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**Rolling bearings and spherical plain bearings — Search structure for electronic media — Characteristics and performance criteria identified by property vocabulary**

*Roulements et rotules lisses — Structure de recherche pour supports électroniques — Caractéristiques et critères de performance identifiés par le vocabulaire des propriétés*

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## Foreword

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The committee responsible for this document is ISO/TC 4, *Rolling bearings*.

This second edition cancels and replaces the first edition (ISO 21107:2004), which has been technically revised to be consistent with ISO/TS 23768-1.

## Introduction

Electronic media are used more and more when purchasing and selling products. This also applies to the rolling bearing industry, where it can be expected that a large proportion of sales will be processed via electronic media.

One potential problem when ordering bearings is that designations, especially designations for special executions and variants, differ from one bearing supplier to another. For the electronic media business there is, therefore, a need for customers and distributors to have available a system that makes it possible to identify a bearing quickly and easily when the bearing designation is not known.

This can be achieved using a computerized search structure. The user responds to specified simple questions on a computer screen about visual bearing components (dimensions, number of rolling element rows, cage, etc.) and, if needed, about performance criteria and other characteristics. Based on these input values, the computer provides possible bearing designations and other information.

In order to facilitate programming and provide the user with the same and consistent input vocabulary, independent of supplier, this International Standard provides a standardized search structure for electronic media with a vocabulary for identifying bearings, bearing components and accessories based on ISO 5593 and other ISO/TC 4 International Standards.

When creating their own search structures, some bearing manufacturers and/or distributors may decide they have a need to customize certain properties or value domains in order to refine the selection of the possible bearing designation(s) that will meet the purchaser's requirements. If this is done, then, where possible, it is recommended that the terminology of ISO 5593 and other appropriate ISO documents for rolling bearings be used.

SI units are used in ISO International Standards, but it is recognized that the properties in this document can also be used for inch dimension products.

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# Rolling bearings and spherical plain bearings — Search structure for electronic media — Characteristics and performance criteria identified by property vocabulary

## 1 Scope

This International Standard establishes a search structure and properties vocabulary for identifying rolling bearings, bearing housings, accessories and spherical plain bearings primarily with the aid of electronic media, such as the Internet.

The methodology for using this International Standard in search programs is not included.

This International Standard does not establish a search structure and an attribute vocabulary for identifying linear motion rolling bearings.

**NOTE** A reference dictionary for all rolling bearings in this document is defined in ISO/TS 23768-1. It contains definitions of bearing classes, data element types of descriptive properties and domains of values.

## 2 Normative references

The following documents, in whole or in part, are normatively referenced in this document and are indispensable for its application. For dated references, only the edition cited applies. For undated references, the latest edition of the reference document (including any amendments) applies.

ISO 1132-1, *Rolling bearings — Tolerances — Part 1: Terms and definitions*

ISO 5593, *Rolling bearings — Vocabulary*

ISO 6811, *Spherical plain bearings — Vocabulary*

## 3 Terms and definitions

For the purposes of this document, the terms and definitions in ISO 1132-1, ISO 5593, ISO 6811 and the following apply.

### 3.1

#### **non-leaf characterization class**

characterization class that is further subdivided into more precise characterization classes

[SOURCE: ISO/TS 23768-1:2011, 3.1.24]

### 3.2

#### **leaf characterization class**

characterization class that is not further subdivided into more precise characterization classes

[SOURCE: ISO/TS 23768-1:2011, 3.1.22]

### 3.3

#### **property**

characteristic or feature used to identify a product in detail

Note 1 to entry: Product and component designations used in ISO/TC 4 International Standards have been used throughout this International Standard as the preferred choice.

### 3.4

#### value domain

set of permissible values

[SOURCE: ISO 22745-2:2010, 10.7]

## 4 Description and use of the search structure for electronic media

### 4.1 General

When Internet and other electronic media are used for ordering products, a system is needed to define a product easily and correctly, even when a product specification is not complete or is missing. This International Standard is built up to meet this requirement and makes it possible to identify dimensions, characteristics and demands on performance of rolling bearings, bearing housings and accessories with a standardized vocabulary.

Using the Internet, for instance, a purchaser can go to the “Home page” of a bearing manufacturer or a distributor and select a search program (individually established by each bearing manufacturer or distributor, but based on this International Standard). Then, by answering given questions (with specified alternative options), obtain a list of one or more product options with designations, availability, prices, etc.

The advantage of using a standardized search structure is that the purchaser always works with the same vocabulary, independent of manufacturer, and the risk of misunderstanding and confusion is reduced. As most properties of interest are included in the search structure, this makes programming considerably easier.

### 4.2 Layout of the search structure

The layout of the search criteria follows the general structure as used in the Internet environment, i.e. an XML (extensible mark-up language) specification for defining the data structure.

The data structure is built up in the way shown below and illustrated in [Figure 1](#) and [Table 1](#).

There are three levels of classification – non-leaf characterization class, leaf characterization class and property as defined in [Clause 3](#).

**Properties** and **Value domains** to each class cover the information needed to define a product and are specified in [5.2](#) to [5.9](#) and [6.2](#). These properties and value domains are based on typical product ranges which can be found in manufacturers’ catalogues and brochures.

Each user of this International Standard can select the applicable properties and value domains from this International Standard, and add further properties and value domains if needed. Additional value domains, either individually or as a group, can also be included under the value domain “Other”. In general, the value domain “Other” is not shown in the tables, except for the properties “Tolerance” and “Clearance” with the only value domain “Normal”.

It is possible to identify a product on the basis of class, properties and value domains.

For the user this is, however, not a problem when selection is made from the value domains presented in a search program. The supplier determines the product range value domains, and the programmer has to consider the logic in the value domains presented, so that combinations that are not possible are excluded during the selection process.

An example of how to use the search structure is shown in [Annex A](#).

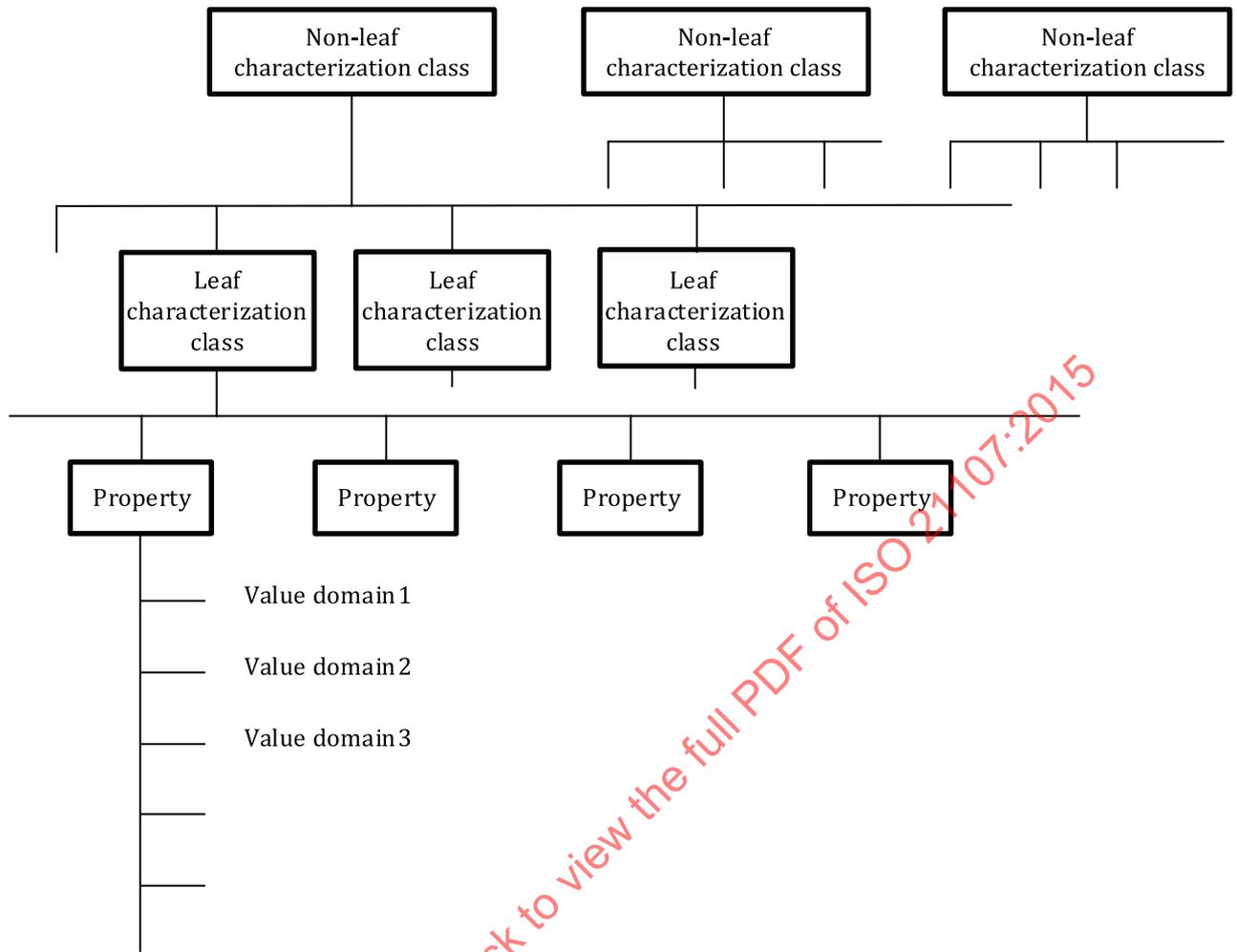


Figure 1 — Search structure

**Table 1 — Description of the structure**

Non-leaf characterization class	Leaf characterization class
Ball bearing	Deep groove ball bearings Angular contact radial ball bearing Angular contact thrust ball bearing Thrust ball bearing Self-aligning ball bearing
Roller bearing	Cylindrical roller bearing Thrust cylindrical roller bearing Needle roller bearing Thrust needle roller bearing Spherical roller bearing Thrust spherical roller bearing Tapered roller bearing Thrust tapered roller bearing
Insert bearing, unit, housing and accessory	Insert bearing Insert bearing unit Insert bearing housing Insert bearing accessory
Combined bearing	Combined bearing of radial needle roller/thrust ball type Combined bearing of radial needle roller/thrust roller type
Rolling bearing part	Ball Cylindrical roller Needle roller Thrust collar (L-shaped) Aligning seat washer Inner ring (special execution for needle roller bearing)
Bearing housing element	Bearing housing Accessory for bearing housing Bearing housing unit
Bearing accessory	Adapter sleeve Withdrawal sleeve Locknut and locking device
Track roller	Yoke-type track roller Stud-type track roller Accessory for track roller
Spherical plain bearing	Radial and angular contact radial spherical plain bearing Thrust spherical plain bearing Spherical plain bearing rod end

## 5 Properties and value domains for rolling bearings

### 5.1 General

The properties and value domains for leaf characterization classes of rolling bearings are given in [Tables 2](#) to [33](#).

NOTE In the [Tables 2](#) to [33](#), the **Properties** are shown in the row below the heading “Property and Value domain”, and the **Value domains** are shown in the rows with option numbers. The order of the value domains does not have any specific meaning.

It is important to realize that the value domains shown in [5.2](#) to [5.9](#) illustrate possible options of each property. All value domains are, however, not always needed to cover the product range of a supplier. Besides, all value domains of one property can sometimes not logically be used. Taking an example from [5.3.1 Cylindrical roller bearings](#), a one row bearing with two outer ring ribs is selected. Then the value domain for selecting “Inner ring with two ribs” is to be excluded, as such a bearing is not a bearing type in regular production.

### 5.2 Ball bearings

#### 5.2.1 Deep groove ball bearings

**Table 2 — Properties and value domains for deep groove ball bearings**

Property	Value domain					
	1	2	3	4	5	6
<b>Number of rows</b>	Value					
<b>Bore type</b>	Cylindrical	Tapered				
<b>Cage</b>	Sheet metal	Non-metallic	Machined metal	Without		
<b>Filling slot</b>	Without	With				
<b>Relubrication feature</b>	Without	With				
<b>Sealing</b>	Without	Seal on both sides	Shield on both sides	Seal on one side	Shield on one side	Seal on one side, shield on the other
<b>Sealing type</b>	Contact	Non-contact				
<b>Lubricant</b>	None	Grease	Solid oil	Solid lubricant		
<b>Locating feature, bearing outer ring</b>	None	Snap ring groove	Snap ring (fitted)	Retaining slot	Flange	
<b>Bore diameter</b>	Value/Range					
<b>Outside diameter</b>	Value/Range					
<b>Width</b>	Value/Range					
<b>Matched arrangement</b>	No	Face-to-face (X)	Back-to-back (O)	Tandem (T)		
<b>Radial internal clearance</b>	Group N (CN)	Group 2 (C2)	Group 3 (C3)	Group 4 (C4)	Group 5 (C5)	
<b>Material, bearing</b>	Bearing steel	Stainless steel	Ceramic	Hybrid	High temperature steel	
<b>Coating</b>	Without	Coated	Insulated			
<b>Tolerance class</b>	Normal	Class 6 (P6)	Class 5 (P5)	Class 4 (P4)	Class 2 (P2)	

## 5.2.2 Angular contact radial ball bearings

Table 3 — Properties and value domains for angular contact radial ball bearings

Property	Value domain					
	1	2	3	4	5	6
<b>Contact type</b>	Normal contact (two-point contact)	Four-point contact	Three-point contact			
<b>Number of rows</b>	Value					
<b>Arrangement of contact angle (double-row bearing)</b>	Back-to-back (O)	Face-to-face (X)				
<b>Ring type</b>	One-piece inner and outer rings	Two-piece inner ring and one piece outer ring	Two-piece outer ring and one piece inner ring			
<b>Cage</b>	Non-metallic	Sheet metal	Machined metal	Without		
<b>Sealing</b>	Without	Seal on both sides	Shield on both sides	Seal on one side	Shield on one side	Seal on one side, shield on the other
<b>Sealing type</b>	Contact	Non-contact				
<b>Relubrication feature</b>	Without	With				
<b>Lubricant</b>	None	Grease	Solid oil	Solid lubricant		
<b>Locating feature, bearing outer ring</b>	None	Snap ring groove	Snap ring (fitted)	Retaining slot	Flange	
<b>Bore diameter</b>	Value/Range					
<b>Outside diameter</b>	Value/Range					
<b>Width</b>	Value/Range					
<b>Contact angle</b>	Value/Range					
<b>Axial internal clearance</b>	Group N (CN)	Group 2 (C2)	Group 3 (C3)	Group 4 (C4)	Group 5 (C5)	
<b>Radial internal clearance</b>	Group N (CN)	Group 2 (C2)	Group 3 (C3)	Group 4 (C4)	Group 5 (C5)	
<b>Matched arrangement</b>	No	Face-to-face (X)	Back-to-back (O)	Tandem (T)	Combination of back-to-back (O) and tandem (T)	Combination of face-to-face (X) and tandem (T)
<b>Universal matching bearing</b>	No	Yes				
<b>Number of bearing in matched set</b>	Value					
<b>Matched condition (axial clearance/preload)</b>	Small clearance	Medium clearance	Large clearance	Light preload	Medium preload	Heavy preload
<b>Tolerance class</b>	Normal	Class 6 (P6)	Class 5 (P5)	Class 4 (P4)	Class 2 (P2)	
<b>Coating</b>	Without	Coated	Insulated			
<b>Material, bearing</b>	Bearing steel	Stainless steel	Ceramic	Hybrid	High temperature steel	

## 5.2.3 Angular contact thrust ball bearings

Table 4 — Properties and value domains for angular contact thrust ball bearings

Property	Value domain					
	1	2	3	4	5	6
Number of rows	Value					
Housing washer type (double-row angular contact thrust ball bearings)	One-piece	Two-piece				
Cage	Sheet metal	Non metallic	Machined metal	Without		
Sealing	Without	Seal on both sides	Shield on both sides	Seal on one side	Shield on one side	Seal on one side, shield on the other
Sealing type	Contact	Non-contact				
Axial load capability	Single-direction	Double-direction				
Relubrication feature	Without	With				
Lubricant	None	Grease	Solid oil			
Locating feature, bearing outer ring	None	Snap ring groove	Snap ring (fitted)	Retaining slot	Flange	
Bore diameter	Value/ Range					
Outside diameter	Value/ Range					
Height	Value/ Range					
Coating	Without	Coated	Insulated			
Matched arrangement	No	Face-to-face (X)	Back-to-back (O)	Tandem (T)	Combination of back-to-back (O) and tandem (T)	Combination of face-to-face (X) and tandem (T)
Number of bearing in matched set	Value					
Matched condition (axial clearance/preload)	Small clearance	Medium clearance	Large clearance	Light preload	Medium preload	Heavy preload
Tolerance class	Normal	Class 6 (P6)	Class 5 (P5)	Class 4 (P4)	Class 2 (P2)	
Contact angle	Value/ Range					
Material, bearing	Bearing steel	Stainless steel	Ceramic	Hybrid	High temperature steel	
Single bearing, universally matchable (delivered individually)	Yes	No				
Preload single bearing (double-row angular contact thrust ball bearing)	Light	Medium	Heavy			

5.2.4 Thrust ball bearings

Table 5 — Properties and value domains for thrust ball bearings

Property	Value domain				
	1	2	3	4	5
<b>Housing washer type</b>	Flat back face	Spherical back face			
<b>Number of rows</b>	Value				
<b>Axial load capability<sup>a</sup></b>	Single-direction	Double-direction			
<b>Cage</b>	Sheet metal	Non metallic	Machined metal		
<b>Coating</b>	Without	Coated	Insulated		
<b>Bore diameter</b>	Value/Range				
<b>Outside diameter</b>	Value/Range				
<b>Height</b>	Value/Range				
<b>Tolerance class</b>	Normal	Class 6 (P6)	Class 5 (P5)	Class 4 (P4)	
<b>Material, bearing</b>	Bearing steel	Stainless steel	Ceramic	Hybrid	High temperature steel
<b>Radius of aligning surface<sup>a</sup></b>	Value/Range				

<sup>a</sup> This property is not considered in ISO/TS 23768-1:2011.

5.2.5 Self-aligning ball bearings

Table 6 — Properties and value domains for self-aligning ball bearings

Property	Value domain				
	1	2	3	4	5
<b>Bore type</b>	Cylindrical	Tapered			
<b>Cage</b>	Sheet metal	Non metallic	Machined metal		
<b>Sealing</b>	Without	Seal on both side	Shield on both sides	Seal on one side	Shield on one side
<b>Sealing type</b>	Contact	Non-contact			
<b>Relubrication feature</b>	Without	With			
<b>Lubricant</b>	None	Grease	Solid oil		
<b>Locating feature, bearing outer ring</b>	None	Snap ring groove	Snap ring (fitted)	Retaining slot	
<b>Bore diameter</b>	Value/Range				
<b>Outside diameter</b>	Value/Range				
<b>Width</b>	Value/Range				
<b>Radial internal clearance</b>	Group N(CN)	Group 2 (C2)	Group 3 (C3)	Group 4 (C4)	Group 5 (C5)
<b>Tolerance class</b>	Normal	Class 6 (P6)	Class 5 (P5)	Class 4 (P4)	Class 2 (P2)
<b>Material, bearing</b>	Bearing steel	Stainless steel	High temperature steel	Hybrid	Ceramic
<b>Coating</b>	Without	Coated	Insulated		

## 5.3 Roller bearings

### 5.3.1 Cylindrical roller bearings

Table 7 — Properties and value domains for cylindrical roller bearings

Property	Value domain					
	1	2	3	4	5	6
<b>Number of rows</b>	Value					
<b>Bearing part</b>	Complete bearing	Bearing without inner ring	Bearing without outer ring	Inner ring	Roller and cage assembly	Outer ring
<b>Number of ribs, outer ring</b>	None	One	Two	Three		
<b>Number of ribs, inner ring</b>	None	One	Two	Three		
<b>Loose rib</b>	None	Inner ring loose rib (flat washer)	Outer ring loose rib (flat washer)	Thrust collar (L-shaped)		
<b>Bore type</b>	Cylindrical	Tapered				
<b>Cage</b>	Sheet metal	Non metallic	Machined metal	Without		
<b>Locating feature, bearing outer ring</b>	None	Snap ring groove	Snap ring (fitted)	Retaining slot	Flange	
<b>Relubrication feature</b>	Without	With				
<b>Bore diameter</b>	Value/Range					
<b>Outside diameter</b>	Value/Range					
<b>Width</b>	Value/Range					
<b>Radial internal clearance</b>	Group N (CN)	Group 2 (C2)	Group 3 (C3)	Group 4 (C4)	Group 5 (C5)	
<b>Tolerance class</b>	Normal	Class 6 (P6)	Class 5 (P5)	Class 4 (P4)	Class 2 (P2)	
<b>Lubricant</b>	None	Grease	Solid oil			
<b>Coating</b>	Without	Coated	Insulated			
<b>Sealing</b>	without	Seal on both sides	Shield on both sides	Seal on one side	Shield on one side	Seal on one side, shield on the other
<b>Sealing type</b>	Contact	Non-contact				
<b>Material, bearing</b>	Bearing steel	Case carburised steel	Stainless steel	High temperature steel	Hybrid	Ceramic

5.3.2 Thrust cylindrical roller bearings

Table 8 — Properties and value domains for thrust cylindrical roller bearings

Property	Value domain					
	1	2	3	4	5	6
<b>Bearing part</b>	Complete bearing	Roller and cage assembly	Shaft washer	Housing washer	Central shaft washer	
<b>Cage</b>	Non-metallic	Machined metal				
<b>Bore diameter</b>	Value/Range					
<b>Outside diameter</b>	Value/Range					
<b>Height</b>	Value/Range					
<b>Tolerance class</b>	Normal	Class 6 (P6)	Class 5 (P5)	Class 4 (P4)		
<b>Axial load capability</b>	Single-direction	Double-direction				
<b>Number of rows</b>	Value					
<b>Coating</b>	Without	Coated	Insulated			
<b>Material, bearing</b>	Bearing steel	Case carburised steel	Stainless steel	High temperature steel	Hybrid	Ceramic

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## 5.3.3 Needle roller bearings

Table 9 — Properties and value domains for needle roller bearings

Property	Value domain				
	1	2	3	4	5
<b>Outer ring type</b>	Machined (solid)	Drawn cup with open ends	Drawn cup with one closed end		
<b>Bearing part</b>	Complete bearing	Bearing without inner ring	Needle roller and cage assembly	Inner ring	
<b>Cage</b>	Sheet metal	Non metallic	Machined metal	Without	
<b>Sealing</b>	Without	Seal on both sides	Seal on one side		
<b>Sealing type</b>	Contact	Non-contact			
<b>Radial internal clearance</b>	Group N (CN)	Group 2 (C2)	Group 3 (C3)	Group 4 (C4)	Group 5 (C5)
<b>Bore diameter</b>	Value/Range				
<b>Bore diameter of needle roller complement<sup>a</sup></b>	Value/Range				
<b>Outside diameter</b>	Value/Range				
<b>Outside diameter of needle roller complement<sup>a</sup></b>	Value/Range				
<b>Width</b>	Value/Range				
<b>Tolerance class</b>	Normal	Class 6 (P6)	Class 5 (P5)	Class 4 (P4)	
<b>Relubrication feature</b>	With	Without			
<b>Lubricant</b>	None	Grease	Solid oil		
<b>Number of ribs, outer ring</b>	Two	Three	None		
<b>Number of rows</b>	Value				
<b>Aligning feature</b>	Without	With			
<b>Coating</b>	Without	Coated			
<b>Material, bearing</b>	Bearing steel	Stainless steel	Case carburised steel		

<sup>a</sup> This property is not considered in ISO/TS 23768-1:2011.

5.3.4 Thrust needle roller bearings

Table 10 — Properties and value domains for thrust needle roller bearings

Property	Value domain					
	1	2	3	4	5	6
<b>Bearing part</b>	Roller and cage assembly	Thrust washer	Shaft washer	Housing washer	Needle roller and cage assembly with washer having centring feature	Complete bearing
<b>Cage</b>	Sheet metal	Non-metallic	Machined metal			
<b>Bore diameter</b>	Value/Range					
<b>Outside diameter</b>	Value/Range					
<b>Height</b>	Value/Range					
<b>Needle roller grade</b>	G2	G3	G5			
<b>Coating</b>	Without	Coated	Insulated			
<b>Material, bearing</b>	Bearing steel	Stainless steel	High temperature steel	Hybrid	Ceramic	

5.3.5 Spherical roller bearings

Table 11 — Properties and value domains for spherical roller bearings

Property	Value domain					
	1	2	3	4	5	6
<b>Number of rows</b>	Value					
<b>Bore type</b>	Cylindrical	Tapered 1:12	Tapered 1:30			
<b>Cage</b>	Sheet metal	Machined metal	Non-metallic			
<b>Relubrication feature</b>	With	Without				
<b>Locating feature, bearing outer ring</b>	Without	Snap ring groove	Snap ring (fitted)	Retaining slot		
<b>Sealing</b>	Without	Seal on both sides	Shield on both sides	Seal on one side	Shield on one side	Seal on one side, shield on the other
<b>Sealing type</b>	Contact	Non-contact				
<b>Bore diameter</b>	Value/Range					
<b>Outside diameter</b>	Value/Range					
<b>Width</b>	Value/Range					
<b>Coating</b>	Without	Coated	Insulated			
<b>Lubricant</b>	None	Grease	Solid oil			
<b>Radial internal clearance</b>	Group N (CN)	Group 2 (C2)	Group 3 (C3)	Group 4 (C4)	Group 5 (C5)	
<b>Tolerance class</b>	Normal	Class 6 (P6)	Class 5 (P5)	Class 4 (P4)		
<b>Material, bearing</b>	Bearing steel	Case carburised steel	Stainless steel	High temperature steel	Hybrid	Ceramic

## 5.3.6 Thrust spherical roller bearings

Table 12 — Properties and value domains for thrust spherical roller bearings

Property	Value domain					
	1	2	3	4	5	6
<b>Cage</b>	Machined metal	Sheet metal	Non-metallic			
<b>Locating feature, housing washer</b>	None	Retaining slot				
<b>Bore diameter</b>	Value/Range					
<b>Outside diameter</b>	Value/Range					
<b>Height</b>	Value/Range					
<b>Coating</b>	Without	Coated	Insulated			
<b>Tolerance class</b>	Normal	Class 6 (P6)	Class 5 (P5)			
<b>Material, bearing</b>	Bearing steel	Case carburised steel	Stainless steel	High temperature steel	Hybrid	Ceramic

## 5.3.7 Tapered roller bearings

Table 13 — Properties and value domains for tapered roller bearings

Property	Value domain							
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
<b>Number of rows</b>	Value							
<b>Cage</b>	Sheet metal	Non-metallic	Machined metal	Without				
<b>Arrangement of contact angle (double-row bearing)</b>	Face-to-face (X)	Back-to-back (O)						
<b>Bearing design<sup>a</sup></b>	None	R	DZ	DZU	D	DU	DB	DBU
<b>Bearing part</b>	Complete bearing	Inner ring, cage and roller assembly (cone assembly)	Outer ring (cup)					
<b>Bore type</b>	Cylindrical	Tapered						
<b>Single-row bearing for matching, pre-adjusted</b>	Yes	No						
<b>Contact angle</b>	Value/Range							
<b>Locating feature, bearing outer ring</b>	None	Flange	Snap ring (fitted)	Retaining slot				

<sup>a</sup> The symbols of the bearing design are described in ISO 10317:2008 and ISO 10317:2008/Amd 1.

<sup>b</sup> This property is not considered in ISO/TS 23768-1:2011.

<sup>c</sup> Only applicable for double-row bearing and matched bearing.

Table 13 (continued)

Property	Value domain							
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
<b>Relubrication feature</b>	With	Without						
<b>Bore diameter</b>	Value/ Range							
<b>Outside diameter</b>	Value/ Range							
<b>Width, total</b>	Value/ Range							
<b>Width, inner ring</b>	Value/ Range							
<b>Width, outer ring</b>	Value/ Range							
<b>Tolerance class</b>	Normal	Class 6X (P6X)	Class 5 (P5)	Class 4 (P4)	Class 2 (P2)			
<b>Lubricant</b>	None	Grease	Solid oil					
<b>Sealing</b>	Without	Seal on both sides	Shield on both sides	Seal on one side	Shield on one side	Seal on one side, shield on the other		
<b>Sealing type</b>	Contact	Non-contact						
<b>Material, bearing</b>	Bearing steel	Case carburised steel	Stainless steel	High temperature steel	Hybrid	Ceramic		
<b>Matched arrangement</b>	No	Face-to-face (X)	Back-to-back (O)	Tandem (T)	Combination of back-to-back (O) and tandem (T)	Combination of face-to-face (X) and tandem (T)		
<b>Number of matched bearings</b>	Value							
<b>Coating<sup>b</sup></b>	Without	Coated	Insulated					
<b>Internal clearance<sup>c</sup></b>	Group N (CN)	Group 1 (C1)	Group 2 (C2)	Group 3 (C3)	Group 4 (C4)	Group 5 (C5)		

<sup>a</sup> The symbols of the bearing design are described in ISO 10317:2008 and ISO 10317:2008/Amd 1.

<sup>b</sup> This property is not considered in ISO/TS 23768-1:2011.

<sup>c</sup> Only applicable for double-row bearing and matched bearing.

## 5.3.8 Thrust tapered roller bearings

Table 14 — Properties and value domains for thrust tapered roller bearings

Property	Value domain					
	1	2	3	4	5	6
<b>Bearing part</b>	Complete bearing	Housing washer	Shaft washer	Roller and cage assembly		
<b>Number of rows</b>	Value					
<b>Axial load capability</b>	Single-direction	Double-direction				
<b>Cage</b>	Sheet metal	Non metallic	Machined metal	Without		
<b>Sealing</b>	Without	With cap	With contact seal	With cap and contact seal		
<b>Lubricant</b>	None	Grease				
<b>Bore diameter</b>	Value/Range					
<b>Outside diameter</b>	Value/Range					
<b>Height</b>	Value/Range					
<b>Tolerance class</b>	Normal	Class 6 (P6)	Class 5 (P5)			
<b>Coating</b>	Without	Coated	Insulated			
<b>Material, bearing</b>	Bearing steel	Case carburised steel	Stainless steel	High temperature steel	Hybrid	Ceramic

5.4 Insert bearings

5.4.1 Insert bearings (bearing only)

Table 15 — Properties and value domains for insert bearings (bearing only)

Property	Value domain					
	1	2	3	4	5	6
<b>Bore type</b>	Cylindrical	Tapered	Square	Hexagonal		
<b>Outside diameter type</b>	Spherical	Cylindrical				
<b>Rubber collar</b>	Without	With				
<b>Cage</b>	Non-metallic	Sheet metal	Machined metal			
<b>Retaining feature, inner ring</b>	Eccentric locking collar	Grub screw locking	Concentric locking collar	Adapter sleeve	Slot in inner ring	None
<b>Coating</b>	Without	Coated				
<b>Relubrication feature</b>	With	Without				
<b>Lubricant</b>	Grease	Solid oil				
<b>Sealing</b>	Seal on both sides	Shield on both sides	Seal and flinger on both sides	Seal on one side, shield on the other	Shield and flinger on both sides	
<b>Sealing type</b>	Contact	Non-contact				
<b>Material, bearing</b>	Bearing steel	Stainless steel	High temperature steel			
<b>Bore diameter</b>	Value/Range					
<b>Outside diameter</b>	Value/Range					
<b>Width, inner ring</b>	Value/Range					
<b>Width, outer ring</b>	Value/Range					
<b>Rolling elements</b>	Balls	Convex rollers				

5.4.2 Insert bearing units

Table 16 — Properties and value domains for insert bearing units

Property	Value domain					
	1	2	3	4	5	6
<b>Housing type</b>	Plummer block (pillow block)	Flanged	Take-up housing	Cartridge housing	Flanged housings with spigot joint	
<b>Material, housing</b>	Cast iron	Sheet metal	Spheroidal graphite cast iron	Composite	Cast steel	Stainless steel
<b>Flanged housing type</b>	Square	Oval	Round	Triangular		
<b>Bore type</b>	Cylindrical	Tapered	Square	Hexagonal		

Table 16 (continued)

Property	Value domain					
	1	2	3	4	5	6
<b>Retaining feature, inner ring</b>	Eccentric locking collar	Grub screw locking	Concentric locking collar	Adapter sleeve	Slot in inner ring	None
<b>Sealing, bearing</b>	Seal on both sides	Shield on both sides	Seal and flinger on both sides	Seal on one side, shield on the other	Shield and flinger on both sides	
<b>Sealing type</b>	Contact	Non-contact				
<b>Lubricant</b>	Grease	Solid oil				
<b>Relubrication hole</b>	With	Without				
<b>Relubrication nipple</b>	With	Without				
<b>Material, bearing</b>	Bearing steel	Stainless steel	High temperature steel			
<b>Shaft diameter</b>	Value/Range					
<b>Fastening bolt hole type</b>	Plain holes	Threaded holes				
<b>Number of bolt holes for fasteners</b>	Value					
<b>Pitch diameter of bolt holes of round and triangle flange type housing</b>	Value/Range					
<b>Coating</b>	Without	Bearing coated	Housing coated	Bearing and housing coated		
<b>Centre distance of bolt holes of pillow type, square and oval flange type housing</b>	Value/Range					
<b>Centre height of pillow type or plummer block housing</b>	Value/Range					
<b>Housing overall width</b>	Value/Range					
<b>Bearing width, total</b>	Value/Range					
<b>Sealing, unit</b>	Without	Cover with rubber seal on both sides	Cover with rubber seal on one side	End cap on one side	End cap on one side and cover with rubber seal on the other side	

5.4.3 Insert bearing housings

Table 17 — Properties and value domains for insert bearing housings

Property	Value domain					
	1	2	3	4	5	6
<b>Housing type</b>	Plummer block (pillow block)	Flanged	Take-up housing	cartridge housing	Flanged housings with spigot joint	
<b>Material, housing</b>	Cast iron	Sheet metal	Spheroidal graphite cast iron	Composite	Cast steel	Stainless steel
<b>Flanged housing type</b>	Square	Oval	Round	Triangular		
<b>Relubrication hole</b>	With	Without				
<b>Relubrication nipple</b>	With	Without				
<b>Fastening bolt hole type</b>	Plain	Threaded				
<b>Spherical seating diameter</b>	Value/Range					
<b>Number of bolt holes for fasteners</b>	Value					
<b>Pitch diameter of bolt holes of round and triangle flange type housing</b>	Value/Range					
<b>Centre distance of bolt holes of pillow type, square and oval flange type housing</b>	Value/Range					
<b>Centre height of pillow type or plummer block housing</b>	Value/Range					
<b>Overall width, total</b>	Value/Range					

5.4.4 Insert bearing accessories

Table 18 — Properties and value domains for insert bearing accessories

Property	Value domain			
	1	2	3	4
Accessory type	End cap			
Insert bearing accessory material	Composite	Sheet metal	Cast iron	Rubber
Bore diameter	Value/Range			
Outside locating diameter	Value/Range			
Width	Value/Range			
Pitch diameter of bolt holes	Value/Range			
Number of bolt holes	Value			

5.5 Combined bearings

Table 19 — Properties and value domains for combined bearings of radial needle roller/thrust ball type or radial needle roller/thrust roller type

Property	Value domain		
	1	2	3
Rolling element (thrust part)	Balls	Rollers	
Axial load capability	Single-direction	Double-direction	
Rolling bearing type	Complete bearing	Radial part without inner ring	
Thrust part	With cage	Without cage	
Radial internal clearance	Group N (CN)	Other	
Bore diameter	Value/Range		
Outside diameter	Value/Range		
Width	Value/Range		
Tolerance class	Normal	Other	
Coating	Without	Coated	
Material, bearing	Bearing steel	Stainless steel	
Lubricant (thrust part)	None	Grease	
Special feature	Thrust part with retaining cap	Flanged outer ring with holes	Flanged outer ring without holes
Radial part	With cage	Without cage	

## 5.6 Rolling bearing parts

### 5.6.1 Balls

**Table 20 — Properties and value domains for balls**

Property	Value domain										
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
<b>Material</b>	Bearing steel	Stainless steel	Ceramic								
<b>Diameter</b>	Value/Range										
<b>Ball grade</b>	G3	G5	G10	G16	G20	G24	G28	G40	G60	G100	G200
<b>Coating</b>	Coated	Without									

### 5.6.2 Cylindrical rollers

**Table 21 — Properties and value domains for cylindrical rollers**

Property	Value domain					
	1	2	3	4	5	6
<b>Material</b>	Bearing steel	Stainless steel	Ceramic			
<b>Diameter</b>	Value/Range					
<b>Length</b>	Value/Range					
<b>Cylindrical roller grade<sup>a</sup></b>	G1	G1A	G2	G2A	G3	G5
<b>Coating</b>	Without	Coated	Insulated			

<sup>a</sup> This property is not considered in ISO/TS 23768-1:2011.

### 5.6.3 Needle rollers

**Table 22 — Properties and value domains for needle rollers**

Property	Value domain		
	1	2	3
<b>Material</b>	Bearing steel	Stainless steel	
<b>Needle roller end type</b>	Flat ends	Rounded ends	
<b>Diameter</b>	Value/Range		
<b>Length</b>	Value/Range		
<b>Needle roller grade</b>	G2	G3	G5
<b>Coating</b>	Without	Coated	Insulated

## 5.6.4 Thrust collars (L-shaped)

Table 23 — Properties and value domains for thrust collars (L-shaped)

Property	Value domain	
	1	2
<b>For use with bearing</b>	"Bearing designation"	
<b>Bore diameter</b>	Value/Range	
<b>Outside diameter</b>	Value/Range	
<b>Width in bore</b>	Value/Range	
<b>Width on outside diameter<sup>a</sup></b>	Value/Range	
<b>Material</b>	Bearing steel	Stainless steel
<b>Coating</b>	Without	Coated

<sup>a</sup> This property is not considered in ISO/TS 23768-1:2011.

## 5.6.5 Aligning seat washers for thrust ball bearings

Table 24 — Properties and value domains for aligning seat washers for thrust ball bearings

Property	Value domain	
	1	2
<b>For use with bearing</b>	"Bearing designation"	
<b>Outside diameter</b>	Value/Range	
<b>Bore diameter</b>	Value/Range	
<b>Height</b>	Value/Range	
<b>Material</b>	Bearing steel	Stainless steel
<b>Coating</b>	Without	Coated
<b>Centre height of aligning seat<sup>a</sup></b>	Value	

<sup>a</sup> See ISO 20516.

5.6.6 Inner rings for needle roller bearings

Table 25 — Properties and value domains for inner rings for needle roller bearings

Property	Value domain			
	1	2	3	4
<b>Tolerance class</b>	Normal	Class 6 (P6)	Class 5 (P5)	
<b>Radial internal clearance (in assembled bearing)</b>	Group N (CN)	Group 2 (C2)	Group 3 (C3)	Group 4 (C4)
<b>Relubrication feature</b>	Without	With		
<b>Bore diameter</b>	Value/Range			
<b>Outside diameter</b>	Value/Range			
<b>Width, inner ring</b>	Value/Range			
<b>Material</b>	Bearing steel	Stainless steel		
<b>Coating</b>	Without	Coated		
<b>Special raceway feature</b>	None	Without lead chamfer	For use with seals	With allowance for finish grinding

5.7 Bearing housings and housing accessories

5.7.1 Bearing housings

Table 26 — Properties and value domains for bearing housings

Property	Value domain			
	1	2	3	4
<b>Housing type</b>	Plummer block (pillow block)	Take-up housing	Flanged	
<b>Housing configuration</b>	One-piece	Two-piece		
<b>Mounting arrangement</b>	Through shaft	Shaft end		
<b>Bearing configuration</b>	Adapter sleeve	Cylindrical bore		
<b>Seating diameter</b>	Value/Range			
<b>Centre height (plummer block)</b>	Value/Range			
<b>Fastening bolt hole type</b>	Cast holes	Drilled holes	Without holes	
<b>Number of bolt holes for fasteners</b>	Value			
<b>Pitch diameter of bolt holes</b>	Value/Range			
<b>Centre distance between bolt holes</b>	Value/Range			
<b>Bearing housing seal type</b>	Felt seal	Lip seal	V-ring seal	Labyrinth seal
<b>Material, housing</b>	Cast iron	Spheroidal graphite cast iron	Cast steel	

## 5.7.2 Accessories for bearing housings

Table 27 — Properties and value domains for accessories for bearing housings

Property	Value domain	
	1	2
<b>Housing designation</b>	"Housing designation"	
<b>Accessory type</b>	End cover	Locating ring
<b>Outside diameter</b>	Value/Range	
<b>Width</b>	Value/Range	

## 5.7.3 Bearing housing units

Table 28 — Properties and value domains for bearing housing units

Property	Value domain				
	1	2	3	4	5
<b>Housing type</b>	Plummer block (pillow block)	Take-up housing	Flanged		
<b>Housing configuration</b>	One-piece	Two-piece			
<b>Bearing insert</b>	Spherical roller bearing	Self-aligning ball bearing	Cylindrical roller bearing	Angular contact ball bearing	Deep groove ball bearing
<b>Mounting arrangement</b>	Through shaft	Shaft end			
<b>Bearing configuration</b>	Adapter sleeve	Without adapter sleeve			
<b>Bore diameter (bearing)</b>	Value/Range				
<b>Centre height (plummer block)</b>	Value/Range				
<b>Fastening bolt hole type</b>	Cast holes	Drilled holes	Without holes		
<b>Number of bolt holes for fastener</b>	Value				
<b>Pitch diameter of bolt holes</b>	Value/Range				
<b>Centre distance between bolt holes</b>	Value/Range				
<b>Bearing housing seal type</b>	Felt seal	Lip seal	V-ring seal	Labyrinth seal	
<b>Material, housing</b>	Cast iron	Spheroidal graphite cast iron	Cast steel		
<b>End cover</b>	With	Without			
<b>Locating ring</b>	With	Without			

5.8 Bearing accessories

5.8.1 Adapter and withdrawal sleeve

Table 29 — Properties and value domains for adapter and withdrawal sleeve

Property	Value domain	
	1	2
<b>Sleeve type</b>	Adapter sleeve	Withdrawal sleeve
<b>Holes for oil injection</b>	With	Without
<b>Bore diameter</b>	Value/Range	
<b>Thread designation</b>	Value/Range	
<b>Width</b>	Value/Range	
<b>Taper <sup>a</sup></b>	1:12	1:30

<sup>a</sup> This property is not considered in ISO/TS 23768-1:2011.

5.8.2 Locknuts and locking devices

Table 30 — Properties and value domains for locknuts and locking devices

Property	Value domain			
	1	2	3	4
<b>For use with sleeve</b>	"Tapered sleeve designation"			
<b>Locking device</b>	Lockwasher	Locking clip	Incorporated in the locknut	None
<b>Thread designation</b>	Value/Range			
<b>Outside diameter</b>	Value/Range			
<b>Width</b>	Value/Range			
<b>Nut for hydraulic mounting</b>	Yes	No		