

**EJOT®**

**EJOT FDS®**  
The Flow-Drill Screw for  
High-Strength Sheet  
Joints



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### Convincing facts about the EJOT FDS® joint

Removable and high-strength screw joint, without part preparations like punching or drilling

No problems regarding hole overlapping of clearance and pilot hole

No material waste while forming the through draught

No chips during thread forming

Several metric threads are engaged

High safety margin due to large distance between installation and stripping torque

High shearing strength and pull-out force

Assembly in different sheet surfaces is possible

High break loose torque and vibration resistance

Repeat assemblies possible with standard machine screws

Earthing assemblies (according to DIN VDE 0700) are practical

Easy to disassemble and recyclable

Low overall joint costs

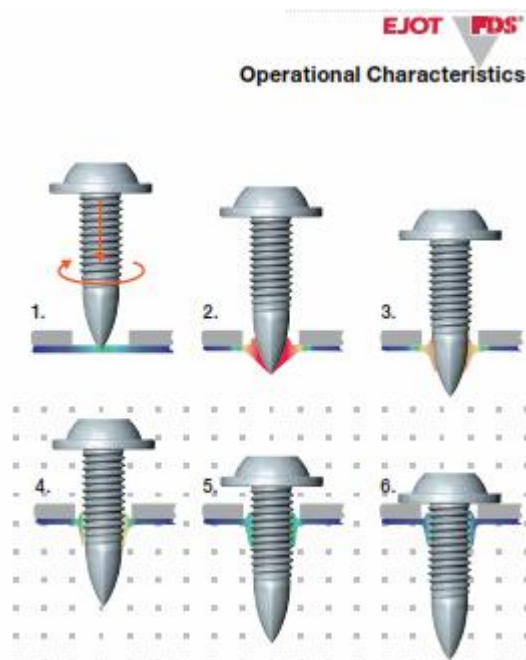


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## Stages of the FDS® assembly

1. Warming up of the sheet through end load and high rotation speed
2. Penetration into the material
3. Forming of the through draught
4. Chipless forming of female machine thread
5. Engagement of full threads
6. Tightening with the pre-set torque

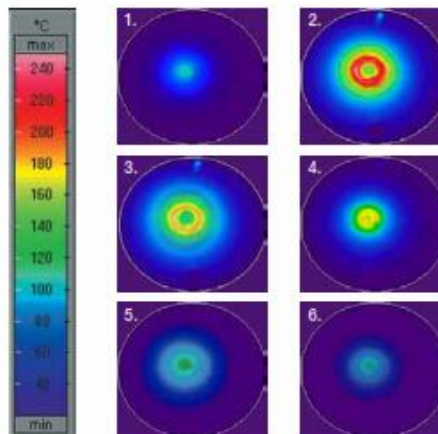


### Temperature pattern of a FDS® joint

1. Heating
2. Penetrating
3. Through draught forming
4. Thread forming
5. Engagement of full threads
6. Tightening

### Fastening parameter

Material:	0,8 mm steel plate DC 04 (without pilot hole)
Screw:	EJOT FDS® M3,5
Driver speed:	2300 rpm



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### Design Recommendations

In many applications the EJOT FDS® can be used with existing products.

The following notes are for the design of existing and new products.

The usable thread length  $b$  of EJOT FDS® screws is depending on the part's thickness  $S_1$  and the metal sheet thickness  $S_2$ .

It is given by:

$b = S_1 + 3 \times S_2$  without prepunching (type Standard)

$b = S_1 + 2 \times S_2$  with prepunching (type PKS and BS)

Example

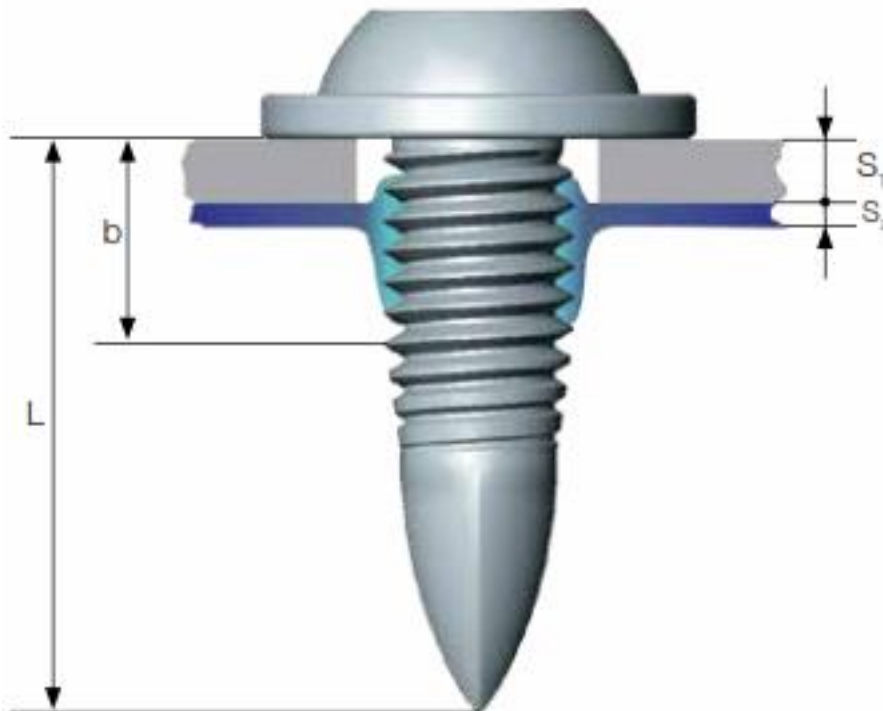
$S_1 = 4,50$  mm,  $S_2 = 0,75$  mm:

without prepunching

$b = (4,50 + 3 \times 0,75)$  mm = 6,75 mm

with prepunching

$b = (4,50 + 2 \times 0,75)$  mm = 6,00 mm



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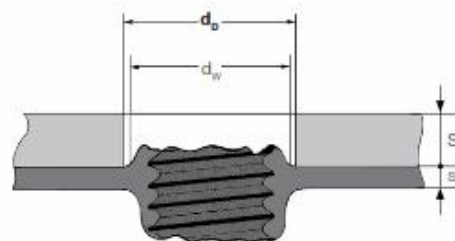


### Usable thread length.

EJOT FDS® screw	M3			M3,5			M4			M5			M6		
	Standard	PKS	BS	Standard	PKS	BS	Standard	PKS	BS	Standard	PKS	BS	Standard	PKS	BS
Length L [mm]	Usable thread length b [mm]														
9 + 0,8	2,40	4,70													
10 + 0,8	3,40	5,70		2,40	4,90	4,60									
12 + 0,8	5,40	7,70		4,40	6,90	6,60	3,10	5,70	5,40						
14 + 0,8	7,40	9,70		6,40	8,90	8,60	5,10	7,70	7,40	2,90	6,20	6,10			
16 + 0,8	9,40	11,70		8,40	10,90	10,60	7,10	9,70	9,40	4,90	8,20	8,10	2,90	6,60	5,90
18 + 0,8	11,40	13,90		10,40	12,90	12,60	9,10	11,70	11,40	6,90	10,20	10,10	4,90	8,60	7,90
20 + 0,8				12,40	14,90	14,60	11,10	13,70	13,40	8,90	12,20	12,10	6,90	10,60	9,90
25 + 0,8							16,10	18,70	18,40	13,90	17,20	17,10	11,90	15,60	14,90
30 + 0,8										18,90	22,20	22,10	16,90	20,60	19,90
35 + 1,0													21,90	25,60	24,90
40 + 1,0													26,90	30,60	29,90
45 + 1,0													31,90	35,60	34,90
50 + 10													36,90	40,60	39,90

### Recommended clearance hole $d_b$

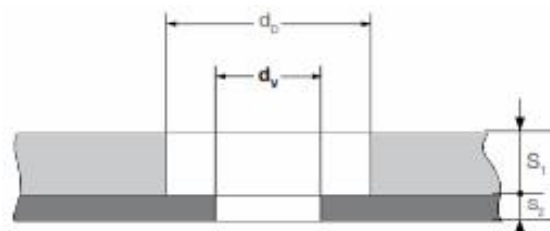
Flow-drilling with the EJOT FDS® Screw causes a small portion of the formed part to flow against the fastening direction and to create a bulge which as to be absorbed by the clearance hole of the component to be fastened. For this reason we recommend the following hole diameters.



FDS®	M3	M3,5	M4	M5	M6
$d_b$	3,6 - 4,0	4,3 - 4,8	5,1 - 5,7	6,7 - 7,4	8,2 - 9,1

### Recommended hole diameter $d_v$ for the PKS type

FDS®	M3	M3,5	M4	M5	M6
0,5	1,0 - 1,4	1,2 - 1,7	1,5 - 2,0	1,8 - 2,5	-
0,63	1,2 - 1,6	1,4 - 1,8	1,6 - 2,2	1,8 - 2,5	2,0 - 3,0
0,75	1,6 - 1,8	1,6 - 2,0	1,8 - 2,5	2,0 - 2,8	2,2 - 3,2
0,88	1,8 - 2,2	1,8 - 2,3	2,0 - 2,6	2,2 - 3,0	2,5 - 3,5
1,00	-	1,8 - 2,4	2,2 - 2,8	2,6 - 3,4	2,8 - 3,8
1,25	-	-	2,4 - 3,0	3,0 - 3,8	3,4 - 4,5
1,50	-	-	-	3,4 - 4,2	3,8 - 5,0
>1,50	-	-	-	4,2 - 4,6	5,2 - 5,6

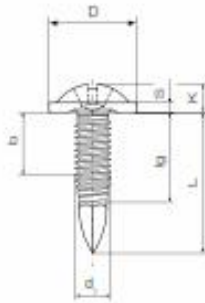


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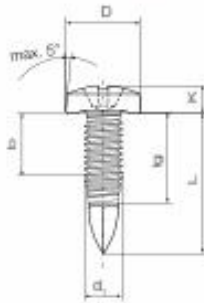
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Designs

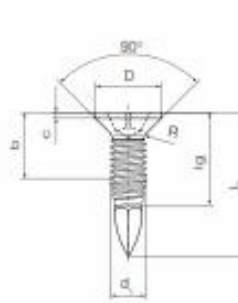
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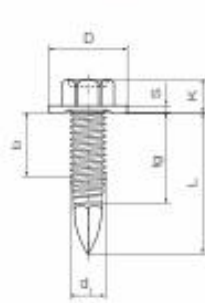
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WN 2143



WN 2147



H-cross recess

Z-cross recess

TORX®

TORXplus® /  
AUTOSERT®



All cross recess and TORX® drives are also available as combi drives.

In case of manual assembly with TORX® it is recommended to use a TORXALIGN® bit, e.g. STICK FIT bits by TORX PLUS® drives.

EJOT FDS®	Nominal-Ø	M 3	M 3,5	M 4	M 5	M 6
External thread-Ø	d <sub>1</sub>	3,0	3,5	4,0	5,0	6,0

WN 2141	Head-Ø	D	M 3				M 3,5		M 4		M 5		M 6		
			Head height	K	2,40	2,50	3,20	4,00	4,60	Washer thickness	s	0,80	0,90	1,10	1,30
H-cross-recess	penetration	t	min.	1,07	1,33	1,98	2,24	2,84	depth	t	min.	1,07	1,33	1,98	2,24
			max.	1,70	1,96	2,61	2,90	3,50			max.	1,70	1,96	2,61	2,90
Z-cross-recess	penetration	t	min.	1,08	1,40	2,01	2,27	2,91	depth	t	min.	1,08	1,40	2,01	2,27
			max.	1,54	1,86	2,47	2,73	3,37			max.	1,54	1,86	2,47	2,73
Cross size H/Z			1		2		2		3		3				

WN 2142	Head-Ø	D	M 3				M 3,5		M 4		M 5		M 6							
			Head height	K	2,40	2,70	3,10	3,80	4,60	H-cross-recess	penetration	t	min.	1,70	1,74	2,04	2,77	3,03		
depth	t	max.	2,00	2,24	2,54	3,27	3,53	Z-cross-recess	penetration	t			min.	1,68	1,65	1,90	2,64	3,02		
depth	t	max.	1,93	2,11	2,36	3,10	3,48	Cross size H/Z			1		2		2		2		3	

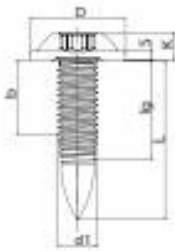
WN 2143	Head-Ø	D	M 3				M 3,5		M 4		M 5		M 6		
			Cyl. head height	c <sub>max</sub>	0,55	0,55	0,65	0,75	0,85	Radius	R <sub>max</sub>	0,80	0,95	1,00	1,30
H-cross-recess	penetration	t	min.	1,50	1,40	1,90	2,10	2,80	depth	t	min.	1,80	1,90	2,40	2,60
			max.	1,80	1,90	2,40	2,60	3,30			max.	1,80	1,90	2,40	2,60
Z-cross-recess	penetration	t	min.	1,48	1,34	1,60	2,05	2,46	depth	t	min.	1,48	1,34	1,60	2,05
			max.	1,73	1,80	2,06	2,51	2,92			max.	1,73	1,80	2,06	2,51
Cross size H/Z			1		2		2		2		3				

WN 2147	Washer-Ø	D	7,50	8,30	9,00	11,00	13,00
	Head height	K	3,00	3,40	3,80	4,30	5,00
	Washer thickness	s	0,80	0,80	0,80	1,00	1,20
	Width across flats	A/F	5,00	5,50	5,50	7,00	8,00

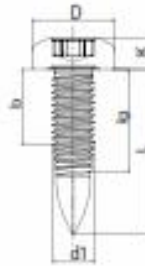
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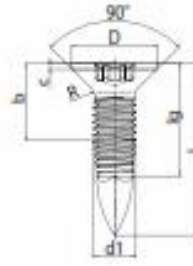
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WN 2152



WN 2154



All WN-specifications according to types:



**Ordering Example:**

Description of EJOT FDS® screw Ø 4 mm and length 20 mm

- a) type Standard with Z-cross recess according to WN 2141;
- b) type PKS with TORX® recess according to WN 2152;
- c) type BS with hexagonal head according to WN 2147;

**EJOT FDS® screw M4 x 20 WN2141-Z**  
**EJOT FDS® screw M4 x 20 PKS WN2152**  
**EJOT FDS® screw M4 x 20 BS WN2147**

EJOT FDS®	Nominal-Ø		M 3	M 3,5	M 4	M 5	M 6
	External thread-Ø	d <sub>1</sub>	3,0	3,5	4,0	5,0	6,0
WN 2151	Head-Ø	D	7,50	8,50	10,00	12,00	14,00
	Head height	K	2,70	2,90	3,60	3,90	4,80
	Washer thickness	s	0,70	0,80	1,00	1,20	1,40
	<b>TORX®</b>		T10	T15	T20	T25	T30
	Penetration depth		A <sub>TORX</sub>	2,80	3,35	3,95	4,50
		min.	1,00	1,20	1,40	1,60	2,00
		max.	1,30	1,50	1,80	2,00	2,40
WN 2152	Head-Ø	D	6,00	7,00	8,00	10,00	12,00
	Head height	K	2,70	2,90	3,60	3,90	4,80
	<b>TORX®</b>		T10	T15	T20	T25	T30
		A <sub>TORX</sub>	2,80	3,35	3,95	4,50	5,60
	Penetration depth		min.	1,00	1,20	1,40	1,60
		max.	1,30	1,50	1,80	2,00	2,40
WN 2154		Head-Ø	D	5,60	6,50	7,50	9,20
	Cyl. Head height	c <sub>max</sub>	0,60	0,65	0,70	0,75	0,85
	<b>TORX®</b>		T10	T15	T20	T25	T30
		A <sub>TORX</sub>	2,80	3,35	3,95	4,50	5,60
	Penetration depth		min.	0,75	0,85	1,10	1,15
		max.	1,10	1,15	1,55	1,55	1,80

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