Engineering Data Harmonic Planetary Gears HPG





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About this documentation

This document contains safety instructions, technical data and operation rules for products of Harmonic Drive AG. The documentation is aimed at planners, project engineers, commissioning engineers and machine manufacturers, offering support during selection and calculation of the servo actuators, servo motors and accessories.

Rules for storage

Please keep this document for the entire life of the product, up to its disposal. Please hand over the documentation when re-selling the product.

Additional documentation

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1.1 Description of Safety Alert Symbols

Symbol	Meaning
🛕 DANGER	Indicates an imminent hazardous situation. If this is not avoided, death or serious injury could occur.
A WARNING	Indicates a possible hazard. Care should be taken or death or serious injury may result.
▲ ATTENTION	Indicates a possible hazard. Care should be taken or slight or minor injury may result.
ADVICE	Describes a possibly harmful situation. Care should be taken to avoid damage to the system and surroundings.
INFORMATION	This is not a safety symbol. This symbol indicates important information.
	Warning of a general hazard. The type of hazard is determined by the specific warning text.
	Warning of dangerous electrical voltage and its effects.
	Beware of hot surfaces.
	Beware of suspended loads.
	Precautions when handling electrostatic sensitive components.

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2. Safety and Installation Instructions

Please take note of the information and instructions in this document. Specialy designed models may differ in technical detail. If in doubt, we strong recommend that you contact the manufacturer, giving the type designation and serial number for clarification.

2.1 Hazards



Electric products have dangerous live and redating parts. All work during connection, operation, repair and disposal must be carried out by qualified personnel as described in the standards EN50110-1 and IEC 60364! Before starting any work, and especially before opening covers, the actuator must be properly isolated. In addition to the main circuits, the user also has to pay attention to any auxilliary circuits.

Observing the five safety rules:

- Disconnect mains
- Prevent reconnection
- Test for absence of harmful voltages
- Ground and short circuit
- Cover or close off nearby live parts

The measures taken above must only be withdrawn when the work has been completed and the device is fully assembled. Improper handling can cause damage to persons and property. The respective national, local and factory specific regulations must be adhered to.



Electric, magnetic and electromagnetic fields are dangerous, in particular for persons with pacemakers, implants or similiar. Vulnerable groups must not be in the immediate vicinity of the products themselves.



Built-in holding brakes alone are not functional safe. Particularly with unsupported vertical axes, the functional safety and security can only be achieved with additional, external mechanical brakes.

⚠ WARNING

The successful and safe operation of gears, products requires proper transport, storage and assembly as well as correct operation and maintenance.



The surface temperature of gears, motors and actuators can exceed 55 degrees Celsius. The hot surfaces should not be touched.



Movement and lifting of products with a mass > 20 Kg should only be carried out with suitable lifting gear.

ADVICE

Cables must not come into direct contact with hot surfaces.

INFORMATION

Special versions of drive systems and motors may have differing specifications. Please consider all data sheet, catalogues and offers etc. sent concerning these special versions.

2.2 Intended Purpose

The Harmonic Drive[®] products are intended for industrial or commercial applications. They comply with the relevant parts of the harmonised EN 60034 standards series.

Typical areas of application are robotics and handling, machine tools, packaging and food machines and similar machines.

The products may only be operated within the operating ranges and environmental conditions shown in the documentation (altitude, degree of predection, temperature range etc).

Before plant and machinery which have Harmonic Drive[®] products built into them are commissioned, the compliance must be established with the Machinery Directive, Low Voltage Directive and EMC guidelines.

Plant and machinery with inverter driven motors must satisfy the predection requirements in the EMC guidelines. It is the responsibility of the installer to ensure that installation is undertaken correctly. Signal and power lines must be shielded. The EMC instructions from the inverter manufacturer must be observed in order that installation meets the EMC regulations.

2.3 Non Intended Purpose

The use of products outside the areas of application mentioned above or, inter alia, other than in the operating areas or environmental conditions described in the documentation is considered as non-intended purpose.

ADVICE

The following areas of application are, inter alia, those considered as non-intended purpose:

- Aerospace
- Areas at risk of explosion
- Machines specially constructed or used for a nuclear purpose whose breakdown might lead to the emission of radio-activity
- Vacuum
- Machines for domestic use
- Medical equipment which comes into direct contact with the human body
- Machines or equipment for transporting or lifting people
- Special devices for use in annual markets or leisure parks

2.4 Declaration of Conformity

Harmonic Drive[®] gears are components for installation in machines as defined by the machine directive 2006/42/EG. Commissioning is prohibited until such time as the end product has been proved to conform to the provisions of this directive.

Essential health and safety requirements were considered in the design and manufacture of these gear component sets. This simplifies the implementation of the machinery directive by the end user for the machinery or the partly completed machinery. Commissioning of the machine or partly completed machine is prohibited until the final product conforms to the EC Machinery Directive.

Low gear ratios for high dynamics

The HPG Series Planetary Gears are available in six sizes with twelve gear ratios between 4 and 50:1 offering repeatable peak torques from 8 to 2200 Nm. The precision output bearing with high tilting rigidity enables the direct introduction of high payloads without further support and thus permits simple and space saving designs.

HPG Series Planetary Gears are available in three versions for the output: with output flange, with smooth output shaft and with output shaft with keyway. On the input side there is a version for motor adaptation, or alternatively it is available with input shaft.

Standard servo motors can be simply coupled to our Planetary Gears. Gear and motor together form a compact and lightweight system capable of withstanding high payloads ensuring stable machine properties with short cycle times are guaranteed.

3.2 Ordering Code

Table 9.1

Series	Size				Ra	itio				Backlash class	Version	Code for motor adaptation	Special design
	11B		5	9		21	37	45		BL3			
	14A	З	5	11	15	21	33	45					
	20A	З	5	11	15	21	33	45			FO	Exx.xx	According
HPG	32A	З	5	11	15	21	33	45		BL3 BL1	J2 J6	U1	to customer requirements
	50A	3	5	11	15	21	33	45					
	65A	4	5	12	15	20	25	40	50				
Ordering code													
HPG -	14A		-		11			-		BL3 -	FO	- E14.20	- SP

Table 9.2

Backlas	ih class
Ordering code	Backlash
BL3	≤ 3 arcmin
BL1	≤ 1 arcmin

Code for motor adaptation													
Ordering code	Description												
Exx.xx	Depending on motor type												
U1	Input shaft												

Table 9.4

Table 9.3

Out	put
Ordering code	Description
FO	Output flange
J2	Output shaft without key
JG	Output shaft with key

3.3 Technical Data

3.3.1 General Technical Data

Table 10.1

	Unit			HPG-11B			HPG-11B-U1							
Ratio	i[]	5	9	21	37	45	5	9	21	37	45			
Repeatable peak torque	T _R [Nm]	7.8	3.9	9.8	9.8	9.8	7.8	3.9	9.8	9.8	9.8			
Average torque	T _A [Nm]	5.0	3.9	6.0	6.0	6.0	5.0	3.9	6.0	6.0	6.0			
Rated torque	T _N [Nm]	2.5	2.5	3.5	3.5	3.5	2.5	2.5	3.5	3.5	3.5			
Momentary peak torque	Т _м [Nm]	20	20	20	20	20	20	20	20	20	20			
Maximum input speed (grease lubrication)	n _{in (max)} [rpm]			10000					10000					
Average input speed (grease lubrication)	n _{av (max)} [rpm]			3000					3000					
Moment of inertia with output flange (F0)	J _{in} [x10⁻⁶ kgm²]	0.21	0.07	0.18	0.066	0.048	0.72	0.58	0.63	0.52	0.50			
Moment of inertia with output shaft (Jx)	J _{in} [x10⁻⁶ kgm²]	0.36	0.12	0.19	0.068	0.049	0.87	0.63	0.64	0.52	0.50			
Weight with output flange (F0)	m [kg]	0.	14		0.20		0	.2		0.26				
Weight with output shaft (Jx)	m [kg]	0.	18		0.24		0.	0.3						
Transmission accuracy	[arcmin]			< 5					< 5					
Repeatability	[arcmin]			< ±0.5					< ±0.5					
Backlash	[arcmin]			≤ 3					≤ 3					
Torsional Stiffness	K ₃ [x10 ³ Nm/rad]			2.2					2.2					
Ambient operating temperature	[°C]			0 40				0 40						
Output bearing														
Dynamic radial load	F _{R dyn (max)} [N]	280	340	440	520	550	280	340	440	520	550			
Dynamic axial load	F _{A dyn (max)} [N]	430	510	660	780	830	430	510	660	780	830			
Dynamic tilting moment	M _{dvn (max)} [Nm]	M _{dvn (max)} [Nm] 9.5								9.5				

Table 10.2

	Unit			н	IPG-14	A			HPG-14A-U1								
Ratio	i[]	3	5	11	15	21	33	45	3	5	11	15	21	33	45		
Repeatable peak torque	T _R [Nm]	15	23	23	23	23	23	23	15	23	23	23	23	23	23		
Average torque	T _A [Nm]	6.4	13	15	15	15	15	15	6.4	13	15	15	15	15	15		
Rated torque	T _N [Nm]	3.0 6.0 8.0 9.0 9.0 10 10 3 6 8 9 9									9	10	10				
Momentary peak torque	Т _м [Nm]	56	56	56	56	56	56	56	56	56	56	56	56	56	56		
Maximum input speed (grease lubrication)	n _{in (max)} [rpm]	5000			60	00			5000	6000							
Average input speed (grease lubrication)	n _{av (max)} [rpm]	3000 3000															
Moment of inertia with output flange (F0)	J _{in} [x10⁻⁵ kgm²]	5.7 2.1 1.6 1.4 0.89 0.29 0.27 11 6.7 5.8 5.6 4.9								4.9	4.3	4.3					
Moment of inertia with output shaft (Jx)	J _{in} [x10⁻⁵ kgm²]	7.7	2.6	1.9	1.7	0.92	0.30	0.28	12	7.3	5.9	5.7	4.9	4.3	4.3		
Weight with output flange (F0)	m [kg]	0.	0.4 0.5 0.7								0.8						
Weight with output shaft (Jx)	m [kg]	0.	.5			0.6			0.	.8			0.9				
Transmission accuracy	[arcmin]				< 4							< 4					
Repeatability	[arcmin]				< ±0.35	5						< ±0.35	5				
Backlash	[arcmin]			≤	3 or ≤	1					≤	3 or ≤	1				
Torsional Stiffness	K ₃ [x10 ³ Nm/rad]				4.7							4.7					
Ambient operating temperature	[°C]	0 40 0 40															
Output bearing																	
Dynamic radial load	F _{R dyn (max)} [N]	400	470	600	650	720	830	910	400	470	600	650	720	830	910		
Dynamic axial load	F _{A dyn (max)} [N]	600	700	890	980	1080	1240	1360	600	700	890	980	1080	1240	1360		
Dynamic tilting moment	M _{dyn (max)} [Nm] 32.3 32.3																

3.3.2 Dimensions



L Depending on motor type

Table 12.1

	Unit	HPG-20A HPG-20A-U1													
Ratio	i[]	3	5	11	15	21	33	45	3	5	11	15	21	33	45
Repeatable peak torque	T _R [Nm]	64	100	100	100	100	100	100	64	100	100	100	100	100	100
Average torque	T _A [Nm]	19	35	45	53	55	60	60	19	35	45	53	55	60	60
Rated torque	T _N [Nm]	9 16 20 24 25 29 29 9 16 20 24 25									29	29			
Momentary peak torque	T _M [Nm]	124	217	217	217	217	217	217	124	217	217	217	217	217	217
Maximum input speed (grease lubrication)	n _{in (max)} [rpm]	4000			60	00			4000			60	00		
Average input speed (grease lubrication)	n _{av (max)} [rpm]	3000 3000													
Moment of inertia with output flange (FO)	J _{in} [x10 ⁻⁶ kgm²]	46 17 15 14 6.9 2.3 2.2 69 40 31 30 23								19	18				
Moment of inertia with output shaft (Jx)	J _{in} [x10 ⁻⁶ kgm²]	57	21	16	14	7.1	2.4	2.2	80	44	32	30	23	19	18
Weight with output flange (F0)	m [kg]	1.2 1.4							2.	.0			2.1		
Weight with output shaft (Jx)	m [kg]	1.	6			1.8			2	.4			2.7		
Transmission accuracy	[arcmin]				< 4							< 4			
Repeatability	[arcmin]				< ±0.25	5						< ±0.25	5		
Backlash	[arcmin]			≤	3 or ≤	1					≤	≤ 3 or ≤	1		
Torsional Stiffness	K ₃ [x10 ³ Nm/rad]				18.5							18.5			
Ambient operating temperature	[°C]	0 40 0 40													
Output bearing															
Dynamic radial load	F _{R dyn (max)} [kN]	0.84	0.98	1.24	1.36	1.51	1.73	1.89	0.84	0.98	1.24	1.36	1.51	1.73	1.89
Dynamic axial load	F _{A dyn (max)} [kN]	1.25	1.41	1.85	2.03	2.25	2.58	2.83	1.250	1.41	1.85	2.03	2.25	2.58	2.83
Dynamic tilting moment	M _{dvn (max)} [Nm]	av [Nm] 183 183													

Table 12.2

	Unit	HPG-32A HPG-32A-U1														
Ratio	i[]	З	5	11	15	21	33	45	З	5	11	15	21	33	45	
Repeatable peak torque	T _R [Nm]	255	300	300	300	300	300	300	255	300	300	300	300	300	300	
Average torque	T _A [Nm]	71	150	170	170	170	200	200	71	150	170	170	170	200	200	
Rated torque	T _N [Nm]	31	66	88	92	98	108	108	31	66	88	92	98	108	108	
Momentary peak torque	Т _м [Nm]	507	650	650	650	650	650	650	507	650	650	650	650	650	650	
Maximum input speed (grease lubrication)	n _{in (max)} [rpm]	3600 6000 3600 6										60	100			
Average input speed (grease lubrication)	n _{av (max)} [rpm]	3000 3000														
Moment of inertia with output flange (F0)	J _{in} [x10 ⁻⁶ kgm²]	200 73 78 62 34 12 11 340 220 190 180 150								150	130	130				
Moment of inertia with output shaft (Jx)	J _{in} [x10 ⁻⁶ kgm²]	280	100	84	65	36	13	12	420	240	200	180	150	130	130	
Weight with output flange (F0)	m [kg]	2.9 3.5							4.	.9	5.3					
Weight with output shaft (Jx)	m [kg]	4.	3			4.9			6.3 6.9							
Transmission accuracy	[arcmin]				< 4							< 4				
Repeatability	[arcmin]			<	< ± 0.2	5						< ±0.25	5			
Backlash	[arcmin]			≤	:3 or ≤	1					≤	3 or ≤	1			
Torsional Stiffness	K ₃ [x10 ³ Nm/rad]				74.1							74.1				
Ambient operating temperature	[°C]	0 40 0 40														
Output bearing																
Dynamic radial load	F _{R dyn (max)} [kN]	1.63	1.90	2.41	2.64	2.92	3.34	3.67	1.63	1.90	2.41	2.64	2.92	3.34	3.67	
Dynamic axial load	F _{A dyn (max)} [kN]	2.43	2.83	3.59	3.94	4.36	4.99	5.48	2.43	2.83	3.59	3.94	4.36	4.99	5.48	
Dynamic tilting moment	M _{dyn (max)} [Nm]	[Nm] 452 452														

Illustration 13.2





L Depending on motor type

() Double reduction gear



L Depending on motor type

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Table 14.1

	Unit			ł	1PG-50/	4			HPG-50A-U1									
Ratio	i[]	3	5	11	15	21	33	45	3	5	11	15	21	33	45			
Repeatable peak torque	T _R [Nm]	657	850	850	850	850	850	850	657	850	850	850	850	850	850			
Average torque	T _A [Nm]	195	340	400	450	500	500	500	195	340	400	450	500	500	500			
Rated torque	T _N [Nm]	97	170	200	230	260	270	270	97	170	200	230	260	270	270			
Momentary peak torque	T _M [Nm]	1200	1850	1850	1850	1850	1850	1850	1200	1200	1850	1850	1850	1850	1850			
Maximum input speed (grease lubrication)	n _{in (max)} [rpm]	3000			45	00		3000 4500										
Average input speed (grease lubrication)	n _{av (max)} [rpm]				2000			2000										
Moment of inertia with output flange (F0)	J _{in} [x10⁻⁶ kgm²]	1300	480	330	290	160	60	60	1800	920	710	670	540	430	430			
Moment of inertia with output shaft (Jx)	J _{in} [x10⁻⁶ kgm²]	1700	610	360	310	170	63	59	2100	1100	740	680	550	440	430			
Weight with output flange (F0)	m [kg]	1	0			12			14	4			16					
Weight with output shaft (Jx)	m [kg]	1	3			15			17 19									
Transmission accuracy	[arcmin]				< 3							< 3						
Repeatability	[arcmin]				< ±0.25							< ±0.25						
Backlash	[arcmin]			:	≤ 3 or ≤ '	1					:	≤ 3 or ≤ [°]	1					
Torsional Stiffness	K ₃ [x10 ³ Nm/rad]				230							230						
Ambient operating temperature	[°C]				0 40							0 40						
Output bearing																		
Dynamic radial load	F _{R dyn (max)} [kN]	5.57	6.49	8.22	9.03	9.98	11.4	12.5	5.57	6.49	8.22	9.03	9.98	11.4	12.5			
Dynamic axial load	$F_{A dyn (max)}[kN]$	5.57	6.49	8.22	9.03	9.98	11.4	12.5	5.57	6.49	8.22	9.03	9.98	11.4	12.5			
Dynamic tilting moment	M _{dyn (max)} [Nm]				1076				1076									

Illustration 15.2



L Depending on motor type

() Double reduction gear

	Unit				HPG	-65A				HPG-65A-U1									
Ratio	i[]	4	5	12	15	20	25	40	50	4	5	12	15	20	25	40	50		
Repeatable peak torque	T _R [Nm]	2200	2200	2200	2200	2200	2200	1900	2200	2200	2200	2200	2200	2200	2200	1900	2200		
Average torque	T _A [Nm]	900	900 1000 1100 1300 1500 1500 1300 1500									1100	1300	1500	1500	1300	1500		
Rated torque	T _N [Nm]	500	530	600	730	800	850	640	750	500	530	600	730	800	850	640	750		
Momentary peak torque	T _M [Nm]				45	00			4500										
Maximum input speed (grease lubrication)	n _{in (max)} [rpm]	2500				3000			2500	2500 3000									
Average input speed (grease lubrication)	n _{av (max)} [rpm]		_		20	00			2000										
Moment of inertia with output flange (FO)	J _{in} [x10⁻⁵ kgm²]	2800 1800 1700 1600 650 610 130 120								4400	3400	3200	3100	2100	2100	1600	1600		
Moment of inertia with output shaft (Jx)	J _{in} [x10⁻6 kgm²]	4200	2700	1800	1700	710	650	150	130	5800	4300	3300	3200	2200	2100	1600	1600		
Weight with output flange (F0)	m [kg]	2	2			З	7			З	3			4	8				
Weight with output shaft (Jx)	m [kg]	3	2			4	7			4	43 58								
Transmission accuracy	[arcmin]				<	3							<	З					
Repeatability	[arcmin]				< ±0	0.25							< ±0	D.25					
Backlash	[arcmin]				≤ 3 c	or ≤ 1							≤ 3 c	or ≤ 1					
Torsional Stiffness	K ₃ [x10 ³ Nm/rad]				12	90							12	90					
Ambient operating temperature	[°C]				0	40							0	. 40					
Output bearing																			
Dynamic radial load	$F_{_{Rdyn(max)}}[kN]$	13.2	14.1	18.3	19.6	21.4	22.9	26.3	28.2	13.2	14.1	18.3	19.6	21.4	22.9	26.3	28.2		
Dynamic axial load	$F_{A dyn (max)}[kN]$	13.2	14.1	12.3	13.1	14.3	15.3	17.6	18.9	13.2	14.1	12.3	13.1	14.3	15.3	17.6	18.9		
Dynamic tilting moment	M _{dyn (max)} [Nm]				39	00				3900									

Illustration 17.2





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3.3.3 Accuracy

Table 18.1

Size			11	14	20	32	50	65		
Backlash	Standard BL3	[arcmin]	≤ 3							
	Reduced BL1	[arcmin]	- 1							
Repeatability		[arcsec]	< ± 30	< ± 20	< ± 15	< ± 15	< ± 15	< ± 15		
Transmission accuracy [arcmin]		[arcmin]	< 5	< 4	< 4	< 4	< 3	< 3		

3.3.4 Torsional Stiffness

Table 18.2

Size	11	14	20	32	50	65	
Taxianal Stiffnass	[Nm/arcmin]	0.64	1.40	5.40	22.0	67.0	375
	[x10 ³ Nm/rad]	2.2	4.7	18.5	74.1	230	1290

3.3.5 Bearings

Performance Data for the Output Bearing

HPG Planetary Gears incorporate a high stiffness cross roller bearing to support output loads. This specially developed bearing can withstand high axial and radial forces as well as high tilting moments. The reduction gear is thus protected from external loads, so ensuring a long service life and consistent performance. The integration of an output bearing also serves to reduce subsequent design and production costs, by removing the need for additional output bearings in most applications. Furthermore, installation and assembly of the reduction gear is greatly simplified. Table 18.3 and table 19.1 lists ratings and important dimensions for the output bearings.

Output bearing

Table 18.3

Size		11	14	20	32	50	65
Pitch circle ø	d _p [m]	0.0275	0.0405	0.0640	0.0850	0.1230	0.1700
Offset	R [m]	6	11	11.5	14	19	23
Dynamic load rating	C [N]	3116	5110	10600	20500	41600	90600
Static load rating	C ₀ [N]	4087	7060	17300	32800	76000	148000
Permissible dynamic tilting moment ¹⁾	M [Nm]	9.5	32.3	183	452	1076	3900
Permissible static tilting moment ²⁾	M _o [Nm]	37	95	369	929	3116	8387
Tilting moment stiffness	K _B [Nm/arcmin]	2.55	8.8	49	123	291	1060
Permissible static axial load ³⁾	F _a [N]	6192	10697	26212	49697	115152	224242
Permissible static radial load ³⁾	F, [N]	2725	4707	11533	21867	50667	98667

Table 19.1

	Permissible		Size							
Ratio	dynamic axial load ¹⁾		11	14	20	32	50	65		
2	axial load ¹⁾	F _a [N]	-	600	1250	2430	5570	-		
3	radial load ¹⁾	F, [N]	-	400	840	1630	3700	-		
4	axial load ¹⁾	F _a [N]	-	-	-	-	-	13200		
4	radial load ¹⁾	F, [N]	-	-	-	-	-	8860		
F	axial load ¹⁾	F _a [N]	430	700	1410	2830	6490	14100		
5	radial load ¹⁾	F, [N]	280	470	980	1900	4350	9470		
0	axial load ¹⁾	F _a [N]	510	-	-	-	-	-		
9	radial load ¹⁾	F, [N]	340	-	-	-	-	-		
11	axial load ¹⁾	F _a [N]	-	890	1850	3590	8220	-		
11	radial load ¹⁾	F, [N]	-	600	1240	2410	5500	-		
12	axial load 1)	F _a [N]	-	-	-	-	-	18300		
	radial load 1)	F, [N]	-	-	-	-	-	12300		
10	axial load ¹⁾	F _a [N]	-	980	2030	3940	9030	19600		
CI	radial load ¹⁾	F, [N]	-	650	1360	2640	6050	13100		
0	axial load 1)	F _a [N]	-	-	-	-	-	21400		
20	radial load ¹⁾	F, [N]	-	-	-	-	-	14300		
71	axial load ¹⁾	F _a [N]	660	1080	2250	4360	9980	-		
21	radial load ¹⁾	F _r [N]	440	720	1510	2920	6690	-		
25	axial load 1)	F _a [N]	-	-	-	-	-	22900		
25	radial load ¹⁾	F, [N]	-	-	-	-	-	15300		
	axial load ¹⁾	F _a [N]	-	1240	2580	4990	11400	-		
22	radial load ¹⁾	F, [N]	-	830	1729	3340	7660	-		
דר	axial load 1)	F _a [N]	780	-	-	-	-	-		
57	radial load ¹⁾	F, [N]	520	-	-	-	-	-		
40	axial load 1)	F _a [N]	-	-	-	-	-	26300		
40	radial load ¹⁾	F, [N]	-	-	-	-	-	17600		
45	axial load 1)	F _a [N]	830	1360	2830	5480	12500	-		
45	radial load ¹⁾	F _r [N]	550	910	1890	3670	8400	-		
50	axial load 1)	F _a [N]	-	-	-	-	-	28200		
50	radial load ¹⁾	F, [N]	-	-	-	-	-	18900		

 $^{\scriptscriptstyle 1\!\!\!)}$ These values are valid for the following conditions:

 $\mathsf{M}: \quad \mathsf{F}_{\mathsf{a}} = \mathsf{0} \quad \mathsf{F}_{\mathsf{r}} = \mathsf{0}$

 $^{\rm 2)3)}$ These values correspond to a static safety factor $\rm f_s$ =1.5. For other values of $\rm f_s$ please refer to page 30.3.

3.3.6 Housing Tolerances HPG

Output Bearing Tolerances

Table 20.1						[mm]
Size	11	14	20	32	50	65
a	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.04
b	0.03	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.06
с	0.05	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.09
d	0.04	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.08

Illustration 20.2



Input Bearing HPG-U1

Table 20.3

Size	11	14	20	32	50	65		
Dated load	Static load rating C _r	[N]	2700	5800	9700	22500	35500	51000
Rated Ioad	Dynamic load rating C _{or}	[N]	1270	3150	5600	14800	25100	39500
Permissible moment load M _c [Nm]		0.16	6.30	13.50	44.40	96.90	210	
Permissible axial load F _{ac} [N]		[N]	245	657	1206	3285	5540	8600
Permissible radial load F _{rc} [N]		20.6	500	902	1970	3226	5267	

3.3.7 Materials Used

The ambient medium should not have any corrosive effects on the materials listed below.

Gearbox: Blank aluminium, corrosion protected roller bearing steel, blank steel (output shaft). Adapter flange: (if provided by Harmonic Drive AG) high-strength aluminium or blank steel. Screws: black phosphated.

4. Actuator Selection Procedure

4.1 Selecting Harmonic Drive® Planetary Gears



Equation 21.2



Equation 21.3



$T_1 = 40 \text{ Nm}$	t ₁ = 0.3 s	n1 = 125 rpm
T ₂ = 32 Nm	t ₂ = 3.0 s	n ₂ = 250 rpm
T ₃ = 20 Nm	t₃ = 0.4 s	n ₃ = 125 rpm
	t _p = 4.0 s	
T _k = 200 Nm		
Ratio i=11		

Equation 22.1



Equation 22.2

 $T_{av} = 32 \text{ Nm} \leq T_A = 45 \text{ Nm}$

Equation 22.3

Calculation of the average output speed

 $n_{out av} = \frac{125 \text{ rpm} \cdot 0.3 \text{ s} + 250 \text{ rpm} \cdot 3 \text{ s} + 125 \text{ rpm} \cdot 0.4 \text{ s}}{0.3 \text{ s} + 3 \text{ s} + 0.4 \text{ s} + 4 \text{ s}} = 109 \text{ rpm}$

Selected size
HPG-20-11
Equation 22.4

Average input speed

n_{in av} = 11 · 109 rpm = 1199 rpm

Equation 22.5

Permissible maximum input speed

 $n_{in max}$ = 250 rpm \cdot 11 = 2750 rpm \leq 6000 rpm

Equation 22.6	Equation 22.7	Equation 22.8
Load limit 2, $T_{\scriptscriptstyle R}$	Load limit 3, $T_{\mbox{\tiny M}}$	Permissible average input speed
T _{max} = 40 Nm ≤ T _R = 100 Nm	T _k = 200 Nm ≤ T _M = 217 Nm	$N_{k max} = 10^{x}$ $x = 8.5 - 1.5 \cdot \frac{200 \text{ Nm}}{100 \text{ Nm}} = 5.5$ $N_{k max} = 10^{5.5} = 316227$

Equation 22.9

Operating life	
$L_{10} = 20000 \text{ h} \cdot \frac{3000 \text{ rpm}}{1199 \text{ rpm}} \cdot \left(\frac{20 \text{ Nm}}{32 \text{ Nm}}\right)^{10/3} = 10445 \text{ h}$	

rpm =^rpm

We will be pleased to make a gear calculation and selection on your behalf. Please contact our application engineers.

4.2 Calculation of the Torsion Angle

The torsional stiffness may be evaluated by means of the torque-torsion curve shown in illustration 23.1. The values quoted in the tables are the average of measurements made during numerous practical tests.





Calculation of the torsion angle ϕ at load torque T

Equation 23.2

$$\varphi = \mathsf{D} + \frac{(\mathsf{T} - \mathsf{T}_{\scriptscriptstyle L})}{\left(\frac{\mathsf{A}}{\mathsf{B}}\right)}$$

 $\frac{A}{B}$: Torsional Stiffness [Nm/arcmin]

 T_N : Rated torque [Nm]

D : Average torsion angle at 0.15 x $T_{\scriptscriptstyle N}$ [arcmin]

 $\phi \hspace{.1 in}:\hspace{.1 in} \text{Output rotation angle [arcmin]}$

- T : Load torque [Nm]
- $T_{L} = T_{n}^{*}0.15 [Nm]$

Table 23.3

Size			11	14	20	32	50	65	
Average torsion angle (D)	BL3	i < 11	[arcmin]	2.5	2.2	1.5	1.3	1.3	1.3
		i ≥ 11	[arcmin]	3.0	2.7	2.0	1.7	1.7	1.7
	BL1	i < 11	[arcmin]	-	1.1	0.6	0.5	0.5	0.5
		i ≥ 11	[arcmin]	-	1.7	1.1	1.0	1.0	1.0

4.3 Efficiency Versus Load

4.3.1 Efficiency Calculations

The efficiency curves are mean values, which are valid for the following conditions:

n = 3000 rpm
25° C
SK-2 Grease (Size 14, 20, 32)
Epnoc Grease AP(N)2
(Size 11, 50, 65)
BL3 (for BL1 efficiency approx. 2 % lower)

In case of an ambient temperature below 25° C the efficiency η_{τ} can be determined using equation 24.1.

Equation 24.1

 $\eta_{T} = \eta \cdot K$

Illustration 24.2



4.3.2 Efficiency Tables

Size 11

Illustration 25.1



Size 14

Illustration 25.2



Size 32

Illustration 25.4



Size 50



Size 20



Size 65



No Load Starting Torque

The no load starting torque is the quasistatic torque required to commence rotation of the input element (high speed side) with no load applied to the output element (low speed side).

No Load Back Driving Torque

The no load back driving torque is the torque required to commence rotation of the output element (low speed side) with no load applied to the input element (high speed side). The approximate range for no load back driving torque, based on tests of actual production gears, is shown in the matching table. In no case should the values given be regarded as a margin in a system that must hold an external load. Where back driving is not permissible a brake must be fitted.

No Load Running Torque

The no load running torque is the torque required to maintain rotation of the input element (high speed side) at a defined input speed with no load applied to the output.

No Load Starting Torque

Table 26.1

D-ti-	Size									
Ratio	11	14	20	32	50	65				
3	-	13.3	29	53	127	-				
4	-	-	-	-	-	290				
5	4.0	8.6	19	33	80	240				
9	3.7	-	-	-	-	-				
11	-	8.0	15	27	45	-				
12	-	-	-	-	-	125				
15	-	7.4	12	25	40	110				
20	-	-	-	-	-	95				
21	2.9	6.1	9.3	22	38	-				
25	-	-	-	-	-	84				
33	-	4.4	7.2	17	30	-				
37	2.0	-	-	-	-	-				
40	-	-	-	-	-	75				
45	1.8	3.9	6.6	16	28	-				
50	-	-	-	-	-	70				

No Load Back Driving Torque

Table 26.2

Datia	Size								
Ratio	11	14	20	32	50	65			
3	-	0.4	0.9	1.6	4.0	-			
4	-	-	-	-	-	12			
5	0.2	0.4	0.9	1.7	4.0	12			
9	0.3	-	-	-	-	-			
11	-	0.9	1.7	2.9	5.0	-			
12	-	-	-	-	-	15			
15	-	1.1	1.8	3.7	6.0	17			
20	-	-	-	-	-	19			
21	0.6	1.3	2.0	4.7	8.0	-			
25	-	-	-	-	-	21			
33	-	1.5	2.4	5.7	10	-			
37	0.8	-	-	-	-	-			
40	-	-	-	-	-	30			
45	0.8	1.8	2.9	7.3	13	-			
50	-	-	-	-	-	35			

[Ncm]

[Nm]

No Load Running Torque at 3000 rpm

Table 27.1

Datia	Size									
Ratio	11	14	20	32	50	65				
3	-	14	41	110	200	-				
4	-	-	-	-	-	420				
5	5.0	10	28	72	130	360				
9	2.5	-	-	-	-	-				
11	-	5.0	15	38	60	-				
12	-	-	-	-	-	190				
15	-	3.0	11	29	47	160				
20	-	-	-	-	-	130				
21	2.0	3.0	9.0	23	40	-				
25	-	-	-	-	-	110				
33	-	2.0	6.0	14	24	-				
37	1.0	-	-	-	-	-				
40	-	-	-	-	-	76				
45	1.0	2.0	5.0	14	20	-				
50	-	-	-	-	-	64				

4.5 Life for Continuous Operation

The operating life of the output bearing can be calculated using equation 27.2.

Equation 27.2

$$L_{10} = \frac{10^{6}}{60 \cdot n_{av}} \cdot \left(\frac{C}{f_{w} \cdot P_{c}} \right)^{10/3}$$

with:

- $L_{10} \left[h \right] \quad = \quad \mbox{Operating life} \\ n_{av} \left[\mbox{rpm} \right] \quad = \quad \mbox{Average output speed (equation 21.4)}$
- C [N] = Dynamic load rating, see table 18.3 "Output Bearing Ratings"
- $P_{c}[N] = Dynamic equivalent load (equation 28.1)$
- f_w = Operating factor (table 27.3)

Operating factor

Table 27.3

Load conditions	f _w
No impact loads or vibrations	11.2
Normal rotating. normal loads	1.2 1.5
Impact loads and/or vibrations	1.5 3

[Ncm]

Dynamic Equivalent Load

Equation 28.1

$$P_{C} = x \cdot \left(F_{rav} + \frac{2M}{dp}\right) + y \cdot F_{aav}$$

mit:				
$F_{rav}[N] =$	Radial force (equation 28.2)	х	=	Radial load factor (table 28.4)
$F_{aav}[N] =$	Axial force (equation 28.3)	У	=	Axial load factor (table 28.4)
$d_p[m] =$	Pitch circle (table 18.3)	М	=	Tilting moment

Equation 28.2

- ($ n_1 \cdot t_1 \cdot (F_{r1})^{10/3} + n_2 \cdot t_2 \cdot (F_{r2})^{10/3} + + n_n \cdot t_n \cdot (F_{rn})^{10/3}$	10/3
F _{rav} =	$ n_1 \cdot t_1 + n_2 \cdot t_2 + \dots + n_n \cdot t_n$	

Equation 28.3

$$F_{aav} = \left(\frac{-(|n_1| \cdot t_1 \cdot (|F_{a1}|)^{10/3} + |n_2| \cdot t_2 \cdot (|F_{a2}|)^{10/3} + \dots + |n_n| \cdot t_n \cdot (|F_{an}|)^{10/3}}{|n_1| \cdot t_1 + |n_2| \cdot t_2 + \dots + |n_n| \cdot t_n}\right)^{10/3}$$

Table 28.4

Load factors	x	У
$\frac{F_{aav}}{F_{rav} + 2 \cdot M / dp} \le 1.5$	1	0.45
$\frac{F_{aav}}{F_{rav} + 2 \cdot M / dp} > 1.5$	0.67	0.67

Illustration 28.5



Please note:

 F_{rx} = represents the maximum radial force.

 F_{ax} = represents the maximum axial force.

Illustration 28.6



4.5.1 Output Bearing at Oscillating Motion

Life for Oscillating Motion

The operating life at oscillating motion can be calculated using equation 29.1.

	10 ⁶	180	(C)	10/3
L _{OC} =	60 · n ₁	φ.	$\frac{1}{f_w \cdot P_c}$	

with:

L _{oc} [h]	=	Operating life for oscillating motion
n ₁ [cpm]	=	Number of oscillations/minute*
C [N]	=	Dynamic load rating, see table 18.3
P _c [N]	=	Dynamic equivalent load (equation 28.1)
ϕ [deg]	=	Oscillating angle
$f_{\rm W}$	=	Operating factor (table 27.3)

 * one oscillation means 2ϕ

Oscillating angle

At oscillating angles < 5° fretting corrosion may occur due to insufficient lubrication. In this case please contact our sales engineer for counter measures.

Illustration 29.2



4.6 Permissible Static Tilting Moment

In case of static load, the bearing load capacity can be determined as follows:

Equation 30.1

$$f_s = -\frac{C_0}{P_0}$$
 with $P_0 = x_0 \left(F_r + \frac{2M}{d_p} \right) + y_0 \cdot F_a$

and so

Equation 30.2

 $M_0 = \frac{d_p \cdot C_0}{2 \cdot f_s}$

f_s = Static load safety factor

(f_s = 1.5 ... 3) (table 30.3)

C₀ = Static load rating

 $F_r = F_a = 0$

x₀ = 1

 $y_0 = 0.44$

 P_0 = Static equivalent load (equation 30.1)

 d_p = Pitch circle diameter of the output bearing (table 18.3)

 M_0 = Allowable static overturning moment

Table 30.3

Rotation conditions of bearing	Lower limit value for f _s
Normal	≥ 1.5
Vibrations / Impacts	≥ 2
High transmission accuracy	≥ 3

4.7 Angle of Inclination

The angle of inclination of the output flange, as a function of the tilting moment acting on the output bearing, can be calculated by means of equation 30.4:

Equation 30.4

 $\gamma = \frac{M}{K_B}$

with:

y [arcmin] = Angle of inclination of the output flange

M [Nm] = Tilting moment acting on the output bearing

 $K_{_{B}}$ [Nm/arcmin] = Moment stiffness of the output bearing

4.8 Lubrication

HPG Planetary Gears are delivered grease-packed. An additional grease lubrication is not necessary, either during assembly or during operation.

Applied lubricant:

SK-2 grease (Sizes 14, 20, 32), Epnoc grease AP(N)2 (Sizes 11, 50, 65) The output bearing is also lifetime lubricated. Lubricant: Multitemp HL-D Grease Ambient temperature range: -10° C up to +40° C Maximum operating temperature: + 80° C

5. Installation and Operation

5.1 Transport and Storage

Gears should be transported in the original packaging. If the gear is not put into service immediately on receipt, it should be stored in a dry area in the original packaging. The permissible storage temperature range is -20° C to +60° C.

5.2 Gear Condition at Delivery

The gears are generally delivered according to the dimensions indicated in the confirmation drawing.

Gears with Grease Lubrication

Units are supplied with grease lubricant as standard.

5.3 Assembly Information

ADVICE

Screws which have been tightened by the gear manufacturer must not be loosened.

5.4 Assembly Instructions

A motor shaft without key groove should be used. For motor shafts with key groove the groove can be filled with a half key to prevent imbalance.

Contact between sharp-edged or abra-sive objects (cutting chips, splinters, metallic or mineral dust etc.) and the output shaft seal must be prevented.

In addition, permanent contact between the output shaft seal and a permanent liquid covering should be prevented. Please note that the changing operating temperature of a completely sealed actuator can lead to a pressure differential between the environment and the inside of the actuator. This can cause liquid covering the output shaft seal to be drawn into the gear housing, which can lead to corrosive damage. As a countermeasure we recommend the use of an additional shaft seal (to be provided by the user) or the maintenance of a constant pressure inside the gear by applying dry filtered air at a pressure of not more than 104 Pa. Please contact Harmonic Drive AG for further advice.

5.4.1 Preparation for Assembly

Assembly preparation

The gear assembly must be carried out very carefully and within a clean environment. Please make sure that during the assembly procedure no foreign particles enter the gear.

General information

Clean, degrease and dry all mating surfaces to ensure an adequate coefficient of friction. The values given in table 8 are valid for 12.9 quality screws which must be tightened by means of a torque wrench. Locking devices such as spring washers or toothed washers should not be used.

Auxiliary materials for assembly

For the assembly, we recommend the application of the following auxiliary materials or the use of those with similar characteristics. Please pay attention to the application guidelines given by the manufacturer. Auxiliary materials must not enter the gear.

Surface sealing

- Loctite 5203
- Loxeal 28-10

Recommended for all mating surfaces, if the use of o-ring seals is not intended. Flanges provided with O-ring grooves must be sealed with sealing compound when a proper seal cannot be achieved using the O-ring alone.

Screw fixing

Loctite 243

This adhesive ensures that the screw is fixed and also provides a good sealing effect. Loctite 243 is recommended for all screw connections.

Assembly paste

• Klüber Q NB 50

Recommended for o-rings which may come out of the groove during the assembly procedure. Before starting with the assembly you should spread some grease (which you can take from the gear) on all other o-rings.

Adhesives

Loctite 638

Apply Loctite 638 to the connections between motor shaft and Wave Generator. You should make use of it only if this is specified in the confirmation drawing.

5.5 Assembly

Screws which have been tightened by the gear manufacturer must not be loosened.

5.5.1 Motor Assembly

To connect a motor to a HPG Series gear please follow the following instructions:

- Turn the coupling on the input side so that the head of the bolt aligns with the bore for the rubber cap.
- Gently insert the motor vertically into the gear.
- Fix the motor and gear by tightening the bolts on the flange (see table 33.1).
- Fasten the bolt on the input coupling (see table 33.2).
- Finally, insert the rubber cap provided.

Table 33.1										[Nm]
Bolt Size	M2,3	МЗ	M4	M5	M6h	M8	M10	M12	M14	M16
Tightening Torque	0.73	1.28	3.0	5.9	10.1	24.6	48.0	84.0	133.0	206.0

Table 33.2

Bolt Size	M3 HPG-11B	МЗ	M4	М5	M6	M8	M10	M12
Tightening Torque	0.69	1.8	4.6	8.6	14.9	36.1	71.0	123

Illustration 33.3



[Nm]

5.5.2 Assembly of the Output Flange

First connect the unit housing to the machine housing. Then the load should be connected to the output flange. It is important to obey this sequence when the output bearing of the unit must support large tilting moments, radial or axial forces.

When installing the HPG in a machine, please ensure that the assembly surfaces are flat and the tapped holes are free of burrs. Fix the flange by tightening the bolts on the housing flange. During the housing assembly for size HPG-50 it is necessary to use special washers between the screw head and housing.

Size		11	14	20	32	50	65
Number of Bolts		4	4	4	4	4	4
Bolt Size		MЗ	M5	M8	M10	M12	M16
Bolt pitch diameter	[mm]	46	70	105	135	190	260
Tightening Torque	[Nm]	1.4	6.3	26.1	51.5	123	255
Torque transmitting	[Nm]	26.3	110	428	868	2030	5180

Table 34.1

5.5.3 Assembly of the Housing

When connecting the load to the output flange please respect the specifications for the output bearing (see illustration 34.3). Table 34.2

Size		11	14	20	32	50	65
Number of Bolts		3	6	6	6	14	6
Bolt Size		M4	M4	M6	M8	M8	M16
Bolt pitch diameter	[mm]	18	30	45	60	100	120
Tightening Torque	[Nm]	4.5	4.5	15.3	37.2	37.2	319
Torque transmitting	[Nm]	19	63	215	524	2030	4480

Illustration 34.3



6. Glossary

6.1 Technical Data

AC Voltage constant k_{FM} [V_{rms} / 1000 rpm]

Effective value of the induced motor voltage measured at the motor terminals at a speed of 1000 rpm and an operating temperature of 20° C.

Ambient operating temperature [°C]

The intended operating temperature for the operation of the drive.

Average input speed (grease lubrication) n_{av(max)} [rpm]

Maximum permissible average gear input speed for grease lubrication.

Average input speed (oil lubrication) n_{av (max)} [rpm]

Maximum permissible average gear input speed for oil lubrication.

Average torque T_{A} [Nm]

When a variable load is applied to the gear, an average torque should be calculated for the complete operating cycle. This value should not exceed the specified T_{A} limit.

Backlash (Harmonic Planetary gears) [arcmin]

When subjected to the rated torque, Harmonic Planetary gears display characteristics shown in the hysteresis curve. When a torque is applied to the output shaft of the gear with the input shaft locked, the torque-torsion relationship can be measured at the output. Starting from point 0 the graph follows successive points A-B-A-B-A A where the value B-B is defined as the backlash or hysteresis.



Brake closing time t_c [ms]

Delay time to close the brake.

Brake current to hold $I_{HBr} [A_{DC}]$ Current for applying the brake.

Brake current to open $I_{OBr}[A_{DC}]$

Current required to open the brake.

Brake holding torque T_{μ} [Nm]

Torque the actuator can withstand when the brake is applied, with respect to the output.

Brake opening time t_0 [ms]

Delay time for opening the brake.

Brake voltage U_{Br} [VDC] Terminal voltage of the holding brake.

5 5

Collision torque T_M [Nm]

In the event of an emergency stop or collision, the Harmonic Drive[®] Gearing may be subjected to a brief collision torque. The magnitude and frequency of this collision torque should be kept tom a minimum and under no circumstances should the collision torque occur during the normal operating cycle.

Continuous stall current I₀ [A_{rms}]

Effective value of the motor phase current to produce the stall torque.

Continuous stall torque T_o [Nm]

Allowable actuator stall torque.

Demagnetisation current I_F [A_{rms}]

Current at which rotor magnets start to demagnetise.

Dynamic axial load F_{A dyn (max)} [N]

With bearing rotating this is the maximum allowable axial load, with no additional radial forces or tilting moments applied.

Dynamic load rating C [N]

Maximum dynamic load that can be absorbed by the output bearing before permanent damage may occur.

Dynamic radial load $F_{R dyn (max)}[N]$

With bearing rotating this is the maximum allowable radial load, with no additional axial forces or tilting moments applied.

Dynamic tilting moment M_{dyn (max)} [Nm]

With the bearing rotating this is the maximum allowable tilting moment, with no additional axial forces or radial forces applied.

Electrical time constant τ_{p} [s]

The electrical time constant is the time required for the current to reach 63% of its final value.

Hollow shaft diameter d_u [mm]

Free inner diameter of the continuous axial hollow shaft.

Inductance (L-L) L_{I-I} [mH]

Terminal inductance calculated without taking into account the magnetic saturation of the active motor parts.

Lost Motion (Harmonic Drive® Gearing) [arcmin]

Harmonic Drive[®] Gearing exhibits zero backlash in the teeth. Lost motion is the term used to characterise the torsional stiffness in the low torque region.

The illustration shows the angle of rotation ϕ measured against the applied output torque as a hysteresis curve, with the Wave Generator locked. The lost motion measurement of the gear is taken with an output torque of about \pm 4% of the rated torque.



Maximum DC bus voltage U_{DC (max)} [VDC]

The maximum DC bus power supply for the correct operation of the actuator. This value may only be exceeded for a short period during the braking or deceleration phase.

Maximum hollow shaft diameter $d_{H(max)}$ [mm]

For gears with a hollow shaft, this value is the maximum diameter of the axial hollow shaft.

Maximum input speed (grease lubrication) n_{in (max)} [rpm] Maximum allowed input speed for gearing with grease lubrication.

Maximum input speed (oil lubrication) n_{in (max)} [rpm] Maximum allowed input speed for gearing with oil lubrication.

Maximum motor speed n_{max} [rpm]

The maximum allowable motor speed.

Maximum output speed n_{max} [rpm]

The maximum output speed. Due to heating issues, this may only be momentarily applied during the operating cycle. The maximum output speed can occur any number of times as long as the rated speed is greater than the permissible continuous operation calculated in the duty cycle.

Maximum output torque T_{max} [Nm]

Specifies the maximum allowable acceleration and deceleration torques. For highly dynamic processes, this is the maximum torque available for a short period. The maximum torque can be parameterized by the control unit where the maximum current can be limited. The maximum torque can be applied as often as desired, as long as the average torque is within the permissible continuous operation calculated in the duty cycle.

Maximum power P_{max} [W]

Maximum power output.

Mechanical time constant τ_m [s]

The mechanical time constant is the time required to reach 63% of its maximum rated speed in a no-load condition.

Momentary peak torque T_{M} [Nm]

In the event of an emergency stop or collision, the Harmonic Drive[®] Gearing may be subjected to a brief collision torque. The magnitude and frequency of this collision torque should be kept tom a minimum and under no circumstances should the momentary peak torque occur during the normal operating cycle.

Moment of inertia J [kgm²]

Mass moment of inertia at motor side.

Moment of inertia J_{in} [kgm²]

Mass moment of inertia of the gearing with respect to the input.

Moment of inertia J_{out} [kgm²]

Mass moment of inertia with respect to the output.

Motor terminal voltage (Fundamental wave only) U_{M} [V_{rms}]

Required fundamental wave voltage to achieve the specified performance. Additional power losses can lead to restriction of the maximum achievable speed.

Number of pole pairs p Number of magnetic pole pairs on the rotor of the motor.

Offset R [mm] Distance between output bearing and contact point of load.

Pitch circle diameter d_p [mm] Pitch circle diameter of the output bearing.

Protetcion IP

The degree of protection according to EN 60034-5 provides suitability for various environmental conditions.

Rated current I_{N} [A]

Rms value of the sinusoidal current when driven at rated torque and rated speed.

Rated motor speed n_{N} [rpm]

The motor speed which can be continuously maintained when driven at rated torque $T_{_{N}}$, when mounted on a suitably dimensioned heat sink.

Rated power P_{N} [W]

Output power at rated speed and rated torque.

Rated speed n_{N} [rpm]

The output speed which can be continuously maintained when driven at rated torque T_{N} , when mounted on a suitably dimensioned heat sink.

Rated torque T_N [Nm], Servo

The output torque which can be continuously transmitted when driven at rated input speed, when mounted on a suitably dimensioned heat sink.

Rated torque T_N [Nm], Mechanic

The rated torque is a reference torque for the calculation of the gear life. When loaded with the rated torque and running at rated speed the gear will reach the average life L_{so} . The rated torque T_N is not used for the dimensioning of the gear.

Rated voltage U_{N} [V_{rms}]

Supply voltage for operation with rated torque and rated speed.

Ratio i []

The ratio is the reduction of input speed to the output speed.

Note for Harmonic Drive[®] transmission: The standard version of the wave is generating the drive element, the output element of the flexspline and the circular Spline is fixed to the housing. Since the direction of rotation of the drive (Wave Generator) to output reverses (Flexspline), a negative ratio for results Calculations in which the direction of rotation must be considered.

Repeatability [arcmin]

The repeatability of the gear describes the position difference measured during repeated movement to the same desired position from the same direction. The repeatability is defined as half the value of the maximum difference measured, preceded by a \pm sign.



Repeatable peak torque T_R [Nm]

Specifies the maximum allowable acceleration and braking torques. During the normal operating cycle the repeatable peak torque $T_{_{R}}$ should be not be exceeded.

Resistance (L-L, 20° C) R_{I-I} [Ω]

Winding resistance measured between two conductors at a winding temperature of 20° C.

Size

1) Actuators / Gears with Harmonic Drive[®] gears or Harmonic Planetary gears

The frame size is derived from the pitch circle diameter of the gear teeth in inches multiplied by 10.

2) CHM Servo motor series

The size of the CHM servo motors is derived from the stall torque in Ncm.

3) Direct drives from the TorkDrive[®] series

The size of the TorkDrive[®] series is the outer diameter of theiron core of the stator.

Static load rating C_n [N]

Maximum static load that can be absorbed by the output bearing before permanent damage may occur.

Static tilting moment M_n [Nm]

With the bearing stationary this is the maximum allowable radial load, with no additional axial forces or tilting moments applied.

Tilting moment stiffness K_{B} [Nm/arcmin]

The tilting angle of the output bearing at an applied moment load.

Torque constant (motor) k_{TM} [Nm/A_{rms}]

Quotient of stall torque and stall current.

Torque constant (output) k_{Tout} [Nm/A_{rms}]

Quotient of stall torque and stall current, taking into account the transmission losses.

Torsional stiffness (Harmonic Drive[®] Gears) K₃ [Nm/rad]

The amount of elastic rotation at the output for a given torque and the Wave Generator blocked. The torsional stiffness K_3 describes the stiffness above a defined reference torque where the stiffness is almost linear. Values below this torque can be requested or found on our web site.

The value given for the torsional stiffness K_3 is an average that has been determined during numerous tests. The limit torques T_1 and T_2 and calculation example for the total torsional angle Gesamtverdrehwinkels can be found in the secondary technical documentation.

Torsional stiffness (Harmonic Planetary gears) K [Nm/rad]

The amount of elastic rotation at the output for a given torque and blocked input shaft. The torsional rigidity of the Harmonic Planetary gear describes the rotation of the gear above a reference torque of 15% of the rated torque. In this area the torsional stiffness is almost linear.





Transmission accuracy [arcmin]

The transmission accuracy of the gear represents a linearity error between input and output angle. The transmission accuracy is measured for one complete output revolution using a high resolution measurement system. The measurements are carried out without direction reversal. The transmission accuracy is defined as the sum of the maximum positive and negative differences between theoretical and actual output rotation angle.



Weight m [kg]

The weight specified in the catalog is the net weight without packing and only applies to standard versions.

6.2 Labelling, Guidelines and Regulations

CE-Marking

With the CE marking, the manufacturer or EU importer declares in accordance with EU regulation, that by affixing the CE mark the product meets the applicable requirements in the harmonization legislation established the Community.

REACH Regulation

REACH is a European Community Regulation on chemicals. REACH stands for Registration, Evaluation, Authorization and Restriction of Chemicals.

RoHS EU Directive

The RoHS EU Directive on the restriction of the use of certain hazardous substances in electrical and electronic equipment.







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