# Connecting systems

# for modern timber construction engineering







### Welcome to the World of KNAPP<sup>®</sup>!

As a producer of patented connecting systems we develop and produce high-quality products which are distributed worldwide. Not only will our connecting systems convince – but also inspire you with the wide range of applications. The comprehensive service offers you the possibility to find the best, the most efficient and innovative solution for the realisation of your products. On the following pages you will find our connector systems for modern timber engineering.

Friedrich Knapp Company founder

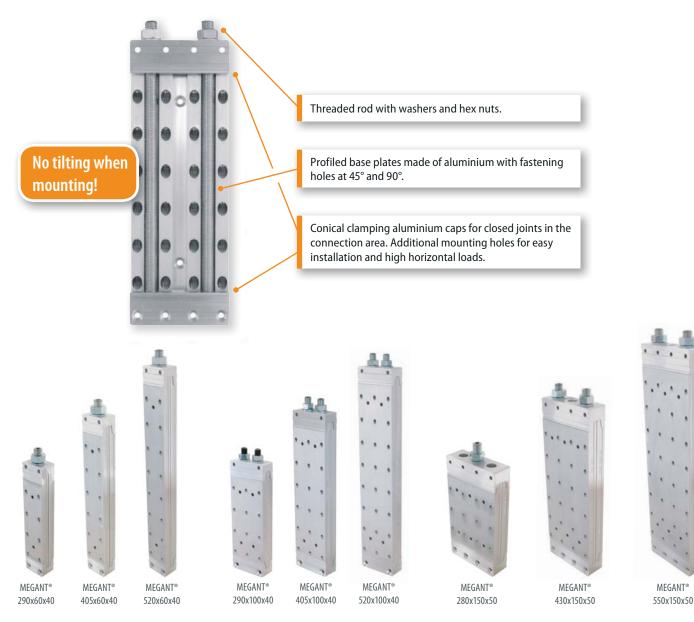
### MEGANT<sup>®</sup> | The heavy-duty connector for timber construction engineering up to 500 kN

#### System advantages:

- Load range standard sizes up to 341 kN, customized solutions up to 500 kN
- I Minimum timber width  $\leq$  100 mm
- Connection options on wood, steel or concrete
- Unique mounting possible from all directions without tilting
- Loadable in all directions
- Fire protection three sided concealed jointless installation
- Short crane times by a high degree of prefabrication only 2 cm hooking way
- Dismountable installed to connect and rebuild



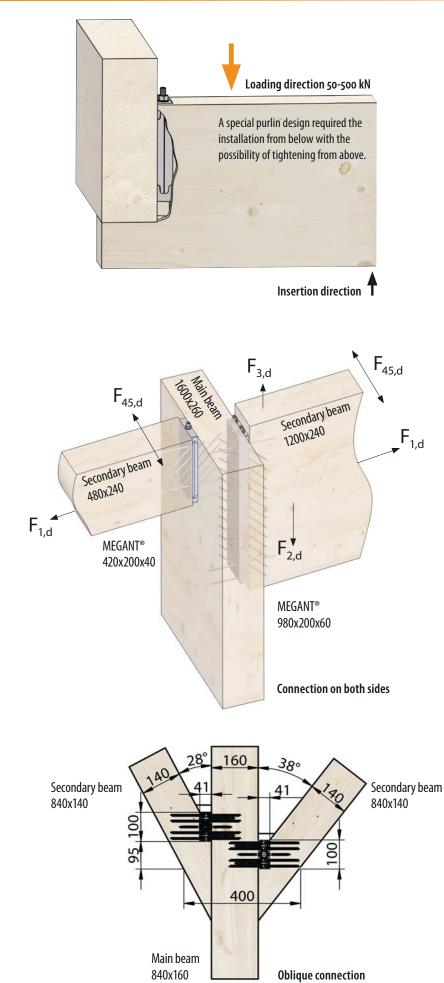
Installation example with MEGANT<sup>®</sup>: No reduction of the main beam.



More information: www.knapp-connectors.com/megant

### **MEGANT®**

#### Application examples and connection details





Concealed mounting on three sides by milling the secondary beam and visible mounting on main beam.



Connection finished: The secondary beams are placed in the clamping jaws.



With only 2 cm hooking way, a mounting in cutouts of concrete walls can be done.

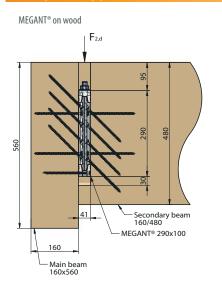


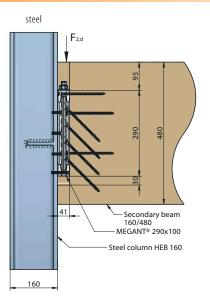
MEGANT<sup>®</sup> oblique connection.

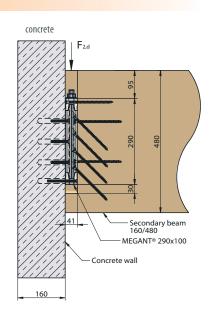
### **MEGANT®**

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#### **Example of applications and connection details**







### **MEGANT®**

#### **Fire protection**

- I is an invisible connection required or particular requirements for fire protection, the system can be easily processed on 3 sides covered.
- Jointless connection no additional covers or fire protection ribbons required.
- According to DIN4102-2 20 mm wood covering are required for 30 minutes fire resistance. Even a higher fire resistance (i.e. R60) is possible.



### **MEGANT®** drilling-jig

#### **MEGANT**<sup>®</sup>

Art.-Nr. K08030664/00001 Art.-Nr. Ko8o3o666/00001 Art.-Nr. K08030670/00001 Art.-Nr. Ko8o3o671/00001

Art.-Nr. Ko8o3o663/00001 Drilling-jig MEGANT® 290x6ox40 Drilling-jig MEGANT® 405x60x40 Art.-Nr. Ko8o3o665/00001 Drilling-jig MEGANT® 520x60x40 Drilling-jig MEGANT<sup>®</sup> 290x100x40 Art.-Nr. Ko8o3o667/00001 Drilling-jig MEGANT® 405x100x40 Art.-Nr. Ko8o3o668/oooo1 Drilling-jig MEGANT® 520x100x40 Art.-Nr. Ko8o3o669/00001 Drilling-jig MEGANT® 280x150x50 Drilling-jig MEGANT® 430x150x50 Drilling-jig MEGANT® 550x150x50

**Application:** 

For an exact predrilling of the positioning screwing.

### **MEGANT®** screws

CS-screws with cut point (MEGANT <sup>®</sup> is supplied with the appropriate CS-screws)						
ArtNo. Z581	CS-screw 8x160 with patented half-peak	(				
Application:	For the positioning and slanted screwing as well as mounting of the clampir	jaw of ME	GANT <sup>®</sup> .			

### **MEGANT®**

**Overview, static values** 

#### MEGANT<sup>®</sup> 60 - Static values with screws 8x160 in timber quality GL24h

Connector	Min. secondary	Characteristic values [kN]					
Connector	beam height [mm]	max F <sub>1,Rk</sub>	max F <sub>2,Rk</sub>	max F <sub>3,Rk</sub>	max F <sub>45,Rk</sub>		
290x60x40	104x440	12,8	81	24,6			
405x60x40	104x520	10,4	116	35,4	45,5		
520x60x40	104x640	7,5	129	45,9			

#### MEGANT<sup>®</sup> 100 - Static values with screws 8x160 in timber quality GL24h

Connector	Min. secondary	Characteristic values [kN]					
Connector	beam height [mm]	max F <sub>1,Rk</sub>	max F <sub>2,Rk</sub>	max F <sub>3,Rk</sub>	max F <sub>45,Rk</sub>		
290x100x40	142x440	23,9	116	35,4			
405x100x40	142x520	23,9	167	51,0	65,6		
520x100x40	142x640	23,9	211	66,1			

#### MEGANT<sup>®</sup> 150 - Static values with screws 8x160 in timber quality GL24h

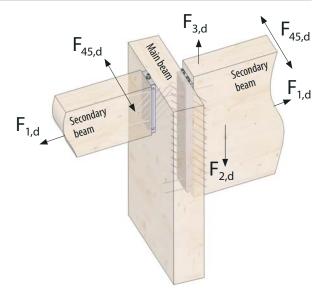
Compostor	Min. secondary	Characteristic values [kN]					
Connector	beam height [mm]	max F <sub>1,Rk</sub>	max F <sub>2,Rk</sub>	max F <sub>3,Rk</sub>	max F <sub>45,Rk</sub>		
280x150x50	194x360	33,8	109	35,4	65,6		
430x150x50	194x520	33,8	204	66,1	82,7		
550x150x50	194x640	33,8	265	85,7	02,/		
	Custom solutior	ns of MEGANT® Speci	al sizes on request (Ex	amples on the list)			
720x150x50	194x780	33,8	352				
830x150x50	194x895	33,8	409	95 7	5 2 2		
1060x150x50	194x1125	12,3	521	85,7	82,7		
1120x150x50	194x1180	7,0	548				

#### Certificates for F<sub>1</sub> and F<sub>2</sub> must be splitted and not to be combined !

- Characteristic values for traction
- F<sub>1,Rk</sub> F<sub>2,Rk</sub> F<sub>3,Rk</sub> Characteristic values in direction of insertion
- Characteristic values against the direction of insertion
- $\mathsf{F}_{_{45,\mathsf{Rk}}}$ Characteristic values perpendicular to the direction of insertion

A testable structural predimensioning is available upon request from KNAPP<sup>®</sup>.

Factor f for other timber species						
GL24c	GL24h	GL28h	GL32h			
0,94	1,00	1,06	1,10			



### **MEGANT®**

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#### Assembly procedure



**13:16** After aligning the secondary beam, MEGANT<sup>®</sup> is hooked.



**13:21** | For threading and dropping, MEGANT<sup>®</sup> requires only 2 cm.



**13:23** | Insert the threaded rods and drill them into the caps.



13:24 | Tighten the nuts.



13:25 Connection finished.

### **MEGANT®**

#### Custom solutions for forces up to 500 kN

- I Comprehensive advice from your personal contact and our technical department
- Professional support for project-related detailed preparation and static predimensioning
- Create an optional project-based verifiable static

### MEGANT<sup>®</sup> for 420 kN

Example: Storage hall Großarl (A)



### Oblique connections

Example: Restaurant Schnepfenried (FR)





Static calculation by external engineering office.

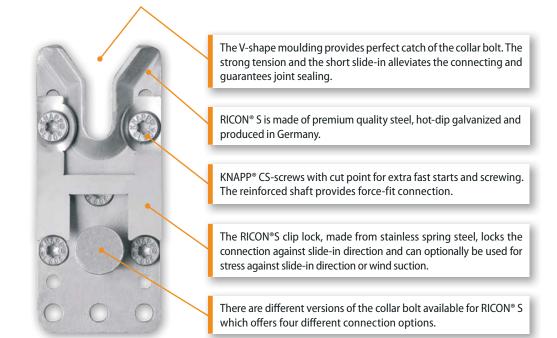
Construction manuals, .DXF drawings for MEGANT<sup>®</sup> as well as your personal consultant in your area, please visit: www.knapp-connectors.com/download

### **RICON® S** The connector for main and secondary beam up to 100 kN\*

#### System advantages:

- Connector for timber frame, wood frame buildings and halls
- I Timber width from 100 mm upwards
- Universally applicable to timber, steel or concrete
- Simple screwing without predrilling
- Easy hooking by large V-shaping only 3,5 cm hooking way
- I Three- and four-sided concealed connection
- High fire resistence through three- and four-sided concealed mounting
- Adjustable collar bolt up to 5mm length tolerance at full load capacity
- Optional securing against the insertion direction with clip lock





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RICON® S60 VS 140x60x25



 60 VS
 RICON® S60 VS

 x25
 200x60x25



RICON® S80 VS 200x80x25

RICON® S80 VS 290x80x25



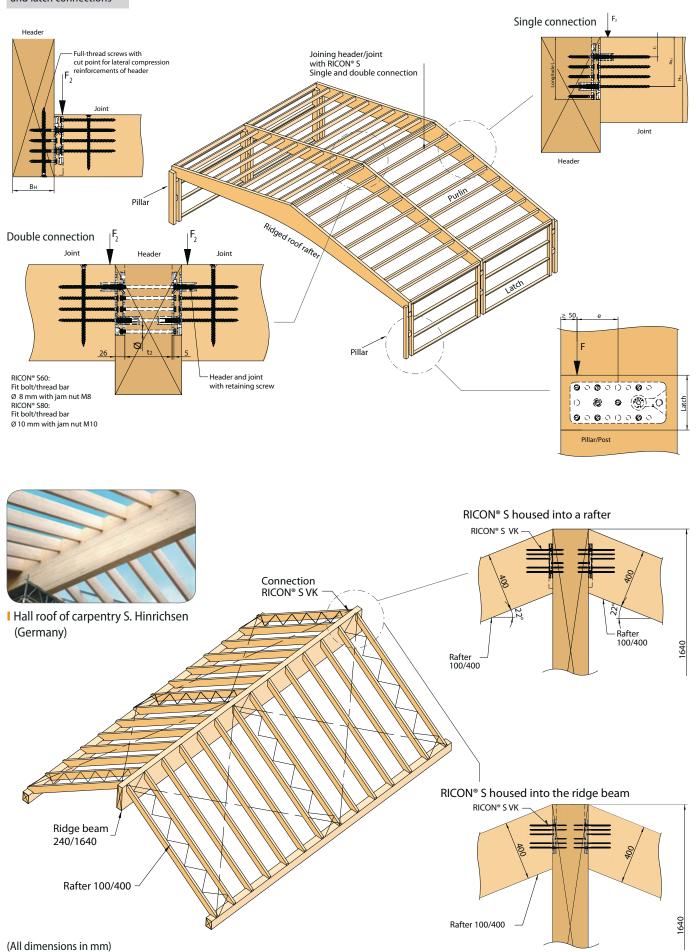


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### RICON<sup>®</sup> S

#### Application examples and connection details

Ridged roof with purlins and latch connections



Cross-laminated timber wall

#### **Application prefabricated houses**

 $F_2$ 

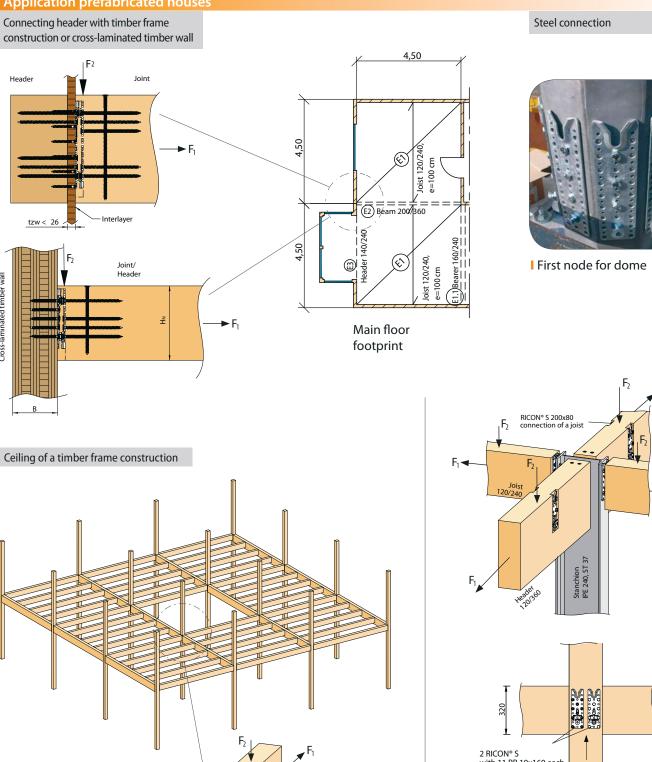
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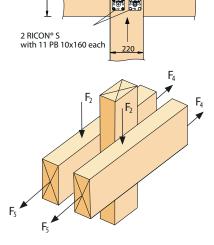
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► F<sub>1</sub>

Beam 140/240, e = 1,00 m connection to post with RICON<sup>®</sup> S 200x80



Alternative ways to connect

► F<sub>1</sub>

Characteristic values for dimensioning can be taken from the ETA Static Folder.

[GL24h]

53,0

39,8

36,0

36,0

[GL24h]

60,0

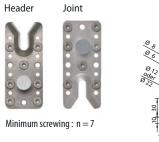
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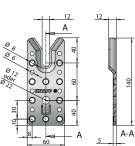
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RICON<sup>®</sup> S 140/60 - Collar bolts and screwing







	Connector	Collar bolt	Scr Joint
	140/60	VS	10 x CS 8x160
RICON <sup>®</sup> S VS: Welded collar bolt	140/60	<b>VK</b> D12	8 x CS 8x160
	Available on r	equest:	
	140/60	<b>EK</b> M12	7 x CS 8x160

140/60

200/60

Minimum timber cross section: 100 x 160 mm

**GK** M12

**GK** M12

7 x CS 8x160

16 x CS 8x160

9 x CS 8x160

8 x CS 8x160

8 x CS 8x160

Clip lock: F<sub>3.Rk</sub> = 18,0 kN

10 x CS 8x80

8 x CS 8x80

7 x CS 8x80

7 x CS 8x80

16 x CS 8x80

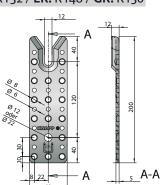
9 x CS 8x80

8 x CS 8x80

8 x CS 8x80

<b>RICON® S 200/60 - Collar bolts and screwing</b>
ArtNo. VS: K127 / VK: K132 / EK: K148 / GK: K136





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RICON® S VS: Welded collar bolt	Connector	Collar bolt	
	200/60	VS	
	200/60	<b>VK</b> D12	
	Available on r	equest:	
	200/60	<b>EK</b> M12	

Clip lock: F<sub>3,Rk</sub> = 18,0 kN

Minimum timber cross section: 100 x 220 mm

# **RICON® S80**

Characteristic values for dimensioning can be taken from the ETA Static Folder.

		ollar bolts and scre							
ArtNo. VS: K128 / VK: K138 / EK: K153 / GK: K142					<i>c</i>	Collar	Screv	wing I	Charact. values
Header	Joint				Connector	bolt	Joint	Header	[GL24h] F <sub>2,Rk</sub> [kN
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õ @ õ			RICON <sup>®</sup> S VS:	200/80	<b>VK</b> D16	9 x CS 10x200	9 x CS 10x100	70,5	
õ õ õ	0 0 0		200	Welded collar bolt	Available on r	equest:			
0 0		2 2	2	200/80	<b>EK</b> M16	8 x CS 10x200	8 x CS 10x100	63,0	
				200/80	<b>GK</b> M16	8 x CS 10x200	8 x CS 10x100	63,0	
000					Clip lock: F <sub>3,Rk</sub> = 18,0 kN				
Minimum screwin	g: n = 8		<u>₅</u>    A	-A	Minimum tim	ber cross se	ection: 120 x 230	mm	
<b>RICON® S</b>	290/80 - Co	ollar bolts and scre	ewing						
ArtNo. VS	: K129 / <b>VK:</b>	K141 / <b>EK:</b> K156 / <b>GK</b>	: K145			Caller	Screv	wing	Charact
Header	Joint	A	12 12	e en	Connector	Collar bolt	Joint	Header	values [GL24h] F <sub>2,Rk</sub> [kN
	:0:	on fro	1		290/80	vs	20 x CS 10x200	20 x CS 10x100	100

**RICON® S VS:** 

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290/80 20 x CS 10x200 20 x CS 10x100 100 vs 290/80 **VK** D16 9 x CS 10x200 70,5 9 x CS 10x100 Welded collar bolt Available on request: 290/80 **EK** M16 8 x CS 10x200 8 x CS 10x100 63,0 290/80 **GK** M16 8 x CS 10x200 8 x CS 10x100 63,0 Clip lock:  $F_{3,Rk} = 18,0 \text{ kN}$ 

Minimum timber cross section: 120 x 320 mm

Minimum screwing : n = 8

#### **Pre-dimension**

Minimum timber cross section for joint for RICON<sup>®</sup> S connection in reference to uniformly distributed load q<sub>k</sub> and span L for glued laminated timber and GL 24 h according DIN 1052 (release 2008) and Eurocode 5

#### Roofs, rafters, rafter latches

 $(service \ classes \ 1-2, \ load-duration \ class: \ short-term) \ Dead-load \ g_k \ (40\%) \ e. \ g. \ self-weight \ and \ alternating \ load \ q_k \ (60\%) \ e. \ g. \ wind, \ snow, \ live-load \ g. \ sold \ bar{short} \ bar$ 

	Uniformly distributed load q <sub>k</sub>						
	q <sub>k</sub> = 3,00 kN/m	q <sub>k</sub> = 4,00 kN/m	q <sub>k</sub> = 5,00 kN/m	q <sub>k</sub> = 6,00 kN/m	q <sub>k</sub> = 7,00 kN/m	q <sub>k</sub> = 8,00 kN/m	
Span L	Cross timber section w/l [cm/cm]	Cross timber section w/l [cm/cm]	Cross timber section w/l [cm/cm]	Cross timber section w/l [cm/cm]	Cross timber section w/l [cm/cm]	Cross timber section w/l [cm/cm]	
	<b>RICON® S</b>	<b>RICON® S</b>	<b>RICON® S</b>	<b>RICON® S</b>	<b>RICON® S</b>	<b>RICON® S</b>	
4,00 m	10/20 140/60	10/22 140/60	10/24 200/60	10/26 200/80	12/26 200/80	12/28 200/80	
5,00 m	10/26 200/60	12/26 200/60	12/28 200/60	12/30 200/80	12/32 200/80	12/34 200/80	
6,00 m	12/28 200/60	12/32 200/80	12/34 200/80	12/36 200/80	12/38 290/80	12/40 290/80	
7,00 m	12/34 200/80	12/36 290/80	12/40 290/80	12/42 290/80	12/44 290/80		
8,00 m	12/38 290/80	12/42 290/80	12/46 290/80	12/48 290/80			

#### **Residential building, ceilings**

(service classes 1-2, load-duration class: medium-term) Dead-load g<sub>k</sub> (40%) e. g. self-weight and alternating load q<sub>k</sub> (60%) e. g. wind, snow, live-load

	Uniformly distributed load q <sub>k</sub>								
	q <sub>k</sub> = 3,00 kN/m	q <sub>k</sub> = 4,00 kN/m	q <sub>k</sub> = 5,00 kN/m	q <sub>k</sub> = 6,00 kN/m	q <sub>k</sub> = 7,00 kN/m	q <sub>k</sub> = 8,00 kN/m			
Span L	Cross timber section w/l [cm/cm]	Cross timber section w/l [cm/cm]	Cross timber section w/l [cm/cm]	Cross timber section w/l [cm/cm]	Cross timber section w/l [cm/cm]	Cross timber section w/l [cm/cm]			
	RICON <sup>®</sup> S	RICON <sup>®</sup> S	RICON <sup>®</sup> S	RICON <sup>®</sup> S	RICON <sup>®</sup> S	RICON <sup>®</sup> S			
4,00 m	10/20 140/60	10/22 140/60	10/26 200/60	12/26 200/80	12/28 200/80	12/28 200/80			
5,00 m	10/26 200/60	12/26 200/60	12/28 200/60	12/32 200/80	12/34 200/80	12/36 200/80			
6,00 m	12/28 200/60	12/32 200/80	12/34 200/80	12/38 200/80	12/40 290/80	12/42 290/80			
7,00 m	12/34 200/80	12/36 290/80	12/40 R290/80	12/44 290/80					
8,00 m	12/38 290/80	12/42 290/80	12/46 290/80	12/50 290/80					

#### Storage building, ceilings

(service classes 1-2, load-duration class: long-term) Dead-load gk (40%) e. g. self-weight and alternating load qk (60%) e. g. wind, snow, live-load

		Uniformly distributed load q <sub>k</sub>					
	q <sub>k</sub> = 3,00 kN/m	q <sub>k</sub> = 4,00 kN/m	q <sub>k</sub> = 5,00 kN/m	q <sub>k</sub> = 6,00 kN/m	q <sub>k</sub> = 7,00 kN/m	q <sub>k</sub> = 8,00 kN/m	
Span L	Cross timber section w/l [cm/cm]	Cross timber section w/l [cm/cm]	Cross timber section w/l [cm/cm]	Cross timber section w/l [cm/cm]	Cross timber section w/l [cm/cm]	Cross timber section w/l [cm/cm]	
	RICON <sup>®</sup> S	<b>RICON® S</b>	<b>RICON® S</b>	<b>RICON® S</b>	<b>RICON® S</b>	<b>RICON® S</b>	
4,00 m	10/22 140/60	10/24 140/60	10/26 200/60	12/26 200/80	12/28 200/80	12/30 200/80	
5,00 m	10/26 200/60	12/28 200/60	12/30 200/60	12/34 200/80	12/36 290/80	12/38 290/80	
6,00 m	12/28 200/60	12/32 200/80	12/36 200/80	12/40 290/80	12/42 290/80		
7,00 m	12/34 200/80	12/38 290/80	12/42 290/80	12/46 290/80			
8,00 m	12/38 290/80	12/44 290/80	12/48 290/80				

The table values are only to be applied for loading in direction of insertion. The minimum cross section of the secondary beam is calculated for timber C24 (S10). For the connection force of GIGANT, the live load over the bearing was set to 1,0 kN (man load upon the bearing).

Detailed information for static calculation are indicated in the ETA Static Folder. Find more information at www.knapp-verbinder.com/download

### **RICON® S screws**

<b>CS-screws</b> R	RICON <sup>®</sup> S60 with cut point (RICON <sup>®</sup> S will supplied with the appropriate CS-screws)				
ArtNo. Z580	CS-screw 8x8o with patented half-peak CS-screw 8x16o with patented half-peak				
ArtNo. Z581					
Application:	To screw in longitude (8x80) or end grain (8x160	].			
CS-screws R	ICON <sup>®</sup> S80 with cut point (RICON <sup>®</sup> S will su	pplied with the appropriate CS-screws)			
CS-screws R ArtNo. Z582	ICON® S80 with cut point (RICON® S will su CS-screw 10x100 with patented half-peak				
		applied with the appropriate CS-screws)			

### **RICON® S Accessories**

Routing-jig l		
ArtNo. K510	Routing-jig MULTI F60 (plywood) for all RICON® S60 sizes	
ArtNo. K511	Routing-jig MULTI F80 (plywood) for all RICON® S60 sizes	
	<b>Advice:</b> The routing-jig MULTI F is suitable for a $\emptyset = 30$ mm guide bush (for plunge router) and a $\emptyset = 15$ mm TCT router cutter.	
Application:	For milling in concealed mounting.	

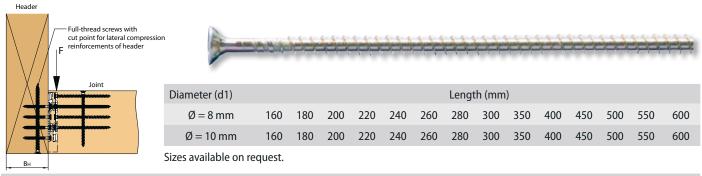
TCT router c	utter	11
ArtNo. Zo68	TCT router cutter $Ø = 15$ , Length =40 mm and $Ø = 12$ mm Schaft	
Application:	To recess the rebate for RICON <sup>®</sup> S.	

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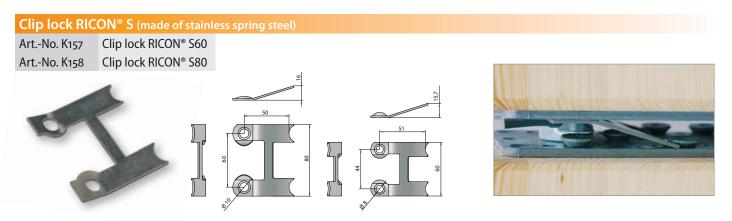
#### Pan head screws RICON<sup>®</sup> S80

Application:	For screwing the interlayer on slanted screw connections.
ArtNo. Z522	PH-screw 10x120
ArtNo. Z521	PH-screw 10x80

#### Full threaded CS-screws with cut-point

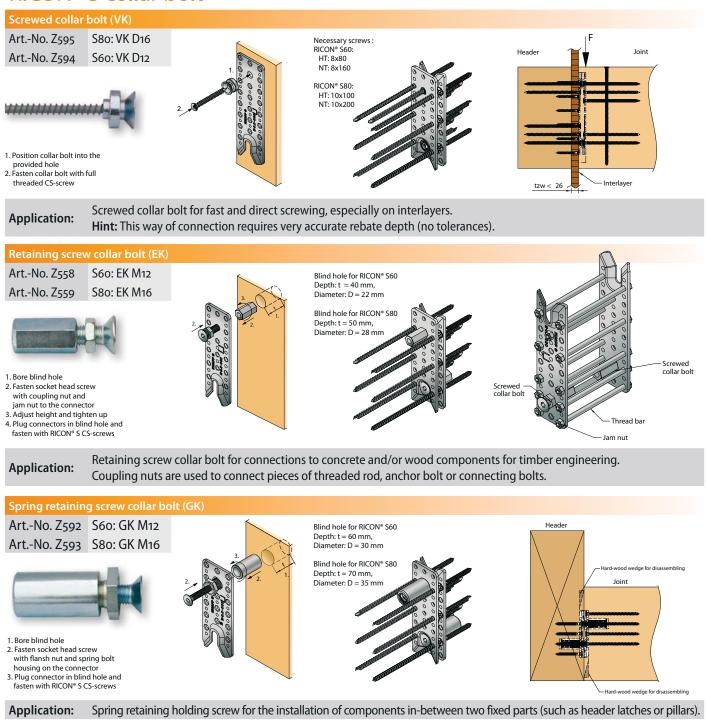


Application: Full threaded countersunk screws for lateral compression reinforcements of header and/or joint.



**Application:** The clip lock locks the connection against slide-in direction and is used for stress against slide-in direction or wind suction.

# RICON<sup>®</sup> S collar bolt



### **RICON® S**

#### **Fire resistance**

- I is an invisible connection required or particular requirements for fire protection, the system can be easily processed on threeor four-sides covered.
- Jointless connection no additional covers or fire protection ribbons required.
- According to DIN4102-2 20 mm wood covering are required for 30 minutes fire resistance. Even a higher fire resistance (for example R60) is possible.



#### Installation

Routing machine with KNAPP<sup>®</sup> routing-jig.

I Installation with CNC joinery machine possible – all data for the standard CNC joinery machine programms are included.



**CNC** joinery machine



1) Routing with routing-jig and routing machine.

Rou	Routing dimensions for RICON <sup>®</sup> S60 / S80				
Width	Length	Depth (VK, EK)	Dep	th (GK)	
60 mm /	Var	25 mm	End grain	Longitudinal	
80 mm	var.	23 11111	13 mm	13 mm	

#### Installation RICON® S VS



2) Position the screws



3) Screw on



4) Screw on counter part

#### Installation RICON<sup>®</sup> S VK



2) Position the screws



3) Screw on



4) Screw on counter part

Construction manuals, .DXF drawings for RICON<sup>®</sup> S-System as well as your personal consultant in your area, please visit: www.knapp-connectors.com/download





# RICON®, RICON® S, GIGANT

#### Selected reference project



**Object:** Sanierung eines Restaurants in Schnepfenried/Frankreich; **Building:** 70ger Jahre; **Redevelopment:** 2012-2013; **Client:** SMA Syndicat mixte d'aménagement des stations de montagne de la vallée de Munster, F-68140 Munster; **Architect:** Ateliers d-Form, F-68230 Soultzbach Les Bains, www.atelier-d-form.com; **Static:** Optime Ingénierie, 68230 Soultzbach Les Bains, contact@optime-be.com, **Structural Engineer:** Dattler, 20 rue des Prés, 68640 Feldbach, www.dattler.fr; **Modded surface:** 1050 m<sup>2</sup>; **Usable area:** 1050 m<sup>2</sup>

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