

# RAPID<sup>®</sup> Hardwood

Approved for hardwood and BauBuche without pre-drilling

## Characteristics



### 90° countersunk head

- > Countersinks fully into the wood and fits well in steel bores
- > Milling pockets reduce tearing and splitting in the wood

### Washer head

- > Highest permissible head pull-through values for sturdy joints pulled tightly together
- > No washers required, which makes processing faster

### Minimised effort

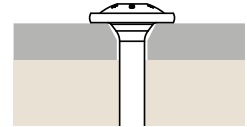
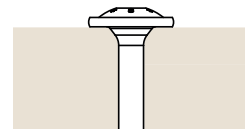
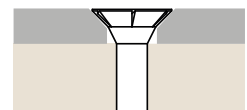
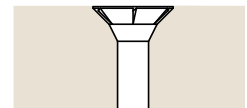
- > The patented friction part greatly reduces screw-in resistance
- > Less effort required to screw in
- > Faster screwing processes
- > Suitable for cordless screwdrivers

### Low splitting, high pull-out values

- > Also suitable for coniferous timber
- > 3-4 times higher values for hardwood, compared to coniferous timber

### Patented tip – no pre-drilling necessary

- > Bites rapidly even with oblique and cross grained wood screw connections
- > Minimised splitting
- > No pre-drilling in hardwoods and LVL beech (for lengths up to and including 400 mm; pre-drilling permitted for longer lengths)





## Features

The RAPID® Hardwood is the first screw ETA-approved for all hard woods without pre-drilling, both for screwing in side and end timber (90° to 0°) and for screw fittings in the narrow edge of laminated veneer beech lumber.

The unique RAPID® Hardwood makes full loads possible regardless of whether the timber was pre-drilled. However, if you pre-drill with  $\varnothing$  max. 6.5 mm screws, the RAPID® Hardwood's screw-in torque will be reduced by 2/3 and the screw distances will be much smaller.

- > Saves time by eliminating pre-drilling
- > ETA approval
- > Tensile capacity comparable to a conventional 10 mm wood construction screw

## Dimensions & surfaces

		Countersunk head*	Washer head*
			
<b>Ø 8,0</b>	Drive	T 40	T 40
	Length	80–440 mm	160 mm
	Thread	Single thread	Single thread
	Underhead	Milling pockets	Cone
<b>Surface</b>		BlueWin 700+, Cr[VI] free	



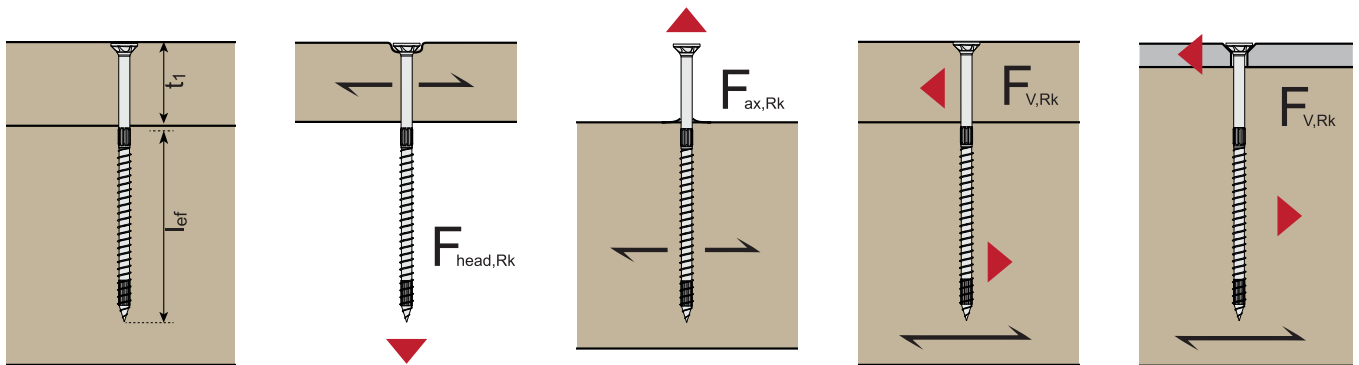
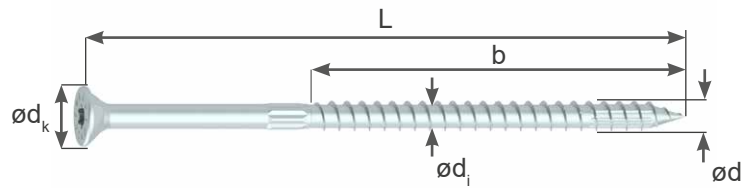
\*Special lengths and other surfaces available by request



# RAPID® Hardwood partial thread countersunk head

## CHARACTERISTICS AND VALUES

		LVL beech	C 24
d	[mm]	ø 8	ø 8
d <sub>k</sub>	[mm]	15.0	15.0
d <sub>i</sub>	[mm]	6.10	6.10
f <sub>ax,90,k</sub>	[N/mm <sup>2</sup> ]	49.2	13.1
f <sub>head,k</sub>	[N/mm <sup>2</sup> ]	46	12.4
F <sub>tens,k</sub>	[kN]	32.8	32.8
M <sub>y,k</sub>	[Nmm]	42 800	42 800



AXIAL		SHEAR	
HEAD PULL THROUGH	WITHDRAWAL	TIMBER-TIMBER	METAL-TIMBER

ø	L/b	t <sub>1,min</sub>	F <sub>head,Rk</sub>	F <sub>ax,Rk</sub>	F <sub>v,Rk</sub>	F <sub>v,Rk,thin</sub>	F <sub>v,Rk,thick</sub>
[mm]	[mm]	[mm]	[kN]	[kN]	[kN]	[kN]	[kN]
<b>LVL BEECH</b> ρ <sub>k</sub> =730kg/m <sup>3</sup>							
ø 8.0	80*/60	-	10.35	23.52	-	7.39	13.50
	100*/80	-	10.35	31.36	-	9.44	15.25
	120/100	-	10.35	32.80	-	10.78	15.25
	140*/100	40	10.35	32.80	7.23	10.78	15.25
	160/100	55	10.35	32.80	7.98	10.78	15.25
	200/100	55	10.35	32.80	7.98	10.78	15.25
	240/100	55	10.35	32.80	7.98	10.78	15.25
	280/100	55	10.35	32.80	7.98	10.78	15.25
	320/100	55	10.35	32.80	7.98	10.78	15.25
	440*/100	55	10.35	32.80	7.98	10.78	15.25
<b>C24</b> ρ <sub>k</sub> =350kg/m <sup>3</sup>							
ø 8.0	80*/60	-	2.79	6.29	-	3.54	6.06
	100*/80	-	2.79	8.38	-	4.53	7.37
	120/100	-	2.79	10.48	-	5.51	7.90
	140*/100	40	2.79	10.48	3.40	6.35	7.90
	160/100	60	2.79	10.48	3.98	6.35	7.90
	200/100	75	2.79	10.48	4.43	6.35	7.90
	240/100	75	2.79	10.48	4.43	6.35	7.90
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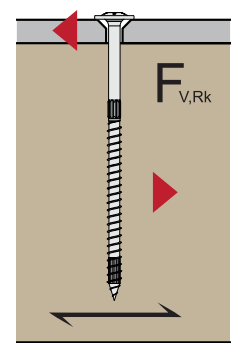
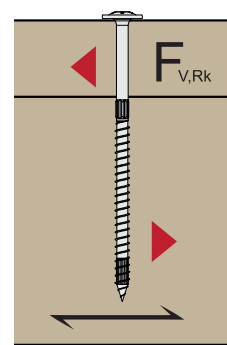
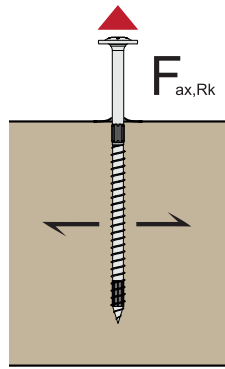
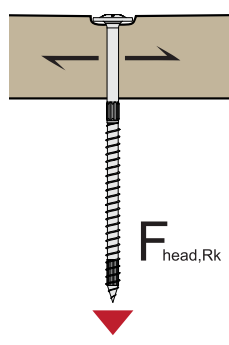
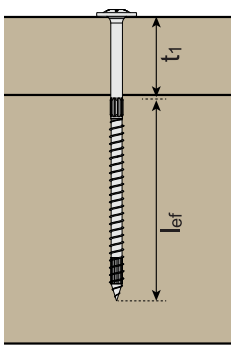
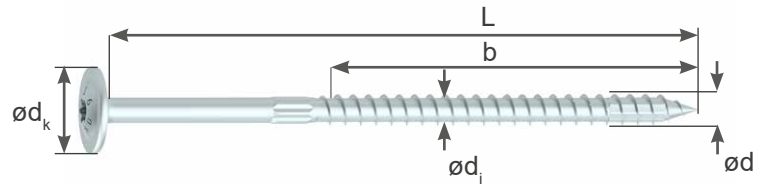
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8.0	160/100	60	9.87	2.42	10.48	4.00	5.75	1.09	6.35	7.90	1.36	

Axial axis to grain: 30° - 90°, F<sub>ax,Rk</sub> = thread withdrawal, F<sub>head,Rk</sub> = head pull through, F<sub>v,Rk</sub> = shear (// to grain 0° - ⊥ to grain 90°), wood/steel plate: l<sub>ef</sub> = thread length b, t<sub>1,min</sub> = minimum wood thickness, t<sub>1,max</sub> = maximum wood thickness add-on part (L-b), F<sub>v,Rk,thin</sub> = steel sheet t ≤ d/2, F<sub>v,Rk,thick</sub> = steel sheet t ≥ d

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# Minimum spacing

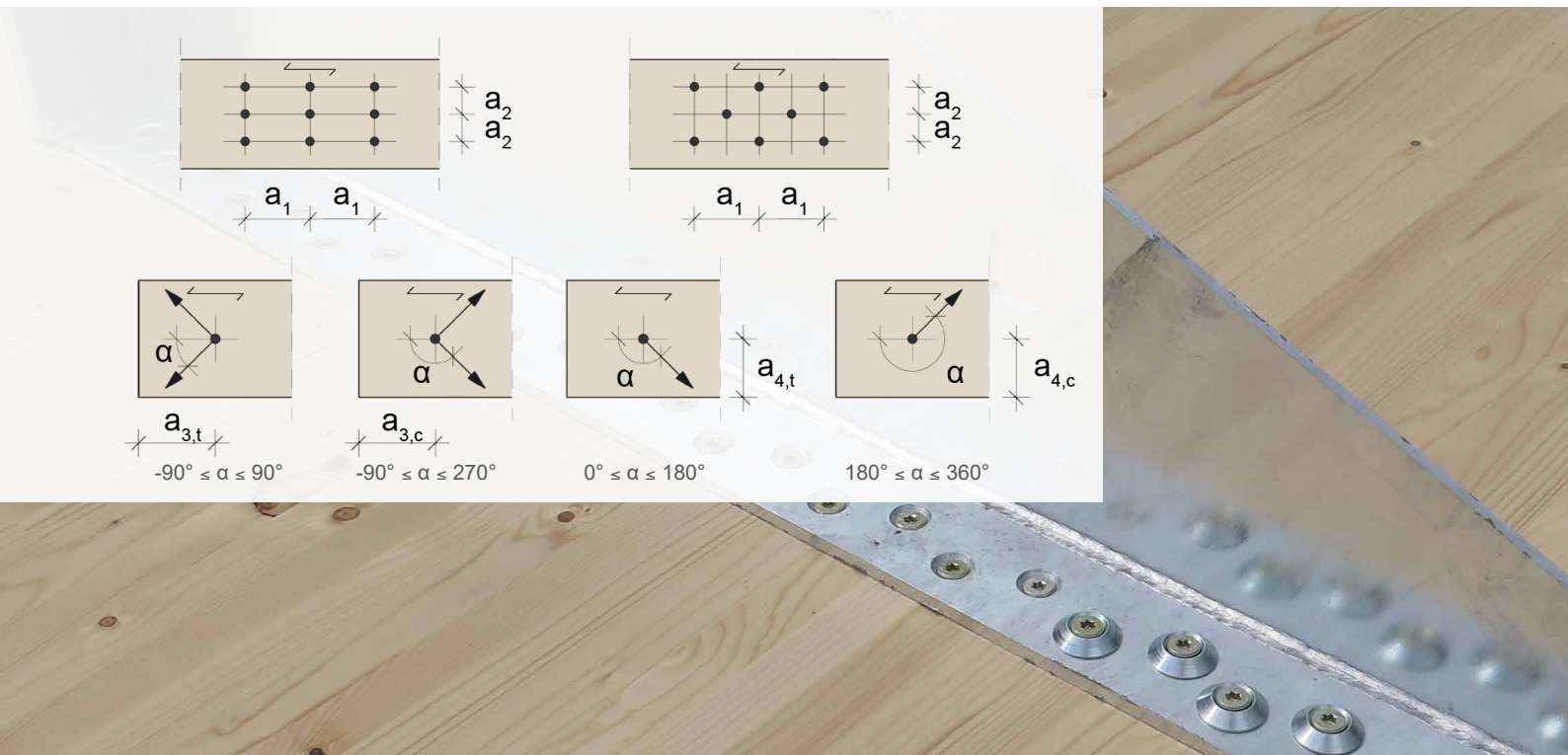
for self-drilling screws RAPID®, StarDrive GPR and for screws with drill bit

		Axial loaded screws		Subjected to axial and shear or only shear stress																	
		Softwood and softwood based materials (predrilled, not-predrilled) and Hardwood (predrilled)		Cross laminated timber		Softwood and softwood based materials (predrilled, not-predrilled) and Hardwood (predrilled)															
		end-grain and side-grain		wide face	narrow face	end-grain and side-grain															
Conditions	a1 x a2	≥ 25 x d²	≥ 21 x d²	-	-	α	Screwing without pre-drilling														
							Screwing in pre-drilled coniferous wood, deciduous wood and LVL deciduous wood*		Screws d < 5 mm in coniferous wood**	Screws d ≥ 5 mm in coniferous wood**	Screws d ≥ 5 mm with HSP in coniferous wood*	RAPID® Hardwood d=8 mm in deciduous wood and LVL beech**									
						d < 5mm	d > 5 mm														
Axial spacing	a1	5 x d	7 x d	4 x d	10 x d	0°	5 x d	10 x d	12 x d	5 x d	15 x d										
						90°	4 x d	5 x d	5 x d	4 x d	7 x d										
Edge distance	a1, c	5 x d		-	-	0°		-	-	-	-										
						90°															
Axial spacing ⊥	a2	2.5 x d	3 x d	2.5 x d	3 x d	0°	3 x d	5 x d		3 x d	7 x d										
						90°	4 x d			4 x d											
Edge distance ⊥	a2, c	4 x d		-	-	0°		-	-	-	-										
						90°															
Edge distance // loaded	a3, t	-	-	6 x d	12 x d	0°	12 x d	15 x d		12 x d	20 x d										
						90°	7 x d	10 x d (15 x d if screw d ≥ 8 and timber thickness t < 5d)		7 x d	15 x d										
Edge distance // unloaded	a3, c	-	-	6 x d	7 x d	0°	7 x d			7 x d	15 x d										
						90°															
Edge distance ⊥ loaded	a4, t	-	-	6 x d	5 x d	0°	3 x d	5 x d	5 x d	3 x d	7 x d										
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Edge distance ⊥ unloaded	a4, c	-	-	2.5 x d	3 x d	0°	3 x d	5 x d (3 x d if a1 and a3 min. 25 x d, even if timber thickness t < 5d)		3 x d	7 x d										
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Distance between screws in screw cross	a cross	1.5 x d																			
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- If the timber does not meet the minimum thickness, it should generally be pre-drilled
- Pre-drilling diameter: d<sub>i</sub> (-0.5/+1.0) for coniferous wood d<sub>i</sub> (-0/+0.5) for deciduous wood and LVL
- Woods at risk of splintering (e.g. Douglas fir, silver fir) should be pre-drilled or use a higher minimum thickness according to EN1995-1-1
- Drilled holes for positioning, guidance or orientation are NOT PRE-DRILLED
- All screws (d ≥ 5 mm) may be screwed into deciduous wood and LVL beech up to 10d in length without pre-drilling; the distances for RAPID® Hardwood should be observed

- The minimum binding anchoring depth for screws is 4d, or 20d in end wood.
- The minimum anchoring depth for CLT is 4d on the face side and 10d on the narrow edge (front face)

d = outer thread diameter, d<sub>i</sub> = thread core diameter,  
 α = angle between direction of force and direction of grain  
 \*See EN1995-1-1, table 8.2 how nails are pre-drilled  
 \*\*See EN1995-1-1, table 8.2 how nails are not pre-drilled



## Information

- Geometry and mechanical properties correspond to ETA 12/0373.
- In connections between main and secondary beams, the main beam must be able to adequately with stand torsion and fixed with fork support.
- The values stated for main/secondary beam connections only apply to vertically oriented loads. Any transverse stress must be verified separately.
- The rope effect has been factored into the calculation of shear-off values.
- partial thread, Z-9.1-435 for StarDrive GPR, Z-9.1-656 for RAPID® fullthread, these lower values are only intended as guidance.
- Characteristic values  $F_{Rk}$ : Design according to EC5 and ETA 12/0373, these values should be used for calculations
- The design value of the ultimate limit state  $F_{v,Rd}$  for the final design of the timber connection is taken from the characteristic values as follows:

$$F_{Rd} = \frac{F_{Rk} \cdot k_{mod}}{Y_m}$$

- $F_{Rd}$  ... Design value of ultimate limit state subjected to shear-off stress or tension depending on connection  
 $F_{Rk}$  ... characteristic value of ultimate limit state subjected to shear-off stress or tension depending on connection  
 $Y_m, k_{mod}$  ... Additional values from corresponding national norms