

Specimen preparation for metal Zwick blanking and sample finishing machines 71XX

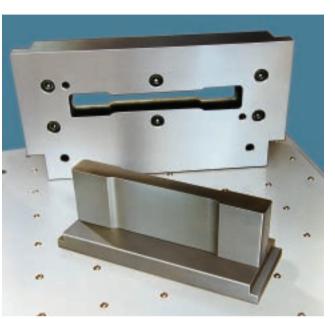
## **Product information**



blanking machine (with enlarged table H08.7110.500)

#### Range of application

- · blanking machines to cut out test pieces 0.2....6 mm thick, for cutting forces of 200/500 and 1000 kN
- blanking machine to cut out test pieces 0.2....8 mm thick for cutting forces of up to 1500 kN
- sample finishing machine for the removal of the strain hardened zone



blanking tool

#### **Special characteristic features**

- reliable production of test specimens from sheet metal by means of blanking tools corresponding exactly to the customer's specification
- economic production of test specimens due to a low cutting velocity and to the particular shape of the blanking tool
- the form of the blanking tool is determined by the customer
- the blanking tool to be selected depends on the specimen thickness. Thus, the optimum cut is obtained
- the guaranteed parallelism of the test pieces with the sample finishing machine is better than 0.02 mm
- long edge life of the blanking tools and possibility of repeated resharpening



#### Principle

The appropriate and accurate extraction and preparation of the test pieces is the first step to precise test results. National and international standards as well as in-house specifications are determining the geometry and the dimensions of these test specimens. The way of their production depends on the basis material.

#### Blanking machines Zwick 7115, 7116, 7117, 7118

Test specimens from sheet metal and metallic films are nowadays economically and precisely produced by means of blanking machines. The current test standards, as e.g. DIN 50114, EN 10002, ASTM A 370. BS 18 however require that no alteration of the tested material by strain hardening the skin zone of the test piece should influence the test results. Contrary to the cutting techniques with eccentric blanking machines, where the strain hardened zone can be up to 35% of the specimen thickness, the blanking machines Zwick 7115...7118 are leading to cuttings of a remarkably better quality. Even the milling is not suitable if you consider the prescribed standard surface roughness of 6.3 µm. Numerous structure examinations on sheet steel made evident that the strain hardened skin zone along the cutting line regularly does not exceed 10% of the specimen thickness.

This result is achieved due to the low cutting velocity and due to the particular shape of the cutting tool. It offers a great economical advantage for the consecutive finishing process by grinding the test piece.

#### Form of blanking tools with the dimensions in mm:

| Standard                  | Length | Dumbbell<br>width | Shoulder<br>width | Gauge<br>length | Measuring<br>range | Radius |
|---------------------------|--------|-------------------|-------------------|-----------------|--------------------|--------|
| EN 10002 Form 1           | 250    | 12,5              | 20                | 50              | 75                 | 20     |
| EN 10002 Form 2           | 250    | 20                | 30                | 80              | 120                | 20     |
| ASTM A 370                | 250    | 12,5              | 20                | 50              | 60                 | 20     |
| JIS Z 2201 No. 5          | 250    | 25                | 30                | 50              | 60                 | 20     |
| BS E 18 20 x 80           | 250    | 20                | 30                | 80              | 90                 | 25     |
| BS E 18 12,5 x 50         | 250    | 12,5              | 20                | 50              | > 56,25            | 25     |
| Strip specimen ASTM A 370 | 250    | -                 | 12,5              | -               | -                  | -      |
| Strip specimen DIN 50114  | 250    | -                 | 20                | -               | -                  | -      |

Modifications have to be in written form using the enclosed drawing "tensile test bar" indicating the blanking measure per side

#### Formula for the calculation of the required cutting force

| Cutting edge length (circumference) L | mm                |
|---------------------------------------|-------------------|
| Thickness of the sheet steel, So      | mm                |
| Strength of material, $\sigma B$      | N/mm <sup>2</sup> |
| Cutting force, P                      | kN                |

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#### **Design and function**

The blanking machines consist of a rigid, closed frame, a hydraulic system with power pack, requiring almost no maintenance, as well as hydraulic cylinder and piston with connecting- and control elements.

#### Blanking machine with C-frame

The open frame of blanking machine and blanking tool (C-frame) allows to blank out the test pieces from plates.

#### Blanking machine with closed frame

The closed version (O-frame) however requires precut strips of 70..80 mm width.

This blanking machine is already equipped with an enlarged table. Optionally it is possible to supply this enlarged table version with rollers also.

#### Use of several blanking tools

If several blanking tools are being used, the blanking machine can be ordered with enlarged table, table version with rollers, so that the blanking tools can be "deposited" if they are not needed.

#### **Blanking tools**

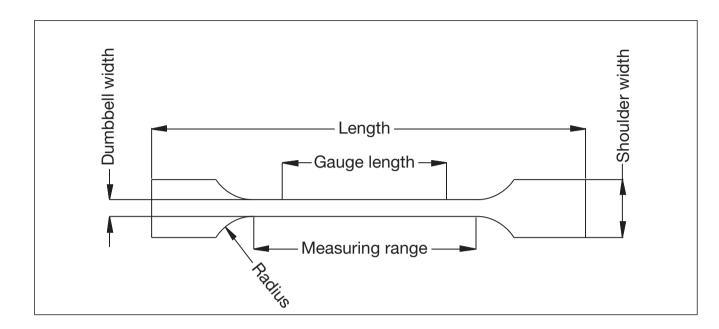
The blanking machines for cutting forces of 200/500/1000 kN are suitable for the following material thicknesses: 0,2....1,2 mm; 1,2....3 mm; 3....6 mm.

The blanking machine with a cutting force of 1500 kN can additionally be equipped with a blanking tool 6...8 mm.

#### $P = L x So x 0.8 x \sigma B x 0.6 kN$ 1000



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#### Blanking machines Zwick 7115...7118 for exchangeable blanking tools

| Model                       | Zwick 7115   | Zwick 7116   | Zwick 7117   | Zwick 7118   |
|-----------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| Max. cutting force          | 200 kN       | 500 kN       | 1000 kN      | 1500 kN      |
| Structural shape            | C-shape      | C-shape      | O-shape      | O-shape      |
| Material to be cut          | plates       | plates       | strips       | strips       |
| Piston stroke               | 28 mm        | 28 mm        | 40 mm        | 40 mm        |
| Strokes per minute          | 6            | 8            | 6            | 6            |
| Electrical consumption      | 0,75 kVA     | 4 kVA        | 4 kVA        | 10 kVA       |
|                             |              |              |              |              |
| Standard version            |              |              |              |              |
| Dimensions width            | 500 mm       | 500 mm       | 1500 mm      | 1500 mm      |
| depth                       | 530 mm       | 580 mm       | 960 mm       | 960 mm       |
| height                      | 1545 mm      | 1545 mm      | 1620 mm      | 1620 mm      |
| Weight approx.              | 650 kg       | 780 kg       | 1500 kg      | 1800 kg      |
| Item-No.                    | H08.7115.000 | H08.7116.000 | H08.7117.000 | H08.7118.000 |
|                             |              |              |              | •            |
| Enlarged table version      |              |              | Х            | Х            |
| Enlarged table with rollers | H08.7110.500 | H08.7110.500 | H08.7117.500 | H08.7117.500 |

The blanking machines Zwick 7115...7118

together with the sample finishing machine Zwick 7120 represent a system to produce test specimens to all current quality standards. The quality of these test specimen is easily reproducible at any time.

In addition to this, the system can be used in a very flexible way: individual test specimens can be produced without time-consuming preparations as well as quantities of 600 test specimens and more per day.



#### Sample finishing machine 7120

The strain hardened zone of the test specimens can be economically removed by belt grinding with the sample finishing machine Zwick 7120. The high quality of the test specimens cannot be achieved with any other technique at considerable low effort.

The guaranteed parallelism of the test pieces is better than 0.02 mm, as recommended by the IDDRG. The grinding direction corresponds with the tensile direction. Therefore eventual processing traces have absolutely no influence on the test results.

#### **Design and function**

For a proper functioning, a complete unit consists of the finishing machine with defined worktable (depending on the type of test specimen to be produced) and of the adapted template with specimen grip.

An abrasive belt which is available in various coarse graduations serves as the grinding tool. The template with specimen grip is as the worktable to be chosen according to the desired shape of the test specimen. The specimen grip is manufactured so that it fits together with the indexing grooves of the guide carriage. Due to the index

#### Sample finishing machine Zwick 7120

| Max. specimen thickness (max. capacity of the template) |                                  | 12 mm            |
|---------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------|------------------|
| Cutting velocity                                        |                                  | 15 m/s           |
| Electrical cons                                         | umption rotary current 230/400 V | 0,75 kVA         |
| Finishing                                               |                                  | grey to RAL 7032 |
| Dimensions                                              | Height of table (working height) | 1030 mm          |
|                                                         | Width                            | 650 mm           |
|                                                         | Depth                            | 450 mm           |
|                                                         | Height                           | 900 mm           |
| Weight                                                  | approx.                          | 150 kg           |
| Item-No.                                                | depends on the specimen shape    | H08.7120.XXX     |

| Test piece                  |              | Test piece               |              |  |
|-----------------------------|--------------|--------------------------|--------------|--|
| (Dumbbell type) to standard | Item-No.     | (Strip type) to standard | Item-No.     |  |
| EN 10002 Form 2             | H08.7120.100 | DIN 50114                | H08.7120.160 |  |
| EN 10002 Form 1             | H08.7120.110 | ASTM A 370               | H08.7120.170 |  |
| ASTM A 370                  | H08.7120.120 |                          |              |  |
| BS E 18 20 x 80 mm          | H08.7120.130 |                          |              |  |
| BS E 18 12,5 x 50 mm        | H08.7120.140 |                          |              |  |
| JIA Z 2201 No. 5            | H08.7120.150 |                          |              |  |

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sample finishing machine Zwick 7120

- accuracy, a parallelism of the test specimen better than 0.02 mm is achieved.
- The template can accept several test specimens at a time (up to an overall thickness of 12 mm) thus ensuring an economical work.
- Optionally, a suction device for the dry- or wet suction of the grinding dust can be offered.

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# Zerreißstab

| Blechdicke, So =         | mm    |
|--------------------------|-------|
| Materialfestigkeit, oB = | N/mm² |
| Stanzaufmaß pro Seite =  | mm    |
| Stanzkraft, P =          | kN    |

#### Formel zu Berechnung der Stanzkraft

 $P = \underline{Lx} So x 0.8 x \sigma B x 0.6 \{kN\}$ 1000

(L = Schnittkantenlänge in mm)

## Specimen

Metal sheet thickness So = ..... mm Material strength  $\delta B = .....N/mm^2$ Added dimension, each side = .....mm Punching force P = ..... kN

Formula for the determination of the punching force

P =

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(L = length of cutting edge)

(added dimension = required to remove the deformed edge due the punch, by grinding it)