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Forces, Tensile Strengths and
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This standard was first published in 1964. The first, second and third revisions of this standard were published in 1980, 1996 and 2014 respectively. This revision has been undertaken to align it with ISO 4347 : 2015.

This edition specifies the minimum dynamic strength of the chains.

The text of ISO standard has been approved as suitable for publication as an Indian Standard without deviations. Certain conventions are however, not identical to those used in Indian Standards. Attention is particularly drawn to the following:

- a) Wherever the words 'International Standard' appear referring to this standard, they should be read as 'Indian Standard'; and
- b) Comma (,) has been used as a decimal marker while in Indian Standards, the current-practice is to use a point (.) as the decimal marker.

In this adopted standard, reference appears to certain International Standards for which Indian Standards also exist. The corresponding Indian Standards, which are to be substituted in their respective places, are given below along with their degree of equivalence for the editions indicated:

| <i>International Standard</i> | <i>Corresponding Indian Standard</i> | <i>Degree of Equivalence</i> |
|---|---|------------------------------|
| ISO 606 Short-pitch transmission precision roller and bush chains, attachments and associated chain sprockets | IS 2403 : 2024/ISO 606 : 2015 Short-pitch transmission precision roller and bush chains, attachments and associated chain sprockets (<i>third revision</i>) | Identical |
| ISO 15654 Fatigue test methods for transmission precision roller chains and leaf chains | IS 15790 : 2008/ISO 15654 : 2004 Fatigue test method for transmission precision roller chains | Identical |

The Committee has reviewed the provisions of the following International Standard referred in this adopted standard and has decided that it is acceptable for use in conjunction with this standard:

| <i>International Standard</i> | <i>Title</i> |
|-------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| ASME B29.8 | Leaf chains, clevises and sheaves |

The standard also makes a reference to the BIS Certification Marking of the product. Details of which are given in [National Annex A](#).

For the purpose of deciding whether a particular requirement of this standard is complied with the final value, observed or calculated, expressing the result of a test or analysis shall be rounded off in accordance with IS 2 : 2022 'Rules for rounding off numerical values (*second revision*)'.

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Introduction

This International Standard includes two series of chains: one derived from the ISO 606 A/ASME B29.8 series, designated by the symbol “LH” or “BL”; the other derived from the ISO 606 B series, designated by the symbol “LL”.

In [Table 1](#) and [Table 2](#), requirements for minimum dynamic strengths are specified. See informative [Annex A](#) for calculation details.

Indian Standard

LEAF CHAINS, CLEVISES AND SHEAVES — DIMENSIONS,
MEASURING FORCES, TENSILE STRENGTHS AND DYNAMIC
STRENGTHS

(*Fourth Revision*)

1 Scope

This International Standard specifies the characteristics of chains used for general lifting purposes, together with the rim profiles of sheaves and the chain attachment ends of clevises. It gives dimensions, limits for interchangeability, length measurement, preloading, minimum tensile strengths and minimum dynamic strengths.

2 Normative references

The following documents, in whole or in part, are normatively referenced in this document and are indispensable for its application. For dated references, only the edition cited applies. For undated references, the latest edition of the referenced document (including any amendments) applies.

ISO 606, *Short-pitch transmission precision roller and bush chains, attachments and associated chain sprockets*

ISO 15654¹⁾, *Fatigue test methods for transmission precision roller chains and leaf chains*

ASME²⁾ B29.8, *Leaf chains, clevises and sheaves*

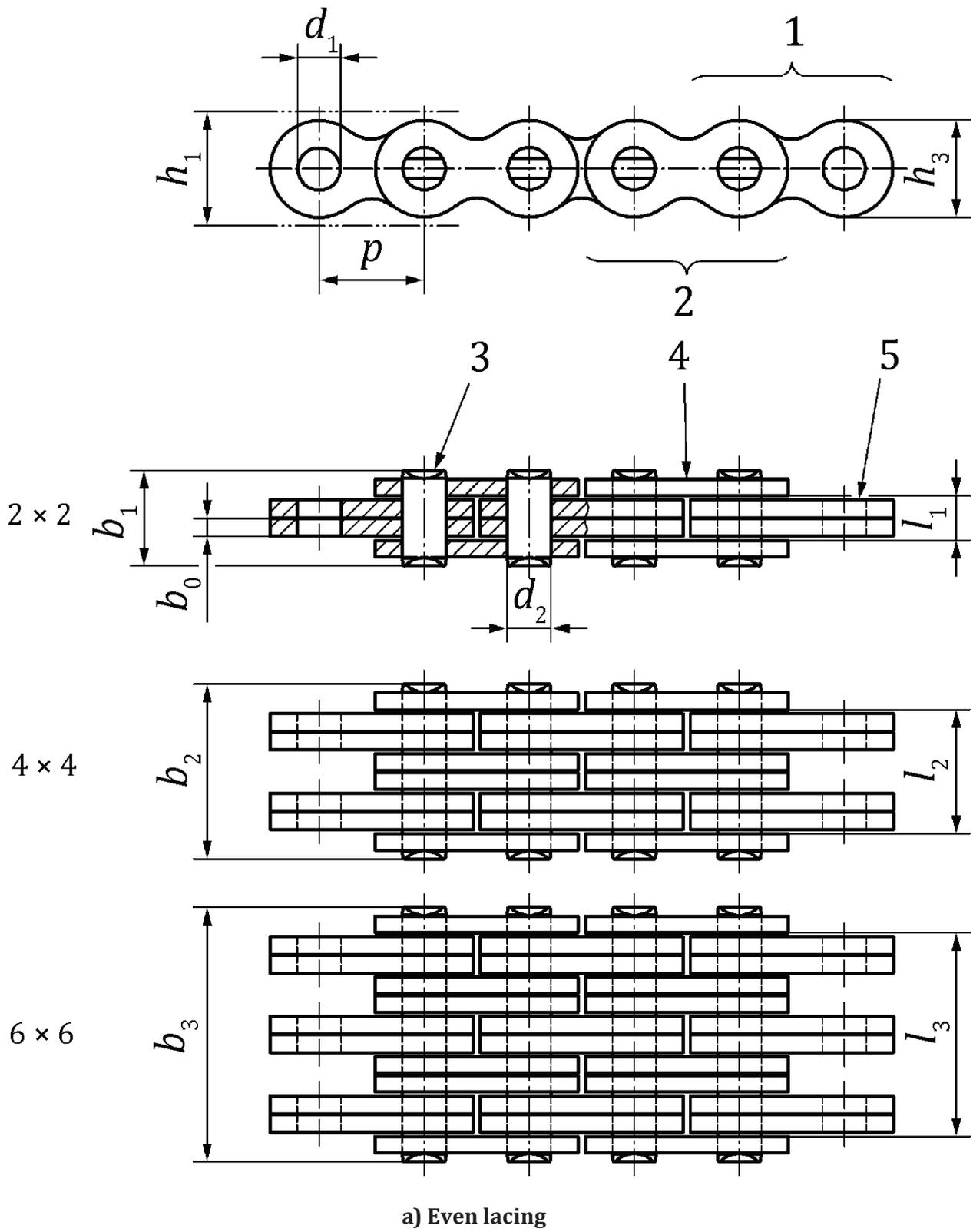
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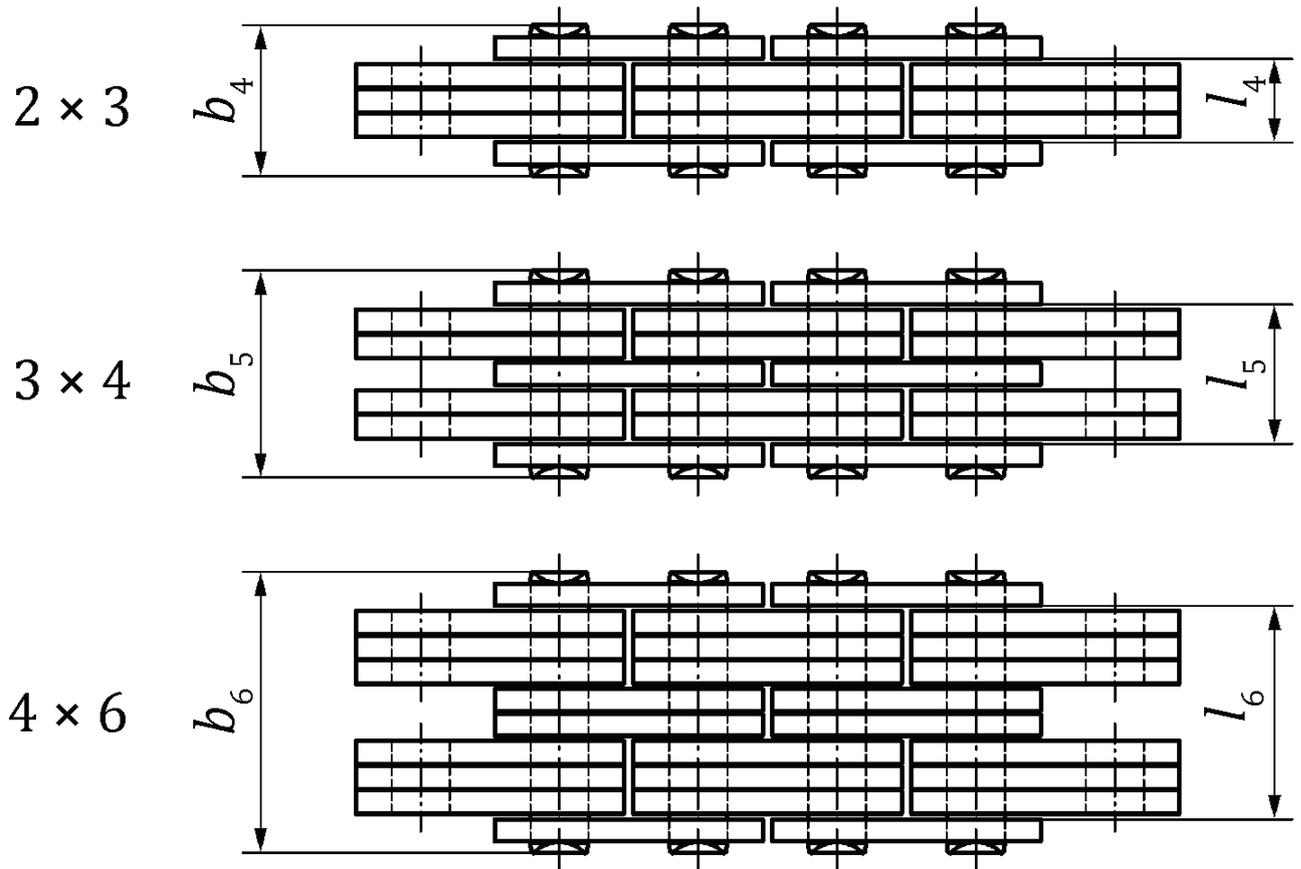
3.1 Nomenclature

The nomenclature of chains is shown in [Figure 1](#) (which does not necessarily define the actual form of the chain plates) and as given in [Table 1](#) and [Table 2](#).

1) To be published (Revision of ISO 15654:2004).

2) American Society of Mechanical Engineers.





b) Uneven lacing

Key

- 1 inner link
- 2 outer link
- 3 pin
- 4 outer plate
- 5 inner plate

Figure 1 — Symbols related to [Tables 1](#) and [2](#)

3.2 Chain designation

Leaf chain shall be designated by the prefix “LH” [“BL”] for chains derived from the ISO 606 A [ASME B29.8] series, or by the prefix “LL” for chains derived from ISO 606 B series, followed by a number of which the first two digits indicate the pitch expressed in sixteenths of an inch and the last two digits indicate the lacing (number of plates in the outer plate pitch and inner plate pitch).

To obtain the ASME “BL” reference, the same principle is used, except that the pitch is expressed in eighths of an inch using only one or two digits, dependent on pitch.

EXAMPLE 1 A chain with nominal pitch of 12,7 mm derived from chain ISO 08B, consisting of outer plates and inner plates each comprising two plates would be designated by

LL 0822

EXAMPLE 2 A chain with nominal pitch of 19,05 mm derived from ISO 12A [ASME chain No. 60], consisting of outer plates comprising three plates and inner plates comprising four plates would be designated by

LH 1234 [BL 634]

3.3 Dimensions

The dimensions given in [Table 1](#) and [Table 2](#) provide minimum and maximum limits, ensuring interchangeability and connection to standard design clevises.

Manufacturers are responsible for the actual dimensional features of their products.

Chains from different manufacturers shall never be placed together within the same application.

Table 1 — Principal chain dimensions, measuring forces, tensile strengths and dynamic strengths, LH series

| ISO chain number | ASME chain number | Pitch | | Thickness of plates | Hole diameter of inner plates | Pin diameter | Chain path depth | Plate depth | Width over riveted pin | Width between outer plates | Measuring force | Minimum tensile strength | Minimum dynamic strength |
|------------------|-------------------|-------------|--------|---------------------|-------------------------------|--------------|------------------|-------------|------------------------|----------------------------|-----------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| | | p nom. | Lacing | | | | | | | | | | |
| mm | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| LH 0822 b | BL 422 | 12,7 | 2 × 2 | 2,08 | 5,11 | 5,09 | 12,32 | 12,07 | 11,1 | 4,2 | 222 | 22,2 | 3,10 |
| LH 0823 | BL 423 | 12,7 | 2 × 3 | 2,08 | 5,11 | 5,09 | 12,32 | 12,07 | 13,2 | 6,3 | 222 | 22,2 | 3,74 |
| LH 0834 | BL 434 | 12,7 | 3 × 4 | 2,08 | 5,11 | 5,09 | 12,32 | 12,07 | 17,4 | 10,4 | 334 | 33,4 | 4,13 |
| LH 0844 d | BL 444 | 12,7 | 4 × 4 | 2,08 | 5,11 | 5,09 | 12,32 | 12,07 | 19,6 | 12,4 | 445 | 44,5 | 4,66 |
| LH 0846 | BL 446 | 12,7 | 4 × 6 | 2,08 | 5,11 | 5,09 | 12,32 | 12,07 | 23,8 | 16,6 | 445 | 44,5 | 4,65 |
| LH 0866 | BL 466 | 12,7 | 6 × 6 | 2,08 | 5,11 | 5,09 | 12,32 | 12,07 | 28,0 | 21,0 | 667 | 66,7 | 6,21 |
| LH 1022 b | BL 522 | 15,875 | 2 × 2 | 2,48 | 5,98 | 5,96 | 15,34 | 15,09 | 12,9 | 4,9 | 334 | 33,4 | 4,80 |
| LH 1023 | BL 523 | 15,875 | 2 × 3 | 2,48 | 5,98 | 5,96 | 15,34 | 15,09 | 15,4 | 7,4 | 334 | 33,4 | 5,77 |
| LH 1034 | BL 534 | 15,875 | 3 × 4 | 2,48 | 5,98 | 5,96 | 15,34 | 15,09 | 20,4 | 12,3 | 489 | 48,9 | 6,39 |
| LH 1044 d | BL 544 | 15,875 | 4 × 4 | 2,48 | 5,98 | 5,96 | 15,34 | 15,09 | 22,8 | 14,7 | 667 | 66,7 | 7,20 |
| LH 1046 | BL 546 | 15,875 | 4 × 6 | 2,48 | 5,98 | 5,96 | 15,34 | 15,09 | 27,7 | 19,5 | 667 | 66,7 | 7,19 |
| LH 1066 | BL 566 | 15,875 | 6 × 6 | 2,48 | 5,98 | 5,96 | 15,34 | 15,09 | 32,7 | 24,6 | 1 000 | 100,1 | 9,60 |
| LH 1222 b | BL 622 | 19,05 | 2 × 2 | 3,3 | 7,96 | 7,94 | 18,34 | 18,11 | 17,4 | 6,6 | 489 | 48,9 | 7,05 |
| LH 1223 | BL 623 | 19,05 | 2 × 3 | 3,3 | 7,96 | 7,94 | 18,34 | 18,11 | 20,8 | 9,9 | 489 | 48,9 | 8,47 |
| LH 1234 | BL 634 | 19,05 | 3 × 4 | 3,3 | 7,96 | 7,94 | 18,34 | 18,11 | 27,5 | 16,5 | 756 | 75,6 | 9,38 |
| LH 1244 d | BL 644 | 19,05 | 4 × 4 | 3,3 | 7,96 | 7,94 | 18,34 | 18,11 | 30,8 | 19,8 | 979 | 97,9 | 10,6 |
| LH 1246 | BL 646 | 19,05 | 4 × 6 | 3,3 | 7,96 | 7,94 | 18,34 | 18,11 | 37,5 | 26,4 | 979 | 97,9 | 10,6 |
| LH 1266 | BL 666 | 19,05 | 6 × 6 | 3,3 | 7,96 | 7,94 | 18,34 | 18,11 | 44,2 | 33,2 | 1 468 | 146,8 | 14,1 |
| LH 1622 b | BL 822 | 25,4 | 2 × 2 | 4,09 | 9,56 | 9,54 | 24,38 | 24,13 | 21,4 | 8,2 | 845 | 84,5 | 12,3 |
| LH 1623 | BL 823 | 25,4 | 2 × 3 | 4,09 | 9,56 | 9,54 | 24,38 | 24,13 | 25,5 | 12,3 | 845 | 84,5 | 14,8 |
| LH 1634 | BL 834 | 25,4 | 3 × 4 | 4,09 | 9,56 | 9,54 | 24,38 | 24,13 | 33,8 | 20,5 | 1 290 | 129,0 | 16,3 |
| LH 1644 d | BL 844 | 25,4 | 4 × 4 | 4,09 | 9,56 | 9,54 | 24,38 | 24,13 | 37,9 | 24,6 | 1 690 | 169,0 | 18,4 |
| LH 1646 | BL 846 | 25,4 | 4 × 6 | 4,09 | 9,56 | 9,54 | 24,38 | 24,13 | 46,2 | 32,7 | 1 690 | 169,0 | 18,4 |
| LH 1666 | BL 866 | 25,4 | 6 × 6 | 4,09 | 9,56 | 9,54 | 24,38 | 24,13 | 54,5 | 41,1 | 2 536 | 253,6 | 24,6 |

Table 1 (continued)

| ISO chain number | ASME chain number | Pitch | | Lacing | Thickness of plates | Hole diameter of inner plates | Pin diameter | Chain path depth | Plate depth | Width over riveted pin | Width between outer plates | Measuring force | Minimum tensile strength | Minimum dynamic strength |
|------------------|-------------------|-------------|----|--------|---------------------|-------------------------------|--------------|------------------|-------------|------------------------|----------------------------|-----------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| | | p nom. | mm | | | | | | | | | | | |
| LH 2022 b | BL 1022 | 31,75 | | 2 x 2 | 4,9 | 11,14 | 11,11 | 30,48 | 30,18 | 25,4 | 9,8 | 1 156 | 115,6 | 18,8 |
| LH 2023 | BL 1023 | 31,75 | | 2 x 3 | 4,9 | 11,14 | 11,11 | 30,48 | 30,18 | 30,4 | 14,8 | 1 156 | 115,6 | 22,6 |
| LH 2034 | BL 1034 | 31,75 | | 3 x 4 | 4,9 | 11,14 | 11,11 | 30,48 | 30,18 | 40,3 | 24,5 | 1 824 | 182,4 | 25,0 |
| LH 2044 d | BL 1044 | 31,75 | | 4 x 4 | 4,9 | 11,14 | 11,11 | 30,48 | 30,18 | 45,2 | 29,5 | 2 313 | 231,3 | 28,2 |
| LH 2046 | BL 1046 | 31,75 | | 4 x 6 | 4,9 | 11,14 | 11,11 | 30,48 | 30,18 | 55,1 | 39,4 | 2 313 | 231,3 | 28,2 |
| LH 2066 | BL 1066 | 31,75 | | 6 x 6 | 4,9 | 11,14 | 11,11 | 30,48 | 30,18 | 65,0 | 49,2 | 3 470 | 347,0 | 37,6 |
| LH 2422 b | BL 1222 | 38,1 | | 2 x 2 | 5,77 | 12,74 | 12,71 | 36,55 | 36,2 | 29,7 | 11,6 | 1 512 | 151,2 | 26,7 |
| LH 2423 | BL 1223 | 38,1 | | 2 x 3 | 5,77 | 12,74 | 12,71 | 36,55 | 36,2 | 35,5 | 17,4 | 1 512 | 151,2 | 32,0 |
| LH 2434 | BL 1234 | 38,1 | | 3 x 4 | 5,77 | 12,74 | 12,71 | 36,55 | 36,2 | 47,1 | 28,9 | 2 446 | 244,6 | 35,4 |
| LH 2444 d | BL 1244 | 38,1 | | 4 x 4 | 5,77 | 12,74 | 12,71 | 36,55 | 36,2 | 52,9 | 34,4 | 3 025 | 302,5 | 40,0 |
| LH 2446 | BL 1246 | 38,1 | | 4 x 6 | 5,77 | 12,74 | 12,71 | 36,55 | 36,2 | 64,6 | 46,3 | 3 025 | 302,5 | 39,9 |
| LH 2466 | BL 1266 | 38,1 | | 6 x 6 | 5,77 | 12,74 | 12,71 | 36,55 | 36,2 | 76,2 | 57,9 | 4 537 | 453,7 | 53,3 |
| LH 2822 b | BL 1422 | 44,45 | | 2 x 2 | 6,6 | 14,32 | 14,29 | 42,67 | 42,24 | 33,6 | 13,2 | 1 913 | 191,3 | 35,4 |
| LH 2823 | BL 1423 | 44,45 | | 2 x 3 | 6,6 | 14,32 | 14,29 | 42,67 | 42,24 | 40,2 | 19,7 | 1 913 | 191,3 | 42,6 |
| LH 2834 | BL 1434 | 44,45 | | 3 x 4 | 6,6 | 14,32 | 14,29 | 42,67 | 42,24 | 53,4 | 32,7 | 3 158 | 315,8 | 47,1 |
| LH 2844 d | BL 1444 | 44,45 | | 4 x 4 | 6,6 | 14,32 | 14,29 | 42,67 | 42,24 | 60,0 | 39,1 | 3 826 | 382,6 | 53,2 |
| LH 2846 | BL 1446 | 44,45 | | 4 x 6 | 6,6 | 14,32 | 14,29 | 42,67 | 42,24 | 73,2 | 52,3 | 3 826 | 382,6 | 53,0 |
| LH 2866 | BL 1466 | 44,45 | | 6 x 6 | 6,6 | 14,32 | 14,29 | 42,67 | 42,24 | 86,4 | 65,5 | 5 783 | 578,3 | 70,9 |
| LH 3222 b | BL 1622 | 50,8 | | 2 x 2 | 7,52 | 17,49 | 17,46 | 48,74 | 48,26 | 40,0 | 15,0 | 2 891 | 289,1 | 43,4 |
| LH 3223 | BL 1623 | 50,8 | | 2 x 3 | 7,52 | 17,49 | 17,46 | 48,74 | 48,26 | 46,6 | 22,5 | 2 891 | 289,1 | 52,1 |
| LH 3234 | BL 1634 | 50,8 | | 3 x 4 | 7,52 | 17,49 | 17,46 | 48,74 | 48,26 | 61,8 | 37,5 | 4 404 | 440,4 | 57,7 |
| LH 3244 d | BL 1644 | 50,8 | | 4 x 4 | 7,52 | 17,49 | 17,46 | 48,74 | 48,26 | 69,3 | 44,8 | 5 783 | 578,3 | 65,1 |
| LH 3246 | BL 1646 | 50,8 | | 4 x 6 | 7,52 | 17,49 | 17,46 | 48,74 | 48,26 | 84,5 | 59,9 | 5 783 | 578,3 | 65,0 |
| LH 3266 | BL 1666 | 50,8 | | 6 x 6 | 7,52 | 17,49 | 17,46 | 48,74 | 48,26 | 100,0 | 75,0 | 8 674 | 867,4 | 86,8 |
| LH 4022 b | BL 2022 | 63,5 | | 2 x 2 | 9,91 | 23,84 | 23,81 | 60,88 | 60,33 | 51,8 | 19,9 | 4 337 | 433,7 | 64,4 |

Table 1 (continued)

| ISO chain number | ASME chain number | Pitch | | Lacing | Thickness of plates | Hole diameter of inner plates | Pin diameter | Chain path depth | Plate depth | Width over riveted pin | Width between outer plates | Measuring force | Minimum tensile strength | Minimum dynamic strength ^c |
|------------------|-------------------|-------------|------|--------|---------------------|-------------------------------|--------------|------------------|-------------|------------------------|----------------------------|-----------------|--------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| | | p nom. | mm | | | | | | | | | | | |
| LH 4023 | BL 2023 | 63,5 | 63,5 | 2 × 3 | 9,91 | 23,84 | 23,81 | 60,88 | 60,33 | 61,7 | 29,8 | 4 337 | 433,7 | 774 |
| LH 4034 | BL 2034 | 63,5 | 63,5 | 3 × 4 | 9,91 | 23,84 | 23,81 | 60,88 | 60,33 | 81,7 | 49,4 | 6 494 | 649,4 | 85,7 |
| LH 4044 d | BL 2044 | 63,5 | 63,5 | 4 × 4 | 9,91 | 23,84 | 23,81 | 60,88 | 60,33 | 91,6 | 59,1 | 8 674 | 867,4 | 96,6 |
| LH 4046 | BL 2046 | 63,5 | 63,5 | 4 × 6 | 9,91 | 23,84 | 23,81 | 60,88 | 60,33 | 111,5 | 78,9 | 8 674 | 867,4 | 96,4 |
| LH 4066 | BL 2066 | 63,5 | 63,5 | 6 × 6 | 9,91 | 23,84 | 23,81 | 60,88 | 60,33 | 131,4 | 99,0 | 13 011 | 1 301,1 | 128,9 |

a Chain path depth is the minimum depth of channel through which the assembled chain will pass.

b These chains have reduced fatigue strength and wear life compared with uneven lacings of the same pitch and same minimum tensile strength. This should be taken into account when selecting a chain for a particular application.

c Dynamic strength values are based on test specimen each of 5 free pitches for $P \leq 50,8$ mm and each of three free pitches for $P > 50,8$ mm. See Annex A for method of calculation.

d These chains have reduced wear life compared with uneven lacings of the same pitch and same minimum tensile strength. This should be taken into account when selecting a chain for a particular application.

Table 2 — Principal chain dimensions, measuring forces, tensile strengths and dynamic strengths, LL series

| ISO chain number | Pitch | Lacing | Thickness of plates b_0 max. | Hole diameter of inner plates d_1 min. | Pin diameter d_2 max. | Chain path depth h_1^a min. | Plate depth h_3 max. | Width over riveted pin b_1 to b_3 max. | Width between outer plates l_1 to l_3 min. | Measuring force N | Minimum tensile strength F_u kN | Minimum dynamic strength ^c F_d kN |
|------------------|-------------------|--------|--------------------------------------|--|-------------------------------|-------------------------------------|------------------------------|--|--|----------------------|---|--|
| | p nom. mm | | | | | | | | | | | |
| LL 0822 | 12,7 | 2 × 2 | 1,55 | 4,46 | 4,45 | 11,18 | 10,92 | 8,5 | 3,1 | 180 | 18 | 2,14 |
| LL 0844 | 12,7 | 4 × 4 | 1,55 | 4,46 | 4,45 | 11,18 | 10,92 | 14,6 | 9,1 | 360 | 36 | 3,21 |
| LL 0866 | 12,7 | 6 × 6 | 1,55 | 4,46 | 4,45 | 11,18 | 10,92 | 20,7 | 15,2 | 540 | 54 | 4,28 |
| LL 1022 | 15,875 | 2 × 2 | 1,65 | 5,09 | 5,08 | 13,98 | 13,72 | 9,3 | 3,4 | 220 | 22 | 3,01 |
| LL 1044 | 15,875 | 4 × 4 | 1,65 | 5,09 | 5,08 | 13,98 | 13,72 | 16,1 | 10,1 | 440 | 44 | 4,52 |
| LL 1066 | 15,875 | 6 × 6 | 1,65 | 5,09 | 5,08 | 13,98 | 13,72 | 22,9 | 16,8 | 660 | 66 | 6,03 |
| LL 1222 | 19,05 | 2 × 2 | 1,9 | 5,73 | 5,72 | 16,39 | 16,13 | 10,7 | 3,9 | 290 | 29 | 4,13 |
| LL 1244 | 19,05 | 4 × 4 | 1,9 | 5,73 | 5,72 | 16,39 | 16,13 | 18,5 | 11,6 | 580 | 58 | 6,20 |
| LL 1266 | 19,05 | 6 × 6 | 1,9 | 5,73 | 5,72 | 16,39 | 16,13 | 26,3 | 19,0 | 870 | 87 | 8,27 |
| LL 1622 | 25,4 | 2 × 2 | 3,2 | 8,3 | 8,28 | 21,34 | 21,08 | 17,2 | 6,2 | 600 | 60 | 8,36 |
| LL 1644 | 25,4 | 4 × 4 | 3,2 | 8,3 | 8,28 | 21,34 | 21,08 | 30,2 | 19,4 | 1 200 | 120 | 12,5 |
| LL 1666 | 25,4 | 6 × 6 | 3,2 | 8,3 | 8,28 | 21,34 | 21,08 | 43,2 | 31,0 | 1 800 | 180 | 16,7 |
| LL 2022 | 31,75 | 2 × 2 | 3,7 | 10,21 | 10,19 | 26,68 | 26,42 | 20,1 | 7,2 | 950 | 95 | 12,0 |
| LL 2044 | 31,75 | 4 × 4 | 3,7 | 10,21 | 10,19 | 26,68 | 26,42 | 35,1 | 22,4 | 1 900 | 190 | 17,9 |
| LL 2066 | 31,75 | 6 × 6 | 3,7 | 10,21 | 10,19 | 26,68 | 26,42 | 50,1 | 36,0 | 2 850 | 285 | 23,9 |
| LL 2422 | 38,1 | 2 × 2 | 5,2 | 14,65 | 14,63 | 33,73 | 33,4 | 28,4 | 10,2 | 1 700 | 170 | 18,9 |
| LL 2444 | 38,1 | 4 × 4 | 5,2 | 14,65 | 14,63 | 33,73 | 33,4 | 49,4 | 30,6 | 3 400 | 340 | 28,4 |
| LL 2466 | 38,1 | 6 × 6 | 5,2 | 14,65 | 14,63 | 33,73 | 33,4 | 70,4 | 51,0 | 5 100 | 510 | 37,9 |
| LL 2822 | 44,45 | 2 × 2 | 6,45 | 15,92 | 15,9 | 37,46 | 37,08 | 34,0 | 12,8 | 2 000 | 200 | 25,8 |
| LL 2844 | 44,45 | 4 × 4 | 6,45 | 15,92 | 15,9 | 37,46 | 37,08 | 60,0 | 38,4 | 4 000 | 400 | 38,7 |
| LL 2866 | 44,45 | 6 × 6 | 6,45 | 15,92 | 15,9 | 37,46 | 37,08 | 86,0 | 64,0 | 6 000 | 600 | 51,6 |
| LL 3222 | 50,8 | 2 × 2 | 6,45 | 17,83 | 17,81 | 42,72 | 42,29 | 35,0 | 12,8 | 2 600 | 260 | 29,0 |
| LL 3244 | 50,8 | 4 × 4 | 6,45 | 17,83 | 17,81 | 42,72 | 42,29 | 61,0 | 38,4 | 5 200 | 520 | 43,5 |
| LL 3266 | 50,8 | 6 × 6 | 6,45 | 17,83 | 17,81 | 42,72 | 42,29 | 87,0 | 64,0 | 7 800 | 780 | 58,0 |

Table 2 (continued)

| ISO chain number | Pitch | | Lacing | Thickness of plates | Hole diameter of inner plates | Pin diameter | Chain path depth | Plate depth | Width over riveted pin | Width between outer plates | Measuring force | Minimum tensile strength | Minimum dynamic strength ^c |
|------------------|-------------|-------|--------|---------------------|-------------------------------|--------------|------------------|-------------|------------------------|----------------------------|-----------------|--------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| | p nom. | mm | | | | | | | | | | | |
| LL 4022 | 63,5 | 2 × 2 | 8,25 | 22,91 | 22,89 | 53,49 | 52,96 | 44,7 | 16,2 | 3 600 | 360 | 43,1 | |
| LL 4044 | 63,5 | 4 × 4 | 8,25 | 22,91 | 22,89 | 53,49 | 52,96 | 77,9 | 48,6 | 7 200 | 720 | 64,6 | |
| LL 4066 | 63,5 | 6 × 6 | 8,25 | 22,91 | 22,89 | 53,49 | 52,96 | 111,1 | 81,0 | 10 800 | 1 080 | 86,1 | |
| LL 4822 | 76,2 | 2 × 2 | 10,3 | 29,26 | 29,24 | 64,52 | 63,88 | 56,1 | 20,2 | 5 600 | 560 | 58,3 | |
| LL 4844 | 76,2 | 4 × 4 | 10,3 | 29,26 | 29,24 | 64,52 | 63,88 | 97,4 | 60,6 | 11 200 | 1 120 | 87,4 | |
| LL 4866 | 76,2 | 6 × 6 | 10,3 | 29,26 | 29,24 | 64,52 | 63,88 | 138,9 | 101,0 | 16 800 | 1 680 | 116,6 | |

^a Chain path depth is the minimum depth of channel through which the assembled chain will pass.

^c Dynamic strength values are based on test specimen each of 5 free pitches for $P \leq 50,8$ mm and each of 3 free pitches for $P > 50,8$ mm. See Annex A for method of calculation.

3.4 Performance Requirements

3.4.1 General

WARNING — The test requirements are not to be taken as working loads.

Certain standards, covering one particular type of machine, could contain specific static and dynamic stress limits. Those stress limits were established by the developers of the subject standards based upon long experience in the design and use of the particular type of machinery. The developers of the subject standards are solely responsible for the stress limitation factor.

The test results shall be invalid if the chain has previously been in service or stressed in any way (other than by preloading in accordance with [3.5](#)).

The tensile test shall be considered as a destructive test. Even though a chain may not visibly fail when subjected to a force equivalent to the minimum tensile strength, it will have been stressed beyond the yield point and will be unfit for service.

3.4.2 Minimum tensile strength

The minimum tensile strength shall be that value exceeded when a tensile force is applied to a sample tested to destruction in accordance with [3.4.3](#).

NOTE The minimum tensile strength is not a working force. It is intended primarily as a comparative figure between chains of different construction. For application information, it is necessary to consult the manufacturers or their published data.

3.4.3 Application of tensile force

Slowly apply a tensile force of not less than the minimum tensile strength F_u specified in [Table 1](#) and [Table 2](#) for that particular chain number to the ends of a chain length containing at least five free pitches by means of fixtures permitting free movement on both sides of the chain centreline, in the normal plane of articulation.

Failure shall be considered to have occurred at the first point where increasing extension is no longer accompanied by increasing force, i.e. the summit of the force/extension diagram.

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

3.4.4 Dynamic testing

Chains in conformance with this International Standard shall survive a conformance test, following the specifications of ISO 15654, using the dynamic strength values given in [Table 1](#) and [Table 2](#) for the particular chain. These requirements do not apply to connecting links, as their dynamic strength could be reduced. The methods used for calculating the minimum dynamic strength are given in [Annex A](#). The method for determining the maximum test force for the conformance test is given in [Annex B](#).

3.5 Pre-loading

Chain manufactured in accordance with this International Standard shall be preloaded by applying a tensile force equivalent to at least 30 % of the minimum tensile strength given in [Table 1](#) and [Table 2](#).

3.6 Length validation

Finished chains shall be measured after preloading, but before lubricating.

The standard length for measurement shall be a minimum of

- a) 610 mm for ISO chains up to 19,05 mm pitch, or

b) 1 220 mm for ISO chains above 19,05 mm pitch.

The chain shall be supported throughout its entire length and a measuring force specified in [Table 1](#) and [Table 2](#) for the particular chain number shall be applied.

The measured length shall be nominal pitch times the number of pitches specified by the manufacturer, subject to a tolerance of $\pm 0,25$ %. The number of pitches shall conform to the minimum specified in a) or b) of this subclause.

“LL” series chains can be constructed from plates that are also used for short-pitch transmission roller chains, the actual pitch of the chain not necessarily being equal to its nominal pitch but depending upon the manufacturer.

3.7 Cranked links

Cranked links shall not be used in leaf chains.

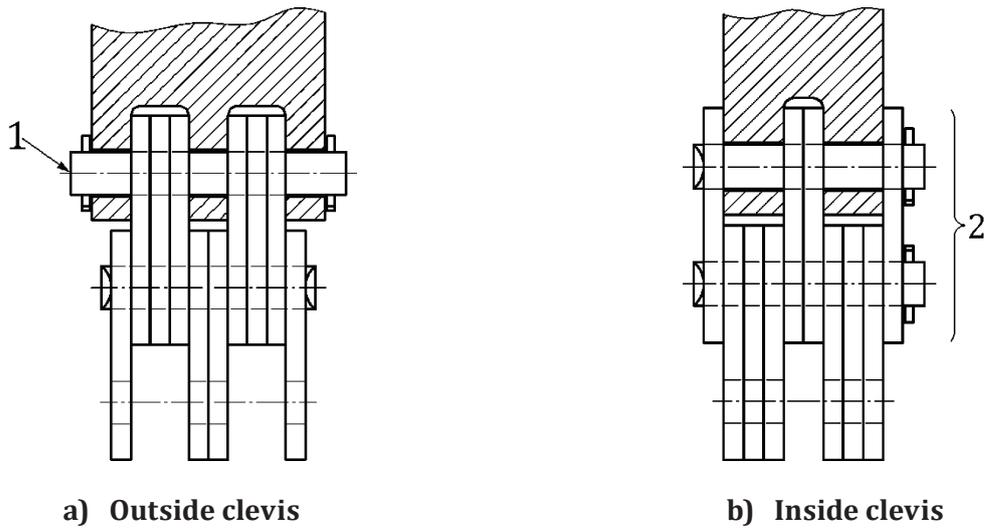
3.8 Marking

The chains shall be marked with the manufacturer’s name or trademark. The chain numbers quoted in [Table 1](#) or [Table 2](#), less the digits indicating lacing, should be marked on the chain.

4 Clevises

4.1 Types

There are two basic types of leaf chain clevis: the outside and the inside clevis (see [Figure 2](#)).



Key

- 1 connecting pin
- 2 connecting link^a
- ^a The connecting link should be used with a press fit outer plate.

Figure 2 — Clevis types

4.2 Dimensions

The dimensions of terminal clevises for use with LH and LL series leaf chains shall be in accordance with [Table 3](#) and [Table 4](#) and [Figure 3](#).

NOTE Limiting dimensions given in those tables are for the purpose of ensuring connection to chains built in accordance with previous editions of this International Standard.

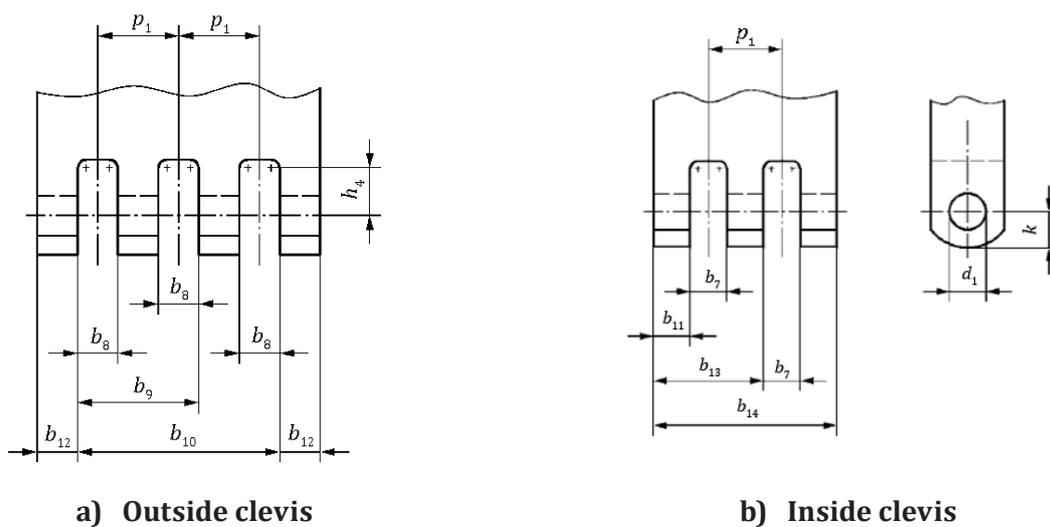


Figure 3 — Symbols related to [Table 3](#) and [Table 4](#)

Table 3 — Clevis dimensions, LH series

| ISO chain number | ASME chain number | b_7 | b_8 | b_9 | b_{10} | b_{11} | b_{12} | b_{13} | b_{14} | p_1 | d_1 | h_4 | k |
|------------------|-------------------|------------------|-------|-------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| | | H12 ^a | | | | max. | min. | max. | max. | nom. | min. | min. | max. |
| mm | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| LH 0822 | BL 422 | — | 4,41 | — | — | 4,03 | 3,12 | — | — | — | 5,11 | 6,35 | 6,35 |
| LH 0823 | BL 423 | — | 6,53 | — | — | 6,05 | 3,12 | — | — | — | 5,11 | 6,35 | 6,35 |
| LH 0834 | BL 434 | 2,21 | 4,33 | 10,68 | — | 4,03 | 3,12 | 10,20 | — | 6,35 | 5,11 | 6,35 | 6,35 |
| LH 0844 | BL 444 | 4,41 | 4,41 | 12,89 | — | 4,03 | 3,12 | 12,25 | — | 8,47 | 5,11 | 6,35 | 6,35 |
| LH 0846 | BL 446 | 4,41 | 6,53 | 17,12 | — | 6,05 | 3,12 | 16,32 | — | 10,59 | 5,11 | 6,35 | 6,35 |
| LH 0866 | BL 466 | 4,41 | 4,41 | 12,89 | 21,36 | 4,03 | 3,12 | 12,25 | 20,47 | 8,47 | 5,11 | 6,35 | 6,35 |
| LH 1022 | BL 522 | — | 5,24 | — | — | 4,80 | 3,72 | — | — | — | 5,98 | 7,92 | 7,92 |
| LH 1023 | BL 523 | — | 7,76 | — | — | 7,20 | 3,72 | — | — | — | 5,98 | 7,92 | 7,92 |
| LH 1034 | BL 534 | 2,62 | 5,14 | 12,69 | — | 4,80 | 3,72 | 12,12 | — | 7,55 | 5,98 | 7,92 | 7,92 |
| LH 1044 | BL 544 | 5,24 | 5,24 | 15,31 | — | 4,80 | 3,72 | 14,56 | — | 10,07 | 5,98 | 7,92 | 7,92 |
| LH 1046 | BL 546 | 5,24 | 7,76 | 20,35 | — | 7,20 | 3,72 | 19,40 | — | 12,59 | 5,98 | 7,92 | 7,92 |
| LH 1066 | BL 566 | 5,24 | 5,24 | 15,31 | 25,38 | 4,80 | 3,72 | 14,56 | 24,31 | 10,07 | 5,98 | 7,92 | 7,92 |
| LH 1222 | BL 622 | — | 6,96 | — | — | 6,41 | 4,95 | — | — | — | 7,96 | 9,53 | 9,53 |
| LH 1223 | BL 623 | — | 10,31 | — | — | 9,61 | 4,95 | — | — | — | 7,96 | 9,53 | 9,53 |
| LH 1234 | BL 634 | 3,48 | 6,83 | 16,88 | — | 6,41 | 4,95 | 16,18 | — | 10,05 | 7,96 | 9,53 | 9,53 |
| LH 1244 | BL 644 | 6,96 | 6,96 | 20,36 | — | 6,41 | 4,95 | 19,43 | — | 13,40 | 7,96 | 9,53 | 9,53 |
| LH 1246 | BL 646 | 6,96 | 10,31 | 27,06 | — | 9,61 | 4,95 | 25,89 | — | 16,75 | 7,96 | 9,53 | 9,53 |
| LH 1266 | BL 666 | 6,96 | 6,96 | 20,36 | 33,76 | 6,41 | 4,95 | 19,43 | 32,45 | 13,40 | 7,96 | 9,53 | 9,53 |
| LH 1622 | BL 822 | — | 8,59 | — | — | 7,93 | 6,13 | — | — | — | 9,56 | 12,70 | 12,70 |
| LH 1623 | BL 823 | — | 12,73 | — | — | 11,89 | 6,13 | — | — | — | 9,56 | 12,70 | 12,70 |
| LH 1634 | BL 834 | 4,29 | 8,43 | 20,86 | — | 7,93 | 6,13 | 19,97 | — | 12,42 | 9,56 | 12,70 | 12,70 |
| LH 1644 | BL 844 | 8,59 | 8,59 | 25,15 | — | 7,93 | 6,13 | 23,98 | — | 16,56 | 9,56 | 12,70 | 12,70 |
| LH 1646 | BL 846 | 8,59 | 12,73 | 33,43 | — | 11,89 | 6,13 | 31,96 | — | 20,70 | 9,56 | 12,70 | 12,70 |
| LH 1666 | BL 866 | 8,59 | 8,59 | 25,15 | 41,71 | 7,93 | 6,13 | 23,98 | 40,04 | 16,56 | 9,56 | 12,70 | 12,70 |
| LH 2022 | BL 1022 | — | 10,26 | — | — | 9,48 | 7,35 | — | — | — | 11,14 | 15,88 | 15,88 |
| LH 2023 | BL 1023 | — | 15,21 | — | — | 14,22 | 7,35 | — | — | — | 11,14 | 15,88 | 15,88 |
| LH 2034 | BL 1034 | 5,13 | 10,08 | 24,93 | — | 9,48 | 7,35 | 23,86 | — | 14,85 | 11,14 | 15,88 | 15,88 |
| LH 2044 | BL 1044 | 10,26 | 10,26 | 30,06 | — | 9,48 | 7,35 | 28,65 | — | 19,80 | 11,14 | 15,88 | 15,88 |
| LH 2046 | BL 1046 | 10,26 | 15,21 | 39,96 | — | 14,22 | 7,35 | 38,18 | — | 24,75 | 11,14 | 15,88 | 15,88 |
| LH 2066 | BL 1066 | 10,26 | 10,26 | 30,06 | 49,86 | 9,48 | 7,35 | 28,65 | 47,82 | 19,80 | 11,14 | 15,88 | 15,88 |
| LH 2422 | BL 1222 | — | 12,05 | — | — | 11,16 | 8,66 | — | — | — | 12,74 | 19,05 | 19,05 |
| LH 2423 | BL 1223 | — | 17,87 | — | — | 16,74 | 8,66 | — | — | — | 12,74 | 19,05 | 19,05 |
| LH 2434 | BL 1234 | 6,02 | 11,84 | 29,31 | — | 11,16 | 8,66 | 28,05 | — | 17,46 | 12,74 | 19,05 | 19,05 |
| LH 2444 | BL 1244 | 12,05 | 12,05 | 35,33 | — | 11,16 | 8,66 | 33,68 | — | 23,28 | 12,74 | 19,05 | 19,05 |
| LH 2446 | BL 1246 | 12,05 | 17,87 | 46,97 | — | 16,74 | 8,66 | 44,89 | — | 29,10 | 12,74 | 19,05 | 19,05 |
| LH 2466 | BL 1266 | 12,05 | 12,05 | 35,33 | 58,61 | 11,16 | 8,66 | 33,68 | 56,20 | 23,28 | 12,74 | 19,05 | 19,05 |
| LH 2822 | BL 1422 | — | 13,76 | — | — | 12,76 | 9,90 | — | — | — | 14,31 | 22,23 | 22,23 |
| LH 2823 | BL 1423 | — | 20,41 | — | — | 19,13 | 9,90 | — | — | — | 14,31 | 22,23 | 22,23 |
| LH 2834 | BL 1434 | 6,88 | 13,53 | 33,48 | — | 12,76 | 9,90 | 32,04 | — | 19,95 | 14,31 | 22,23 | 22,23 |
| LH 2844 | BL 1444 | 13,76 | 13,76 | 40,36 | — | 12,76 | 9,90 | 38,47 | — | 26,60 | 14,31 | 22,23 | 22,23 |

^a Tolerance H12 is in accordance with ISO 286-2:2010, Clause 6.

Table 3 (continued)

| ISO chain number | ASME chain number | b_7 | b_8 | b_9 | b_{10} | b_{11} | b_{12} | b_{13} | b_{14} | p_1 | d_1 | h_4 | k |
|------------------|-------------------|------------------|-------|-------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| | | H12 ^a | | | | max. | min. | max. | max. | nom. | min. | min. | max. |
| mm | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| LH 2846 | BL 1446 | 13,76 | 20,41 | 53,66 | — | 19,13 | 9,90 | 51,28 | — | 33,25 | 14,31 | 22,23 | 22,23 |
| LH 2866 | BL 1466 | 13,76 | 13,76 | 40,36 | 66,97 | 12,76 | 9,90 | 38,47 | 64,18 | 26,60 | 14,31 | 22,23 | 22,23 |
| LH 3222 | BL 1622 | — | 15,65 | — | — | 14,53 | 11,28 | — | — | — | 17,49 | 25,40 | 25,40 |
| LH 3223 | BL 1623 | — | 23,22 | — | — | 21,80 | 11,28 | — | — | — | 17,49 | 25,40 | 25,40 |
| LH 3234 | BL 1634 | 7,82 | 15,40 | 38,11 | — | 14,53 | 11,28 | 36,48 | — | 22,71 | 17,49 | 25,40 | 25,40 |
| LH 3244 | BL 1644 | 15,65 | 15,65 | 45,93 | — | 14,53 | 11,28 | 43,80 | — | 30,28 | 17,49 | 25,40 | 25,40 |
| LH 3246 | BL 1646 | 15,65 | 23,22 | 61,07 | — | 21,80 | 11,28 | 58,38 | — | 37,85 | 17,49 | 25,40 | 25,40 |
| LH 3266 | BL 1666 | 15,65 | 15,65 | 45,93 | 76,22 | 14,53 | 11,28 | 43,80 | 73,07 | 30,28 | 17,49 | 25,40 | 25,40 |
| LH 4022 | BL 2022 | — | 20,53 | — | — | 19,19 | 14,86 | — | — | — | 23,84 | 31,75 | 31,75 |
| LH 4023 | BL 2023 | — | 30,49 | — | — | 28,78 | 14,86 | — | — | — | 23,84 | 31,75 | 31,75 |
| LH 4034 | BL 2034 | 10,27 | 20,23 | 50,11 | — | 19,19 | 14,86 | 48,11 | — | 29,88 | 23,84 | 31,75 | 31,75 |
| LH 4044 | BL 2044 | 20,53 | 20,53 | 60,37 | — | 19,19 | 14,86 | 57,76 | — | 39,84 | 23,84 | 31,75 | 31,75 |
| LH 4046 | BL 2046 | 20,53 | 30,49 | 80,30 | — | 28,78 | 14,86 | 76,99 | — | 49,80 | 23,84 | 31,75 | 31,75 |
| LH 4066 | BL 2066 | 20,53 | 20,53 | 60,37 | 100,22 | 19,19 | 14,86 | 57,76 | 96,33 | 39,84 | 23,84 | 31,75 | 31,75 |

^a Tolerance H12 is in accordance with ISO 286-2:2010, Clause 6.

Table 4 — Clevis dimensions, LL series

| ISO chain number | b_7 | b_8 | b_9 | b_{10} | b_{11} | b_{12} | b_{13} | b_{14} | p_1 | d_1 | h_4 | k |
|------------------|------------------|-------|-------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| | H12 ^a | | | | max. | min. | max. | max. | nom. | min. | min. | max. |
| mm | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| LL 0822 | — | 3,35 | — | — | 2,97 | 2,33 | — | — | — | 4,46 | 6 | 6,35 |
| LL 0844 | 3,35 | 3,35 | 9,71 | — | 2,97 | 2,33 | 9,07 | — | 6,35 | 4,46 | 6 | 6,35 |
| LL 0866 | 3,35 | 3,35 | 9,71 | 16,06 | 2,97 | 2,33 | 9,07 | 15,17 | 6,35 | 4,46 | 6 | 6,35 |
| LL 1022 | — | 3,58 | — | — | 3,14 | 2,48 | — | — | — | 5,09 | 8 | 7,92 |
| LL 1044 | 3,58 | 3,58 | 10,33 | — | 3,14 | 2,48 | 9,58 | — | 6,75 | 5,09 | 8 | 7,92 |
| LL 1066 | 3,58 | 3,58 | 10,33 | 17,08 | 3,14 | 2,48 | 9,58 | 16,01 | 6,75 | 5,09 | 8 | 7,92 |
| LL 1222 | — | 4,16 | — | — | 3,61 | 2,85 | — | — | — | 5,73 | 9 | 9,52 |
| LL 1244 | 4,16 | 4,16 | 11,96 | — | 3,61 | 2,85 | 11,03 | — | 7,80 | 5,73 | 9 | 9,52 |
| LL 1266 | 4,16 | 4,16 | 11,96 | 19,76 | 3,61 | 2,85 | 11,03 | 18,45 | 7,80 | 5,73 | 9 | 9,52 |
| LL 1622 | — | 6,81 | — | — | 6,15 | 4,8 | — | — | — | 8,3 | 12 | 12,7 |
| LL 1644 | 6,81 | 6,81 | 19,81 | — | 6,15 | 4,8 | 18,64 | — | 13 | 8,3 | 12 | 12,7 |
| LL 1666 | 6,81 | 6,81 | 19,81 | 32,81 | 6,15 | 4,8 | 18,64 | 31,14 | 13 | 8,3 | 12 | 12,7 |
| LL 2022 | — | 7,86 | — | — | 7,08 | 5,55 | — | — | — | 10,21 | 14 | 15,88 |
| LL 2044 | 7,86 | 7,86 | 22,86 | — | 7,08 | 5,55 | 21,45 | — | 15 | 10,21 | 14 | 15,88 |
| LL 2066 | 7,86 | 7,86 | 22,86 | 37,86 | 7,08 | 5,55 | 21,45 | 35,82 | 15 | 10,21 | 14 | 15,88 |
| LL 2422 | — | 10,91 | — | — | 10,02 | 7,8 | — | — | — | 14,65 | 18 | 19,05 |
| LL 2444 | 10,91 | 10,91 | 31,91 | — | 10,02 | 7,8 | 30,26 | — | 21 | 14,65 | 18 | 19,05 |
| LL 2466 | 10,91 | 10,91 | 31,91 | 52,91 | 10,02 | 7,8 | 30,26 | 50,50 | 21 | 14,65 | 18 | 19,05 |
| LL 2822 | — | 13,46 | — | — | 12,46 | 9,68 | — | — | — | 15,92 | 20 | 22,2 |
| LL 2844 | 13,46 | 13,46 | 39,46 | — | 12,46 | 9,68 | 37,57 | — | 26 | 15,92 | 20 | 22,2 |
| LL 2866 | 13,46 | 13,46 | 39,46 | 65,47 | 12,46 | 9,68 | 37,57 | 62,68 | 26 | 15,92 | 20 | 22,2 |

^a Tolerance H12 is in accordance with ISO 286-2:2010, Clause 6.

Table 4 (continued)

| ISO chain number | b_7 | b_8 | b_9 | b_{10} | b_{11} | b_{12} | b_{13} | b_{14} | p_1 | d_1 | h_4 | k |
|------------------|------------------|-------|-------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| | H12 ^a | | | | max. | min. | max. | max. | nom. | min. | min. | max. |
| mm | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| LL 3222 | — | 13,51 | — | — | 12,39 | 9,68 | — | — | — | 17,83 | 23 | 25,4 |
| LL 3244 | 13,51 | 13,51 | 39,51 | — | 12,39 | 9,68 | 37,38 | — | 26 | 17,83 | 23 | 25,4 |
| LL 3266 | 13,51 | 13,51 | 39,51 | 65,52 | 12,39 | 9,68 | 37,38 | 62,37 | 26 | 17,83 | 23 | 25,4 |
| LL 4022 | — | 17,21 | — | — | 15,87 | 12,38 | — | — | — | 22,91 | 28 | 31,75 |
| LL 4044 | 17,21 | 17,21 | 50,41 | — | 15,87 | 12,38 | 47,80 | — | 33,2 | 22,91 | 28 | 31,75 |
| LL 4066 | 17,21 | 17,21 | 50,41 | 83,62 | 15,87 | 12,38 | 47,80 | 79,73 | 33,2 | 22,91 | 28 | 31,75 |
| LL 4822 | — | 21,41 | — | — | 19,84 | 15,45 | — | — | — | 29,26 | 34 | 38,1 |
| LL 4844 | 21,41 | 21,41 | 62,82 | — | 19,84 | 15,45 | 59,72 | — | 41,4 | 29,26 | 34 | 38,1 |
| LL 4866 | 21,41 | 21,41 | 62,82 | 104,2 | 19,84 | 15,45 | 59,72 | 99,60 | 41,4 | 29,26 | 34 | 38,1 |

^a Tolerance H12 is in accordance with ISO 286-2:2010, Clause 6.

4.3 Minimum tensile strength

The clevises and the pins used to anchor chains shall withstand at least the same minimum tensile forces as the chains themselves (see 3.4.2 and 3.4.3).

4.4 Length adjustment

In multi-strand applications, where it becomes necessary within the chain assembly to compensate for small length differences between strands, it is always desirable to provide, within the anchoring device, a length adjustment equal to at least one pitch of the chain.

5 Sheaves

The sheaves shown in Figure 4 shall comply with the following formulae.

- a) Minimum sheave diameter, D_1 :

$$D_1 = 5 \times \text{nominal chain pitch} \quad (1)$$

Smaller diameters may be used if proved by testing.

- b) Minimum width between flanges, b_{15} :

$$b_{15} = 1,05 \times \text{width over riveted bearing pins} \quad (2)$$

- c) Minimum flange diameter, D_2 :

$$D_2 = D_1 + h_3 \quad (3)$$

For dimensions h_3 and the width over riveted bearing pins (dimensions b_1 to b_6), see Figure 1 and Table 1 or Table 2.

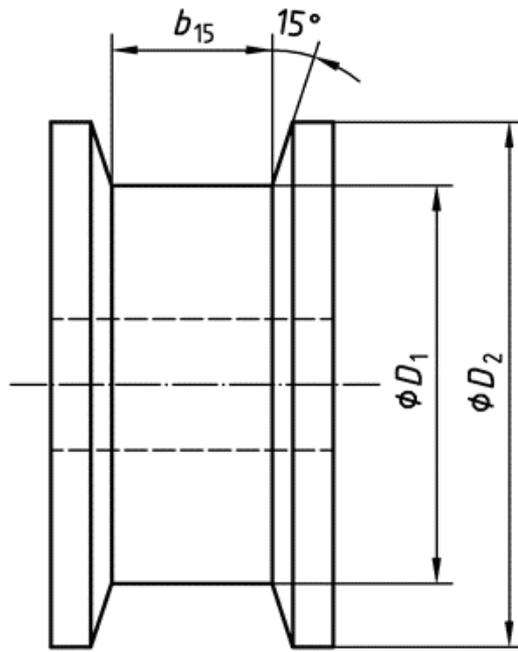


Figure 4 — Sheave dimensions

Annex A (informative)

Method of calculating chain minimum dynamic strength

A.1 General

$$F_d = \min(F_{di}; F_{do}) \times f_P \times f_L \text{ for the chain} \quad (\text{A.1})$$

$$F_{di} = n_{iP} \times (h_3 - d_1) \times b_0 \times K_{Si} \text{ for the inner link} \quad (\text{A.2})$$

$$F_{do} = n_{oP} \times (h_3 - d_1) \times b_0 \times K_{Si} + 2 \times (h_3 - d_2) \times b_0 \times K_{So} \text{ for the outer link} \quad (\text{A.3})$$

where

F_d is the minimum dynamic strength of the chain at 3×10^6 cycles in newtons (N);

F_{do} is the dynamic strength of the outer link in newtons (N);

F_{di} is the dynamic strength of the inner link in newtons (N);

n_{iP} is the number of plates with loose fit within the inner chain link;

n_{oP} is the number of plates with loose fit within the outer chain link;

h_3 is the plate depth in mm;

d_1 is the hole diameter of inner plates in mm;

d_2 is the pin diameter in mm;

b_0 is the thickness of plates in mm;

K_{Si} is 110 N/mm² for inner plates (loose fit);

K_{So} is 150 N/mm² for outer plates (press fit);

f_P is the factor for the chain pitch according to [Table A.1](#);

f_L is the factor for the chain lacing according to [Table A.2](#).

Table A.1 — Factor f_p for chain pitch

| Chain pitch | $f_{p, LL \text{ series}}$ | $f_{p, LH \text{ series}}$ |
|-------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|
| mm | — | — |
| 12,7 | 0,971 | 0,975 |
| 15,875 | 0,961 | 0,965 |
| 19,05 | 0,951 | 0,956 |
| 25,4 | 0,929 | 0,936 |
| 31,75 | 0,906 | 0,916 |
| 38,1 | 0,883 | 0,895 |
| 44,45 | 0,859 | 0,874 |
| 50,8 | 0,836 | 0,852 |
| 63,5 | 0,789 | 0,810 |
| 76,2 | 0,743 | 0,768 |

NOTE Factor f_p for chain pitch according to ISO 606.

Table A.2 — Factor f_L for chain lacing

| Lacing | f_L | Derivation of f_L |
|--------|-------|--------------------------------|
| 2 × 2 | 1,000 | = 1/1 |
| 2 × 3 | 0,880 | = $f_{L2 \times 2} \cdot 0,88$ |
| 3 × 4 | 0,713 | = $f_{L4 \times 4} \cdot f_R$ |
| 4 × 4 | 0,750 | = 1,5/2 |
| 4 × 6 | 0,633 | = $f_{L6 \times 6} \cdot f_R$ |
| 6 × 6 | 0,667 | = 2/3 |

NOTE Reduction factor $f_R = 0,95$, the factor 0,88 and the definition of factor f_L based on empirical knowledge and is to be understood as a guideline.

A.2 Example for chain LH 1666 [BL 866]

The minimum dynamic strength of the chain LH 1666 [BL 866] can be calculated by

$$F_{di} = 6 \times (24,13 \text{ mm} - 9,56 \text{ mm}) \times 4,09 \text{ mm} \times 110 \text{ N/mm}^2 = 39,3 \text{ kN} \text{ for the inner link} \quad (\text{A.4})$$

$$F_{do} = 4 \times (24,13 \text{ mm} - 9,56 \text{ mm}) \times 4,09 \text{ mm} \times 110 \text{ N/mm}^2 \quad \text{for the outer link} \quad (\text{A.5})$$

$$+ 2 \times (24,13 \text{ mm} - 9,54 \text{ mm}) \times 4,09 \text{ mm} \times 150 \text{ N/mm}^2 = 44,1 \text{ kN}$$

$$F_d = 39,3 \text{ kN} \times 0,936 \times 0,667 = \underline{\underline{24,6 \text{ kN}}} \text{ for the chain LH 1666} \quad (\text{A.6})$$

Annex B (informative)

Method of determining maximum test force F_{\max} when conducting dynamic strength conformance test

B.1 General

The maximum test force F_{\max} is calculated using

$$F_{\max} = \frac{F_d F_u + [F_{\min} (F_u - F_d)]}{F_u} \quad (\text{B.1})$$

where

F_{\max} is the maximum test force, in newtons (N);

F_d is the minimum dynamic strength as given in [Table 1](#) or [Table 2](#), in newtons (N);

F_u is the minimum tensile strength as given in [Table 1](#) or [Table 2](#), in newtons (N);

F_{\min} is the minimum test force (1 % to 5 % of the minimum tensile strength F_u), in newtons (N)

B.2 Example for chain LH 1666 [BL 866]

If the chain manufacturer were to choose a minimum test force (F_{\min}) of 11 412 N (i.e. 4,5 % of the minimum tensile strength according to [Table 1](#)). Then the maximum test force F_{\max} would be determined as follows

$$F_{\max} = \frac{F_d F_u + [F_{\min} (F_u - F_d)]}{F_u} \quad (\text{B.2})$$

and from [Table 1](#)

$$F_d = 24\,600 \text{ N},$$

$$F_u = 253\,600 \text{ N, and}$$

$$F_{\min} = 11\,412 \text{ N},$$

then

$$F_{\max} = \frac{(24\,600 \times 253\,600) + [11\,412 \times (253\,600 - 24\,600)]}{253\,600} = 34\,905 \text{ N} \quad (\text{B.3})$$

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National Annex A

([*National Foreword*](#))

A-1 BIS CERTIFICATION MARKING

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