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## European Technical Assessment

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**Technical Assessment Body issuing the ETA:** Technical and Test Institute  
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**Trade name of the construction product**

R-HLX

**Product family to which the construction  
product belongs**

Product area code: 33  
Concrete screw for use in cracked  
and uncracked concrete

**Manufacturer**

Rawlplug S.A.  
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Poland

**Manufacturing plant**

Manufacturing Plant No 2

**This European Technical Assessment  
contains**

10 pages including 8 Annexes which form  
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Mechanical fasteners for use in concrete

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## 1. Technical description of the product

The R-HLX concrete screw in sizes of 10, 12 and 14 is made of carbon steel with coating.

The anchor is screwed into a drilled cylindrical hole. The special thread of the anchor cuts an internal thread into the member while setting. The anchorage is characterised by mechanical interlock in the special thread.

The installed anchor is shown in Annex A1.

## 2. Specification of the intended use in accordance with the applicable EAD

The performances given in Section 3 are only valid if the anchor is used in compliance with the specifications and conditions given in Annex B.

The provisions made in this European Technical Assessment are based on an assumed working life of the anchor of 50 years. The indications given on the working life cannot be interpreted as a guarantee given by the producer, but are to be regarded only as a means for choosing the products in relation to the expected economically reasonable working life of the works.

## 3. Performance of the product and references to the methods used for its assessment

### 3.1 Mechanical resistance and stability (BWR 1)

Essential characteristic	Performance
Characteristic resistance (static and quasi-static loading)	See Annex C 1 and C 2
Displacement	See Annex C 1 and C 2

### 3.2 Safety in case of fire (BWR 2)

Essential characteristic	Performance
Reaction to fire	Class A1 according to EN 13501-1
Resistance to fire	No performance assessed

## 4. Assessment and verification of constancy of performance (AVCP) system applied with reference to its legal base

According to the Decision 96/582/EC of the European Commission<sup>1</sup>, the system 1 of assessment verification of constancy of performance (see Annex V to the Regulation (EU) No 305/2011) apply.

## 5. Technical details necessary for the implementation of the AVCP system, as provided in the applicable EAD

Technical details necessary for the implementation of the AVCP system are laid down in the control plan deposited at Technical and Test Institute for Construction Prague.

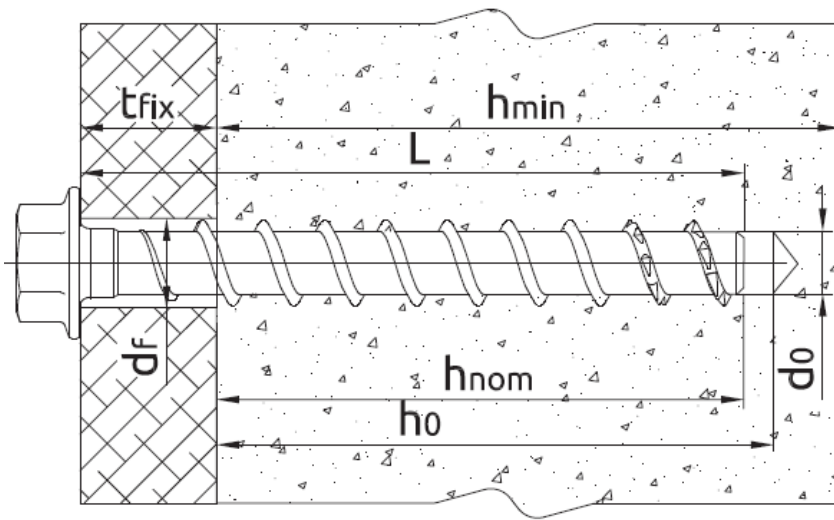
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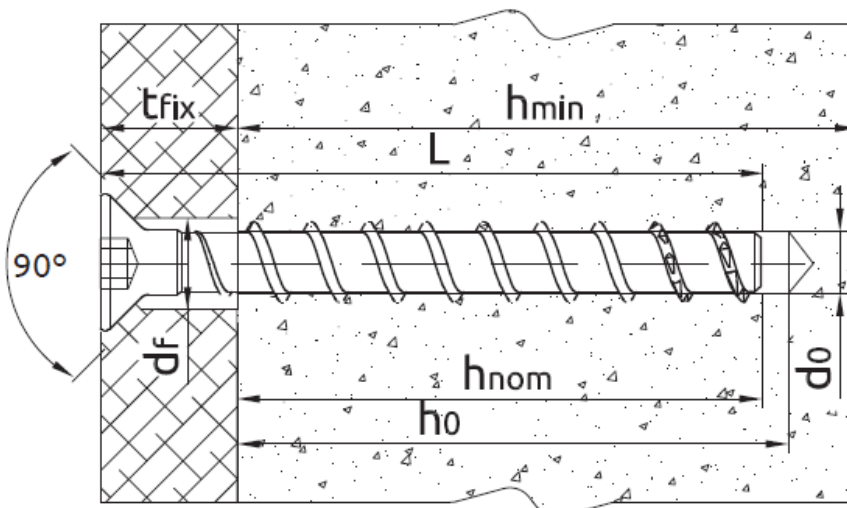
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<sup>1</sup> Official Journal of the European Communities L 254 08.10.1996

**R-HLX-HF - Installed screw**



**R-HLX-CS - Installed screw**



**R-HLX**

**Product description**  
Installed conditions

**Annex A 1**

**Table A1 - Materials**

Material
Carbon steel; rupture elongation $A_5 \geq 12\%$
Galvanized zinc plating ( $\geq 5 \mu\text{m}$ ), acc ISO 4042 or
Zinc flake ( $\geq 5 \mu\text{m}$ ), acc. ISO 10683

**R-HLX – Types**

Type	Design
R-HLX-HF	
R-HLX-CS	
HLX-SI	

**R-HLX and HLX-SI – Marking**



Marking:  
 R-HLX Identifying mark of the producer  
 D x L, where:  
 D – screw size [mm], e. g. 10  
 L – length of a screw [mm], e. g. 100

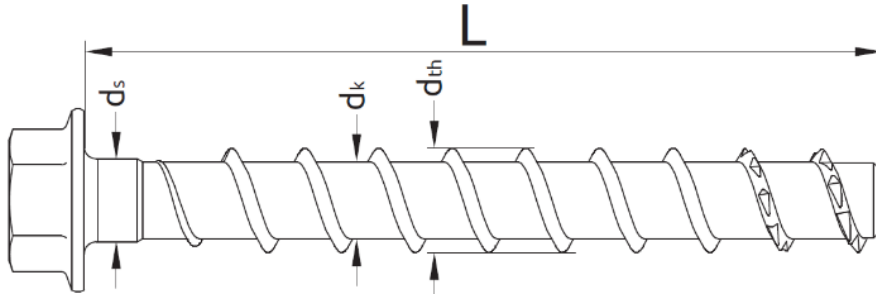


HLX-SI-12x100-ZF head

<b>R-HLX</b>	<b>Annex A 2</b>
<b>Product description</b>	
Materials Marking	

**Table A2 - Dimensions**

Nominal diameter	$d_{nom}$	[mm]	10	12	14
Threaded outer diameter	$d_{th}$	[mm]	12,7	14,9	16,9
Core diameter	$d_k$	[mm]	9,3	11,5	13,3
Shaft diameter	$d_s$	[mm]	9,8	11,95	13,85
Head sizes R-HLX-HF	Sw	[-]	SW15	SW17	SW21
Head sizes CS	T	[-]	T50	T50	T50



**R-HLX**

**Product description**  
Dimensions

**Annex A 2**

## Specifications of intended use

### Anchorage subject to:

- Static and quasi-static loads.

### Base materials

- Cracked or uncracked concrete.
- Reinforced or unreinforced normal weight concrete of strength class C20/25 at minimum and C50/60 at maximum according EN 206:2013+A1:2016.

### Use conditions (Environmental conditions)

- Structures subject to dry internal conditions.

### Design:

- The anchorages are designed under the responsibility of an engineer experienced in anchorages and concrete work.
- The anchorages are designed in accordance with the EN 1992-4:2018 and Technical Report TR 055, Edition February 2018.
- Verifiable calculation notes and drawings are prepared taking account of the loads to be anchored. The position of the anchor is indicated on the design drawings (e.g. positions of the fastener relative to reinforcement or to support, etc.).

### Installation:

- Anchor installation carried out by appropriately qualified personnel and under the supervision of the person responsible for technical matters of the site.
- Use of the anchor only as supplied by the manufacturer without exchanging any components of the anchor.
- Anchor installation in accordance with the manufacturer's specifications and drawings using the appropriate tools.
- Effective anchoring depth, edge distance and spacing not less than the specified values without minus tolerance.
- In case of aborted drill hole: new drilling at a minimum distance away of twice the depth of the aborted hole or smaller distance if the aborted drill hole is filled with high strength mortar and if under shear or oblique tension load it is not in the direction of load application.

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Intended use  
Specifications

Annex B 1

**Table B1 - Installation parameters for standard embedment depth**

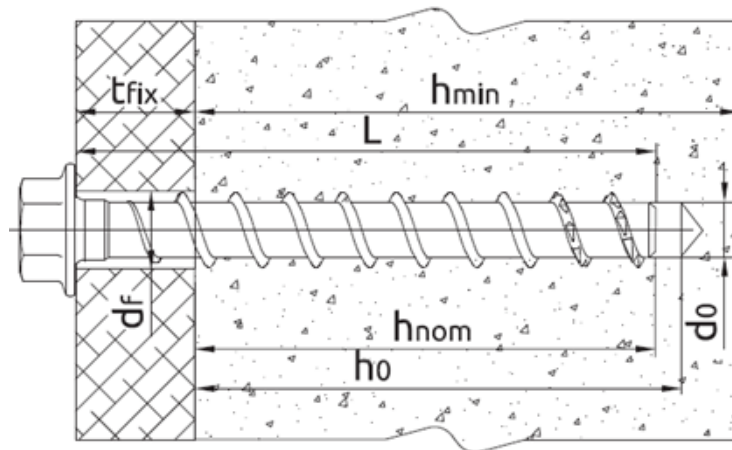
Type	Drill hole diameter	Maximum cutting diameter	Nominal embedment depth	Min. hole depth	Max. hole diameter in fixture	Maximum installation torque	Minimum thickness of concrete member	Minimum spacing	Minimum edge distance
	$d_0$ [mm]	$d_{cut,max}$ [mm]	$h_{nom}$ [mm]	$h_0$ [mm]	$d_f$ [mm]	$T_{imp,max}$ [Nm]	$h_{min}$ [mm]	$S_{min}$ [mm]	$C_{min}$ [mm]
R-HLX 10	10	10,45	85	95	14	1000	130	60	60
R-HLX 12	12	12,45	100	110	16	1000	155	80	80
R-HLX 14	14	14,45	115	125	18	1000	190	100	100

**Table B2 - Installation parameters for medium embedment depth**

Type	Drill hole diameter	Maximum cutting diameter	Nominal embedment depth	Min. hole depth	Max. hole diameter in fixture	Maximum installation torque	Minimum thickness of concrete member	Minimum spacing	Minimum edge distance
	$d_0$ [mm]	$d_{cut,max}$ [mm]	$h_{nom}$ [mm]	$h_0$ [mm]	$d_f$ [mm]	$T_{imp,max}$ [Nm]	$h_{min}$ [mm]	$S_{min}$ [mm]	$C_{min}$ [mm]
R-HLX 10	10	10,45	75	85	14	1000	120	60	60
R-HLX 12	12	12,45	80	90	16	1000	130	80	80
R-HLX 14	14	14,45	85	95	18	1000	130	100	100

**Table B3 – Installation parameters for reduced embedment depth**

Type	Drill hole diameter	Maximum cutting diameter	Nominal embedment depth	Min. hole depth	Max. hole diameter in fixture	Maximum installation torque	Minimum thickness of concrete member	Minimum spacing	Minimum edge distance
	$d_0$ [mm]	$d_{cut,max}$ [mm]	$h_{nom}$ [mm]	$h_0$ [mm]	$d_f$ [mm]	$T_{imp,max}$ [Nm]	$h_{min}$ [mm]	$S_{min}$ [mm]	$C_{min}$ [mm]
R-HLX 10	10	10,45	55	65	14	1000	100	60	60
R-HLX 12	12	12,45	60	70	16	1000	110	80	80
R-HLX 14	14	14,45	65	75	18	1000	110	100	100



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Intended use  
Installation parameters

**Annex B 2**

## Installation instructions

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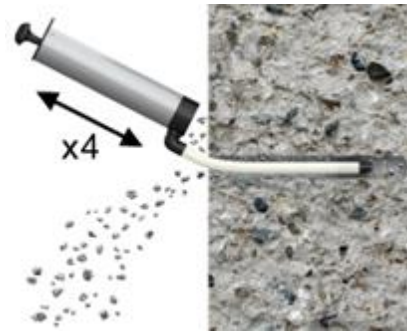


1. Drill the hole with a hammer drill (1a) or a dust-free drill (1b) to the required depth according to the table.

1b



2.



2. Clean the hole (blow dust at least 4 times with the hand pump). When using a dust-free drill bit (1b), it is not necessary to clean the hole.

3.



3. Screw the concrete screw into the hole with an impact wrench and a suitable impact socket. Tighten until the fixture is clamped to the substrate.  
Installation with any tangential impact wrench.

4.



4. Finish screwing when the screw head is in full contact with the fastened element/substrate. The screw head must not be damaged.

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**Intended use**  
Installation instructions

**Annex B 3**



**Table C1 – Characteristic resistance under tension load**

Size			10			12			14		
<b>Nominal embedment depth</b>	$h_{nom}$	[mm]	55	75	85	60	80	100	65	85	115
<b>Steel failure</b>											
Characteristic resistance	$N_{Rk,s}$	[kN]	54,3			83,1			111,1		
Partial safety factor	$\gamma_{Ms}$	[-]	1,5								
<b>Pull-out failure</b>											
Characteristic resistance in uncracked concrete C20/25	$N_{Rk,p,ucr}$	[kN]	13,4 <sup>1)</sup>	22,3 <sup>1)</sup>	27,6 <sup>1)</sup>	15,4 <sup>1)</sup>	24,6 <sup>1)</sup>	35,2 <sup>1)</sup>	16,9 <sup>1)</sup>	26,4 <sup>1)</sup>	43,4 <sup>1)</sup>
Characteristic resistance in cracked concrete C20/25	$N_{Rk,p,cr}$	[kN]	9,4 <sup>1)</sup>	15,6 <sup>1)</sup>	19,3 <sup>1)</sup>	10,7 <sup>1)</sup>	17,2 <sup>1)</sup>	24,6 <sup>1)</sup>	11,8 <sup>1)</sup>	18,5 <sup>1)</sup>	30,4 <sup>1)</sup>
Increasing factor for concrete	C25/30	$\psi_c$	[-]	1,10							
	C30/37			1,22							
	C35/45			1,34							
	C40/50			1,41							
	C45/55			1,48							
	C50/60			1,55							
<b>Concrete cone and splitting failure</b>											
Effective embedment depth	$h_{ef}$	[mm]	42	59	68	46	63	80	49	66	92
Factor for concrete cone failure for uncracked concrete	$k_{ucr,N}$	[-]	11,0								
Factor for concrete cone failure for cracked concrete	$k_{cr,N}$	[-]	7,7								
Robustness	$\gamma_{inst}$	[-]	1,2	1,0	1,0	1,2	1,0	1,0	1,2	1,2	1,2
Spacing	concrete cone failure	$S_{cr,N}$	$3 \cdot h_{ef}$								
	splitting failure	$S_{cr,sp}$	120	180	200	140	200	240	150	200	280
Edge distance	concrete cone failure	$C_{cr,N}$	$1,5 \cdot h_{ef}$								
	splitting failure	$C_{cr,sp}$	60	90	100	70	100	120	75	100	140

<sup>1)</sup> limited to  $N_{Rk,c}^0$

**Table C2 – Displacement under tension load**

Size			10			12			14		
<b>Nominal embedment depth</b>	$h_{nom}$	[mm]	55	75	85	60	80	100	65	85	115
Tension load in uncracked concrete	N	[kN]	7,03	15,03	19,28	8,02	17,92	30,52	10,41	21,63	38,86
Displacement	$\delta_{N0}$	[mm]	0,4	0,4	0,6	0,4	0,4	0,6	0,4	0,6	0,7
	$\delta_{N\infty}$	[mm]	1,2	1,1	1,2	1,2	1,1	1,2	1,3	1,2	1,4
Tension load in cracked concrete	N	[kN]	4,55	9,05	13,62	6,60	10,25	22,56	7,60	14,30	28,41
Displacement	$\delta_{N0}$	[mm]	0,4	0,4	0,5	0,5	0,5	0,7	0,6	0,7	0,7
	$\delta_{N\infty}$	[mm]	2,0	2,0	2,0	2,0	2,0	2,0	2,0	2,0	2,0

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**Performances**

Characteristic resistance under tension load  
Displacement under tension load

**Annex C 1**

**Table C3 – Characteristic resistance under shear load**

Size			10			12			14		
Nominal embedment depth	$h_{nom}$	[mm]	55	75	85	60	80	100	65	85	115
<b>Steel failure without lever arm</b>											
Characteristic resistance	$V_{Rk,s}^0$	[kN]	27,2			41,6			55,6		
Ductility factor	$k_7$	[-]				1,0					
Partial safety factor	$\gamma_{Ms}$	[-]				1,25					
<b>Steel failure without lever arm</b>											
Characteristic resistance	$M_{Rk,s}^0$	[Nm]	75,8			143,4			221,7		
Partial safety factor	$\gamma_{Ms}$	[-]				1,25					
<b>Concrete cone pry-out failure</b>											
Pry-out factor	$k_8$	[-]	1,0	2,0	2,0	2,0	2,0	2,0	2,0	2,0	2,0
Installation safety factor	$\gamma_{inst}$	[-]				1,0					
<b>Concrete edge failure</b>											
Effective length of anchor	$l_f$	[mm]	55	75	85	60	80	100	65	85	115
Anchor diameter	$d_{nom}$	[mm]	10			12			14		
Installation safety factor	$\gamma_{inst}$	[-]				1,0					

**Table C4 – Displacement under shear load**

Size			10			12			14		
Shear load in cracked and uncracked concrete	$V$	[kN]	14,33			20,81			27,81		
Displacement	$\delta_{V0}$	[mm]	1,1			1,4			1,7		
	$\delta_{V\infty}$	[mm]	1,7			2,1			2,6		

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**Performances**

Characteristic resistance under shear load  
Displacement under shear load

**Annex C 2**