

(1) During the designing process of V-Belt, why should we limit d_{min} (minimum shaft diameter) and v_{max} (maximum belt speed) ?

The reason for limiting d_{min}

We should make sure that $d_{d1} \geq d_{min}$ to avoid the over stress of bending, which would reduce the life of the belt.

The reason for limiting v_{max}

If the belt speed is too large, the following problems will occur:

- 1) The centrifugal force will be too large and the friction force between the shaft and the belt will be reduced. Creep may occur.
- 2) The bending numbers will increase, reducing the belt's life.

So we should limit v_{max} to avoid these problems.

(2) During the designing process of belt drive, why should we limit the number of belts(z)? If $z > 10$, how to handle it?

The reason for limiting the number of belts(z)

The number of belts should be lower than 10 to make the stress uniform.

If $z > 10$, belt model or the diameter of the large wheel should be changed and conduct recalculation.

(3) Please design an ordinary v-belt drive for lathes. The following parameters are known: rated power $P = 3.2 \text{ kW}$, rotational speed of small pulley $n_1 = 1460 \text{ r/min}$, transmission ratio $i = 3.6$, daily working time = 16 hours. The structure should be as compact as possible.

Step 1 Determine calculated power P_c

The working machine: lathes

Daily working time = 16 hours

From table 13-9 on the Chinese text book:

$$K_A = 1.2$$
$$P_c = K_A P = 1.2 \times 3.2 = 3.84 \text{ kW}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
d_{d1} &\geq d_{min} = 75mm \\
\text{since type A } d_1 &= 80 \sim 100mm \\
\therefore \text{choose } d_{d1} &= 100mm \\
d_{d2} &\approx id_{d1} = 3.6 \times 100 = 360mm \\
\therefore \text{choose } d_{d2} &= 375mm
\end{aligned}$$

Step4 Verify the speed of the belt (V)

$$v = \frac{\pi d_{d1} n_1}{60 \times 1000} = \frac{\pi \times 100 \times 1460}{60 \times 1000} = 7.64m/s \in (5m/s, 25m/s)$$

Step 5 Verify rotational speed error

Actual rotational speed of the follower:

$$n'_2 \approx \frac{n_1 d_{d1}}{d_{d2}} = \frac{1460 \times 100}{375} = 389.3r/min$$

Theoretical rotational speed of the follower:

$$n_2 = \frac{n_1}{i} = \frac{1460}{3.6} = 405.6r/min$$

Rotational speed error:

$$\left| \frac{n'_2 - n_2}{n_2} \right| = \left| \frac{389.3 - 405.6}{405.6} \right| = 0.04018 < 5\%$$

Step 6 Determine central distance (a) and belt length (L)

1) Determine initial central distance

$$\begin{aligned}
a_0 &= 1.5(d_{d1} + d_{d2}) = 1.5 \times (100 + 375) = 712.5mm \\
\text{choose } a_0 &= 750mm \\
\text{which } &\in (0.7(d_{d1} + d_{d2}), 2(d_{d1} + d_{d2}))
\end{aligned}$$

2) Determine the belt length

$$L_0 \approx 2a_0 + \frac{\pi}{2}(d_{d1} + d_{d2}) + \frac{(d_{d2} - d_{d1})^2}{4a_0} = 2 \times 750 + \frac{\pi}{2}(100 + 375) + \frac{(375 - 100)^2}{4 \times 750} = 2271mm$$

表 13-2 V 带基准长度 L_d 和带长修正系数 K_L

| Z 型 | | A 型 | | B 型 | | C 型 | |
|----------|-------|----------|-------|----------|-------|----------|-------|
| L_d/mm | K_L | L_d/mm | K_L | L_d/mm | K_L | L_d/mm | K_L |
| 405 | 0.87 | 630 | 0.81 | 930 | 0.83 | 1 565 | 0.82 |
| 475 | 0.90 | 700 | 0.83 | 1 000 | 0.84 | 1 760 | 0.85 |
| 530 | 0.93 | 790 | 0.85 | 1 100 | 0.86 | 1 950 | 0.87 |
| 625 | 0.96 | 890 | 0.87 | 1 210 | 0.87 | 2 195 | 0.90 |
| 700 | 0.99 | 990 | 0.89 | 1 370 | 0.90 | 2 420 | 0.92 |
| 780 | 1.00 | 1 100 | 0.91 | 1 560 | 0.92 | 2 715 | 0.94 |
| 920 | 1.04 | 1 250 | 0.93 | 1 760 | 0.94 | 2 880 | 0.95 |
| 1 080 | 1.07 | 1 430 | 0.96 | 1 950 | 0.97 | 3 080 | 0.97 |
| 1 330 | 1.13 | 1 550 | 0.98 | 2 180 | 0.99 | 3 520 | 0.99 |
| 1 420 | 1.44 | 1 640 | 0.99 | 2 300 | 1.01 | 4 060 | 1.02 |
| 1 540 | 1.54 | 1 750 | 1.00 | 2 500 | 1.03 | 4 600 | 1.05 |
| | | 1 940 | 1.02 | 2 700 | 1.04 | 5 380 | 1.08 |
| | | 2 050 | 1.04 | 2 870 | 1.05 | 6 100 | 1.11 |
| | | 2 200 | 1.06 | 3 200 | 1.07 | 6 815 | 1.14 |
| | | 2 300 | 1.07 | 3 600 | 1.09 | 7 600 | 1.17 |
| | | 2 480 | 1.09 | 4 060 | 1.13 | 9 100 | 1.21 |
| | | 2 700 | 1.10 | 4 430 | 1.15 | 10 700 | 1.24 |
| | | | | 4 820 | 1.17 | | |
| | | | | 5 370 | 1.20 | | |
| | | | | 6 070 | 1.24 | | |

From the table: $L_d = 2300mm$

3) Calculate the actual central distance a

$$a \approx a_0 + \frac{L_d - L_0}{2} = 750 + \frac{2300 - 2271}{2} = 764.5mm$$

4) Adjust range of central distance

$$a_{min} = a - 0.015L_d = 764.5 - 0.015 \times 2300 = 730mm$$

$$a_{max} = a + 0.03L_d = 764.5 + 0.03 \times 2300 = 833.5mm$$

Step 7 Verify the contact angle

$$\alpha_1 = 180^\circ - \frac{d_{d2} - d_{d1}}{a} \times 57.3^\circ = 180^\circ - \frac{375 - 100}{764.5} \times 57.3^\circ = 159.4^\circ$$

Step 8 Determine number of belts (z)

$$z \geq \frac{P_c}{(P_0 + \Delta P_0)K_\alpha K_L}$$

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$$K_L = 1.07$$

| 型 号 | 小带轮 | 小带轮转速 n_1 / (r/min) | | | | | | | | | | |
|--------|-----------|-----------------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| | 基准直 径 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | d_1 /mm | 400 | 730 | 800 | 980 | 1200 | 1460 | 1600 | 2000 | 2400 | 2800 | 3200 |
| Z | 50 | 0.06 | 0.09 | 0.10 | 0.12 | 0.14 | 0.16 | 0.17 | 0.20 | 0.22 | 0.26 | 0.28 |
| | 63 | 0.08 | 0.13 | 0.15 | 0.18 | 0.22 | 0.25 | 0.27 | 0.32 | 0.37 | 0.41 | 0.45 |
| | 71 | 0.09 | 0.17 | 0.20 | 0.23 | 0.27 | 0.31 | 0.33 | 0.39 | 0.46 | 0.50 | 0.54 |
| | 80 | 0.14 | 0.20 | 0.22 | 0.26 | 0.30 | 0.36 | 0.39 | 0.44 | 0.50 | 0.56 | 0.61 |
| | 90 | 0.14 | 0.22 | 0.24 | 0.28 | 0.33 | 0.37 | 0.40 | 0.48 | 0.54 | 0.60 | 0.64 |
| A | 75 | 0.27 | 0.42 | 0.45 | 0.52 | 0.60 | 0.68 | 0.73 | 0.84 | 0.92 | 1.00 | 1.04 |
| | 90 | 0.39 | 0.63 | 0.68 | 0.79 | 0.93 | 1.07 | 1.15 | 1.34 | 1.50 | 1.64 | 1.75 |
| | 100 | 0.47 | 0.77 | 0.83 | 0.97 | 1.14 | 1.32 | 1.42 | 1.66 | 1.87 | 2.05 | 2.19 |
| | 125 | 0.67 | 1.11 | 1.19 | 1.40 | 1.66 | 1.93 | 2.07 | 2.44 | 2.74 | 2.98 | 3.16 |
| | 160 | 0.94 | 1.56 | 1.69 | 2.00 | 2.36 | 2.74 | 2.94 | 3.42 | 3.80 | 4.06 | 4.19 |
| B | 125 | 0.84 | 1.34 | 1.44 | 1.67 | 1.93 | 2.20 | 2.33 | 2.50 | 2.64 | 2.76 | 2.85 |
| | 160 | 1.32 | 2.16 | 2.32 | 2.72 | 3.17 | 3.64 | 3.86 | 4.15 | 4.40 | 4.60 | 4.75 |
| | 200 | 1.85 | 3.06 | 3.30 | 3.86 | 4.50 | 5.15 | 5.46 | 6.13 | 6.47 | 6.43 | 5.95 |
| | 250 | 2.50 | 4.14 | 4.46 | 5.22 | 6.04 | 6.85 | 7.20 | 7.87 | 7.89 | 7.14 | 5.60 |
| | 280 | 2.89 | 4.77 | 5.13 | 5.93 | 6.90 | 7.78 | 8.13 | 8.60 | 8.22 | 6.80 | 4.26 |

$$P_0 = 1.32kW$$

| 带型 | 小带轮 转速 n (r/min) | 传 动 比 i | | | | | | | | | |
|-----|--------------------------|-----------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------------|
| | | 1.00 | 1.02 | 1.05 | 1.09 | 1.13 | 1.19 | 1.25 | 1.35 | 1.52 | ≥ 2.0 |
| | | 1.01 | 1.04 | 1.08 | 1.12 | 1.18 | 1.24 | 1.34 | 1.51 | 1.99 | |
| A 型 | 200 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.01 | 0.01 | 0.01 | 0.01 | 0.02 | 0.02 | 0.02 | 0.03 |
| | 400 | 0.00 | 0.01 | 0.01 | 0.02 | 0.02 | 0.03 | 0.03 | 0.04 | 0.04 | 0.05 |
| | 700 | 0.00 | 0.01 | 0.02 | 0.03 | 0.04 | 0.05 | 0.06 | 0.07 | 0.08 | 0.09 |
| | 950 | 0.00 | 0.01 | 0.03 | 0.04 | 0.05 | 0.06 | 0.07 | 0.8 | 0.10 | 0.11 |
| | 1450 | 0.00 | 0.02 | 0.04 | 0.06 | 0.08 | 0.09 | 0.11 | 0.13 | 0.15 | 0.17 |
| | 2800 | 0.00 | 0.04 | 0.08 | 0.11 | 0.15 | 0.19 | 0.23 | 0.26 | 0.30 | 0.34 |
| | 4000 | 0.00 | 0.02 | 0.04 | 0.06 | 0.08 | 0.09 | 0.11 | 0.13 | 0.15 | 0.17 |
| | 5000 | 0.00 | 0.05 | 0.11 | 0.16 | 0.22 | 0.27 | 0.32 | 0.38 | 0.43 | 0.48 |

$$\Delta P_0 = 0.17 + \frac{1460 - 1450}{2800 - 1450} \times (0.34 - 0.17) = 0.171kW$$

| 小带轮包角 | 180° | 170° | 160° | 150° | 140° | 130° | 120° |
|------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| K_α | 1.00 | 0.98 | 0.95 | 0.92 | 0.89 | 0.86 | 0.82 |

$$K_\alpha = 0.95$$

$$z \geq \frac{P_c}{(P_0 + \Delta P_0)K_\alpha K_L} = \frac{3.84}{(1.32 + 0.171) \times 0.95 \times 1.07} = 2.5$$

\therefore choose $z = 3$

Step 9 Determine initial tension

| 带 型 | Z | A | B | C | D | E |
|-------------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| $q/(\text{kg/m})$ | 0.06 | 0.10 | 0.17 | 0.30 | 0.62 | 0.90 |

$$F_0 = \frac{500P_c}{zv} \left(\frac{2.5}{K_\alpha} - 1 \right) + qv^2 = \frac{500 \times 3.84}{3 \times 7.64} \times \left(\frac{2.5}{0.95} - 1 \right) + 0.10 \times 7.64^2 = 143N$$

Step 10 Determine force on shafts

$$F = 2zF_0 \sin \frac{\alpha_1}{2} = 2 \times 3 \times 143 \times \sin \frac{159.4^\circ}{2} = 844.2N$$