

Important Design of Rolling Contact Bearing Formulas PDF



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1) Angular Contact Bearing Formulas ↻

1.1) Axial Load for Back to Back Bearings when F_a by F_r is greater than 1.14 Formula ↻

Formula

$$F_a = \frac{P_b - (0.57 \cdot F_r)}{0.93}$$

Example with Units

$$2969.3548\text{N} = \frac{7350\text{N} - (0.57 \cdot 8050\text{N})}{0.93}$$

Evaluate Formula ↻

1.2) Axial Load for Back to Back Bearings when F_a by F_r is less than or equal to 1.14 Formula ↻

Formula

$$F_a = \frac{P_{eq} - F_r}{0.55}$$

Example with Units

$$2909.0909\text{N} = \frac{9650\text{N} - 8050\text{N}}{0.55}$$

Evaluate Formula ↻

1.3) Axial Load for Singly Mounted Bearings when F_a by F_r is greater than 1.14 Formula ↻

Formula

$$F_a = \frac{P_s - (0.35 \cdot F_r)}{0.57}$$

Example with Units

$$2951.7544\text{N} = \frac{4500\text{N} - (0.35 \cdot 8050\text{N})}{0.57}$$

Evaluate Formula ↻

1.4) Equivalent Dynamic Load for Back to Back Bearings when F_a by F_r is greater than 1.14 Formula ↻

Formula

$$P_b = (0.57 \cdot F_r) + (0.93 \cdot F_a)$$

Example with Units

$$7378.5\text{N} = (0.57 \cdot 8050\text{N}) + (0.93 \cdot 3000\text{N})$$

Evaluate Formula ↻

1.5) Equivalent Dynamic Load for Back to Back Bearings when F_a by F_r is less than or equal to 1.14 Formula ↻

Formula

$$P_b = F_r + (0.55 \cdot F_a)$$

Example with Units

$$9700\text{N} = 8050\text{N} + (0.55 \cdot 3000\text{N})$$

Evaluate Formula ↻



1.6) Equivalent Dynamic Load for Singly Mounted Bearings when Fa by Fr is greater than 1.14

Formula

Formula

$$P_s = (0.35 \cdot F_r) + (0.57 \cdot F_a)$$

Example with Units

$$4527.5 \text{ N} = (0.35 \cdot 8050 \text{ N}) + (0.57 \cdot 3000 \text{ N})$$

Evaluate Formula 

1.7) Radial Load for Back to Back Bearings when Fa by Fr greater than 1.14

Formula

Formula

$$F_r = \frac{P_b - (0.93 \cdot F_a)}{0.57}$$

Example with Units

$$8000 \text{ N} = \frac{7350 \text{ N} - (0.93 \cdot 3000 \text{ N})}{0.57}$$

Evaluate Formula 

1.8) Radial Load for Back to Back Bearings when Fa by Fr less than or equal to 1.14

Formula

Formula

$$F_r = (P_{eq} - (0.55 \cdot F_a))$$

Example with Units

$$8000 \text{ N} = (9650 \text{ N} - (0.55 \cdot 3000 \text{ N}))$$

Evaluate Formula 

1.9) Radial Load for Singly Mounted Bearings when Fa by Fr is greater than 1.14

Formula

Formula

$$F_r = \frac{P_s - (0.57 \cdot F_a)}{0.35}$$

Example with Units

$$7971.4286 \text{ N} = \frac{4500 \text{ N} - (0.57 \cdot 3000 \text{ N})}{0.35}$$

Evaluate Formula 

2) Dynamic and Equivalent Load Formulas

2.1) Axial Thrust Load on Bearing given Equivalent Dynamic Load

Formula

Formula

$$F_a = \frac{P_b - (X \cdot V \cdot F_r)}{Y}$$

Example with Units

$$1293.6 \text{ N} = \frac{7350 \text{ N} - (0.56 \cdot 1.2 \cdot 8050 \text{ N})}{1.5}$$

Evaluate Formula 

2.2) Dynamic Load Capacity for Ball Bearing

Formula

Formula

$$C = P_b \cdot \left(L_{10}^{\frac{1}{3}} \right)$$

Example with Units

$$38524.8985 \text{ N} = 7350 \text{ N} \cdot \left(144^{\frac{1}{3}} \right)$$

Evaluate Formula 

2.3) Dynamic Load Capacity for Bearing given Rated Bearing Life

Formula

Formula

$$C = P_b \cdot \left(L_{10}^{\frac{1}{p}} \right)$$

Example with Units

$$38524.8985 \text{ N} = 7350 \text{ N} \cdot \left(144^{\frac{1}{3}} \right)$$

Evaluate Formula 



2.4) Dynamic Load Capacity for Roller Bearing Formula

Formula

$$C = P_b \cdot (L_{10}^{0.3})$$

Example with Units

$$32643.4526 \text{ N} = 7350 \text{ N} \cdot (144^{0.3})$$

Evaluate Formula 

2.5) Equivalent Dynamic Load for Bearing given Radial Factor Formula

Formula

$$P_b = (X \cdot F_r) + (Y \cdot F_a)$$

Example with Units

$$9008 \text{ N} = (0.56 \cdot 8050 \text{ N}) + (1.5 \cdot 3000 \text{ N})$$

Evaluate Formula 

2.6) Equivalent Dynamic Load for Back to Back Bearings Formula

Formula

$$P_b = (X \cdot V \cdot F_r) + (Y \cdot F_a)$$

Example with Units

$$9909.6 \text{ N} = (0.56 \cdot 1.2 \cdot 8050 \text{ N}) + (1.5 \cdot 3000 \text{ N})$$

Evaluate Formula 

2.7) Equivalent Dynamic Load for Back to Back Bearings when subjected to Pure Radial Load Formula

Formula

$$P_b = 1 \cdot F_r$$

Example with Units

$$8050 \text{ N} = 1 \cdot 8050 \text{ N}$$

Evaluate Formula 

2.8) Equivalent Dynamic Load for Back to Back Bearings when subjected to Pure Thrust Load Formula

Formula

$$P_b = 1 \cdot F_a$$

Example with Units

$$3000 \text{ N} = 1 \cdot 3000 \text{ N}$$

Evaluate Formula 

2.9) Equivalent Dynamic Load for Ball Bearing Formula

Formula

$$P_b = \frac{C}{L_{10}^{\frac{1}{3}}}$$

Example with Units

$$7030.4533 \text{ N} = \frac{36850}{144^{\frac{1}{3}}}$$

Evaluate Formula 

2.10) Equivalent Dynamic Load for Bearing given Rated Bearing Life Formula

Formula

$$P_b = \frac{C}{L_{10}^{\frac{1}{p}}}$$

Example with Units

$$7030.4533 \text{ N} = \frac{36850}{144^{\frac{1}{3}}}$$

Evaluate Formula 

2.11) Equivalent Dynamic Load for Roller Bearing Formula

Formula

$$P_b = \frac{C}{L_{10}^{0.3}}$$

Example with Units

$$8297.1462 \text{ N} = \frac{36850}{144^{0.3}}$$

Evaluate Formula 



2.12) Race Rotation Factor for Bearing given Radial Factor Formula

Formula

$$V = \frac{P_{eq} - (Y \cdot F_a)}{X \cdot F_r}$$

Example with Units

$$1.1424 = \frac{9650\text{N} - (1.5 \cdot 3000\text{N})}{0.56 \cdot 8050\text{N}}$$

Evaluate Formula 

2.13) Radial Factor of Bearing given Equivalent Dynamic Load Formula

Formula

$$X = \frac{P_{eq} - (Y \cdot F_a)}{V \cdot F_r}$$

Example with Units

$$0.5331 = \frac{9650\text{N} - (1.5 \cdot 3000\text{N})}{1.2 \cdot 8050\text{N}}$$

Evaluate Formula 

2.14) Radial Load of Bearing given Radial Factor Formula

Formula

$$F_r = \frac{P_b - (Y \cdot F_a)}{X \cdot V}$$

Example with Units

$$4241.0714\text{N} = \frac{7350\text{N} - (1.5 \cdot 3000\text{N})}{0.56 \cdot 1.2}$$

Evaluate Formula 

2.15) Thrust Factor on Bearing given Equivalent Dynamic Load Formula

Formula

$$Y = \frac{P_{eq} - (X \cdot V \cdot F_r)}{F_a}$$

Example with Units

$$1.4135 = \frac{9650\text{N} - (0.56 \cdot 1.2 \cdot 8050\text{N})}{3000\text{N}}$$

Evaluate Formula 

3) Rated Bearing Life Formulas

3.1) Rated Bearing Life in Hours Formula

Formula

$$L_{10h} = L_{10} \cdot \frac{10^6}{60 \cdot N}$$

Example

$$6857.1429 = 144 \cdot \frac{10^6}{60 \cdot 350}$$

Evaluate Formula 

3.2) Rated Bearing Life in Million Revolutions for Ball Bearings Formula

Formula

$$L_{10} = \left(\frac{C}{P_b} \right)^3$$

Example with Units

$$126.0232 = \left(\frac{36850\text{N}}{7350\text{N}} \right)^3$$

Evaluate Formula 

3.3) Rated Bearing Life in Million Revolutions for Roller Bearings Formula

Formula

$$L_{10} = \left(\frac{C}{P_b} \right)^{\frac{10}{3}}$$

Example with Units

$$215.6919 = \left(\frac{36850\text{N}}{7350\text{N}} \right)^{\frac{10}{3}}$$

Evaluate Formula 



3.4) Rated Bearing Life in Million Revolutions given Bearing Speed Formula

Formula

$$L_{10} = 60 \cdot N \cdot \frac{L_{10h}}{10^6}$$

Example

$$168 = 60 \cdot 350 \cdot \frac{8000}{10^6}$$

Evaluate Formula 

3.5) Rated Bearing Life in Million Revolutions given Dynamic Load Capacity Formula

Formula

$$L_{10} = \left(\frac{C}{P_b} \right)^p$$

Example with Units

$$126.0232 = \left(\frac{36850\text{N}}{7350\text{N}} \right)^3$$

Evaluate Formula 

3.6) Rated Bearing Life in Million Revolutions given Median Life Formula

Formula

$$L_{10} = \frac{L_{50}}{5}$$

Example

$$144 = \frac{720}{5}$$

Evaluate Formula 

3.7) Rated Bearing Life in Million Revolutions given Nominal Life Formula

Formula

$$L_{10} = \left(\frac{1000}{\pi \cdot D} \right) \cdot L_{10s}$$

Example with Units

$$144.6863 = \left(\frac{1000}{3.1416 \cdot 880\text{mm}} \right) \cdot 0.4$$

Evaluate Formula 

4) Rolling Contact Bearing Configuration Formulas

4.1) Axial Thrust Load on Bearing given Race Rotation Factor Formula

Formula

$$F_a = \frac{P_{eq} \cdot (X \cdot V \cdot F_r)}{Y}$$

Example with Units

$$2826.9333\text{N} = \frac{9650\text{N} \cdot (0.56 \cdot 1.2 \cdot 8050\text{N})}{1.5}$$

Evaluate Formula 

4.2) Axial Thrust Load on Bearing given Thrust Factor Formula

Formula

$$F_a = \frac{P_{eq} \cdot (X \cdot F_r)}{Y}$$

Example with Units

$$3428\text{N} = \frac{9650\text{N} \cdot (0.56 \cdot 8050\text{N})}{1.5}$$

Evaluate Formula 

4.3) Bore Diameter of Bearing Formula

Formula

$$d = 2 \cdot \frac{M_t}{\mu \cdot W}$$

Example with Units

$$31.0078\text{mm} = 2 \cdot \frac{120\text{N} \cdot \text{mm}}{0.0043 \cdot 1800\text{N}}$$

Evaluate Formula 



4.4) Coefficient of Friction of Roller Contact Bearing Formula

Formula

$$\mu = 2 \cdot \frac{M_t}{d \cdot W}$$

Example with Units

$$0.0044 = 2 \cdot \frac{120 \text{ N*mm}}{30 \text{ mm} \cdot 1800 \text{ N}}$$

Evaluate Formula 

4.5) Friction Moment on Roller Contact Bearing Formula

Formula

$$M_t = \mu \cdot W \cdot \left(\frac{d}{2} \right)$$

Example with Units

$$116.1 \text{ N*mm} = 0.0043 \cdot 1800 \text{ N} \cdot \left(\frac{30 \text{ mm}}{2} \right)$$

Evaluate Formula 

4.6) Load on Bearing given Moment on bearing Formula

Formula

$$W = \frac{M_t}{\mu \cdot \left(\frac{d}{2} \right)}$$

Example with Units

$$1860.4651 \text{ N} = \frac{120 \text{ N*mm}}{0.0043 \cdot \left(\frac{30 \text{ mm}}{2} \right)}$$

Evaluate Formula 

4.7) Median Life of Roller Contact Bearing Formula

Formula

$$L_{50} = 5 \cdot L_{10}$$

Example

$$720 = 5 \cdot 144$$

Evaluate Formula 

4.8) Nominal Life of Roller Contact Bearing Formula

Formula

$$L_{10s} = \frac{L_{10}}{\frac{1000}{\pi \cdot D}}$$

Example with Units

$$0.3981 = \frac{144}{\frac{1000}{3.1416 \cdot 880 \text{ mm}}}$$

Evaluate Formula 

4.9) Number of Bearings required given Reliability Formula

Formula

$$N_b = \frac{\log_{10}(R_s)}{\log_{10}(R)}$$

Example

$$3.3699 = \frac{\log_{10}(0.65)}{\log_{10}(0.88)}$$

Evaluate Formula 

4.10) Race Rotation Factor of Roller Contact Bearing Formula

Formula

$$V = \frac{P_{eq} \cdot (Y \cdot F_a)}{X \cdot F_r}$$

Example with Units

$$1.1424 = \frac{9650 \text{ N} \cdot (1.5 \cdot 3000 \text{ N})}{0.56 \cdot 8050 \text{ N}}$$

Evaluate Formula 



4.11) Radial Factor of Roller Contact Bearing Formula

Formula

$$X = \frac{P_{eq} - (Y \cdot F_a)}{F_r}$$

Example with Units

$$0.6398 = \frac{9650 \text{ N} - (1.5 \cdot 3000 \text{ N})}{8050 \text{ N}}$$

Evaluate Formula 

4.12) Radial Factor of Roller Contact Bearing given Race Rotation Factor Formula

Formula

$$X = \frac{P_{eq} - (Y \cdot F_a)}{V \cdot F_r}$$

Example with Units

$$0.5331 = \frac{9650 \text{ N} - (1.5 \cdot 3000 \text{ N})}{1.2 \cdot 8050 \text{ N}}$$

Evaluate Formula 

4.13) Radial Load on Bearing Formula

Formula

$$F_r = \frac{P_{eq} - (Y \cdot F_a)}{X}$$

Example with Units

$$9196.4286 \text{ N} = \frac{9650 \text{ N} - (1.5 \cdot 3000 \text{ N})}{0.56}$$

Evaluate Formula 

4.14) Radial Load on Bearing given Race Rotation Factor Formula

Formula

$$F_r = \frac{P_{eq} - (Y \cdot F_a)}{X \cdot V}$$

Example with Units

$$7663.6905 \text{ N} = \frac{9650 \text{ N} - (1.5 \cdot 3000 \text{ N})}{0.56 \cdot 1.2}$$

Evaluate Formula 

4.15) Reliability of Bearing Formula

Formula

$$R = e^{-\left(\frac{L}{a}\right)^b}$$

Example

$$0.5 = e^{-\left(\frac{5}{6.84}\right)^{1.17}}$$

Evaluate Formula 

4.16) Reliability of Bearing given Number of Bearings Formula

Formula

$$R = R_s^{\frac{1}{N_b}}$$

Example

$$0.8979 = 0.65^{\frac{1}{4}}$$

Evaluate Formula 

4.17) Reliability of Complete Bearing System Formula

Formula

$$R_s = R^{N_b}$$

Example

$$0.5997 = 0.88^4$$

Evaluate Formula 

4.18) Speed of Rotation of Bearing Formula

Formula

$$N = L_{10} \cdot \frac{10^6}{60 \cdot L_{10h}}$$

Example

$$300 = 144 \cdot \frac{10^6}{60 \cdot 8000}$$

Evaluate Formula 



4.19) Thrust factor of Bearing Formula ↻

Formula

$$Y = \frac{P_{eq} - (X \cdot F_r)}{F_a}$$

Example with Units

$$1.714 = \frac{9650\text{ N} - (0.56 \cdot 8050\text{ N})}{3000\text{ N}}$$

Evaluate Formula ↻

4.20) Thrust factor of Bearing given Race Rotation Factor Formula ↻

Formula

$$Y = \frac{P_{eq} - (X \cdot V \cdot F_r)}{F_a}$$

Example with Units

$$1.4135 = \frac{9650\text{ N} - (0.56 \cdot 1.2 \cdot 8050\text{ N})}{3000\text{ N}}$$

Evaluate Formula ↻

4.21) Train Wheel Diameter considering Bearing Life Formula ↻

Formula

$$D = \left(\frac{1000}{\pi \cdot L_{10}} \right) \cdot L_{10s}$$

Example with Units

$$884.1941\text{ mm} = \left(\frac{1000}{3.1416 \cdot 144} \right) \cdot 0.4$$

Evaluate Formula ↻

5) Self Aligning Ball Bearings Formulas ↻

5.1) Axial Thrust Load on Self Aligning Ball Bearing when F_a by F_r is greater than e Formula



Formula

$$F_a = \frac{P_{eqsa} - (0.65 \cdot F_r)}{Y_2}$$

Example with Units

$$3341.6667\text{ N} = \frac{12250\text{ N} - (0.65 \cdot 8050\text{ N})}{2.1}$$

Evaluate Formula ↻

5.2) Axial Thrust Load on Self Aligning Ball Bearing when F_a by F_r is less than or equal to e Formula ↻

Formula

$$F_a = \frac{P_{eqsa} - F_r}{Y_1}$$

Example with Units

$$3000\text{ N} = \frac{12250\text{ N} - 8050\text{ N}}{1.4}$$

Evaluate Formula ↻

5.3) Equivalent Dynamic Load on Self Aligning Ball Bearing when F_a by F_r is greater than e Formula ↻

Formula

$$P_{eqsa} = (0.65 \cdot F_r) + (Y_2 \cdot F_a)$$

Example with Units

$$11532.5\text{ N} = (0.65 \cdot 8050\text{ N}) + (2.1 \cdot 3000\text{ N})$$

Evaluate Formula ↻



5.4) Equivalent Dynamic Load on Self Aligning Ball Bearing when F_a by F_r is less than or equal to e Formula

Formula

$$P_{eq_{sa}} = F_r + (Y_1 \cdot F_a)$$

Example with Units

$$12250\text{ N} = 8050\text{ N} + (1.4 \cdot 3000\text{ N})$$

Evaluate Formula 

5.5) Factor Y_1 of Self Aligning Ball Bearing when F_a by F_r is less than or equal to e Formula

Formula

$$Y_1 = \frac{P_{eq_{sa}} - F_r}{F_a}$$

Example with Units

$$1.4 = \frac{12250\text{ N} - 8050\text{ N}}{3000\text{ N}}$$

Evaluate Formula 

5.6) Factor Y_2 of Self Aligning Ball Bearing when F_a by F_r is greater than e Formula

Formula

$$Y_2 = \frac{P_{eq_{sa}} - (0.65 \cdot F_r)}{F_a}$$

Example with Units

$$2.3392 = \frac{12250\text{ N} - (0.65 \cdot 8050\text{ N})}{3000\text{ N}}$$

Evaluate Formula 

5.7) Radial Load on Self Aligning Ball Bearing when F_a by F_r greater than e Formula

Formula

$$F_r = \frac{P_{eq_{sa}} - (Y_2 \cdot F_a)}{0.65}$$

Example with Units

$$9153.8462\text{ N} = \frac{12250\text{ N} - (2.1 \cdot 3000\text{ N})}{0.65}$$

Evaluate Formula 

5.8) Radial Load on Self Aligning Ball Bearing when F_a by F_r is less than or equal to e Formula

Formula

$$F_r = P_{eq_{sa}} - (Y_1 \cdot F_a)$$

Example with Units

$$8050\text{ N} = 12250\text{ N} - (1.4 \cdot 3000\text{ N})$$

Evaluate Formula 

6) Spherical Roller Bearing Formulas

6.1) Axial Thrust Load on Spherical Roller Bearing when F_a by F_r is greater than e Formula

Formula

$$F_a = \frac{P_{eq_{sp}} - (0.67 \cdot F_r)}{Y_2}$$

Example with Units

$$3074.5238\text{ N} = \frac{11850\text{ N} - (0.67 \cdot 8050\text{ N})}{2.1}$$

Evaluate Formula 

6.2) Axial Thrust Load on Spherical Roller Bearing when F_a by F_r is less than or equal to e Formula

Formula

$$F_a = \frac{P_{eq_{sp}} - F_r}{Y_1}$$

Example with Units

$$2714.2857\text{ N} = \frac{11850\text{ N} - 8050\text{ N}}{1.4}$$

Evaluate Formula 



6.3) Equivalent Dynamic Load on Spherical Roller Bearing when F_a by F_r is greater than e Formula

Formula

$$P_{eq_{sp}} = (0.67 \cdot F_r) + (Y_2 \cdot F_a)$$

Example with Units

$$11693.5\text{ N} = (0.67 \cdot 8050\text{ N}) + (2.1 \cdot 3000\text{ N})$$

Evaluate Formula 

6.4) Equivalent Dynamic Load on Spherical Roller Bearing when F_a by F_r is less than equal to e Formula

Formula

$$P_{eq_{sp}} = F_r + (Y_1 \cdot F_a)$$

Example with Units

$$12250\text{ N} = 8050\text{ N} + (1.4 \cdot 3000\text{ N})$$

Evaluate Formula 

6.5) Factor Y_1 of Spherical Roller Bearing when F_a by F_r is less than or equal to e Formula

Formula

$$Y_1 = \frac{P_{eq_{sp}} - F_r}{F_a}$$

Example with Units

$$1.2667 = \frac{11850\text{ N} - 8050\text{ N}}{3000\text{ N}}$$

Evaluate Formula 

6.6) Factor Y_2 of Spherical Roller Bearing when F_a by F_r is greater than e Formula

Formula

$$Y_2 = \frac{P_{eq_{sp}} - (0.67 \cdot F_r)}{F_a}$$

Example with Units

$$2.1522 = \frac{11850\text{ N} - (0.67 \cdot 8050\text{ N})}{3000\text{ N}}$$

Evaluate Formula 

6.7) Radial Load on Spherical Roller Bearing when F_a by F_r greater than e Formula

Formula

$$F_r = \frac{P_{eq_{sp}} - (Y_2 \cdot F_a)}{0.67}$$

Example with Units

$$8283.5821\text{ N} = \frac{11850\text{ N} - (2.1 \cdot 3000\text{ N})}{0.67}$$

Evaluate Formula 

6.8) Radial Load on Spherical Roller Bearing when F_a by F_r is less than equal to e Formula

Formula

$$F_r = P_{eq_{sp}} - (Y_1 \cdot F_a)$$

Example with Units

$$7650\text{ N} = 11850\text{ N} - (1.4 \cdot 3000\text{ N})$$

Evaluate Formula 

7) Stribeck's Equation Formulas

7.1) Angle between adjacent Balls of Ball Bearing Formula

Formula

$$\beta = \frac{360}{z}$$

Example with Units

$$1375.0987^\circ = \frac{360}{15}$$

Evaluate Formula 



7.2) Diameter of Ball of Bearing from Stribeck's Equation Formula

Formula

$$d_b = \sqrt{\frac{5 \cdot C_o}{k \cdot z}}$$

Example with Units

$$4.2008 \text{ mm} = \sqrt{\frac{5 \cdot 45000 \text{ N}}{850 \text{ N/mm}^2 \cdot 15}}$$

Evaluate Formula 

7.3) Diameter of Ball of Bearing given Force required to produce Permanent Deformation in Ball Formula

Formula

$$d_b = \sqrt{\frac{F}{k}}$$

Example with Units

$$4.2008 \text{ mm} = \sqrt{\frac{15000 \text{ N}}{850 \text{ N/mm}^2}}$$

Evaluate Formula 

7.4) Force required to produce Permanent Deformation of Balls of Ball Bearing Formula

Formula

$$F = k \cdot d_b^2$$

Example with Units

$$14994 \text{ N} = 850 \text{ N/mm}^2 \cdot 4.2 \text{ mm}^2$$

Evaluate Formula 

7.5) Force required to produce Permanent Deformation of Balls of Ball Bearing given Static Load Formula

Formula

$$F = 5 \cdot \frac{C_o}{z}$$

Example with Units

$$15000 \text{ N} = 5 \cdot \frac{45000 \text{ N}}{15}$$

Evaluate Formula 

7.6) K Factor for Ball Bearing from Stribeck's Equation Formula

Formula

$$k = 5 \cdot \frac{C_o}{d_b^2 \cdot z}$$

Example with Units

$$850.3401 \text{ N/mm}^2 = 5 \cdot \frac{45000 \text{ N}}{4.2 \text{ mm}^2 \cdot 15}$$

Evaluate Formula 

7.7) K Factor for Ball Bearing given Force required to produce Permanent Deformation of Balls Formula

Formula

$$k = \frac{F}{d_b^2}$$

Example with Units

$$850.3401 \text{ N/mm}^2 = \frac{15000 \text{ N}}{4.2 \text{ mm}^2}$$

Evaluate Formula 

7.8) Number of Balls of Ball Bearing from Stribeck's Equation Formula

Formula

$$z = 5 \cdot \frac{C_o}{k \cdot d_b^2}$$

Example with Units

$$15.006 = 5 \cdot \frac{45000 \text{ N}}{850 \text{ N/mm}^2 \cdot 4.2 \text{ mm}^2}$$

Evaluate Formula 



7.9) Number of Balls of Ball Bearing given Angle between Balls Formula

Formula

$$z = \frac{360}{\beta}$$

Example with Units

$$859.4367 = \frac{360}{24^\circ}$$

Evaluate Formula 

7.10) Number of Balls of Ball Bearing given Static Load Formula

Formula

$$z = 5 \cdot \frac{C_o}{F}$$

Example with Units

$$15 = 5 \cdot \frac{45000 \text{ N}}{15000 \text{ N}}$$

Evaluate Formula 

7.11) Static Load on Ball of Ball Bearing from Stribeck's Equation Formula

Formula

$$C_o = k \cdot d_b^2 \cdot \frac{z}{5}$$

Example with Units

$$44982 \text{ N} = 850 \text{ N/mm}^2 \cdot 4.2 \text{ mm}^2 \cdot \frac{15}{5}$$

Evaluate Formula 

7.12) Static Load on Ball of Ball Bearing given Primary force Formula

Formula

$$C_o = F \cdot \frac{z}{5}$$

Example with Units

$$45000 \text{ N} = 15000 \text{ N} \cdot \frac{15}{5}$$

Evaluate Formula 

8) Taper Roller Bearing Formulas

8.1) Axial Thrust Load on Taper Roller Bearing when F_a by F_r is greater than e Formula

Formula

$$F_a = \frac{Pb_t - (0.4 \cdot F_r)}{Y}$$

Example with Units

$$3000 \text{ N} = \frac{7720 \text{ N} - (0.4 \cdot 8050 \text{ N})}{1.5}$$

Evaluate Formula 

8.2) Equivalent Dynamic Load on Taper Roller Bearing when F_a by F_r is greater than e Formula

Formula

$$Pb_t = (0.4 \cdot F_r) + (Y \cdot F_a)$$

Example with Units

$$7720 \text{ N} = (0.4 \cdot 8050 \text{ N}) + (1.5 \cdot 3000 \text{ N})$$

Evaluate Formula 

8.3) Radial Load on Taper Roller Bearing when F_a by F_r is greater than e Formula

Formula

$$F_r = \frac{Pb_t - (Y \cdot F_a)}{0.4}$$

Example with Units

$$8050 \text{ N} = \frac{7720 \text{ N} - (1.5 \cdot 3000 \text{ N})}{0.4}$$

Evaluate Formula 



9) Thrust Ball Bearing Formulas

9.1) Minimum Axial Load on Thrust Ball Bearing Formula

Formula

$$F_{\min} = A \cdot \left(\left(\frac{N}{1000} \right)^2 \right)$$

Example with Units

$$0.2499 \text{ N} = 2.04 \cdot \left(\left(\frac{350}{1000} \right)^2 \right)$$

Evaluate Formula 

9.2) Minimum Load Factor for Thrust Ball Bearing Formula

Formula

$$A = F_{\min} \cdot \left(\left(\frac{1000}{N} \right)^2 \right)$$

Example with Units

$$2.0408 = 0.25 \text{ N} \cdot \left(\left(\frac{1000}{350} \right)^2 \right)$$

Evaluate Formula 

9.3) Rotational Speed of Bearing given Maximum Axial Load and Maximum Load Factor Formula

Formula

$$N = 1000 \cdot \sqrt{\frac{F_{\min}}{A}}$$

Example with Units

$$350.07 = 1000 \cdot \sqrt{\frac{0.25 \text{ N}}{2.04}}$$






Evaluate Formula 



Variables used in list of Design of Rolling Contact Bearing Formulas above

- **a** Constant a of Bearing
- **A** Minimum Load Factor
- **b** Constant b of Bearing
- **C** Dynamic Load Capacity of Bearing (Newton)
- **C_o** Static Load on Bearing (Newton)
- **d** Bore Diameter of Bearing (Millimeter)
- **D** Train Wheel Diameter (Millimeter)
- **d_b** Ball Diameter of a Bearing (Millimeter)
- **F** Force on Ball Bearing (Newton)
- **F_a** Axial or Thrust Load Acting on Bearing (Newton)
- **F_{min}** Minimum Axial Load Thrust Bearing (Newton)
- **F_r** Radial Load Acting on Bearing (Newton)
- **k** K Factor (Newton per Square Millimeter)
- **L** Corresponding Life of Bearing
- **L₁₀** Rated Bearing Life
- **L_{10h}** Rated Bearing Life in Hours
- **L_{10s}** Nominal Life in Millions of Kilometers
- **L₅₀** Median Life of Bearing
- **M_t** Friction Moment on Bearing (Newton Millimeter)
- **N** Speed of Bearing in RPM
- **N_b** Number of Bearings
- **p** Constant p of Bearing
- **P_b** Equivalent Dynamic Load on Back to Back Bearing (Newton)
- **P_{eq}** Equivalent Dynamic Load on Bearing (Newton)
- **P_s** Equivalent dynamic load on singly bearing (Newton)
- **P_{b_t}** Equivalent Dynamic Load on Taper Bearing (Newton)

Constants, Functions, Measurements used in list of Design of Rolling Contact Bearing Formulas above

- **constant(s): pi**,
3.14159265358979323846264338327950288
Archimedes' constant
- **constant(s): e**,
2.71828182845904523536028747135266249
Napier's constant
- **Functions: log10**, log10(Number)
The common logarithm, also known as the base-10 logarithm or the decimal logarithm, is a mathematical function that is the inverse of the exponential function.
- **Functions: sqrt**, sqrt(Number)
A square root function is a function that takes a non-negative number as an input and returns the square root of the given input number.
- **Measurement: Length** in Millimeter (mm)
Length Unit Conversion 
- **Measurement: Force** in Newton (N)
Force Unit Conversion 
- **Measurement: Angle** in Degree (°)
Angle Unit Conversion 
- **Measurement: Torque** in Newton Millimeter (N*mm)
Torque Unit Conversion 
- **Measurement: Stress** in Newton per Square Millimeter (N/mm²)
Stress Unit Conversion 




- **Peq_{sa}** Equivalent Dynamic Load on Self Aligning Bearing (*Newton*)
- **Peq_{sp}** Equivalent Dynamic Load on Spherical Bearing (*Newton*)
- **R** Reliability of Bearing
- **R_s** Reliability of Bearing System
- **V** Race-Rotation Factor
- **W** Load Acting on Bearing (*Newton*)
- **X** Radial Factor
- **Y** Thrust Factor for Bearing
- **Y₁** Factor Y1 of Bearing
- **Y₂** Factor Y2 of Bearing
- **z** Number of Balls in Bearing
- **β** Angle between Balls of Bearing in Degrees (*Degree*)
- **μ** Coefficient of Friction for Bearing



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