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CONSTRUCTION PRODUCT BRIDGE

BEARINGS

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INTRODUCTION

TAYA is your trusted partner in building the future. For years, we have set the standard for structural bearings with innovative designs, cuttingedge manufacturing techniques, and unmatched product reliability.

Our team of expert engineers collaborates closely with clients to deliver customized solutions that exceed expectations, ensuring every product we supply is a testament to quality and connects communities for generations to come.

ATAYA's commitment extends far beyond the products we manufacture. We are dedicated to fostering a sustainable future through eco-friendly practices and responsible resource management. By minimizing our environmental impact, we ensure a better tomorrow for ourselves and future generations.









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INTRODCUTION



Our Vision

Our corporate vision is to become a competitive, qualified, and competent projects supplier company by having well managed national/international resources plus networks in domestic and international markets, and demonstrating the highest levels of integrity in all business practices and interactions with customers, suppliers, employees, and the society at large.



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Our Mission

Our mission is to conduct domestic and international Projects with various high-quality commodities in order to meet our customer's requirements completely and competitively as well as to achieve all the expectations of our shareholders.

"Quality is a key point of ATAYA

— The Quality system, continuously improved, allows ATAYA to achieve and maintain the **CE** for Bearings.



manufacturing system."

Our range of products meets the requirements of infrastructure: High-Quality Products, Competitive Prices, Market Exclusivity, and Efficient Customer Service Brand Marketing Support



Our Strengths

LOABOUT US

1.1 ABOUT ATAYA

ATAYA stands as a leader in the bearing industry industry, renowned for exceeding the highest quality standards and consistently surpassing client expectations.

Our extensive experience translates into innovative designs and cutting-edge manufacturing techniques, ensuring the enduring reliability of Our Products.

Beyond bridge leadership, we exceed expectations. Experience fuels innovation in our cutting-edge designs and industry-leading manufacturing. Unparalleled reliability and enduring performance are built into every bridge product. We collaborate closely to deliver customized solutions, making each bearing a testament to quality construction and your vision.

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1.2 WHY US?

Leveraging expertise, cutting-edge technology, and a commitment to quality, we deliver dependable, long-lasting products that meet international standards. This ensures exceptional service and builds lasting trust with our clients. Expertise and technology are used to create highquality products.

Products meet international standards for reliability and durability.

This combination guarantees exceptional service for clients. Exceptional service builds trust.

WE ARE EXPERTS

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Our broad professional expertise combined with state-of-the-art technology, innovation and superior quality products guarantee an exceptional service level to our clients.

WE ARE RELIABLE

We prioritize building trust through dependable, long-lasting products that meet rigorous international quality standards.

WE GUARANTEE SAFETY

People's safety comes as our utmost important standard, as we have the safety and well-being of people at the core of everything we do.

OUR FACTORY

ATAYA Factory is the first comprehensive integrated established factory in Egypt & Middle East that located at 10th of Ramadan industrial region which is equipped with the latest technology,

Our factory designed to meet the European standards and has achieved the CE mark in producing Elastomeric, Spherical & Pot bearings & Neoprene joints Nevertheless, ATAYA can also supply bearings complying with other international standards upon request.

DESIGN PRINCIPLES & STANDARDS

DESIGN PRINCIPLES

Bearing is capable of transmitting forces while absorbing the structures deformations and rotations.

Bearing consists of steel pot, an elastomeric pad and a steel piston element that shall be capable of transferring applied vertical and horizontal loads between the super structure and substructure and shall permit limited rotational movement up to 0.03

DESIGN STANDARDS

ATAYA bearings are designed according to European Conformity certificate according to EN-1337 requirements from 1337 -11 to 1337-1

- EN1337-1 General Design Rules.
- EN1337-2 Sliding Elements.
- EN1337-5 Pot Bearings.
- EN1337-8 Guide Bearings & restrain bearings
- EN1337-9 Protection
- EN1337-10 Inspection & Maintenance
- EN1337-11 Transport, Storage & Installation
- ASHTO LRFD Bridge Design Specifications.

Standards used for design are:

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1.5 OUR CERTIFICATIONS

Our commitment to quality is certified according to the requirements of EN-1337 as follows :

- Certificate of constancy of performance for ELASTOMERIC BEARIGNS according to EN1337-3 NO.0672-CPR-0974
- Certificate of constancy of performance for POT BEARIGNS according to EN1337-5 NO.0672-CPR-1010
- Certificate of constancy of performance for SPHERICAL BEARIGNS according to EN1337-7NO.0672-CPR-0981.
- Management System as per EN ISO 9001 : 2015

Certificate of constancy of performance

In compliance with Regi 9 March 2011 (the Constru-	ulation of a
Construction Product(s)	Elast

under the name or trade

produced in the manufacturing plant(s)

placed on the market

performance described in

Annex ZA of the standard(s) under system

for the performance set out in this certificate are applied and that the factory production control conducted by the manufacturer is assessed to ensure the

This certificate was first issued on 2022-07-27 and will remain valid as long as neither the harmonised standard, the construction product, the AVCP methods nor the manufacturing conditions in the plant are modified significantly, unless suspended or withdrawn by the notified product certification body.

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MPA Material Testing Institute, University of Stuttgart 2022

OUR PRODUCTS QUALITY & TESTING FEATURED PROJECTS OUR CLIENTS ABOUT

Notified Body No. 0672

No. 0672-CPR-0974

(EU) No 305/2011 of the European Parliament and of the Council of roducts Regulation or CPR), this certificate applies to the

tomeric Bearings with trade name **ATAYA Elastomeric Bearings**

ATAYA for Construction Products 12 El-Batrawy Street

ATAYA for Construction Products Block (5), sector (A), Industrial Area 15 10th of Ramadan City 44511 El Sharkia, EGYP

This certificate attests that all provisions concerning the assessment and verification of constancy of

EN 1337-3:2005

constancy of performance of the construction product.

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LOABOUT US

1.5 OUR CERTIFICATIONS

Certificate of constancy of performance

No. 0672-CPR-1010

In compliance with Regulation (EU) No 305/2011 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 9 March 2011 (the Construction Products Regulation or CPR), this certificate applies to the

Construction Product(s) Pot Bearings with trade name ATAYA Pot Searings

placed on the market under the name or trade 12 El-Batrawy Street mark of

ATAYA for Construction Products 11765 Nasr City, Cairo EGYPT

produced in the manufacturing plant(s)

ATAYA for Construction Products Block (5), sector (A), Industrial Area 15 10th of Ramadan City 44511 El Sharkia, EGYPT

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ETA-23/0329

of 08.05.2024

Technical Assessment Body issuing the

Trade name of the construction product

Product family to which the construction

ATAYA ASM® Spherical and Cylindrical Bearing

Österreichisches Institut für Bautechnik (OIB)

Austrian Institute of Construction Engineering

Spherical and cylindrical bearing with special sliding material made of UHMWPE (ultra-high molecular weight polyethylene)

Ataya for Construction Products 12 El-Batrawy Street In Front Of Genena Mall Nasr City, Cairo Egypt

Block(5), sector(A), Industrial Area 10th of Ramadan City Egypt

33 pages including 13 annexes which form an integral part of this assessment.

European Assessment Document (EAD) 050004-00-0301 "Spherical and cylindrical bearing with special sliding material made of UHMWPE (ultrahigh molecular weight polyethylene)".

European Techinical Assessment 2024

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OUR SERVICES BEARINGS

ATAYA CAN PROVIDE THE CLIENT WITH THE FOLLOWING:

SUPERVISION ON INSTALLATION AND MAINTENANCE PLANS.

2 DESIGN OF BEARINGS ACCORDING TO **STRUCTURAL MODEL & PROJECT SPECIFICATIONS**

CHOOSING THE SUITABLE BEARING **TYPE FOR STRUCTURES**

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Bridge Bearings are elements allowing rotation between two members of a structure and transmitting the loads defined in the relevant requirements as well as preventing displacements (fixed bearings), allowing displacements in only one direction (guided bearings) or in all directions of a plane (free bearings) as required

2.1 BRIDGE BEARINGS

Elasto Bearings

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Spherical Bearings

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ASTO ARINGS	POT BEARINGS
IEDIUM	HIGH
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ABLE FOR	SUITABLE FOR
80 MRAD	< 30 MRAD
HIGH	SMALL-MEDIUM
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HIGH

NO LIMITS

SUITABLE FOR > 30 MRAD

SMALL-MEDIUM

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2.0 OUR PRODUCTS

2.1 ELASTO BEARINGS

BRIDGE BEARINGS

ATAYA's Elasto-Bearings: Engineered for Bridge Flexibility

Bridge movement is inevitable. Thermal changes, wind, and traffic all cause bridges to shift and settle. ATAYA's Elasto-Bearings are the answer, engineered from high-performance elastomeric materials to absorb these movements and protect the bridge structure.

These versatile bearings come in various configurations that comply with the EN 1337-3 standard. This ensures you get the perfect solution for your bridge's specific needs, whether it requires handling horizontal translation, accommodating rotation, or both.

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2.1 BRIDGE BEARINGS

2.1.1 ELASTO BEARINGS

WHY ELASTO **BEARINGS ARE GOOD PRODUCTS?**

- 1. TYPE & SIZE
- 2. MODERATE COST
- **3. VIBRATIONS ABSORPTION**
- 4. STABILITY
- 5. EASY INSTALLATION
- 6. DURABILITY

ELASTO BEARINGS

ELASTOMER

The elastomer used in the manufacturing of Elasto - Bearings should be specified in the project documentation as either natural rubber (NR) or chloroprene rubber (CR) as the raw polymer.

Natural rubber (NR) bearings can be protected by cover of polychloroprene (CR). The standard design is suitable for operation temperatures between -40°C and +50°C and correlates with the shear modulus class

G=0.90 ±0.15 N/mm2 in accordance with EN 1337-3.

Shear modulus (G) can be obtained with other values if specified by the structure designer.

STEEL

EN 10025. mm.

The Inner Reinforcing plates used in Elasto Bearings are S 235 in accordance with

Their minimum thickness of the inner

plates shall be 2 mm. The Outer Reinforcing plates (for Elasto C) are S 235.

For Elasto C with internal layers less

than or equal to 8 mm thick, the minimum thickness of the outer plates shall be 15

For Elasto C with internal layers bigger than 8 mm thick, the minimum thickness of the outer plates shall be 18 mm.

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BRIDGE BEARINGS 2.1

ELASTO BEARINGS 2.1.1

UNDER COMPRESSION FORCE

UNDER COMPRESSION & SHEAR FORCE

UNDER COMPRESSION, SHEAR FORCE & ROTATION

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CHARACTERISTICS	REQUIREMENTS		TEST METHODS	
G Modulus (MPa)	0.7	0.9	1.15	
e Strength (MPa) Mouldes Test piece Test piece from Bearing Mouldes Test piece Test piece from Bearing	≥ 16 ≥ 14 450 400	≥ 16 ≥ 14 425 375	≥ 16 ≥ 14 300 250	ISO 37 Type 2
num Tear Resistance (KN/m) CR NR	≥ 7 ≥ 5	≥ 10 ≥ 8	≥ 12 ≥ 10	ISO 34-1 Trouser (Method A)
ression Set (%) 24h ;70 °C		CR ≤ 15 NR ≤ 30		ISO 815 Ø29X12.5mm SPACER: 9,38-25%
erated Ageing mum Change From Unaged Value) ess (IRHD) NR 7d,70 °C CR 3d, 100 *C		-5+10 ± 5		
e strength (%) NR 7d,70 °C CR 3d, 100 *C		± 15 ± 15		ISO 48 ISO 188
ation at break (%) NR 7d,70 °C CR 3d, 100 *C		± 25 ± 25		
e resistance 40°C+2°C CR 100 pphm		No cracks		ISO 1431-1

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BRIDGE BEARINGS 2.1

2.1.2 TYPE OF ELASTO BEARINGS

ELASTO BEARINGS

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WATCH ELASTO BEARINGS INSTALLATION

Elasto A

This type of bearing, fully covered with elastomer, comprising only one steel reinforcing plate.

Elasto C with anchors

Elasto B

This type of bearing, fully covered with elastomer, comprising more than one reinforcing plate.

2.1.2 TYPE OF ELASTO BEARINGS

TYPE OF ELASTO BEARINGS

Elasto E

This type of bearing is same as type C with PTFE plate recessed into its outer steel plate.

Elasto B/C

- These types of bearings are combination of types B and C, with only
- one side featuring an
- external steel plate

Elasto F

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Elasto D

This type of bearing is same as type B but with PTFE plate vulcanized into its upper surface.

This type of bearing is made only of rubber without any internal steel plate (not reinforced). They are used when vertical load and horizontal displacement are small.

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2.1 BRIDGE BEARINGS

2.1.3 ELASTO BEARINGS FOR SPECIAL APPLICATION

SPECIAL APPLICATION

Movements between structural elements are to be prevented in one direction or in all directions according to consultant loads

ELASTO FIXED BEARING

Same as type C between 2 steel plates with welded restraints to transfer the horizontal loads in every direction. They prevent horizontal displacements in any direction.

ELASTO GUIDED BEARING

Same as type C between 2 steel plates with welded restraints to transfer the horizontal load in the transversal direction. They allow horizontal displacements only along one direction.

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BRIDGE BEARINGS 2.1

SPECIFICATIONS AND DIMENSIONS 2.1.4 **OF ELASTO BEARING** ACCORDING TO EN3 -1337

- The loading limits given in this table correspond to the loading of a bearing device to the ULS, in accordance with the verif cation requirments of standard EN 1337-3.
- The different values shown below in this table may be changed as a function of the actual load on the bearing given by consultant.
- Each rubber bearing is identif ed with the acronym EB (ELASTO BEARING).
- The numbers listed below represent plan dimensions and height of the Bearing.

A B C 300 400 EB/B ELASTO BEARING TYPE A B OVERALL LENGTH IN (mm) OVERALL WIDTH IN (mm)

D

OUR PRODUCTS **BRIDGE BEARINGS**

THICKNESS OF THE BEARING IN (mm)

TO CALCULATE THE TOTAL THICKNESS OF THE ELASTO **BEARING TYPE B:**

Tb= nr x ti+ ns x ts+ tc1+tc2 nr: Number of Rubber Layers = 4 ti : Elastomeric layer thickness = 12 mm ns : Number of steel types = 4 + 1 = 5 ts : Steel Layer thickness = 4 mm tc1,2: Top and bottom cover thickness = 2.5 mm Tb= (4x12) + (Sx4) + (2.5+2.5)=73mm

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BEARINGS

ATAYA's Pot Bearings: Engineered forhigh endurance and large movements

Long spans require high strength bearings that accomodate large displacements and can withstand very high compressive loads.

These versatile bearings come in various configurations that comply with the EN 1337-5 standard. This ensures you get the perfect solution for your bridge's specific needs, whether it requires handling horizontal translation, accommodating rotation, or both.

By incorporating ATAYA's Elasto-Bearings, you're investing in bearing that is durable for 120 years with no requirement for replacement.

OUR PRODUCTS 2.0

POT BEARINGS 2.2

2.2.2 TYPE OF POT BEARINGS

TYPE OF BEARINGS

FREE SLIDING POT BEARING

FIXED POT BEARING

This type of bearings restricts horizontal loads in longitudinal and transverse directions, therefore, does not allow any movement and consists of POT, piston assembly including an elastomeric pad which is encapsulated and fitted with an anti-extrusion sealing ring under vertical load this encapsulated elastomeric behaves like a viscous fluid, allowing rotations around the horizontal axis

GUIDED POT BEARING

This type of bearings allows movement in one direction between stainless steel and lubricated PTFE which is placed on the piston and restricts horizontal loads perpendicular to the direction of movement by a guide bar placed in the center of the piston

This type of bearings allows movements in both longitudinal and transverse directions between stainless steel and lubricated PTFE which is placed on the Piston, therefore, does not restrict horizontal loads except for nominal friction

OUR PRODUCTS 2.0

POT BEARINGS 2.2

BEARING COMPONENTS 2.2

BEARING COMPONENTS

PISTON

Closes the open end of the recess in the pot and bears on the elastomeric pad and transferers the vertical and horizontal load from the super structure to the remaining parts of the bearings.

Prevents moisture and debris from entering the gap between the piston and the pot

INTERNAL SEAL

component which prevents escape of the elastomer material through the clearance between the recess walls and the piston when a compressive force is applied

EXTERNAL SEAL

ELASTOMERIC PAD

Transfers the vertical load from the piston to the pot and allows the bearing to rotate

POT

Contains the elastomer, piston, internal seal and transfer vertical and horizontal loads to substructure and bolts, respectively

ANCHORS & BOLT

Resist horizontal loads

OUR PRODUCTS 20 POT BEARINGS 2.2

MATERIAL SPECIFICATIONS 2.2

POT AND PISTON

The pot and piston shall be manufactured from ferrous materials according to EN 10025.

INTERNAL SEAL (BRASS SEAL)

The material use for the brass seal shall be grade CuZn37 or CuZn39Pb3, according to EN 12163 and EN 12164 respectively.

ELASTOMETRIC PAD

The elastomer material used for the elastomeric pad shall be natural or polychloroprene rubber in accordance with ISO 6446.

ELASTOMERIC PAD

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The austenitic steel used for sliding surfaces according to EN 10088-2 1.4401 +2B with minimum thickness of 1.5mm The roughness is Ry5i < 1 μ m according to EN ISO 4287. The hardness ranges from (150HV1-220HV1) according to EN ISO 6507-2.

TERISTICS	STANDARD	REQUIREMENTS
ength (Mpa)	ISO 37 type 2	≥ 16
at break(%)	ISO 37 type 2	≥ 425
ssion (%) h, 70°c	ISO 815	≤ 30
ss (IRHD)	ISO 48	60 ± 5

AUSTENITIC STEEL SHEETS

POT BEARINGS ELASTO BEARINGS SPHERICAL BEARINGS

2.2.4 MATERIAL SPECIFICATIONS

SLIDING PLATE (PTFE)

The PTFE sheets shall be Pure polytetrafluorethylene free sintered without regenerated or filler materials.

Hint: materials may vary incompliance with the project requirements.

IING STANDARD	REQUIREMENTS
50 1183 (All Parts)	ρ=2140 to 2200
ISO 527-1 and 3	fptk=29 to 40
ISO 527-1 and 3	δρ>300
EN ISO 2039-1	H132/60 = 23 to 33

LUBRICANT (SILICONE GRESE)

The lubricant shall not be harmful to the elastomer or other components and shall not cause excessive swelling of the elastomer.

CHARACTERISTICS	TESTIING STANDARD	REQUIREMENTS
Worked penetration (mm)	ISO 2137	26.5 - 29.5
Dropping point (°C)	ISO 2176	≥ 180
Oil separation after 24h at 100°C (% mass)	Annex G	≤ 3
Oxidation resistance pressure drop after, 100h at 160°C (MPa)	Annex H	≤ 0.1
Pour-point of base oil (°C)	ISO 3016	Below -60

2.2.1 QUALITY

QUAILTY

MOVEMENT INEDNITCATOR

Measuring and monitoring the horizontal movements of the sliding bearing, allowing to check the initial presetting of the bearing and verifying the bearing motion during the future inspections.

REFERENCE SURFACE

According to EN 1337 the bearing can be provided with reference surface to ensure the perfect horizontal position during installation and make it possible to observe any rotation during the service life of the structure.

ELASTO BEARINGS **POT BEARINGS** SPHERICAL BEARINGS

ATAYA COMPANY PROFILE

SPHERICAL BEARINGS

ATAYA's Spherical Bearings: Engineered forhigh endurance and large movements Railway bridges and long spans require high strength bearings that accomodate large displacements, high vibrations and can withstand very high compressive loads. These versatile bearings come in various configurations that comply with the EN 1337-7 standard. This ensures you get the perfect solution for your bridge's specific needs, whether it requires handling horizontal translation, accommodating

rotation, or both.

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2.1.2 SPHERICAL BEARINGS

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BRIDGE BEARINGS 2.1

2.1.4 TYPE OF SPHERICAL BEARINGS

TYPE OF SPHERICAL BEARINGS

This type of bearings is restrained from horizontal movement in all directions while allowing rotation in all directions.

Guided Spherical Bearing

This type of bearings allows movement along only one axis and rotation in all directions.

Free Sliding Spherical Bearing

This type of bearings allows movements and rotation in all directions.

BEARING COMPONENTS 2.1

BEARING COMPONENTS

UPPER BACKING PLATE (SOLE PLATE)

Transfers super structure loads to the bearing and provides a

stainless steel sliding surface for super structure transition.

CONVEX STEEL PLATE

Provides PTFE sliding surface for upper backing plate and stainless steel mating surface for rotation on PTFE concave surface.

CONCAVE STEEL PLATE

Provides PTFE concave surface for rotation.

LOWER BACKING PLATE (MASONRY PLATE)

A steel lower part with a concave seat for the sliding material and suitable connections to the substructure.

GUIDE BAR

Guide bar in guided bearings only (if required) to allow movement in one direction.

RESTRAINING RING

It is used only in fixed bearings (if required) to restrain

the movements in all directions.

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MATERIAL SPECIFICATIONS

NATERAL SPECIFICATIONS

ATAYA ASM[®] the ultimate third-generation UHMWPE for sliding bearings

PTFE has been the state-of-art sliding material for bridge bearings for decades, thanks to its excellent properties such as low coefficient of friction, load bearing capacity, and insensitivity to moisture and ageing, and its use is regulated in the European standard EN 1337-2.

Nevertheless, in recent years the increase in traffic loads, the trend towards the design of longer and more flexible bridges, and the development of constructions in countries with extremely cold or hot climate has been requiring an increase in performance which PTFE is not able to meet. To cope with the new requirements, starting from the beginning of the 2000s new sliding materials have been introduced, such as first and second-generation UHMWPE and modified PTFE. Most of these materials are covered by an European Technical Assessment (ETA).

ASM° is a third-generation UHMWPE purposely developed by ATAYA to meet the increasing performance demands coming from Increased traffic conditions and new challenging bridge designs. In particular, ASM° has been developed to satisfy three requirements: High compressive strength, to reduce the size of structural bearings: the characteristic load bearing capacity of ASM° is 5 times higher

than PTFE according to standard EN 1337-2; Extreme wear endurance, to increase the service life of bridge bearings: ASM° has been successfully tested over a total sliding distance of 100 km, I.e. ten times longer than PTFE acc. to EN 1337-2, and 339 to 100% longer than first an second-generation UHMWPEs; Ultra-low coefficient of friction, to reduce stresses on adjacent structural members: the coefficient of friction of ATAYA ASM° after 100 km is lower than standard PTFE and first and second-generation UHMWPEs. ASM° is not hygroscopic and is insensitive to weathering, chemicals and ageing. As for PTFE and UHMWPE, in main flat and curved sliding surfaces of bridge bearings ASM[®] is used in form of sheets provided with a uniform pattern of dimples which act as a reservoir of silicone

grease.

2.1.6 MATERIAL SPECIFICATIONS

MATERIAL SPECIFICATIONS

Use of ASM® as sliding material in structural bearings is covered by the European Technical Assessment ETA-23/0329 based on the European Assessment Document FAD 050004-00-0301 issued by OIB (Austrian Building Institute).

Next table compares the performances of ASM® to those of conventional PTFE according to EN 1337-2 and first and secondgeneration UHMPEs according to various ETAs.

Performances of ASM[®] compared other sliding materials for structural bearings:

CHARACTERISTIC

Technical specification

Compressive strength

Tested sliding distance

Expected lifetime

Min/Max operating temperature

Friction coefficient

ASM®	SECOND- GENERATION UHMWPE	FIRST- GENERATION UHMWPE
ETA-23/0329	various ETAs	various ETAs
180 MPa (T ≤ 35 °c)	180 MPa (T ≤ 35 °c)	180 MPa (T ≤ 35 °c)
100 km	60 – 75 km	50 km
100 years	60-75 years	50 years
-50 / +80 °C	-50 / +80 °C	-50 / +80 °C
1.4 – 2.2	2.3 – 2.8	1.6 – 3.1

ELASTO BEARINGS POT BEARINGS SPHERICAL BEARINGS

MODIFIED PTFE	PTFE ACC. EN 1337-2
various ETAs	EN 1337-2
150 to 180 MPa (T ≤ 35 °c)	90 MPa (T ≤ 30 °c)
10 km	10 km
10-25 years	10-25 years
-50 / +90 °C	-35 / +48 °C
2.0 – 3.0	2.0 – 3.0

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BRIDGE BEARINGS 2.1

2.1.6 MATERIAL SPECIFICATIONS

MATERIAL SPECIFICATIONS

BACKING PLATE WITH CONVEX & **CONCAVE PLATE SPHERICAL** SURFACE

Backing plate is fabricated from steel S355 according to EN 10025

AUSTENITIC STEEL SHEETS

The austenitic steel used for sliding surfaces according to EN 10088-2 1.4401 +2B with minimum thickness of 1.5mm

The roughness is Ry5i < lpm according to EN ISO 4287. The hardness ranges from (150HV1-220HV1) according to EN ISO 6507-2.

OUR PRODUCTS **BRIDGE BEARINGS** SPHERICAL BEARINGS ELASTO BEARINGS POT BEARINGS

LUBRICANT [SILICONE GREASE]

TESTING STANDARD	REQUIREMENTS
N ISO 1183 (All Parts)	ρ=2140 to 2200
EN ISO 527-1 and 3	fptk=29 to 40
EN ISO 527-1 and 3	δρ>300
EN ISO 2039-1	H132/60 = 23 to 33

EFTESTING

Quality is a key point of ATAYA manufacturing system.

Ataya products are manufactured to close tolerances by skilled technician working.

We have all testing facilities as per the national & international standards. All the tests can be conducted in-house from raw material to finished products in our well-equipped testing laboratory the continuously improved sysytem to allows ATAYA to achieve and maintain the CE **Certification for bearings**

TEST EQUIPMENT

ATAYA has a Bearing testing Machine with:

Max Vertical Load = 500 ton

Max horizontal shear force 100 ton with rate 1 S0mm/min for shear modulus and with rate 100mm/min for shear bond

Max jacking force 30 ton

The quality of each bearing is checked according to quality control plan in accordance the European standard EN 1337-3 to determine the stiffness.

FOLLOWING TESTS CAN BE PERFORMED AT **OUR LABORATORY:**

- COMPRESSION TEST
- SHEAR MODULUS TEST

Shear modulus of Elasto Bearing determined by testing at different temperatures or after ageing: At nominal temperature of (23±2 °c). At low temperature of (-25±2 °c). At very low temperature of (-40±2 °c). After Ageing low temperature of (70±2 °c). After Ageing low temperature of (70±2 °c).

• SHEAR BOND TEST

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TEST EQUIPMENT

- **TENSILE AND ELONGATION TEST** MACHINE
- OSCILLATING DIE RHEOMETER
- HARDNESS TESTER
- COMPRESSION SET APPARATUS DEFECTION
- THICKNESS GAUGE : 5MM AND 25MM RANGE
- HOT AIR OVEN [250°C]
- OZONE AGING TEST CHAMBER
- MOONEY VISCOSITY

The quality of each bearing is checked according to quality control plan in accordance the European standard EN 1337-3 to determine the stiffness.

FOLLOWING TESTS CAN BE PERFORMED AT **OUR LABORATORY:**

- HARDNESS
- COMPRESSION SET
- TEAR RESISTANCE
- ELONGATION
- OZONE RESISTANCE
- TENSILE STRENGTH

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STEEL TESTING MACHINE

The quality management system scheme monitors the production of the required steel plates and ensures that materials and geometry remain within the limits of this technical approval. The products are also subject to a programmer of periodic testing.

- **STATIC TENSILE TEST**
 - **TENSILE STRENGTH**
 - PERCENTAGE ELONGATION
- **SLIP TEST**
- **CYCLE TENSILE TEST**
- **FATIGUE TEST**

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BEARING ABELING

Pot bearings are supplied with a label which contains the following information:

- CE Conformity.
- Pot bearing type.
- Order number.
- Date of manufacture.
- Maximum load.
- Maximum displacement.
- Maximum rotation.

PROJECT NO LOCATION SERIAL NO

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