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## Recommended tightening torques

## for PMA Divisible Line



## Please note:

- The tightening torque values quoted below should be considered as absolute maximum values which should not be exceeded.
- They are based upon practical laboratory measurements under standard climatic conditions (23°C / 50% relative humidity).
- Climatic conditions during assembly and in the application, which may affect the component characteristics, should be considered.
- The characteristics of other components to which the PMA parts are being connected must also be considered.
- For installations exposed to high levels of vibration and/or fast temperature changes thread locking and sealing compound can be recommended to prevent threads becoming loose over time.
- A lower tightening torque with a locking and sealing compound can provide good long-term performance.

\*Values definded with PMA Torque Tool in combination with PMAFIX divisible thread fittings. Tightening torques for PMA divisible lock nuts with PMA divisible fittings\*

| Metric polyamide thread size | Torque<br>[Nm]  |
|------------------------------|-----------------|
| M16                          | tighten by hand |
| M20                          | tighten by hand |
| M25                          | 4.0             |
| M32                          | 6.0             |
| M40                          | 8.0             |
| M50                          | 10.0            |



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| PG polyamide<br>thread size | Torque<br>[Nm]  |
|-----------------------------|-----------------|
| M16                         | tighten by hand |
| M20                         | 3.0             |
| M25                         | 4.0             |
| M32                         | 6.0             |
| M40                         | 8.0             |
| M50                         | 10.0            |





Please note: These recommendations are guidelines.

Please take into account the influence of the mating thread during assembly.

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