

# European Sealing Association 2023 - Projects and Tasks for Expansion Joint Divisions

Division: Expansion Joints

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Activity	Current status	Next steps	Responsible/ Date
Product Configurator	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Draft has been reworked based on suggestions from Vienna meeting</li> <li>Functionality tested by members</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Further comments and suggestions have to be added</li> <li>Configurator has to be updated to be hosted on Division website or Knowledgebase</li> </ul>	All - Ongoing
Technical Training	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>An introduction of fabric expansion joints in PowerPoint has been created</li> <li>Pure video version was too expensive</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Quality pictures, voice over and animations must be added</li> <li>Finished version scheduled for end of 2023</li> </ul>	All – Ongoing
Articles for publication in ESA Knowledge Base	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Article by Mikael Edvardsen about “Optimal Design of Fabric Expansion Joints” has been submitted to Hose+Coupling Magazine</li> <li>Article has been review and edited</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Article will be published in June 2023 edition</li> </ul>	06/23
Emission testing for fabric expansion joints	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The idea of developing a tightness test for NMD was discussed and cancelled due to already existing methods</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Write and publish an article in a technical magazine about the existing methods</li> </ul>	SP 12/23
Design of NMD for low temperature	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Existing article to be revised and published</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Publish article</li> </ul>	10/23
New Chairman	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>New chairman for Division for 2024 has been appointed – Joern Peterson</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Vice chairman has to be selected</li> </ul>	05/24