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Bolting Category	Strength Grade	Minimum Tensile Strength (MPa)	Minimum Yield Strength (MPa)	Name	Australian Standard	Method of Tensioning Remarks
4.6/S	4.6	400	240	Commercial	AS 1111	Use <b>S</b> nug tightened. Least costly and most commonly available 4.6 Grade bolt.
8.8/S	8.8	830	660	High Strength Structural	AS 1252	Bolts used are <b>S</b> nug tightened. The high strength structural has a large bolt head and nut because it is designed to withstand full tensioning (see 8.8T category description). However, it can also be used in a snug tight condition.
8.8/TF	8.8	830	660	High Strength Structural Bolt – Fully <b>T</b> ensioned <b>F</b> riction Type Joint	AS 1252	In both applications bolts are fully <b>T</b> ensioned to the requirements of AS4100. Cost of tension- ing is an important con- sideration in the use of these bolting categories.
8.8/TB	8.8	830	660	High Strength Structural Bolt – Fully Tensioned Bearing Type Joint		

Table 26 Bolt Types and Bolting Categories



## Table 27 Design Shear and Tension Capacities – Strength Limit State Commercial Bolts 4.6/S Bolting Category (f<sub>uf</sub> = 400 MPa)

Grade 4.6

		Shear Values	(Single Shear)		
Bolt Size	Axial Tension ø N <sub>tf</sub>	Axial         Threads included           Tension         in Shear Plane – N           ø N <sub>tf</sub> ø V <sub>fn</sub>			
	kN	kN	kN		
M12	27.0	15.1	22.4		
M16	50.2	28.6	39.9		
M20	78.4	44.6	62.3		
M24	113	64.3	89.7		
M30	180	103	140		
M36	261	151	202		
	a - 0.8	Ø =	0.8		
	Ø = 0.8	4.6N/S	4.6X/S		

#### NOTE 1.

Bearing/Plate Tearout Design Capacity. For all reasonable combinations of ply thickness, bolt diameter and end distance, the design capacity for a ply in bearing ( $\partial V_b$ ) exceeds both  $\partial V_{fn}$  and  $\partial V_{fx}$ .

# Table 28 Design Shear and Tension Capacities – Strength Limit State High Strength Structural Bolts 8.8/S 8.8/TB 8.8/TF Bolting Categories (fur = 400 MPa) Grade 8.8

	Single Shear Plate Tearout								Bearing									
Bolt Size	Axial Tension	Threads included in Shear Plane	Threads excluded from Shear Plane		${\it {\it gV}}_b$ for $t_p$ & $a_e$ of:								ØV <sub>b</sub> for t <sub>p</sub> f					
	øN <sub>tf</sub>	øV <sub>fn</sub>	øV <sub>fx</sub>	t	p =	6	t	t <sub>p</sub> = 8		t <sub>p</sub> = 10		t <sub>p</sub> = 12		2	6	0	10	
	kN	kN	kN	35	40	45	35	40	45	35	40	45	35	40	45	0	0	10
M16	104	59.3	82.7													113	151	189
M20	163	92.6	129	79	89	100	103	118	133	129	148	166	155	177	199	142	189	236
M24	234	133	186													170	227	283
M30	373	214	291													213	283	354
					$a_e < a_{emin} = 1.5 d_f$													
	a _ 0.9	Ø =	0.8		ø = 0.9						ø = 0.9							
	v = 0.0	8.8N/S	8.8X/S					f <sub>up</sub>	= 4	10 M	IPa					f <sub>up</sub> =410MPa		

Table 29	Reduction	factor for	lap c	connections	(k <sub>r</sub> )
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Length	L <sub>j</sub> < 300	$300 \leq L_j \leq 1300$	L <sub>j</sub> > 1300
k <sub>r</sub>	1.0	1.075 – L <sub>j</sub> /4000	0.75

 $L_i$  = length of a bolted lap splice connection.

## Table 30 Minimum bolt tension at installation

Nominal Diameter of Bolt	Minimum Bolt Tension kN
M16	95
M20	145
M24	210
M30	335
M36	490

NOTE: The minimum bolt tensions given in this Table are approximately equivalent to the minimum proof loads given in AS 1252.

### Table 31 Summary of Slip Factors

Surface Treatment	Average Slip Factor
Uncoated	
Clean as-rolled	0.35
Flame cleaned	0.48
Abrasive blasted	0.53
Painted	
Red oxide zinc chromate	0.11
Inorganic zinc silicate	0.50
Hot-dip Galvanised	
Clean as-galvanised	0.18
Lightly abrasive blasted	0.30-0.40

Bolt	Bolt Tension	Design Capacity in Shear (øV <sub>sf</sub> ) for						
Size	at Installation	k <sub>h</sub> = 1	k <sub>h</sub> = 0.85	k <sub>h</sub> = 0.7				
	kN	kN	kN	kN				
M16	95	23.3	19.8	16.3				
M20	145	35.5	30.2	24.9				
M24	210	51.5	43.7	36.0				
M30	335	82.1	69.8	57.5				

Grade 8.8



Table 33aMinimum Pitchbetween Centres of FastenerHoles (Clause 9.6.1 of AS 4100-1990)

Bolt size	Minimum distance between centres of fastener holes mm
M12	30
M16	40
M20	50
M24	60
M30	75
M36	90

NOTE: The edge distance may also be affected by Clause 9.3.2.4 of AS 4100-1990 **Table 33b** Minimum Edge Distance (Clause9.6.2 of AS 4100-1990)

Bolt Size	Sheared or Hand Flame Cut Edge (mm)	Rolled Plate; Machine Flame Cut Sawn or Planed Edge (mm)	Rolled Edge of a Rolled Section (mm)			
M12	21	18	15			
M16	28	24	20			
M20	35	30	25			
M24	42	36	30			
M30	53	45	38			
M36	63	54	45			

NOTE: The edge distance may also be affected by Clause 9.3.2.4 of AS 4100-1990

## Blacks High Strength Structural Bolts

Property Class 8.8 Thread ISO Metric Coarse Pitch Series Dimensions to AS 1252



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#### Table 34

	Bolt Dimensions										Nut Dimensions				
Size D	Pitch of Thread	Body Dia. D1		Width Across Flats s		Width Across Corners e	Head Thickness k		Width Across Flats s		Thickness m				
		Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.			
M16	2.0	16.70	15.30	27	26.16	29.56	10.75	9.25	27	26.16	17.1	16.0			
M20	2.5	20.84	19.16	32	31.00	35.03	13.90	12.10	32	31.00	21.3	20.0			
M24	3.0	24.84	23.16	41	40.00	45.20	15.90	14.10	41	40.00	25.3	24.0			
M30	3.5	30.84	29.16	50	49.00	55.37	19.75	17.65	50	49.00	31.3	30.0			
M36	4.0	37.00	35.00	60	58.80	66.44	23.55	21.45	60	58.80	37.6	36.0			

All dimensions in millimetres.