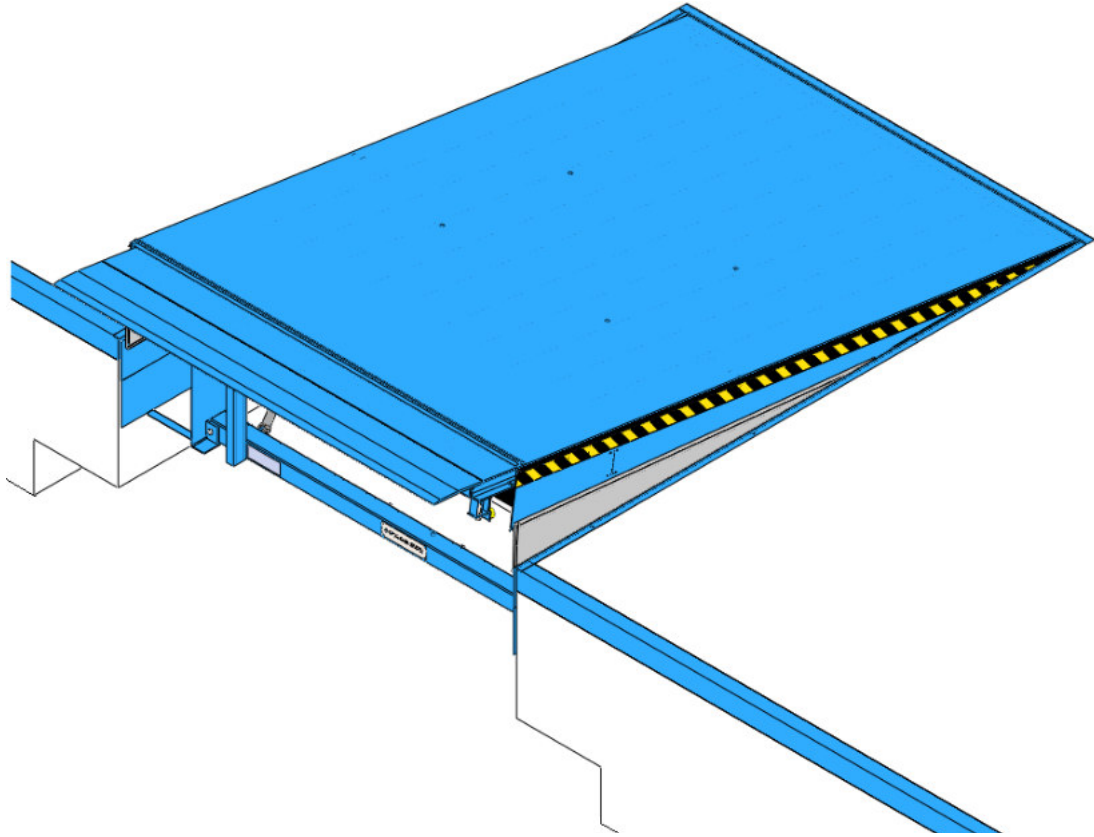


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Industrial Doors



Product datasheet

Hydraulic dock leveller with telescopic lip

Type: PT2

Load capacity: 100 kN

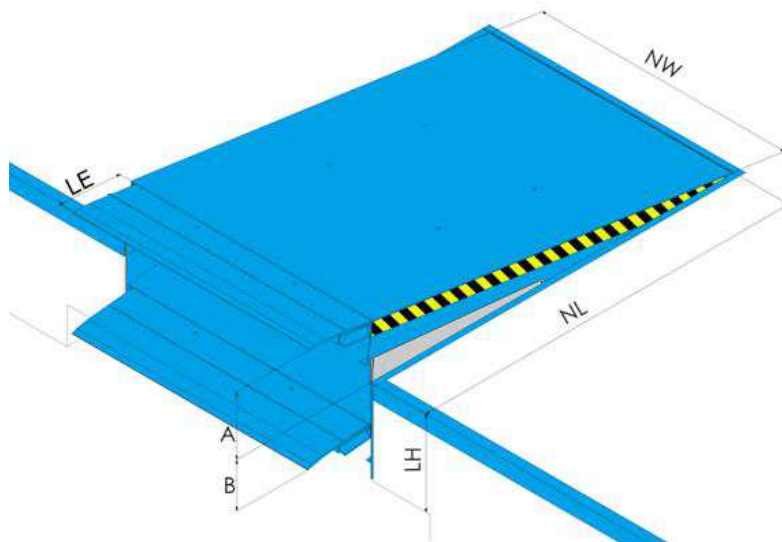
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General information

The PT2 stationary dock leveller with telescopic lip is a new product of NextGen's wide product range. This top-quality product benefits from over 25 years of experience in the field of design and manufacture of docking technology. The hydraulic version of the PT2 leveller is operated at the touch of a button and after exact positioning of the telescopic lip automatically follows the movements of the vehicle during the loading or unloading process (automatic floating position). The big advantage of this type of dock leveller is the maximum flexibility of the lip length. Thanks to this feature effective loading and unloading even of vehicles that are not completely correctly positioned can be guaranteed and time-consuming and complicated repositioning of the vehicle is not necessary. The PT2 dock leveller is supplied including frame and installed in the pit as a compact unit in just one step. Additional supports are not necessary. Considerable savings in installation and its tail-lift recess, i.e. the possibility to accommodate tail lifts, are the big advantages of this type of installation. Alternative frame types are available depending on the individual building situation. The load capacity corresponds to the axle load limit taking into consideration the most unfavourable loading case. The NextGen dock levellers meet all requirements of the European standard Norm EN 1398.

Overview



- NL Nominal length
- NW Nominal width
- LE Lip extension
- LH Leveller height
- A Level equalisation above dock
- B Level equalisation below dock

In accordance with the EN 1398 standard, the leveller must not be used beyond the permissible gradient range of $\pm 12.5\%$ (ca. $\pm 7^\circ$). The limits may only be exceeded if the operator ensures that the danger of slipping has been eliminated (e.g. due to dry and clean surfaces).

Dock leveller		LE=500	
NL	LH	A	B
2000	700	315	405
2500	700	450	400
3000	700	430	380
3500	800	500	500
Nominal width (NW) 2000 and 2200 for all sizes		All dimensions in mm.	

Load capacity for all sizes 100 kN (dynamic), 140 kN (static)
Other load capacities and sizes on request.

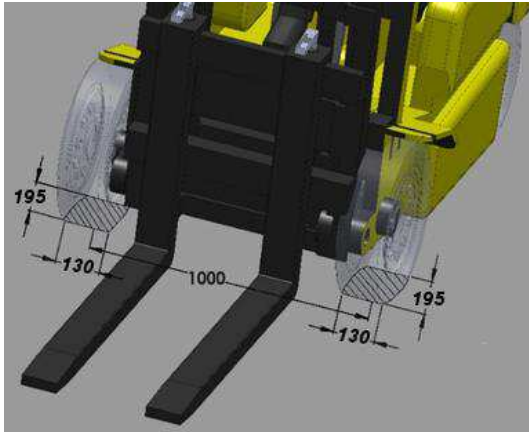
Standard parameters

Lip (steel)	Angled lip, lip length: 500 mm Chamfered section: 40 mm Tear-plate thickness: 15 mm/17 mm
Platform	Tear-plate thickness: 10 mm/12mm
Frame	T frame (leveller frame to be embedded in concrete) W frame (in combination with a pre-frame) Pit frame (only for pits without tail-lift) NL ≤ 3000 mm
Surface	Painted, standard colours: RAL 5010, RAL 7016, RAL 9005
Hydraulic unit	Hydraulic unit: (1.5 kW) - 2 lift cylinders with emergency stop valve - 1 lift cylinder for the telescopic lip Standard oil (- 20°C to + 60°C)
Control unit	Control unit with auto button

Options

Lip (steel)	Straight lip, lip length: 500 mm, chamfered section 40 mm Telescopic lip with tapered edges (125 mm on both sides)
Frame	F frame (flat-steel frame for leveller replacement), NL ≤ 3000 mm B frame (box) Stepped version
Surface	Painting in different RAL colours and various layer thicknesses Hot-dip galvanisation
Hydraulic oil	Organic oil (- 20°C to + 60°C) Low-temperature oil (- 30°C to + 40°C)
Control unit	Special control unit with additional options
Others	EPDM sealing Anti-slip coating Platform insulation: ISO panel (thickness: 40 mm, 60 mm) ISO KIT (40 mm/ 60 mm/ 80 mm panels) Front curtain

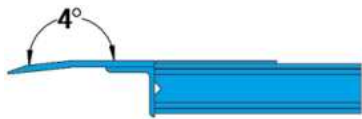
Design characteristics



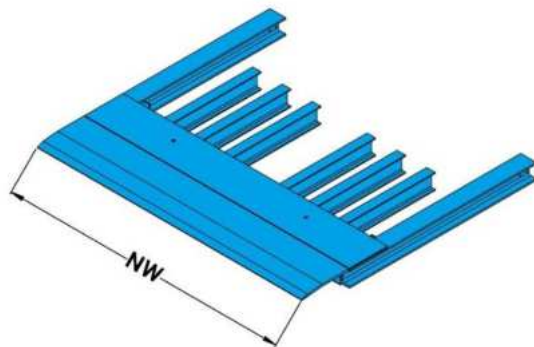
The PT2 telescopic lip leveller is provided with the CE and meets all requirements of the EN 1398 standard. The standard load capacity of 100 kN (dynamic axle load) corresponds to the EN 1398 standard for a forklift wheel contact surface of 130x195 mm. Higher concentrated loads as well as higher load capacities are available on request at short notice

Telescopic lip

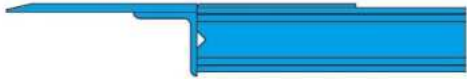
Standard telescopic lip



The angled telescopic lip is made of a 15/17 mm tear-plate. For ergonomic reasons, the front part of the lip is bent by 4° and provided with a 40 mm ground section so that also very low vehicles can be loaded and unloaded without any problems. Other designs can of course be delivered on request. Trouble-free operation is guaranteed due to the easily accessible, low-maintenance telescopic lip which needs no cleaning.



Telescopic lip options

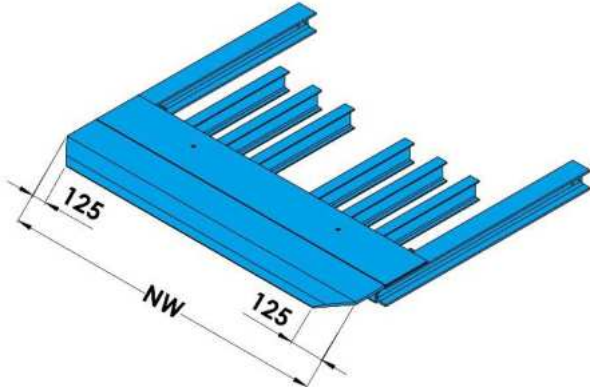


Straight telescopic lip

The straight version of the telescopic lip lip is recommended if the vehicle lorry bed is lower than the ramp height, i.e. mainly negative level equalizations are required. In doing so, the transition from the telescopic lip to the truck lorry bed is very smooth. A chamfered section of 40mm is recommended when loading / unloading vehicles with big and soft wheels are used.

Tapered lip

The most cost-effective way to reduce the contact area of the telescopic lip is to provide it with tapered edges on both sides. This option offers 125 mm bevels on both sides. Recommended for NW > 2,200 mm.



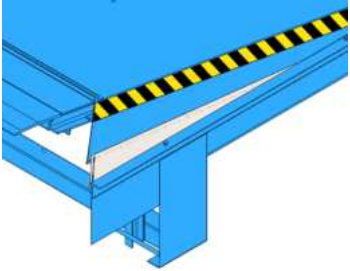
Platform

Tear-plate thickness

The platform is made of high-quality tear plate material (S235JRG2) and supplied with a thickness of 10/12 mm. It is strengthened by means of special reinforcements guaranteeing optimal stability as well as a sufficient transverse torsion strength of up to 10% of the platform's width.

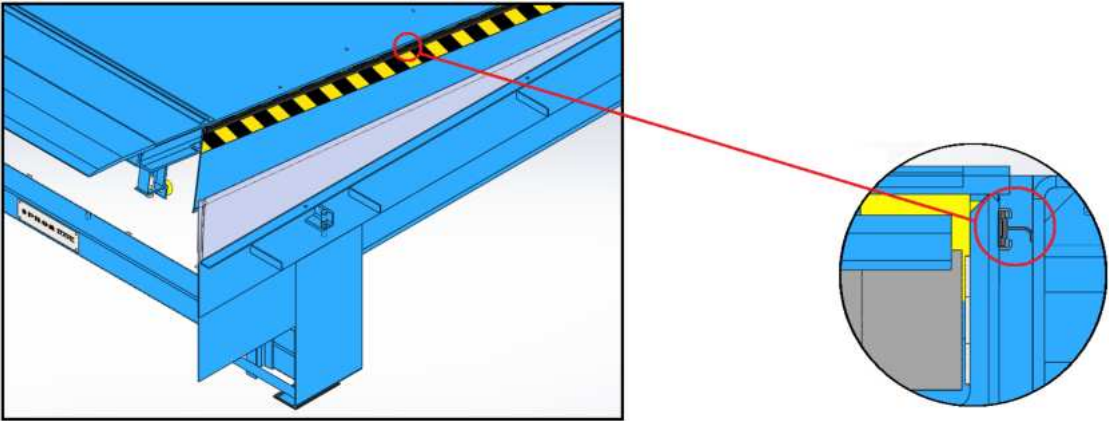
Toe guards

The PT2 dock leveller is always provided with lateral toe guards to prevent foot injuries when the leveller moves downwards.



EPDM sealing

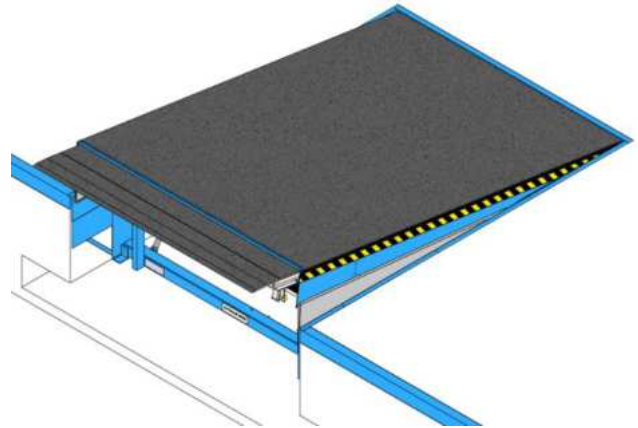
The EPDM sealing is used to seal the gap between the dock leveller and the pit so that draught in the warehouse building is reduced, the staff's working conditions are improved and energy can be saved. The EPDM sealing is installed on the three sides of the leveller.



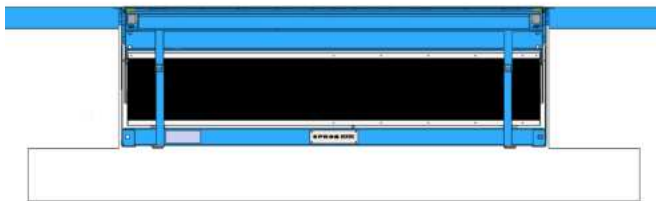
Anti-slip / anti-noise coating

As an option, it is possible to provide the platform and the telescopic lip with a special anti-slip / anti-noise layer. This coating consists of high-elasticity solvent-free polyurethane with a material thickness of 3-4 mm filled with sharp-edge broken basalt (grain size 1-1.6 mm).

This type of coating guarantees a high degree of anti-slip and anti-noise protection and is applied to profiled material. That's why the requirements of DIN EN 1398 regarding slip prevention are met even if this coating is damaged.



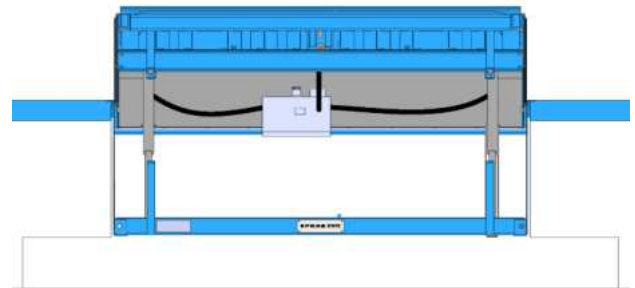
Front curtain



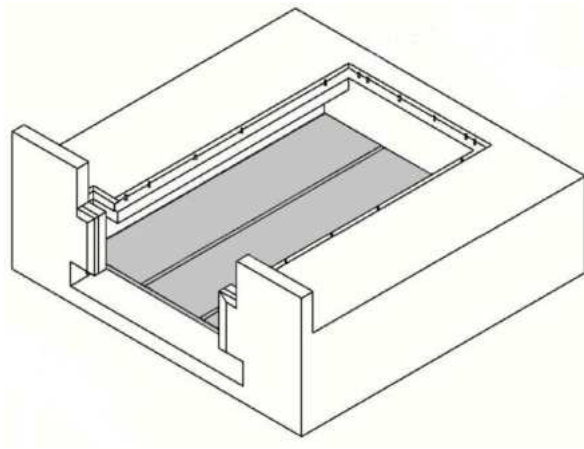
The PVC front curtain prevents draught and dirt from getting under the dock leveller.

Platform insulation

In these days, energy saving is an important topic. Therefore, it is essential to optimally insulate the docking station. If the dock leveller is located outside the door opening, the platform insulation panel prevents cold or warm air from entering the warehouse inner area. The leveller platform is insulated by means of 40 mm or 60 mm insulation panels. To guarantee best possible sealing effect, it is recommended to combine the platform insulation with the EPDM sealing.



ISO-KIT



Although the docking station is provided with a dock leveller being mounted inside the building, a dock shelter being mounted outside the building and an insulated sectional door, a lot of energy gets out of the building via the dock leveller.

Installing ISO panels under the dock leveller minimizes temperatures losses, especially in temperature-controlled warehouses.

The ISO panel used consists of two outer layers with an insulation layer made of PUR hard foam and provides excellent insulation characteristics. This panel is available in thicknesses of 40 mm, 60 mm and 80 mm.

Surface treatment

Painting

Before final assembly, the individual components of the dock leveller are sandblasted and provided with a two-component paint. Standard RAL colours are RAL 5010, RAL 7016 and RAL 9005 in a layer thickness of 80 μm (corrosion protection class C2-M). Further RAL colours and layer thicknesses of up to 160 μm (corrosion protection class C3-H) are available as an option. To increase corrosion protection, the dock leveller can also be delivered with hot-dip galvanized steel parts.

Hydraulic unit

The dock leveller is operated by means of a tried and tested under-oil hydraulic unit (1,5 kW). The closed system stands out for its high reliability even under very difficult operating conditions. We offer special hydraulic oils for use with low-temperature applications.

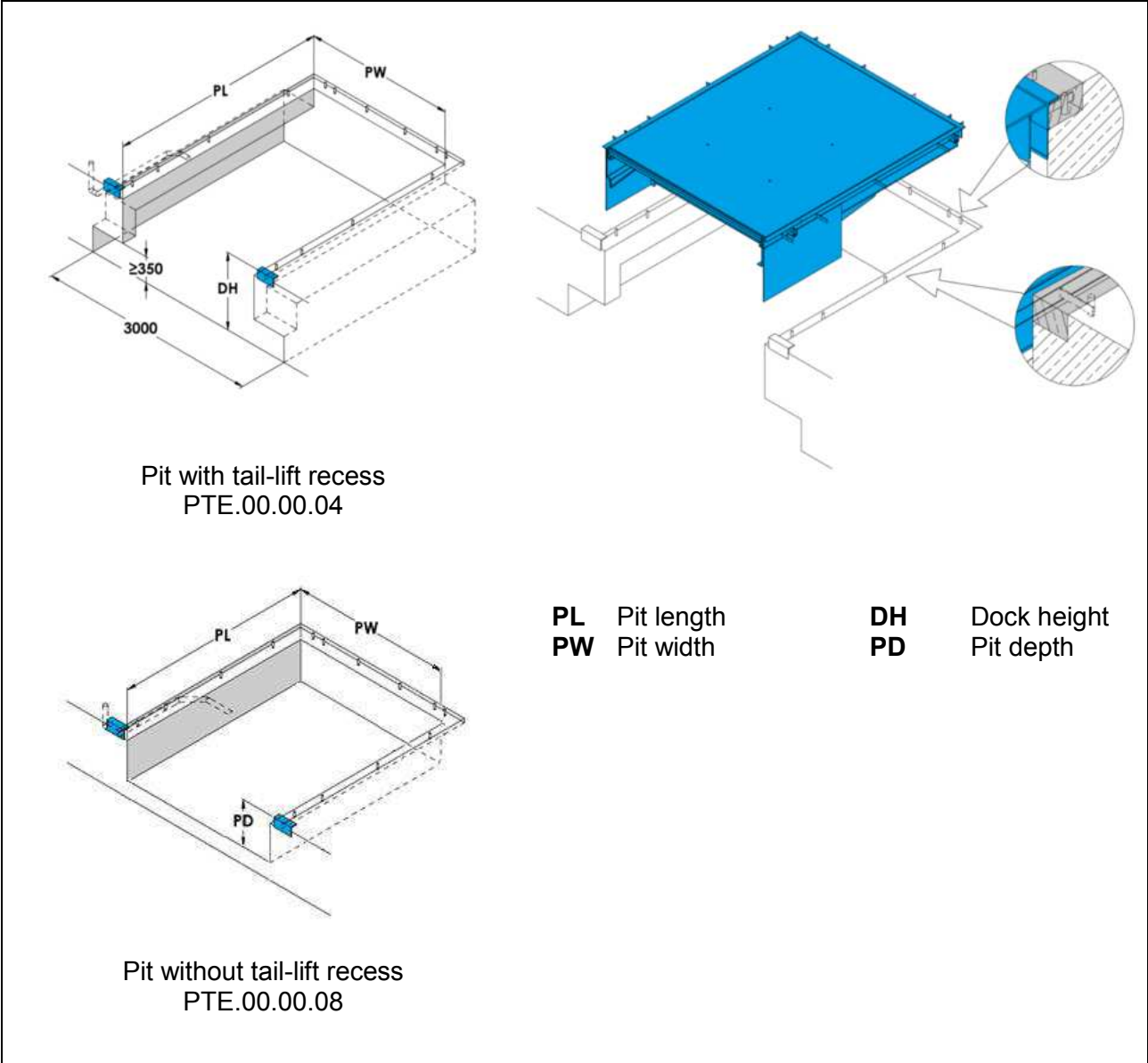
The dock leveller is lifted by means of two cylinders (\varnothing 40 mm) to ensure safe positioning even if the lorry leaves the dock during loading or unloading. In this case the down movement of the leveller has to be stopped; this is guaranteed by means of special emergency valves in the lift cylinders.

The telescopic lip is advanced by means of a cylinder with a piston rod of 22 mm in diameter (for a telescopic lip of 500 mm).

Frames / pits

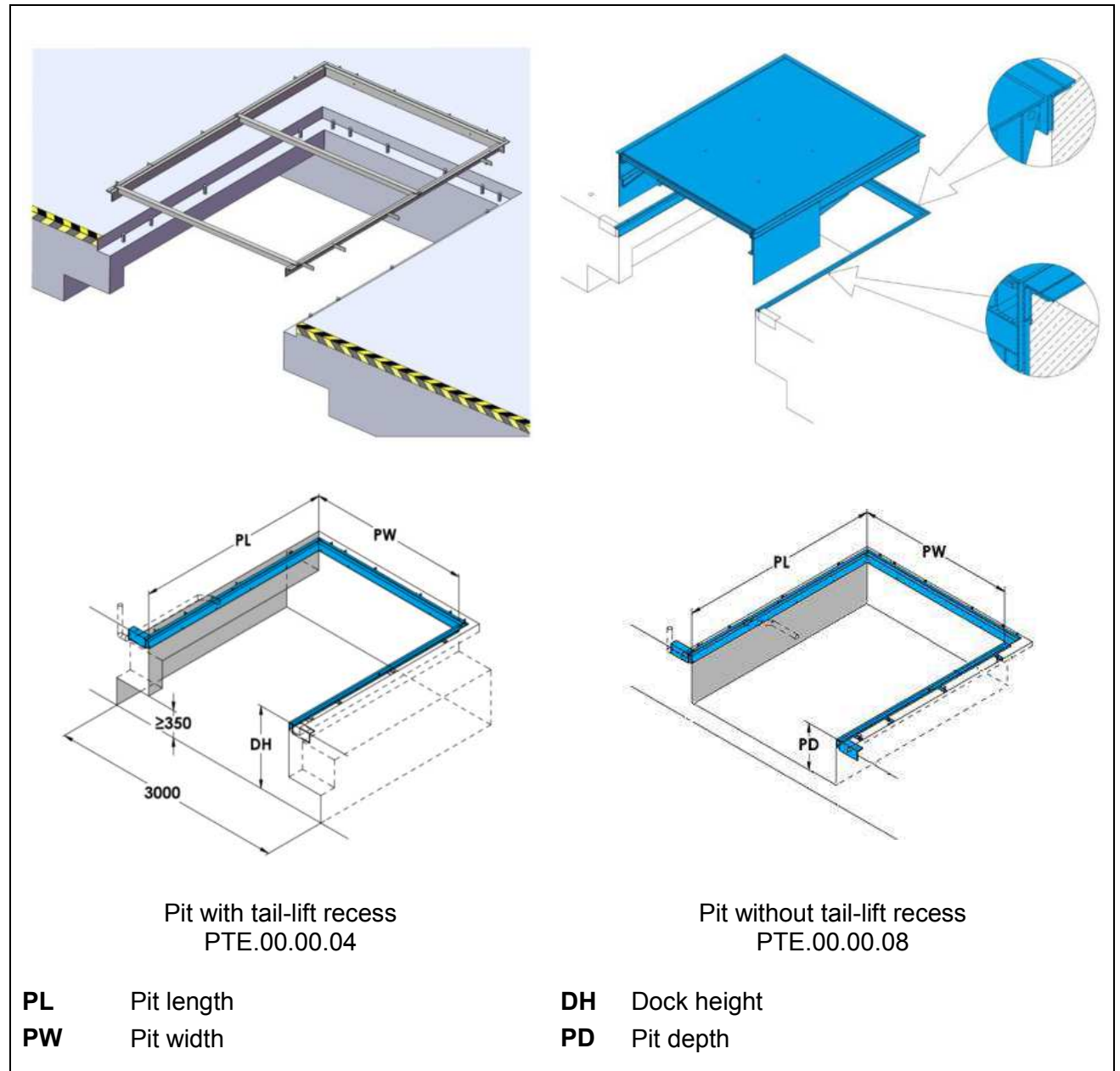
T frame (to be embedded in concrete)

The leveller is directly cast into concrete including its frame.
 Advantage: fast and clean installation in one step.



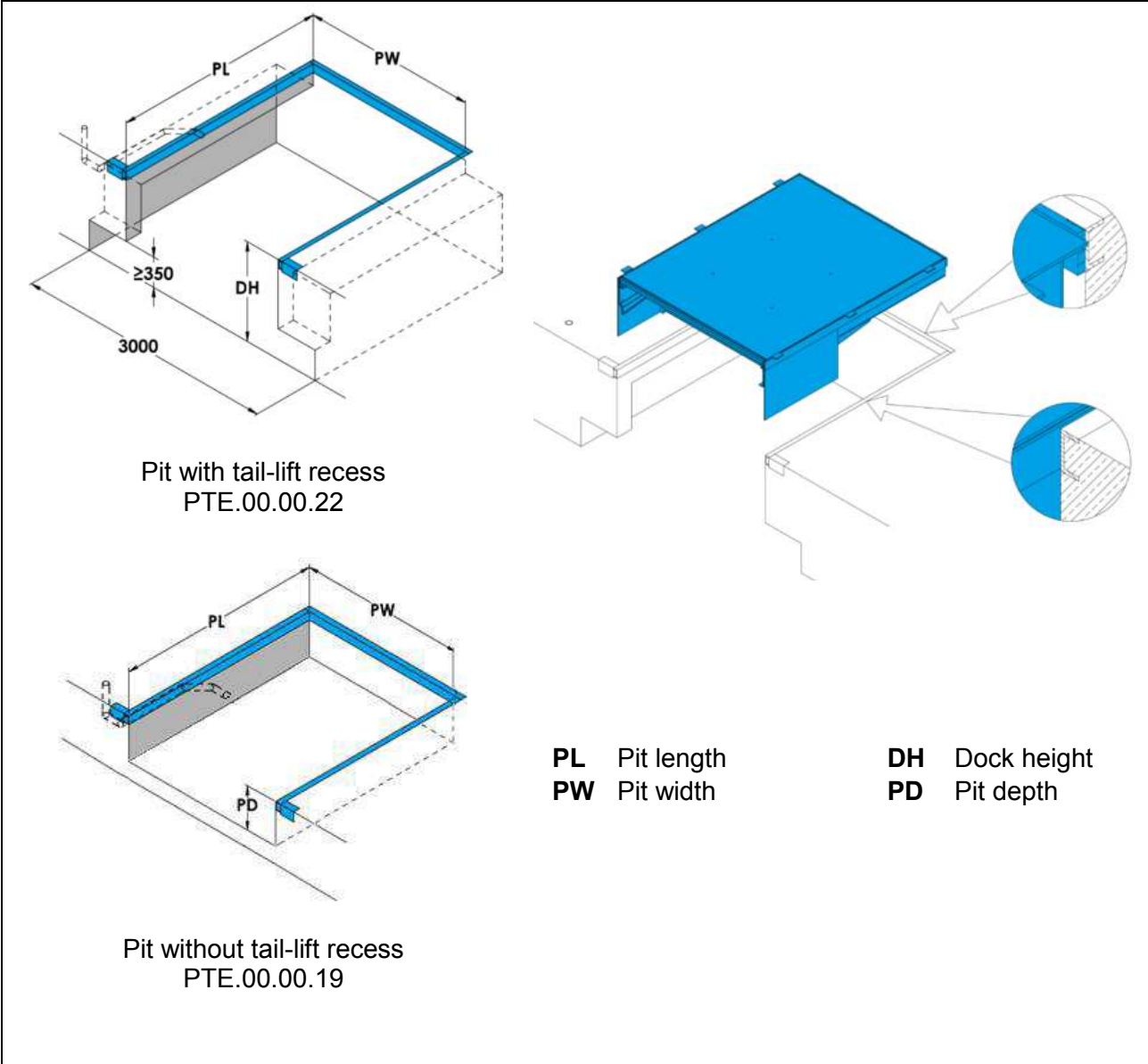
W frame (in combination with a pre-frame)

The frame can be mounted to the floor slab already before installation of the dock leveller itself. The leveller is then welded to the pre-installed frame. Pit preparations are identical for T and W-type frames so that maximum flexibility is guaranteed.



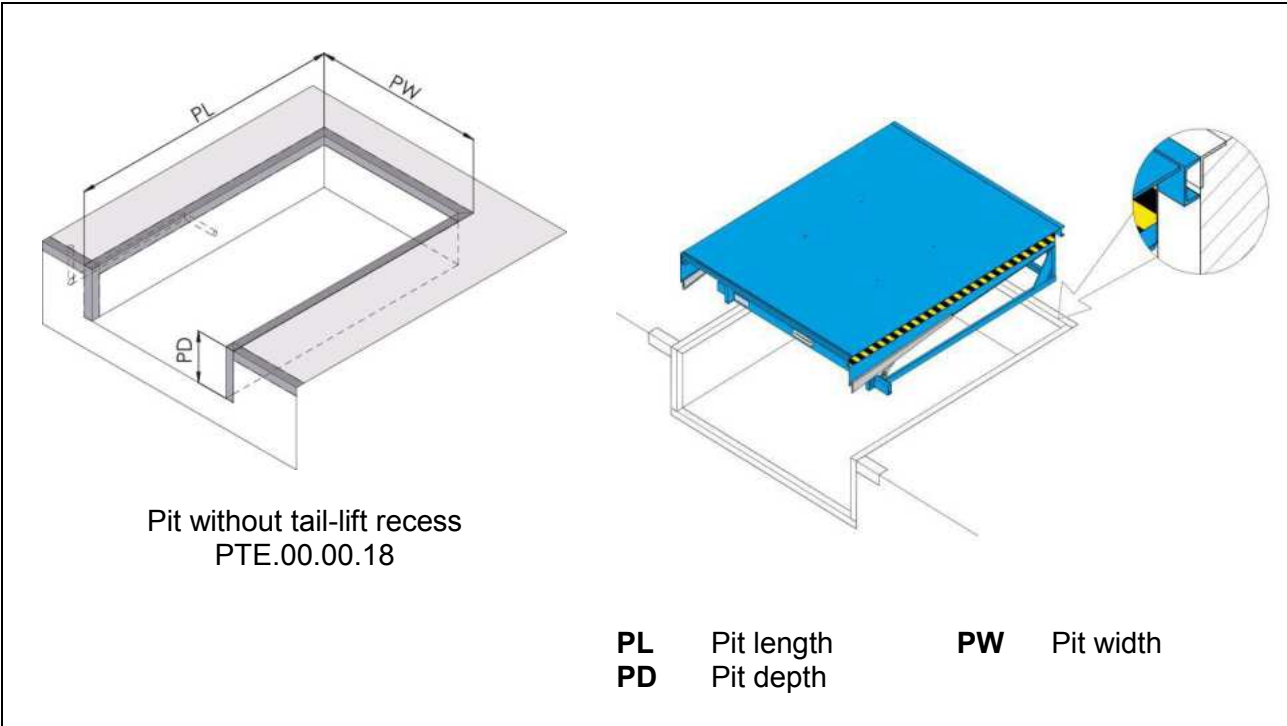
F frame (flat steel frame for leveller replacement)

This type of frame is used for easy and fast replacement of existing dock levellers. With the F-type frame the existing leveller is cut out of the pit and replaced by a new one. The existing frame is used again if it is not damaged and if its load capacity is sufficient. Thus, concrete work is not required.



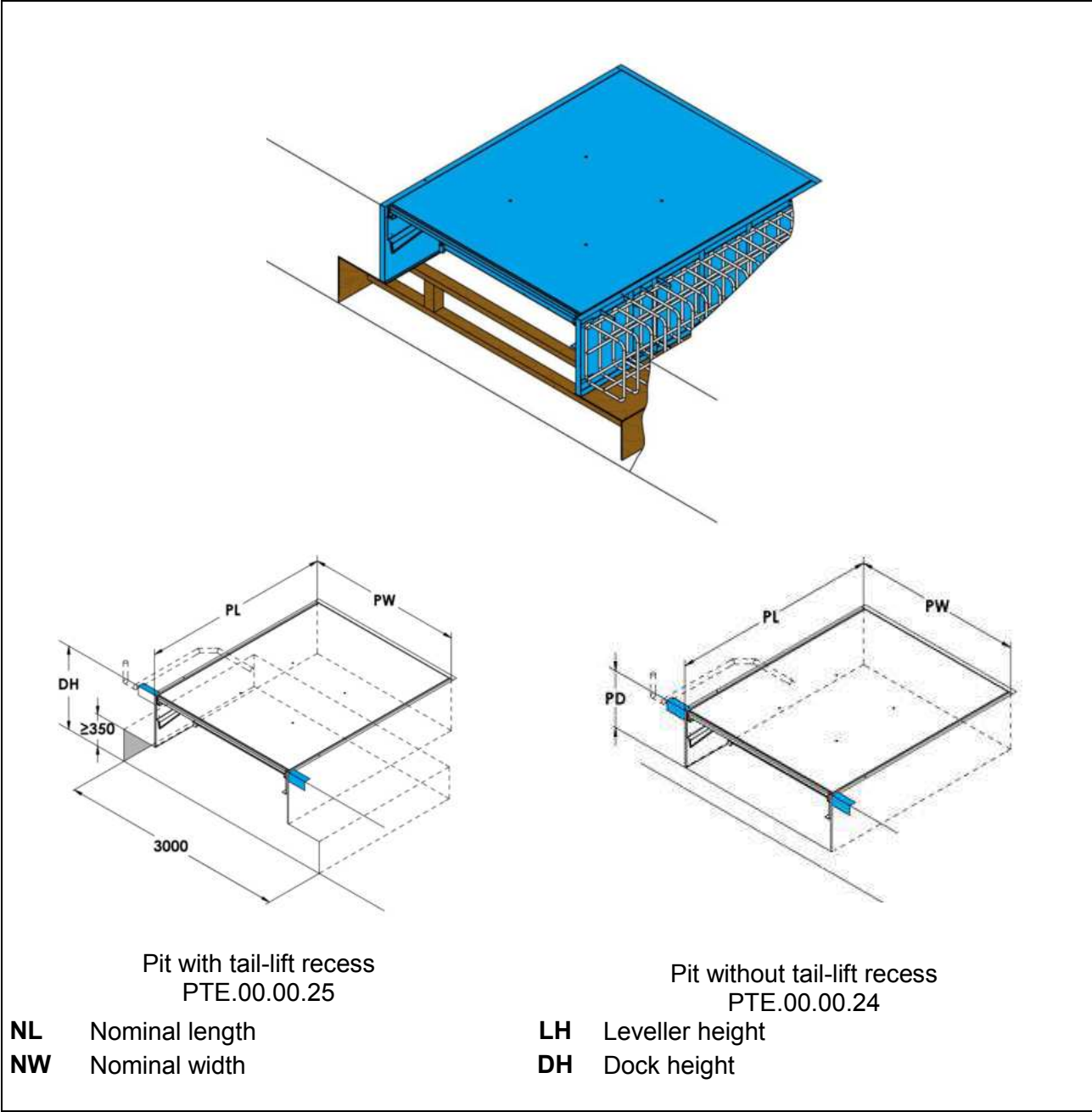
P frame (mounted in the pit)

Fast and cost-effective installation of the leveller; only for pits without tail-lift recess



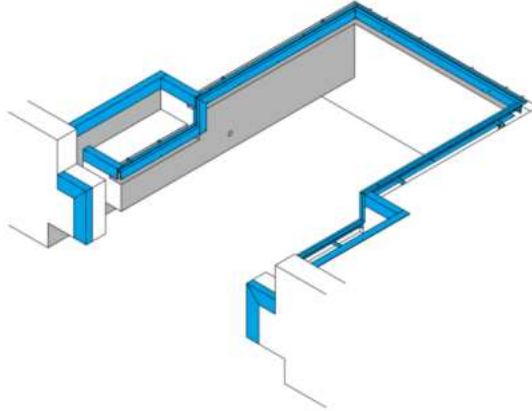
B (box)

No need to prepare a standard installation pit. Preparation of the building floor slab is much easier as boarding work is not necessary.



Stepped version

This type of installation is used when the lorry bed height is lower than the height of the ramp. In this case, the pit is provided with spaces on the right and on the left side of the leveller so that opening the vehicle doors for a docked-in lorry is possible without any problems.



Control units

Standard DOCKController PT (PBES 2 MV 16)



Main switch

"Lift" button to lift the platform

"Extend" button to position the lip on the lorry

"Auto" button (to return the leveller to its resting position by shortly pushing this button)

Connection possibility: leveller/door interlock / door/leveller interlock

Option PROMControl (PBES 2 MV 814)



Main switch

"Lift" button to lift the platform

"Extend" button to position the lip on the lorry

"Auto" button (to return the leveller to its resting position by shortly pushing this button)

Possibility of connecting a wheel chock, a vehicle detection system, traffic lights, a dock shelter and a door locking system

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Including door operation button

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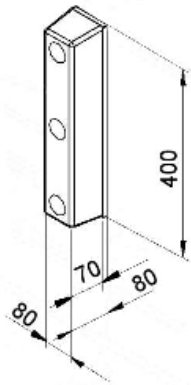
Including door operation button and button for inflatable dock shelter

Accessories

Buffers

Fixed buffers as well as movable buffers are designed to absorb impact during the docking process protecting both the vehicle and the docking system. All rubber elements of our NextGen buffer series are made of high-quality rubber ensuring a long service life.

Fixed-position buffers



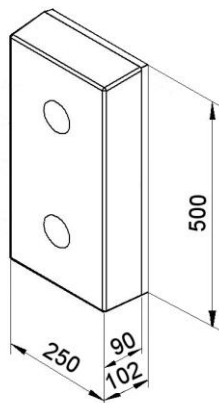
PGF 70

Rubber element (thickness 70 mm) with plate (hot-dip galvanized)

Standard high-quality rubber buffer with a high resistance to wear and tear for lower loading frequencies

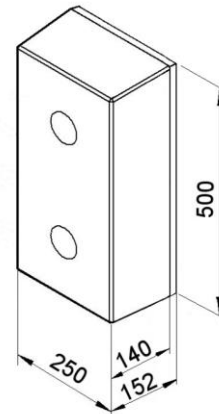
PGF 90

Rubber element (thickness 90 mm) with plate (hot-dip galvanized)



PGF 140

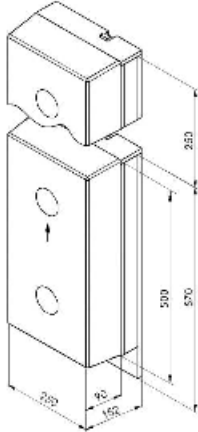
Rubber element (thickness 140 mm) with plate (hot-dip galvanized)



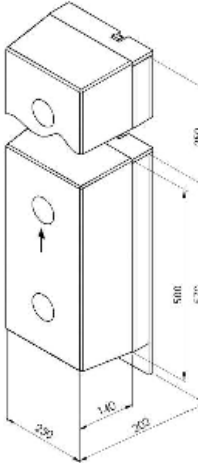
PGF 90 and PGF 140 are designed for extremely high impact forces

Height-adjustable buffers

PGV 90
Buffer with vertical guide
(rubber element: thickness 90 mm)



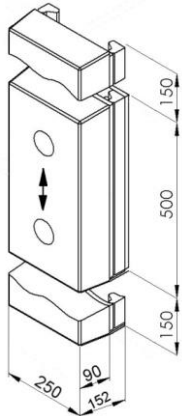
PGV 140
Buffer with vertical rail guide
(Rubber element: thickness 140 mm)



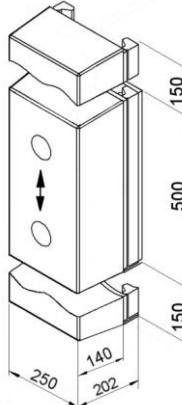
These buffers are used for loading and unloading of vehicles whose lorry beds are higher than dock level. Height-adjustable buffers can be lifted by up to 250 mm above dock edge. During loading and unloading the buffer adjusts to the lorry's vertical movements. It moves up to 50 mm upwards and 250 mm downwards. Thus, the buffer's wear is reduced to minimum and its durability is extended. After docking the buffer can be fixed at dock level so that the lorry tailgates can be opened.

Floating buffers

PGB 90
Buffer with vertical guide
(Rubber element: thickness 90 mm)



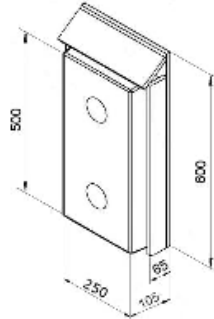
PGB 140
Buffer with vertical rail guide
(Rubber element: thickness 140 mm)



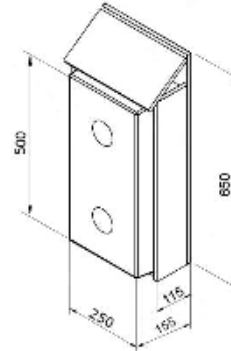
These buffers have the highest possible durability. They follow the lorry's vertical movements by 150 mm upwards and 150 mm downwards so that the buffers' wear is almost reduced to zero.

Buffers with protective housing

PGFS 90
Buffer with protective housing
(rubber element: thickness 90 mm)



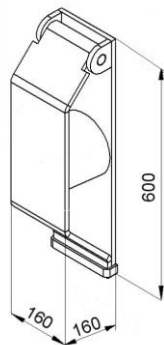
PGFS 140
Buffer with protective housing
(rubber element: thickness 140 mm)



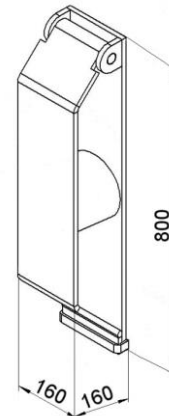
For higher impact loads buffers with protective housing are recommended. The sloped protective plate prevents the buffers from being heavily damaged. Thanks to the lateral flat steel guides the fixing bolts of rubber buffers are optimally protected against shearing.

Spring-steel buffer

PGS 600
Spring-steel buffer with plate (hot-dip galvanized)
Spring-steel plate (t=15 mm) and rubber buffer (Ø 130 mm)



PGS 800
Spring-steel buffer with plate (hot-dip galvanized)
Spring-steel plate (t=15 mm) and rubber buffer (Ø 130mm)



Spring-steel buffers provide optimum protection for heavy-duty loading and unloading. These buffers stand out for their excellent shock-absorbing characteristics, maximum resistance to wear and long service life. During loading/unloading only the buffer steel plate gets into contact with the vehicle. Thus, normal tear of the surface caused by the vehicle's height movements is excluded. Costly buffer replacement is avoided and operating costs are reduced. Spring-steel buffers are either welded to the frame or dowelled to the leveller. Optionally, it is possible to mount the buffer 200 mm above the dock edge by means of a support.

Wheel chock



The PZK wheel chock equipped with a position-dependent ultrasonic sensor and connected to the control unit via a robust cable guarantees safety during the whole loading and unloading process. As soon as one of the rear wheels of the lorry is stopped by means of the wheel chock, the leveller control function is “released” so that operation of the dock leveller can be started.

Traffic lights



Inside and outside traffic lights represent a reasonable completion of the docking station. It is recommended to provide the loading station not only with a wheel chock but also with a traffic lights system.

NextGen PBEA traffic lights systems assure communication between the lorry driver and the warehouse staff. They show the driver when the docking station can be approached and left safely. The traffic lights are connected to the NextGen control unit and adjustments/programming can be adapted to your individual requirements.

Dock light



In general, the danger of accidents during loading/unloading is very high due to bad lighting of the docking area. NextGen dock lights provide the best solution for perfect lighting of the docking area and the vehicle lorry bed.

Wheel guides



Wheel guides help the truck driver to reverse to the loading bay without any complicated maneuvering actions. They are installed on yard level, either by being cast directly into concrete (types PEK and PEKE) or by being bolted on the ground (types PEF and PEFE); they represent a good and reasonable investment into the safety at your loading bay.

