
**Belt drives — Pulleys and V-ribbed belts
for industrial applications — PH, PJ, PK, PL
and PM profiles: Dimensions**

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This second edition cancels and replaces the first edition (ISO 9982:1991), which has been technically revised. In particular, one subclause on the diameters over balls and another on the manufacturing tolerances for effective lengths of V-ribbed belts have been added.

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Introduction

A V-ribbed belt drive is composed of an endless belt with a longitudinally ribbed traction surface which engages and grips, by friction, pulley grooves of similar shape. The belt ribbed surface fits the pulley grooves to make nearly total contact.

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1 Scope

This International Standard specifies the principal dimensional characteristics of V-ribbed pulley groove profiles, together with the corresponding endless V-ribbed belts, of PH, PJ, PK, PL and PM profiles which are used for general industrial applications.

The PK belt was originally established for automotive accessory drive applications and ISO 9981 deals specifically with that particular field.

2 Normative references

The following standards contain provisions which, through reference in this text, constitute provisions of this International Standard. At the time of the publication, the editions indicated were valid. All standards are subject to revision, and parties to agreements based on this International Standard are encouraged to investigate the possibility of applying the most recent editions of the standards indicated below. Members of IEC and ISO maintain registers of currently valid International Standards.

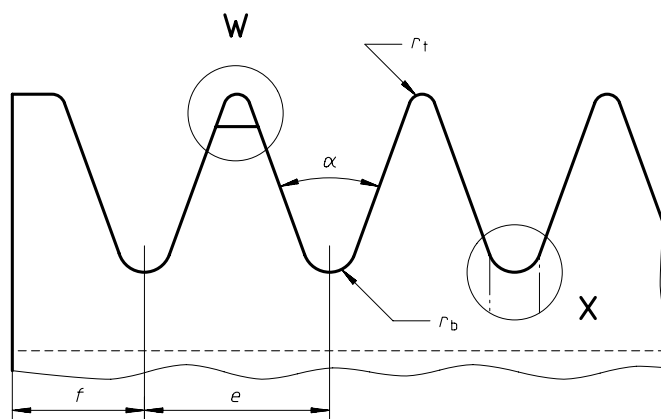
ISO 254:1998, *Belts drives — Pulleys — Quality, finish and balance*.

ISO 4287:1997, *Geometrical product specification (GPS) — Surface texture: Profile method — Terms, definitions and surface texture parameters*.

3 Pulleys

3.1 Groove dimensions and tolerances

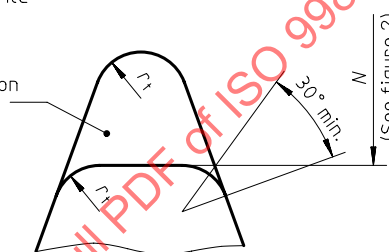
The groove dimensions of PH, PJ, PK, PL and PM belts are shown in figures 1 and 2, and given in table 1.



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Alternative: Pulley tip profile

The actual configuration of the tip profile may lie anywhere between the maximum and minimum indicated. Any configuration shall have a transitional radius r_t corresponding to a 30° minimum arc tangent to the groove sidewall



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Alternative: Pulley groove bottom

The configuration of the groove bottom below r_b is optional

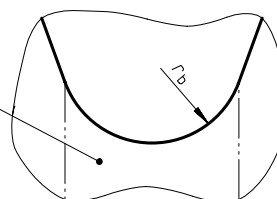
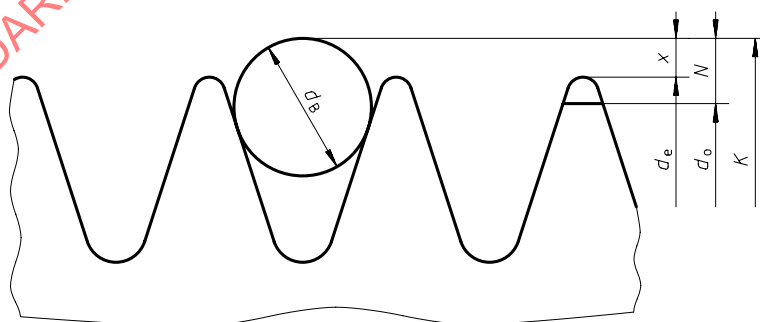


Figure 1 — Cross-section of pulley grooves



d_e = effective diameter

d_o = outer diameter

K = diameter over balls or rods

d_B = checking ball or rod diameter

Figure 2 — Pulley diameters

Table 1 — Dimensions of pulley grooves

Dimensions in millimetres

Profile		PH	PJ	PK	PL	PM
Groove pitch, e ^{1) 2)}		$1,6 \pm 0,03$	$2,34 \pm 0,03$	$3,56 \pm 0,05$	$4,7 \pm 0,05$	$9,4 \pm 0,08$
Groove angle, α ³⁾	$\pm 0,5^\circ$	40°	40°	40°	40°	40°
r_t	min.	0,15	0,2	0,25	0,4	0,75
r_b	max.	0,3	0,4	0,5	0,4	0,75
Checking ball or rod diameter, d_B	$\pm 0,01$	1	1,5	2,5	3,5	7
$2x$	nom.	0,11	0,23	0,99	2,36	4,53
$2N$ ⁴⁾	max.	0,69	0,81	1,68	3,5	5,92
f	min.	1,3	1,8	2,5	3,3	6,4

- 1) The tolerance on e applies to the distance between the axes of two consecutive grooves.
2) The sum of all deviations from the nominal value e for all grooves in any pulley shall not exceed $\pm 0,3$.
3) The centreline of the groove shall make an angle of $90^\circ \pm 0,5^\circ$ with the axis of the pulley.
4) N is not related to the nominal diameter of the pulley but is measured from the actual ride position of the ball or rod in the pulley.

3.2 Minimum effective diameter

The minimum recommended effective diameter, d_e , for V-ribbed pulleys is given in table 2.

Table 2 — Minimum effective diameter

Dimensions in millimetres

Profile		PH	PJ	PK	PL	PM
Effective diameter, d_e	min.	13	20	45	75	180

3.3 Tolerances on finished pulley

3.3.1 Checking conditions

Profile, diameter and run-out tolerances shall be checked on the finished pulley without surface coating.

3.3.2 Groove-to-groove diameter tolerances

The variation in diameters between the grooves in any one pulley shall be within the limits given in table 3. This variation is obtained by comparing the diameter over balls or rods.

Table 3 — Groove-to-groove diameter variation

Dimensions in millimetres

Effective diameter, d_e	Number of grooves, n	Maximum diameter variation
$d_e \leq 74$	$n \leq 6$	0,1
	$n > 6$	Add 0,003 for each additional groove
$74 < d_e \leq 500$	$n \leq 10$	0,15
	$n > 10$	Add 0,005 for each additional groove
$d_e > 500$	$n \leq 10$	0,25
	$n > 10$	Add 0,01 for each additional groove

3.3.3 Radial circular run-out

Radial circular run-out shall be within the limits given in table 4. Radial run-out measured with a ball mounted under spring pressure to ensure contact with the groove as the pulley is rotated.

Table 4 — Radial run-out

Dimensions in millimetres

Effective diameter, d_e	FIM ¹⁾ max.
$d_e \leq 74$	0,13
$74 < d_e \leq 250$	0,25
$d_e > 250$	0,25 + 0,000 4 per millimetre of effective diameter over 250
1) Full indicator movement.	

3.3.4 Axial circular run-out

Axial circular run-out (full indicator movement) shall be within 0,002 mm per millimetre of effective diameter. Run-out is measured with a ball mounted under spring pressure to ensure contact with the groove as the pulley is rotated.

3.3.5 Diameter over balls

The tolerances on the diameter over balls (K) shall be within the limits given in table 5.

Table 5 — Tolerance on the diameter over balls

Dimensions in millimetres

Diameter over balls, K	Tolerance
$K \leq 75$	$\pm 0,3$
$75 < K \leq 200$	$\pm 0,6$
For each additional 25 mm, add	$\pm 0,1$

3.3.6 Groove finish

The pulley grooves shall have a surface roughness $R_a \leq 3,2 \mu\text{m}$. See ISO 2517 and ISO 4287 for definitions and the method of measurement.

3.4 Pitch diameter, d_p

The fit of a V-ribbed belt in the corresponding pulley is shown in figure 3. The true pitch diameter of a V-ribbed pulley is slightly larger than the effective diameter and its exact value is determined with the particular belt being used.

The appropriate nominal value of the effective line differential b_e , which is:

0,8 mm for the PH profile,

1,2 mm for the PJ profile,

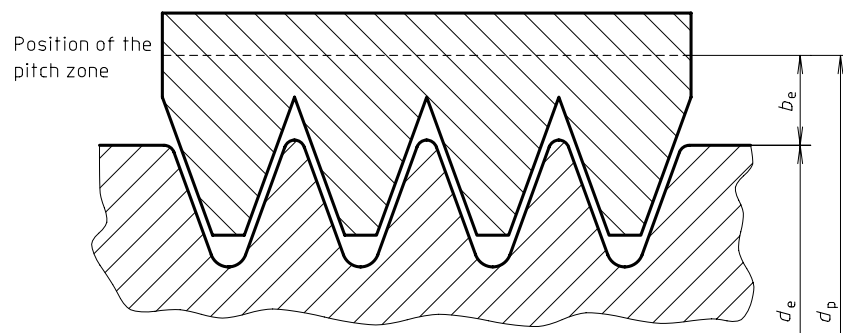
2 mm for the PK profile,

3 mm for the PL profile, and

4 mm for the PM profile;

may be used to calculate the speed ratio. If more precision is required, the belt manufacturer should be consulted.

Further information is given in ISO 8370.

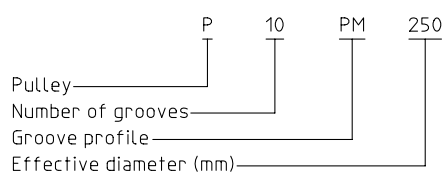
**Figure 3 — Determination of pitch diameter**

3.5 Designation of pulleys

A V-ribbed pulley is characterized by the number of grooves, the profile and the effective diameter. It is designated by a series of numbers and letters as follows:

- a) the first letter "P" means "Pulley";
- b) the first set of numbers indicates the number of grooves;
- c) the second set of letters indicates the groove profile;
- d) the second set of numbers indicates the effective diameter, in millimetres.

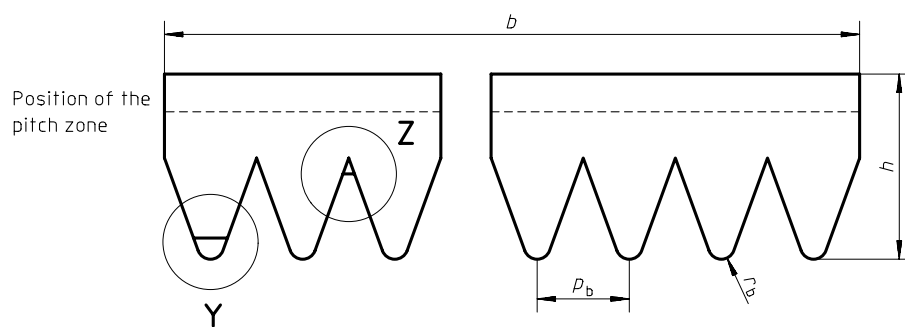
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4 Belts

4.1 Belt dimensions

The belt dimensions are shown on figure 4, and given in table 6.



Nominal width of the belt $b = n \times p_b$, where n is the number of ribs

Y

Alternative: Belt rib tip

The flat belt tip is optional

Z

Alternative: Belt groove bottom

The configuration of the belt groove bottom may lie anywhere between the maximum and the minimum indicated

Figure 4 — Cross-section of belt

Table 6 — Belt dimensions

Dimensions in millimetres

Profile		PH	PJ	PK	PL	PM
Rib pitch, p_b		1,6	2,34	3,56	4,7	9,4
r_b	min.	0,3	0,4	0,5	0,4	0,75
r_t	max.	0,15	0,2	0,25	0,4	0,75
Belt height, h	$\approx$	3	4	6	10	17
NOTE — Belt rib pitch and belt height are shown as reference dimensions only. Cumulative rib pitch tolerance is an important value, however, it is frequently affected by the tension at which the belt operates and the modulus of the tension member.						

4.2 Measurement of effective belt length

4.2.1 Measuring fixture (see figure 5)

The effective belt length shall be determined by placing the belt on a measuring fixture composed of the following elements.

4.2.1.1 Two pulleys of equal diameter, one of which is fixed and the other movable.

Their profile shall comply with figure 1 and table 1, and their recommended effective diameter shall be determined from the values given in table 7.

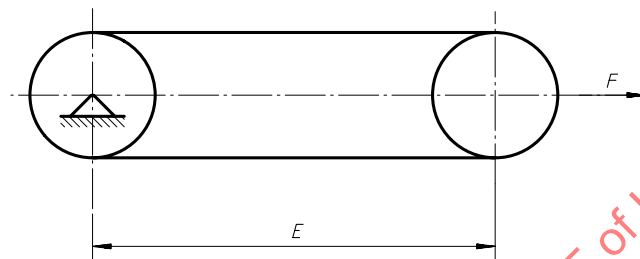


Figure 5 — Measuring fixture to determine effective length

Table 7 — Measuring pulleys and measuring forces

Dimensions in millimetres and measuring forces in newtons

Profile	PH		PJ		PK	PL	PM
Pulley effective circumference (at the level of effective diameter), U_e	100	300	100	300	300	500	800
Diameter over balls or rods, K $\pm 0,13$	31,94	95,6	32,06	95,72	96,48	161,51	259,17
Measuring force per rib, F	30		50		100	200	450

4.2.1.2 Device for applying a total measuring face to the movable pulley.

4.2.1.3 Device for measuring the centre distance between the two pulleys.

4.2.2 Measuring force

The measuring force to be applied for measuring the effective length of belts is given in table 7.

4.2.3 Procedure

To measure the effective length of a belt, rotate the belt at least two revolutions to seat it properly and to divide the total force equally between the two strands of the belt.