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I General Part

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Trade name of the construction product:

BÄR Ringed shank nails

Product family to which the above construction product belongs:

Nails for use in nailing plates in timber structures

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II SPECIFIC PART OF THE EUROPEAN TECHNICAL ASSESSMENT

1 Technical description of product and intended use

Technical description of the product

BÄR Ringed shank nails are made from cold formed steel thread. The shank is cylindrical and made with annular rings on part of the shank.

The nails shall be produced from carbon steel wire. Where corrosion protection is required, the material or coating shall be declared in accordance with the relevant specification given in Annex A of EN 14592. See Annex A for drawings including material and dimensions of the nails covered by this ETA.

Geometry

The range covers nails with 2 different diameters; 4,0 mm and 6,0 mm. For nails with a diameter of 4 mm the length varies from 35 mm to 100 mm. For nails with a diameter of 6 mm the length varies from 60 mm to 100 mm. These nails are all ring shanked nails. Other dimensions appear from Annex A.

2 Specification of the intended use in accordance with the applicable EAD

The nails are used for steel and aluminium nailing plates and three-dimensional steel and aluminium nailing plates up to 6 mm thick for connections in load bearing timber structures with members of for example solid timber, glued laminated timber, cross laminated timber and similar glued members of wood-based structural members, where requirements for mechanical resistance and stability and safety in use in the sense of the Basic Works Requirements 1 and 4 of Regulation (EU) 305/2011 shall be fulfilled.

Steel plates shall only be located on the side of the nail head. The following wood-based panels may be used for BÄR Ringed shank nails:

- Plywood according to EN 636 or ETA
- Solid wood panels according to EN 13353 and EN 13986 and cross laminated timber according to ETA
- Laminated Veneer Lumber according to EN 14374 or ETA
- FST according to ETA-14/0354
- Engineered wood products according to ETA if the ETA of the product includes provisions for the use of ringed shank nails, the provisions of the ETA of the engineered wood product apply

With the exception of Beech LVL or FST according to ETA-14/0354, the nails shall be driven into the wood without pre-drilling.

The design of the connections shall be based on the characteristic load-carrying capacities of the nails. The design capacities shall be derived from the characteristic capacities in accordance with Eurocode 5 or an appropriate national code.

The nails are intended for use for connections subject to static or quasi static loading.

The scope of the nails regarding resistance to corrosion shall be defined according to national provisions that apply at the installation site considering environmental conditions. Section 3.10 of this ETA contains the corrosion protection for BÄR Ringed shank nails made from carbon steel.

The provisions made in this European Technical Assessment are based on an assumed intended working life of the BÄR Ringed shank nails of 50 years.

The indications given on the working life cannot be interpreted as a guarantee given by the producer or Assessment Body, 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

Characteristic	Assessment of characteristic
3.1 Mechanical resistance and stability*) (BWR1)	
Withdrawal and lateral load-carrying capacity	See Annex B
Tensile capacity	Characteristic value $f_{tens,k}$: BÄR Ringed shank nail d = 4,0 mm: 6,9 kN BÄR Ringed shank nail d = 6,0 mm: 11,4 kN
Torsional strength of screws	Not relevant
Insertion moment	Not relevant
3.2 Safety in case of fire (BWR2)	
Reaction to fire	The nails are made from steel classified as Euroclass A1 in accordance with EN 13501-1 and Commission Delegated Regulation 2016/364
3.3 General aspects related to the performance of the product	
	The nails have been assessed as having satisfactory durability and serviceability when used in timber structures using the timber species described in Eurocode 5 and subject to the conditions defined by service class 1 and 2

*) See additional information in section 3.4 – 3.6.

3.4 Mechanical resistance and stability

The load-carrying capacities for BÄR Ringed shank nails are applicable to the wood-based materials mentioned in paragraph 1 even though the term timber has been used in the following.

The characteristic lateral load-carrying capacities and the characteristic axial withdrawal capacities of BÄR Ringed shank nails should be used for designs in accordance with Eurocode 5 or an appropriate national code. The formulas for the load-carrying capacities are restricted to characteristic densities of the non-predrilled wood-based materials up to 480 kg/m³ for BÄR Ringed shank nails except BÄR Ringed shank nails 4,0x35. Even though the non-predrilled wood-based material may have a larger density, this must not be used in the formulas. For predrilled wood-based members, the characteristic density is limited to a maximum of 730 kg/m³.

The capacities stated below are applicable to connections with metal plates.

The diameter of the nails shall be greater than the maximum width of the gaps in the layers of the cross laminated timber.

ETA's for structural members or wood-based panels must be considered where applicable.

3.4.1 BÄR Ringed shank nails

Withdrawal capacity

The characteristic withdrawal capacity, $F_{ax,Rk}$, of a BÄR Ringed shank nails in non-predrilled members shall be calculated from:

$$F_{ax,Rk} = 7,5 \cdot d \cdot \ell_{ef} \cdot \left(\frac{\rho_k}{350} \right)^{0,8} \quad [N]$$

For 4,0 mm nails in non-predrilled Beech LVL or FST according to ETA-14/0354 the characteristic withdrawal capacity, $F_{ax,Rk}$, of a BÄR Ringed shank nails with a maximum penetration length of 34 mm may be calculated from:

$$F_{ax,Rk} = 25 \cdot d \cdot \ell_{ef} \cdot \left(\frac{\rho_k}{730} \right)^{0,8} \quad [N]$$

For 4,0 mm nails in predrilled Beech LVL or FST according to ETA-14/0354 the characteristic withdrawal capacity, $F_{ax,Rk}$, of a BÄR Ringed shank nails may be calculated from:

$$F_{ax,Rk} = 17 \cdot d \cdot \ell_{ef} \cdot \left(\frac{\rho_k}{730} \right)^{0,8} \quad [N]$$

Where:

- ℓ_{ef} is the nominal threaded length of the nail including the point in mm,
- d is the nominal diameter of the nail in mm,
- ρ_k is the characteristic timber density, $\rho_k \leq 480$ kg/m³ for nails with a penetration length of more than 34 mm in non-predrilled members

Lateral capacity

The characteristic lateral load-carrying capacity of a BÄR Ringed shank nails in a metal plate shall be calculated from:

$$F_{v,Rk} = \min \left\{ \begin{array}{l} 0,4 \cdot f_{h,k} \cdot t_1 \cdot d \\ 1,15 \cdot \sqrt{2 \cdot M_{y,Rk} \cdot f_{h,k} \cdot d} + \frac{F_{ax,Rk}}{2} \end{array} \right. \quad [N]$$

for thin metal plates, and

$$F_{v,Rk} = \min \left\{ \begin{array}{l} f_{h,k} \cdot t_1 \cdot d \\ f_{h,k} \cdot t_1 \cdot d \left[\sqrt{2 + \frac{4 \cdot M_{y,Rk}}{f_{h,k} \cdot d \cdot t_1^2}} - 1 \right] + \frac{F_{ax,Rk}}{2} \\ 2,3 \cdot \sqrt{M_{y,Rk} \cdot f_{h,k} \cdot d} + \frac{F_{ax,Rk}}{2} \end{array} \right. \quad [N]$$

for thick metal plates.

For densities exceeding 480 kg/m³ thin metal plates must always be assumed and $F_{ax,Rk}$ shall be determined as:

$$F_{ax,Rk} = \min \left\{ f_{ax,k} \cdot d \cdot \ell_{ef}; f_{tens,k} - \sqrt{6 \cdot M_{y,k} \cdot f_{h,k} \cdot d} \right\}$$

Where

$f_{h,k}$ is the characteristic embedding strength [MPa] of the timber or wood-based panel according to EN 1995-1-1.

For 4,0 mm nails in Beech LVL or FST according to ETA-14/0354 the characteristic embedding strength may be calculated from

$$f_{h,k} = \frac{75}{\left(0,7 \cdot \sin^2 \alpha + \cos^2 \alpha \right) \cdot \left(1,2 \cdot \cos^2 \beta + \sin^2 \beta \right)}$$

α is the angle between load and grain direction,

β is the angle between the nail axis and the LVL's wide face,

t_1 is the minimum of the nail penetration length including the tip or the timber thickness [mm],

d is the nominal nail diameter [mm],

$M_{y,Rk}$ is the characteristic nail yield moment [Nmm],

$f_{tens,k}$ is the characteristic nail tensile strength [N];

Yield moment

The characteristic yield moment $M_{y,Rk}$, of a BÄR Ringed shank nails is stated in Table B.2 in Annex B depending on the nail diameter.

Thick metal plates may be assumed for the following plate thicknesses for nails in wood-based materials with a characteristic density up to 480 kg/m³:

BÄR Ringed shank nail Ø 4,0 mm: $t_{\text{thick}} \geq 1,5 \text{ mm}$

BÄR Ringed shank nail Ø 6,0 mm: $t_{\text{thick}} \geq 3,0 \text{ mm}$

The following plate thicknesses apply for thin metal plates for nails in wood-based materials with a characteristic density up to 480 kg/m³:

BÄR Ringed shank nail Ø 4,0 mm: $t_{\text{thin}} \geq 0,9 \text{ mm}$

BÄR Ringed shank nail Ø 6,0 mm: $t_{\text{thin}} \geq 2,0 \text{ mm}$

Minimum metal plate thicknesses are:

BÄR Ringed shank nail Ø 4,0 mm:

$$t_{\text{min}} = \max \left\{ 0,9 \text{ mm}; \frac{F_{v,Rk}}{2 \cdot d \cdot f_{u,k}} \right\}$$

BÄR Ringed shank nail Ø 6,0 mm:

$$t_{\text{min}} = \max \left\{ 2,0 \text{ mm}; \frac{F_{v,Rk}}{2 \cdot d \cdot f_{u,k}} \right\}$$

Where

$f_{u,k}$ is the characteristic tensile strength [MPa] of the metal plate.

For plate thicknesses between minimum thickness t_{min} and the thickness t_{thick} linear interpolation may be used.

Combined laterally and axially loaded nails

For nailed connections subjected to a combination of axial and lateral load, the following expression should be satisfied:

$$\left(\frac{F_{ax,Ed}}{F_{ax,Rd}} \right)^2 + \left(\frac{F_{v,Ed}}{F_{v,Rd}} \right)^2 \leq 1$$

where

$F_{ax,Ed}$ axial design load of the nail

$F_{v,Ed}$ lateral design load of the nail

$F_{ax,Rd}$ design load-carrying capacity of an axially loaded nail

$F_{v,Rd}$ design load-carrying capacity of a laterally loaded nail

3.5 Aspects related to the performance of the product

3.5.1 Corrosion protection in service class 1 and 2.

The BÄR Ringed shank nails are produced from carbon wire. They are brass-plated, nickel-plated bronze finished or electrogalvanised and e.g. yellow or blue chromated. The minimum thickness of the zinc coating is 7µm.

3.6 General aspects related to the fitness for use of the product

The nails are manufactured in accordance with the provisions of this European Technical Assessment using the manufacturing processes as identified in the inspection of the plant by the notified inspection body and laid down in the technical documentation.

The installation shall be carried out in accordance with Eurocode 5 or an appropriate national code unless otherwise is defined in the following. Instructions from Schürmann & Hilleke GmbH & Co.KG should be considered for installation.

For structural members according to ETA's the terms of the ETA's must be considered.

For steel-to-timber connections with Beech LVL or FST according to ETA-14/0354 BÄR Ringed shank nails with diameter 6 mm must not be used.

BÄR Ringed shank nails with a penetration length exceeding 34 mm shall be driven into Beech LVL or FST according to ETA-14/0354 after predrilling with a drill hole diameter of 3,5 mm.

4 Attestation and verification of constancy of performance (AVCP)

4.1 AVCP system

According to the decision 97/176/EC of the European Commission¹, as amended, the system(s) of assessment and verification of constancy of performance (see Annex V to Regulation (EU) No 305/2011) is 2+.

5 Technical details necessary for the implementation of the AVCP system, as foreseen in the applicable EAD

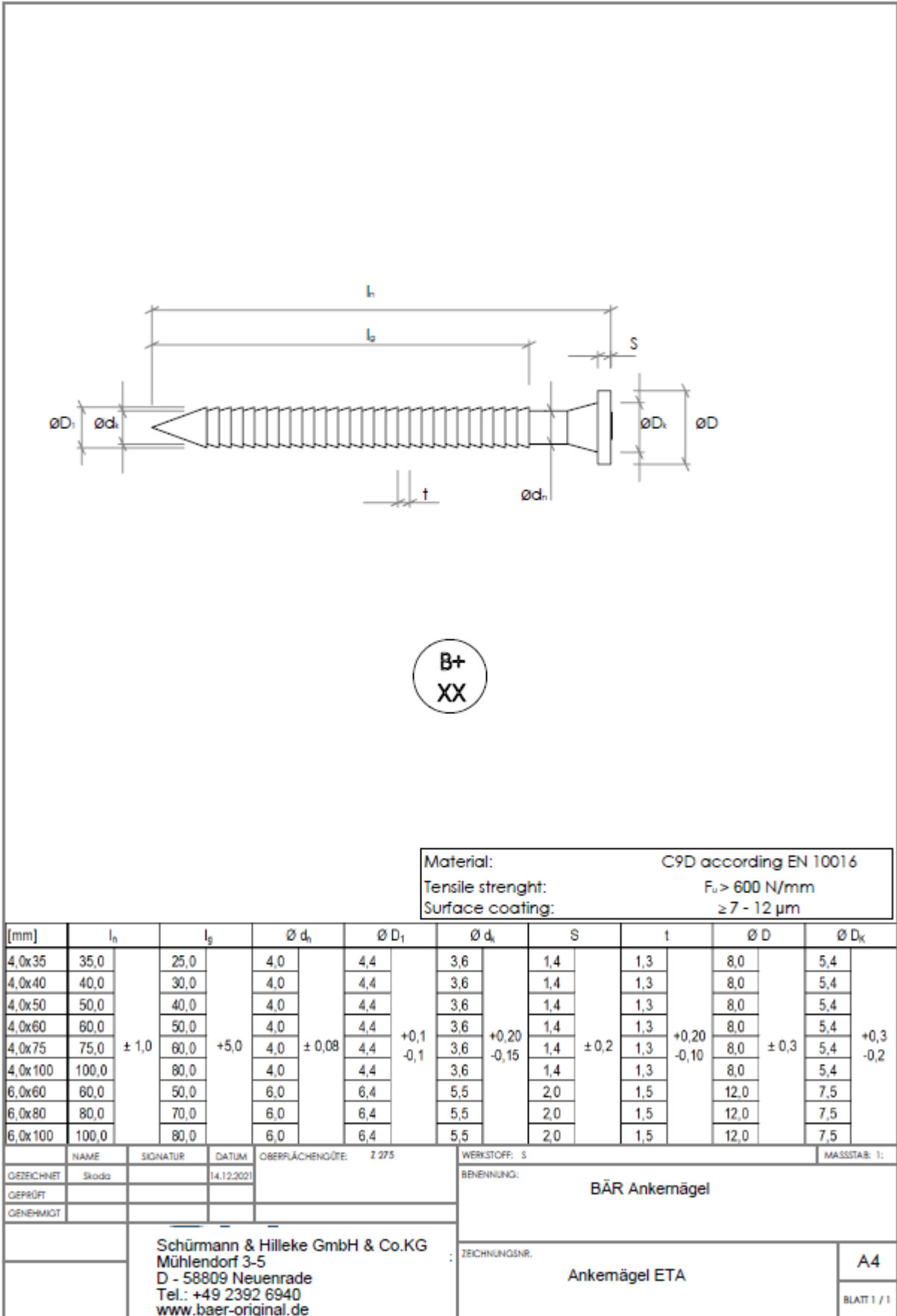
Technical details necessary for the implementation of the AVCP system are laid down in the control plan deposited at ETA-Danmark prior to CE marking.

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Annex A
Drawings of BÄR Ringed shank nails



Annex B

Characteristic capacities for BÄR Ringed shank nails

Table B.1 Characteristic capacities for BÄR Ringed shank nails

Characteristic capacities for a characteristic density of the timber members as indicated in Table B.1. The nail shall be driven completely into the wood or wood based material, which shall have a thickness of at least the length of the nail. The values given in Table B.1 presuppose that the threaded part of the nail is completely embedded in the wood or wood based material.

Nail non predrilled	C18 $\rho_k = 320 \text{ kg/m}^3$			C24/GL24c $\rho_k = 350 \text{ kg/m}^3$			C30/GL24h/GL28c $\rho_k = 380 \text{ kg/m}^3$			GL28h/GL32c $\rho_k = 410 \text{ kg/m}^3$			Kerto LVL $\rho_k = 480 \text{ kg/m}^3$		
	$F_{ax,Rk}$ [N]	$F_{v,Rk}$ [N]		$F_{ax,Rk}$ [N]	$F_{v,Rk}$ [N]		$F_{ax,Rk}$ [N]	$F_{v,Rk}$ [N]		$F_{ax,Rk}$ [N]	$F_{v,Rk}$ [N]		$F_{ax,Rk}$ [N]	$F_{v,Rk}$ [N]	
		thin	thick		thin	thick		thin	thick		thin	thick		thin	thick
4,0 x 35	698	945	1574	750	1033	1691	801	1122	1807	851	1210	1923	966	1417	2191
4,0 x 40	838	1083	1755	900	1185	1890	961	1286	2025	1021	1388	2159	1159	1625	2469
4,0 x 50	1117	1360	2102	1200	1488	2214	1282	1615	2322	1362	1743	2428	1545	2040	2662
4,0 x 60	1396	1637	2241	1500	1790	2364	1602	1944	2483	1702	2086	2598	1931	2302	2855
4,0 x 75	1675	1929	2381	1800	2041	2514	1922	2150	2643	2043	2257	2768	2317	2495	3049
4,0 x 100	2234	2208	2660	2400	2341	2814	2563	2471	2963	2724	2597	3109	3090	2881	3435
6,0 x 60	2094	2134	3722	2250	2334	4010	2403	2534	4296	2554	2734	4581	2897	3201	5172
6,0 x 80	2932	2870	4507	3150	3139	4755	3364	3408	4995	3575	3677	5229	4056	4304	5752
6,0 x 100	3351	3605	4716	3600	3943	4980	3845	4265	5236	4086	4476	5484	4635	4951	6041
Nail in Beech LVL or FST	$\rho_k = 730 \text{ kg/m}^3$ Non-predrilled Wide face			$\rho_k = 730 \text{ kg/m}^3$ Non-predrilled Edge face			$\rho_k = 730 \text{ kg/m}^3$ Predrilled Wide face			$\rho_k = 730 \text{ kg/m}^3$ Predrilled Edge face					
	$F_{ax,Rk}$ [N]	$F_{v,Rk}$ [N]		$F_{ax,Rk}$ [N]	$F_{v,Rk}$ [N]		$F_{ax,Rk}$ [N]	$F_{v,Rk}$ [N]		$F_{ax,Rk}$ [N]	$F_{v,Rk}$ [N]				
		0°	90°		0°	90°		0°	90°		0°	90°			
4,0 x 35	2500	3521	4475	2500	3323	4140	1700	3121	4275	1700	2923	3940			
4,0 x 40	-	-	-	-	-	-	2040	3291	4360	2040	3093	4025			
4,0 x 50	-	-	-	-	-	-	2720	3631	4530	2720	3433	4195			
4,0 x 60	-	-	-	-	-	-	2812	3677	4553	3168	3657	4307			
4,0 x 75	-	-	-	-	-	-	2812	3677	4553	3168	3657	4307			
4,0 x 100	-	-	-	-	-	-	2812	3677	4553	3168	3657	4307			

$F_{ax,Rk}$ Characteristic withdrawal (axial) capacity per nail
Values for other densities (ρ_k) up to 480 kg/m³ may be calculated by multiplying the values for C24 with $(\rho_k/350)^{0,8}$

$F_{v,Rk}$ Characteristic load-carrying capacity per shear plane per nail
Thin refers to a plate thickness = 0,9 mm for d = 4,0 mm and a plate thickness = 2,0 mm for d = 6,0 mm
Thick refers to a plate thickness = 1,5 mm for d = 4,0 mm and a plate thickness = 3,0 mm for d = 6,0 mm
0° or 90°, respectively, refer to the load-grain angle

In non-predrilled Beech LVL or FST according to ETA-14/0354 the characteristic load-carrying capacities for nails 4,0 x 35 may be used for longer nails if the penetration length does not exceed 34 mm.

Table B.2 Characteristic yield moments for BÄR Ringed shank nails

Nail diameter [mm]	$M_{y,Rk}$ [Nmm]
4,0	6500
6,0	19000