270 | 17 010 | 24 470 |
| WD104 | 152,40 | 38,10 | 39,1 | 19,25 | 14,2 | 17,5 | 19,6 | 104,6 | 19,13 | 39,6 | 38,12 | 25,7 | 25,7 | 25,4 | 25,4 | 136,9 | 137,4 | 94,0 | 87,4 | 94,0 | 9,7 | 180 | 17 010 | 24 470 |
| WD110 | 152,40 | 38,10 | 39,1 | 19,25 | 14,2 | 17,5 | 19,6 | 228,6 | 19,13 | 39,6 | 38,12 | 25,7 | 25,7 | 25,4 | 25,4 | 263,9 | 264,4 | 157,5 | 151,1 | 157,5 | 9,7 | 310 | 17 010 | 24 470 |
| WD112 | 203,20 | 38,10 | 39,1 | 19,25 | 14,2 | 17,5 | 19,6 | 228,6 | 19,13 | 39,6 | 38,12 | 25,7 | 25,7 | 25,4 | 25,4 | 263,9 | 264,4 | 157,5 | 151,1 | 157,5 | 9,7 | 270 | 17 010 | 24 470 |
| WD113 | 152,40 | 38,10 | 39,1 | 22,43 | 15,7 | 17,5 | 19,6 | 228,6 | 22,30 | 39,6 | 38,12 | 25,7 | 25,7 | 25,4 | 25,4 | 270,3 | 270,8 | 165,1 | 157,2 | 165,1 | 12,7 | 360 | 21 350 | 25 350 |
| WD116 | 203,20 | 44,45 | 45,2 | 19,25 | 16,0 | 20,6 | 22,6 | 330,2 | 19,13 | 46,0 | 45,21 | 28,7 | 28,7 | 28,4 | 28,4 | 359,2 | 359,7 | 205,2 | 200,7 | 205,2 | 9,7 | 360 | 24 470 | 26 240 |
| WD118 | 203,20 | 50,80 | 51,8 | 22,43 | 20,6 | 23,9 | 25,9 | 336,6 | 22,30 | 52,3 | 51,80 | 35,3 | 35,3 | 35,1 | 35,1 | 378,2 | 378,7 | 220,0 | 211,1 | 220,0 | 12,7 | 580 | 31 140 | 35 140 |
| WD122 | 203,20 | 50,80 | 51,8 | 22,43 | 20,6 | 23,9 | 25,9 | 222,2 | 22,30 | 52,3 | 51,80 | 35,3 | 35,3 | 35,1 | 35,1 | 260,6 | 261,1 | 162,1 | 152,4 | 162,1 | 12,7 | 400 | 31 140 | 35 140 |
| WD480 | 203,20 | 50,80 | 51,8 | 22,43 | 20,6 | 23,9 | 25,9 | 282,4 | 22,30 | 52,3 | 51,80 | 23,0 | 35,3 | 31,8 | 35,1 | 324,1 | 324,6 | 193,8 | 184,2 | 193,8 | 12,7 | 440 | 31 140 | 35 140 |



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Figure 4 — C1, C3 and C4 attachments

Table 2 – Dimensions of C1 attachments
(in inches)

| ISO chain No. | c_2 | b_7 max. | h_3 max. |
|---------------|-------|---------------|---------------|
| WD 102 | 0.38 | 7.76 | 2.44 |
| WD 104 | 0.38 | 5.39 | 2.44 |
| WD 110 | 0.38 | 10.39 | 2.44 |
| WD 112 | 0.38 | 10.39 | 2.44 |
| WD 116 | 0.38 | 14.14 | 2.68 |

Table 2M – Dimensions of C1 attachments
(in millimetres)

| ISO chain No. | c_2 | b_7 max. | h_3 max. |
|---------------|-------|---------------|---------------|
| WD 102 | 9,7 | 197,1 | 62,0 |
| WD 104 | 9,7 | 136,9 | 62,0 |
| WD 110 | 9,7 | 263,9 | 62,0 |
| WD 112 | 9,7 | 263,9 | 62,0 |
| WD 116 | 9,7 | 359,2 | 68,1 |

Table 3 – Dimensions of C3 attachments
(in inches)

| ISO chain No. | c_2 | b_7 max. | h_3 max. |
|---------------|-------|---------------|---------------|
| WD 110 | 0.50 | 10.39 | 2.31 |
| WD 113 | 0.50 | 10.64 | 2.31 |
| WD 118 | 0.50 | 14.89 | 3.06 |
| WD 480 | 0.50 | 12.76 | 3.06 |

Table 3M – Dimensions of C3 attachments
(in millimetres)

| ISO chain No. | c_2 | b_7 max. | h_3 max. |
|---------------|-------|---------------|---------------|
| WD 110 | 12,7 | 263,9 | 58,7 |
| WD 113 | 12,7 | 270,3 | 58,7 |
| WD 118 | 12,7 | 378,2 | 77,7 |
| WD 480 | 12,7 | 324,1 | 77,7 |

Table 4 – Dimensions of C4 attachments
(in inches)

| ISO chain No. | c_2 | b_7 max. | h_3 max. |
|---------------|-------|---------------|---------------|
| WD 102 | 0.38 | 7.76 | 3.81 |
| WD 104 | 0.38 | 5.39 | 3.81 |
| WD 110 | 0.38 | 10.39 | 3.81 |
| WD 112 | 0.38 | 10.39 | 3.81 |
| WD 113 | 0.50 | 10.64 | 4.81 |
| WD 116 | 0.38 | 14.14 | 4.94 |
| WD 480 | 0.50 | 12.76 | 5.06 |

Table 4M – Dimensions of C4 attachments
(in millimetres)

| ISO chain No. | c_2 | b_7 max. | h_3 max. |
|---------------|-------|---------------|---------------|
| WD 102 | 9,7 | 197,1 | 96,8 |
| WD 104 | 9,7 | 136,9 | 96,8 |
| WD 110 | 9,7 | 263,9 | 96,8 |
| WD 112 | 9,7 | 263,9 | 96,8 |
| WD 113 | 12,7 | 270,3 | 122,2 |
| WD 116 | 9,7 | 359,2 | 125,5 |
| WD 480 | 12,7 | 324,1 | 128,5 |