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### General Part

Technical Assessment Body issuing the  
European Technical Assessment:

Deutsches Institut für Bautechnik

Trade name of the construction product

Wedge Anchor BZ1

Product family  
to which the construction product belongs

Mechanical fastener for use in concrete

Manufacturer

MKT  
Metall-Kunststoff-Technik GmbH & Co. KG  
Auf dem Immel 2  
67685 Weilerbach  
GERMANY

Manufacturing plant

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## Specific Part

### 1 Technical description of the product

The Wedge Anchor BZ1 is a fastener made of galvanized 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)	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	See Annex C 3
Displacements	See Annex C 4

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

Essential characteristic	Performance
Reaction to fire	Class A1
Resistance to fire	See Annex C 5

#### 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**

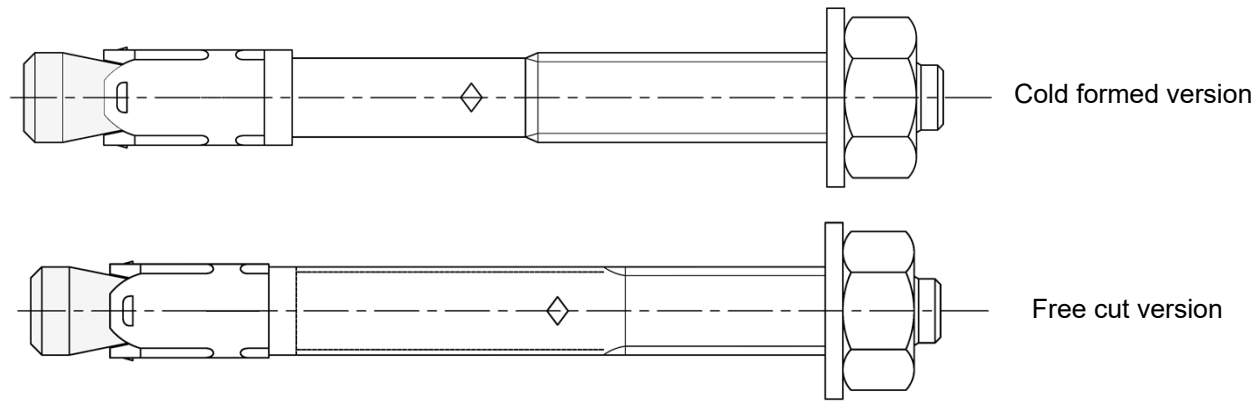
Technical details necessary for the implementation of the AVCP system are laid down in the control plan deposited with Deutsches Institut für Bautechnik.

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Wedge Anchor BZ1  
M8 to M20



Installation condition

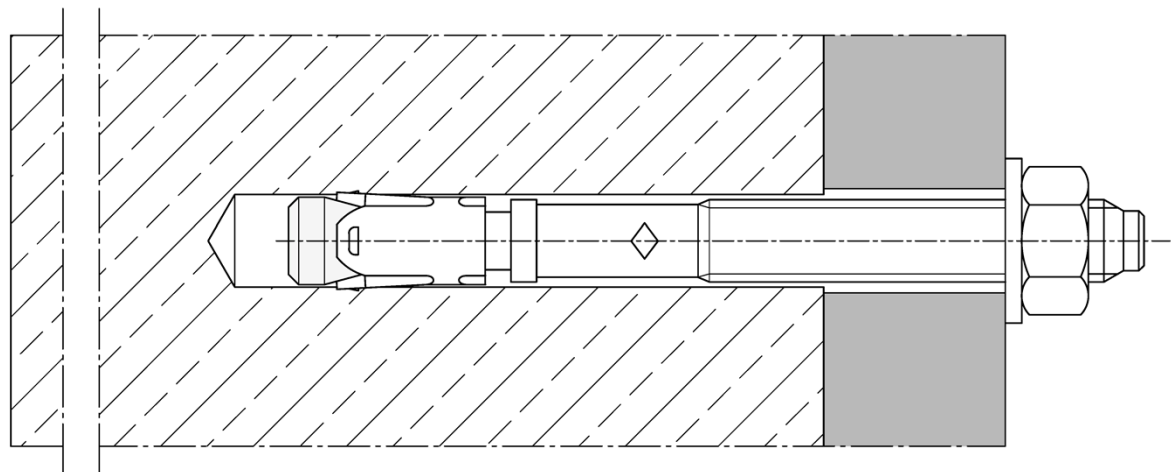


Table A1: Material

No.	Part	BZ1
		Steel, zinc plated
1	Conical bolt	Cold formed or machined steel, galvanized $\geq 5\text{ }\mu\text{m}$ , Cone plastic coated
2	Expansion sleeve	Stainless steel (e.g. material number 1.4301 or 1.4401 according to EN 10088-1:2023)
3a	Washer	Steel, zinc plated, galvanized $\geq 5\text{ }\mu\text{m}$
3b	Filling Washer	
4	Hexagon nut	Steel, galvanized $\geq 5\text{ }\mu\text{m}$ , coated

Wedge Anchor BZ1

**Product description**  
Fastener, installation condition, material

Annex A 1



## Marking

- **Marking** e.g.:  BZ1 15



BZ1

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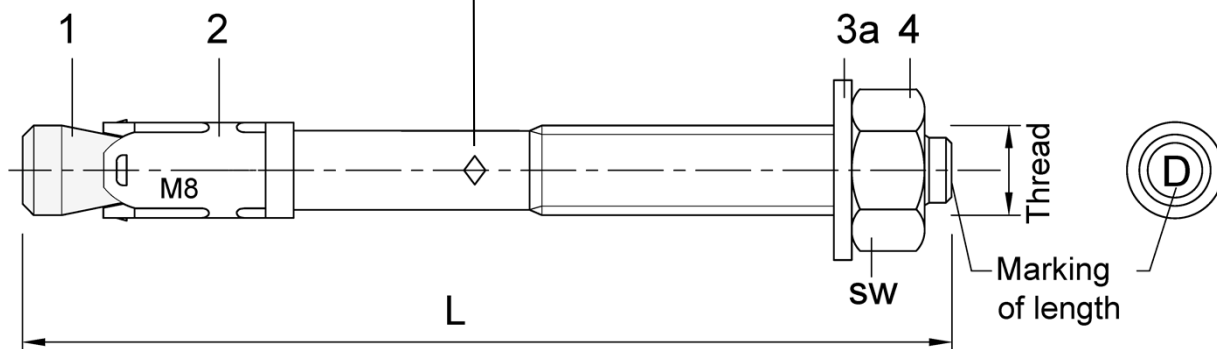
M8

### Identifying mark of manufacturing plant

Trade name

maximum thickness of fixture for  $h_{ef}$

Thread size



### Table A2: Length identification

Marking of length	C (c)	D (d)	E (e)	F (f)	G (g)	H (h)	I (i)	J (j)	K (k)	L (l)	M (m)	N (n)
Length of anchor min $\geq$	63,5	76,2	88,9	101,6	114,3	127,0	139,7	152,4	165,1	177,8	190,5	203,2
Length of anchor max $<$	76,2	88,9	101,6	114,3	127,0	139,7	152,4	165,1	177,8	190,5	203,2	215,9

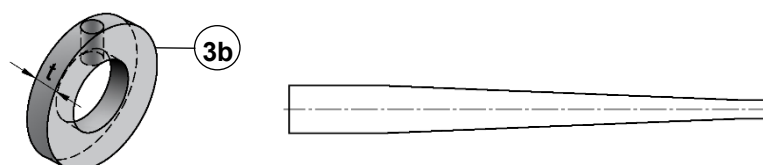
Marking of length	O (o)	P (p)	Q (q)	R (r)	S (s)	T (t)	U (u)	V (v)	W (w)	X (x)	Y (y)	Z (z)
Length of anchor min $\geq$	215,9	228,6	241,3	254,0	279,4	304,8	330,2	355,6	381,0	406,4	431,8	457,2
Length of anchor max $<$	228,6	241,3	254,0	279,4	304,8	330,2	355,6	381,0	406,4	431,8	457,2	483,0

### Table A3: Fastener dimensions

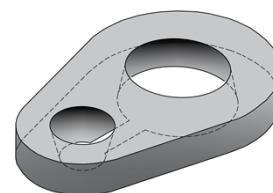
Fastener size		M8	M10	M12	M16	M20
Conical bolt	Thread	M8	M10	M12	M16	M20
Length of anchor	L	65 + t <sub>fix</sub>	80 + t <sub>fix</sub>	96,5+t <sub>fix</sub>	118+t <sub>fix</sub>	137+t <sub>fix</sub>
Thickness of filling washer	t [mm]	5	5	5	5	5
Hexagon nut	SW	13	17	19	24	30

Dimensions in mm

### Filling washer VS with reducing adapter



### Alternate filling washer



### Wedge Anchor BZ1

**Product description**  
Marking and dimensions

## Annex A 2

## Specifications of intended use

Wedge Anchor BZ1	M8	M10	M12	M16	M20
Steel, galvanized	✓				
Static or quasi-static action	✓				
Seismic action <sup>1)</sup>	Category C1	✓			
	Category C2	- <sup>2)</sup>	✓	✓	✓
Fire exposure	✓				

<sup>1)</sup> only cold formed anchors

<sup>2)</sup> no performance assessed

### 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
- Cracked or uncracked concrete

### Use conditions (Environmental conditions):

- Structures 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.).
- Design method EN 1992-4:2018

### Installation:

- Hole drilling by hammer drill bit or vacuum drill bit
- Fastener installation carried out by appropriately qualified personnel and under the supervision of the person responsible for technical matters on site
- Optionally, the annular gap between fixture and stud of the BZ1 can be filled to reduce the hole clearance. For this purpose, the filling washer (3b) must be used in addition to the supplied washer (3a). For filling use high-strength mortar with compressive strength  $\geq 40 \text{ N/mm}^2$  (e.g. Injection System VMZ, VMU plus or VMH)

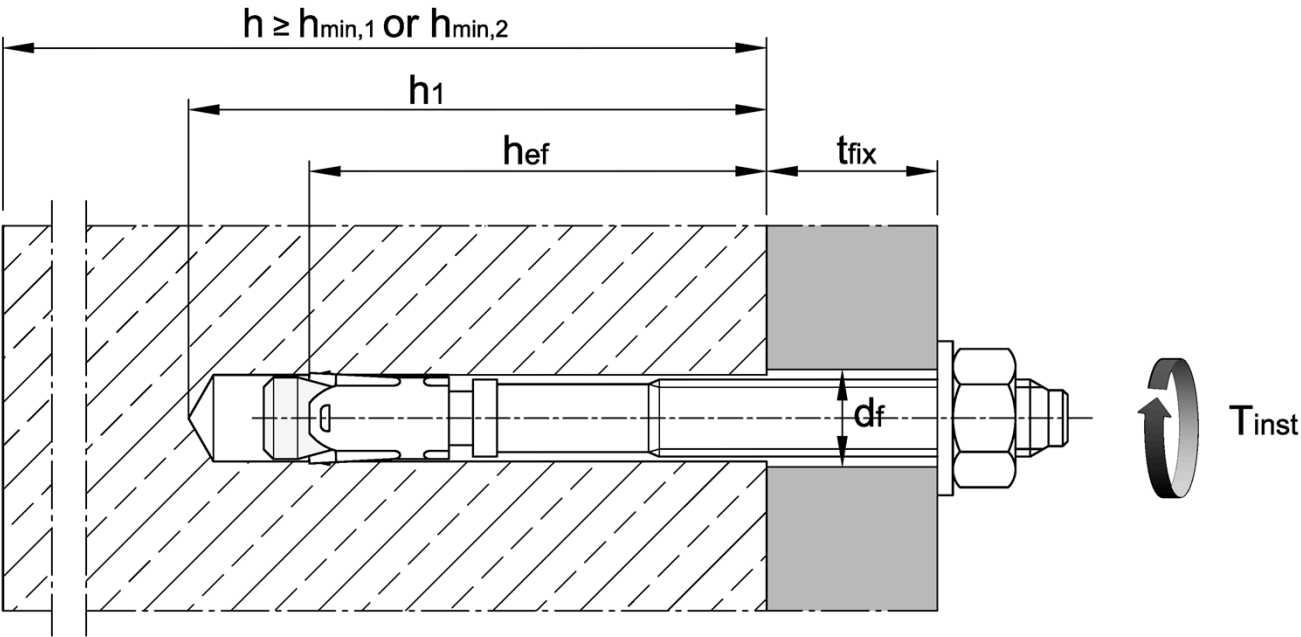
Wedge Anchor BZ1

Intended Use  
Specifications

Annex B 1

Table B1: Installation parameters

Fastener size			M8	M10	M12	M16	M20
Nominal drill hole diameter	$d_0$	[mm]	8	10	12	16	20
Cutting diameter of drill bit	$d_{cut} \leq$	[mm]	8,45	10,45	12,5	16,5	20,55
Installation torque	$T_{inst}$	[Nm]	20	25	45	90	160
Diameter of clearance hole in the fixture	$d_f \leq$	[mm]	9	12	14	18	22
Depth of drill hole	$h_1 \geq$	[mm]	60	75	90	110	125
Effective anchorage depth	$h_{ef}$	[mm]	46	60	70	85	100



Wedge Anchor BZ1

Intended Use  
Installation parameters

Annex B 2



**Table B2: Minimum spacing and edge distance**

Fastener size			M8	M10	M12	M16	M20
Standard thickness of concrete member							
Standard thickness of member	$h_{\min,1}$	[mm]	100	120	140	170	200
Cracked concrete							
Minimum spacing	$s_{\min}$	[mm]	40	45	60	60	95
	for $c \geq$	[mm]	70	70	100	100	150
Minimum edge distance	$c_{\min}$	[mm]	40	45	60	60	95
	for $s \geq$	[mm]	80	90	140	180	200
Uncracked concrete							
Minimum spacing	$s_{\min}$	[mm]	40	45	60	65	90
	for $c \geq$	[mm]	80	70	120	120	180
Minimum edge distance	$c_{\min}$	[mm]	50	50	75	80	130
	for $s \geq$	[mm]	100	100	150	150	240
Minimum thickness of concrete member							
Minimum thickness of member	$h_{\min,2}$	[mm]	80	100	120	140	- <sup>1)</sup>
Cracked concrete							
Minimum spacing	$s_{\min}$	[mm]	40	45	60	70	- <sup>1)</sup>
	for $c \geq$	[mm]	70	90	100	160	- <sup>1)</sup>
Minimum edge distance	$c_{\min}$	[mm]	40	50	60	80	- <sup>1)</sup>
	for $s \geq$	[mm]	80	115	140	180	- <sup>1)</sup>
Uncracked concrete							
Minimum spacing	$s_{\min}$	[mm]	40	60	60	80	- <sup>1)</sup>
	for $c \geq$	[mm]	80	140	120	180	- <sup>1)</sup>
Minimum edge distance	$c_{\min}$	[mm]	50	90	75	90	- <sup>1)</sup>
	for $s \geq$	[mm]	100	140	150	200	- <sup>1)</sup>
Fire exposure from one side							
Minimum spacing	$s_{\min,fi}$	[mm]	see normal ambient temperature				
Minimum edge distance	$c_{\min,fi}$	[mm]	see normal ambient temperature				
Fire exposure from more than one side							
Minimum spacing	$s_{\min,fi}$	[mm]	see normal ambient temperature				
Minimum edge distance	$c_{\min,fi}$	[mm]	$\geq 300\text{ mm}$				

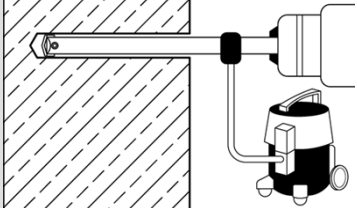
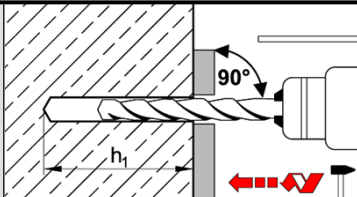
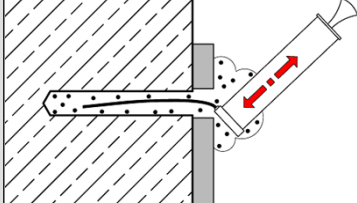
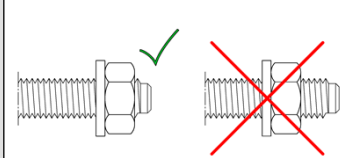
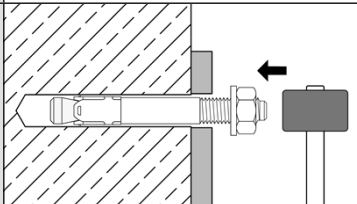
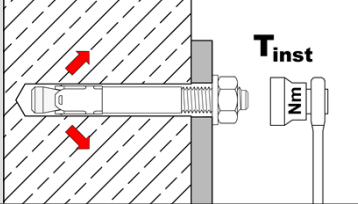
<sup>1)</sup> No performance assessed  
Intermediate values by linear interpolation

**Wedge Anchor BZ1**

**Intended Use**  
Minimum spacing and edge distance

**Annex B 3**

## Installation instructions

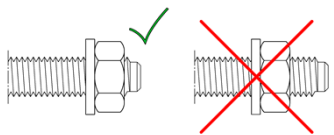
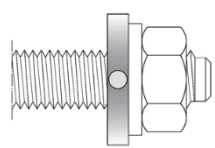
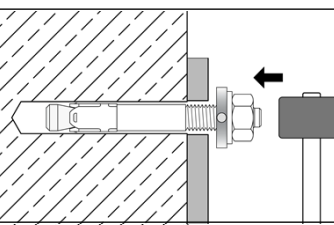
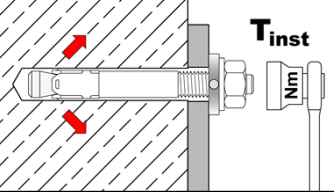
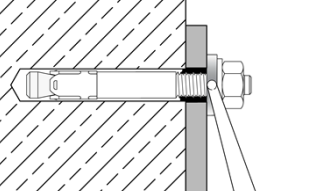
Hole drilling and cleaning – vacuum drilling		
1a		Drill hole perpendicular to concrete surface. Proceed with <b>step 3</b> .
Hole drilling and cleaning – hammer drilling		
1b		Drill hole perpendicular to concrete surface.
2		Blow out dust. Alternatively vacuum clean down to the bottom of the hole.
Insert fastener		
3		Check position of nut.
4		Drive in anchor, such that $h_{ef}$ is met. This compliance is ensured, if the thickness of fixture is not greater than the maximum thickness of fixture marked on the anchor in accordance with Annex A2.
5		Apply installation torque $T_{inst}$ using a calibrated torque wrench.

### Wedge Anchor BZ1

Intended Use  
Installation instructions

Annex B 4

## Installation instructions - continuation

Insert fastener with filling of annular gap		
3a		Check position of nut.
3b		Fit the filling washer to the fastener. The thickness of the filling washer must be taken into account with $t_{fix}$ .
4		Drive in fastener with filling washer, such that $h_{ef}$ is met. This compliance is ensured, if the thickness of fixture is 5mm smaller than the maximum thickness of fixture marked on the fastener in accordance with Annex A2.
5		Apply installation torque $T_{inst}$ using a calibrated torque wrench.
6		Fill the annular gap between stud and fixture with high strength mortar with compressive strength $\geq 40 \text{ N/mm}^2$ (e.g. VMH, VMZ or VMU plus). Use enclosed reducing adapter. Observe the processing information of the mortar! The annular gap is completely filled, when excess mortar seeps out.

### Wedge Anchor BZ1

#### Intended Use

Installation with filling of annular gap

Annex B 5

**Table C1: Characteristic resistance to tension load**

Fastener size			M8	M10	M12	M16	M20	
Installation factor	$\gamma_{inst}$	[-]	1,0					
Steel failure								
Characteristic resistance	$N_{Rk,s}$	[kN]	16	27	40	60	86	
Partial safety factor <sup>1)</sup>	$\gamma_{Ms}$	[-]	1,53		1,5		1,6	
Pull-out failure								
Characteristic resistance in uncracked concrete C20/25	$N_{Rk,p,ucr}$	[kN]	12	16	25	35	50	
Characteristic resistance in cracked concrete C20/25	$N_{Rk,p,cr}$	[kN]	5	9	16	25	36	
<b>Splitting</b> For the proof against splitting failure $N^0_{Rk,c}$ has to be replaced by $N^0_{Rk,sp}$ with consideration of the member thickness								
Splitting for <b>standard thickness of concrete member</b> (The higher resistance of case 1 and case 2 may be applied; the values $s_{cr,sp}$ and $c_{cr,sp}$ may be linearly interpolated for the member thickness $h_{min,2} < h < h_{min,1}$ (Case 2); $\psi_{h,sp} = 1,0$ )								
Standard thickness of concrete	$h_{min,1} \geq$	[mm]	100	120	140	170	200	
<b>Case 1</b>								
Characteristic resistance in uncracked concrete C20/25	$N^0_{Rk,sp}$	[kN]	9	12	20	30	40	
Characteristic edge distance	$c_{cr,sp}$	[mm]	1,5 $h_{ef}$					
Characteristic spacing	$s_{cr,sp}$	[mm]	3 $h_{ef}$					
<b>Case 2</b>								
Characteristic resistance in uncracked concrete C20/25	$N^0_{Rk,sp}$	[kN]	12	16	25	35	50	
Characteristic edge distance	$c_{cr,sp}$	[mm]	2 $h_{ef}$					
Characteristic spacing	$s_{cr,sp}$	[mm]	4 $h_{ef}$					
Splitting for <b>minimum thickness of concrete member</b>								
Minimum thickness of concrete	$h_{min,2} \geq$	[mm]	80	100	120	140	no performance assessed	
Characteristic resistance in uncracked concrete C20/25	$N^0_{Rk,sp}$	[kN]	12	16	25	35		
Characteristic edge distance	$c_{cr,sp}$	[mm]	2,5 $h_{ef}$					
Characteristic spacing	$s_{cr,sp}$	[mm]	5 $h_{ef}$					
Increasing factor for concrete $N_{Rk,p} = \psi_c \cdot N_{Rk,p}$ (C20/25) or $N^0_{Rk,sp} = \psi_c \cdot N^0_{Rk,sp}$ (C20/25)		$\psi_c$	[-]	$\left(\frac{f_{ck}}{20}\right)^{0,5}$				
Concrete cone failure								
Effective anchorage depth	$h_{ef}$	[mm]	46	60	70	85	100	
Characteristic edge distance	$c_{cr,N}$	[mm]	1,5 $h_{ef}$					
Characteristic spacing	$s_{cr,N}$	[mm]	3 $h_{ef}$					
Factor	cracked concrete	$k_{cr,N}$	[-]	7,7				
	uncracked concrete	$k_{ucr,N}$	[-]	11,0				

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

## Wedge Anchor BZ1

### Performance

Characteristic resistance to **tension load**

**Annex C 1**

**Table C2: Characteristic resistance to shear load**

Fastener size			M8	M10	M12	M16	M20
Installation factor		$\gamma_{\text{inst}}$ [-]	1,0				
Steel failure without lever arm							
Characteristic shear resistance	$V^0_{\text{Rk,s}}$	[kN]	8,5	14,1	21,0	38,5	48,3
Partial factor <sup>1)</sup>	$\gamma_{\text{Ms}}$	[-]	1,25				1,33
Ductility factor	$k_7$	[-]	1,0				
Steel failure with lever arm							
Characteristic bending resistance	$M^0_{\text{Rk,s}}$	[Nm]	16,1	32,9	57,4	151,2	254,1
Partial factor <sup>1)</sup>	$\gamma_{\text{Ms}}$	[-]	1,25				1,33
Concrete pry-out failure							
Pry-out factor	$k_8$	[-]	1,0	2,0			
Concrete edge failure							
Effective length of fastener in shear loading	$l_f$	[mm]	46	60	70	85	100
Outside diameter of fastener	$d_{\text{nom}}$	[mm]	8	10	12	16	20

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

**Wedge Anchor BZ1**

**Performance**  
Characteristic resistance to **shear load**

**Annex C 2**

**Table C3: Characteristic resistance for seismic performance category C1 and C2**

Fastener size			M8	M10	M12	M16	M20	
Tension loads								
Installation factor		$\gamma_{\text{inst}}$	[-]	1,0				
Steel failure								
Characteristic resistance <b>C1</b>	$N_{\text{Rk,s,C1}}$	[kN]	16	27	40	60	86	
Characteristic resistance <b>C2</b>	$N_{\text{Rk,s,C2}}$	[kN]	- <sup>2)</sup>	27	40	60	86	
Partial factor <sup>1)</sup>		$\gamma_{\text{Ms}}$	[-]	1,53		1,5		1,6
Pull-out								
Characteristic resistance <b>C1</b>	$N_{\text{Rk,p,C1}}$	[kN]	5	9	16	25	36	
Characteristic resistance <b>C2</b>	$N_{\text{Rk,p,C2}}$	[kN]	- <sup>2)</sup>	3,6	10,2	13,8	24,4	
Shear loads								
Steel failure without lever arm								
Characteristic resistance <b>C1</b>	$V_{\text{Rk,s,C1}}$	[kN]	4,7	10,0	13,5	22,0	34,5	
Characteristic resistance <b>C2</b>	$V_{\text{Rk,s,C2}}$	[kN]	- <sup>2)</sup>	7,0	8,1	17,9	27,6	
Partial factor <sup>1)</sup>		$\gamma_{\text{Ms}}$	[-]	1,25			1,33	
Factor for annular gap	without filling of annular gap	$\alpha_{\text{gap}}$	[-]	0,5				
	with filling of annular gap	$\alpha_{\text{gap}}$	[-]	1,0				

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

<sup>2)</sup> No performance assessed

**Wedge Anchor BZ1**

**Performance**

Characteristic resistance to seismic performance category C1 and C2

**Annex C 3**

**Table C4: Displacements**

Fastener size			M8	M10	M12	M16	M20
<b>Displacement under tension load</b>							
Tension load in cracked concrete	N	[kN]	2,4	4,3	7,6	11,9	17,1
Displacement	$\delta_{N0}$	[mm]	0,6	1,0	0,4	1,0	0,9
	$\delta_{N\infty}$	[mm]	1,4	1,2	1,4	1,3	1,0
Tension load in uncracked concrete	N	[kN]	5,7	7,6	11,9	16,7	23,8
Displacement	$\delta_{N0}$	[mm]	0,4	0,5	0,7	0,3	0,4
	$\delta_{N\infty}$	[mm]	0,8	0,8	1,4	0,8	0,8
<b>Displacements under seismic tension load C2</b>							
Displacements for DLS	$\delta_{N,C2,(DLS)}$	[mm]	- <sup>1)</sup>	4,1	4,9	3,6	5,1
Displacements for ULS	$\delta_{N,C2(ULS)}$	[mm]	- <sup>1)</sup>	13,8	15,7	9,5	15,2
<b>Displacement under shear load</b>							
Shear load in cracked and uncracked concrete	V	[kN]	4,8	8,0	12,2	22,0	25,8
Displacement	$\delta_{V0}$	[mm]	1,4	2,2	2,5	2,5	1,3
	$\delta_{V\infty}$	[mm]	2,1	3,3	3,9	3,7	1,9
<b>Displacement under seismic shear load C2</b>							
Displacements for DLS	$\delta_{V,C2(DLS)}$	[mm]	- <sup>1)</sup>	1,4	1,8	2,2	2,4
Displacements for ULS	$\delta_{V,C2(ULS)}$	[mm]	- <sup>1)</sup>	2,7	4,8	4,8	5,1

<sup>1)</sup> No performance assessed

**Wedge Anchor BZ1**

**Performance**  
Displacements

**Annex C 4**

**Table C5: Characteristic resistance to fire**

Fastener size			M8	M10	M12	M16	M20	
Tension load								
Steel failure								
Characteristic resistance	R30	$N_{Rk,s,fi}$	[kN]	0,4	0,9	1,7	3,1	4,9
	R60			0,3	0,8	1,3	2,4	3,7
	R90			0,3	0,6	1,1	2,0	3,2
	R120			0,2	0,5	0,8	1,6	2,5
Shear load								
Steel failure without lever arm								
Characteristic resistance	R30	$V_{Rk,s,fi}$	[kN]	0,4	0,9	1,7	3,1	4,9
	R60			0,3	0,8	1,3	2,4	3,7
	R90			0,3	0,6	1,1	2,0	3,2
	R120			0,2	0,5	0,8	1,6	2,5
Steel failure with lever arm								
Characteristic resistance	R30	$M^0_{Rk,s,fi}$	[Nm]	0,4	1,1	2,6	6,6	13,0
	R60			0,3	1,0	2,0	5,0	9,7
	R90			0,3	0,7	1,7	4,3	8,4
	R120			0,2	0,6	1,3	3,3	6,5

**Wedge Anchor BZ1**

**Performance**  
Characteristic resistance to **fire**

**Annex C 5**