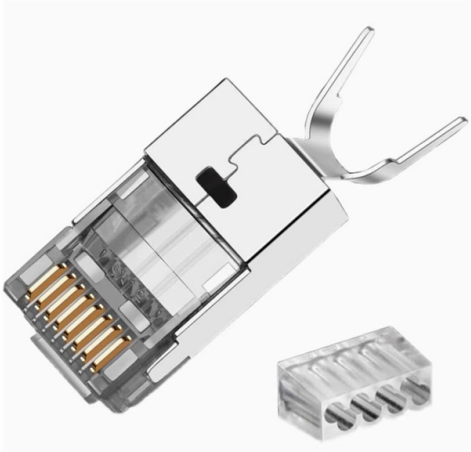
How to connect pre-embedded cold joints



Overview

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Key Takeaways

Pre-embedded cold joint connections use specialized reinforcement and couplers to ensure strong bonding between fresh and hardened concrete, preventing weak interfaces and improving structural performance.

Expanded Rib and Spiral Bar Method

One innovative approach involves expanded rib bars and spiral bars. Expanded rib bars are steel bars with specially designed ribs that enhance mechanical interlocking with concrete, increasing the contact surface and bond strength. During construction, these bars are placed in the formwork before pouring fresh concrete.

As the concrete flows around the ribs, a secure connection forms, effectively eliminating cold joints. Spiral bars, helically shaped steel reinforcements, are positioned along the beam to improve load distribution and bending resistance. Together, these bars create a robust, durable connection with enhanced load-bearing capacity and reduced risk of cracking or structural damage.

Contactless Coupler Method

Another method is the Contactless Coupler, developed for precast concrete (PC) construction. This technique avoids direct rebar connections by transferring tensile stress through the bonding force between rebar and concrete. The coupler uses spiral bars and expanded ribs to maximize bond strength, reducing the development length required for the connection.

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This method simplifies installation, minimizes on-site labor, and maintains structural performance comparable to traditional rigid connections.

Pre-

Embedded Pipe Connection

For applications involving embedded utilities, a pre-embedded pipe connection method can be used. The process involves positioning the pipe in the concrete, binding reinforcing bars, erecting a side wall template, and connecting a casing to the pre-embedded pipe. After concrete pouring and curing, the casing is connected to a pipe of the same diameter, allowing the pre-embedded pipe to exit the side wall without creating additional holes in the formwork.

This method improves construction efficiency and maintains template integrity.

Advantages of Pre-

Embedded Cold Joint Methods

Elimination of weak interfaces: Ensures strong bonding between old and new concrete. Improved structural performance: Enhanced load-bearing capacity and resistance to bending and cracking. Ease of construction: Reduces labor and complexity on-site, particularly for precast or off-site construction.

Durability: Increases long-term performance and reduces maintenance needs. Cost-effectiveness: Despite additional materials, the long-term benefits outweigh initial investment. These methods are particularly useful in off-site construction (OSC) and precast concrete projects, where minimizing on-site work and ensuring reliable connections at cold joints are critical for safety, efficiency, and structural integrity.

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If the detail is located above finished floor, check to be sure the connection is within the column closure of finished wall materials and adequate shear capacity of the connection above the pocket is available.

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Because the pre-embedded pipe in the concrete is connected with the casing through screw threads, the external sealing and internal unblocking of the pre-embedded pipe are ensured.

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