# **User Guide**

# **ENKOFLEX**

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#### IMPORTANT:

The current safety provisions of the state or professional organisations in each country must be followed when using our products.

The pictures in this document are snapshots of situations at different stages of assembly, and therefore are not complete images for safety purposes and should not be deemed as definitive.

All instructions regarding safety and operation contained in this document, as well as the data on stress and loads, must be respected. Any changes or unusual assembly will require a special solution or calculation.

The weights featured in this document, related to the basic product parts, are approximate.

Our equipment is designed to work with accessories and components produced by our company. Combining such equipment with other brands without having made all the corresponding checks can be dangerous.

The company reserves the right to introduce any modifications deemed necessary for the technical development of the product.



Safety sign



Control sign



Warning sign



Information sign

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### 1. PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

ENKOFLEX is a horizontal formwork system designed for making any kind of slab, both solid and lightened, as well as hanging beams or other items.

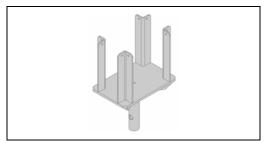
Because this formwork is composed of independent beams, the system has great flexibility, allowing it to be adapted properly for irregular slabs.

It is also the ideal complement for infilling and areas not covered with other formwork systems, such as Table VR or CC-4.

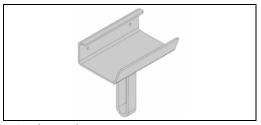
The main features of the system are as follows:



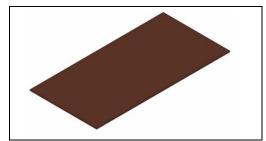
Timber Beam VM 20



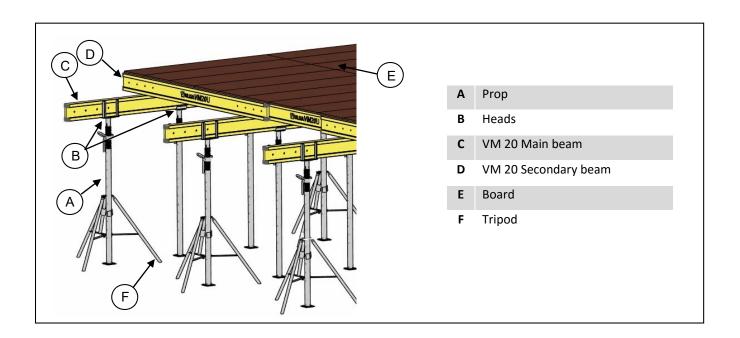
**Double Head** 



Simple Head



Plywood





# 2. COMPONENTS AND ACCESSORIES

# 2.1. GRAPHICAL DESCRIPTION

Item number	Weight kg.	Name	Item number	Weight kg.	Name
		TIMBER BEAMS			HEADS
1940191 1940172 1940197 1950129 1940196 1940144 1950130 1940146 1950112 1940178 1950113 1940149	7.3 9.5 10.8 12.3 13.3 14.5 16.5 18 19.5 22.5 24.5 29.5	TIMBER BEAM VM 20/1.45 TIMBER BEAM VM 20/1.9 TIMBER BEAM VM 20/2.15 TIMBER BEAM VM 20/2.45 TIMBER BEAM VM 20/2.65 TIMBER BEAM VM 20/2.9 TIMBER BEAM VM 20/3.3 TIMBER BEAM VM 20/3.6 TIMBER BEAM VM 20/3.9 TIMBER BEAM VM 20/4.5 TIMBER BEAM VM 20/4.5 TIMBER BEAM VM 20/4.9 TIMBER BEAM VM 20/5.9	2211003	4,7	DOUBLE HEAD VR  Galvanized steel
1940198 1940166	34.9 40.7	BOARDS  PLYWOOD 1.25 x 2.5 x 0.018 BETO  PLYWOOD 1.25 x 2.5 x 0.021 BETO	2211450	2.5	Zinc-coated steel
7251131	11.4	3 LAYER PLYWOOD 2000 x 503 x 21	2211000	0.73	SIMPLE HEAD VR
7251132	15	3 LAYER PLYWOOD 2000 x 503 x 27			Galvanized steel
1940155 1940151	38.2 44.6	PLYWOOD 1.25 x 2.5 x 0.018 BIRCH PLYWOOD 1.25 x 2.5 x 0.021 BIRCH	1861627 9370571	0.17 0.015	PIN 16x100 COTTER PIN R/3



Item number	Weight kg.	Name	Item number	Weight kg.	Name
Hamber	ng.	PROPS	2220010	17.6	ALUPROP 1.65-2.8
2170030	11.2	SP-30 PROP	2220020	21.6	ALUPROP 2.2-3.7
2170035	15.2	SP-35 PROP	2220030	25.4	ALUPROP 3.3-4.8
2170033	16.6	SP-40 PROP	2220030	29.6	ALUPROP 4.5-6.0
2170040	23.8	SP-50 PROP	2220040	23.0	ALOI NOI 4.3-0.0
21/0030	25.0	Galvanized steel			THE STATE OF THE S
2170300	10.7	SP-30 PROP P			
2170135	14.5	SP-35 PROP P			Aluminium
2170400	15.8	SP-40 PROP P	2220200	5.8	ALUPROP SPINDLE
2170500	22.7	SP-50 PROP P			
					Aluminium
			2220055	4.5	SUPPLEMENT 1M
		•			Q P
2200048	14.7	Yellow - coated steel EP C25			
2200000	16.6	EP C+D30			
2200068	21.3	EP C+D35			
2200012	23.7	EP C+D40			
2200084	29.1	EP C+D45			All and a second a
2200057	31.7	EP C+D50			Aluminium
2200023	19	EP C+E30	2220075	2.2	FIX BRACING HOOK
2200033	26.4	EP C+E40	2220100	2.3	SWIVEL BRACING HOOK
					Galvanized Steel - Bichromate-treated
			2220080	1.1	ALUPROP CLAMP
		Galvanized steel			Galvanized steel
			r		



Item number	Weight kg.	Name	Item number	Weight kg.	Name
9000001 9521592 0241000	0.001 0.044 0.01	SPRING WASHER B10 DIN127 HEXAGONAL SCREW M10x50 DIN933 8.8 NUT M10 DIN 934-5.6	2000300	1.2	G SHORING BASE PLATE G
2220140 2220125 2220130 2220145 2220120	10.2 15 15.4 18.1 19.4	BRACING FRAME 0.75 BRACING FRAME 1.5 BRACING FRAME 1.57 BRACING FRAME 2.075 BRACING FRAME 2.32	2000600 2000700	4.2 7.8	Black - coated steel  BASE JACK G0.5 BASE JACK G1  Bichromate - treated Steel
2150000 2150500 2154300 2159333 2154400	10 10.6 13.6 15.1 18.8	Galvanized steel  NORMAL PROP 1.75/3.1  NORMAL PROP 2.1/3.5  STRONG PROP 2.1/3.65  STRONG PROP 2.35/4  STRONG PROP 3.65/5.25	2013900 2013800	2.2 2.2	HEAD 80 HEAD 160 Black-coated steel
2770050 2770037 2160300 2770026 2161500	4.7 5.9 7.9 7.9 8.9	Yellow - coated steel  ECO PROP 0.8/1.25  ECO PROP 1.1/1.7  ECO PROP 1.75/3  ECO PROP 1.75/3 W/HANDLES  ECO PROP 2.1/3.5	2003300 2003500 2003600	12.5 13.4 15.5	FRAME G-100 1 FRAME G-100 1.55 FRAME G-100 1.85
		Yellow - coated steε.	1860507 1860101 1860107 1860098 1860104	3.9 4.8 5.8 4.2 5.4	Yellow - coated steel  TWO-COLOURED CROSSBRACE 1  TWO-COLOURED CROSSBRACE 1.5  TWO-COLOURED CROSSBRACE 2  TWO-COLOURED CROSSBRACE 1.5/0.75  TWO-COLOURED CROSSBRACE 2/0.75
2220090 2170355	11.2 7	UNIVERSAL TRIPOD TRIPOD 42-87mm  Galvanized steel			Black and yellow-coated steel



Item number	Weight kg.	Name	Item number	Weight kg.	Name
2033300 2033500 2033700 2033800 2034000	1 2 3 4.2 6.2	TUBE 42/0.5 TUBE 42/1 TUBE 42/1.55 TUBE 42/2.1 TUBE 42/3.1	2127958 2127605 2127859 2127860 2127981	2.2 4.4 6.6 8.5 12.5	STANDARD 0.5 WITHOUT SPIGO' STANDARD 1 WITHOUT SPIGOT STANDARD 1.5 WITHOUT SPIGO' STANDARD 2 WITHOUT SPIGOT STANDARD 3 WITHOUT SPIGOT
2013100	1.7	Yellow - coated steel TENSION COUPLER 42  Zinc-coated steel RIGHT ANGLE COUPLER 42/42	2127825	1.1	Galvanized steel DOUBLE SPIGOT
2012400	1.3	SWIVEL COUPLER 42/42  Bichromate-treated steel	2127540 2127541 2127617 2127542 2127618 2127543	7.2 8.7 10.2 11.8 13 14.2	Bichromate - treated steel  DIAGONAL BRACE 0.7x2  DIAGONAL BRACE 1.02x2  DIAGONAL BRACE 1.5x2  DIAGONAL BRACE 2x2  DIAGONAL BRACE 2.5x2  DIAGONAL BRACE 3x2
2127973 2127960	8.8 12.9	ADJUSTABLE HEAD 0.5 ADJUSTABLE HEAD 1			(width x height)  Galvanized steel
		Bichromate-treated steel	2127896 2127897 2127898 2127899 2127900 2127901	6.5 7.2 7 7.6 7.6 8.8	DIAGONAL BRACE 0.7x1 DIAGONAL BRACE 0.7x1.5 DIAGONAL BRACE 1.02x1 DIAGONAL BRACE 1.02x1.5 DIAGONAL BRACE 1.5x1 DIAGONAL BRACE 1.5x1 DIAGONAL BRACE 1.5x1.5
2127500 2127501 2127502 2127503 2127956	4.6 7.4 9.4 13.5 17.8	STANDARD 1 STANDARD 1.5 STANDARD 2 STANDARD 3 STANDARD 4	2128241 2127902 2127903 2127904 2127905 2127906 2127907	8.9 9.2 10 10.9 12.2 12.9 13.7	DIAGONAL BRACE 2x0.5 DIAGONAL BRACE 2x1 DIAGONAL BRACE 2x1.5 DIAGONAL BRACE 2.5x1 DIAGONAL BRACE 2.5x1.5 DIAGONAL BRACE 3x1 DIAGONAL BRACE 3x1 DIAGONAL BRACE 3x1.5 (width x height)
		Galvanized steel			Galvanized steel
		<u> </u>			



Item number	Weight kg.	Name	Item number	Weight kg.	Name
2127920	5.4	Galvanized steel HORIZONTAL DIAGONAL 2x2	2127766	7.8	ADJUSTABLE SWIVEL BASE
2129539 2129542 2129540	5.4 5.8 6.2	HORIZONTAL DIAGONAL 2.5x2.5 HORIZONTAL DIAGONAL 2.5x3 HORIZONTAL DIAGONAL 3x3			10
		Galvanized steel	2127510	1.4	Bichromate-treated steel  BASE COLLAR
2127522 2127523 2127524 2127525 2127526 2127527	3.2 4.4 6 7.6 9.4 11.7	LEDGER 0.7 LEDGER 1.02 LEDGER 1.5 LEDGER 2 LEDGER 2.5 LEDGER 3	2129485	1.6	Galvanized steel  HANDLE LOCK
					Galvanized steel
		Galvanized steel	2211165	6.9	VM HANDRAIL SUPPORT
9056600 9050901 9045200	0.01 0.1 0.1	NUT HEXAGONAL M10 SELF LOCKING BOLT M10X60 8.8 DIN931 BOLT M10X80			Yellow - coated steel
2124902 2124907	4.9 8.7	ADJUSTABLE BASE 0.5 ADJUSTABLE BASE 1	1861122	0.39	PANEL BOLT  Zinc - coated steel
			7238001	0.22	HEXAGONAL NUT 15
		Bichromate - treated steel			



Name   kg.   Name   kg.	
2023800 8.4 TUBE 42x4070 WITH SOCKET 2033600 8.4 TUBE 42/4.1 Yellow - c	
2033600 8.4 TUBE 42/4.1	
2053000 12.2 TOBE 42/5	
Yellow - coated steel  1902210 3.4 SAFETY HANDRAIL POST	
0230100 1.7 TIE ROD 15/1 1900256 1.4 PLATE WASHER NUT 15 7238000 0.73 PLATE NUT 15	ated steel
2211156 9.5 HANDRAIL POST 1.5	A PLA
	nromate-treated steel
Zinc-coated steel  2211240 6 CLAMP HANDRAIL 1m  Bichromate	e-treated steel



Item number	Weight kg.	Name	Item number	Weight kg.	Name
1860723	5.6	CLAMP SAFETY HANDRAIL	2170526	2.3	PROP BRACING CLAMP  Zinc-coated steel
2125648	13.1	Bichromate-treated steel TUBE 48×4100 WITH SOCKET	2170356	1.6	CLAMP SP-EP
2125290 2125291 2125647 2125249 2125648 2125230 2125231 0200600	5.5 7 8.7 11.4 12.1 14.5 18 20	TUBE 48/1.6 TUBE 48/2.1 TUBE 48/2.6 TUBE 48/3.1 TUBE 48/3.6 TUBE 48/4.1 TUBE 48/5 TUBE 48/6	2128152	13.5	Galvanized steel  TRAPDOOR PLATFORM 1.5  Aluminium wood
2125147 2125148	1.3 1.2	Galvanized steel SWIVEL COUPLER 48/48 RIGHT ANGLE COUPLER 48/48	2211750 2211035	6.3 2.9	CHAIN VR 7.5 kN CHAIN VR
2211172	3.2	Galvanized steel  EXTENDING LEDGER	9165400 9371772 9371778 9371779	0.18 0.22 0.29	MISCELLANEOUS AND AUXILIAR ITEMS RING 12x120 RING 12x160 RING 12x230
2211225	16.8	Zinc-coated steel  TOE BOARD 4000x200x50  Wood	1860676 1860690 1860696 1860705	12.5 22.6 14.4 25.9	STOPEND B 1x0.3 STOPEND B 2x0.3 STOPEND B 1x0.4 STOPEND B 2x0.4  Yellow - coated steel



Item number	Weight kg.	Name	Item number	Weight kg.	Name
1860709 1860712	10.5 13.2	FILLER STOPEND 0.3 FILLER STOPEND 0.4	2211250	0,72	CLAMP VM-VM  Zinc-coated steel
			1860533	0.1	CONSUMABLES AND SPARE PARTS PLASTIC HANDRAIL SUPPORT
		Yellow - coated steel	1904100	0.007	PLUG 42 BAG (250 units)
2211670	7.4	VM HANGING BEAM SUPPORT			
			9850530 9371777 9371774 9371773	0.9 0.01 0.01 0.01	HKD HILTI PLUG M16 PLASTIC PLUG 14X70 PLASTIC PLUG 14X100 PLASTIC PLUG 14X140
		Galvanized steel			
2211660	4.8	VM20 HANGING BEAM SUPPLEMENT			
		Galvanized steel			
2170358	1.1	STOP-END CORNER  Galvanized steel			
2170365 2170360	3.7 3.7	CROSS PROP SP-30 CROSS PROP SP 35-40			

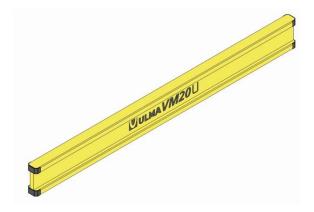


#### 2.2. ELEMENTS DESCRIPTION

Item dimensions are measured in millimetres unless otherwise indicated.

#### 2.2.1. TIMBER BEAMS VM 20

These form the ENKOFLEX system press grid.



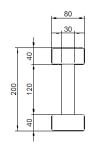
The timber beam VM 20 is used as a main or secondary heam

It is made in accordance with Standard EN13377.

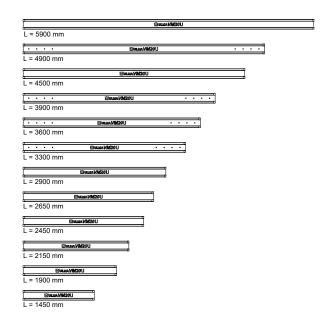
#### The technical features are:

Permissible shear force Q=11 kN
 Permissible flexion M=5 kNm
 Stiffness EI=450 kNm²

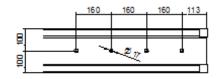
Section of the timber beam VM 20:



There is a wide range of standard lengths, reaching up to 5.9 m. There are special beams available of up to 12 m in length.



The 4.9 m, 3.9 m, 3.6 m and 3.3 m beams have holes incorporated into the ends.



#### **2.2.2. BOARDS**

For high-end architectural requirements and/or smooth concrete surfaces with good finish, phenolic plywood panels can be used.

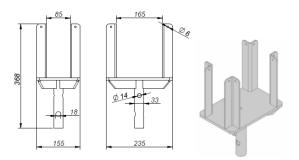
- Plywood 1.25 x 2.5 x 0.018 BETO
- Plywood 1.25 x 2.5 x 0.021 BETO
- Plywood 1.25 x 2.5 x 0.018 BIRCH
- Plywood 1.25 x 2.5 x 0.021 BIRCH

Other types of wood can also be used, such as 3-layer plywood.



#### 2.2.3. DOUBLE HEAD VR

This is used to shore main beams, for both single and double beams. it is mounted at beam ends and overlaps.

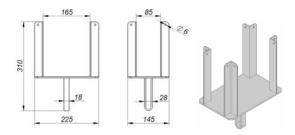


The head has four L profiles with holes for fixing to the beam with nails.

It can be fixed to the prop with 16x100 pins (item number 1861627) and R/3 cotter pins (item number 9370571). It is a galvanized robust head with a tubular plug. It is important to emphasise that it cannot be used with normal props.

#### 2.2.4. ECO DOUBLE HEAD

This is used to shore main beams, for both single and double beams. It is mounted at beam ends and overlaps.



The head has four L profiles with holes for fixing to the beam with nails.

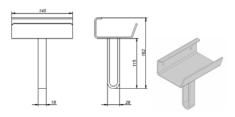
It can be fixed to the prop with 16x100 pins (item number 1861627) and R/3 cotter pins (item number 9370571).

It is a lightweight zinc-coated head with a bend sheet plug.

#### 2.2.5. SIMPLE HEAD VR

This is used to shore single main beams.

This head can be assembled with all ULMA props.



The open profile allows the assembly head to be fixed and released from the prop without loosening the prop's thread.

It can be fixed to the prop with 16x100 pins (item number 1861627) and R/3 cotter pins (item number 9370571).

#### 2.2.6. PROPS

Wide range of props to conform with construction shapes and utilisation criteria in the different countries where it is used.

#### • SP props

ITEM	NAME	EXTENS	ION (m)
NUMBER	NAIVIE	MIN	MAX
2170030	SP-30 PROP	1.75	3
2170035	SP-35 PROP	2	3.5
2170040	SP-40 PROP	2.5	4
2170050	SP-50 PROP	3.9	5
2170300	SP-30 PROP P	1.75	3
2170135	SP-35 PROP P	2	3.5
2170400	SP-40 PROP P	2.5	4
2170500	SP-50 PROP P	3.9	5

#### • EP props (in accordance with standard EN 1065).

ITEM	NAME	EXTENS	ION (m)
NUMBER	INAIVIE	MIN	MAX
2200048	EP C25	1.5	2.5
2200000	EP C+D30	1.7	3
2200068	EP C+D35	2	3.5
2200012	EP C+D40	2.2	4
2200084	EP C+D45	2.5	4.5
2200057	EP C+D50	2.7	5



2200023	EP C+E30	1.7	3
2200033	EP C+E40	2.2	4

 ALUPROP props (in accordance with standard EN 16031).

ITEM	NAME	EXTENS	ION (m)
NUMBER	INAIVIE	MIN	MAX
2220010	ALUPROP 1.65-2.8	1.65	2.8
2220020	ALUPROP 2.2-3.7	2.2	3.7
2220030	ALUPROP 3.3-4.8	3.3	4.8
2220040	ALUPROP 4.5-6	4.5	6

• Normal and Strong Props.

ITEM	NAME	EXTENS	ION (m)
NUMBER	INAIVIE	MIN	MAX
2770050	NORMAL PROP 1.75/3.1	1.75	3.1
2770037	NORMAL PROP 2.1/3.5	2.1	3.5
2160300	STRONG PROP 2.1/3.65	2.1	3.65
2770026	STRONG PROP 2.35/4	2.35	4
2161500	STRONG PROP 3.65/5.25	3.65	5.25

ECO props

ITEM	NAME	EXTENS	ION (m)
NUMBER	NAIVIE	MIN	MAX
2770050	ECO PROP 0.8/1.25	0.8	1.25
2770037	ECO PROP 1.1/1.7	1.1	1.7
2160300	ECO PROP 1.75/3	1.75	3
2770026	ECO PROP 1.75/3 W/HANDLES	1.75	3
2161500	ECO PROP 2.1/3.5	2.1	3.5

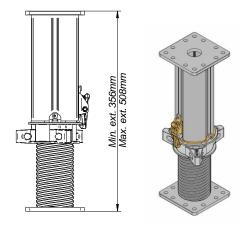
All these props are fixed to the wooden beams using the heads which support the wooden beams.

For normal props, double head VR cannot be used.

#### 2.2.7. ALUPROP SPINDLE

The aluprop spindle is designed for ALUPROP configurations where a double adjustment in height is required. In addition, this configuration facilitates the stripping of the system through the placement of the aforementioned prop at the base of the assembly.

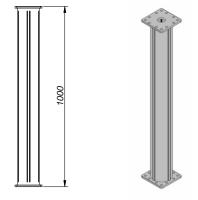
The outer tube is fixed to the prop's outer tube by means of four bolts, nuts and washers or by means of two aluprop clamps.



#### 2.2.8. SUPPLEMENT 1M

The supplement 1M allows the ALUPROP prop's range of dimensions to be extended.

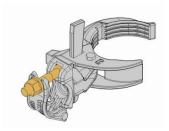
It is fixed to the ALUPROP prop's outer tube by means of four bolts, nuts and washers or by means of two aluprop clamps.



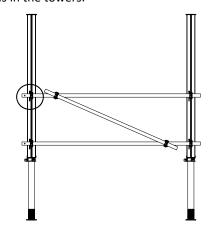


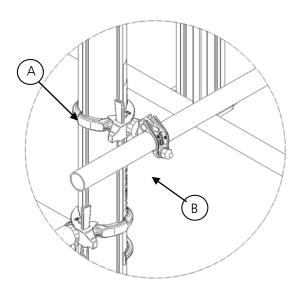
#### 2.2.9. FIX BRACING HOOK

It allows two props with different towers to be braced increasing their strength and stability.



It is used to connect the outer tube of the ALUPROP prop to a 48 mm tube by means of the hook and 48 mm coupler. This makes it possible to then install safety handrails in the towers.



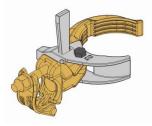


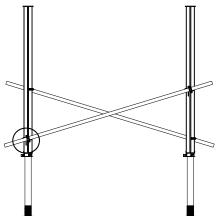
- A Fix bracing hook
- B Tube ø48

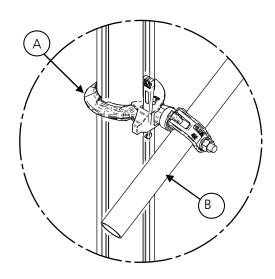
#### 2.2.10. SWIVEL BRACING HOOK

This allows the outer tube of the ALUPROP to be connected to a 48 mm tube, forming any angle between the hook and the 48 mm swivel coupler.

It makes it possible to horizontally and vertically brace the ALUPROP towers and install safety handrails in the towers.







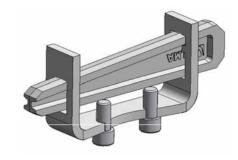
- A Swivel bracing hook
- B Tube ø48

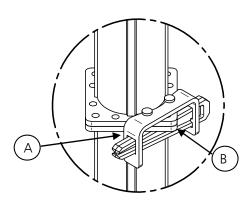


#### 2.2.11. ALUPROP CLAMP

Designed to quickly join the supplement 1m or Aluprop spindle to the ALUPROP prop, as well as to fix the outer tubes of the ALUPROP props. It is fixed using two Aluprop clamps.

The Aluprop clamp has two guide pins to locate in the ALUPROP prop end plate and a wedge to join the props.





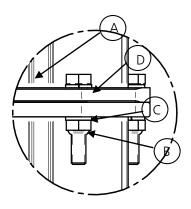
Α	Aluprop clamp	)
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B End plate

#### 2.2.12. NUTS AND BOLTS

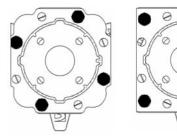
Connecting elements between ALUPROP end plates, supplements 1m or Aluprop spindel. The elements are:

- Hexagonal bolt M10X50 DIN 933 8.8
- Nut M10 DIN934 5.6
- Spring washer B10 DIN 127



Α	Bolt
В	Nut
С	Washer
D	End plate

Nuts and bolts fixing position depending on the shapes of the ALUPROP end plate.

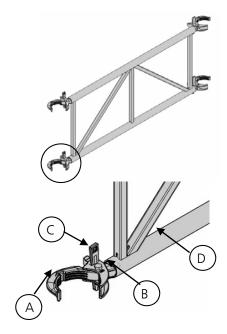




#### 2.2.13. BRACING FRAME

Formed by steel tubes and four hooks with wedges to embrace the ALUPROP outer tube.

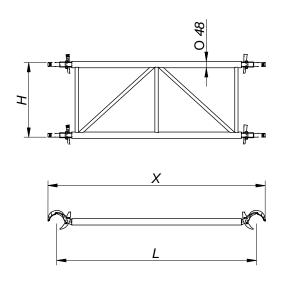
The bracing frame allows the joining of props, supplement 1m and Aluprop spindle to form shoring towers.



Α	Fixed hook
В	Mobile hook
С	ALUPROP wedge
D	Tube ø48

The fixed hook and the ALUPROP outer tube being the same shape allows the prop's outer tube to be embraced, adjusting it by means of tightening the wedge of the mobile hook

The tubular structure of the frame is steel and is formed by two 48 mm diameter horizontal tubes. These horizontal tubes, spaced at 530 mm, allows couplers and tubes to be braced and the 1.5 m steel platforms to be used as working platforms.



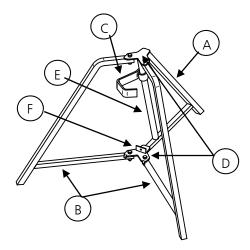
BRACING FRAME	Weight	L	Х	Н
	(Kg)	(mm)	(mm)	(mm)
2.32 m	17.7	2320	2451	558
2.075 m	18.1	2075	2212	558
1.5 m	13.6	1500	1631	558
1.57 m	13.8	1570	1701	558
0.75 m	8.7	750	881	558



#### 2.2.14. UNIVERSAL TRIPOD

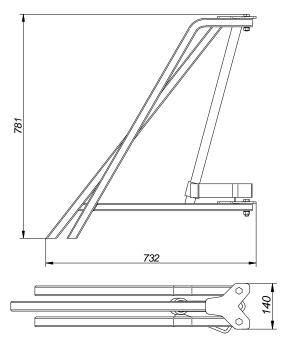
Designed to stabilise and ensure the correct assembly of ULMA props with diameters of between 40 and 120 mm. It consists of two mobile supports that allow its correct positioning, a restraint bearing that includes a base frame to hold the prop and a clamp that slides on a tilted tube to fix the props.

The lower base frame has a plate that allows a piece of wood to be attached and compensates for the difference in diameter in cases where the tripod is holding tubes of different diameter.



- A Restraint bearing
- **B** Swivel support
- **C** Clamp
- **D** Base frame support
- E Clamp guide
- F Nailing stop

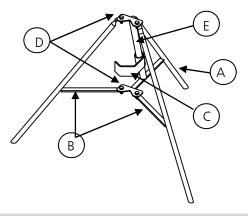
#### Dimensions of folded tripod:





#### 2.2.15. TRIPOD 42-87 mm

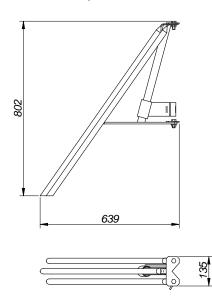
Designed to stabilise and ensure the correct assembly of ULMA props with diameters of between 42 mm and 87 mm. It consists of two mobile supports that allow its correct positioning, a restraint bearing that includes supports to hold the prop and a clamp that slides on a tilted tube to fix the props.



Α	Restraint bearing
В	Swivel support
С	Clamp
D	Base frame support

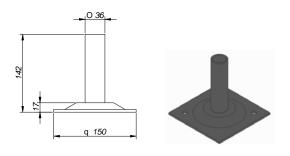
Dimensions of folded tripod:

Clamp guide



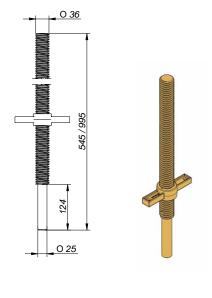
#### **2.2.16. BASE PLATE G**

This is placed in the initial phase of assembly, when the layout is implemented based on the project plan. It provides a stable support to the shoring.



#### **2.2.17. BASE JACK**

This is used to level the structure and to adjust the shoring to the required dimension. It is placed in the initial assembly phase by inserting it into the base plate, and in the final phase by inserting it into the supplement without spigot.

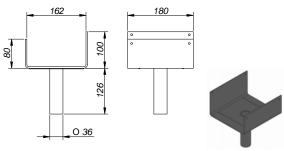




#### 2.2.18. HEAD 80 and 160

Item for using formwork with the traditional system, being the sufficient size for housing a plank on its side.

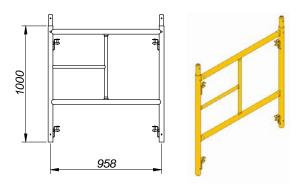
# Head 80



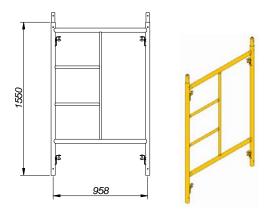
Head 160

#### 2.2.19. FRAME G-100

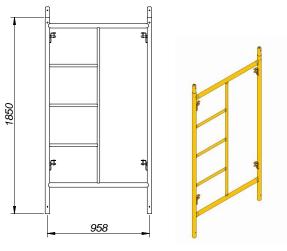
Item formed by a two-part frame. There is a series of horizontal tubes in one of these parts which can be used as a ladder.



FRAME G-100 1



FRAME G-100 1.55



FRAME G-100 1.85



#### 2.2.20. CROSSBRACES

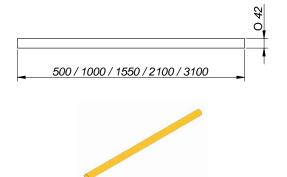
Tubes of identical size joined by means of a rivet which allows turning from one side to the other. Once assembled, they are the shape of a tick.



The cross members provide exact spacing between supplements.

#### 2.2.21. TUBES Ø42

Items of different lengths. They have many and varied uses such as joining chained items, tying towers, etc.



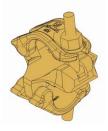
#### 2.2.22. TENSION COUPLER 42

This is designed to connect two 42 mm diameter tubes. It consists of two semi-couplers joined to allow two continuous tubes to be connected with an axial joint.



#### 2.2.23. RIGHT ANGLE COUPLER 42/42

Item that allows different 42 mm diameter components to be joined with an orthogonal connection.



#### 2.2.24. SWIVEL COUPLER 42/42

Item that allows different 42 mm diameter components to be joined with a swivel connection.



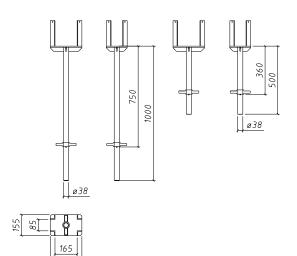


#### 2.2.25. ADJUSTABLE HEAD

This item is used in shoring applications when joining scaffolding to formwork.



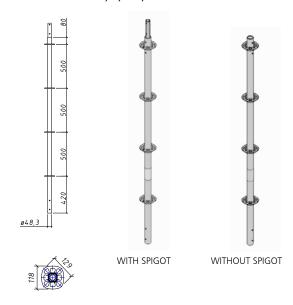
The adjustable head is composed of a 38 mm diameter solid bar with its corresponding nut and with a maximum adjustment of 350 mm for the 500 mm adjustable head and 750 mm for the 1m adjustable head. It has a welded plate with four L profiles at the four ends to fix the formwork.



#### **2.2.26. STANDARD**

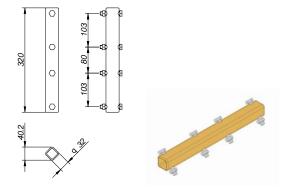
Structural item that transmits the loads supported by the scaffolding.

It comprises a steel tube with joint collars every 500 mm. The collars allow the horizontal and diagonal items to move in eight different directions. The standard can be finished with a spigot, allowing it to be linked with the following standard, or it can be finished without a spigot for an ending without obstructions. The existing dimensions are 0.5, 1, 1.5, 2 and 3 m.



#### 2.2.27. DOUBLE SPIGOT

Item that can be bolted to a standard without spigot to convert it to a standard with spigot. It is bolted to the standard without spigot with two bolts.





#### 2.2.28. DIAGONAL BRACE

Structural scaffolding item that ensures the bracing of the vertical and/or perpendicular planes to the front. It is also used for creating suspended structures.

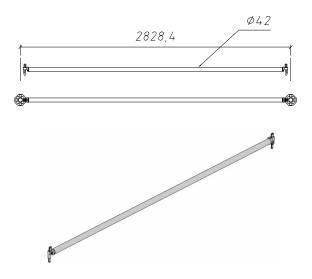


They comprise a tube with flattened ends and each has bolted on supports. Along with the wedges, they allow these to be fixed to the standards by means of the holes in the collars.

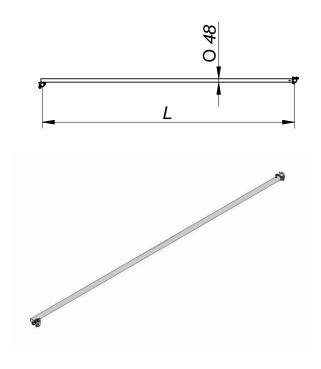
#### 2.2.29. HORIZONTAL DIAGONAL

Scaffolding item that secures bracing on the horizontal plane.

The 2x2 horizontal diagonal has supports, each of which are welded to the ends, which together with the wedges allow these to be fixed to the standard collars.



The other horizontal diagonals have semi-couplers at the ends instead of supports.

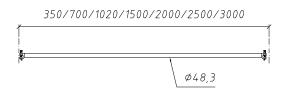


#### 2.2.30. LEDGER

Structural scaffold component on the horizontal plane. This can also be used as a safety handrail by placing two units at 0.5 and 1 m.



Casting supports are welded to the ends which, together with the wedges, allow them to be fixed to the standard by means of holes in its collars.

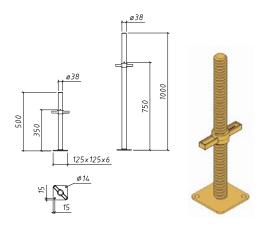




#### 2.2.31. ADJUSTABLE BASE

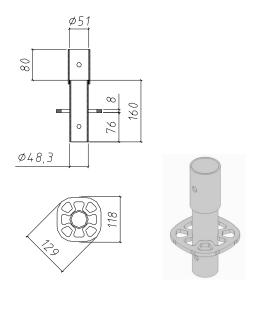
This item's function is to level the structure, to adjust the required dimension and to transmit vertical loads produced in the scaffolding to the ground.

It has a nut for adjustment, upon which the base collar is supported and with which the scaffolding can be adjusted to the required height. The maximum adjustment are 0.75 m for the 1 m adjustable base and 0.35 m for the 0.5 m adjustable base.



#### 2.2.33. BASE COLLAR

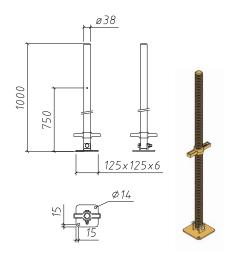
Item that is placed directly over the nut of the adjustable base and to which the standards, ledgers and diagonals of the first level are joined.



#### 2.2.32. ADJUSTABLE SWIVEL BASE

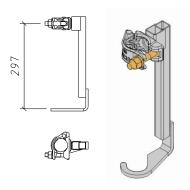
This item's function is to level the structure on surfaces with different slopes, to adjust the required dimension and to transmit vertical loads produced in the scaffolding to the ground.

The maximum adjustment is 0.75m.



#### 2.2.34. HANDLE LOCK

Item that is used to fix the adjustable base to the standard when scaffolding is lifted.

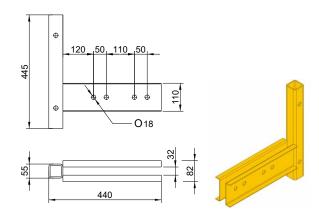




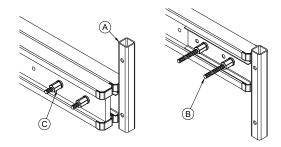
#### 2.2.35. VM HANDRAIL SUPPORT

Safety accessory that is fixed to the timber beam and into which the safety handrail post is inserted.

This solution is certified by AIDICO in accordance with EN13374 with Handrail Post 1.5 (item number 2211156)



There are two possible assembly positions:

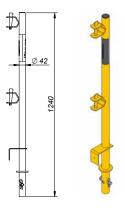


On the Main Beam On the Secondary Beam

	QUANTITY	NAME	ITEM NUMBER
Α	1	VM HANDRAIL SUPPORT	2211165
В	2	PANEL BOLT	1861122
С	2	HEXAGONAL NUT 15	7238001

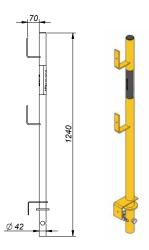
#### 2.2.36. HANDRAIL POST S-V

When placed over a base frame, this forms the regulatory handrail with Ø42 mm tubes and wooden plank for the toeboard.



#### 2.2.37. SAFETY HANDRAIL POST

When placed over a base frame, this forms the regulatory handrail with wooden planks. The wooden plank is also used for the toeboard.

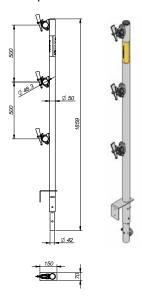




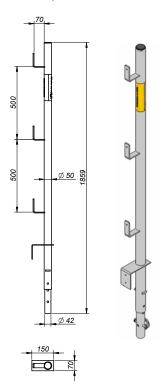
#### 2.2.38. HANDRAIL POST 1.5-

#### **HANDRAIL POST 1.5 WOOD**

The 1.5 m Handrail Post placed over a base frame serves to form the regulatory handrail with a  $\emptyset$ 48 mm or  $\emptyset$ 50 mm tube and wooden plank for the toeboard.



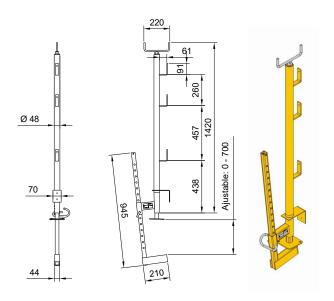
When placed over a base frame, the 1.5 m Handrail Post Wood forms the regulatory handrail with wooden planks. The wooden plank is also used for the toeboard.



#### **2.2.39. CLAMP HANDRAIL 1.3**

This is designed in accordance with EN13374.

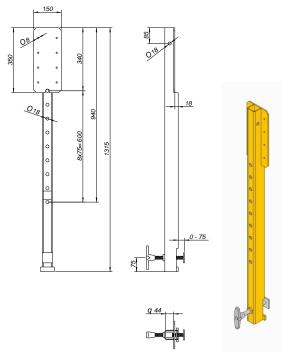
The clamp is height-adjustable from 0 to 700 mm. It is used for the 30x150 mm European wooden plank and  $\emptyset$ 48 mm tube.



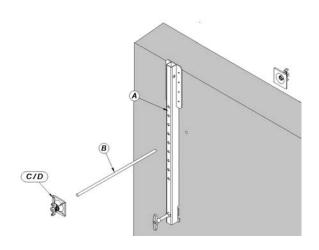


#### 2.2.40. WALL HANDRAIL SUPPORT

Accessory for fixing a handrail to the outermost surface of an existing wall and/or to stopend the formwork.



It is fixed to the wall using the tie rod hole created during the concrete pouring for the wall, in the central part. To do this, a tie rod and two plate nuts are inserted into any of the Ø18 mm holes spaced at every 75 mm, with the distance between the first and last hole being 600 mm.



	QUANTITY	NAME	ITEM NUMBER
Α	1	WALL HANDRAIL SUPPORT	2211256
В	1	TIE ROD 15/1	0230100
С	2	PLATE WASHER NUT 15	1900256
D	2	PLATE NUT 15	7238000

The upper part of this item has holes for fixing the part to the board and the lower part has a threaded crank to put pressure on the board.

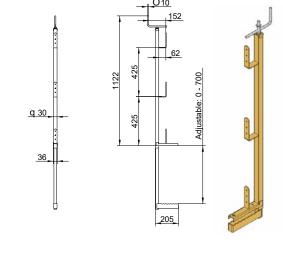


For more information, see the Wall Handrail Support User's Guide.

#### 2.2.41. CLAMP HANDRAIL 1m

This is designed in accordance with EN13374.

The clamp is height-adjustable from 0 to 700 mm. It is used with the 30x150 mm European plank.

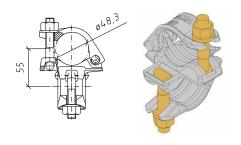




#### 2.2.42. RIGHT ANGLE COUPLER 48

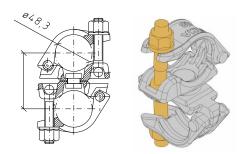
Accessory for the orthogonal joining of two ø48mm tubes.

It complies with standard EN 74-1 and is certified.



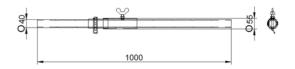


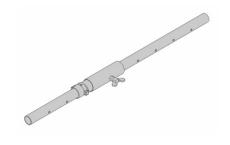
Accessory for joining two Ø48mm tubes at any angle. It complies with standard EN 74-1 and is certified.



#### 2.2.44. EXTENDING LEDGER

Removable handrail supplement for the Ø48 mm tube, with which the handrail is supplemented, only exceptionally, up to 1 m extra (in 10 cm extensions).

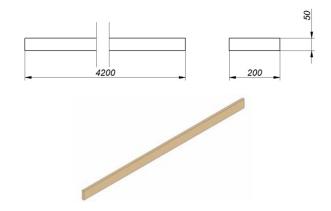




It is assembled by fixing and connecting the Ø55 mm tube to the Ø48 mm tube of the handrail ledger to be supplemented. Next the butterfly screw is tightened; once this has been done, the cotter pin is released and the 40 mm circular tube is extended until it is placed in the final position, when the cotter pin can be placed in its corresponding hole.

#### 2.2.45. TOE BOARD 4000x200x50

This is a  $4 \text{ m} \times 0.2 \text{ m} \times 0.05 \text{ m}$  wooden plank with a quality of at least C-24 at in accordance with standard EN 338:2003. This is the standard toeboard that can be used in all edge protection systems.

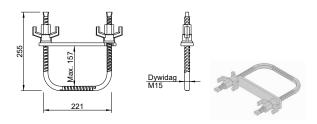




#### 2.2.46. PROP BRACING CLAMP

This stiffens and stabilises any ULMA Prop with wooden planks. It has a sheet and nuts for fixing.

The maximum board thickness is 150mm.

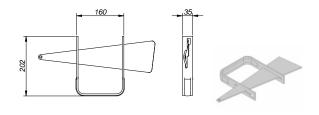


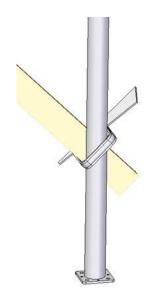


For more information, see Instructions for Use of prop bracing clamps.

#### 2.2.47. CLAMP SP-EP

This stiffens and stabilises ULMA SP and EP Props with wooden planks. It has a wedge for fixing. The maximum board width is 120mm.



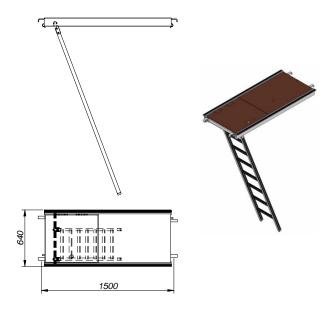


#### 2.2.48. TRAPDOOR PLATFORM 1.5

This is a working platform for workers. It allows vertical access to the structure thanks to the built in ladder and trapdoor.

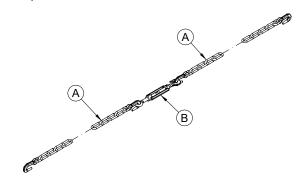
The wooden surface is class 3 fire resistant.

The 1.5 trapdoor platform is class 6 (600 daN/m<sup>2</sup>) in accordance with EN12811-1.



#### 2.2.49. CHAIN VR 7.5 kN

This is an anchoring system to prevent overturning. It is formed by two metal chains (DIN 763) with two hooks at the ends of each chain. These chains are joined by means of an M-12 hook-type push-pull prop and ring (DIN 1480).

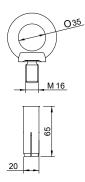


	QUANTITY	NAME	NUMBER
Α	2	CHAIN DOUBLE HOOK	2211751
В	1	EYEBOLT/HOOK PUSH-PULL PROP M/14	9371857



#### Includes:

- Eyebolt Screw M16 (item number 9165400).
- HKD HILTI Plug M16 (item number 9850530).

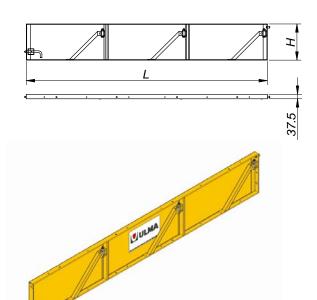


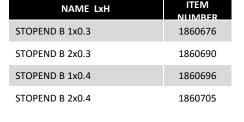


For more information see VR Chain instructions for use.

#### **2.2.50. STOPEND**

Steel structure for making slab edges. This is composed of a steel structure with a frame shape to which reinforcements have been welded and to which legs have been joined to support loads from the pressure of the concrete.



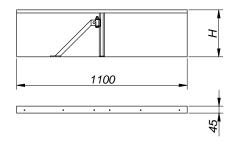




For more information, see the Stop-ends User's Guide.

#### 2.2.51. FILLER STOPEND

Reinforced sheet to compensate the dimensions of the slab boards that are made with the stopend. The maximum compensation possible is 1m.





NAME	ITEM NUMBER
Filler stopend 0.3	1860676
Filler stopend 0.4	1860696

The reinforced sheet has a central reinforcement welded to an articulated leg that allows the plumbing of the stopend and supports the pressure of the concrete.

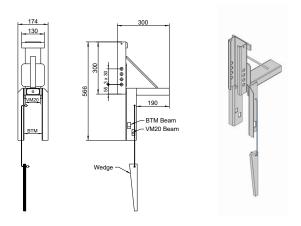


For more information, see the Stopends User's Guide.

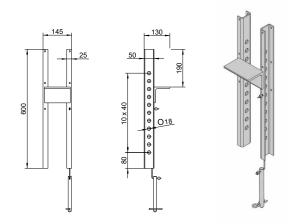


# 2.2.52. VM HANGING BEAM SUPPORT AND VM20 HANGING BEAM SUPPLEMENT

Items for making hanging beams and slab edges. They are designed for VM 20 beams.



The VM 20 hanging beam supplement is an accessory to combine with the support for hanging beams up to 90 cm.

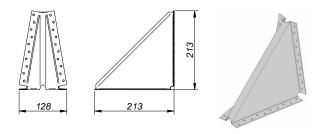


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For more information see the User's Guide VM 20 HANGING BEAM SUPPORT.

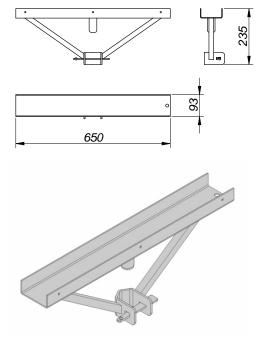
#### 2.2.53. STOP-END CORNER

Steel item for making slab edges. It is nailed to the formwork.



#### 2.2.54. CROSS PROP

Steel item for using with hanging beams.



NAME	ITEM NUMBER
Cross Prop SP-30	2170365
Cross Prop SP 35-40	2170360

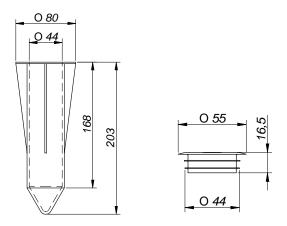
The difference between the two cross braces is the tie clamp. The SP-30 prop cross brace has a narrower clamp to tie to the SP-30 prop tube (Ø45). And the SP 35-40 cross brace is for use with the SP-35 prop (Ø54) and the SP-40 prop (Ø54).



#### 2.2.55. PLUG 42 AND PLASTIC PLUG

These are two parts which are assembled together in the fresh concrete as sockets for the positioning (after the concrete has set and the plug has been removed) of the handrail post as edge protection.

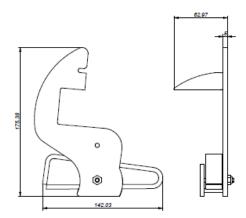
The plug 42 has been tested with the 1.5m Handrail Post and the set complies with the requirements of EN 13374.



#### **2.2.56 CLAMP VM-VM**

Fixing and stabilising element of two VM20 placed perpendicularly for horizontal or overturned formwork (up to 20°).

Replaces nails and prevents damage of the VM20.





# 3. ASSEMBLY, USE AND DISMANTLING

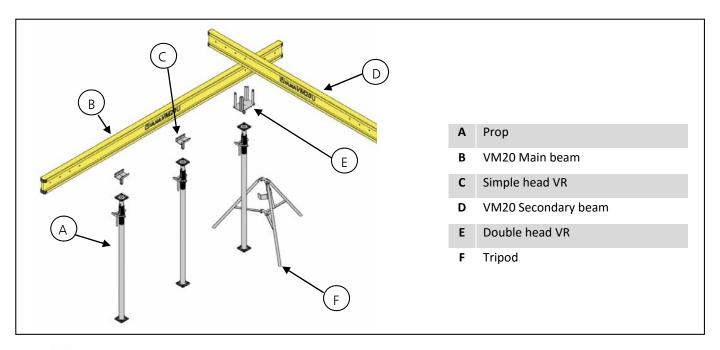
#### 3.1. BASIC ASSEMBLY

The basic assembly of the ENKOFLEX system comprises VM 20 beams forming a double arrangement, resting on double head VR and simple heads VR. The board rests on the VM 20 secondary beams.

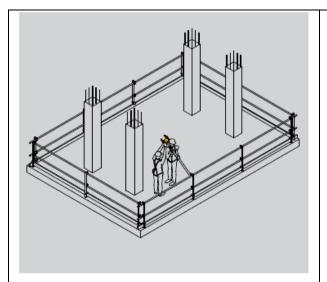
The double heads are assembled at the beginning and at the end of each main beam, on the overlaps of the VM 20 main beams.

The props that go on the double heads VR are assembled with tripods to provide the system with stability.

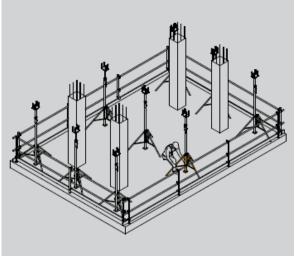




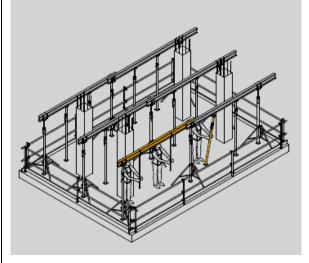




1. Insert the Head into the top part of the Prop.

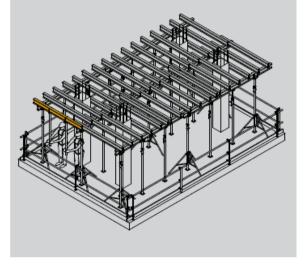


2 Make a layout of the main beams following the drawing. Position the props, stabilised by means of tripods, following these layout lines.



3. Place the main beams, propping up each one of them with two props at the ends and double heads. Stabilise them using the tripods. Place the intermediate props with the simple head.

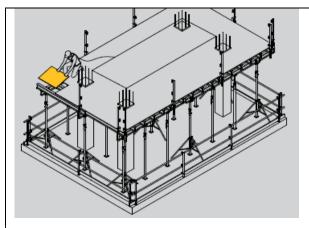
The main beams are assembled with the help of specific items, or by auxiliary equipment if these are not available.



4. Space the secondary beams at the distance indicated in the assembly drawings.

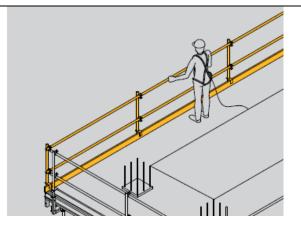
The same auxiliary equipment is used for the assembly of the secondary beams as for the main beams.





5. Place the boards in a secure manner.

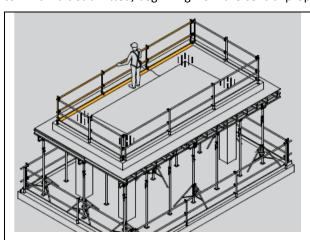
At all times the worker should remain tied from the securing shackle of the harness to the life lines installed between the columns or use auxiliary equipment.



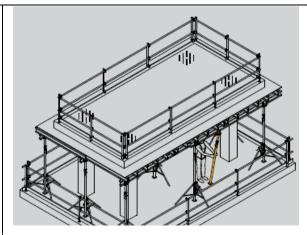
6. Close the perimeter by means of handrails and toeboards.

#### 3.2. BASIC DISMANTLING

Stripping should always be carried out from the centre of the span towards the ends. Equally, in the case of the cantilevers, stripping should begin at the end of the cantilever towards the interior. Based on the construction time scales, layout of the formwork, slab thickness and free height, the falsework should be removed when the slab is able to support the forces to which it is submitted, beginning from the central props towards the columns.



1. Remove the perimeter protection and place it on the prepared forged slab.

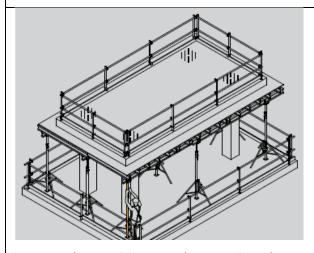


2. Then unload the intermediate props with the simple heads.

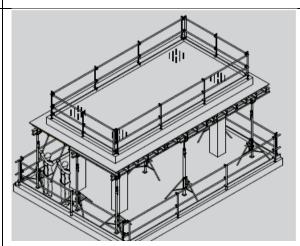
Study the stripping process to avoid overloading the props.



To remove the props, you do not need to completely remove the simple head from the prop. Loosening it and turning it sideways will suffice.

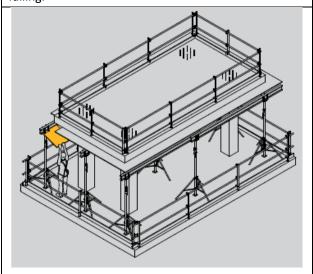


3. Loosen the remaining props by approximately 5 cm so that the main beams descend.

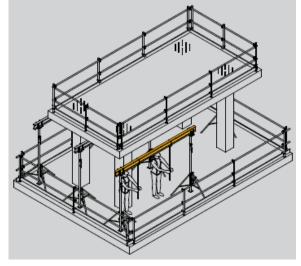


4. Lay the secondary beams over the main beams to take them out, leaving those that go in the panel connections.

Take the necessary precautions to avoid items falling.



5. Remove the panels along with the secondary beams that they are shored on.



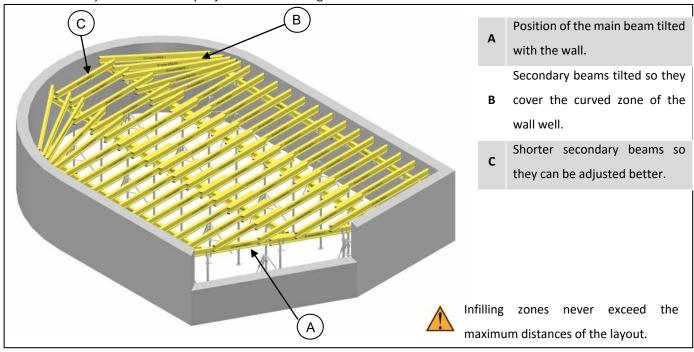
6. Finish dismantling the rest of the formwork: main beams, props, double heads and tripods.



# 4. SOLUTIONS

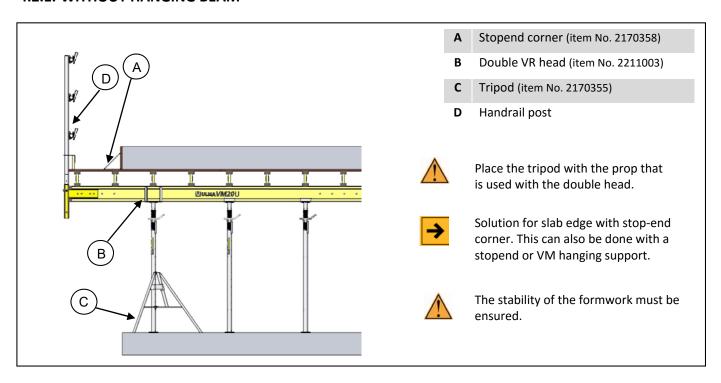
## 4.1. FLEXIBLE SYSTEM

The ENKOFLEX system can be easily adjusted to different geometries.



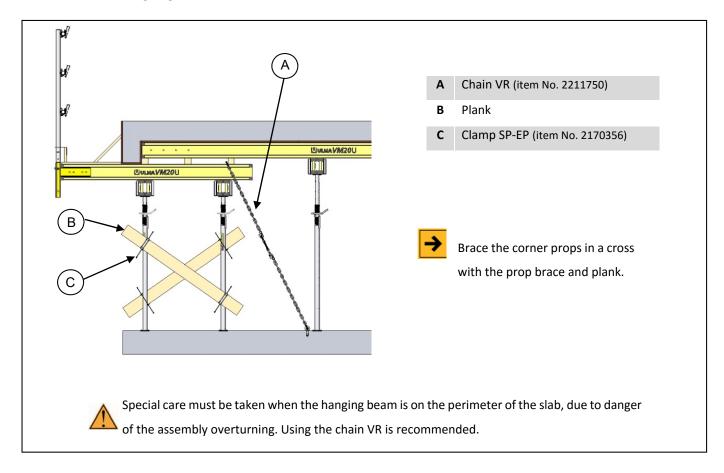
# 4.2. SLAB EDGE SOLUTIONS

## 4.2.1. WITHOUT HANGING BEAM





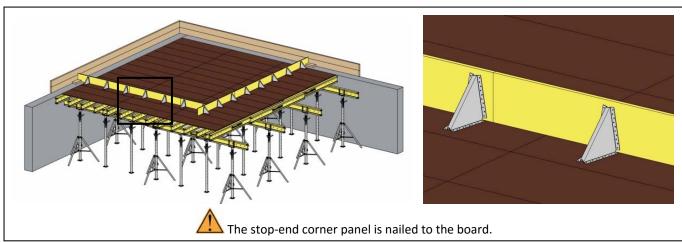
#### 4.2.2. WITH HANGING BEAM



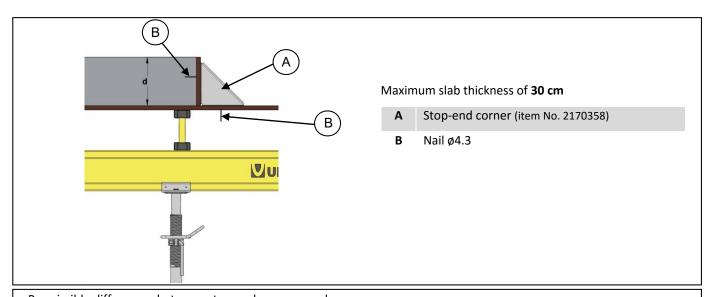
The VR chain is attached to the slab by means of a ring or bolt previously placed in the slab. It has a length of 5.2 m and a load-bearing capacity of 7.5 kN.

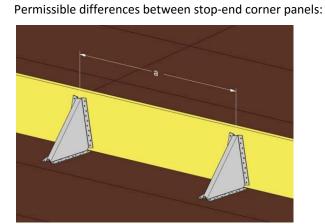
# 4.3. STOP-END SLAB SOLUTION

# 4.3.1. WITH STOP-END CORNER





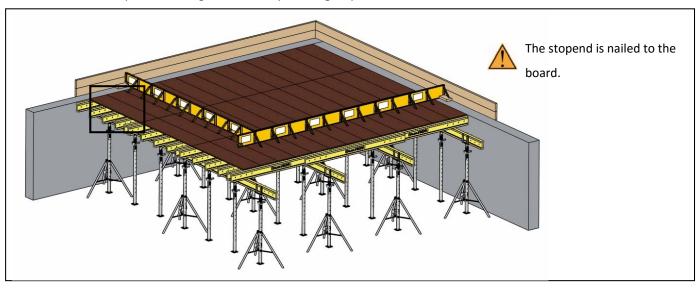




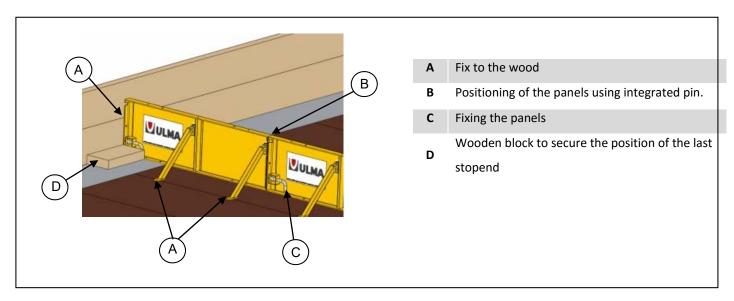
	Maximum width of influence 'a' with slab thickness [m]								
	0.2	0.25	0.3						
Four units ø4.3mm nails	2	1.8	1.6						

## 4.3.2. WITH FILLER STOPEND

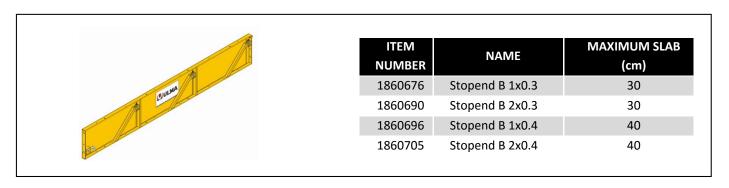
To achieve the desired slab edge length, there are different stop-end dimensions as well as the compensating stop-end. The maximum compensation length of the compensating stop-end is 1m.



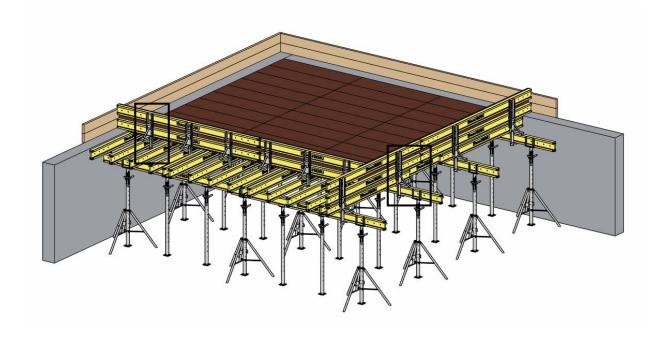




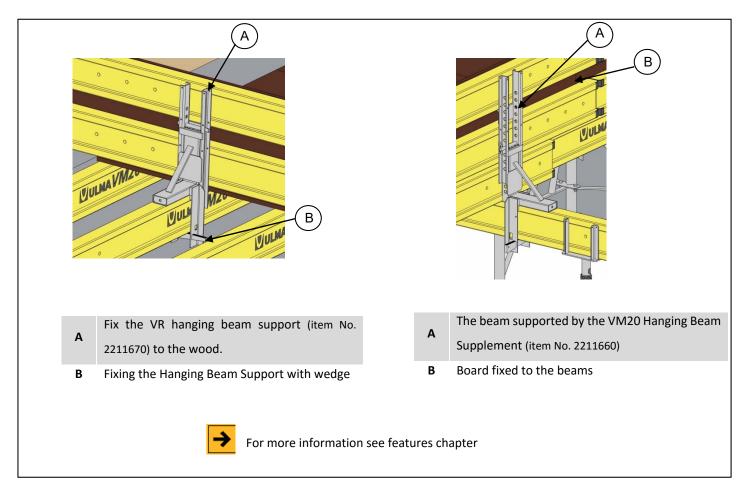
The maximum possible slab thickness is 30 to 40cm, depending on the stopend.



# 4.3.3. WITH HANGING BEAM SUPPORT

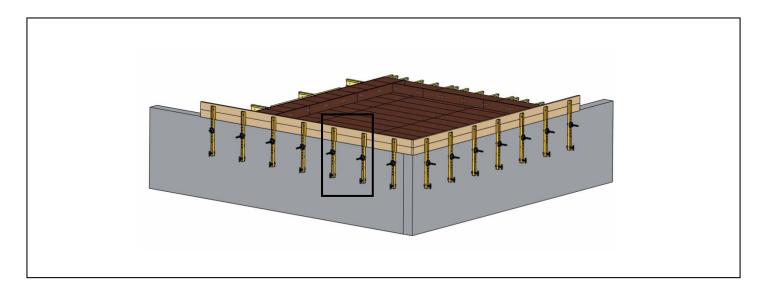




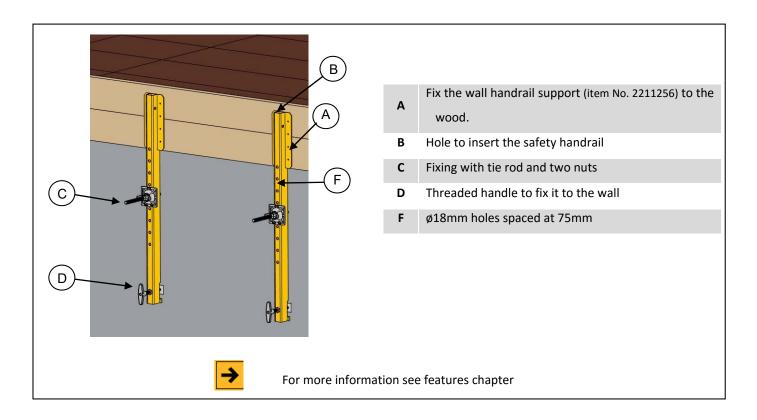


## 4.3.4. WITH WALL HANDRAIL SUPPORT

The wall handrail support is fixed to the wall, the holes that were made when the wall was concreted may be used to stopend the formwork or fix a handrail to the outermost surface of an existing wall.



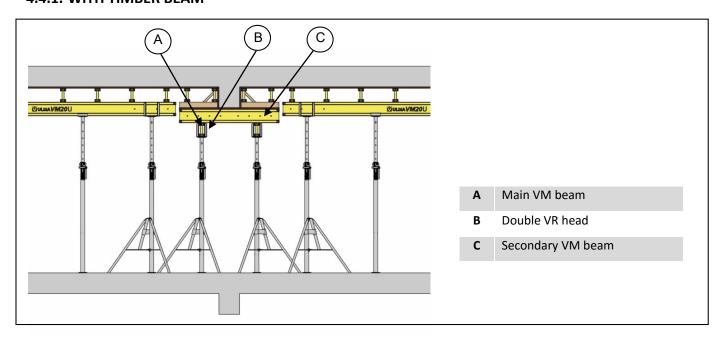




## **4.4. HANGING BEAM**

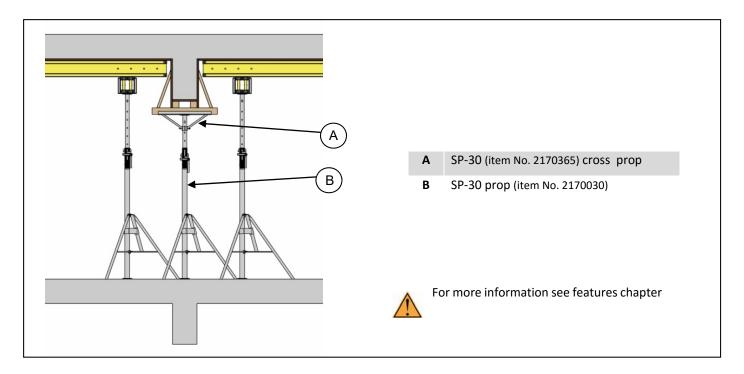
To shore the hanging beams, the main beam is placed longitudinally to the beam, and the secondary beams are supported on these.

# 4.4.1. WITH TIMBER BEAM





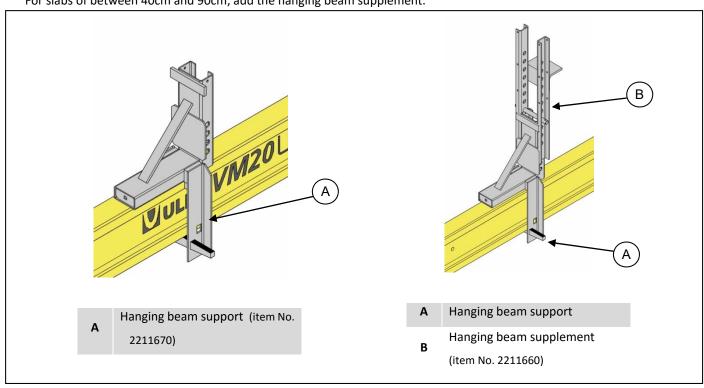
#### 4.4.2. WITH CROSS BRACE PROP



## 4.4.3. WITH HANGING BEAM SUPPORT

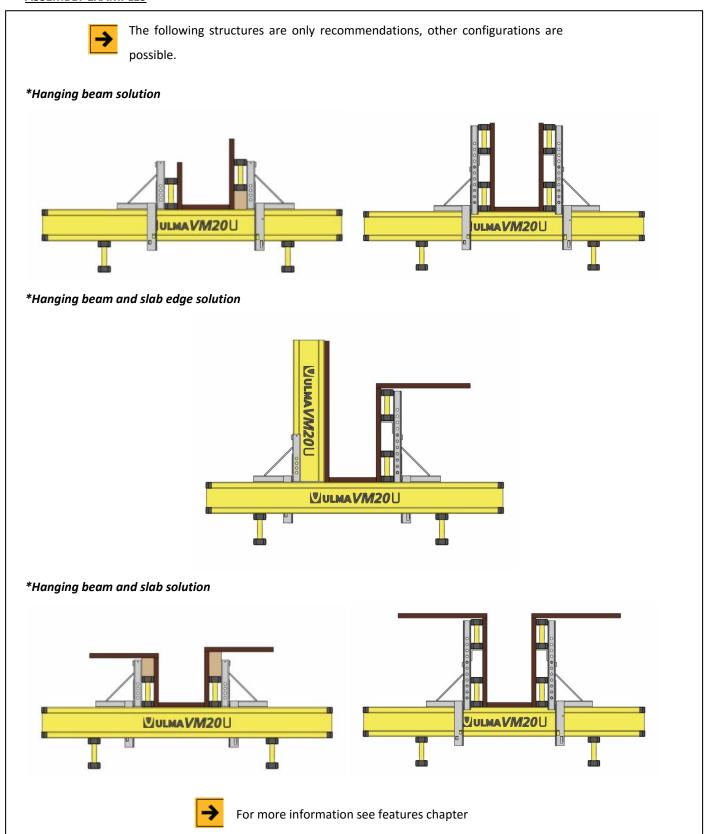
The construction of the hanging beam can be carried out with the hanging beam support for slabs of up to 40 cm. The hanging beam support is placed on the VM 20 timber beam, making it possible to stopend the sides and it is fixed with the wedge.

For slabs of between 40cm and 90cm, add the hanging beam supplement.





# **ASSEMBLY EXAMPLES**

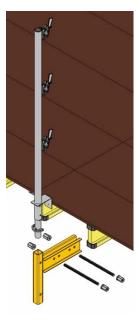




# 4.5. PERIMETER PROTECTION

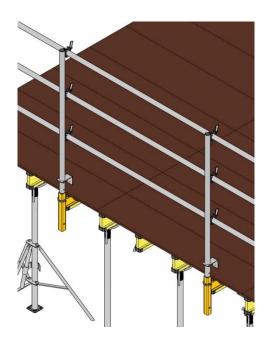
## 4.5.1. HANDRAIL SUPPORT

The handrail support acts as support for placing the front and side handrails. It can be mounted over the main beam, as well as over the secondary beam.



The handrail support is fixed with a Ø14mm pin and another cotter pin in R-3 to the timber beam. The safety handrail is inserted into the vertical tube of the support. The safety handrail, except for the clamp handrail, has an L sliding element on the bottom part for placing the toeboard.

On the other side, ledgers are used to protect the perimeter of the slab. These are horizontal elements formed by tubes or planks, and are fixed to the safety handrail by means of clamps with wedges.



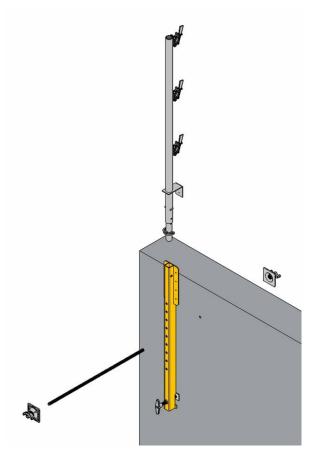


## 4.5.2. WALL HANDRAIL SUPPORT

Used for fixing a handrail to the outermost surface of an existing wall and/or to stopend the formwork.

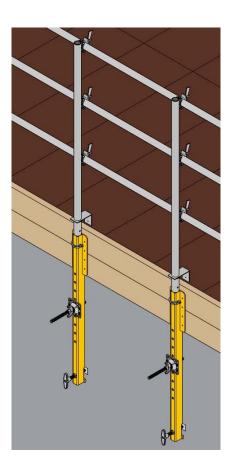
To fix this item to the wall, the tie rod hole created during the concrete placement of the wall is used. To do this, a tie rod 15 and two plate nuts are inserted into any of the ø18 mm holes spaced at every 75 mm, with the distance between the first and last hole being 600 mm.

A wooden block is used to stopend the formwork and/or toeboard and is nailed to the upper plate. Thanks to the levelling device, any type of wood can be used as long as the thickness is greater than or equal to 18 mm.



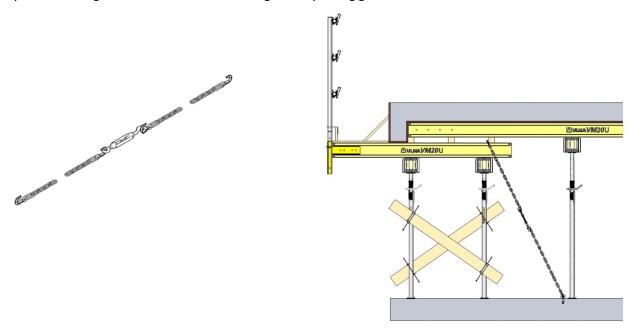
The handrail is inserted into the profile in a U shape and is fixed with a cotter pin. Any of the ULMA 1 m and 1.5m handrails can be used with both tubes and planks with the wall handrail support.





## 4.5.3. CHAIN VR

Item used to tie the ENKOFLEX system VM 20 beams (especially the cantilever beams) to the slab and so avoid the possibility of them tilting towards the exterior and being lifted by strong gusts of wind.

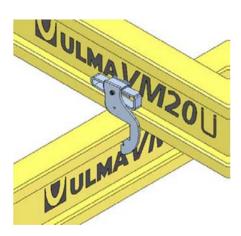


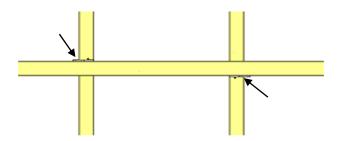
The VR chain is attached to the slab by means of a ring or bolt previously placed in the slab. It has a length of 5.2 m and a load-bearing capacity of 7.5 kN.



# 4.6 CLAMP VM-VM

Place a minimum of two CLAMP VM-VM per beam. If the superior beam rests over more than one beam, place the CLAMP VM-VM in parallel rows.





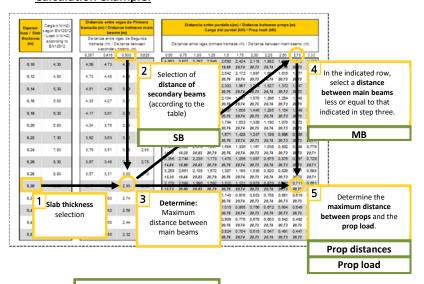


# 5. FEATURES

## **5.1. APPLICATION TABLES**

Espesor losa / Slab	Carga (kN/m2) según EN12812						Distancia entre puntales (m) / Distance between props (m) Carga del puntal (kN) / Prop load (kN)									
thickness (m)	according to EN12812	Distancia entre vigas de Segunda tramada (m) / Distance between			Distancia entre vigas primera tramada (m) / Distance between main beams (m)											
		0,357	0,416	0,500	0,625	0,50	0,75	1,00	1,25	1,5	1,75	2,00	2,25	2,50	2,75	3,00
0,10	4,30	4,99	4,73	4,31	3,86	4,662	3,807	3,297	2,949	2,692	2,424	2,118	1,882	1,691	1,538	1,407
٥,.٠	1,00	1,00	1,70	.,0.	0,00	10,69	13,60	15,92	17,91	19,69	20,74	20,73	20,74	20,73	20,73	20,71
0,12	4,80	4.73	4.48	4.08	3.65	4,413	3,603	3,120	2,791	2,542	2,172	1,897	1,686	1,515	1,377	1,261
-,	.,	.,	.,	.,	-,	11,30	14,37	16,82	18,92	20,76	20,74	20,73	20,74	20,73	20,73	20,71
0,14	5,30	4.51	4.26	3,89	3.47	4,199	3,429	2,969	2,656	2,302	1,967	1,718	1,527	1,372	1,247	1,142
٥,	5,55	.,	.,	-,	0,	11,87	15,10	17,67	19,88	20,76	20,74	20,73	20,74	20,73	20,73	20,71
0.16	5.80	4.33	4.07	3.71	3.32	4,014	3,278	2,838	2,537	2,104	1,797	1,570	1,396	1,254	1,140	1,043
0,10	0,00	1,00	1,01	0,	0,02	12,42	15,80	18,49	20,79	20,76	20,74	20,73	20,74	20,73	20,73	20,71
0.18	6.30	4.17	3.91	3.56	3.19	3,852	3,145	2,723	2,336	1,937	1,655	1,445	1,285	1,154	1,049	0,960
٥,.٥	0,00	.,	0,01	0,00	0,10	12,95	16,46	19,27	20,79	20,76	20,74	20,73	20,74	20,73	20,73	20,71
0.20	6.80	4.04	3.76	3.43	3.07	3,707	3,027	2,621	2,164	1,794	1,533	1,339	1,190	1,070	0,972	0,890
0,20	0,00	.,	0,70	0, 10	0,01	13,45	17,10	20,02	20,79	20,76	20,74	20,73	20,74	20,73	20,73	20,71
0.22	7,30	3,92	3,63	3,31	2,96	3,578	2,921	2,530	2,016	1,671	1,428	1,247	1,109	0,996	0,906	0,829
-,	***	.,.	-,	-,-	,	13,93	17,72	20,74	20,79	20,76	20,74	20,73	20,74	20,73	20,73	20,71
0.24	7.80	3.79	3,51	3,20	2.86	3,461	2,826	2,378	1,887	1,564	1,336	1,167	1,038	0,932	0,848	0,776
-,	, , ,	., .			,	14,40	18,32	20,83	20,79	20,76	20,74	20,73	20,74	20,73	20,73	20,71
0,26	8,30	3,67	3.40	3,10	2,78	3,356	2,740	2,235	1,773	1,470	1,256	1,097	0,975	0,876	0,797	0,729
.,	.,	.,.		.,	, ,	14,86	18,90	20,83	20,79	20,76	20,74	20,73	20,74	20,73	20,73	20,71
0,28	8,80	3,57	3,31	3,02	2,70	3,259	2,661	2,108	1,672	1,387	1,185	1,035	0,920	0,826	0,751	0,688
						15,30	19,46	20,83	20,79	20,76	20,74	20,73	20,74	20,73	20,73	20,71
0,30	9,30	3,47	3,22	2,93	2,62	3,170	2,588	1,995	1,582	1,312	1,121	0,979	0,870	0,782	0,711	0,651
						15,73	20,00	20,83	20,79	20,76	20,74	20,73	20,74	20,73	20,73	20,71
0,35	10,68	3,24	3,00	2,74	2,45	2,959	2,365	1,738	1,379	1,143	0,976	0,853	0,758	0,681	0,619	0,567
						16,85	20,98	20,83	20,79	20,76	20,74	20,73	20,74	20,73	20,73	20,71
0,40	12,05	3,05	2,82	2,58	2,30	2,785	2,095	1,539	1,221	1,013	0,865	0,756	0,672	0,604	0,549	0,502
						17,90	20,98	20,83	20,79	20,76	20,74	20,73	20,74	20,73	20,73	20,71
0,45	13,43	2,89	2,68	2,44	2,18	2,638	1,880	1,382	1,096	0,909	0,776	0,678	0,603	0,542	0,492	0,451
						18,90	20,98	20,83	20,79	20,76	20,74	20,73	20,74	20,73	20,73	20,71
0,50	14,80	2,75	2,55	2,32	2,08	2,513	1,706	1,253	0,994	0,824	0,704	0,615	0,547	0,491	0,447	0,409
						19,84	20,98	20,83	20,79	20,76	20,74	20,73	20,74	20,73	20,73	20,71

## **Calculation example:**



	CALCULATION EXAMPLE								
1	Slab thickness	0.30 m							
2	Board and SB	BIRCH 21 (1250x2500)							
2	selection	5 Spans → SB= 500mm (2500/5)							
3	Maximum MB	2.93m							
n	distances	2.93111							
4	Determine MB	≤2.93m> e.g.: MB=2.75m							
ŧ	distances	\$2.93111> e.g IVIB-2.73111							
	Maximum distance	Props maximum distance=0.711							
5	between props +	prop load=20.73kN							
	prop load	prop 10au-20.75kW							

SB: Secondary beam MB: Main beam



# **5.2. PROPS**

# **5.2.1. SP PROP**

	SP proj	os - working loa	ad (kN)	
Height (m)	SP-30	SP-35	SP-40	SP-50
1.75	30,00			
1.80	30,00			
1.90	30,00			
2.00	30,00	30,00		
2.10	30,00	30,00		
2.20	30,00	30,00		
2.30	30,00	30,00		
2.40	30,00	30,00		
2.50	28,00	30,00	30,00	
2.60	26,00	30,00	30,00	
2.70	24,00	30,00	30,00	
2.80	22,00	29,00	30,00	
2.90	21,00	28,00	30,00	
3.00	20,00	27,00	30,00	
3.10		26,00	30,00	
3.20		25,50	30,00	
3.30		25,00	29,00	
3.40		24,50	28,00	
3.50		24,00	27,00	
3.60			26,00	
3.70			24,50	
3.80			23,00	
3.90			21,50	26,00
4.00			20,00	26,00
4.10				26,00
4.20				26,00
4.30				26,00
4.40				26,00
4.50				25,00
4.60				24,00
4.70				23,00
4.80				22,00
4.90				21,00
5.00				20,00



# **5.2.2. EP PROP**

		EP p	rops - Workin	g load (kN) wi	th inner tube	above		
Height (m)	C25	C+D30	C+E30	C+D35	C+D40	C+E40	C+D45	C+D50
1.50	35.00							
1.60	35.00							
1.70	35.00							
1.80	35.00	35.00	35.00					
1.90	35.00	35.00	35.00					
2.00	35.00	35.00	35.00	35.00				
2.10	34.00	35.00	35.00	35.00				
2.20	31.00	35.00	35.00	35.00	35.00	35.00		
2.30	28.36	34.03	34.03	35.00	35.00	35.00		
2.40	26.04	31.25	31.25	35.00	35.00	35.00		
2.50	24.00	28.80	30.00	33.60	35.00	35.00	35.00	
2.60		26.63	30.00	31.07	35.00	35.00	35.00	
2.70		24.69	30.00	28.81	32.92	32.92	35.00	
2.80		22.96	30.00	26.79	30.61	30.61	34.44	35.00
2.90		21.40	30.00	24.97	28.58	30.00	32.10	35.00
3.00		20.00	30.00	23.33	26.67	30.00	30.00	33.33
3.10				21.85	24.97	30.00	28.10	31.22
3.20				20.00	23.44	30.00	26.37	29.30
3.30				20.00	22.04	30.00	24.79	27.55
3.40				20.00	20.76	30.00	23.36	25.95
3.50				20.00	20.00	30.00	22.04	24.49
3.60					20.00	30.00	20.83	23.25
3.70					20.00	30.00	20.00	21.91
3.80					20.00	30.00	20.00	20.78
3.90					20.00	30.00	20.00	20.00
4.00					20.00	30.00	20.00	20.00
4.10							20.00	20.00
4.20							20.00	20.00
4.30							20.00	20.00
4.40							20.00	20.00
4.50							20.00	20.00
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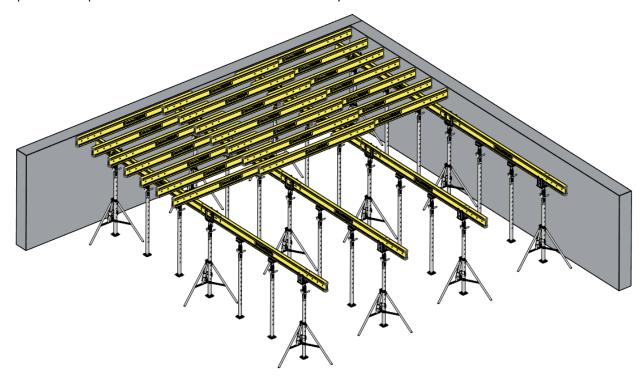
INNER TUBE ABOVE



# **5.3. STABILITY AND BRACING OF THE SYSTEM**

# **5.3.1. STABILITY DURING THE ASSEMBLY**

A tripod must be placed for each double head to ensure stability.



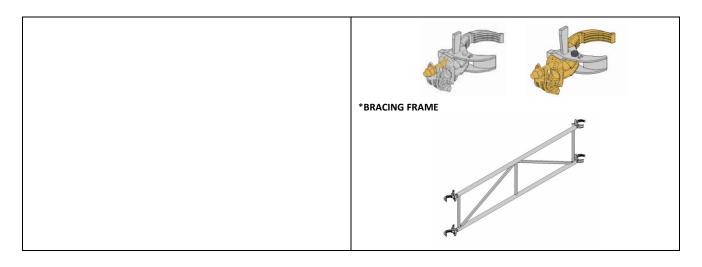
Once the boards are placed and the formwork is braced to the structure, half of the tripods may be withdrawn and placed in subsequent assemblies.

## **5.3.2. HEIGHT STABILITY**

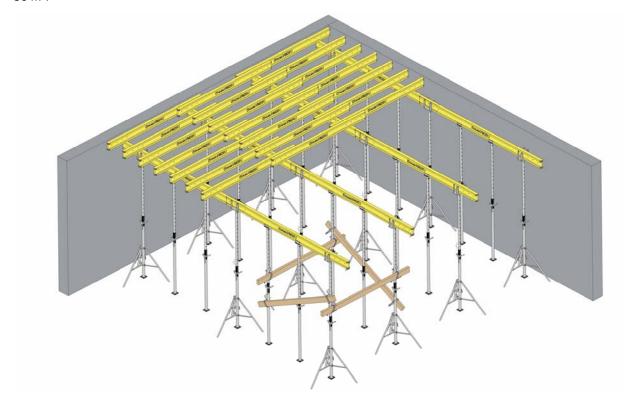
It is recommended to brace the props from 4 m. Normal, ECO, strong, EP and SP props with clamps and ALUPROP props with ALUPROP bracing.

TYPE OF PROP	TYPE OF BRACING
NORMAL PROP	A plank is required together with the clamp to perform the bracing.
ECO PROPS	* CLAMP SP-EP
STRONG PROP	
SP PROP	
EP PROP	
ALUPROP PROP	*SWIVEL or FIX BRACING HOOK: Tubes Ø48 are required together with the hooks to perform the bracing





A tower must be built with the elements abovementioned (with clamps, hooks or frames depending on each case) every 50 m².

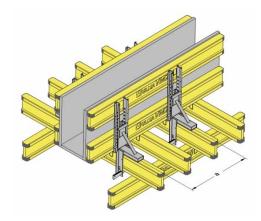


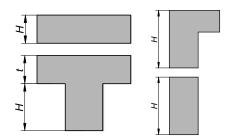


## **5.4. FEATURES OF THE MAIN ITEMS**

## **5.4.1. HANGING BEAM**

The maximum slab thickness that can be used with the hanging beam support is 40cm. For bigger slabs, up to 90cm, add the hanging beam supplement to the hanging beam.



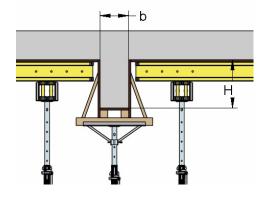


	PERMISSIBLE D	DISTANCES BETWE	EN 'a' HANGING						
		BEAMS							
	SOLID SLAB								
	OR STRAIGHT	ВЕАМ							
	BEAM								
H (cm)	Spacing (m)	Spacing (m) with t=20cm	Spacing (m) with t=30cm						
30	2.25	1.50	1.25						
35	2.00	1.25	1.00						
40	1.75	1.05	0.90						
45	1.50	0.95	0.80						
50	1.35	0.85	0.70						
55	1.30	0.75	0.60						
60	1.05	0.65	0.50						
65	0.90	0.50	0.40						
70	0.80	0.40	0.35						
75	0.60	0.30							
80	0.55								
85	0.45								
90	0.35								
$\triangle$	board, main	loes not include	checking the props, which						
	should be che	cked separately.							

## 5.4.2. CROSS PROP

Each cross prop is to use, as its name indicates, with an SP prop:

- \* Cross Prop SP-30 with Prop SP-30
- \* Cross Prop SP 35-40 with Prop SP-35 and Prop SP-40



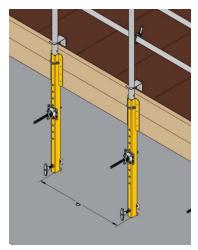
Recommended spacing distances:

- \* Maximum width (b): 0.4m
- \* Maximum Height (H): 0.8m
- \* The cross prop halves the working load of the prop.
- \* Distance between cross braces: 1.2m (check loads of beams and props).



# **5.4.3. WALL HANDRAIL SUPPORT**

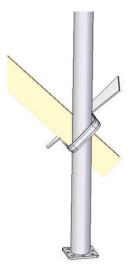
The following table defines the maximum distance (m) between the supports based on slab thickness (m) (if used as formwork stopend) and the type of handrail used.



			Maximum distance 'd' between standards (m) based on slab height (m)									
		0	0.15	0.2	0.25	0.3	0.35	0.4	0.45	0.5	0.55	0.6
2211156	HANDRAIL POST 1.5	3.30	3.30	3.30	3.30	3.30	3.20	2.80	2.40	2.00	1.70	1.50
2211185	HANDRAIL POST 1.5 WOOD	2.30	2.30	2.20	2.10	1.90	1.80	1.60	1.50	1.30	1.20	1.10
1860516	SAFETY HANDRAIL S-V	3.30	3.30	3.30	3.30	3.30	3.30	3.20	2.70	2.30	1.90	1.60
1902210	SAFETY HANDRAIL POST	2.30	2.30	2.30	2.30	2.30	2.30	2.20	1.90	1.70	1.50	1.30
	WITHOUT HANDRAIL	3.50	3.50	3.50	3.50	3.50	3.50	3.50	3.50	3.10	2.50	2.10

## 5.4.4. CLAMP SP-EP

The clamp SP-EP is wedged in the prop assembly plus plank. The maximum dimensions of the plank can be a width of 120mm and thickness of 60mm.





## 6. CONDITIONS OF USE

## **6.1. GENERAL SAFETY ADVICES**

- It is recommended to strictly follow the instructions of the project plan.
- The general instructions of the manufacturer must be followed.
- Internal safety standards must be fulfilled.

# 6.1.1. Personal and collective protective equipment

- The personal protective equipments should comprise at least protective helmet, safety footwear, protective gloves and tool holder belt.
   Additionally, it is useful to incorporate an anti-fall harness with lifeline.
- If necessary, goggles or protective masks, hearing protection, breathing masks, reflective jackets and any other required item to fulfil the health and safety guidelines on the building site should be used.
- The safety handrail, the mobile tower, the nets under formwork and the perimeter scaffolding are means of collective protection equipment.

## 6.1.2. General aspects

- Openings shall be protected by covers, handrails, nets or mesh to prevent falls from different level.
- Statutory handrails are provided with the lateral formwork or perimeter scaffolding.
- Toe Boards are used with the handrails fulfilling with the laws of each country.
- Check the formwork parts and safety items. Replace them whenever necessary. Check:

- That the parts have no dents which have diminished their section.
- That they are not bent.
- That their fixings are correctly working and efficient.
- For wood or plastic parts the following is to confirm:
  - That there are no dents, cracks or knot holes which might diminish their strength.
  - That they are correctly fixed to their supports.
  - Replace them whenever necessary.
- To access the formwork, statutory ladders, mobile towers or pedestrian bridges shall be used.
- Working on mobile scaffolding towers only when brakes put on. Do not move the towers while the worker is still standing on it.
- For the assembly and dismantling of the perimeter formwork, strictly obey the specific procedures.
- The working area is to be kept clean and tidy at all times. Leave the material organised and stacked. Do no leave the material untidily lying about on the formwork or on the ground.
- Do not leave any part half-assembled or halfdismantled.
- Once assembled, brace the structure correctly.
- Working with wind speeds of more than 60 km/h is strictly forbidden.
- If the building site is located nearby high voltage power lines, it is recommended to work without power supply. If this is not possible, the appropriate measures according to the respective reference standard should be taken.
- The statutory auxiliary equipment for lifting has to be appropriate to bear the loads to lift and must be checked before each use and discardit, if it is not working properly.



- Use adequate anchors for lifting as well as certified slings and lifting hooks.
- Slings attached to the material are to be fastened properly during shipment.
- No crossing below suspended loads, not even in the machinery working areas.
- Demarcate and prevent pedestrian traffic below the working areas.
- Under the circumstances that the crane operator has
  no visual control of the entire trajectory of the load,
  the crane operations are guided by a signaller who is
  communicating with the crane operator by means of
  a previously agreed sign code.
- Use of tool holder belt with pockets for small parts.
- Provide the team with mechanical means for lifting.
- Walk on marked areas only.
- Train manual handling of loads.
- Once the erection is finished, the formwork assembly shall be checked.

# 6.1.3. Handling and maintenance conditions

- A safe erection of assembly is assured by using mobile towers, nets under formwork or lifelines.
- The Props shall be used correctly, i.e. respecting their load limits, plumbing them to the ground and with stable support.
- For the installation of the handrail, it is necessary to place the handrail support.
- In perimeter areas, the part which prevent from overturning, Chain VR, must be placed.
- To assure a proper assembly is necessary to check between uses the cleanness of plywood sides and contact areas.

 The plywood surface is cleaned after each use with a cloth or a brush coated with some release agent.
 Wire brushs are not suitable for cleaning as they are damaging the fenolic film on the plywood.



The formwork parts should not be thrown down to the ground during their assembly, handling and dismantling in order to avoid damages.



## 6.1.4. Concrete pouring

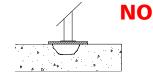
- Before pouring, the following must be checked:
  - The proper support of end plate of the prop on resistant and flat surfaces.
  - The correct formwork erection according to the approved layout.
  - Formwork levelling.
  - The shuttering face is impregnated with release agent.
  - Eventually, Plastic Handrail Supports are placed along the perimeter of the freshly poured slab to later place the handrail post onto the slab.
- During vibration, the vibrator must not get in contact with the formwork, otherwise the calculated loads and live loads for the slab might be exceeded.
- Avoid improper material stocks as well as accumulations and abrupt concrete pouring.
- It is recommended to pour in layers in cases in which the maximum permissible thickness for the used grid might get exceeded.
- The sudden emptying of the concreting bucket on the formwork is to be avoided. Pouring has to be done from heights which do not cause strong shaking of the formwork.
- The stripping is done when the concrete strength is sufficiently high.
- Before starting any dismantling operation, the state of the formwork has to be checked.

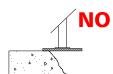


# 6.1.5. Safety instructions



The Prop support must be horizontal, on a plane surface and with a stable base.

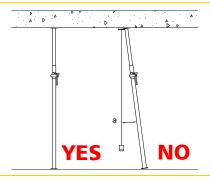






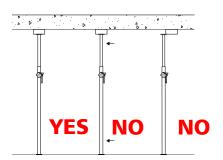


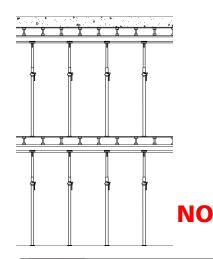
The Prop must be plumbed.





The load acting on the Prop is vertical and centred. No horizontal loads act on the Prop.







Do not dismantle the Prop nor replace Prop parts by others strange to the product.



The Props must be used between support and load. Do not put a Prop directly on top of another, as it might cause the collapse of the structure due to effective loss of load bearing

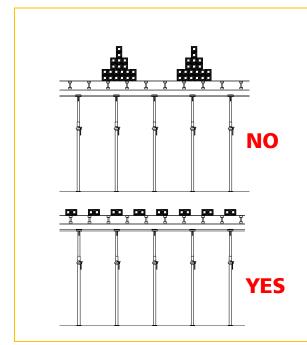
Additional to this safety notices, it is advised to take preventive measures such as:

- Do not use damaged Props, with torn holes or weldings, nor with signs of deep corrosion.
- Do not overlap nor add or weld strange parts to the Prop to extend it.



Do not hit the Prop base to strip the formwork.



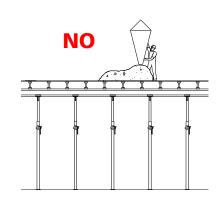


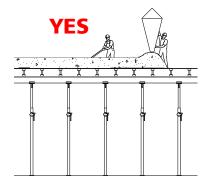


Do not stock material on the formwork, not even temporarily. Always assure a uniform load distribution.



Do not leave objects fall on, nor jump on the formwork plywood.







Pour the concrete in layers or steps with uniform thickness and vibrate it continuously, thus avoiding concrete accumulations.



## 7. LEGAL REFERENCES

- Council Directive 89/391/EEC of 12 June 1989 on the introduction of measures to encourage improvements in workers' occupational health and safety.
- Council Directive 89/654/EEC of 30 November 1989 on the minimum safety and health requirements for the workplace.
- Council Directive 89/656/EEC of 30 November 1989 on the minimum occupational health and safety requirements for workers' use of personal protective equipment in the workplace.
- Council Directive 90/269/EEC of 29 May 1990 on the minimum occupational health and safety requirements for the manual handling of loads where there is a risk, particularly of back injury, to workers.
- Council Directive 92/57/EEC of 24 June 1992 on the implementation of minimum health and safety requirements at temporary or mobile construction sites.
- Council Directive 92/58/EEC of 24 June 1992 on the minimum requirements for the provision of health and safety signs at work.
- Directive 89/655/EEC Directive 95/63/EC Directive 2001/45/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 27 June 2001 amending the Council Directive 89/655/EEC concerning the minimum health and safety requirements for the use of work equipment by workers at work.
- **Directive 2002/44/EC** of the European Parliament and of the Council of 25 June 2002 on the minimum occupational health and safety requirements regarding the exposure of workers to the risks arising from physical agents (vibration).
- **Directive 2003/10/EC** of the European Parliament and of the Council of 06 February 2003 on the minimum occupational health and safety requirements regarding the exposure of workers to the risks arising from physical agents (vibration).
- **Directive 2006/42/EC** of the European Parliament and of the Council of 17 May 2006 on machinery, and amending Directive 95/16/EC (revision).

#### Standards:

- EN 13374:2004 Temporary edge protection systems. Product specifications, test methods.
- EN 1065 adjustable steel telescopic props. Product specifications, design and evaluation by calculations and tests.
- EN 12812 Falsework. Performance requirements and general design.
- EN 13377\_Prefabricated wooden joists for formwork. Requirements, classification and evaluation.





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