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### General Part

Technical Assessment Body issuing the  
European Technical Assessment:

Deutsches Institut für Bautechnik

Trade name of the construction product

Tecfi Steel Anchor DXE

Product family  
to which the construction product belongs

Mechanical fastener for use in concrete

Manufacturer

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Manufacturing plant

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## Specific Part

### 1 Technical description of the product

The Tecfi Steel Anchor DXE in the sizes of M6, M8, M10 and M12 is an anchor made of galvanised steel which is placed into a drilled hole and anchored by torque-controlled expansion. The product description is given in Annex A.

### 2 Specification of the intended use in accordance with the applicable European Assessment Document

The performances given in Section 3 are only valid if the fastener is used in compliance with the specifications and conditions given in Annex B.

The verifications and assessment methods on which this European Technical Assessment is based lead to the assumption of a working life of the fastener of at least 50 years. The indications given on the working life cannot be interpreted as a guarantee given by the producer, but are to be regarded only as a means for choosing the right products in relation to the expected economically reasonable working life of the works.

### 3 Performance of the product and references to the methods used for its assessment

#### 3.1 Mechanical resistance and stability (BWR 1)

Essential characteristic	Performance
Characteristic resistance to tension load (static and quasi-static loading), method A	See Annex C 1
Characteristic resistance to shear load (static and quasi-static loading)	See Annex C 2
Characteristic resistance for seismic performance category C1 and C2	No performance assessed
Displacements	See Annex C 1 and C 2

#### 3.2 Safety in case of fire (BWR 2)

Essential characteristic	Performance
Reaction to fire	Class A1
Resistance to fire	No performance assessed

#### 3.3 Aspects of durability

Essential characteristic	Performance
Durability	See Annex B 1

**4 Assessment and verification of constancy of performance (AVCP) system applied, with reference to its legal base**

In accordance with the European Assessment Document EAD 330232-01-0601 the applicable European legal act is: [96/582/EC].

The system to be applied is: 1

**5 Technical details necessary for the implementation of the AVCP system, as provided for in the applicable European Assessment Document**

Technical details necessary for the implementation of the AVCP system are laid down in the control plan deposited with Deutsches Institut für Bautechnik.

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Installed conditions

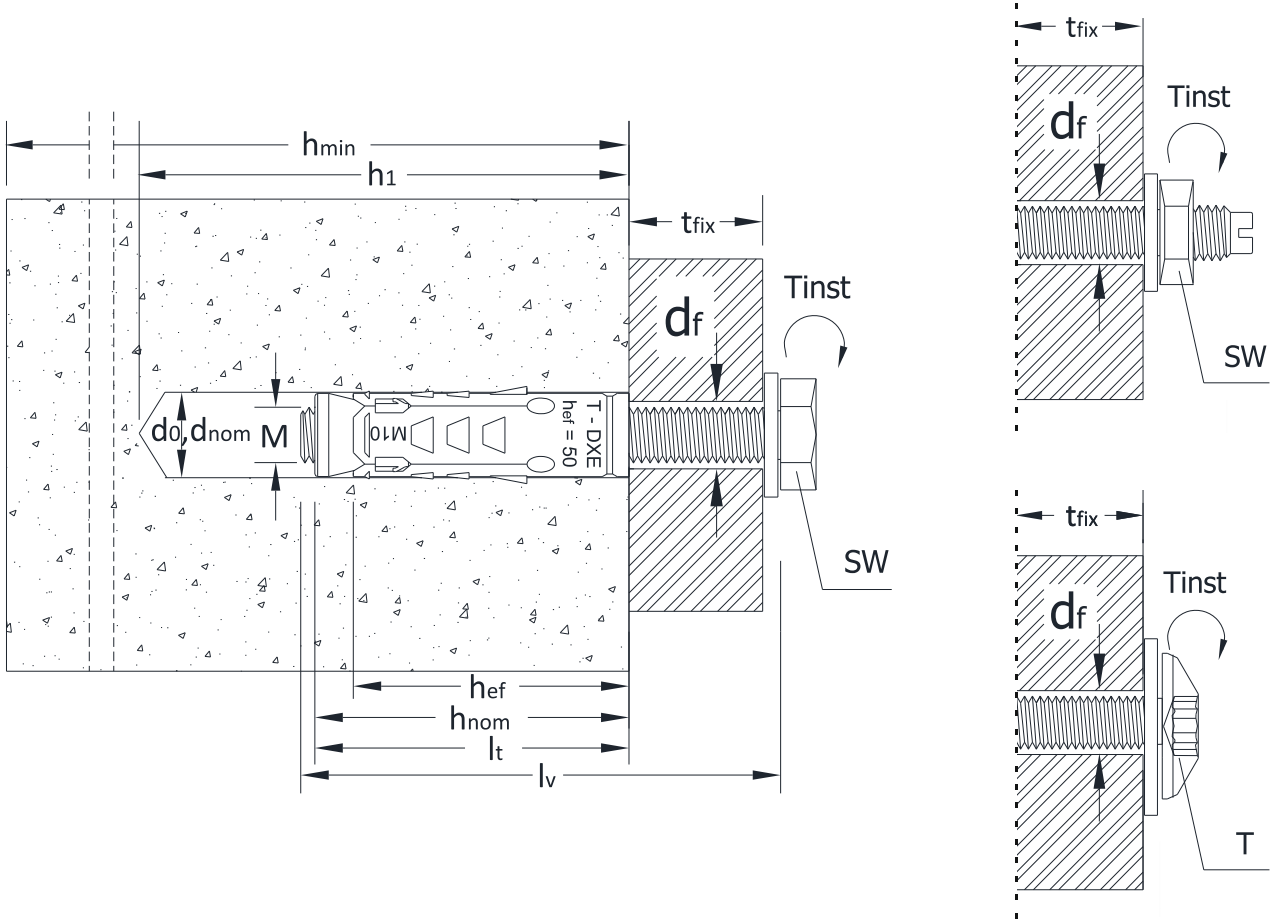


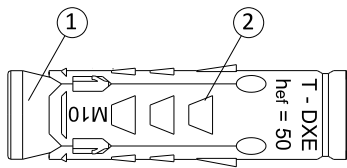
Table A1: Installation details

$d_{nom}$	Outside diameter of the anchor
$T_{inst}$	Required torque moment
$t_{fix}$	Thickness of the fixture
$d_0$	Diameter of the drill hole
$d_f$	Diameter of the clearance hole in the fixture
$h_{min}$	Minimum thickness of the concrete member
$h_{nom}$	Overall anchor embedment depth
$h_{ef}$	Anchorage depth
$l_t$	Anchor length
$l_v$	Bolt length
$T$	Hexalobular socket number
$SW$	Wrench size/Socket size
$M$	Diameter of the metric thread

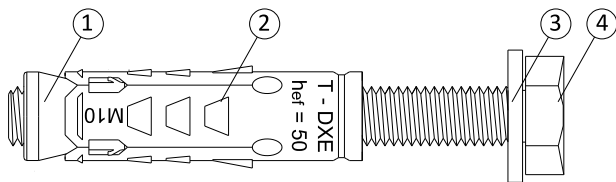
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Product description  
Installed condition

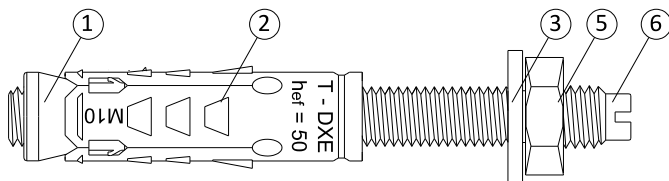
Annex A 1



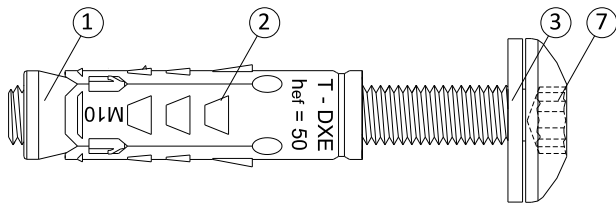
**DXE00  
(M6-M12)**



**DXE01  
(M6-M12)**



**DXE03  
(M6-M12)**



**DXE04  
(M8-M10)**

**Marking**

**Expansion sleeve :**

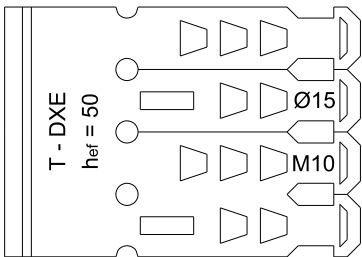
- T - Identifying mark of producer
- DXE - Trade name
- Ø - Anchor diameter
- M - Screw diameter
- hef - Effective embedment depth

e.g : hef = 50

T - DXE

M10

Ø 15



**Table A2: Materials**

Part	Description	Materials galvanised $\geq 5\mu\text{m}$ according to ISO 4042:2022
1	Conical nut	Steel, Strength class 8, EN ISO 898-2:2012 <sup>1)</sup>
2	Expansion sleeve	Steel, EN 10130:2006 - EN 10111:2008
3	Washer	Steel, EN 10263:2014
4	Hexagonal head screw	Steel, Strength class 8.8, EN ISO 898-1:2013
5	Hexagonal nut	Steel, Strength class 8, EN ISO 898-2:2012
6	Threaded stud	Steel, Strength class 8.8, EN ISO 898-1:2013
7	Mushroom head screw	Steel, Strength class 8.8, EN ISO 898-1:2013

<sup>1)</sup> Functional coating

**Tecfi Steel Anchor DXE**

**Product description**

Anchor types, components and marking materials

**Annex A 2**

## Specifications of intended use

### Anchorage subject to:

- Static and quasi-static loads

### Base materials:

- Compacted reinforced or unreinforced normal weight concrete without fibres according to EN 206:2013+A2:2021.
- Strength classes C20/25 to C50/60 according to EN 206:2013+A2:2021.
- Uncracked concrete

### Use conditions (Environmental conditions):

- Anchorages subject to dry internal conditions

### Design:

- Anchorages are designed under the responsibility of an engineer experienced in anchorages and concrete work.
- Verifiable calculation notes and drawings are prepared taking account of the loads to be anchored. The position of the anchor is indicated on the design drawings (e.g. position of the anchor relative to reinforcement or to supports, etc.).
- Anchorages are designed in accordance with EN 1992-4:2018.

### Installation:

- Hole drilling by rotary plus hammer mode
- Anchor installation carried out by appropriately qualified personnel and under the supervision of the person responsible for technical matters of the site.
- In case of aborted hole: new drilling at a minimum distance away of twice the depth of the aborted hole or smaller distance if the aborted hole is filled with high strength mortar and if under shear or oblique tension load it is not the direction of the load application.

**Tecfi Steel Anchor DXE**

**Intended use**  
Specifications

**Annex B 1**

Table B1: Installation parameters

Denomination		DXE M6	DXE M8	DXE M10	DXE M12
Nominal drill hole diameter	$d_o = [\text{mm}]$	10	12	15	18
Cutting diameter of drill bit	$d_{\text{cut}} \leq [\text{mm}]$	10,45	12,50	15,50	18,50
Effective anchorage depth	$h_{\text{ef}} = [\text{mm}]$	40	45	50	65
Depth of drill hole	$h_1 = [\text{mm}]$	60	65	70	95
Diameter of clearance in the fixture	$d_f = [\text{mm}]$	7	9	12	14
Overall anchor embedment depth in the concrete	$h_{\text{nom}} = [\text{mm}]$	45	50	60	75
Required torque moment	$T_{\text{inst}} = [\text{Nm}]$	8	20	35	60
Outside diameter of anchor	$d_{\text{nom}} = [\text{mm}]$	10	12	15	18

**Type DXE00:**

Screws to be provided by the customer according to Table A1, A2 and B2.

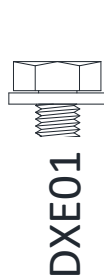


Table B2: Wrenches and sockets

	Denomination		DXE M6	DXE M8	DXE M10	DXE M12
DXE 00	Hexagonal head bolt	length= [mm]	$t_{\text{fix}} + 45$	$t_{\text{fix}} + 50$	$t_{\text{fix}} + 60$	$t_{\text{fix}} + 80$
	Thickness of fixture	$t_{\text{fix,min}} = [\text{mm}]$	1	1	1	1
	Wrench size	SW = [mm]	10	13	17	19
DXE 01	Thickness of fixture	$t_{\text{fix,min}} = [\text{mm}]$	5	10	20	20
		$t_{\text{fix,max}} = [\text{mm}]$	5	10	20	20
	Wrench size	SW = [mm]	10	13	17	19
DXE 03	Thickness of fixture	$t_{\text{fix,min}} = [\text{mm}]$	5	10	20	20
		$t_{\text{fix,max}} = [\text{mm}]$	5	10	20	20
	Size of hexagonal socket	SW = [mm]	10	13	17	19
DXE 04	Thickness of fixture	$t_{\text{fix,min}} = [\text{mm}]$		10	20	
		$t_{\text{fix,max}} = [\text{mm}]$		70	60	
	6 lobe recess	T		40	40	


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Intended use  
Installation parameters

Annex B 2



**Table B3: Installation tool - drill bits**

	Anchor size	Drill bit item code
	M6 / Ø10	EO 01 10 210
	M8 / Ø12	EO 01 12 210
	M10 / Ø15	EO 01 15 160
	M12 / Ø18	EO 01 18 210

**Blowing pump**



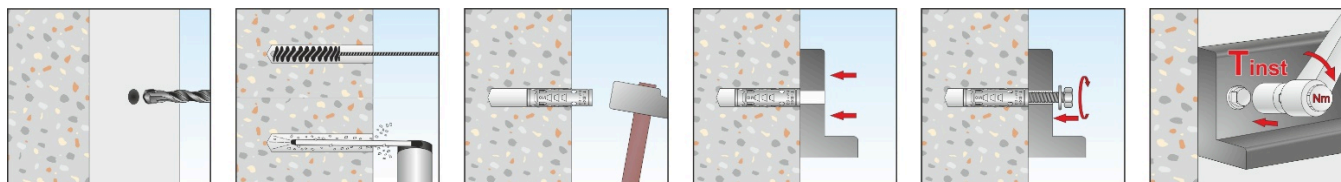
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**Intended use**  
Setting tools

**Annex B 3**

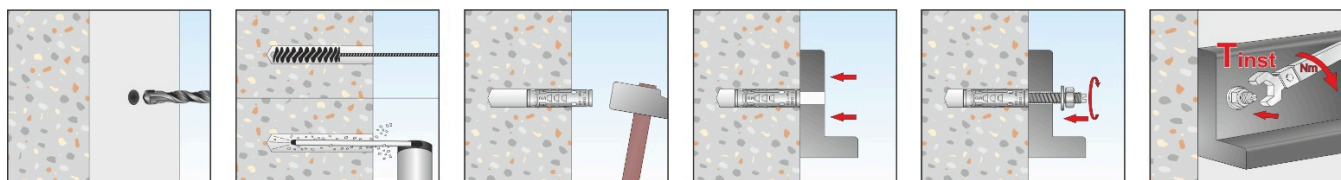
**Table B4: DXE01 Installation sequence**

Step 1	Drill a hole into the concrete in rotary plus hammer mode
Step 2	Remove the dust into the hole using a brush and a blowing pump
Step 3	Hammer the anchor in the hole
Step 4	Place the fixture
Step 5	Screw-in the hexagonal head bolt and apply the required torque moment



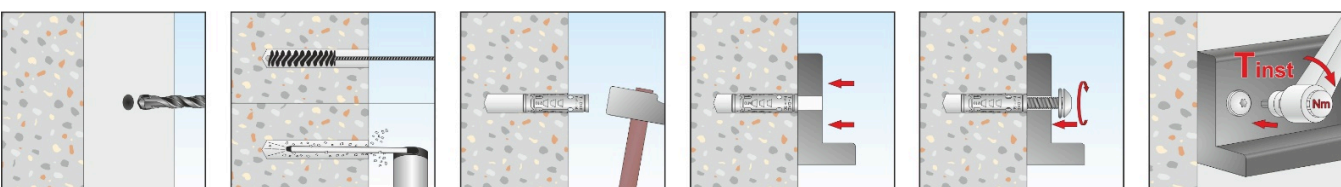
**Table B5: DXE03 Installation sequence**

Step 1	Drill a hole into the concrete in rotary plus hammer mode
Step 2	Remove the dust into the hole using a brush and a blowing pump
Step 3	Hammer the anchor in the hole
Step 4	Place the fixture and screw in the hexagon nut
Step 5	Screw-in the stud and apply the required torque moment on the hexagonal nut



**Table B6: DXE04 Installation sequence**

Step 1	Drill a hole into the concrete in rotary plus hammer mode
Step 2	Remove the dust into the hole using a brush and a blowing pump
Step 3	Hammer the anchor in the hole
Step 4	Place the fixture and screw in the mushroom head screw
Step 5	Apply the required torque moment



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**Intended use**  
Installation sequence

**Annex B 4**

**Table C1: Performances for design method A (tension)**

Type of anchor / Size			DXE M6	DXE M8	DXE M10	DXE M12
Steel Failure						
Characteristic resistance	N <sub>Rk,s</sub>	[kN]	16	29	46	67
Partial safety factor	γ <sub>Ms</sub> <sup>1)</sup>	[-]	1,5			
Pull-out failure						
Effective embedment depth	h <sub>ef</sub>	[mm]	40	45	50	65
Characteristic resistance in uncracked concrete C20/25	N <sub>Rk,p</sub>	[kN]	6	9	12	16
Increasing factors for N <sub>Rk,p</sub>	Ψ <sub>c</sub>	C30/37	1,18	1,04	1,22	1,22
		C40/50	1,36	1,21	1,41	1,41
		C50/60	1,50	1,33	1,55	1,55
Installation safety factor	γ <sub>2</sub>	[-]	1,0	1,0	1,2	1,0
Concrete cone failure						
Effective embedment depth	h <sub>ef</sub>	[mm]	40	45	50	105
Factor uncracked concrete	k <sub>ucr,N</sub>	[-]	11,0			
Spacing	s <sub>cr,N</sub>	[mm]	120	135	150	195
Edge distance	c <sub>cr,N</sub>	[mm]	60	67,5	75	97,5
Splitting failure						
Characteristic resistance in uncracked concrete C20/25	N <sup>0</sup> <sub>Rk,sp</sub>	[kN]	Min (N <sub>Rk,p</sub> ; N <sup>0</sup> <sub>Rk,c</sub> <sup>2)</sup> )			
Spacing	s <sub>cr,sp</sub>	[mm]	384	446	620	684
Edge distance	c <sub>cr,sp</sub>	[mm]	192	223	310	342
Installation safety factor	γ <sub>inst</sub>	[-]	1,0	1,0	1,2	1,0

<sup>1)</sup> In absence of other national regulations.

<sup>2)</sup>  $N^0_{Rk,c}$  according to EN 1992-4:2018

**Table C2: Displacements to tension loads**

Type of anchor / Size			DXE M6	DXE M8	DXE M10	DXE M12
Tension load	N	[kN]	2,9	4,3	4,8	7,6
Displacements	$\delta_{N0}$	[mm]	0,29	0,04	0,07	0,16
	$\delta_{N\infty}$	[mm]	-	-	0,48	-

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**Performances**

Design method A, characteristic resistance under tension load  
Displacements under tension loads

**Annex C 1**

**Table C3: Performances for design method A (shear)**

Type of anchor / Size			DXE M6	DXE M8	DXE M10	DXE M12
Steel Failure without level arm						
Characteristic resistance	$V_{Rk,s}^0$	[kN]	8	15	23	33
Partial safety factor	$\gamma_{Ms}^{1)}$	[-]	1,5			
Steel Failure with level arm						
Characteristic bending moment	$M_{Rk,s}^0$	[Nm]	12,2	30,0	59,8	104,8
Partial safety factor	$\gamma_{Ms}^{1)}$	[-]	1,5			
Concrete pryout failure						
Pryout factor	$k_g$	[-]	1,0	1,0	1,0	2,0
Concrete edge failure						
Effective anchorage length	$l_f = h_{ef}$	[mm]	40	45	50	65
Effective external diameter anchor	$d_{nom}$	[mm]	10	12	15	18

<sup>1)</sup> In absence of other national regulations.

**Table C4: Displacements to shear loads**

Type of anchor / Size			DXE M6	DXE M8	DXE M10	DXE M12
Shear load	V	[kN]	4,3	7,6	11,9	14,3
Displacements	$\delta_{N0}$	[mm]	1,12	1,40	2,19	2,05
	$\delta_{N\infty}$	[mm]	1,68	2,11	3,29	3,07

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**Performances**

Design method A, characteristic resistance under shear load  
Displacements under shear loads

**Annex C 2**