

## APPARATUS FOR STUDYING A PRESTRESSED BOLT



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SERVICE: 1 6-WAY EXTENSOMETRY BRIDGE, EI616 1 TORQUE WRENCH 40 TO 200 NM WITH POLYGONAL END OF 24 FOR THE REALIZATION OF SOME EXPERIMENTS.

DIMENSIONS: HYDRAULIC PUMP: 40 X 10 X 14 CM/BOLT ASSEMBLY: DIAMETER 15

X 37 CM

WEIGHT: HYDRAULIC PUMP: 12 KG /

**BOLT ASSEMBLY: 3.5 KG** 

**REFERENCE: ER420** 

The ER420 prestressed bolt study unit, dedicated to studying the behavior of bolted joints, allows:

- The analysis of stresses and deformations that appear in a bolt for different clamping modes.
- The development of a model of behavior for a bolted assembly loaded in the axis: load diagram, influence of the plane of introduction of the load.

The bolt is equipped with strain gauges including a pair of 3-way rosettes for measuring elongation and torsion, and a hydraulic tensioner system with a high-pressure manual hydraulic pump for pulling pure. A comparator allows the measurement of its elongation. A pair of gauges glued to the inner tube allows the measurement of compression.

## **Educational Objectives:**

- Study with clamping by a flat key and measuring the deformation of the bolt.
- Study with tightening torque wrench.
- Study with tensioning by hydraulic tensioner.
- Study of the influence of the position of the load plane.
- Study of the influence of the couple of materials in contact.

## **Technical specifications:**

- **Modeling**: Static analysis of helical slide links and plane support with friction
- Resistance of materials: Study of simple stresses, constraints in a cross section. Mohr circle of constraints, directions and main constraints.
- The apparatus includes :
  - -A bolt of 16 mm diameter on which are glued strain gauges (2 rosettes in opposition).
  - -A piece of generally tubular shape on the periphery of which are glued two gauges in opposition.
  - -A tensioner that makes it possible to apply a preload on the bolt or to exert an external force on different levels of a bolted joint.
- -A manual hydraulic pump.
- -A comparator that allows measurement of elongation.
- -Washers and nuts of different materials.

The device requires the use of the El616 extensometry bridge.