Modular plastic belt conveyor WL

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System information





Wide conveyor for transport and accumulation

The WL conveyor system offers many of the benefits of the original FlexLink conveyor system. The added advantage of a wide belt (up to 600 mm) permits effective transport and accumulation in several different configurations.

Many accessory components of the original FlexLink system will fit, including guide rail components and supports. Most components are attached by means of T-slot fasteners, ensuring maximum flexibility. Nothing is welded. Only a minimum of cutting and drilling will be required to install a conveyor and have it running.

Belt width 304/406/608 mm



Typical applications

The WL conveyor system is designed for transport and accumulation of lightweight goods such as:

- Secondary packaging of food and hygiene products
- Pouches
- Shrink wrapped products
- Card board boxes
- Plastic containers

Technical specifications

Maximum speed Maximum conveyor length	15 m
Product weight	
Total load	
Max. product weight per belt pitch Belt tension limit:	1,5 kg/silde rail
Conveyor with bend	1000 N
Conveyor without bend	1200 N

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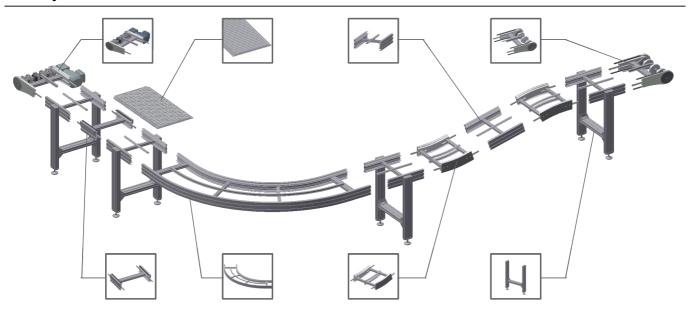
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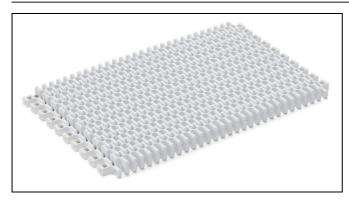
Conveyor sections



The modular plastic belt conveyor in three widths - 322, 424 and 626 mm - can be built as straight sections or in S, U or L-shape with 30, 45, 60 or 90° horizontal bend, or combinations thereof.

Vertical bends are available in 5° and 15°.

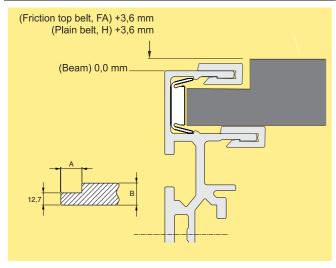
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Links and plastic rods

The belt consists of plastic hinge-type links connected by plastic rods. The belt is woven together by 102 mm,124 mm and 180 mm wide links. The assembled belt forms a wide, flat and tight conveyor surface. Three standard widths of belt can be delivered, 304 mm, 406 mm and 608 mm.

Belt type	Α	В
Plain belt WLTPLH	22	22,8
Friction top belt WLTPFA	24.1	22,8



Technical characteristics

Belt width	304/406/608 mm
Belt weight (Polypropylene)	9,3 kg/m ²
Belt weight (Acetal)	14,9 kg/m ²
Belt pitch	25,4 mm
Max. permissible belt tension With bend Without bend	1000 N 1200 N
Max. permissible belt tension for Friction top belt With bend Without bend	700 N 1000 N
Temperature range (Polypropylene)	1 °C to +60 °C
Temperature range (Acetal)	–46 °C to +60 °C

Belt type	Belt material	Plastic rod material	X85P
Plain belt	Acetal	Polyamide	
Friction top belt	Polypropylene	Acetal	XH

Tools and accessories

No special tools are required. The belt is lubrication-free. A new belt running on new slide rails, however, will need XKP a few hours of running-in before it runs perfectly smoothly. For applications where absolutely smooth running is essential from start, use a silicone or teflon based lubricant.

Ordering information

The belt is delivered in assembled 1 m lengths. To calculate the total length required, remember to add for belt consumed by the idler and drive units.

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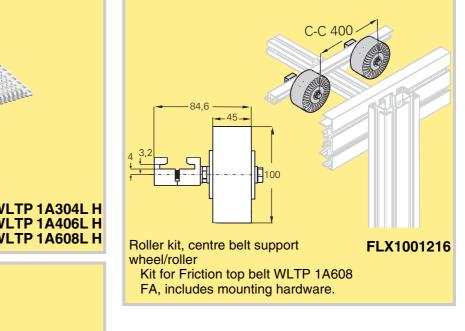
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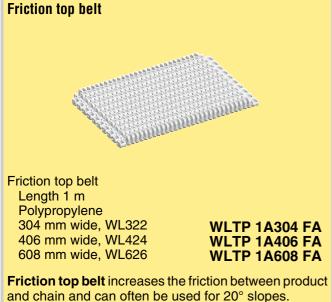
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Accessories for use with Friction top belt





Roller kit



Note! Can only be used in straight sections and in combination with Vertical bends, a combination with Plain

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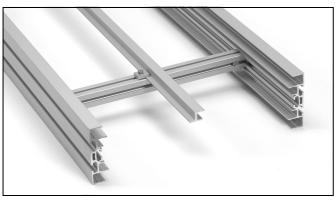
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Conveyor frame structure

Frame profiles and cross bars

Conveyor frame sections are built from the following components:

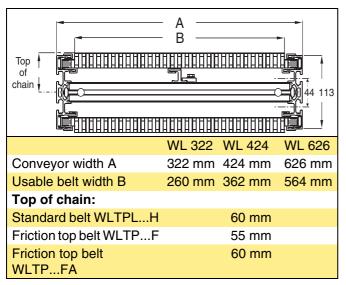
- Frame profile (3 m or cut to any length from 0,5 m up to 3 m)
- Centre support profile
- · Beam for cross bar
- · Fastener yoke
- Mounting hardware

Each 3 m frame section consists of two frame profiles connected by four cross bars. The conveyor chain slides on the top edges of the frame profiles, and returns on the bottom side. Plastic slide rails ensure a low friction contact between chain and conveyor frame.

One or more centre support profiles is used to prevent the centre portion of the chain from sagging with heavy loads. A centre support profile should be used every 200 mm, except for very light loads. The 626 mm wide conveyor also requires a centre chain support in type of profile for standard plain belt and a Roller kit for Friction top belt on the bottom side.

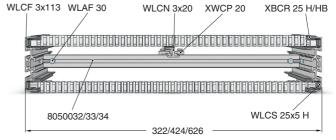
Suggested support layouts are shown on page 459. For support components refer to catalogue section *Conveyor support components*.

Conveyor dimensions



Technical specifications

Typical friction between chain and slide rails after run-in: XBCR 25 H/HB and WLCS 25x5 H..... 0,25



Cross-section of conveyor frame

Minimum conveyor length

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Minimum conveyor length Straight section	Width	L1	L2	L3	XK
LIR	322	1160	-	-	\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\
	424	1160	-	-	XKP
L1	626	1160	-	-	X180
Minimum conveyor length L-shape section	Width	L1	L2	L3	X300
TOTAL	322	550	800	-	l l
	424	550	800	-	GR
	626	750	1162	-	CS
Minimum conveyor length U-shape section	Width	L1	L2	L3	XT
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	424	550	400	800	HU
L3	626	750	400	990	
Minimum conveyor length S-shape section	Width	L1	L2	L3	WL
+ ₁ L1 ₁ +-	322	550	608	800	WK
12	424	550	812	800	VVIX
- L3 -	626	750	1216	990	XC

Ordering information

Slide rail, connecting strips, and connecting sleeves must be ordered separately.

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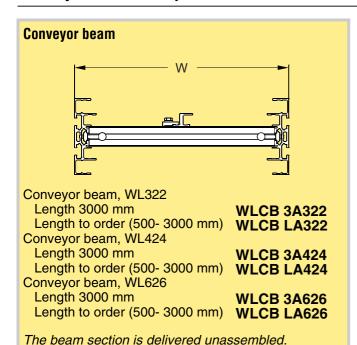
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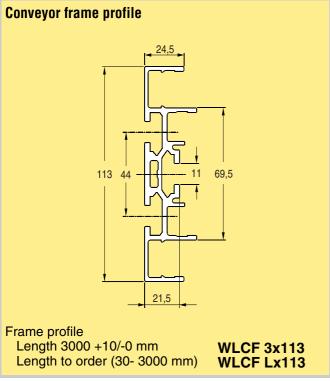
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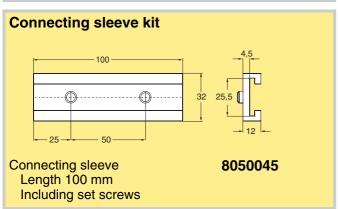
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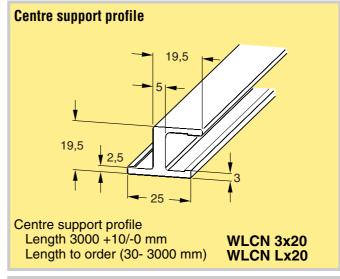
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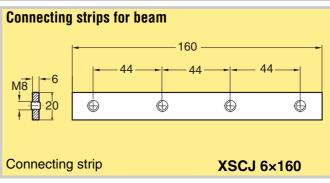
Conveyor frame components

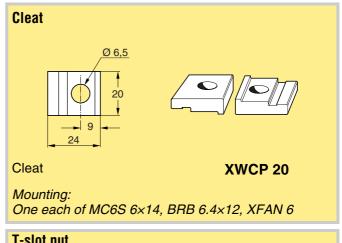


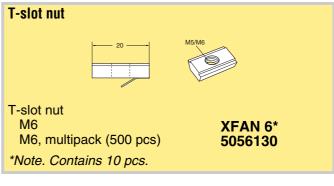


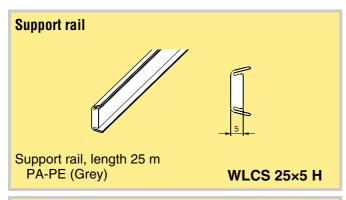


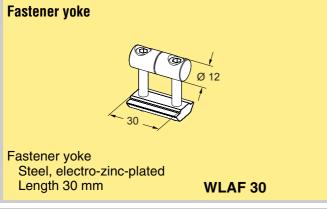


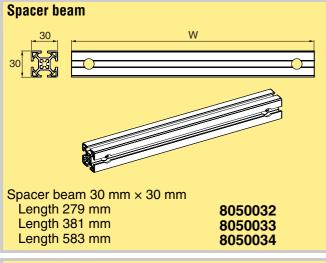


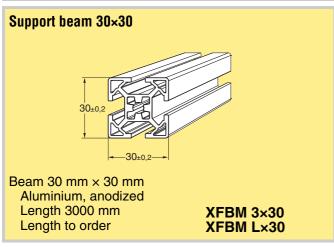


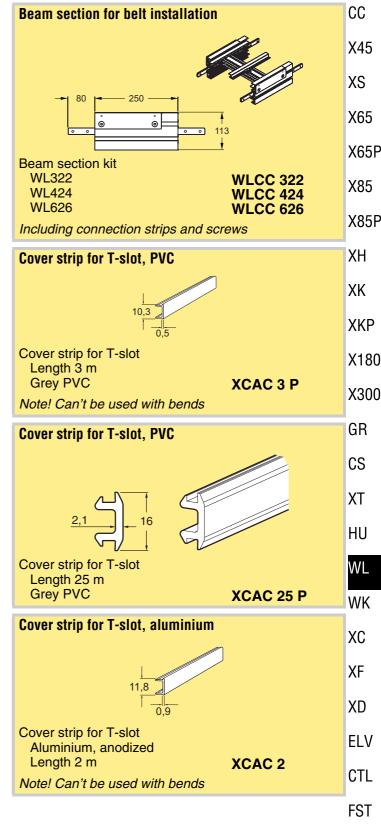






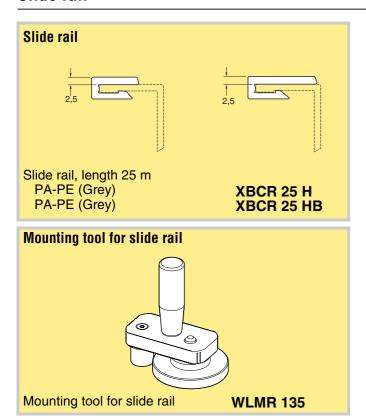






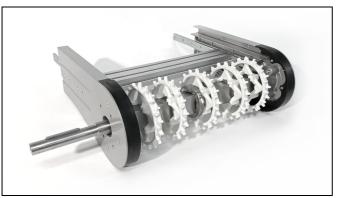
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End drive unit

Drive unit types

The WL system includes direct driven units with or without slip clutch. The belt is guided through the drive unit eliminating any pinch point in the drive unit.

Available motors include variable speed types (V) as well as fixed speed motors (F).

End drive units

Size	Direct drive, no slip clutch	Direct drive, slip clutch
Drive unit	F, V	F, V

Motor specifications

Motors are available for 230/400 V, 50 Hz and 230/460 V, 60 Hz. Variable speed motors are SEW Movimot, 380-500 V. Note that variable speed motors include a control box that adds 120 mm to the width of the motor.

IP55 available with standard oil.

IP65 available with food grade oil.

Technical specifications

Maximal speed 40 m/min Number of teeth on sprocket wheel ... 2×16

Number of sprocket wheels vs. conveyor width

Width	322 mm	424 mm	626 mm	
Sprocket wheels	5	5	7	

Ordering information

Drive units with motors must be specified using the webbased configurator. The configurator provides detailed information and step-by-step guidance in the specification process. A product code string is generated, containing the specification details. See next page for examples XS of code strings.

Drive units without motors can be ordered using the des- X65 ignations in the catalogue.

- Connecting strips are included with the drive units.
- Slide rail must be ordered separately.

Dimension

Note that dimensions relating to drive unit motors depend on the motor specified during the configuration.

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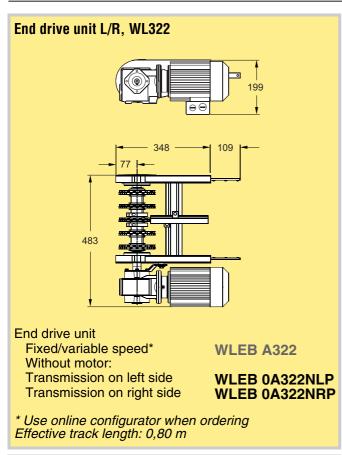
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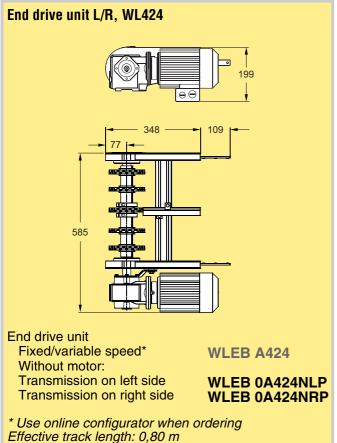
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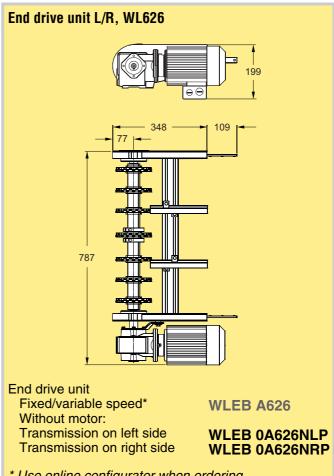
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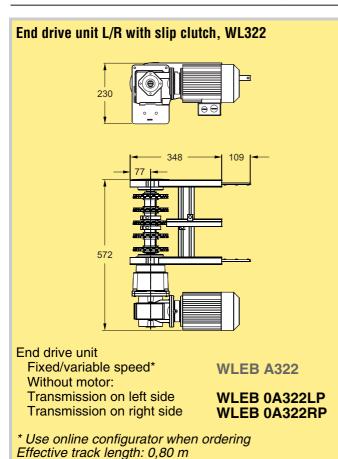
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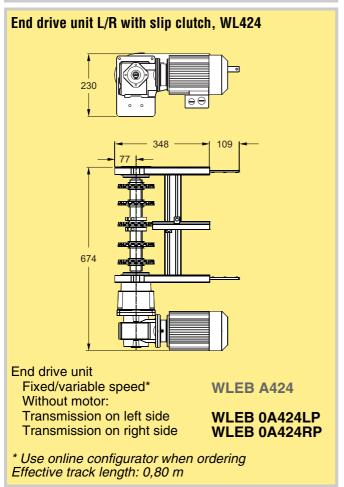


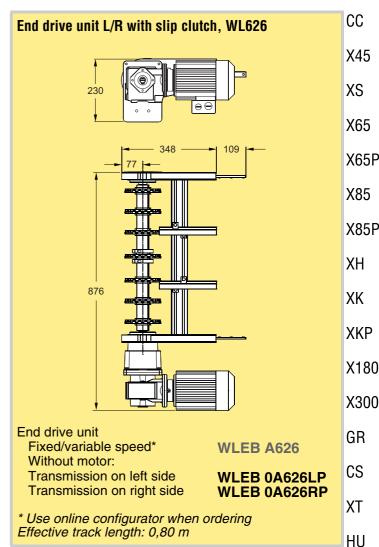




* Use online configurator when ordering Effective track length: 0,80 m







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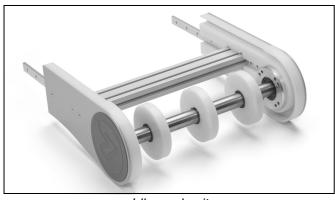
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Idler end units - introduction



Idler end unit

Chain guidance at end of conveyor

The idler end unit is used to guide the chain from the return side of the conveyor up to the top side with a minimum of friction. The chain is guided by three or more idler wheels on a common, rotating shaft supported by ball bearings.

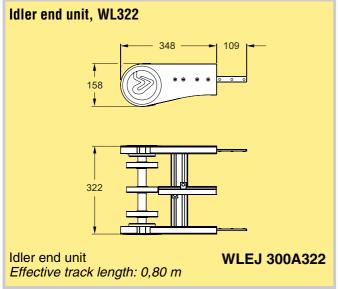
Number of idler wheels vs. conveyor width

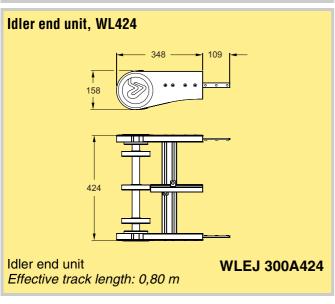
Width	322 mm	424 mm	626 mm
Idler wheels	3	3	5

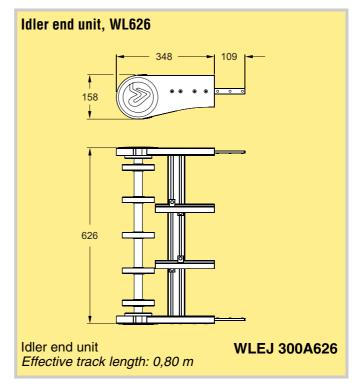
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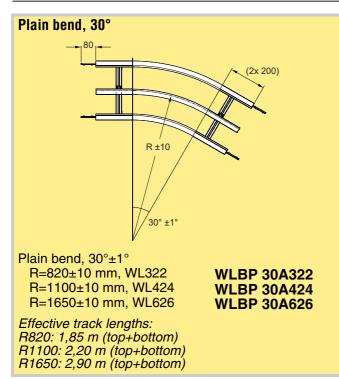
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- · Slide rail must be ordered separately.

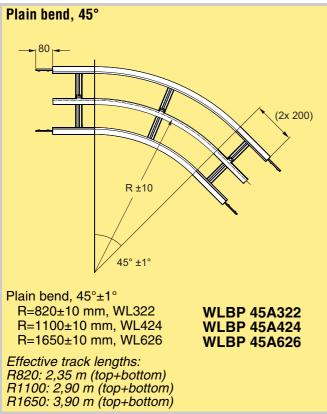
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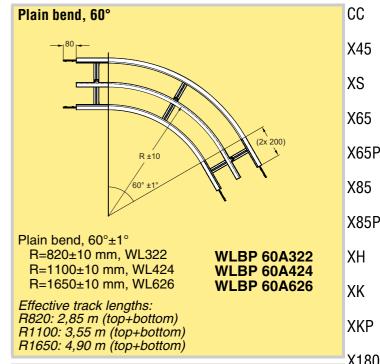


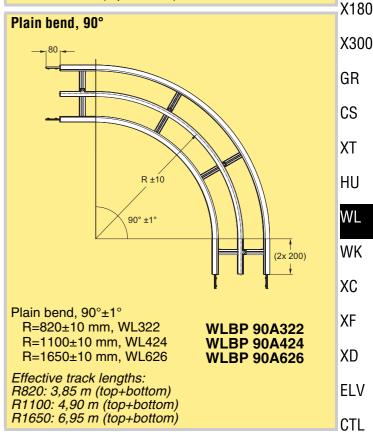








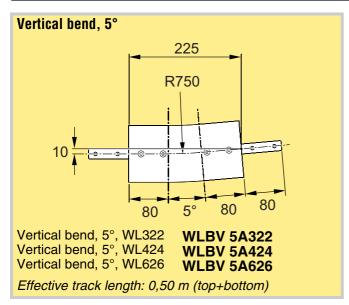


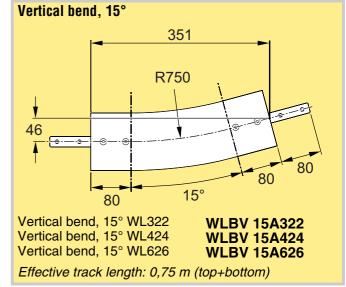


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Support designs

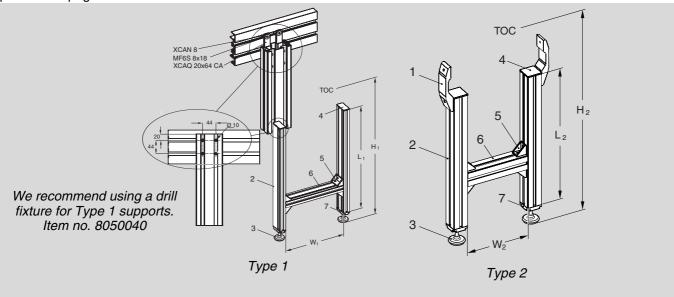
Support components

The illustrations on this page show recommended supports for the conveyor. All supports are built using components from FlexLink structural system XC. See main catalogue section Conveyor support components for more information.

System WL626 requires some additional support, please see page 460 for details.

Height and width of supports Type 1 and 2

		WL322	WL424	WL626
V	V1 (mm)	322	424	626
L	1 (mm)	ca. H1-100	ca. H1-100	ca. H1-100
V	V2 (mm)	172,5	274,5	476,5
L	2 (mm)	ca. H2-284	ca. H2-284	ca. H2-284



Suggested support components

Pos	Item	Designation	
		Type 1	Type 2
1	Beam support bracket	-	XLCS 64 C
2	Leg support	XCBL 3×44×88	XCBL 3×64
3	Foot	XCFS 12×68	XCFS 12×68
4	End cap	XCBE 44×88	XCBE 64
5	Angle bracket	XCFA 88 B	XCFA 44 B
6	Cross beam	XCBL 3×44×88	XCBL 3×64
7	End plate for beam	XCFE 44x88 M12A	XCFE64 M12A

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4	End cap	XCBE 44×88	XCBE 64
5	Angle bracket	XCFA 88 B	XCFA 44 B
6	Cross beam	XCBL 3×44×88	XCBL 3×64
7	End plate for beam	XCFE 44x88 M12A	XCFE64 M12A

Additional support for WL626

System WL626 requires extra support due to the width of the conveyor.

Plain belt WLTP 1A608 L H						
Pos	Item	Designation				
1	Cleat	XWCP 20				
2	Support profile 669 mm	XFBM L×30				
3	Support bracket	XLDB 21×100				
4	Cross beam	XCBL 3×44×88	Used together with leg support XCBL 3×44×88			
4	Cross beam	XCBL 3×64	Used together with leg support XCBL 3×64			
Α	Fastening material	XFAN 6, MC6S 6x14, BRB 6,4x12				
В	Fastening material	XCAN 8, M6S 8x	(14			

Friction top belt WLTP 1A608 FA						
Pos	Item	Designation				
1	Cleat	XWCP 20				
2	Support profile 625 mm	XFBM L×30				
3	Support bracket	FLX1001249				
4	Cross beam	XCBL 3×44×88	Used together with leg support XCBL 3x44x88			
4	Cross beam	XCBL 3×64	Used together with leg support XCBL 3x64			
Α	Fastening material	XFAN 6, MC6S 6x14, BRB 6,4x12				
В	Fastening material	XLAT 17, BRB 8,4 x16, XLAN 8				
С	Fastening material	BRB 8,4 x 16, MC6S-TT 6 x 30				

