

Chain Couplings



The chain coupling is composed of double-strand roller chain and two sprockets, featuring a simple and compact structure that offers a high flexibility and greater transmission capacity compared to similar sized coupling. The chain coupling allows simple connection and disconnection, and use of the housing enhances safety and durability.



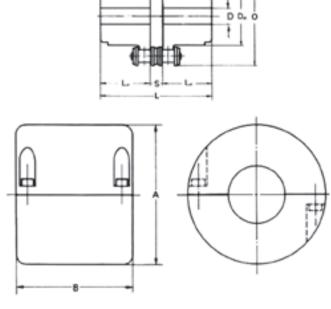


TABLE 1: DIMENSIONAL DATA

			Coupling									Casing					
Chain Coupling Number	oupling Chain		Shaft	diam.	0	L	D _H	L _H	S	С	Approx. weight (kg/m)	A	В	Approx. weight (kg/m)			
			Min.	Max.							(kg/III)			(kg/III)			
3012	9.525	12	13.5	16	45	65	27.2	29.5	6	10.1	0.31	69	63	0.22			
4012 4014 4016	12.70	12 12 13.5	14 14 16	22 28 32	62 69 77	79.4 79.4 87.4	36 45 51.5	36 36 40	7.4	14.4	0.73 1.12 1.50	77 84 92	72 75 72	0.30 0.31 0.35			
5014 5016 5018	15.875	14.5 14.5 16	17 18 18	35 40 45	86 96 106	99.7 99.7 99.7	56 64 73.5	45 45 45	9.7	18.1	2.15 2.75 3.60	101 110 122	85 87 85	0.47 0.50 0.60			
6018 6020 6022	19.05	20 20 20	22 24 28	56 60 71	127 139 151	123.5 123.5 123.5	89.5 102.5 115	56 56 56	11.5	22.8	6.55 8.38 10.4	147 158 168	105 105 117	1.2 1.2 1.2			
8018 8020 8022	20.40	20 20 20	32 36 40	80 90 100	169 185 202	141.2 145.2 157.2	115 125 142	63 65 71	15.2	29.3	13.2 16.2 21.8	190 210 226	129 137 137	1.9 2.5 2.7			
10020	31.75	25	45	110	233	178.8	162	80	18.8	35.8	32.4	281	153	4.1			
12018 12022	38.10	35 35	50 56	125 140	256 304	202.7 222.7	173 213	90 100	22.7	45.4	43.2 69.1	307 357	181 181	5.2 6.7			

NOTE: The first two or three digits of the chain coupling No. imply chain No. and the two succeeding digits imply the No. of teeth



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Selection

1. Operating conditions

- a) Operating hours/day
- b) Types of load and prime mover
- c) Transmission power (kW) and speed (rpm) of coupling
- d) Diameters of both shafts

2. Selection Method

- a) Find service factor from the service factor table according to operating conditions a) and b)
- b) Determine the compensated power (kW) by multiplying the transmission power kW by the service factor above
- c) Find a proper coupling, which meets the compensated power, from the power transmission capacity table across according to the operating speed of the coupling.
- d) If maximum allowable shaft diameter specified for the selected coupling is smaller than the actual shaft diameter, reselect the larger coupling with proper allowable shaft diameter
- e) When using standard key at a low speed, the pressure acting on the key surface will be increased excessively in some cases, therefore it is required to calculate the pressure acting on the key surface to find whether the use if special key or spline is necessary.

Service Factors

Operating Conditions	Operating hours/day									
Operating Conditions	8h	8-16h	8h	8-16h						
Small load variations, small impact, light road, no reversing	1.0	1.5	2	2.5						
Medium load variations, medium impact, no reversing (normally)	1.5	2	2.5	3						
Large load variations, large impact, reversing while loaded	2.0	2.5	3 3.5							
Type of prime mover	Motor,	turbine		bustion ngine						

NOTE: In case of 16 operating hours/day or longer, add 1.0 to service factor in the case of 8 operating hours/day, provided that service factor for 8 operating hours/day is applicable when speed is 50rpm or less.

Power Transmission Capacity

		Allowable		Coupling speed (rpm)																						
Chain coupling No.	Max shaft diam. (mm)	transmission torque at 50rpm or less (kgf . m)	1	5	10	25	50	100	200	300	400	500	600	800	1000	1200	1500	1800	2000	2500	3000	3600	4000	4800	5200	6000
3012	16	10.2	0.01	0.05	0.11	0.26	0.52	0.79	1.21	1.58	1.89	2.26	2.58	3.19	3.88	4.41	5.35	6.25	6.73	8.12	9.44	11.0	12.0	14.0	14.8	16.7
4012	22	22.2	0.02	0.11	0.22	0.58	1.15	1.73	2.63	3.46	4.15	4.96	5.67	7.01	8.53	9.68	11.6	13.7	14.8	17.9	20.7	24.1	26.3	30.8		
4014	28	30.2	0.03	0.16	0.32	0.79	1.58	2.36	3.59	4.72	5.66	6 . 77	7.72	9.56	11.6	13.2	15.8	18.7	20.2	24.4	28.3	32.9	35.9	42.1		
4016	32	39.4	0.04	0.21	0.41	1.03	2.06	3.09	4.69	6.17	7.41	8.85	10.1	12.5	15.3	17.3	21.0	24.4	26.3	31.9	37.0	43.0	46.9	54.9		
5014	35	57.4	0.06	0.30	0.60	1.50	3.00	4.48	6.80	8.95	10.7	12.8	14.7	18.1	22.1	25.1	30.0	35.4	38.3	46.2	53.6	62.4				
5016	40	75.0	0.08	0.39	0.78	1.95	3.91	5.86	8.92	11.7	14.1	16.8	19.2	23.8	28.9	32.9	39.9	46.4	50.0	60.6	70.4	81.6				
5018	45	95.0	0.10	0.50	0.99	2.48	4.95	7.43	11.3	14.9	17.8	21.3	24.4	30.1	36.6	41.6	50.5	58.8	63.4	76.8	89.2					
6018	56	179	0.18	0.93	1.87	4.67	9.33	14.0	21.3	28.0	33.6	40.1	45.9	56.8	69.1	78.4	95.2	111	120	145						
6022	71	242	0.25	1.25	2.51	6.31	12.5	18.8	28.6	37.7	45.3	54.1	61.9	76.5	93.1	105	128	149	161	195						
8018	80	396	0.41	2.07	4.14	10.3	20.7	31.0	47.2	62.1	74.5	89.0	101	126	153	174	211	246	265							
8022	100	570	0.59	2.96	5.93	14.8	29.6	44.5	67.2	89.0	106	127	146	180	219	249	302	352	379							
10020	110	896	0.93	4.66	9.33	23.3	46.6	70.0	106	140	168	200	229	283	345	392	476	554								
12018	125	1,350	1.40	7.02	14.0	35.1	70.2	105	160	210	252	302	345	426	519	590	716									
12022	140	1,750	1.81	9.07	1.81	45.3	90.7	136	206	272	326	390	446	551	671	762										1
Lub	ricated	method			Α				В		С															

NOTE: Be sure to use the casing with the coupling in the case of lubricant type C. for details of lubrication types A and B, refer to "lubrication" section



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Lubrication

There are three methods to lubricate chain couplings, according to operating speed (see power transmission Capacity table):

Lubrication Method A:	Greasing Monthly
Lubrication Method B:	Greasing Weekly or fill
	grease in the attached
	casing.
Lubrication Method C:	Fill grease in the attached
	casing.

NOTE: When attaching the casing, use high-quality grease because the grease is pressed to the inside wall of the casing due to centrifugal force, deteriorating lubricating ability of the grease. It is recommended to change the grease periodically to maintain high performance and durability of the coupling.

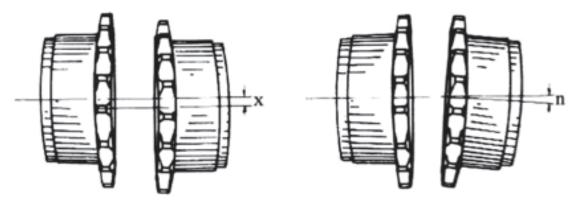
Grease change intervals (with casing attached)

Operating	Grease change intervals						
conditions	First change	2nd and later changes					
Operating at 1/2 max, speed or higher	1000 hours	2000 hours					
Operation at 1/2 max, speed or lower	2000 hours	4000 hours					

Grease filling quantity

Chain coupling No.	Filling quantity (kg)	Chain coupling No.	Filling quantity (kg)
3012	0.08	6020	0.44
4012	0.12	6022	0.48
4014	0.16	8018	0.79
4016	0.17	8020	0.86
5014	0.24	8022	1.00
5016	0.25	10020	1.70
5018	0.26	12018	3.50
6018	0.42	12022	4.50

Coupling allowance (shaft deviation and misalignment)



Allowable errors

x = 2% or less of pitch of roller chain used

n = 1 or less

In case of high speed operation, shaft deviation and misalignment must be 1/2 allowable errors.