Higher performance with Mancrodur Work roll bearing arrangement in a 7 stand hot strip mill





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ThyssenKrupp Steel Europe AG (TKSE)

TKSE is a leading worldwide supplier of flat carbon steel.

With a workforce of approximately 27 000 employees, it produces innovative, sophisticated steel products for applications in many different industrial sectors.

The Bochum site has one of TKSE's largest hot rolling mills.

The wide hot strip mill, due to its high drive power level, is particularly suitable for the rolling of high strength quality steels.

Mancrodur

The Schaeffler high performance steel Mancrodur is, in combination with carbonitriding heat treatment, the perfect combination for the extreme operating conditions in rolling mills.





Tapered roller bearing for the work roll bearing arrangement in stand F6-F7

45 MN

16 m/s

677 mm

Operating data

- Rolling force
- Max. roll speed
- Work roll diameter
- Roll barrel length max. 2 050 mm
- Lubrication of bearings grease

Four-row tapered roller bearing FAG F-802434.TR4-D-H122AA

- Bore
- Outside diameter
- Width

406,400 mm 546,100 mm

288,925 mm

- Basic dynamic load rating 4 450 kN
- Basic static load rating 9 300 kN
- Axial internal clearance
 0,3 mm to 0,4 mm

Higher performance with Mancrodur

The carbonitrided high performance steel Mancrodur gives a significant improvement in the operating life of multi-row tapered roller bearings.

Carbonitrided

In this special heat treatment, the surface layer of the bearing rings is enriched not only with carbon but also with nitrogen. The bearings thus offer higher wear resistance and higher surface hardness.

Customer benefits

- Operating life at least twice as long due to higher wear resistance
- Longer fatigue life under favourable lubrication conditions
- Increase in availability of operating equipment.

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