

e-slide & e-straight – INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS

This installation instruction is valid for both, the *e-slide* and the *e-straight* joint.

The pictures are all from e-slide joints, but the installation remains exactly the same for the e-straight joint.

The principal of joint installation is often comparable for different kind of joint types.

For *e-slide* and *e-straight*, there is one verry important difference:

Never weld a pin or anything else the outer side of the Omega nose.

This creates restrain and could block the opening of the joint.









Hammer or drill pins (max. Ø 16 mm) into the ground vertically (slightly inclined in the direction of the joint longitudinal axis) inside the anchorage system with 2 on each side at the end of the profile. Two additional pins should be attached approximately in the middle of the profile (1 on each side) to ensure the correct position of the profile and to enable necessary adjustments.



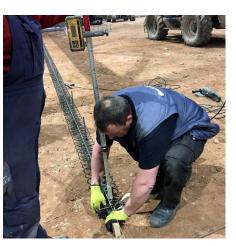


Place the next profile with its overlap of the sinus wave on the first profile. With the overlap, the start of this profile is immediately at the correct height. Bring the middle and the end of the second profile to the correct height with laser and weld first the upper waves of the two joints. Repeat step 3 and 4 and weld the profiles together. Continue this way until arriving at an intersection, wall or column.

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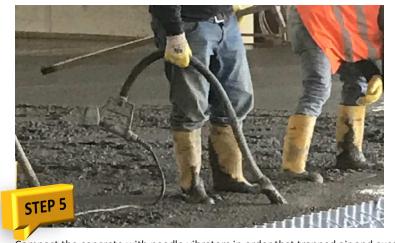


String a line in the location where the profiles are to be installed and lay the joints out along this line. Aligning is simplified if the line is not placed in the axis of the joint but on one side/edge of the upper sinus wave. Place the first joint parallel to this line and bring them to the correct height (using laser and wooden blocks). Check the vertical and horizontal level.





Check again the height level of the profile at the beginning, the middle and the end with a laser and also the horizontal and vertical level. Weld the pins to the profile. If welding work is not permitted on site, special adjustment feet are available.





Compact the concrete with needle vibrators in order that trapped air and excess water are released and the concrete settles firmly along in the joint. Avoid polishing the concrete over the joint. To become a satisfied result of the sinus slide® jointing solution, it is absolutely necessary to finish carefully the concrete at the same level as the sinus joint edges. SEE BACK SIDE OF THIS GUIDELINE.



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Bring the 2 ends of the joints together as shown at the picture by overlapping. Connect the 2 joint profile ends with welding's on the exterior of the upper sinus waves. Connect also the continuous rebar anchorage system with a straight bar or pin of min. Ø 6mm. Remove the tools and continue installation like described backside of this instruction. The screws with plastic nut in the upper sinus wave don't need to be removed after installing the joint profiles. They release automatically with the shrinkage of concrete.



