



# Multiconductor Technical Catalog



**TransTech**  
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Engineering & Manufacturing Systems that Power Moving Machines

# TransTech Multiconductor

A power transfer system for virtually any application with moving parts or machinery. As an enclosed, insulated conductor bar system the TransTech Multiconductor is not only safe, reliable and compact, but highly versatile and customizable.



## **A TransTech Multiconductor System is composed of the following basic components:**

- Housing - contains the copper conductors and collector trolley(s)
- Continuous Copper Conductors - transfers power from the feed box to the collector trolley(s)
- Hangers, Joints and Brackets - used to connect and install system components.
- Feed Box - Safely encases the terminal wire connectors.
- Collector Trolley - collects and transfers power from the copper conductors to the moving parts or machinery
- Towing Arm - attaches to moving parts or machinery and tows the collector trolley(s)

All of the basic components can be customized to fit the needs of the application. Additional parts, such as sealing strip, transfer guides, curved housing, data transfer conductors, internal heating, epoxy and stainless steel hardware options allow further versatility.

## **The TransTech Multiconductor system is commonly utilized in the listed applications. However, the possibilities are endless.**

- Automated feeding machines
- Cranes
- Concrete skippers
- Hangar Doors
- Observation towers
- Shooting ranges
- Warehouse equipment
- Window cleaning

### **Maximum Power Transmission**

Spring pressured trolley brushes are in constant contact with copper conductors inside of PVC Housing, maximizing positive contact and power transmission. Continuous copper conductors circumvent problematic joints and result in minimum voltage drop.

### **High Current Capacity & High Travel Speed**

Up to 7 copper conductors can be used inside the housing, allowing a standard of up to 320 amps. The collector trolleys can travel at a standard of 100 meters per minute, 250 meters per minute when utilizing ball bearing wheels.

### **Optimum Transmission of Control & Data Signals**

Continuous copper conductors combined with constant contact between carbon brushes and copper achieves optimum transmission of Control and Data signals. Multiconductor is perfect for these types of applications, such as automated/computerized warehouse systems (ASRS). For positioning of moveable apparatus such as skippers and travel cars, Multiconductor can be fitted with a special pulse strip and detectors. With an additional PLC application, Multiconductor achieves a fully automated transport system.

### **Easy Installation & Low Maintenance**

Multiconductor's lightweight PVC housing and installation tools make installation fast and simple. The housing requires no maintenance and the continuous copper conductors have no joints, so brush wear is minimal. Its compact design allows it be installed for applications with minimal space availability.

### **Unlimited Track Lengths**

Multiconductor is able to suit both short and extremely long applications. For long applications it utilizes expansion joints which incorporate the continuous copper conductors. Multiconductor can also be curved to meet application needs.

### **Indoor & Outdoor Installation**

Multiconductor is adaptable to various environments and ambient temperatures. It can be installed both indoors and outdoors. Expansion due to temperature change is accommodated without affecting system operation.

### **Degree of Safety Protection IP44**

TransTech Multiconductor with sealing strips meets the IP44 degree of protection, without sealing strip it meets IP23. Multiconductor is approved in various countries by Inspection Authorities, such as UL, SEV, and CSA. The PVC housing is self-extinguishing and is a conspicuous red color to ensure personnel safety. For added safety, hand-safe housing is also available.



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# Housing:

## Numerous Possibilities and Variations

The conductor housing is available in various models, as indicated in the summary listed below. These variations allow optimal customization to meet application needs. Most of the conductor models can be provided with flexible rubber sealing strips; model AS7 (see page 2). Protection class of all conductor housing is IP23. The housing with rubber sealing strip AS7 is protection class IP44. Standard length is 4 meters with smaller lengths available by special request. With use of PVC, housing lengths can easily be custom cut at installation.

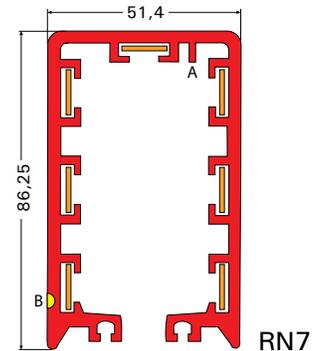
### Standard Performance:

#### Type RN7

Color: signal red

Temperature range as of -30 °C up to +60 °C.

The anti-reverse rib (A) in the housing ensures the collector trolley can be installed in only one direction in order to prevent cross phasing. A continuous yellow stripe (B) on one side of the housing ensures correct fitting of the system. The PVC with a high impact strength is self extinguishing.

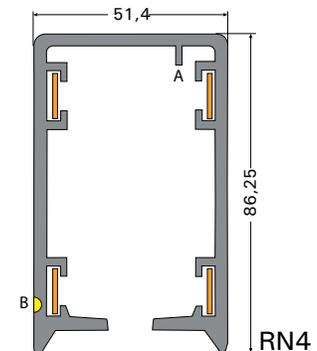


#### Type RN4

Color: grey

Temperature range as of -30 °C up to +60 °C.

With 4 conductor slots to accommodate 4 copper conductors. The anti-reverse rib (A) in the housing ensures that the collector trolley can only be installed in one direction and prevents cross phasing. A continuous yellow stripe (B) on one side of the housing ensures correct fitting of the system.

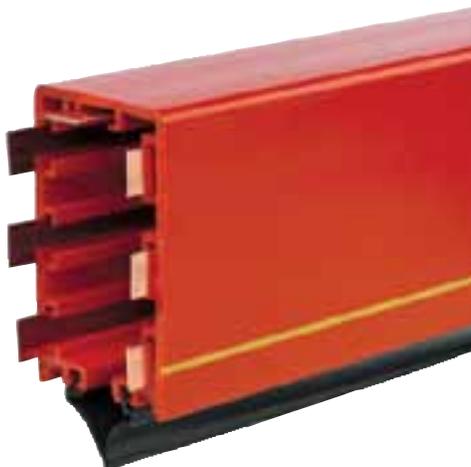
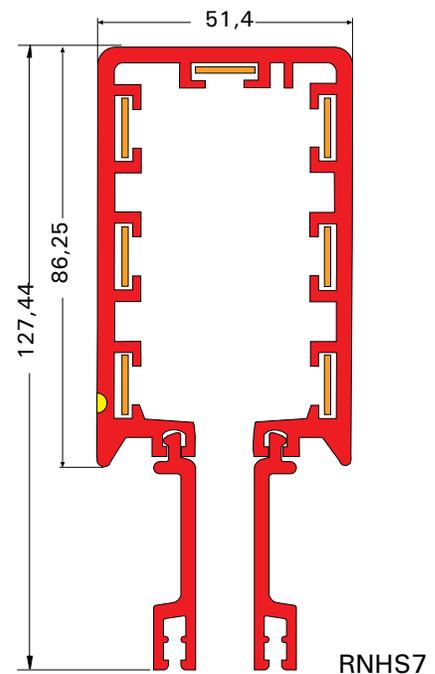


#### Type RNHS7

Color: signal red

Temperature range as of -30 °C up to +60 °C.

Due to the spacer strips on the bottom of the housing, this model is well suited for installations positioned at a low level. The spacer strips also act as a safety precaution by preventing hand access to the inside of the housing. Handsafe RNHS7 is protection class IP44.



# Housing:

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## Type RN7W

Color: white. Dimensions same as type RN7.  
 Temperature range as of -30 °C up to +60 °C.

When radiant heat is applicable, such as in green houses, a white conductor housing is advised.

## Type RNV7 (Vicat)

Color: grey white. Dimensions same as type RN7.  
 Temperature range as of -20 °C up to +80 °C.

When extreme low or high environment temperatures RNV7 housing is advised.

| Technical data of housings                      |                             |                                |              |
|---|-----------------------------|--------------------------------|--------------|
| Material  |                             | Electrical Data                |              |
| Unplasticized Hard-PVC with approximate values: |                             |                                |              |
| Notch shock strength                            | 5-10 kJ/m <sup>2</sup>      | Volume resistivity with 100 V  | >4.1015 Ω/cm |
| E-modulus                                       | 2500-3000 N/mm <sup>2</sup> | Dielectric strength with 50 Hz | >30 kV/mm    |
| Softening point (Vicat)                         | 81-83 °C                    | Flame class UL94               | VO           |
| Linear expansion                                | 70.10-6 m/m/°C              | Length of housing 4 m standard |              |

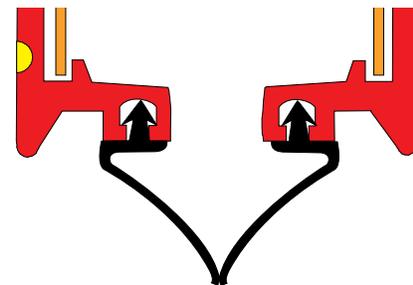
## Flexible Sealing Strips

### Type AS7 Chloroprene

Color: black.

This is used to ensure the suitability of a Multiconductor installation for application in a **dusty, humid**, or even **corrosive** atmosphere. Corrosion of copper conductors is nearly always prevented. This sealing is recommended for all outdoor installations and specific industries, such as, **concrete brick-works, coal storage and transshipment, dairies, galvanizing plants, textile production, paper processing plants**, etc.

Housing type RN(HS)7 **with AS7** meets protection degree **IP44** and is permitted to be mounted on every desired height.



AS7

| TransTech No. | Description  | Red   | White | 4 Meter Section | Linear 10-6 M/M/°C | Min. Temp. °C | Max. Temp. °C | HS, Extra Protection | Combine With Transfer Guides | Combined With Curves |
|---------------|--|-------|-------|-----------------|--------------------|---------------|---------------|----------------------|------------------------------|----------------------|
| A1001050      | PVC housing, red                                     | RN7   | x     | x               | 70                 | -30           | 60            |                      | x                            | x                    |
| A1000940      | PVC housing, white                                   | RN7W  |       | x               | 70                 | -30           | 60            |                      | x                            | x                    |
| A1001360      | HS, Extra Protection Extension                       | RNHS7 | x     | x               | 70                 | -30           | 60            | x                    | x                            | x                    |
| A1001960      | PVC housing VICAT                                    | RNV7  |       | x               | 70                 | -20           | 80            |                      | x                            | x                    |
| A1004000      | Chloroprene Sealing Strip – per meter (double sided) | AS7   |       |                 |                    | -30           | 80            |                      |                              |                      |

# Conductors:

## Uninterrupted Feed At All Times

Each Multiconductor installation is supplied with joint-free flat copper conductors, rolled on and based on track length. Copper strips are available for current intensities of 50, 80, 125, and 160A (D.C. 80%). Material: electrolytic copper.

When 2 strips are parallel connected for each of the 3 phases of a three-phase system, current intensities of 250A (2x125) and 320A (2x160) are possible. The 7th conductor is utilized as ground supply.

## Special Material Conductors

Silver-plated copper conductors are advantageous for data transfer. These are available for use in the Multiconductor system.

## Installation of the Copper Conductors

After the installation of the housings, the copper conductors can easily be drawn into the PVC channels by means of the copper pulling block and cassette. A copper straightener tool should be ordered for conductors CU125 and CU160. This is designed to reduce resistance on very long installations.

## Arrangement of the Copper Conductors

The RN7 housings and the four different copper conductors offer a vast array of possible combinations.

## Voltage Drop In Copper Conductors

By virtue of the continuous conductor, voltage drop in the system is kept to an absolute and constant minimum. With a power factor (cos.  $\psi$ ) of  $< 1$  the figures mentioned in the above table have to be changed accordingly, e.g. with  $\cos \psi = 0.85$  the Voltage drop figures have to be multiplied by 0.85.

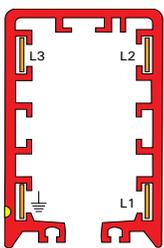
For high temperature applications, the resistance and Volt drop increases. Solution: use the next size copper conductors.

Volt drop in V/meter Multiconductor/A nominal current,  $\cos \varphi = 1, +20 \text{ }^\circ\text{C ambient}$

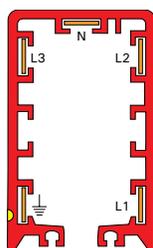
| Copper Conductor | 3 phase ~ | 1 phase ~<br>en = | When utilizing 2 copper conductors in parallel, the volt drop values in the table will be halved. Impedance data can be supplied on request. |
|------------------|-----------|-------------------|--|
| CU50             | 0.00339   | 0.00391           |  |
| CU80             | 0.00217   | 0.00251           |  |
| CU 125           | 0.00119   | 0.00138           |  |
| CU 160           | 0.00092   | 0.00106           |  |

with + 35 °C multiply by 1.079;  
with + 45 °C multiply by 1.118;  
with + 55 °C multiply by 1.157.

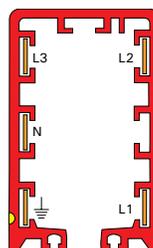
Please see examples below. ATTENTION: the ground conductor is always located at the yellow marker strip.



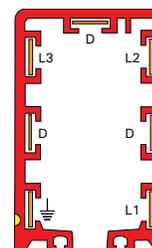
Standard 4-pole



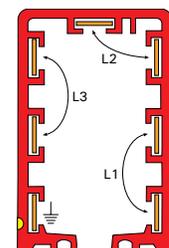
Standard 5-pole



5-pole, for installations with curves



3 phase + ground & 3 conductors  
D for control & data



Per phase 2 conductors in parallel + ground

| TransTech No. | Description                |         | Max In (A) (ID = 80%) | Dimension mm (b x d) | Linear exp. K-6 10-6 m/m/°C | DC resistance $\Omega/m$ | Specific Conductance ( $\rho$ ) Sm/mm <sup>2</sup> | Max. length track part                        |  |
|---------------|----------------------------|---------|-----------------------|----------------------|-----------------------------|--------------------------|--|---|--|
|               |                            |         |                       |                      |                             |                          |  | $\Delta t \text{ } 25 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ | $\Delta t > 25 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ |
| A1002560      | Copper conductor 50A       | CU50    | 50                    | 12.6 x 0.7           | 17.00                       | 0.001984127              | 58   | 525   | 525                                    |
| A1002640      | Copper conductor 80A       | CU80    | 80                    | 12.5 x 1.1           | 17.00                       | 0.001272727              | 58   | 325   | 325                                    |
| A1002720      | Copper conductor 125A      | CU125   | 125                   | 12.5 x 2.0           | 17.00                       | 0.0007                   | 58   | 200   | 200                                    |
| A1002870      | Copper conductor 160A      | CU160/7 | 160                   | 12.5 x 2.6           | 17.00                       | 0.000538462              | 58   | 150   | 150                                    |
| A1003370      | Copper conductor silv. 50A | CU50/AG | 50                    | 12.6 x 0.7           | 17.00                       | 0.001984127              | 58   | 525   | 525                                    |

# Hangers & Fixed Point Clamps

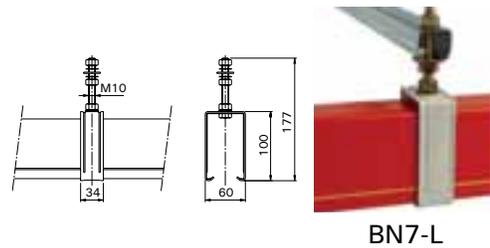
## Free Expansion at All Times

The principle of the TransTech Multiconductor system is based on the free expansion of the PVC housing and the internal conductors. The conductor housing is therefore suspended in sliding hangers in which the conductors can slide continuously upon changes in expansion. The conductors are fixed near the feed point by means of a fixed point clamp which is connected during installation. Sliding hangers and fixed point clamps are available in four types for maximum adaptation to the environmental conditions. See table below.

## Sliding Hanger

### Type BN7-Z, Type BN7-L, Type BN7-R, & Type BN7-LR

The sliding hangers are fastened to the suspension frame by a bolt. The installation can be aligned vertically. Center distance of hanger supports: 2000 mm: with Cu50, Cu80, for 6- & 7-pole installations up to a max. ambient temperature difference of 40 °C. 1333 mm: travel speed up to 250 m/min.; using 125A or 160A Conductors 1000 mm: travel speed up to > 250 m/min.

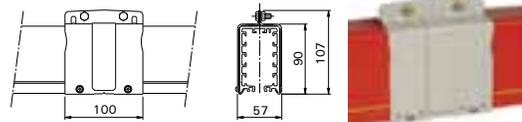


BN7-L

## Fixed Point Clamp

### Type VMN7-Z, Type VMN7-L, Type VMN7-R, & Type VMN7-LR

The complete conductor installation is to be fastened to the suspension frame by means of a self-gripping fixed-point-clamp. This allows the conductor housing to slide freely in the sliding hangers when expansion, due to temperature variations occurs.



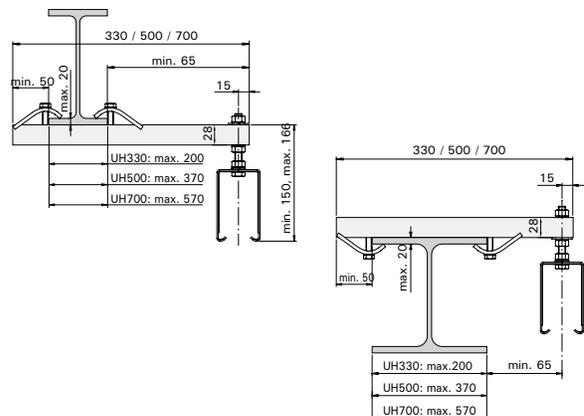
VMN7-L

## Support Bracket

Type UH330 : length = 330 mm, galvanized/(SS)  
 Type UH500/(R) : length = 500 mm, galvanized/(SS)  
 Type UH700/(R) : length = 700 mm, galvanized/(SS)

These brackets have clamps attached to sliding nut assemblies, facilitating a adaptable mounting arrangement, capable of accommodating various sizes of I-beams.

Note: For fast mounting on site, pre-mounted support brackets with sliding hangers are available on request.



**Finishing Of Metal Sliding Hangers And Joints**

Type Z - Galvanized, for normal indoor installations.  
 Type L - Galvanized + epoxy coated, for outdoors and corrosive environments.  
 Type LR - As Type L, with stainless steel bolts and nuts A2.  
 Type R - Stainless steel A2/304, for corrosive environments.

| TransTech No.  | Description                                 | Length (mm) |
|----------------|---|-------------|
| A1018010       | Support bracket galvanized 330mm UH330      | 330         |
| A1018160       | Support bracket galvanized 500mm UH500      | 500         |
| A1018320       | Support bracket galvanized 700mm UH700      | 700         |
| A1018370.B0000 | Support bracket stainl. steel 330mm UH330-R | 330         |
| A1018380       | Support bracket stainl. steel 500mm UH500-R | 500         |
| A1018390       | Support bracket stainl. steel 700mm UH700-R | 700         |

| TransTech No. | Description                           |         | Ambient is |       |            |
|---------------|---------------------------------------|---------|------------|-------|------------|
|               |                                       |         | Dry        | Humid | Chem. Agr. |
| A1004570      | Sliding hanger galvanized             | BN7-Z   | x          |       |            |
| A1004650      | Sliding hanger epoxy coated           | BN7-L   |            | x     |            |
| A1004420      | Sliding hanger galv. + epoxy + A2     | BN7-LR  |            |       | x          |
| A1005540      | Sliding hanger SS-A2/304              | BN7-R   |            |       | x          |
| A1005200      | Rolling hanger galvanized             | RB7     | x          | x     |            |
| A1004960      | Fixed point clamp galvanized          | VMN7-Z  | x          |       |            |
| A1005070      | Fixed point clamp galv. + epoxy coat. | VMN7-L  |            | x     |            |
| A1005310      | Fixed point clamp galv. + epox. + A2  | VMN7-LR |            |       | x          |
| A1005770      | Fixed point clamp A2/304              | VMN7-R  |            |       | x          |

# Joint Clamps:

## For the Simple Connection of Conductor Housings

The lengths of the housing are connected by means of standard joint clamps. There are 2 variations:

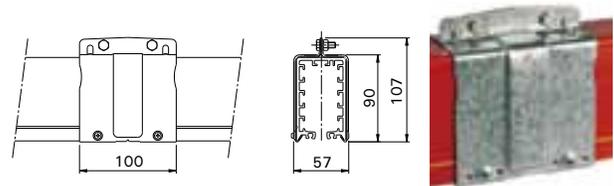
- standard metal joint clamp
- ABS expansion joint clamp

Metal joint clamps are available in 4 types, to ensure maximum tuning to the operating conditions. Please refer to the table on page 4.

### Joint Clamp

#### Type VN7-Z, Type VN7-L, Type VN7-R, & Type VN7-LR

The conductor housings are connected by means of a self-gripping joint clamp. The self-drilling screws, as supplied, ensure an extra firm connection with longer system lengths (from 80m length 2 screws. per joint; from 200m length 4 screws. per joint).

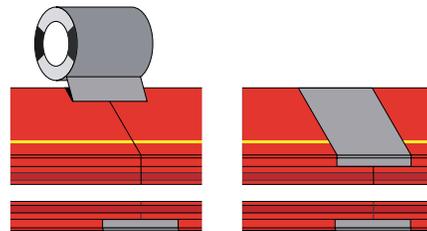


VN7-Z

### Insulating Tape

#### Type T50 (50 mm width, roll of 10 m)

This adhesive tape is used to ensure a permanent shroud around the housing joints, prior to fitting the joint clamps, for both indoor and outdoor installations. 1 roll is sufficient for 35 joints.



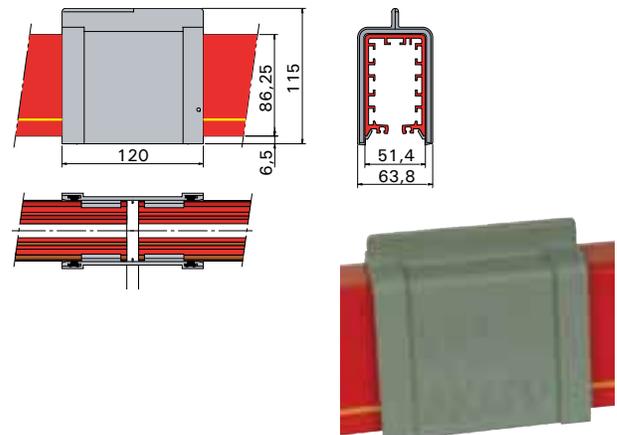
T-50

### Expansion Joint

#### Type KEV7

This ABS expansion joint is applied when a free expansion of the Multiconductor from one fixed point is not possible. Such as with very long installations, tracks in which there are several current supply connections, closed curved tracks, etc.

The PVC housing is then fixed to the support construction with a fixed point clamp adjacent to an expansion gap at recommended positions.



KEV7

The rubber sealing at the inner side of the synthetic expansion joint clamp, together with the continuous AS7 sealing strips, also allows installations outdoors. Installations with expansion joints require collector trolleys type "...E" (see page 14).

| TransTech No. | Description                           | Ambient Is |       |                  | with VN7- | with VN7- & humidity | V max with humidity | max. free expansion in joint (mm) |
|---------------|---------------------------------------|------------|-------|------------------|-----------|----------------------|---------------------|-----------------------------------|
|               |                                       | Dry        | Humid | Chemical Agress. |           |                      |                     |                                   |
| A1004730      | Joint clamp galvanized VN7-Z          | x          |       |                  |           | 400V                 | 0                   |                                   |
| A1004810      | Joint clamp galv/epox.VN7-L           |            | x     |                  |           | 400V                 | 0                   |                                   |
| A1004340      | Joint clamp galv. + epox. + A2 VN7-LR |            |       | x                |           | 400V                 | 0                   |                                   |
| A1005620      | Joint clamp A2/304 VN7-R              |            |       | x                |           | 400V                 | 0                   |                                   |
| A1006040      | Insulating tape 10m x 50mm T50        |            |       |                  | x         |                      | 0                   |                                   |
| A1005461      | Expansion joint KEV7                  | x          | x     | x                |           | 400V                 | 25                  |                                   |

# End Feed Boxes:

## Efficient and Reliable Solutions

End feed boxes are used for the connection of the feeding cable to the outer end of the Multiconductor system (see picture). The feedbox is chosen based on the conductor and feed cable sizes.

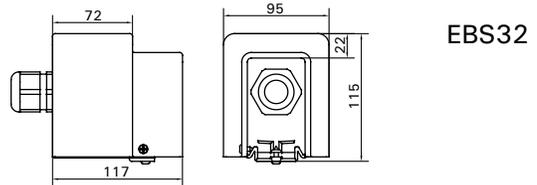
All feed boxes are fitted with metric glands. It is possible to use extra glands and/or several diameter ranges for type EB40/EB63.

An end feed clamp (EC160) is required for connection of copper for each 125A or 160A conductors (see details below).

### End Feed Boxes

#### Type EBS32

Compact end feed box with cable gland M32, suitable for cables Ø10-Ø21 mm. Connecting screws M6 included.

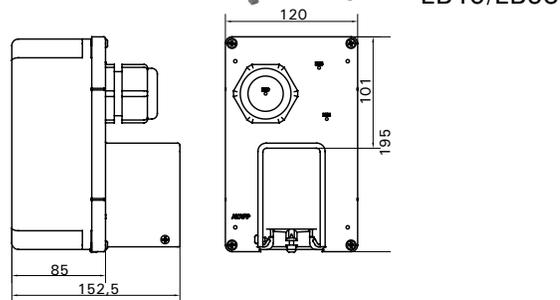
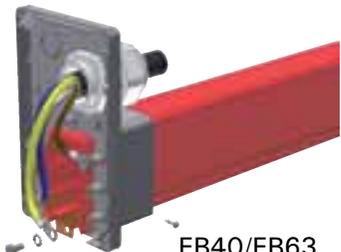


#### Type EB40

End feed box with cable gland M40 is suitable for cables Ø16-Ø28 mm. The push-through holes make mounting easy for various cable sizes. Connecting screws M6 included.

#### Type EB63

As end feed box EB40, but with cable gland M63, suitable for cables Ø30-Ø44.5 mm. Connecting screws M6 included.

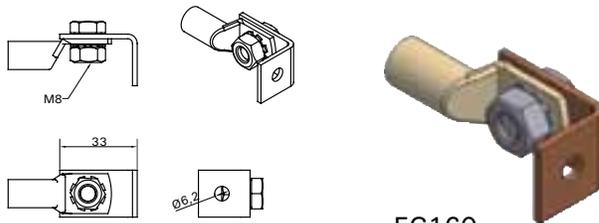


### End Feed Clamps

#### Type EC160

Required for connecting copper conductors 125A or 160A to the cable lug of the connection cable. To be ordered separately.

Special arrangements and gland sizes available upon request.



| TransTech No. | Description                                   | Max. Temp. (°C) | Range of Diameter Feeding Cable (mm) | Max. Copper Conductors Mounted | I max (80% D.C.) Non-parallel (A) | Protection Degree Without AS7 | Protection Degree With AS7 |
|---------------|---|-----------------|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------------------|-------------------------------|----------------------------|
| A1006830      | End feed box 1xM32 EBS32                      | 80              | 10 - 21                              | 4xCu80 / 7xCu50                | 80                                | IP23                          | IP44                       |
| A1006800      | End feed box 1xM40 EB40                       | 80              | 16 - 28                              | 4xCu125 / 7xCu80               | 125                               | IP23                          | IP44                       |
| A1006810      | End feed box 1x63 EB63                        | 80              | 30 - 44                              | 4xCu160 / 7xCu80               |                                   |                               |                            |
| A1006820      | End feed box EB                               | 80              | no glands                            |                                |                                   | IP23                          | IP44                       |
| A1013010      | End feed clamp (req. if Cu125 or Cu160) EC160 | 80              |                                      |                                | 160                               |                               |                            |

# Line Feed Boxes:

## Designed for More Flexibility

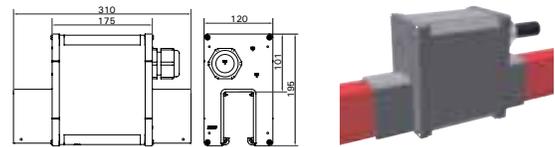
A line feed is used for the connection of the feeding cable to any location on the system. The line feed connection is made from a line feed box, line feed clamp holder and feed clamps. The RN7-LCH line feed clamp allows for a continuous strip of copper from one end of the system to the other.

The collar plates of the line feed box are each installed over the housings meeting at the feed point. Next, the line feed clamp holder (LCH) is installed between the conductor housings. Each housing is then secured with a fixed point clamp. Feed clamps are installed prior to the copper conductors. Clamps tightened on the copper, secure the copper to the housing. The RN-LH is used for closed loop systems or very long systems where a conductor splice is needed at the line feed box.

## Line Feed Boxes Types LB

### Type LB40

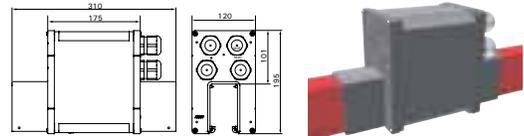
Line feed box for connection of copper conductors up to 125A. With 1 gland M40 for cables Ø16-Ø28 mm.



LB40/LB63

### Type LB63

Line feed box for connection of copper conductors up to 160A. With 1 gland M63 for cables Ø30-Ø44.5 mm.

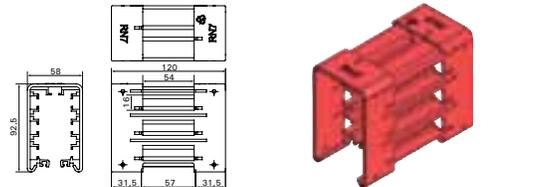


### Type LB32-4

Similar to LB63, but with 4 glands M32 for cables Ø10-Ø21 mm.

### Type LB32-7

Similar to LB32-4, but with 7 glands M32 for cables Ø10-Ø21 mm.



## Line Feed Clamp Holders

### Type RN7-LCH & RN4-LCH

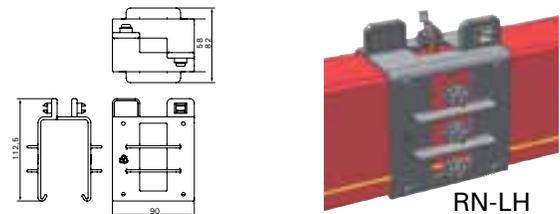
For line feed connections with all sizes of copper, regardless of the number of poles. The required line feed clamps are ordered separately.

### Type RNHS7-LCH

Includes spacer strips for use with hand-safe housing.

### Type RN-LH

Is composed of two halves that “click” together around the housing, leaving the copper joints free. Includes bolts/nuts M6 for connections.



RN-LH  
(Mounted)

| TransTech No.  | Description            | Max. Temp. (°C) | Range of Diameter Feeding Cable (mm) | Max. Copper Conductors Mounted | I max (80% D.C.) Non-parallel (A) | I max (80% D.C.) Parallel (A) | Protection Degree Without AS7 | Protection Degree With AS7 |      |
|----------------|------------------------|-----------------|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|----------------------------|------|
| A1006900       | Line feed box 1xM40    | LB40            | 80                                   | 16-28                          | 4xCU125 / 7xCU80                  | 125                           | -                             | IP23                       | IP44 |
| A1006910       | Line feed box 1x M63   | LB63            | 80                                   | 30-44                          | 4xCU160 / 7xCU125                 | 160                           | 250                           | IP23                       | IP44 |
| A1006920       | Line feed box 4xM32    | LB32-4          | 80                                   | 4x 10-21                       | 4xCU160                           | 160                           | -                             | IP23                       | IP44 |
| A1006930       | Line feed box 7xM32    | LB32-7          | 80                                   | 7x 10-21                       | 7xCU160                           | 160                           | 320                           | IP23                       | IP44 |
| A1006940       | Line feed box          | LB              | 80                                   | no glands                      |                                   |                               |                               | IP23                       | IP44 |
| A1006035       | Line feed clamp holder | RN7-LCH         | 80                                   |                                |                                   |                               |                               |                            |      |
| A1006030       | Line feed clamp holder | RN4-LCH         | 80                                   |                                |                                   |                               |                               |                            |      |
| A1006035.B0001 | Line feed clamp holder | RNHS7-LCH       | 80                                   |                                |                                   |                               |                               |                            |      |
| A1006950       | Set line feed          | RN-LH           | 80                                   |                                |                                   |                               |                               |                            |      |

# Connecting the Copper Conductors:

## Solutions with Clamps & Boxes

All line feed systems require clamp holders and feed clamps to connect the copper conductors within the housing to the cores of the supply cable.

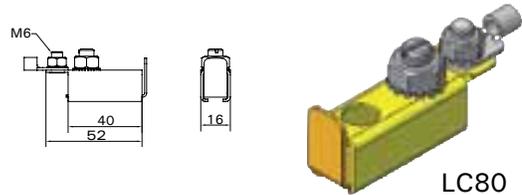
There are 2 types of feed clamps: LC80 and LC200.

To connect the copper conductors to a cable terminal in a transition box, the transition cables OK25 or OK35 can be used. In some cases, it can replace a feeding cable with an overly large outer diameter.

## Feed Clamps

### Type LC80

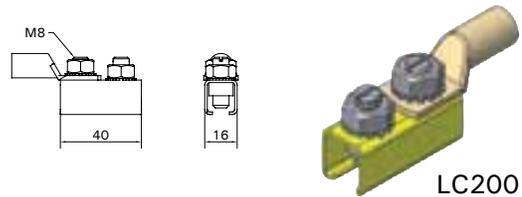
To be applied for mounting copper conductors Cu50 - Cu80.



LC80

### Type LC200

To be applied for mounting copper conductors Cu125 - Cu160.

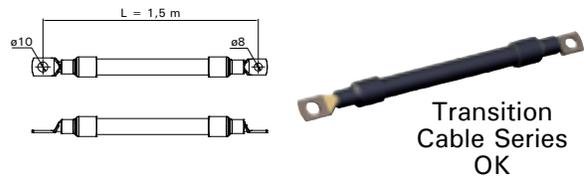


LC200

## Transition Cables

### Type OK25

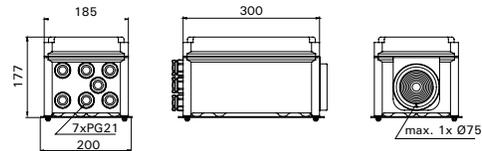
Cable 1x 25 mm<sup>2</sup>, length 1.5 m, fitted with cable lugs on both sides. For max. current capacity 125A or 250A (with 2 cables in parallel connection) and Cu125 copper conductor. Used with Transition box OGV320 (see below).



Transition Cable Series OK

### Type OK35

Cable 1x 35 mm<sup>2</sup>, length 1.5 m, fitted with cable lugs on both sides. For max. current capacity 320A (with 2 cables in parallel connection and Cu160 copper conductor). To be used with Transition box OGV320 (see below).



OGV320

## Transition Box for Feed : Connection Multiconductor

### Type OGV320

Complete with 2x5 bolts M10 for cable lug connections, 7 glands PG21 and a special grommet for cables of Ø20 - Ø75 mm .



| Line Feed Clamps<br>TransTech No.  | Description                                 | Number          | Max. Current (A)<br>(100% D.C.) | With Type Line Feed Holder |
|------------------------------------|---|-----------------|---------------------------------|----------------------------|
| A1012750                           | Feed clamp small LC80                       | 1 per conductor | 72                              | RN7-LCH                    |
| A1013000                           | Feed clamp LC200                            | 1 per conductor | 179                             | RN7-LCH                    |
| Transition Cables<br>TransTech No. | Description                                 | Number          | Max. Current (A)<br>(100% D.C.) | With Type Transition Box   |
| A1499560                           | Cable, 1x25 mm <sup>2</sup> , L = 1.5m OK25 | 1 per conductor | 135                             | OGV320                     |
| A1499640                           | Cable, 1x35 mm <sup>2</sup> , L = 1.5m OK35 | 1 per conductor | 169                             | OGV320                     |
| Transition Box<br>TransTech No.    | Description                                 | Number          | Max. Current (A)<br>(100% D.C.) | Protection Degree          |
| A1010510                           | Feed Connection Transition Box OGV320       | 1 per system    | 286.3                           | IP44                       |

# Additional Components:

## End Caps and Inspection Units

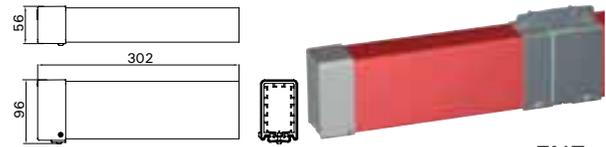
An end cap is used for sealing off the open end of a Multiconductor System. In order to eliminate length differences between copper conductors and PVC housing due to temperature variations, it is important that the conductors have sufficient length within the end cap. For installations with extreme length differences, extra long end caps can be applied.

An inspection unit, UN7, is fitted with two joint clamps. UN7 is used in Multiconductor installations where inspection of the trolley is not possible by removing an end cap or end feed. E.g. on endless curved tracks or on applications where several collector trolleys are fitted, or where a special location area for the inspection is available.

### End Caps

#### Type EN7

Length 300 mm. For use with the RN7 housing. Fitted to housing with a joint clamp (ordered separately).



EN7

#### Type EN4

Length 300mm. For use with the RN4 housing. Fitted to housing with a joint clamp (ordered separately)



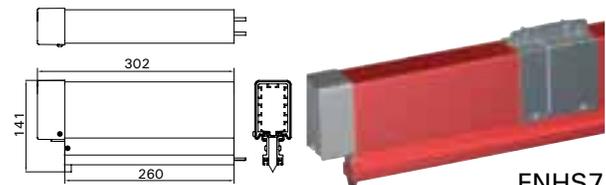
EN4

#### Type EN7-W

Similar to EN7, but color is white. For use with the RN7W housing. Fitted to housing a joint clamp (ordered separately).

#### Type ENHS7

Length 300 mm. For use with the RNHS7 housing. Fitted to the housing by means of a joint clamp (ordered separately).



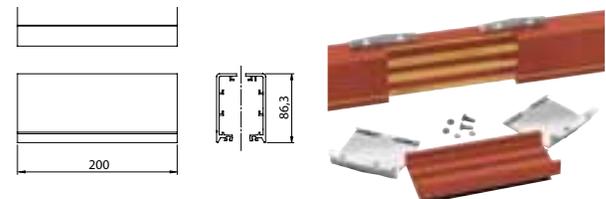
ENHS7

#### Type ENV7

Length 300mm. For use with RNV7 housing. Fitted to housing with a joint clamp (ordered separately).

#### Type UN7

Length 200 mm. The inspection unit is fitted with 2 joint clamps (ordered seperately). Inspection units for curves can be supplied on request.



UN7

#### Type UNHS7

For use with the Multiconductor RNHS7 housing.

| TransTech No.  | Description                        | Length (m) | Red | White | Grey | Max. Poles | IP23 | Sealing Rubber AS7 Applicable | IP44 with AS7 | HS, Extra Protection |
|----------------|------------------------------------|------------|-----|-------|------|------------|------|-------------------------------|---------------|----------------------|
| A1014140       | End cap red EN7                    | 0.30       | x   |       |      | 7          | x    | x                             | x             |                      |
| A1014100       | End cap grey EN4                   | 0.30       |     |       | x    | 4          | x    | x                             | x             |                      |
| A1014800       | End cap white EN7W                 | 0.30       |     | x     |      | 7          | x    | x                             | x             |                      |
| A1014370       | End cap red for RNHS7 ENHS7        | 0.30       | x   |       |      | 7          | x    | x                             | x             | x                    |
| A1014690       | End cap for RNV7 ENV7              | 0.30       |     |       | x    | 7          | x    | x                             |               |                      |
| A1015030       | Inspection unit red UN7            | 0.30       | x   |       |      | 7          |      | x                             |               |                      |
| A1015260.B0000 | Inspection unit red f. RNHS7 UNHS7 | 0.30       | x   |       |      | 7          |      | x                             |               | x                    |

# Collector Trolley Series CL7:

## Contact Characteristics

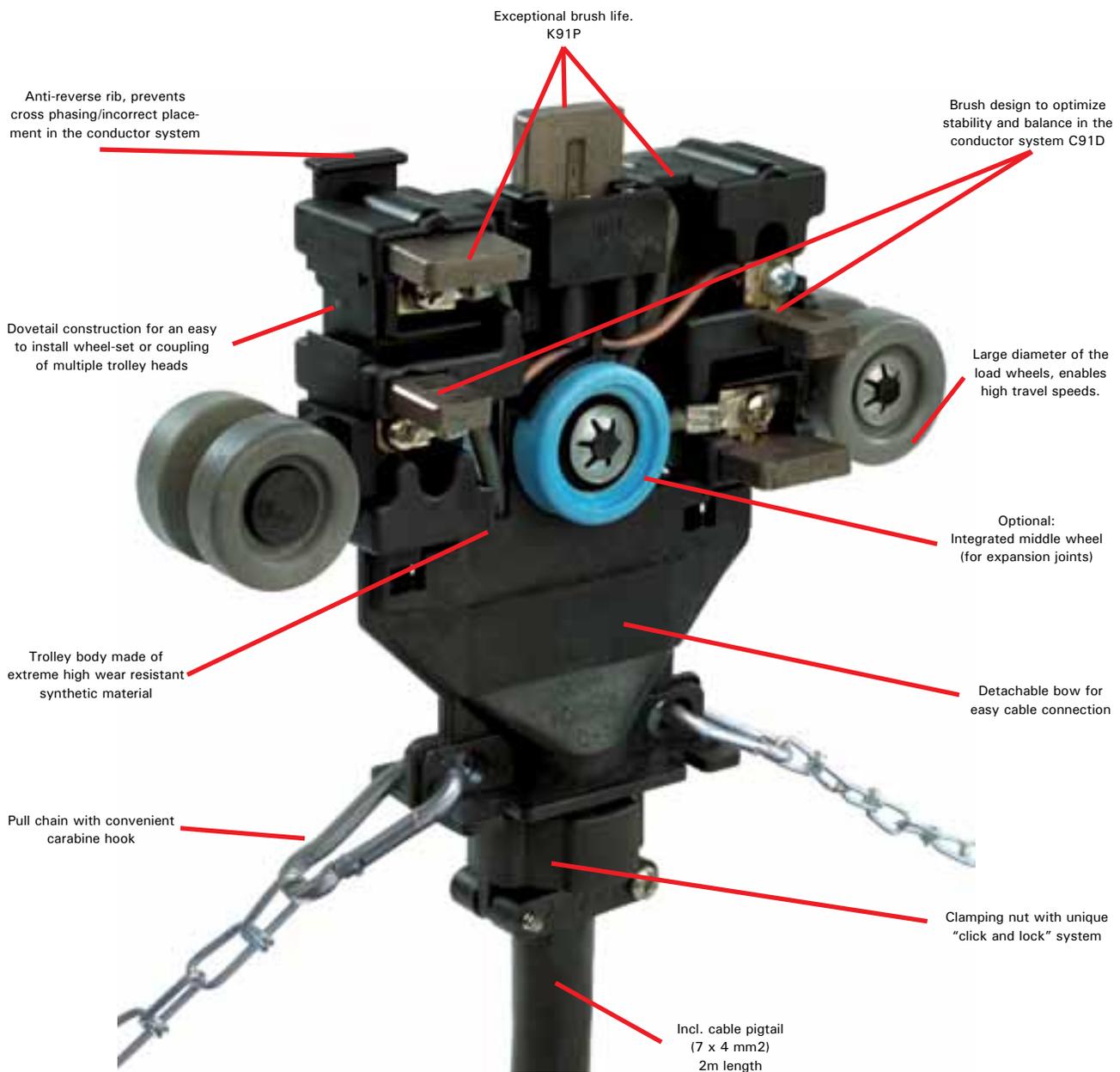
The CL7 collector trolleys are available for 2 to 7 conductors, as required, and are suitable for maximum current capacity of 35A, 70A and 100A; duration of duty cycle is 60%. The collector trolley series "CL7" are supplied with a connector cable (approx. 2 m) with numbered wires.

The standard models of the CL7- collector trolleys are suitable for most applications and are easy to adjust. The summary below indicates the most commonly used models and options. The required model often depends on specific application specifications.

## The Standard Collector Trolley

### CL7-7-35/E/2M

TransTech Item: A1093650.B0053





# Collector Trolleys:

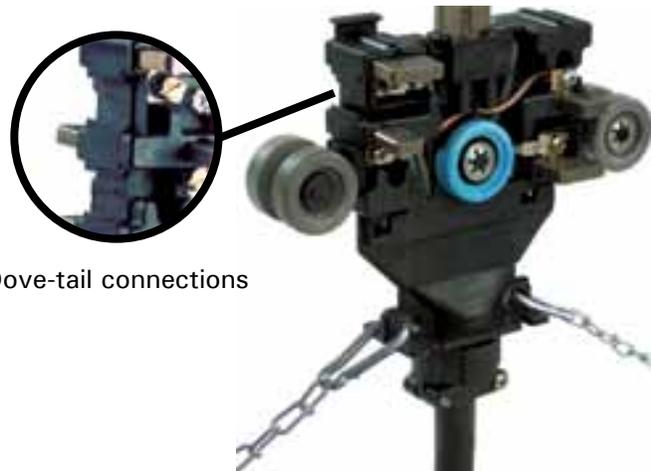
## Adaptations for Special Applications

Numerous models of the standard collector trolleys, are available as well as special models. The CL7 series can easily be adapted to exceptional circumstances such as installations with very high travel speeds, transfer guides, curves, expansion gaps, etc.

The pre-mounted wheel set is appropriate for most applications; however, the dove-tail construction (see photo) makes it simple to install or exchange the wheel sets and create the trolley that fits the specific need. In the table below, an overview of the possibilities are listed, together with the respective suffix. Please refer to these suffixes when ordering. For unlisted models, please contact TransTech.

| Performance             | Type                 |
|-------------------------|----------------------|
| Expansion (KEV's)       | CL7-.../E            |
| Top wheels              | CL7-.../T            |
| Side and top wheels     | CL7-.../TZ           |
| Dust proof wheels       | CL7-.../S            |
| High travel speeds *    | CL7-.../S            |
| For galvanizing plants  | CL7-.../V            |
| Low temperatures *      | CL7-.../LT           |
| 90 degree gland         | CL7-.../HWK          |
| Silver graphite brushes | CL7-.../AG           |
| Special cable length    | CL7-.../M            |
| Transfer guide small    | (ITKN) CLTK7-.../... |
| Transfer guide large    | (ITN) CLTG7-.../...  |

\* from 100 m/min.



Dove-tail connections

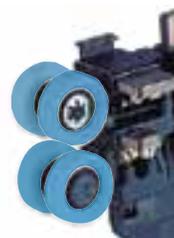
Extra Wheel (.../E)

## Collector Trolleys for RNHS7 Housing

### Type NLHS7-...-

Special trolleys with an elongated lower moulding are utilized in RNHS7 Housing Systems.

Top wheels (beared .../T/S, or not beared .../T)



Double top wheels with side wheels (.../TZ)

## Collector Trolleys For Curves

### Type S7-...-35

For installations with curves of a radius < 800 mm, special flexible current collectors are required. See also page 20. For more information contact TransTech.



NLHS7-7-35  
(for RNHS7)



S7-4-35  
(for BRN7)

# Collector Trolleys:

## The Compact Collector Trolley Series CL4-40

TransTech offers the possibility to use a singular collector trolley, (type CL4-40), with double brushes. This trolley applies to the IEC 60204.32.13.8.2 standard, describing the situations where conductor bar systems need to apply double carbon brushes. The CL4-40 trolley is a cost effective solution for those cases when the above standard is applied such as systems that are controlled by frequency inverters. The CL4-40 is a 4 pole trolley, capacity 40 Amps at 60% duty cycle at 50 °C. Applicable from -20°C up to +80°C.

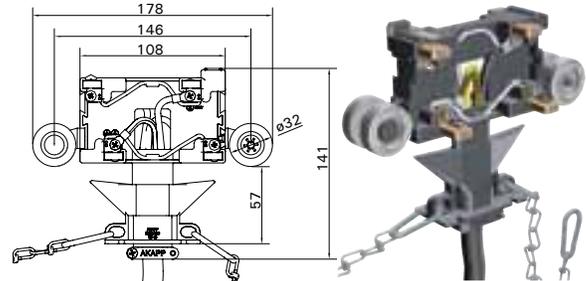
### Standard Collector Trolleys

#### Type CL4-40

4-pole trolley with standard wheels. Max. speed 100 m/min.

#### Type CL4-40/S

4-pole trolley with special ball bearing wheels. Max. speed 250 m/min.



CL4-40

### Collector Trolley Assemblies

#### Type CL4-40/BMV/TTB

For easy ordering, we created a fully assembled version of the collector trolley CL4-40, complete with towing arm BMV35 and trolley transition box TTB70. See table on the right for order reference.

| TransTech No.  | Description                         | Max. Speed (m/min) |
|----------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------|
| A1088600.B0002 | Collector trolley + cable CL4-40    | 100                |
| A1088620.B0002 | Collector trolley + cable CL4-40 /S | 250                |
| A1088640       | Assembly CL4-40/BMV/TTB             | 100                |

### Current Collecting Capacity Doubles When Parallel Connecting Copper Conductors

#### Type CL4-40/BMV/TTB

A Multiconductor with 7 copper conductors offers the opportunity to double the current capacity for 2 phased and ground applicators. The 7th conductor is utilized for the ground supply. The extra capacity must be accounted for with a suitable collector trolley.

Selection chart of 7-pole trolleys and transition boxes for installations with copper conductors in parallel for 3 phase + ground feed see table below.

| A Max. | Type Collector Trolley | Number of Poles | Type Trans. Box |
|--------|------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| 70     | CL7-7-35               | 4               | TTB70-4         |
| 140    | CL7-7-70               | 4               | TTB140-4-2      |
| 200    | CL7-7-100              | 4               | TTB200-4-6      |
| 280    | CL7-7-70 2 pcs         | 4               | TTB400-4-6      |
| 400    | CL7-7-100 2 pcs        | 4               | TTB400-4-6      |



CL4-40/BMV/TTB

The CL4-40 uses twin carbon brushes.

# Accessories for Collector Trolleys:

## Towing Arms and Transition Boxes

A towing arm is attached to the moving machinery and connected to the collector trolley via chains. The arrangement is such that when pulling in either direction, one of the collector towing chains is taut while the other remains slack.

A transition box can be mounted on the towing arm or close by the apparatus/machine. This unit facilitates the connection of the flexible cable from the collector trolley with the fixed wiring from the apparatus/machine being fed.

## Standard Performances Towing Arm

### Type BMV35

For collector trolleys 35A.

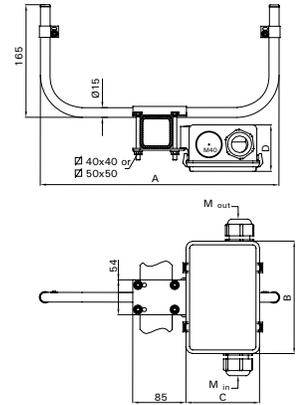
|     | BMV35 + TTB35 | BMV70 + TTB70 | BMV100 + TTB100 |
|-----|---------------|---------------|-----------------|
| A   | 370           | 505           | 640             |
| B   | 175           | 175           | 195             |
| C   | 115           | 115           | 160             |
| D   | 70            | 70            | 80              |
| In  | 1xM32         | 2xM32         | 3xM32           |
| Out | 1xM32         | 1xM40         | 1xM40           |

### Type BMV70

For collector trolleys 70A.

### Type BMV100

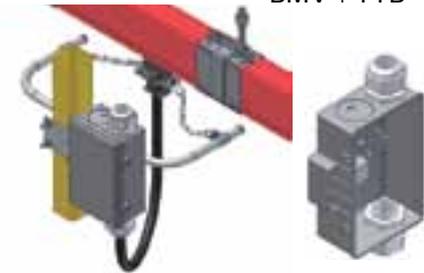
For collector trolleys 100A.



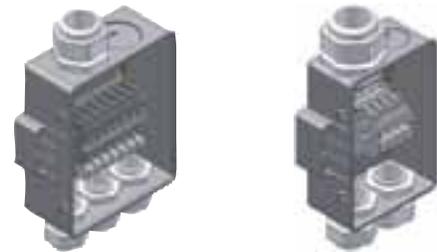
BMV + TTB

## Types of Transition Boxes for Collector Trolleys

| Type No. Transition Box   | Dimensions LxWxH MM | Connecting Terminals                                 | Cable Inlet                                 |
|---------------------------|---------------------|--|---|
| TTB35-4 and TTB35-7       | 175x115x70          | 4 st. 4 mm <sup>2</sup><br>7 st. 4 mm <sup>2</sup>   | 2 glands M32                                |
| TTB70-4 and TTB70-7       | 175x115x70          | 4 st. 10 mm <sup>2</sup><br>7 st. 10 mm <sup>2</sup> | 2 glands M32, 1 gland M40                   |
| TTB100-4 and TTB100-7     | 195x160x80          | 4 st. 16 mm <sup>2</sup><br>7 st. 16 mm <sup>2</sup> | 3 glands M32, 1 gland M40                   |
| TTB140-4-2                | 195x160x80          | 4 st. 35 mm <sup>2</sup>                             | 2 glands M32, 1 gland M50                   |
| TTB200-4-6 and TTB200-7-6 | 300x250x145         | 4 st. bolts M10<br>7 st. bolts M10                   | 6 glands M32, 1 special inlet, 20-70 mmØ    |
| TTB400-4-6                | 300x250x145         | 7 st. bolts M10                                      | 6 packingb. M32, 1 special inlet, 20-70 mmØ |



BMV35 + TTB35-4



BMV100 + TTB100-7

BMV70 + TTB70-4

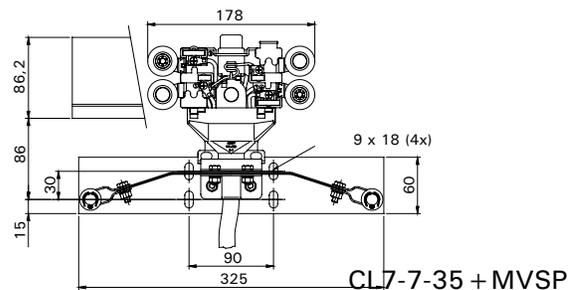
The box types TTB35 up to TTB140 can be mounted directly on the fastening clamp of the towing arm type BMV. The box types TTB200 and TTB400 are supplied with 4 holes Ø7 mm, which ensures easy mounting of these boxes to the apparatus to be fed.

## Spring Loaded Towing Arm

For installations with large transfer guides (type ITN7) a special spring loaded towing arm is required.

### Type MVSP35

For collector trolleys 35A.



CL7-7-35 + MVSP

# Overview of:

## Trolleys, Towing Arms & Transition Boxes

See the chart below for the most common collector trolley. The reference numbers and some details are listed for each type. The other charts show all towing arms and transition boxes including their reference numbers.

### Selection Chart Standard Collector Trolleys

| Description                        | With Grey Standard Wheels |                 | With Blue Ball-Bearing Wheels |                | Max in (A)<br>d.c = 100% | Number of Poles | Expansion Joint (KEV) | Transfer Guides ITN7 | Transfer Guides TKN7 | Hand Safe | Vertical |
|------------------------------------|---------------------------|-----------------|-------------------------------|----------------|--------------------------|-----------------|-----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|-----------|----------|
|                                    | Model#                    | Part#           | Model#                        | Part#          |                          |                 |                       |                      |                      |           |          |
| Collector Trolley                  | CL7-4-35/2M               | A1093440.B00002 | CL7-4-35/S/2M                 | A1093450.B0005 | 27.11                    | 4               |                       |                      |                      |           |          |
| Collector Trolley                  | CL7-5-35/2M               | A1093510.B0002  | CL7-5-35/S/2M                 | A1093520.B0050 | 27.11                    | 5               |                       |                      |                      |           |          |
| Collector Trolley                  | CL7-6-35/2M               | A1093580.B0002  | CL7-6-35/S/2M                 | A1093580.B0051 | 27.11                    | 6               |                       |                      |                      |           |          |
| Collector Trolley                  | CL7-7-35/2M               | A1093650.B0003  | CL7-7-35/S/2M                 | A1093660.B0008 | 27.11                    | 7               |                       |                      |                      |           |          |
| Collector Trolley                  | CL7-4-70/2M               | A1093860.B0003  | CL7-4-70/S/2M                 | A1093870.B0003 | 54.22                    | 4               |                       |                      |                      |           |          |
| Collector Trolley                  | CL7-5-70/2M               | A1093930.B0001  | CL7-5-70/S/2M                 | A1093940.B0050 | 54.22                    | 5               |                       |                      |                      |           |          |
| Collector Trolley                  | CL7-6-70/2M               | A1094420.B0002  | CL7-6-70/S/2M                 | A1094010.B0052 | 54.22                    | 6               |                       |                      |                      |           |          |
| Collector Trolley                  | CL7-7-70/2M               | A1094070.B0050  | CL7-7-70/S/2M                 | A1094080.B0050 | 54.22                    | 7               |                       |                      |                      |           |          |
| Collector Trolley                  | CL7-4-100/2M              | A1094280.B0002  | CL7-4-100/S/2M                | A1094280.B0050 | 77.46                    | 4               | x                     |                      |                      |           |          |
| Collector Trolley                  | CL7-5-100/2M              | A1094350.B0001  | CL7-5-100/S/2M                | A1094360.B0052 | 77.46                    | 5               | x                     |                      |                      |           |          |
| Collector Trolley                  | CL7-6-100/2M              | A1094420.B0001  | CL7-6-100/S/2M                | A1094420.B0051 | 77.46                    | 6               | x                     |                      |                      |           |          |
| Collector Trolley                  | CL7-7-100/2M              | A1094490.B0008  | CL7-7-100/S/2M                | A1094490.B0051 | 77.46                    | 7               | x                     |                      |                      |           |          |
| Coll. Trolley for Lg. Trans. Guide | CLTG7-4-35/2M             | A1094720        | CLTG7-4-35/S/2M               | A1094730.B0000 | 27.11                    | 4               |                       | x                    |                      |           |          |
| Coll. Trolley for Lg. Trans. Guide | CLTG7-5-35/2M             | A1094790.B0053  | CLTG7-5-35/S/2M               | A1094790.B0054 | 27.11                    | 5               |                       | x                    |                      |           |          |
| Coll. Trolley for Lg. Trans. Guide | CLTG7-6-35/2M             | A1094850.B0050  | CLTG7-6-35/S/2M               | A1094850.B0051 | 27.11                    | 6               |                       | x                    |                      |           |          |
| Coll. Trolley for Lg. Trans. Guide | CLTG7-7-35/2M             | A1094910.B0053  | CLTG7-7-35/S/2M               | A1094910.B0052 | 27.11                    | 7               |                       | x                    |                      |           |          |
| Coll. Trolley for Sm. Trans. Guide | CLTK7-4-35/2M             | A1095060.B0050  | CLTK7-4-35/S/2M               | A1095060.B0051 | 27.11                    | 4               |                       |                      | x                    | x         |          |
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| Coll. Trolley for Sm. Trans. Guide | CLTK7-6-35/2M             | A1095250.B00051 | CLTK7-6-35/S/2M               | A1095250.B0052 | 27.11                    | 6               |                       |                      | x                    | x         |          |
| Coll. Trolley for Sm. Trans. Guide | CLTK7-7-35/2M             | A1095300.B0052  | CLTK7-7-35/S/2M               | A1095300.B0053 | 27.11                    | 7               |                       |                      | x                    | x         |          |
| Coll. Trolley for RNHS7 (Handsafe) | Not Available             |                 | NLHS7-4-35                    | A1072020.B0000 | 27.11                    | 4               |                       | x                    | x                    | x         |          |
| Coll. Trolley for RNHS7 (Handsafe) | Not Available             |                 | NLHS7-5-35                    | A1072170.B0000 | 27.11                    | 5               |                       | x                    | x                    | x         |          |
| Coll. Trolley for RNHS7 (Handsafe) | Not Available             |                 | NLHS7-6-35                    | A1072250.B0000 | 27.11                    | 6               |                       | x                    | x                    | x         |          |
| Coll. Trolley for RNHS7 (Handsafe) | Not Available             |                 | NLHS7-7-35/2M                 | A1072330.B0002 | 27.11                    | 7               |                       | x                    | x                    | x         |          |

### Selection Chart Towing Arms

| TransTech No. | Description            | Collector Trolley |
|---------------|------------------------|-------------------|
| A1019050      | Towing arm             | BMV35 ...35/...40 |
| A1019130      | Towing arm             | BMV70 ...70       |
| A1019210      | Towing arm             | BMV100 ...100     |
| A1018940      | Towing arm, stainl.st. | BMV35-R ...35     |
| A1019830      | Towing arm, stainl.st. | BMV70-R ...70     |
| A1019910      | Towing arm, stainl.st. | BMV100-R ...100   |



### Selection Chart Transition Boxes

| TransTech No. | Description                           |            |
|---------------|---------------------------------------|------------|
| A1020000      | Transition box for collector trolleys | TTB35-4    |
| A1020010      | Transition box for collector trolleys | TTB35-7    |
| A1020020      | Transition box for collector trolleys | TTB70-4    |
| A1020030      | Transition box for collector trolleys | TTB70-7    |
| A1020040      | Transition box for collector trolleys | TTB100-4   |
| A1020050      | Transition box for collector trolleys | TTB100-7   |
| A1020060      | Transition box for collector trolleys | TTB140-4-2 |
| A1020090      | Transition box for collector trolleys | TTB200-4-6 |
| A1020100      | Transition box for collector trolleys | TTB200-7-6 |
| A1020120      | Transition box for collector trolleys | TTB400-4-6 |

Transition boxes for collector trolleys, not to be mounted on the towing arm. Cable shoes are not included. See page 14 for more information.

# Transfer:

## Transfer Guides

Transfer guides are for the passage of collector trolleys through conductor transfers, on turn or slide switches (see drawing). The type is related to the mechanical tolerance of the transfer system itself.

### Type ITN7

Suitable for mechanical tolerances vertical and horizontal planes of less than 10 mm; infinite gap.

### Type ITNHS7

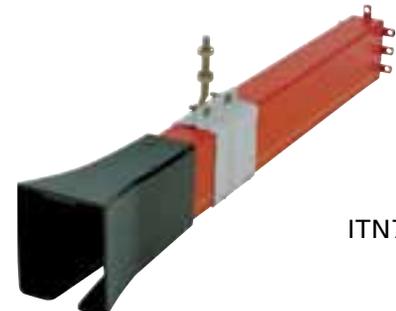
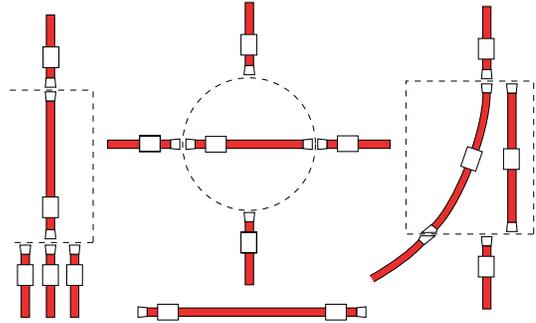
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### Type ITKN7

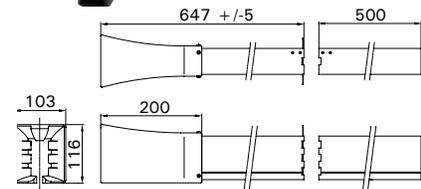
Suitable for mechanical tolerances, vertical and horizontal planes less than 2 mm and gap less than 3 mm.

### Type ITKNHS7

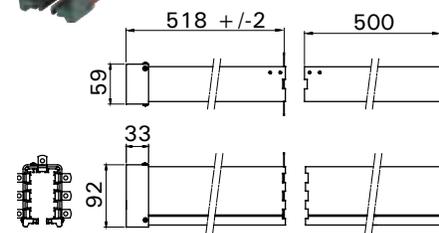
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ITN7



ITKN7



| TransTech No.   | Description                            | left     | right    | space between transf.guides <= 3mm | vertical tolerance <= 2mm | horizontal tolerance <= 2mm | red      | white | length      | min. temperature | max. temperature | max. number of poles | protection degree IP23 | sealing rubber AS7 applicable | HS, extra protection |
|-----------------|--|----------|----------|------------------------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------------|----------|-------|-------------|------------------|------------------|----------------------|------------------------|-------------------------------|----------------------|
|                 |  |          |          |                                    |                           |                             |          |       |             |                  |                  |                      |                        |                               |                      |
| A1016310        | Transfer guide large red ITN7-L        | x        |          |                                    |                           |                             | x        |       | 1.15        | -30              | 60               | 7                    | x                      | x                             |                      |
| A1016540        | Transfer guide large red ITN7-R        |          | x        |                                    |                           |                             |          | x     | 1.15        | -30              | 60               | 7                    | x                      | x                             |                      |
| <b>A1017820</b> | <b>Transfer guide large red ITN7-N</b> | <b>x</b> | <b>x</b> |                                    |                           |                             | <b>x</b> |       | <b>1.15</b> | <b>-30</b>       | <b>60</b>        | <b>7</b>             | <b>x</b>               | <b>x</b>                      |                      |
| A1017830.B0000  | Transfer guide large, ITN7W-L          | x        |          |                                    |                           |                             |          | x     | 1.15        | -30              | 60               | 7                    | x                      | x                             |                      |
| A1017840.B0000  | Transfer guide large, ITN7W-R          |          | x        |                                    |                           |                             |          | x     | 1.15        | -30              | 60               | 7                    | x                      | x                             |                      |
| A1016770.B0000  | Transfer guide f. RNHS7 ITNHS7-L       | x        |          |                                    |                           |                             | x        |       | 1.15        | -30              | 60               | 7                    | x                      | x                             | x                    |
| A1017510.B0000  | Transfer guide f. RNHS7 ITNHS7-R       |          | x        |                                    |                           |                             |          | x     | 1.15        | -30              | 60               | 7                    | x                      | x                             | x                    |
| A1016630.B0000  | Transfer guide vicat ITNV7-L           | x        |          |                                    |                           |                             |          |       | 1.15        | -20              | 80               | 7                    | x                      | x                             |                      |
| A1016640.B0000  | Transfer guide vicat ITNV7-R           |          | x        |                                    |                           |                             |          |       | 1.15        | -20              | 80               | 7                    | x                      | x                             |                      |
| A1017040        | Transfer guide small red ITKN7-L       | x        | x        | x                                  | x                         | x                           | x        |       |             | -30              | 60               | 7                    | x                      | x                             |                      |
| A1016930        | Transfer guide small red ITKN7-R       |          | x        | x                                  | x                         | x                           | x        |       | 1.025       | -30              | 60               | 7                    | x                      | x                             |                      |
| A1017270.B0000  | Transfer guide f. RNHS ITKNHS7-L       | x        | x        | x                                  | x                         | x                           | x        |       | 1.025       | -30              | 60               | 7                    | x                      | x                             | x                    |
| A1018710.B0000  | Transfer guide v. RNHS ITKNHS7-R       |          | x        | x                                  | x                         | x                           | x        |       | 1.025       | -30              | 60               | 7                    | x                      | x                             | x                    |

It is important to consider the travel speed on transfer systems.

Transfer guides are not suitable for switching higher currents.

This transfer guide includes: 1 trumpet to which is fitted 500 mm of housing RN7, in which are already fitted copper conductors CU 125 (ITN7) or CU80 (ITKN7), 500 mm of housing RN7 to attach the transfer guide section to the Multiconductor (incl. mounting material). To be ordered separately: a line feed box for shrouding the connection between the trumpet housing and opposite RN7-housing and 2 fixed point clamps to be placed on each side of the line feed.

# Isolation:

## Conductor Isolation Sections

Copper conductors isolation sections are used in the event of an electrical division between one single or various conductors. The conductor isolation section is not suitable for switching > 125A currents. Two models are available:

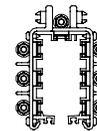
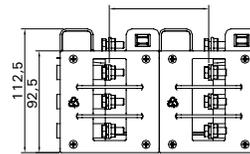
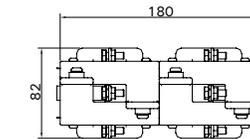
- SO7 - for electrical isolation of 1 - 7 strips
- SO1/SRN1 - for electrical isolation of 1 strip

It is important to consider the correct compensation for the expansion differences. If one or more isolation sections are applied, we strongly recommend that you send TransTech a situation drawing of the feeding system in order to determine the correct execution.

## Conductor Isolation Sections

### Type SO7

This isolation section is fitted into a Multiconductor between 2 housings RN7. This section is covered by two line feed boxes and a linebox extension. Then a fixed point clamp is positioned on each side (all sold separately).



SO7

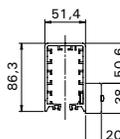
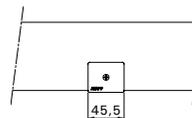
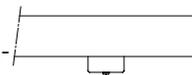
### Type SOHS7

For Multiconductor RNHS7. Similar to SO7, with additional spacer strips at the bottom for use with extra hand-safe housing RNHS7.

## Special Conductor Isolation Sections

### Type SO1

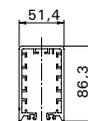
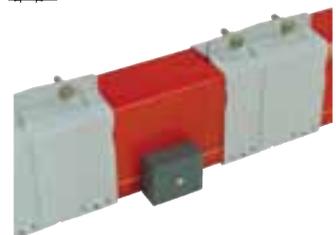
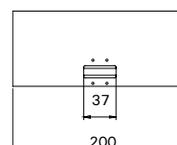
In case only one or two isolations in the controlling current conductors are required, these small isolation sections can be used. At the position of the required isolation, slots are made in the housing, through which the copper conductors are bent outwards. A small isolation section is then placed between the conductors, after which the assembly is enclosed by a small cover (45x38x20 mm). Connection of a supply cable is possible by piercing a hole in the cover. When sealed with silicone-mastic (not supplied) this unit is also suitable for outdoor installations.



SO1

### Type SRN1

This prepared housing (200 mm length) is available as an alternative to cutting slots in the standard housing and is fitted in the Multiconductor by means of 2 joint clamps type VN7.



SRN1

# Curved Tracks:

## Horizontal & Vertical

Multiconductor is also used for curved applications. In general, the curved segments are made to measure in the required radius to the degree of the curve. A correct drawing is required for accurate system specifications. Contact Transtech for assistance. Horizontal curves do not have a marking strip and no antireverse rib in the conductor. It is not required to take the positioning into consideration with regard to the other conductor segment when ordering.

## Curved Housing

### Type BRN7- . . . (Radius)

Horizontal curves are available from R=600 mm and vertical curves from R=1800 mm (center sizes, see drawing A).

In curves, the center distance of the hanger support varies from 600 - 1000 mm (in general min. 2 hanger supports per curved section).

Vertical curves exist in 2 varieties: Concave: biggest radius at the bottom (= opening) of the housing;

Convex: smallest radius at the bottom of the housing. See drawings.

### Type BRNHS7- .. (Radius)

Curves for Multiconductor RNHS7.

## Collector Trolleys In Installations with

### Curves

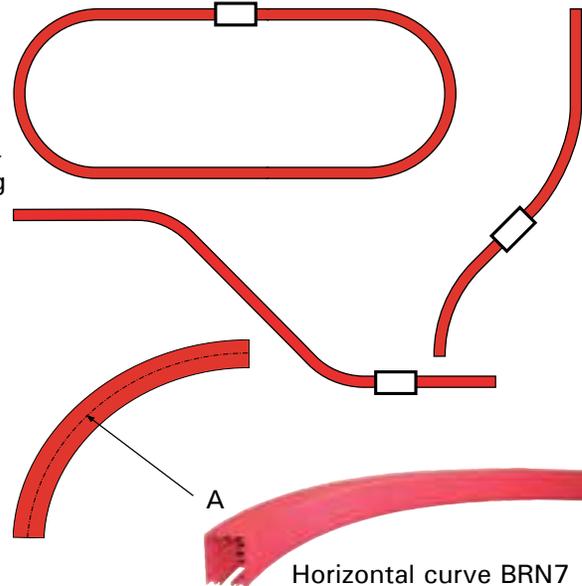
For installations with curves, only 35A collector trolleys should be used. It is possible to use more collector trolleys in parallel for higher current capacities. For curves with bending radius < 800 mm the flexible trolley type S7-..-35 is used.

## Copper Conductors in Curved Tracks

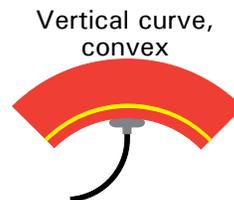
For vertical curves less than the radius allowed in the table, conductors must be supplied pre-bent. See table.

In horizontal curve installations, it is preferred to not use the top conductor channel. If you need 3 conductors, choose 4; if you need 5, choose 6 and avoid using the top slot. If the top slot must be used and radius is less than allowed in table, conductors must be supplied pre-bent.

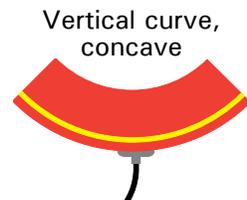
In all other cases, the copper conductors can be rolled directly from the drum through the curves.



Horizontal curve BRN7



Vertical curve, convex



Vertical curve, concave



S7-4-35

Pre-bent strips are required for installations with following conductors and radii (horizontal or vertical):

| Type Copper Conductor | Curves Up To Radius R |
|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| Cu50 *                | 1500 mm               |
| Cu80                  | 2000 mm               |
| Cu125                 | 2500 mm               |
| Cu160                 | 3000 mm               |

\* Copper conductors Cu50 can not be prebent. If required, Cu80 shall be applied in the curve(s).

# Installation Tools:

## For Optimal Efficiency

The Multiconductor components have been designed for fast and simple installation. The installation process will be even more efficient if you opt for the auxiliary tools detailed below. Contact TransTech for assistance.

### Copper Pulling-Cassette

This device can be included in all new installations of the Multiconductor. The copper rolls are placed onto the cassette after which the copper will be rolled off smoothly. The roll is provided with a feed-through aperture. A limiter prevents the rolling off of the copper onto the platform.



| TransTech No. | Copper Cassette        | Cu200 | Cu 160 | Cu125 | Cu80 | Cu50 |
|---------------|------------------------|-------|--------|-------|------|------|
| A1039820      | 50x50 cm, small core   | -     | -      | -     | 90   | 145  |
| A1040220      | 80x80 cm, large core   | 60    | 100    | 130   | 230  | 350  |
| A1040450      | 100x100 cm, large core | 100   | 200    | 260   | 470  | 740  |

### Copper Pulling-Block

Eases the pulling of the copper conductor into the channels of the Multiconductor. This pulling block includes a drawbar eye into which a rope can be attached. To be used in combination with the copper pulling cassette.



### Copper Straightener

It is strongly recommended to use this tool for installation of the copper conductors 125A and 160A. The straightener eliminates the ridged form of the copper during the mounting. This is especially important for track lengths over 50 meters.



### Tom Thumb Tool for Sealing Strips

Used for the easy application of the flexible rubber seal AS7 to the bottom side of the Multiconductor. In one single movement, the rubber strips can be applied to both bottom channels of the Multiconductor.

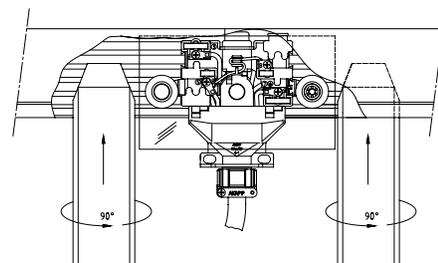


### Wooden Wedge Set

#### Type OBA

For fast extraction and insertion of trolleys at almost any location of a Multiconductor system. The set consists of two wooden wedges with two PVC plates. By inserting the wedge into the housing and then turning it, the housing will widen and the trolley can be extracted easily. When inserting the trolley again, the two plates can be used to guide it into the housing.

| TransTech No. | Description             | Length > 25m | AS7 | CU125 | CU160 |
|---------------|-------------------------|--------------|-----|-------|-------|
| A1003610      | Copper Pulling-Block    | x            |     |       |       |
| A1003950      | Straightning device     | x            |     | x     | x     |
| A1003760      | Tom thumb               |              | x   |       |       |
| A1003800      | Tom thumb for Hand-Safe |              | x   |       |       |



OBA

# More on Multiconductor:

## Technical Data and Ordering References

Nominal voltage: 660 Volt. Under humid conditions and on all outdoor installations for the 6 and 7-pole Multiconductor systems: 500 Volt. Comprehensive installation instructions will accompany every Multiconductor system. It is generally possible to increase the length of an existing system utilizing standard components. Please consult TransTech for full details of the existing system and required extension. We reserve the right to amend dimensions/design of components in the interests of design advancement without prior notification.

### Multiconductor Internal Heating

In applications where condensation and ice should be prevented, the Multiconductor can be heated along part or the entire length of the system.

#### Type ESR20 (A), Insulated.

For up to 6-pole systems. 1 channel fitted with heating strip, covered with plastic strip. Max. track length 60 m. Connecting voltage: AC 230V. Automatic control of required capacity based on the ambient temperature. Capacity 10W/m at +10°C.

#### Type VB7 (B), Insulated.

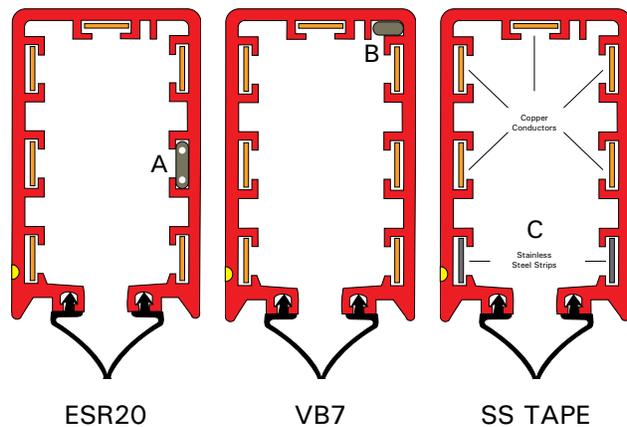
For up to 7-pole systems. Pull into slot next to anti-reverse rib. Max. track length 80 m. Connecting voltage AC 230V. Self regulating. Capacity 23W/m at +5°C.

#### Example for Ordering Indoor Installation

1 TransTech Multiconductor type RN7, 3 phase + ground, track length 48 m, 4 poles, nominal capacity up to 35A, duty cycle 80%, with end feed. Apparatus to be fed: 1 overhead crane, maximum total power 7.5 kW, 400V, speed 40 m/min, in warehouse, dry, no excessive dust, ambient temperatures from +10°C up to +35°C. Supports every 2m.

| Length | Product       | Description                     |
|--------|---------------|---------------------------------|
| 48 m   | Type RN7      | PVC housing (12 x 4 m)          |
| 192 m  | Type CU50     | copper conductor 50A (4 x 48 m) |
| 24 pcs | Type BN7-Z    | sliding hangers, galvanized     |
| 13 pcs | Type VN7-Z    | joint clamps, galvanized        |
| 1 pc   | Type VMN7-Z   | fixed point clamps, galvanized  |
| 1rl    | Type T50      | insulation tape (10 m)          |
| 1pc    | Type EBS32    | end feed box                    |
| 1pc    | Type EN7      | end cap                         |
| 1 pc   | CL7-4-35 / 2m | Collector Trolley               |
| 1 pc   | BMV 35        | Towing Arm                      |

Note: Installation Tools are recommended.



#### Type SS TAPE (C), Not Insulated.

For systems including a minimum of 2 free channels. Stainless steel strip 13x0.5mm; R=0.1106 Ω/m. Not self regulating; transformer and thermostat needed (not included).

#### Example for Ordering Indoor Installation

1 TransTech Multiconductor type RN7, 3 phase, neutral, ground, track length 84 m, 5 poles, nominal capacity up to 125A, duty cycle 80%, with line feed at 2.4 m. Apparatus to be fed: 2 cranes, 25 kW each, 400V, speed 90 m/min, in concrete industry, alternate dusty, humid and corrosive, ambient temperatures from -15°C up to +35°C. Supports every 1.33 m.

| Length | Product            | Description                        |
|--------|--------------------|------------------------------------|
| 84 m   | Type RN7           | PVC housing (21 x 4 m)             |
| 1 pc   | Type RN7-LCH       | line feed clamp holder             |
| 84 m   | Type AS7           | flexible sealing strip             |
| 420 m  | Type CU125         | copper conductor 50A (5 x 84 m)    |
| 64 pcs | Type BN7-L         | sliding hangers, galv. + coated    |
| 22 pcs | Type VN7-L         | joint clamps, galv. + coated       |
| 2 pcs  | Type VMN7-L        | fixed point clamps, galv. + coated |
| 1 rl   | Type T50           | insulation tape (10 m)             |
| 1 pc   | Type LB63          | line feed box                      |
| 5 pcs  | Type LC200         | feed clamps                        |
| 2 pcs  | Type EN7           | end caps                           |
| 2 pcs  | Type CL7-5-70/S/2M | collector trolleys                 |
| 2 pcs  | Type BMV70         | towing arms                        |

# Installation Examples:

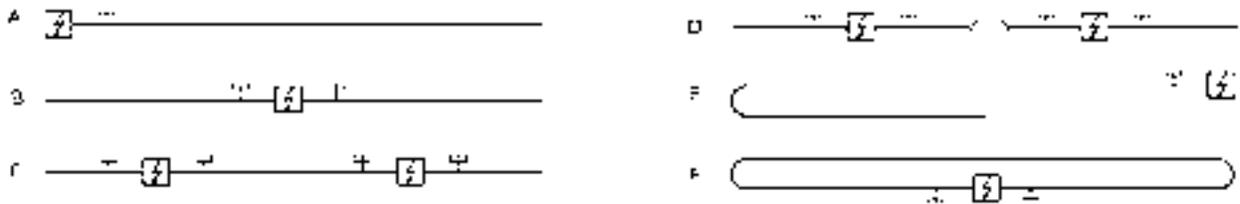
## System Configuration

The construction method to be used with the TransTech Multiconductor is based on "controlled expansion". This guarantees the solution of expansion related problems which coincide with three different elements: synthetics, copper, and suspension frame. The linear expansion and shrinking of the PVC conductor housing is 0.07 mm/°C/m, which is the 5-fold of copper conductors to be mounted into the conductor housing as well as the suspension frame.

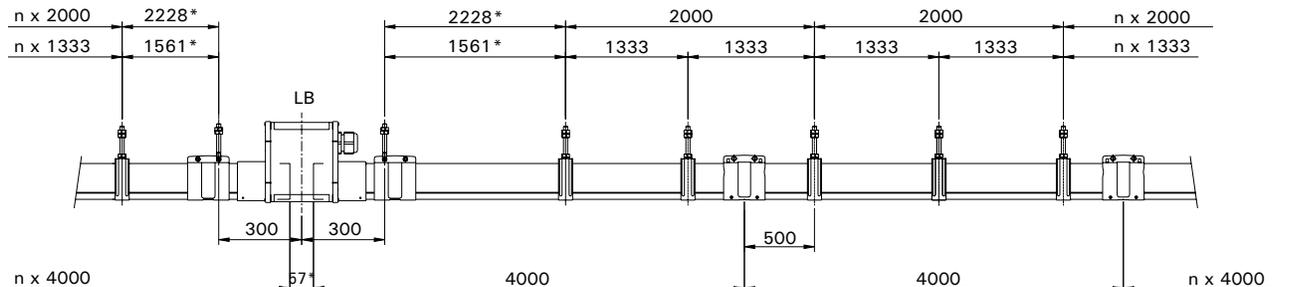
The TransTech Multiconductor design permits the free movement of the three elements thus resolving problems experienced with other systems. Most common installations with one feed point at the end or somewhere along the installation (see illustration below, examples A or B) are mounted on the basis of free expansion. The expansion movement takes place from the fixed point.

For installations where the required system is longer than 300M or where similar to one of the applications C - F (see below), please refer to the TransTech sales office for additional installation instructions.

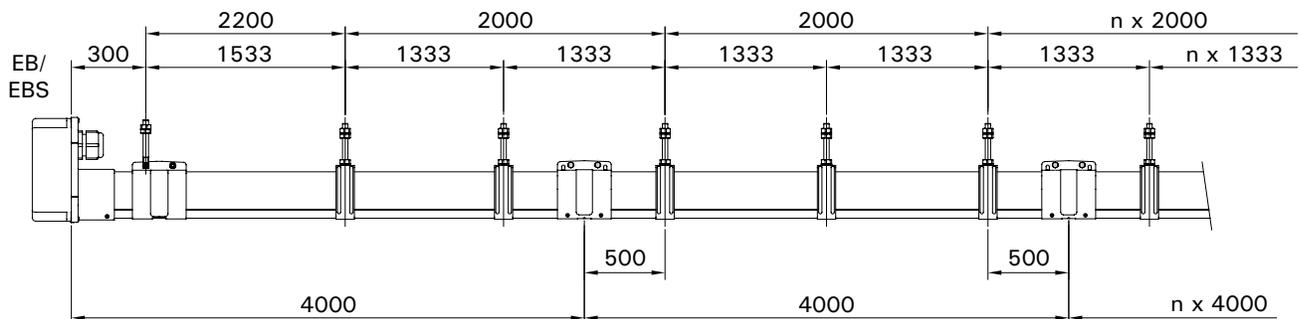
## Multiconductor System Construction



## Multiconductor System Configuration Line Feed With CU125 or CU160



## Multiconductor System Configuration End Feed With CU125 or CU160



# Appendix:

## Maintenance & Spare Parts of Collector Trolleys

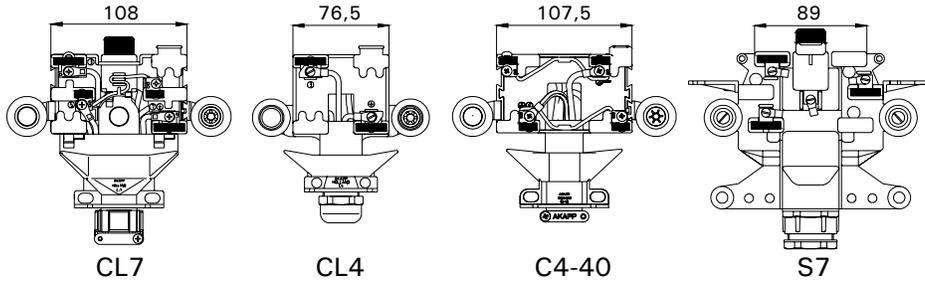
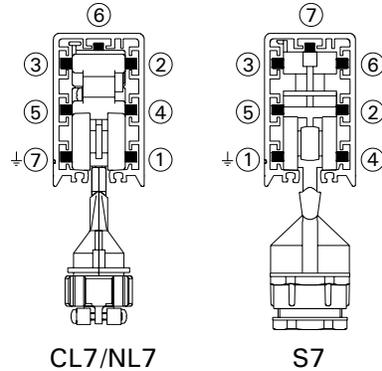
When replacing a TransTech collector trolley, the information below needs your special attention to prevent accidents or failures of the installation. Older trolley models (series "S") have a different numbering of the cable wires to the brushes. The table below displays all information concerning the spare parts, used in each trolley model.

### Attention!

Trolley type S7 has different cable numbering

Please check before installing that the internal wiring of the trolley is correct!

Length of the towing chains for 35A trolleys is 5 links and for 70A and 100A trolleys 6 links.



| TransTech No. | Type  | Description                        | C7 | C4 | C4-40 | S7 | N7 |
|---------------|-------|------------------------------------|----|----|-------|----|----|
| A1411021      | K91P  | Carbon brush phase / ground        | x  | x  |       |    | x  |
| A1410601      | C91D  | Carbon brush twin                  | x  |    | x     |    |    |
| A1410130      | B91SP | Carbon brush phase                 |    |    |       | x  |    |
| A1410210      | B91SA | Carbon brush ground                |    |    |       | x  |    |
| A1410050      | B91SN | Carbon brush neutral               |    |    |       | x  |    |
| A1630100      | W     | Wheel set                          | x  |    | x     |    |    |
| A1630110      | WS    | Wheel set ball beared              | x  |    | x     |    |    |
| A1630120      | WZ    | Wheel set + side wheel             | x  |    | x     |    |    |
| A1630130      | WSZ   | Wheel set ball beared + side wheel | x  |    | x     |    |    |
| A1096550      | WE    | Set middle wheel                   | x  |    |       |    |    |
| A1096500      | BG    | Set bow                            | x  |    |       |    |    |
| A1331930      | G     | Gliding shoe                       | x  |    | x     |    |    |
| A1510460      |       | Wheel C4                           |    | x  |       |    |    |
| A1510230      |       | Wheel                              |    |    |       | x  |    |

\*N7 is a discontinued item, it can be replaced by the CL7 (despite the length differences). Contact TransTech with any questions.

\*\*The CL4 can be replaced by the CL7.

\*\*\*K91P can be used in place of C91A and K91A.

# Applications:



A 500 m long enclosed track for a passenger train in the zoo



Curved installation for window cleaning equipment



Exterior and interior of an enclosed track for rotating building motor



Feed and control of bridge cranes in a galvanizing plant



Feed for Paper Mill Machine Operations



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