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FOREWORD

This Sri Lanka Standard Specification has been prepared by the Drafting Committee on Hasps and Staples, and was approved by the Mechanical Engineering Divisional Committee of the Bureau of Ceylon Standards. It was authorised for adoption and publication by the Council of the Bureau on 12th November 1973.

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1. SCOPE

- 1.1 This Standard for mild steel and cast brass hasps and staples covers the requirements for materials, dimensions, manufacture and finish.

2. TYPES

- 2.1 Hasps and Staples shall be of the following types:

(1) *Safety Type*

(a) Mild Steel

(b) Brass

(i) Flat

(ii) Box

(2) *Wire Type*

3. MATERIAL

- 3.1 The safety type shall be of mild steel or brass and the wire type shall be of mild steel.
- 3.2 Mild steel sheet or wire used in the manufacture of mild steel hasps and staples shall comply with the following requirements.

3.2.1 Chemical Composition

Constituent			per cent
Carbon Max	..	..	0.12
Manganese Max	..	..	0.50
Sulphur Max	..	..	0.050
Phosphorus Max	..	..	0.050

3.2.2 **Tensile Strength**—Ultimate tensile strength shall be not less than 245 MPa (25.0 kgf/mm²).

3.2.3 **Bend Test**—Suitable test pieces when doubled over either by pressure or by blows from a hammer, until the internal radius is equal to one and a half times the thickness of the test piece and the sides become parallel, it shall not show any cracks.

3.3 Cast brass shall have the following properties.

3.3.1 Chemical Composition

Constituent			per cent
Copper plus incidental Nickel			64.0 — 71.0
Lead	..	..	1.0 — 3.0
Tin	..	..	1.5 — Max
Iron	..	..	0.75 — Max
Aluminium	..	..	0.01 — Max
Zinc	..	..	Remainder

3.3.2 **Tensile Properties**—The ultimate tensile strength shall be not less than 185MPa (18.9 kgf/mm²) and the elongation shall be 12 percent.

3.4 **Phosphor Bronze Wire**—Phosphor bronze wire used for the hinge pin in case of brass hasps and staples if so required by the purchaser, shall have the following properties.

3.4.1 Chemical Composition

Grade	Sn	P	Per cent		
			Pb Max	Zn Max	Cu + Sn + P Min
PCuSn 4 ..	3.0—5.0	0.02—0.40	0.05	00.20	99.5
PCuSn 6 ..	5.0—7.0	0.02—0.40	0.20	00.20	99.5

3.4.2 Tensile Strength

Diameter of Wire		Ultimate Tensile stress	
Over mm	Upto and including mm	MPa	Kgf/ mm ²
2.50	6.50	848	86.5

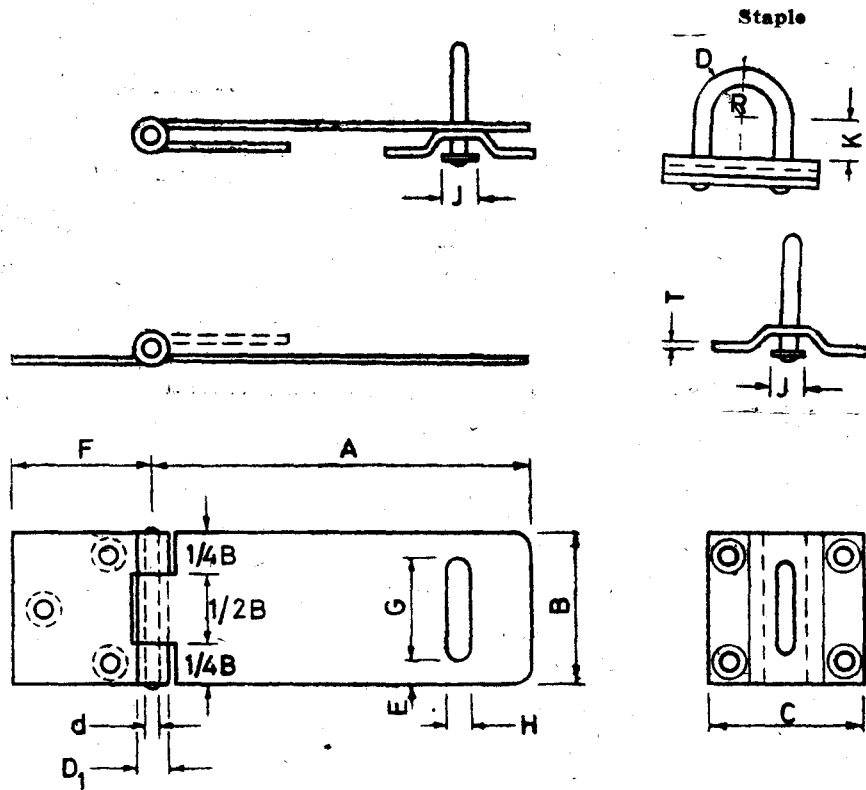


Fig. 1—Safety type Mild Steel

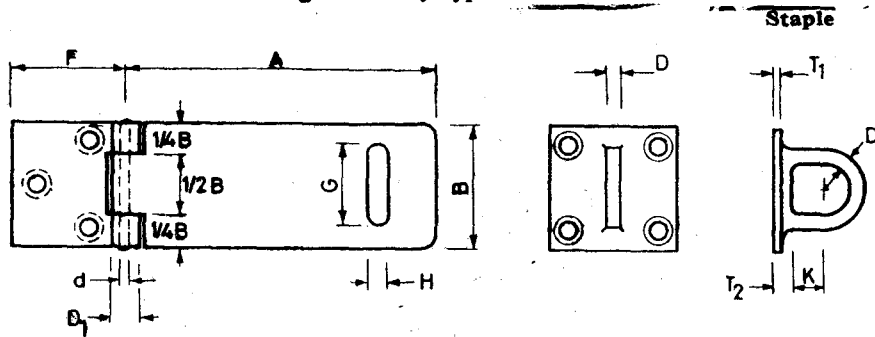


Fig. 2—Safety type (Flat) Brass

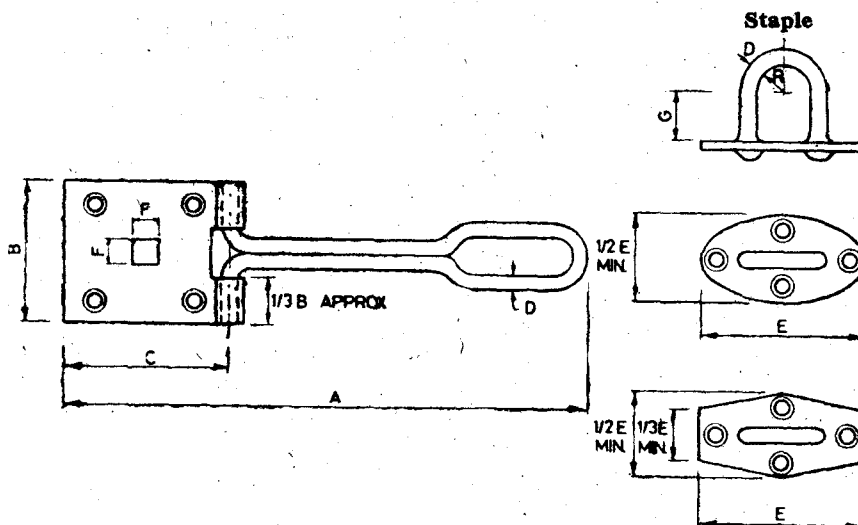


Fig. 3—Wire type Mild Steel

3.4.3 Bend Test—Wire shall withstand the bend test without fractures or cracks on the bent portion when tested as follows:

Diameter of wire mm	Radius of Bend mm	Number of Bends
2.50 - 3.55	5.0	7
3.55 - 4.50	5.0	5
4.50 - 6.30	6.0	5

One bend shall be taken to imply the bending of the wire to a right angle around a rod of given radius and its return to the original straight position. The bending shall always be at the same place in the wire and in the same direction.

4. MANUFACTURE

4.1 Mild steel hasps and staples shall have a hinge pin of mild steel. In the case of brass hasps and staples it shall be of either mild steel or phosphor bronze. The movement of the hasps shall be free, easy and square. The hasps shall fit the staple correctly.

Except in the case of cast hasp and staple, the staple shall be riveted properly to its plate. The ends of the hinge pin for the safety type hasp shall be riveted and properly finished. The screw holes shall be countersunk to suit countersunk wood screws conforming to C.S.6* All sharp edges and corners shall be removed.

5. FINISH

5.1 Hasps and Staples shall have a finish as given below:

- (a) *Mild steel hasps and staples*—Bright finished with or without protective coating, stove enamelled or plated.
- (b) *Brass hasps and staples*—Polished or Oxidised.

6. DIMENSIONS

6.1 The dimensions of hasps and staples shall be, as specified in Tables 1, 2, 3 and 4.

7. PACKING

7.1 Hasps and staples shall be packed in appropriate sizes as agreed between the purchaser and the manufacturer.

8. MARKING AND LABELLING

- 8.1 Each hasp and staple shall be stamped with the manufacturer's name or trade mark.
- 8.2 Each package, shall be labelled with the name or trade mark of the manufacturer, particulars of the quantity, description of contents and sizes of the hasps and staples, type of finish and country of manufacture.

9. SCALE OF SAMPLING

- 9.1 **Lot**—In any consignment, all the hasps and staples of the same type and size and manufactured at the same time shall be grouped together to constitute a lot.
- 9.2 The number of samples to be selected from a lot and the permissible number of defective hasps and staples shall be as given in Table 5.

*CS. 6: Specification for wood screws.

TABLE 1—DIMENSIONS OF MILD STEEL HASPS AND STAPLES—SAFETY TYPE
(See Fig. 1)

Size mm	A mm	B mm	C mm	D mm	E mm	F mm
50	50 ± 2	27.0 ± 1.5	30 ± 2	3.15 ± 0.10	4.0 ± 0.5	20.0 ± 1.5
65	65 ± 2	32.0 ± 1.5	35 ± 2	4.00 ± 0.10	5.0 ± 0.5	30.0 ± 1.5
75	75 ± 2	32.0 ± 1.5	35 ± 2	4.00 ± 0.10	5.0 ± 0.5	30.0 ± 1.5
90	90 ± 2	38.0 ± 1.5	46 ± 2	5.00 ± 0.10	5.0 ± 0.5	35.0 ± 1.5
115	115 ± 2	38.0 ± 1.5	46 ± 2	5.00 ± 0.10	5.0 ± 0.5	55.0 ± 1.5
150	15 ± 2	45.0 ± 1.5	60 ± 2	6.30 ± 0.10	6.0 ± 0.5	65.0 ± 1.5
175	175 ± 2	62.0 ± 1.5	65 ± 2	6.30 ± 0.10	10.0 ± 0.5	70.0 ± 1.5

G mm	H mm	J mm	K mm	R mm	Thickness of sheet T mm	Dia. of hinge pin d mm	No. of screw holes	
							on Hasp	on for wood screw no.
19.0 ± 0.5	5.0 ± 0.5	7 ± 1	7 ± 1	5.0 ± 0.5	1.40 ± 0.10	3.00 ± 0.10	2	4
22.0 ± 0.5	6.0 ± 0.5	9 ± 1	8 ± 1	6.0 ± 0.5	1.40 ± 0.10	3.55 ± 0.10	3	4
22.0 ± 0.5	6.0 ± 0.5	9 ± 1	8 ± 1	6.0 ± 0.5	1.40 ± 0.10	3.55 ± 0.10	3	4
28.0 ± 0.5	8.0 ± 0.5	12 ± 1	8 ± 1	8.0 ± 0.5	2.00 ± 0.10	4.00 ± 0.10	3	4
28.0 ± 0.5	8.0 ± 0.5	12 ± 1	8 ± 1	8.0 ± 0.5	2.00 ± 0.10	4.00 ± 0.10	3	4
33.0 ± 0.5	10.0 ± 0.5	15 ± 1	14 ± 1	9.0 ± 0.5	2.24 ± 0.10	5.00 ± 0.10	4	4
33.0 ± 0.5	12.0 ± 0.5	18 ± 1	16 ± 1	9.0 ± 0.5	3.15 ± 0.10	6.30 ± 0.10	5	4

TABLE 2—DIMENSIONS OF BRASS HASPS AND STAPLES (CAST OR EXTRUDED SECTION)
SAFETY TYPE FLAT. (See Fig. 2)

Size mm	A mm	B mm	C mm	D mm	E mm	F mm	G mm
50	50 ± 2	27.0 ± 1.5	27.0 ± 1.25	3.00 ± 0.25	4.5 ± 0.5	20 ± 1	18.0 ± 0.5
65	65 ± 2	32.0 ± 1.5	32.0 ± 1.5	4.00 ± 0.25	5.0 ± 0.5	30 ± 1	22.0 ± 0.5
75	75 ± 2	32.0 ± 1.5	32.0 ± 1.5	4.00 ± 0.25	5.0 ± 0.5	30 ± 1	22.0 ± 0.5
90	90 ± 2	40.0 ± 1.5	42.0 ± 1.5	6.00 ± 0.25	6.0 ± 0.5	35 ± 1	28.0 ± 0.5
115	115 ± 2	40.0 ± 1.5	42.0 ± 1.5	6.00 ± 0.25	6.0 ± 0.5	45 ± 1	28.0 ± 0.5
150	150 ± 2	46.0 ± 1.5	48.0 ± 1.5	7.00 ± 0.25	7.0 ± 0.5	65 ± 1	32.0 ± 0.5
175	175 ± 2	46.0 ± 1.5	48.0 ± 1.5	7.00 ± 0.25	7.0 ± 0.5	65 ± 1	32.0 ± 0.5

H mm	K mm	R mm	Thickness		Dia. of hinge pin d mm	Dia. of butt D mm	Screw Holes		
			T ₁ mm	T ₂ mm			No. on hasp	No. on wood staple	For wood screw no.
7.0 ± 0.5	7 ± 1	4.0 ± 0.5	2.00 ± 0.25	3.00 ± 0.25	3.00 ± 0.10	5.0 ± 0.2	2	4	5
8.0 ± 0.5	7 ± 1	5.0 ± 0.5	2.00 ± 0.25	3.00 ± 0.25	3.15 ± 0.10	6.0 ± 0.2	3	4	5
8.0 ± 0.5	8 ± 1	5.0 ± 0.5	2.00 ± 0.25	3.00 ± 0.25	3.15 ± 0.10	6.0 ± 0.2	3	4	5
10.0 ± 0.5	8 ± 1	6.5 ± 0.5	2.00 ± 0.25	3.00 ± 0.25	3.15 ± 0.10	6.0 ± 0.2	3	4	5
10.0 ± 0.5	11 ± 1	6.5 ± 0.5	2.00 ± 0.25	3.00 ± 0.25	3.15 ± 0.10	6.0 ± 0.2	3	4	5
11.0 ± 0.5	14 ± 1	7.5 ± 0.5	3.00 ± 0.25	4.00 ± 0.25	4.00 ± 0.10	8.0 ± 0.2	4	4	8
11.0 ± 0.5	14 ± 1	7.5 ± 0.5	3.00 ± 0.25	4.00 ± 0.25	4.00 ± 0.10	8.0 ± 0.2	4	4	8

TABLE 3—DIMENSIONS OF MILD STEEL HASPS AND STAPLES—WIRE TYPE
(See Fig. 3)

Size mm	A mm	B mm	C mm	D mm	E mm	F mm	Screw Holes		
							No. on hasp	No. on staple	For wood screw No.
65	65 ± 2	25.0 ± 1.5	22.0 ± 1.5	3.15 ± 0.10	38.0 ± 1.5	—	2	2	6
75	75 ± 2	25.0 ± 1.5	25.0 ± 1.5	3.15 ± 0.10	38.0 ± 1.5	—	2	2	6
90	90 ± 2	25.0 ± 1.5	28.0 ± 1.5	3.15 ± 0.10	38.0 ± 1.5	—	2	2	6
100	100 ± 2	32.0 ± 1.5	38.0 ± 1.5	4.00 ± 0.10	42.0 ± 1.5	8.0 ± 0.5	4	4	8
125	125 ± 2	38.0 ± 1.5	48.0 ± 1.5	5.00 ± 0.10	55.0 ± 1.5	8.0 ± 0.5	4	4	8
150	150 ± 2	45.0 ± 1.5	55.0 ± 1.5	6.30 ± 0.10	55.0 ± 1.5	8.0 ± 0.5	4	4	10
175	175 ± 2	50.0 ± 1.5	55.0 ± 1.5	6.30 ± 0.10	55.0 ± 1.5	12.0 ± 0.5	4	4	10

G mm	R mm	Thickness of Sheet T mm	Screw Holes		For wood screw No.
			No. on hasp	No. on staple	
8.0 ± 0.5	5.0 ± 0.5	1.25 ± 0.10	2	2	6
8.0 ± 0.5	5.0 ± 0.5	1.25 ± 0.10	2	2	6
8.0 ± 0.5	5.0 ± 0.5	1.25 ± 0.10	2	2	6
11.0 ± 0.5	6.0 ± 0.5	1.60 ± 0.10	4	4	8
14.0 ± 0.5	7.0 ± 0.5	1.60 ± 0.10	4	4	8
14.0 ± 0.5	7.0 ± 0.5	2.00 ± 0.10	4	4	10
14.0 ± 0.5	8.0 ± 0.5	2.00 ± 0.10	4	4	10

TABLE 4—DIMENSIONS OF BRASS HASPS AND STAPLES—SAFETY TYPE BOX (See Fig. 4)

Size	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	J	K	L	M	N
mm	mm	mm	mm	mm	mm	mm	mm	mm	mm	mm	mm	mm	mm
112	112 ± 2	33 ± 1	82 ± 2	11 ± 0.5	42 ± 1.5	30 ± 1	16 ± 0.5	8 ± 0.5	31 ± 1	26 ± 1	26 ± 1	42 ± 1	6.5 ± 0.5
125	125 ± 2	33 ± 1	95 ± 2	11 ± 0.5	42 ± 1.5	30 ± 1	16 ± 0.5	8 ± 0.5	31 ± 1	26 ± 1	26 ± 1	42 ± 1	6.5 ± 0.5
140	140 ± 2	33 ± 1	110 ± 2	11 ± 0.5	42 ± 1.5	30 ± 1	16 ± 0.5	8 ± 0.5	31 ± 1	26 ± 1	26 ± 1	42 ± 1	6.5 ± 0.5

P	Q	R	S	T	U	V	d	r	ds
mm	mm	mm	mm	mm	mm	mm	mm	(max) mm	(max) mm
3.5 ± 0.5	10 ± 1	2.5 ± 0.5	2.0	3.5 ± 0.1	15 ± 1.0	27 ± 1	3 ± 0.10	6.0	1.5
3.5 ± 0.5	10 ± 1	2.5 ± 0.5	2.0	3.5 ± 0.1	15 ± 1.0	27 ± 1	3 ± 0.10	6.0	1.5
3.5 ± 0.5	10 ± 1	2.5 ± 0.5	2.0	3.5 ± 0.1	15 ± 1.0	27 ± 1	3 ± 0.10	6.0	1.5

Note: ds — this clearance to be measured simultaneously on both shoulders.

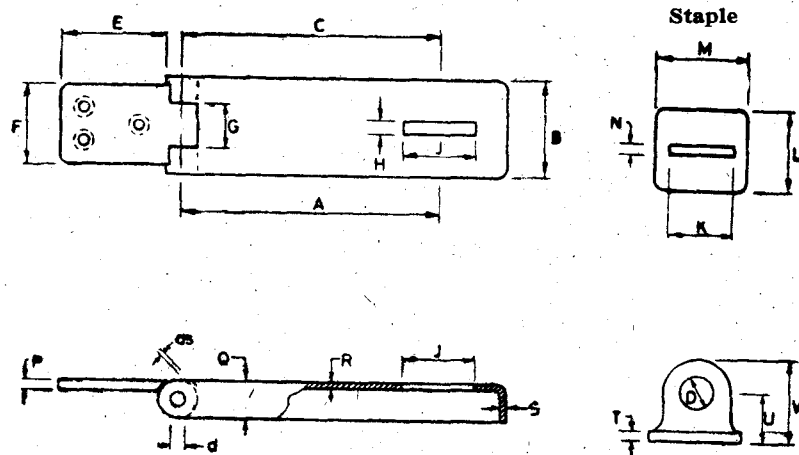


Fig. 4—Safety type (Box) Brass

Table 5.— Scale of Sampling

Lot Size	Sample Size	Permissible number of defective hasps and staples
(1)	(2)	(3)
Up to 200	15	0
201 to 300	20	1
301 to 500	30	2
501 to 800	40	2
801 and above	55	3

- 9.3 Samples shall be selected at random, equal number being selected from each package.
- 9.4 Tests—All the hasps and staples selected as in Clause 9.3 shall be examined for dimensional requirements, manufacturing defects and finish. Any hasp and staple which fails to satisfy these requirements shall be considered as defective.

10. CRITERION FOR CONFORMITY

The lot shall be considered as conforming to the requirements of this standard if the number of defective hasps and staples in the sample tested does not exceed the corresponding number given in Column 3 of Table 5.

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