

# **Elastic monolithic** conveyor belts

Product overview, applications, features and accessories











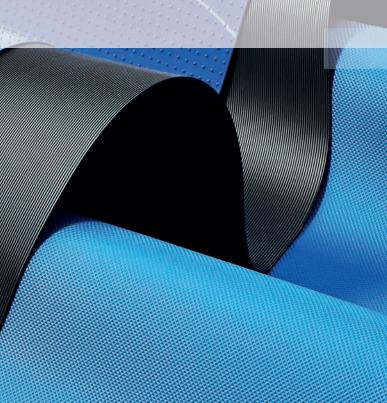












Where the advantage of the monolithic elastic belt design will improve the food safety and/or customer handling, this will influence actual and future machinery designs and replace continuously traditional conveyor belts.

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## Elastic monolithic conveyor belts

BEHAbelt aims to offer innovative solutions in high quality to customers. There is already a huge variety of belting categories and design variations available on the market. However, the increasing automation of industrial production processes and machines requires ongoing evolution. Only if all components and their features keep pace, real improvements in terms of efficiency, capacity and safety can be achieved.

This is where the new elastic monolithic conveyor belts by BEHAbelt deliver an important contribution. These products enable longevity improvements and minimize risks like layer delamination or edge fraying versus conventional coated conveyor belts with fabric carcasses.



### Friction-driven elastic conveyor belts

These conveyor belts are installed in the system with a pretension of 0.5-5%. The precise pretension ensures optimum power transmission and thus optimises the bearing load and ultimately your energy costs. The belts are guided e.g. via crowned pulleys or welded-on V-guides.



### Positive driven elastic conveyor belts

The AT5 conveyor belts from BEHAbelt enable slip-free transport, even with the smallest pulley diameters of only Ø 18 mm. This means that even conveyor sections with the smallest transfer conditions can now be realised with a slip-free belt solution.

### **ADVANTAGES**

### **PRODUCT DESIGN**

No risk of contamination based on exposed belt fabrics or due to mechanical damage to belt edges

Hygiene and support for your HACCP concept. Excellent cleanability, hydrolysis-resistant and microbial-resistant.

Additional features; e.g. metal and X-ray detectable, UV-C resistant, antistatic discharge.

Reduced energy consumption due to high longitudinal flexibility and thus also gentle motor and shaft loading:

Very good belt tracking in under-square applications:

### **HANDLING**

Easy installation of elastic belt versions due to elasticity.

Softer belts allow even a hand mounted possibility with fixed centre to centre machinery designs without any take up.

Butt-end weldings can be made with user-friendly tool, which ensures no loss of surface structure, homogeneity and elasticity in the joining

Accessories such as corrugated sidewalls, cleats, V-guides and other profiles can be welded on excellently.

#### INDUSTRIES AND APPLICATIONS

Elastic monolithic conveyor belts are especially beneficial for the various applications to convey unwrapped foodstuff. Furthermore, this design and the special features are opening up interesting opportunities way beyond that, for example in:

### **INDUSTRIES**

Food (Fish, Meat, Poultry, Fruit & Vegetable, Confectionery and Bakery)

Packaging (Food and Non-Food)

Pharmacy

Logistics and Material Handling

### **APPLICATIONS**

General conveying, Separation and Acceleration

Weighing, Sorting, Portioning

Feeding, Cutting, Detecting (metal detectors)

and many more

## Suitable belt designs

We are very interested in our customers' applications, so that we can continuously improve them by further developing our product range and know-how. The variety of combinations of surfaces, material properties and colours of BEHAbelt's monolithic conveyor belts is almost unique on the market.

### **SURFACES**

Currently, you can choose from a variety of patterns, which can be combined with each other on the top and bottom side in almost any way. Five of these structures (Nub Top, Diamond, smooth mat, as well as longitudinal and transversal grooves) are also available with the unique 'MICROclean' surface treatment.



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FDA/EC conformity for direct contact with food.



Metal and X-ray detectable conveyor belts for maximum food safety.

These products are part of the PU SAFE range.



Hydrolysis resistant conveyor belts for optimal performance in warm, wet and humid environment.



Unique surface finish with rounded structure for optimal release properties and easy cleaning.



Flame-retardant conveyor belt tested according to ISO 340 and ASTM D378.



Antistatic conveyor belts with excellent mechanical properties.



Particularly protected against UV-C radiation



The microbial resistant conveyor belts do not provide a breeding ground for microorganisms.



The 2-component production process allows for the combination of different material hardnesses. properties and colours.



Exclusive use of raw materials of non-animal origin.

#### **HARDNESS**

BEHAbelt distinguish between two hardness ranges.

PU65A, PU75A, PU80A

PU95A/55D, TPE55D/63D

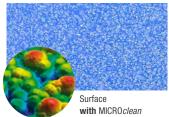
### **THICKNESS**

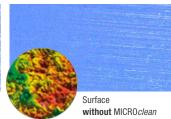
Conveyor belts are available in different thicknesses from 0,9 - 4 mm.

0,9 mm	2 mm	
1 mm	2,5 mm	
1,2 mm	3 mm	
1,6 mm	4 mm	

## **Special features**









- Traditional conveyor belt surface smooth glossy (SG)
- MICRO clean surface smooth matt (SM)

MICROclean offers **improved belt cleaning** thanks to its wave-like surface. This makes it easier to remove product residues.

In addition, MICROclean provides for **improved product release**, which especially simplifies the transfer of the product to the next transport section.



### **2 HARDNESS BELT DESIGN**



The production variant with two components opens up a multitude of possibilities for combining different hardnesses and structures in a single conveyor belt. This enables us to perfect your machine design as your development partner.

For example, when designing the belt for incline conveyors, the top side can have more grip, but the bottom side can have good sliding properties.



### **UV-C RESISTANCE**

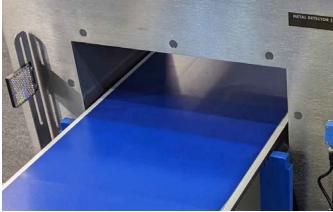


More and more conveyor systems are being equipped with UV-C emitters to support regular cleaning. This helps to better control the germ count on food contact surfaces, even during the production process. Without protection, this type of irradiation can cause embrittlement and discolouration of the belt surface.

By adding UV-C protection to our raw materials, we guarantee a longer service life and safety under such application conditions.



### **METAL AND X-RAY DETECTABLE**



Contamination with foreign products, such as plastic particles, poses a major risk in the food industry. Avoiding and detecting such incidents is a major challenge in practice, as plastic parts in particular are difficult to detect.

Thanks to a special formula, BEHAbelt PU80Asafe conveyor belts make it possible to remove particles above a certain size (according to the adjustment of the equipment used) from the production process using metal and X-ray detectors.

# Requirements and solutions

As manifold as the design options and fabrication varieties for conveyor belts, as versatile are the special requirements in the various industries, processes and applications. Some important criteria and applicable BEHAbelt solutions are summarized in the following charts.

INDUSTRY	REQUIREMENTS	BEHABELT SOLUTIONS AND FEATURES OF ELASTIC MONOLITHIC CONVEYOR BELTS
FOOD	Reliable product conveying, waste reduction	The specific selection of PU-Shore hardness and conveyor belt surface structures enable an optimal alignment with your goods in terms of grip, positioning and release properties.
	Food safety	Our elastic food conveyor belts are made of FDA/EC compliant materials. Especially for demanding applications in food processing, we can equip our belts with features like hydrolysis or UV-C resistance, detectable, antistatic or the unique MICROclean surface finish.  The monolithic product design and use of FDA/EC compliant materials support safety and HACCP in food processing.
	Cleanability and longevity	Wear resistant, durable and hydrolysis resistant raw materials guarantee longevity, even in a warm, wet and humid environment and if regular cleaning is applied.
PACKAGING	Precise positioning and grip of goods on belts, even at elevated speed	The choice of different surface structures enables a specific alignment between coefficient of friction, grip and release features of a conveyor belt. At the same time the selected belt design allows small pulleys, hence gentle transfer of goods.









Besides all mentioned features in these charts, the BEHAbelt elastic monolithic belts are offered with the unique MICRO*clean* surface finish. Detailed information on that can be found on page 5.

INDUSTRY	REQUIREMENTS	BEHABELT SOLUTIONS AND FEATURES OF ELASTIC MONOLITHIC CONVEYOR BELTS
PHARMACY	Ensure high process safety and hygiene conditions	The conformance with utmost hygiene standards is ensured by FDA/EC compliant materials and belts that are easy to clean.
INTRA- LOGISTICS	Longevity and reliability	Wear resistant raw materials, antistatic features and the selection of a specific conveyor belt design are the basis for longevity and reliability of our products in your conveyor system.
MATERIAL HANDLING	Longevity, reliability and gentle handling of goods	BEHAbelt has many years of experience and well trained application engineers, to define the optimal combination of conveyor belt material, design and special features for each individual customer.
ACROSS ALL INDUSTRIES	Avoid downtime	BEHAbelt elastic monolithic belts can be supplied tailor made and fabricated to the final dimension or quick and easy installed onsite. This reduces downtime to an absolute minimum.
	Efficiency and process safety	Carefully selected and configured conveyor belts, made of durable, wear resistant materials, guarantee a reliable performance and minimal maintenance in your application, thus reduce your TCO's (Total Cost of Ownership).
	Optimized equipment design	Elastic belts are extremely easy to install. Therefore, complicated tensioning device can be avoided in many cases, which enables a more simple and user friendly conveyor design.



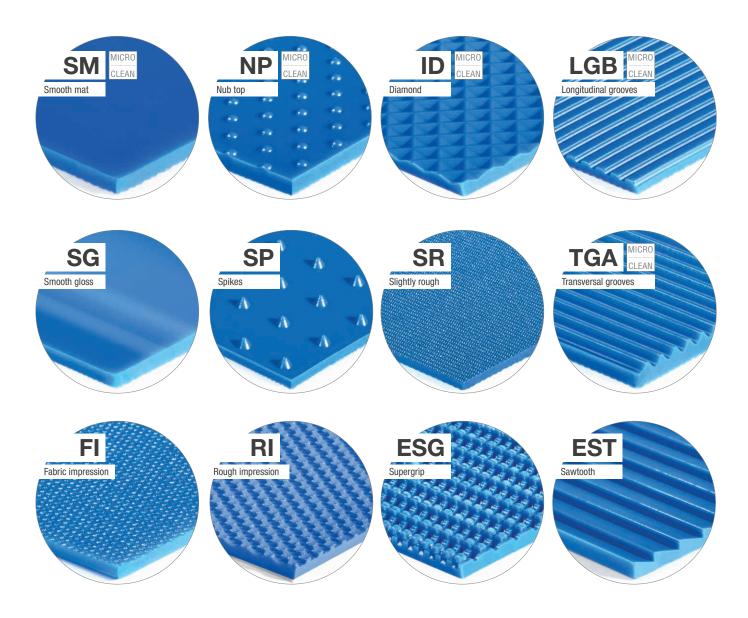






### Overview belt structures / Features

The belt structures shown here can be combined in almost any way you like. You also have the option of customised colouring and the addition of optional product properties, such as UV-C resistance or antistatic conductivity; see pages 4 and 5.



### **MATERIAL FEATURES**



FDA/EC conformity for direct contact with food



X-Ray and metal detectable



Antistatic discharge



Use of raw materials of non-animal origin



Hydrolysis resistant



Unique surface finish



The belt consists of two components for the top and bottom



Particularly flexible at low temperatures down to -30°C



Microbial resistant



Protected against UV rays



Flame retardant according to ISO 340

### **COLORS**



ultramarine blue



capri blue



sky blue





transparent



# Slip-free AT5 conveyor belts.



The positive driven AT5 conveyor belts enable slip-free transport, even with the smallest pulley diameters of just Ø 15 mm. This means that conveyor sections with the smallest transfer conditions can now also be realised with a slip-free belt solution. Thanks to the careful selection of raw materials for direct food contact, the belt solutions offer very good resistance to microbes, hydrolysis and chemicals.











### BOTTOM SIDE: AT5 // 700 mm

Top side	Color	Additional Features	Quality	Hard- ness	Belt thick	ness		nmended ulley ⊘*	k1% st	atic	k1% re	laxed	Stan roll	dard	Recom- mended	Order No.
				Shore	mm	inch	mm	inch	N/mm	lbs/inch	N/mm	lbs/inch	m	ft	pretension	
			PU80A	84 A	2,2	0,09	15	0,59	0,39	1,86	0,27	1,30	50	164	2%	FBFJ750X22LP
Slightly rough (SR)	UB		PU95A	95 A	2,2	0,09	22	0,79	0,57	3,22	0,40	2,26	50	164	1%	FBFM750X22LA
		<u>2K</u>	PU65A PU80A	72 A 84 A	3,0	0,118	18	0,7	0,50	2,90	0,35	2,00	50	164	2%	FBFJG750X3LE
	UB	MICRO 2K	PU65A PU80A	72 A 84 A	3,0	0,118	18	0,7	0,50	2,90	0,35	2,00	50	164	2%	FBFJG750X3L
Smooth mat (SM)	OD	CLEAN	PU65A PU95A	72 A 95 A	3,0	0,118	28	1,1	0,68	3,90	0,48	2,70	50	164	1%	FBFMG750X3L
Transversal grooves (TGA)	UB	MICRO 2K	PU65A PU80A	72 A 84 A	3,8	0,149	28	1,1	0,50	2,90	0,35	2,00	50	164	2%	FBFJG750X38A
Nub top (NP)	UB	MICRO 2K	PU65A PU80A	72 A 84 A	3,2	0,125	25	1,0	0,50	2,90	0,35	2,00	50	164	2%	FBFJG750X3LC
	UB	MICRO 2K	PU65A PU80A	72 A 84 A	3,0	0,118	18	0,7	0,47	2,70	0,33	1,90	50	164	2%	FBFJG750X3LD
Diamond (ID)	JD	CLEAN	PU65A PU95A	72 A 95 A	3,2	0,125	28	1,1	0,68	3,90	0,48	2,70	50	164	1%	FBFMG750X32L
	UB	<u>2K</u>	PU65A PU80A	72 A 84 A	3,0	0,118	25	1,0	0,50	2,90	0,35	2,00	50	164	2%	FBFJG750X3LB
Spikes (SP)	UD		PU95A	95 A	3,0	0,118	38	1,5	1,0	5,80	0,70	4,06	50	164	1%	FBFM750X3LE

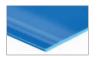
# ILLUSTRATION OF DRIVE AND GUIDE CONCEPTS

The interaction of AT5 (also T5) drive with optimum belt guidance ensures tracking stability and slip-free drive.

Several guide grooves basically increase the guide stability of the belt, whereby the arrangement of the guide grooves should preferably be centred in the middle of the belt and in the inner third of the belt width. Guide grooves near the outer edges of the belt are not recommended.

Guide Guiding groove Guiding bar

Guide Drive







## TOP SIDE: SMOOTH GLOSS (SG)

Bottom side	Color	Additional Features	Quality	Hard- ness	Belt thick	1055	Recom Min. pu		k1% sta	atic	k1% rel	axed	Stand	lard	Recom- mended	Order No.
				Shore	mm	inch	mm	inch	N/mm	lbs/inch	N/mm	lbs/inch	m	ft	pretension	
Fabric impression		-30°C	PU65A	72 A	2,0	0,078	12	0,50	0,29	1,60	0,20	1,10	50	164	1-5%	FBFG750X20LA
(FI)					1,6	0,062	15	0,60	0,34	2,00	0,24	1,40	50	164	1-5%	FBFI750X16LD
	UB	<b>6</b>	PU75A	80 A	2,0	0,078	20	0,80	0,43	2,40	0,30	1,70	50	164	1-5%	FBFI750X20LB
		-30°C	1075A	00 A	3,0	0,118	30	1,18	0,64	3,70	0,45	2,60	50	164	1-5%	FBFI750X30LG
					4,0	0,157	40	1,57	0,86	4,90	0,60	3,40	30	100	1-5%	FBFI750X40LC
	UB		PU95A	95 A	2,0	0,078	35	1,40	1,03	5,90	0,72	4,10	50	164	0,5-3%	FBFL750X20LC
Smooth gloss (SG)	OB		1 000/1	30 N	3,0	0,118	50	2,00	1,54	8,80	1,08	6,20	50	164	0,5-3%	FBFL750X30LC
	НІ		PU95A	95 A	2,0	0,078	35	1,40	1,03	5,90	0,72	4,10	50	164	0,5-3%	FBFL750X20LG
Smooth gloss (SG)			1 000/1	50 N	3,0	0,118	50	2,00	1,54	8,80	1,08	6,20	50	164	0,5-3%	FBFL750X30LG
		UV MICRO CLEAN	PU80A	84 A	1,8	0,070	18	0,71	0,51	2,90	0,36	2,00	50	164	1-5%	FBFJ750X18LK
Diamond (ID)	UB	MICRO CLEAN	1 000A	047	2,0	0,078	20	0,80	0,57	3,30	0,40	2,30	50	164	1-5%	FBFJ750X2LA
	OB	MICRO CLEAN	PU95A	95 A	2,0	0,078	35	1,40	0,98	5,60	0,68	3,90	50	164	0,5-3%	FBFM750X2LC
		-30°C	1 0000	33 A	3,0	0,118	50	2,00	1,47	8,40	1,03	5,90	50	164	0,5-3%	FBFM750X3LC
	ні	MICRO CLEAN	PU95A	95 A	2,0	0,078	35	1,40	0,98	5,60	0,68	3,90	50	164	0,5-3%	FBFM750X2LD
Diamond (ID)		-30°C	1033A	33 A	3,0	0,118	50	2,00	1,47	8,40	1,03	5,90	50	164	0,5-3%	FBFM750X3LD
Slightly rough (SR)	TR		PU80A	84 A	1,6	0,062	15	0,60	0,48	2,70	0,34	1,90	50	164	1-5%	FBFJ750X16T









# FDA CLEAN TOP SIDE: LONGITUDINAL GROOVES (LGB)

Bottom side	Color	Additional Features	Quality	Hard- ness	Belt thick	ness	Recom Min. pu		k1% sta		k1% rel	axed	Stand	1	Recom- mended pretension	Order No.
<u> </u>				Shore	mm	inch	mm	inch	N/mm	lbs/inch	N/mm	lbs/inch	m	ft	pretension	
Fabric impression (FI)	UB		PU80A	84 A	1,6	0,062	15	0,60	0,48	2,70	0,34	1,90	50	164	1-5%	FBFJ750X16LK



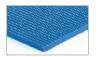






### TOP SIDE: SMOOTH MAT (SM)

Bottom side	Color	Additional Features	Quality	Hard- ness	Belt thick	ness	Recom Min. pu		k1% sta	atic	k1% re	laxed	Stand		Recom- mended	Order No.
				Shore	mm	inch	mm	inch	N/mm	lbs/inch	N/mm	lbs/inch	m	ft	pretension	
Diamond (ID)	UB	2K   UV	PU65A PU75A	72 A 80 A	1,8	0,070	12	0,50	0,32	1,80	0,22	1,30	50	164	1-5%	FBFGI750X18L
		<u>2K</u> UV ↓↓↓↓	PU65A PU80A	72 A 84 A	1,8	0,070	15	0,60	0,40	2,30	0,28	1,60	50	164	1-5%	FBFGJ750X18L
					1,0	0,039	10	0,40	0,21	1,20	0,15	0,90	50	164	1-5%	FBFI750X10LA
Fabric impression (FI)	UB		PU75A	80 A	1,6	0,062	15	0,60	0,34	2,00	0,24	1,40	50	164	1-5%	FBFI750X16LA
		-30°C	. 67 67		2,0	0,078	20	0,80	0,43	2,40	0,30	1,70	50	164	1-5%	FBFI750X20LA
					3,0	0,118	30	1,20	0,64	3,70	0,45	2,60	50	164	1-5%	FBFI750X30LA
	WE	<b>66</b>	PU75A	80 A	1,0	0,039	10	0,40	0,21	1,20	0,15	0,90	50	164	1-5%	FBFI750X10WA
Fabric impression (FI)			10707	0071	2,0	0,078	20	0,80	0,43	2,40	0,30	1,70	50	164	1-5%	FBFI750X20WA
		4			1,0	0,039	10	0,40	0,30	1,70	0,21	1,20	50	164	1-5%	FBFJ750X1LE
Fabric impression (FI)	UB		PU80A	84 A	1,0	0,039	10	0,40	0,30	1,70	0,21	1,20	50	164	1-5%	FBFJ750X1LD
	OB		FUOUA	04 A	1,6	0,062	15	0,60	0,48	2,70	0,34	1,90	50	164	1-5%	FBFJ750X16LD
					2,0	0,078	20	0,80	0,60	3,40	0,42	2,40	50	164	1-5%	FBFJ750X20LD
					1,0	0,039	10	0,40	0,30	1,70	0,21	1,20	50	164	1-5%	FBFJ750X1LA
Fabric impression (FI)	СВ	METAL X-RAY	PU80A	84 A	1,6	0,062	15	0,60	0,48	2,70	0,34	1,90	50	164	1-5%	FBFJ750X16LE
	OB		SAFE	047	2,0	0,078	20	0,80	0,60	3,40	0,42	2,40	50	164	1-5%	FBFJ750X20LE
					3,0	0,118	30	1,20	0,90	5,10	0,63	3,60	50	164	1-5%	FBFJ750X30LE
					1,0	0,039	18	0,71	0,51	2,90	0,36	2,10	50	164	0,5-3%	FBFL750X10LA
Fabric impression (FI)					1,6	0,062	25	1,00	0,82	4,70	0,58	3,30	50	164	0,5-3%	FBFL750X16LA
	UB	*-30°C	PU95A	95 A	2,0	0,078	35	1,40	1,03	5,90	0,72	4,10	50	164	0,5-3%	FBFL750X20LA
		[00 0]			3,0	0,118	50	2,00	1,54	8,80	1,08	6,20	50	164	0,5-3%	FBFL750X30LA
					4,0	0,157	75	3,00	2,06	11,70	1,44	8,20	30	100	0,5-3%	FBFL750X40LA
					1,6	0,062	25	1,00	0,82	4,70	0,58	3,30	50	164	0,5-3%	FBFL750X16WA
Fabric impression (FI)	WE		PU95A	95 A	2,0	0,078	35	1,40	1,03	5,90	0,72	4,10	50	164	0,5-3%	FBFL750X20WA
		-30°C			3,0	0,118	50	2,00	1,54	8,80	1,08	6,20	50	164	0,5-3%	FBFL750X30WA







# FDA COP SIDE: SLIGHTLY ROUGH (SR)

Bottom side	Color	Additional Features	Quality	Hard- ness	Belt thick	1ess	Recom Min. pu		k1% sta	atic	k1% rel	axed	Stan roll	dard	Recom- mended	Order No.
				Shore	mm	inch	mm	inch	N/mm	lbs/inch	N/mm	lbs/inch	m	ft	pretension	
Diamond (ID)		CLEAN THE	PU75A	80 A	1,6	0,062	13	0,52	0,33	1,9	0,23	1,30	50	164	1-5%	FBFI750X16LI
	UB	MICRO CLEAN			1,0	0,039	10	0,40	0,29	1,60	0,20	1,10	50	164	1-5%	FBFJ750X10LK
		MICRO UV	PU80A	84 A	1,2	0,047	12	0,47	0,34	2,00	0,24	1,40	50	164	1-5%	FBFJ750X12LJ
		CLEAN +++			1,8	0,070	18	0,71	0,51	2,90	0,36	2,00	50	164	1-5%	FBFJ750X18LJ
					1,0	0,039	10	0,40	0,30	1,70	0,21	1,20	50	164	1-5%	FBFJ750X10L
Fabric impression (FI)			PU80A	84 A	1,2	0,047	10	0,40	0,36	2,10	0,25	1,40	50	164	1-5%	FBFJ750X12L
			1 000/1		1,6	0,062	15	0,60	0,48	2,70	0,34	1,90	50	164	1-5%	FBFJ750X16L
	UB				2,0	0,078	20	0,80	0,60	3,40	0,42	2,40	50	164	1-5%	FBFJ750X20L
					0,9	0,035	8	0,31	0,24	1,40	0,17	1,00	50	164	1-5%	FBFJ750X09LA
	4	PU80A	84 A	1,2	0,047	10	0,40	0,33	1,90	0,23	1,30	50	164	1-5%	FBFJ750X12LA	
					1,6	0,062	15	0,60	0,43	2,50	0,30	1,70	50	164	1-5%	FBFJ750X16LA







# FDA EC TOP SIDE: SPIKES (SP)

Bottom side	Color	Additional Features	Quality	Hard- ness	Belt thick	ness	Recom Min. pu		k1% sta	atic	k1% rel	axed	Stand	dard	Recom- mended	Order No.
				Shore	mm	inch	mm	inch	N/mm	lbs/inch	N/mm	lbs/inch	m	ft	pretension	
Diamond (ID)	UB	UV MICRO CLEAN	PU80	84 A	2,0	0,078	20	0,80	0,57	3,30	0,40	2,30	50	164	1-5%	FBFJ750X20LI
			PU80A	84 A	1,2	0,047	12	0,47	0,36	2,10	0,25	1,40	50	164	1-5%	FBFJ750X12LG
Fabric impression (FI)			1000A	047	2,0	0,078	25	1,00	0,60	3,40	0,42	2,40	50	164	1-5%	FBFJ750X2LG
	UB				2,0	0,078	40	1,57	1,03	5,90	0,72	4,10	50	164	0,5-3%	FBFM750X2LA
		**-30°C	PU95A	95 A	2,5	0,098	45	1,80	1,29	7,30	0,90	5,10	50	164	0,5-3%	FBFM750X25LD
					3,0	0,118	55	2,20	1,54	8,80	1,08	6,20	50	164	0,5-3%	FBFM750X3LA









### TOP SIDE: DIAMOND (ID)

Bottom side	Color	Additional Features	Quality	Hard- ness	Belt thick	ness	Recom Min. pu		k1% sta	atic	k1% re	laxed	Stand	lard	Recom- mended	Order No.
				Shore	mm	inch	mm	inch	N/mm	lbs/inch	N/mm	lbs/inch	m	ft	pretension	
Diamond (ID)		UV MICRO CLEAN  -30°C	PU65A	72 A	2,2	0,086	15	0,60	0,28	1,60	0,20	1,10	50	164	1-5%	FBFGG750X22L
	UB	MICRO CLEAN	PU80A	84 A	2,2	0,086	22	0,87	0,60	3,40	0,42	2,40	50	164	1-5%	FBFJ750X22L0
		MICRO CLEAN	PU65A PU80A	72 A 84 A	2,2	0,086	18	0,71	0,44	2,50	0,31	1,80	50	164	1-5%	FBFJG750X22L
					1,0	0,039	10	0,40	0,29	1,60	0,20	1,10	50	164	1-5%	FBFJ750X10LK
Slightly rough (SR)	UB	UV	PU80A	84 A	1,2	0,047	12	0,47	0,34	2,00	0,24	1,40	50	164	1-5%	FBFJ750X12LJ
		111			1,8	0,070	18	0,71	0,51	2,90	0,36	2,00	50	164	1-5%	FBFJ750X18LJ
	СВ	METAL X-RAY	PU80A	84 A	1,6	0,062	15	0,60	0,46	2,60	0,32	1,80	50	164	1-5%	FBFJ750X16LC
Fabric impression (FI)			PU80A	84 A	1,6	0,062	15	0,60	0,46	2,60	0,32	1,80	50	164	1-5%	FBFJ750X16LL
			1 000/1	0471	2,0	0,078	20	0,80	0,57	3,30	0,40	2,30	50	164	1-5%	FBFJ750X2LB
	UB				1,6	0,062	25	1,00	0,78	4,50	0,55	3,10	50	164	0,5-3%	FBFM750X16LH
	OB		PU95A	95 A	2,0	0,078	35	1,38	0,98	5,60	0,68	3,90	50	164	0,5-3%	FBFM750X2LH
			7 0001	30 A	2,5	0,098	40	1,58	1,22	7,00	0,86	4,90	50	164	0,5-3%	FBFM750X25LH
					3,0	0,118	50	1,97	1,47	8,40	1,03	5,90	50	164	0,5-3%	FBFM750X3LH





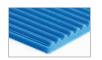






# FDA CLEAN TOP SIDE: NUB TOP (NP)

Bottom side	Color	Additional Features	Quality	Hard- ness	Belt thick	ness	Recom Min. pu		k1% sta	ntic	k1% rel	axed	Stand roll	lard	Recom- mended	Order No.
				Shore	mm	inch	mm	inch	N/mm	lbs/inch	N/mm	lbs/inch	m	ft	pretension	
Fabric impression (FI)		-30°C	PU65A	72 A	2,0	0,078	15	0,60	0,29	1,60	0,20	1,10	50	164	1-5%	FBFG750X2LB
			PU80A	84 A	1,6	0,062	15	0,60	0,48	2,70	0,34	1,90	50	164	1-5%	FBFJ750X16LF
	UB		FUOUA	04 A	2,0	0,078	20	0,80	0,60	3,40	0,42	2,40	50	164	1-5%	FBFJ750X20LF
			DUOEA	OF A	1,6	0,062	25	1,00	0,82	4,78	0,57	3,33	50	164	0,5-3%	FBFM750X16LB
			PU95A	95 A	2,0	0,078	35	1,38	1,03	5,90	0,72	4,10	50	164	0,5-3%	FBFM750X2LB









# FDA MICRO CLEAN TOP SIDE: TRANSVERSAL GROOVES (TGA)

Bottom side	Color	Additional Features	Quality	Hard- ness	Belt thick	ness	Recom Min. pu		k1% sta	ntic	k1% rel	axed	Stand	lard	Recom- mended	Order No.
				Shore	mm	inch	mm	inch	N/mm	lbs/inch	N/mm	lbs/inch	m	ft	pretension	
Diamond (ID)	UB	UV	PU80A	84 A	2,8	0,110	25	1,00	0,57	3,30	0,40	2,30	50	164	1-5%	FBFJ750X28LP
			PU80A	84 A	2,5	0,098	20	0,80	0,51	2,90	0,36	2,00	50	164	1-5%	FBFJ750X25LL
Fabric impression (FI)	UB		PU95A	95 A	2,5	0,098	40	1,57	0,87	5,00	0,61	3,50	50	164	0,5-3%	FBFM750X25LB
HIK			1 033A	33 A	3,5	0,137	55	2,17	1,39	7,90	0,97	5,50	50	164	0,5-3%	FBFM750X35LI







# FDA EC TOP SIDE: ROUGH IMPRESSION (RI)

Bottom side	Color	Additional Features	Quality	Hard- ness	Belt thick	ness	Recom Min. pu		k1% sta	atic	k1% rel	axed	Stand	lard	Recom- mended	Order No.
				Shore	mm	inch	mm	inch	N/mm	lbs/inch	N/mm	lbs/inch	m	ft	pretension	
Smooth mat (SM)	UB	MICRO CLEAN	PU65A	72 A	3,0	0,118	18	0,71	0,36	2,00	0,25	1,40	50	164	1-5%	FBFG750X30LA
		MICRO CLEAN	DUZEA	00.4	2,0	0,078	20	0,80	0,31	1,70	0,21	1,20	50	164	1-5%	FBFI750X20LC
Diamond (ID)	UB A R	PU75A	80 A	3,0	0,118	30	1,20	0,51	2,90	0,36	2,00	50	164	1-5%	FBFI750X30LC	







# FDA COP SIDE: SAW TOOTH (EST)

Bottom side	Color	Additional Features	Quality	Hard- ness	Belt thick	ness	Recom Min. pu		k1% sta	ntic	k1% rel	axed	Stand roll	dard	mended	Order No.
				Shore	mm	inch	mm	inch	N/mm	lbs/inch	N/mm	lbs/inch	m	ft	pretension	
	UB		PU75A	80 A	3,0	0,118	20	0,79	0,32	1,86	0,23	1,33	25	82	1-5%	FBFI750X30LB
Slightly rough (SR)	UB	-30°C	FUTSA	00 A	4,0	0,157	30	1,18	0,54	3,13	0,38	2,20	25	82	1-5%	FBFI750X40LB







# FDA CC TOP SIDE: SUPERGRIP (ESG)

Bottom side	Color	Additional Features	Quality	Hard- ness	Belt thick	ness	Recom Min. pu		k1% sta	ıtic	k1% rel	axed	Stand roll	dard	Recom- mended	Order No.
				Shore	mm	inch	mm	inch	N/mm	lbs/inch	N/mm	lbs/inch	m	ft	pretension	
Slightly rough (SR)	UB	-30°C	PU75A	80 A	4,0	0,157	35	1,38	0,58	3,36	0,41	2,38	25	82	1-5%	FBFI750X40LA

# Machine tapes



BEHAbelt is expanding its diverse belt portfolio with the addition of elastic machine tapes made of TPU. Machine tapes have been established on the market for many years and are often offered in green/black or blue/black with antistatic properties.

In addition to reinforced belt constructions, elastic versions are also used to adapt to application requirements.

### **INDUSTRIES / APPLICATIONS**

- Packaging and weighing technology
- Intralogistics (mainly distribution belts)
- Enveloping and franking systems
- Printing, paper industry
- Textile industry
- Blue types are suitable for direct contact with food
- Alternative for vertical shaft drives

### **ADVANTAGES / FEATURES**

- Consistent longitudinal flexibility (due to homogeneous belt connection without gluing, design as transverse splice possible)
- Reduced energy consumption due to high longitudinal flexibility and thus also gentle motor and shaft loads
- Excellent bending properties and thus ideally suited for small pulley diameters
- High abrasion resistance and generally good chemical resistance
- Continuous antistatic belt designs offer dissipation properties for antistatic charges on the upper and lower side of the belt.







### TOP SIDE: SLIGHTLY ROUGH (SR)

Bottom side	Color	Additional Features	Quality	Hard- ness	Belt thick	ness	Recom Min. pu		k1% sta	atic	k1% rel	axed	Stand roll	dard	Recom- mended	Order No.
				Shore	mm	inch	mm	inch	N/mm	lbs/inch	N/mm	lbs/inch	m	ft	pretension	
					1,0	0,039	10	0,40	0,30	1,70	0,21	1,20	50	164	1-5%	FBFJ750X10L
Fabric impression			PU80A	84 A	1,2	0,047	10	0,40	0,36	2,10	0,25	1,40	50	164	1-5%	FBFJ750X12L
(FI)			FUOUA	04 A	1,6	0,062	15	0,60	0,48	2,70	0,34	1,90	50	164	1-5%	FBFJ750X16L
					2,0	0,078	20	0,80	0,60	3,40	0,42	2,40	50	164	1-5%	FBFJ750X20L
	UB	<u>2K</u>	PU80A PU65A	84 A 72 A	1,8	0,070	15	0,60	0,41	2,40	0,29	1,70	50	164	1-5%	FBFJG750X18L
					0,9	0,035	8	0,31	0,24	1,40	0,17	1,00	50	164	1-5%	FBFJ750X09LA
		4	PU80A	84 A	1,2	0,047	10	0,40	0,33	1,90	0,23	1,30	50	164	1-5%	FBFJ750X12LA
					1,6	0,062	15	0,60	0,43	2,50	0,30	1,70	50	164	1-5%	FBFJ750X16LA
		4 30°C	PU55D	55 D	1,1	0,039	15	0,60	0,71	4,00	0,50	2,80	50	164	0,5-3%	FBFN750X11L
			F000D	) J D	1,5	0,059	25	1,0	1,07	6,10	0,75	4,30	50	164	0,5-3%	FBFN750X15L
		<u>2K</u> -30°C	PU55D PU65A	55 D 72 A	1,9	0,074	25	1,0	0,90	5,10	0,63	3,60	50	164	0,5-3%	FBFNG750X19L
		4	PU80A	84 A	1,2	0,047	10	0,40	0,32	1,80	0,23	1,30	50	164	1-5%	FBFJ750X12SB
Fabric impression		7	FUOUA	04 A	1,6	0,062	15	0,60	0,43	2,50	0,30	1,70	50	164	1-5%	FBFJ750X16SB
(FI)		4 <u>2K</u>	PU80A PU65A	84 A 72 A	2,0	0,078	15	0,60	0,40	2,30	0,28	1,60	50	164	1-5%	FBFJG750X2S
	SW	4 30°C	PU55D	55 D	1,1	0,039	15	0,60	0,71	4,00	0,50	2,80	50	164	0,5-3%	FBFN750X11S
		<b>7</b> -30°C	עפפטי	ע פפ	1,5	0,059	25	1,0	0,96	5,50	0,68	3,90	50	164	0,5-3%	FBFN750X15S
		4 <u>2K</u>	PU55D PU65A	55 D 72 A	1,9	0,074	25	1,0	0,82	4,70	0,58	3,30	50	164	0,5-3%	FBFNG750X19S

# Conveyor belts for intralogistics



Elastic belts in intralogistics reduce the costs of system design, as tensioning stations are largely unnecessary. Depending on the type and kind of material to be conveyed (e.g. accumulation conveyors, incline conveyors), a wide variety of belt types are required.

Thanks to BEHAbelt's 2C process, two different degrees of hardness can be combined in one belt, for example to provide the transport side with more grip for an incline conveyor.







### **TOP SIDE: SMOOTH MAT (SM)**

Bottom side	Color	Quality	Hard- ness	Belt thickn	ness	Recomi Min. pu		k1% sta	tic	k1% rela	axed	Stand roll	ard	Empf. Vorspannung	Order No.
			Shore	mm	inch	mm	inch	N/mm	lbs/inch	N/mm	lbs/inch	m	ft		
Fabric impression (FI)	SW	PU75A	80 A	1,6	0,062	15	0,60	0,34	2,00	0,24	1,40	50	164	1-5%	FBFI750X16SB









### TOP SIDE: SLIGHTLY ROUGH (SR)

Bottom side	Color	Quality	Hard- ness	Belt thickr	iess	Recomi Min. pu		k1% sta	itic	k1% rel	axed	Stand	lard	Recommended pretension	Order No.
			Shore	mm	inch	mm	inch	N/mm	lbs/inch	N/mm	lbs/inch	m	ft		
		PU80A	84 A	1,2	0,047	10	0,40	0,32	1,80	0,23	1,30	50	164	1-5%	FBFJ750X12SB
Fabric impression (FI)			04 A	1,6	0,062	15	0,60	0,43	2,50	0,30	1,70	50	164	1-5%	FBFJ750X16SB
	SW	PU80A PU65A	84 A 72 A	2,0	0,078	18	0,71	0,40	2,30	0,28	1,60	50	164	1-5%	FBFJG750X2S
		PU55D PU65A	55 D 72 A	1,9	0,074	25	1,0	0,82	4,70	0,58	3,30	50	164	0,5-3%	FBFNG750X19S



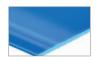




### TOP SIDE: LONGITUDINAL GROOVES (LGB)

Bottom side	Color	Quality	Hard- ness	Belt thickn	iess	Recomr Min. pu		k1% sta	tic	k1% rela	axed	Stand roll	lard	Recommended pretension	Order No.
			Shore	mm	inch	mm	inch	N/mm	lbs/inch	N/mm	lbs/inch	m	ft		
Fabric impression (FI)	SW	PU80A PU65A	84 A 72 A	2,2	0,086	18	0,71	0,47	2,70	0,33	1,90	50	164	1-5%	FBFGJ750X22S

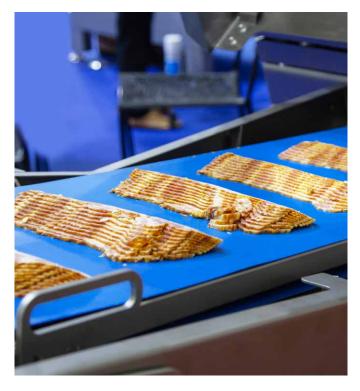
# Conveyor belts up to 140 mm





### TOP SIDE: SMOOTH GLOSS (SG) // 140 mm

Bottom side	Color	Additional Features	Quality	Hard- ness	Belt thick	ness	Recom Min. pu		k1% sta	atic	k1% re	axed	Stand roll	dard	Recom- mended	Order No.
				Shore	mm	inch	mm	inch	N/mm	lbs/inch	N/mm	lbs/inch	m	ft	pretension	
					1,0	0,039	10	0,4	0,21	1,20	0,15	1,90	50	164	1-5%	FBFI150X1LG
Smooth gloss (SG)		FDA 🛦 🛦			1,6	0,062	15	0,6	0,34	2,00	0,24	1,40	50	164	1-5%	FBFI150X16LG
	НІ	FDA EC -30°C	PU75A	80 A	2,0	0,078	20	0,8	0,43	2,40	0,30	1,70	50	164	1-5%	FBFI150X2LG
		<u> </u>			3,0	0,118	25	1,0	0,64	3,70	0,45	2,60	50	164	1-5%	FBFI150X3LG
					4,0	0,157	35	1,4	0,86	4,90	0,60	3,40	50	164	1-5%	FBFI150X4LG
		EDA METAL			1,6	0,062	15	0,6	0,48	2,78	0,34	1,97	50	164	1-5%	FBFJ15016LGM
Smooth gloss (SG)	СВ	FDA EC	PU80A SAFE	84 A	2,0	0,078	20	0,8	0,60	3,40	0,42	2,40	50	164	1-5%	FBFJ150X2LGM
					3,0	0,118	30	1,2	0,90	5,10	0,63	3,60	50	164	1-5%	FBFJ150X3LGM
					1,6	0,062	15	0,6	0,30	1,70	0,21	1,20	30	100	1-5%	FBFJ150X160G
Smooth gloss (SG)	0R	FDA EC	PU80A	84 A	2,4	0,094	25	1,0	0,72	4,10	0,50	2,90	30	100	1-5%	FBFJ150X240G
					3,2	0,125	30	1,2	0,96	5,50	0,67	3,80	30	100	1-5%	FBFJ150X320G
					1,6	0,062	20	0,8	0,50	2,90	0,40	2,30	50	164	1-5%	FBFK150X16GG
Smooth gloss (SG)	GR		PU85A	88 A	2,0	0,078	30	1,2	0,63	3,60	0,50	2,90	50	164	1-5%	FBFK150X2GG
	GIT		PU85A	3071	3,0	0,118	35	1,4	0,94	5,30	0,75	4,30	50	164	1-5%	FBFK150X3GG
					4,0	0,157	45	1,8	1,25	7,10	1,00	5,70	50	164	1-5%	FBFK150X4GG



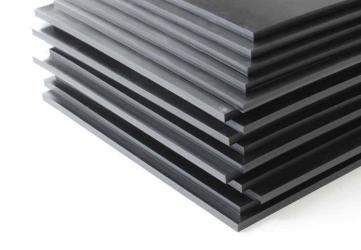


# PU sheet goods

BEHAbelt offers PU plate goods from 4-8 mm in 2 categories:

- blue FDA compliant versions with smooth surfaces in Shore 84A and 95A
- industrial quality with smooth/fabric impressed surfaces in Shore 84A

Typical applications include: welded profiles (cleats), scrapers, aprons, impact protection, tensioning straps or seals.





### **TOP SIDE: SMOOTH MAT (SM)**







### **TOP SIDE: SMOOTH MAT (SM)**

Bottom side	Color	Additional Features	Quality	Hardness	Belt thickne	SS	Weight* per pc.	Sheet le	ength	Min. pulley	Ø	Order No.
				Shore	mm	inch	ca. kg	m	ft	horizontal	vertical	
					4,0	0,16	4,3	1,2	4,0	40	55	FBPJ12754S
	SW		PU80A	84 A	5,0	0,20	5,4	1,2	4,0	50	70	FBPJ12755S
Fabric impression (FI)	344		FUOUA	04 A	6,0	0,24	6,5	1,2	4,0	60	80	FBPJ12756S
					8,0	0,31	8,6	1,2	4,0	80	100	FBPJ12758S
	WE	FDA	PU80A	84 A	5,0	0,20	5,4	1,2	4,0	50	70	FBPJ12755W
Smooth mat (SM)	AAE	EC	FUOUA	04 A	8,0	0,31	8,6	1,2	4,0	80	100	FBPJ12758W

### **APPLICATION EXAMPLES**



Buffer protection in the pellet depot



Cleats on conveyor belt



Work skirt e.g. in wood industry

### Weldable accessories for conveyor belts

There is a wide field of applications for synthetic conveyor belts. Depending on the industry, the products to be conveyed and the given machinery design, conveyor belts not only have to be fabricated to specific dimensions (length and width), often they are also equipped with cleats, sidewalls or tracking elements. BEHAbelt offers a wide range of flat belt accessories, homogeneously extruded from PU in different Shore hardness grades.

Our flat belt accessories consist of the same raw materials as the conveyor belts to ensure the best possible weldability and a long service life in the application.

Of course, the BEHAbelt flat belt accessories are also available with FDA/EC/USDA compliance on request and can further be offered with special features such as detectable, UV-C resistance or hydrolysis resistance.



### THE BEHABELT FLAT BELT ACCESSORY PORTFOLIO CONTAINS:

- Cleats with foot (height 20 70 mm)
- V-guides and guiding profiles (notched/unnotched)
- Cleats without foot (sheet materials)
- Sidewalls (with and without foot; height 20 120 mm)
- Belt edgesCustomized profiles







### INDUSTRIES AND APPLICATIONS

Synthetic conveyor belts are often fabricated with accessories. Such special customization is often an important basis for a reliable performance in the target application. Tailored conveyor belts with cleats, sidewalls or guiding profiles are used to for example used to move light- and medium weighed goods in the food industry, logistics and material handling. In this context, weldable accessories are key elements to ensure the functionality of the belts.

CONVEYOR BELT ACCESSORIES	FIELD OF APPLICATION
Cleats	To hold and move bulk or light-/medium weight goods on inclined or declined conveyors.
Corrugated sidewalls	Are often combined with cleats to avoid that conveyed goods are falling down.
V-guides and guiding profiles	Can be applied on the conveying side instead of sidewalls to avoid that goods are falling down. Often used as guiding profile on the running side to support belt tracking or compensate lateral forces if goods are loaded on the belt from the side, usually handed over from another conveyor.
Belt edges	Enable tailored fabrication and optimal guiding of powerturn/curve belts.

## Welding tools for conveyor belts

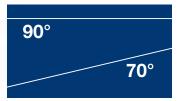
BEHAbelt has developed the **HS400** and **HS800** heating units specifically for the butt splice welding of conveyor belts. We have worked intensively on the workflows and technical requirements for these welding processes to design the press. In addition, the focus was on repeatability and precision.







Angle for straight (90°) and bias (70°) cutting of the belts directly in the welding unit (included in the scope of delivery)



Straight weld at 90° and angle weld at 70° (e.g. for conveyor belts)

### WELDING TOOL FOR BUTT SPLICE OF CONVEYOR BELTS

- HS400 for welding up to 400 mm belt width
- HS800 for welding up to 800 mm belt width
- Sophisticated design with positioning aids and stops ensures high repeat accuracy in the welding processes
- Clamping lever with locking device
- Robust and handy design of the individual components
- Exact temperature adjustment via control unit
- No adhesion of PU or TPE material due to Teflon-coated heating paddle
- Easy cleaning of the heating blade with a cotton cloth
- Welding unit delivered in a mobile, stable transport box for easy use on site



Insert bar for repeatable welds



Enables precise and aligned insertion of the belt ends (70° and 90°)



Bevelled clamping bars for optimum formation of the welding bead



Easy removal of the welding bead with the supplied tool

## Adapter plates for HS400 & HS800

Optional adapter plates for more complex belt structures are available for the optimum alignment and clamping of the belts to be welded in the joining table (not included in the standard scope of delivery).

Currently available: Spike, AT5, Cleandrive 2, Superdrive V and Thermodrive 2





Locking pins ensure the correct positioning of the adapter plates on the joining table

# EErgo 90 for flat belt stripes < 80 mm

BEHAbelt EErgo 90 has been specially developed for welding PU and TPE flat belt strips. The operation is self-explanatory and the ergonomic design supports the working process.

### WELDING PADDLE FOR BUTT SPLICE OF FLAT BELT STRIPES AND PROFILES

- EErgo 90 for welding flat belt stripes up to a width of 80 mm
- Very fast heating time of approx. 5 minutes
- Strong, fiberglass-reinforced ergonomic housing
- Easy to use temperature selector regulates correct temperature to weld PU or TPE profiles
- Constant welding temperature at different ambient temperature
- No adhesion of PU and TPE materials, thanks to Teflon-coated welding paddle
- Easy cleaning with cloth









Tutorial-Video "EErgo"

# Quick guide for belt calculation

The following three formulas provide information on the most important parameters for the design of a conveyor belt. With the help of these formulas, you can quickly and easily determine the pretension force, axle load and theoretical max. transport weight. Of course, our experienced technical team will be happy to assist you. We look forward to your enquiry.

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# SUPPORT (INFLUENCING VARIABLES)

Which variables influence the values to be calculated?

#### Preload/axle load:

### ▲ Increase pretension

- + more power transmission
- + less slip
- increased axle and bearing load
- increased Amp draw (motor)

### **▼** Reduce pretension

- + less axle and bearing load
- + less power consumption (motor)
- increased slip/abrasion
- Belt tracking and alignment
- not guaranteed

### k1% (Belt thickness and/or hardness)

### ▲ Increase k1%

- + higher transport weight
- + mechanically more robust
- greater redirection
- increased axle and bearing load
- increased pretensioning force;
   Belt tensioner may be necessary

### ▼ Reduce k1%

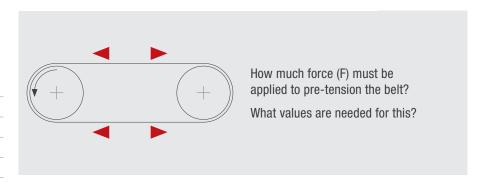
- + smaller redirection
- + lower axle and bearing load
- reduced transport weight
- mechanically more susceptible

#### Reduce coefficient of friction (µ)

- ➤ Compared to steel, HDPE or PE substrates offer significantly lower friction resistance
- ► Friction optimized belt surfaces (e.g. rough, diamond, etc.) also reduce the coefficient of friction due to their smaller contact area

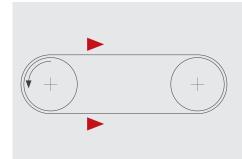
### PRETENSION FORCE (N)

k1%<sub>stat.</sub> (N/mm) x belt width (mm) x pretension (%) x 2



### **AXLE LOAD (N)**

k1%<sub>stat.</sub> (N/mm) x belt width (mm) x pretension (%) x 2

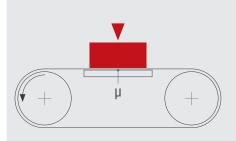


How much force (F) is applied to the axles due to the belt dimension?

How can the axle load be influenced (pretension, strength of the belt, hardness)?

### MAX. TRANSPORT WEIGHT (KG)

 $k1\%_{relax}$  (N/mm) x belt width (mm) x pretension (%) x 0,1 / coefficient of friction ( $\mu$ )



How much weight (kg) can be transported?

What is needed to calculate this?

#### **LEGEND**

**K1% (N/mm):** Modulus of elasticity of the respective conveyor belt (elasticity constant). This value indicates how much force (N) per unit of belt width (mm) is required to stretch a belt by 1 %.

Coefficient of friction ( $\mu$ ): Sliding coefficient of friction (in motion) between belt surface and contact surface of the belt support.

**Belt width (mm):** Functional width of the conveyor belt.

**Pretension (%):** Selected belt pretension of the elastic monolithic belts to create a frictional connection (force transmission without slip) between belt and drive element.

# Explanations of the various influencing variables for belt design

### **Elasticity modulus k1%**



Based on the ISO 21181 standard, the k1% value (N/mm) defines the modulus of elasticity for conveyor belts. It shows how much force in Newtons per unit of belt width (mm) is required to stretch a belt by 1%.

In other words, how much (in %) must a belt be stretched to achieve a certain force on the drive drum.

In practice, two different k1% values (k1% static, relaxed) are used

The static value acts immediately when the belt is mounted and

thus represents the elasticity behaviour of the belt before it is used and before the usual running-in of the belt. The relaxed value represents the stabilised change in the elasticity behaviour after the belt has been run in (according to the 24h standard).

This also results in the respective use of the two k1% values: Whereas the static value is relevant for the calculation of pre-tensioning forces and bearing loads, the relaxed value is used for the calculation of the max. transport weight or the max. force transmission.

### Coefficient of friction (µ)

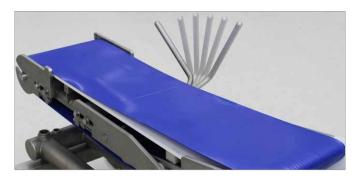
The coefficient of friction is indicated with the formula symbol " $\mu$ " and serves as a measure of how high the frictional force acts between two materials (sliding friction). However, this always serves only as an approximate indication. The friction force depends on many different factors and is often influenced and changed during the operation of the installation due to changing environmental conditions.



The effect of the briefly acting higher coefficient of friction during start-up (is approx. 1.3 to 1.8 times the dynamic coefficient of friction) is usually taken into account in the system design via the safety factor selected by the designer.

### Pretension (%)

For the trouble-free running of elastic monolithic belts, a correct and sufficient pretension is required to ensure the transmission of force without slippage. The pretension must be adjusted according to the technical task and to possible influences (temperature, contamination, ambient humidity, etc.).



For drives without a tensioning option, the correct pretensioning must be taken into account during production by shortening the belt length.

The belt tension is directly related to the running behavior. If the tension is too high, the running behaviour will be unstable and machine components such as bearings and shafts will be subjected to high stress. Too little tension leads to slippage and abrasion on the drive pulley and possibly also to the loss of the belt centring function with crowned rollers.

Due to the already described shrinkage of the belt – represented by the values  $k1\%_{stat}$  and  $k1\%_{relax}$  – the belt pretension is reduced to the same extent and may have to be retensioned accordingly or, if not possible during assembly, designed to be larger.

Since this is an elastic monolithic belt construction, the pretension of the belt can only be increased to a limited extent. Otherwise, a permanent deformation and thus a belt elongation will be caused. This max. belt pretension is specified by the manufacturer in the data sheet and represents the elastic working range of the conveyor belt.

#### Belt width (mm)

The belt width is proportional to the force required to stretch the belt. The wider a belt, the greater the force required to stretch the belt, i.e. wider belts generally require smaller pretension values (%) than narrower belts.



# Introduction guiding concept for AT5



The interaction of AT5 drive with optimal belt guidance ensures track stability and slip-free drive. The preferred design for the belt guide takes into account a combination of guide groove in the belt and guide bar for the pulleys.

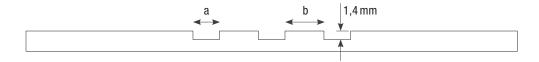
The position and number of guide grooves can be adapted to the requirements and conditions of the conveyor.

Several guide grooves basically increase the guide stability of the belt, whereby the arrangement of the guide grooves should preferably be centered in the middle of the belt and in the inner third of the belt width. Guide grooves near the outer edges of the belt are not recommended.

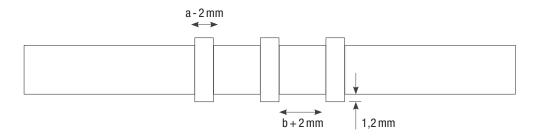
For cost reasons but also to simplify the implementation of the belt guiding concept, usually only the non-driven belt pulleys are designed as smooth rollers with guide bars, while the AT5 drive usually does without guide elements.

Typical design versions of the guide grooves in the belt are, for example, a groove width of 5 mm with a bar width of 15 mm between the grooves or a 10 mm groove with a bar width between the grooves of 20 mm. Depending on the belt width used, we recommend one to three guide grooves up to a belt width of 300 mm and three to seven guide grooves from a belt width > 300 mm. In case of possible transverse loads on the belt, it is better to increase the number of guide grooves.

### **DESIGN OF THE GUIDE GROOVES IN THE CONVEYOR BELT**



#### DESIGN OF THE GUIDE BARS ON THE PULLEY



### COEFFICIENT OF FRICTION $\mu_{dyn}$ FOR FLAT BELT SURFACES ON STEEL (DRY)

Quality	smooth gloss (SG)	smooth mat (SM)	fabric impression (FI)	rough impression (RI)	diamond (ID)	slightly rough (SR)
PU40A	1,50	1,40	1,35	1,40	1,30	1,35
PU60A	1,00	0,90	0,85	0,90	0,80	0,85
PU65A	0,85	0,80	0,70	0,75	0,65	0,70
PU75A	0,70	0,65	0,55	0,50	0,50	0,55
PU80A	0,65	0,60	0,50	0,40	0,45	0,50
PU85A	0,60	0,55	0,45	0,35	0,40	0,45
PU90A	0,65	0,60	0,50	0,40	0,45	0,50
PU95A	0,45	0,40	0,30	0,20	0,25	0,30
PU55D	0,35	0,30	0,25	0,15	0,20	0,25
TPE40D	0,45	0,40	0,30	0,20	0,25	0,30
TPE55D	0,35	0,30	0,25	0,15	0,20	0,25

Please consider a coefficient of friction of  $\mu = 0.15$  for a roller conveyor support.

## INSTALLATION, PULLEY DIAMETER, CENTER DISTANCE RELATED TO SHORE HARDNESS

Minimum pulley diameter r	ange
Shore 72A / 80A / 85A	1030 mm
Shore 95A	3580 mm

General belt hardness choice based on center to center design				
Shore 72A / 80A / 85A	max. 3m			
Shore 95A	310 m			

- On conveyors with fixed center distance between the pulleys, belts with lower shore hardness can be installed manually.
- Harder materials require tension device to install the belts
- Attention: The actual pretension may require a verification of the maximal possible load on the belt and the admissible bearing load to avoid overstress on pulleys and bearings.

Please contact us for the optimal belt design.

### DRIVE PULLEY DESIGN CONVEYOR BELT: CALCULATION

Length of cylindrical area  $\mathbf{b_C}$   $\mathbf{b_C} = \mathbf{b_0} / 2$ Pulley width  $\mathbf{b}$   $\mathbf{b} = \mathbf{b_0} \times 1,1$ Crown bow  $\mathbf{h}$   $\mathbf{h} = (\mathbf{d} + 100) / 450 \text{ mm}$ 

As a rule, machine designers traditionally use a drum design with the pitch 1/3 / 1/3 / 1/3. However, the 1/4 / 1/2 / 1/4 pitch has proven to be particularly suitable for soft belt types.

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