

Defyer™ DT Series

The Weatherford Defyer DT is a drillable casing bit designed for drilling with casing or liners in soft to medium formations with confined compressive strengths up to 7,000 psi (48.3 MPa). These formations include gumbo, shales, claystones, unconsolidated sands, chalk, shaley sandstones, soft evaporites, and soft siltstones. The Defyer DT is rated to 250°F (121°C).

The innovative design of the DT series includes an aluminum nose and polycrystalline-diamond-compact (PDC) cutters that are optimally mounted on the face of the tool to maximize drilling efficiency and durability.

Capable of running on most standard casing or liner systems, the Defyer DT bit is available in sizes that range from 4-1/2 to 30 in. and models that include 3, 4, or 5 blades. The 5-blade models feature higher diamond content on the nose section to drill longer sections than 3-blade and 4-blade models. The 5-blade Defyer DT bit is available in sizes that suit standard casing or liner systems.

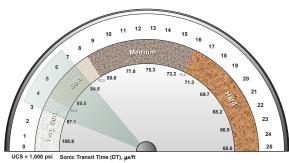
Defyer DT bits can be drilled out with any standard oilfield drill bit without compromising the cutting structure. A range of interchangeable, drillable nozzles is available to ensure optimal hydraulic performance.



Photo depicts the 13 3/8- × 17-in. Defyer DT306.

Applications

- Drilling with casing in soft to medium-soft formations
- · Drilling or reaming with surface or intermediate casing strings
- Drilling short intervals in conjunction with a drilling-with-liner (DwL™) system
- Extending existing hole sections by drilling with casing or liner through hazards such as pressure transitions or depleted zones
- Drilling through cement and lost-circulation-material plugs that have been set to isolate losses, pressure, or unstable holes
- Reaming casing or liner through unstable hole conditions, excessive borehole caving, or in highly reactive swelling clay or mobile salt formations
- Drilling deviated hole sections in soft formations (nudge-type Defyer DT)
- Improving hole quality by using the backreaming feature to ream swelling formations and tight spots



Defyer DT Series Unconfined Compressive Strength (UCS) Range 3,000 to 7,000 psi

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Photo depicts the 9 5/8- × 12 1/4-in. Defyer DT406.



Photo depicts the 24- × 27-in., 5-blade Defyer DT506.



Features, Advantages, and Benefits



Thermally stable polycrystalline (TSP) diamonds measuring 6 mm are pressed into the aluminum to provide a durable cutting structure. Small cutters are easily drilled out and removed from the hole with drilling fluid.

The high-velocity oxy fuel (HVOF) hardfacing in the aluminum surface increases durability and enhances retention of the cutting structure.



Interchangeable, drillable nozzles increase hydraulic horsepower at the bit to optimize hydraulics and improve penetration rates. Copper nozzles are standard; however for increased durability, they can be replaced with ceramic nozzles.

The fully drillable center nose section is made of aircraft-grade aluminum. It enables rapid, damage-free drillout with conventional PDC bits, roller-cone bits, or another Defyer assembly, which eliminates the need for a special drillout run or retrieval of the bottomhole assembly after drilling to total depth.

The diamond cutting structure has high-standoff fishtail blades and a wave cutting profile. This design enhances cutting efficiency, rate of penetration, and durability to save time, extend drilling distances, and reduce hole problems.

The PDC cutting structure extends outside the drift diameter of the casing to improve wear resistance and cutting efficiency. It also allows setting of casing and liner on bottom, even in difficult hole conditions.

The DT series has a threaded connection between the aluminum nose and steel body/shoulder.

Gauge pads with tungsten carbide maintain gauge protection under severe hole conditions and reduce the potential for undergauge hole. This design facilitates backreaming when drilling in tight hole conditions.

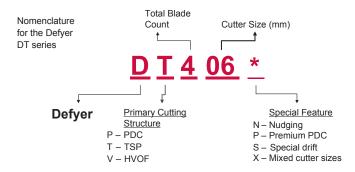




Specifications

General Data

| Nominal size (in.) | 4-1/2 × 6 | 5 × 6 | 5 × 6-1/8 | 5-1/2 × 6-1/2 | 5-1/2 × 7-7/8 | | |
|--|---|---------------------------------------|-------------------------|---------------------|----------------|--|--|
| Defyer code | DT306-044060 | DT306-050060 | DT306-050061 | DT306-054064 | DT306-054077 | | |
| Casing size (in., <i>mm</i>) | 4-1/2 114.3 | · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · | | | | | |
| Casing weight and grade | | | As requested | | | | |
| Connection | | | | | | | |
| OD (in., <i>mm</i>) | 6 152.4 | 6 152.4 | 6-1/8 155.6 | 6-1/2 165.1 | 7-7/8 200.0 | | |
| Tool length (ft, m) | 1.62 0.49 | 1.63 0.50 | 1.62 <i>0.4</i> 9 | 1.80 <i>0.55</i> | 2.00 0.61 | | |
| Tool weight (lb, kg) | 37 17 | | 20 | 51 23 | 68 31 | | |
| Number of blades | | | 3 | | | | |
| Number of nozzles | | | 3 | | | | |
| Nozzle type | | | Type 100 and 200 | | | | |
| Cutting structure (drillable blade) | | | 6-mm TSP | | | | |
| Cutting structure (on casing body) | | | PDC | | | | |
| Gauge length (in., <i>mm</i>) | 8.53 216.7 | 5.43 137.8 | 5.36 136.1 | | 76 6.3 | | |
| Gauge protection | | Tu | ngsten carbide brique | ttes | | | |
| Total flow area | | Dep | endent on nozzle sele | ection | | | |
| Junk slot area (in.², <i>cm</i> ²) | 7.4 4.8 5.7 4.7 13.9 47.9 30.7 37.0 30.1 89.7 | | | | | | |
| Equivalent casing grade (ksi, <i>MPa</i>) | | 110 758 | | | | | |
| Nose material | | | Drillable aluminum allo | у | | | |





| Nominal size (in.) | 7 × 8-1/4 | 7 × 8-3/8 | 7 × 8-1/2 | 7-5/8 × 8-1/2 | 7-5/8 × 8-1/2 | 7-5/8 × 8-7/16 | 7-5/8 × 9-7/8 | 7-5/8 × 9-7/8 |
|--|----------------------------|----------------|------------------------|----------------|------------------|-----------------|---------------------|----------------------|
| Defyer code | DT306-070082 | DT306-070083 | DT306-070084 | DT306-075084 | DT406-075084 | DT306-075084 | DT306-075097 | DT406-075097 |
| Casing size (in., mm) | | 17 | 7.8 | 0 | | | 5/8 3. <i>7</i> | |
| Casing weight and grade | | | | As req | uested | | | |
| Connection | | | | | | | | |
| OD (in., <i>mm</i>) | 8-1/4 209.6 | 8-3/8 212.7 | | 8-1/2 215.9 | | 8-7/16 214.3 | | 7/8 0.8 |
| Tool length (ft, m) | 1.93 <i>0.5</i> 9 | | 1.90 1.92 0.58 0.59 | | | | 1.90 <i>0.58</i> | 1.92 <i>0.5</i> 9 |
| Tool weight (lb, kg) | 92 42 | 94 43 | 97 44 | 10 |)8 9 | 110 50 | 123 56 | 115 <i>5</i> 2 |
| Number of blades | | 3 | | | 4 | | 3 | |
| Number of nozzles | | • |) | | 4 | | 3 | |
| Nozzle type | | | | Type 100 | and 200 | | | |
| Cutting structure (drillable blade) | | | | 6-mn | 1TSP | | | |
| Cutting structure (on casing body) | | | | PI | OC . | | | |
| Gauge length (in., mm) | 5.83 148.1 | 5.77 146.6 | 5.76 146.3 | 5.70 144.8 | 5.76 146.3 | 5.51 140.0 | 5.50 140.0 | 5.34 135.6 |
| Gauge protection | | | | Tungsten cart | ide briquettes | | | |
| Total flow area | | | | Dependent on I | nozzle selection | | | |
| Junk slot area (in.², cm²) | 8.3 53.9 | | | | | | | |
| Equivalent casing grade (ksi, <i>MPa</i>) | 110 and 125 758 and 862 | | | | | | | |
| Nose material | | | | Drillable alu | minum alloy | | | |



| Nominal size (in.) | 8-5/8 × 10-5/8 | 9-3/8 × 9-7/10 | 9-5/8 × 10-5/8 | 9-5/8 × 10-7/8 | 9-5/8 × 11-7/8 | 9-5/8 × 12 | 9-5/8 × 12 | | | | |
|-------------------------------------|-----------------|----------------|------------------------------|-----------------------|----------------|---------------|------------------|--|--|--|--|
| Defyer code | DT406-085105 | DT406-093096 | DT406-095105 | DT406-095107 | DT306-095117 | DT306-095120 | DT406-095120 | | | | |
| Casing size (in., mm) | 8-5/8 219.1 | 9-3/8 238.1 | | 9-5/8 244.5 | | | | | | | |
| Casing weight and grade | | | | As requested | | | | | | | |
| Connection | 1 | | | · | | | | | | | |
| OD (in., <i>mm</i>) | 10-5/8 269.8 | | | | | | | | | | |
| Tool length (ft, m) | 2.12 0.65 | 1.94 0.59 | 2.05 0.63 2.12 0.65 | | | | | | | | |
| Tool weight (lb, kg) | 143 65 | 134 61 | 154 158 154 70 72 70 | | | | 176 <i>80</i> | | | | |
| Number of blades | | | 4 | | | 2 | | | | | |
| Number of nozzles | | 4 | 4 | | , | 3 | 4 | | | | |
| Nozzle type | | | | Type 100 and 200 | | | | | | | |
| Cutting structure (drillable blade) | | | | 6-mm TSP | | | | | | | |
| Cutting structure (on casing body) | | | | PDC | | | | | | | |
| Gauge length (in., mm) | 5.91 150.0 | 6.47 164.4 | 6.54 166.2 | 6.39 162.2 | 6.19 157.2 | 6.54 166.1 | 5.74 145.7 | | | | |
| Gauge protection | | | Tun | gsten carbide brique | ettes | | | | | | |
| Total flow area | | | Depe | ndent on nozzle sel | ection | | | | | | |
| Junk slot area (in.², cm²) | 9.1 58.7 | | | | | | | | | | |
| Equivalent casing grade (ksi, MPa) | | | | 110 758 | | | | | | | |
| Nose material | | | D | rillable aluminum all | oy | | | | | | |



| Nominal size (in.) | 9-5/8 × 12-1/4 | 9-5/8 × 12-1/4 | 9-5/8 × 12-1/4 | 9-7/8 × 10-5/8 | 10-3/4 × 12 | 10-3/4 × 13-1/2 | | | |
|--|--|-----------------|----------------|-----------------------------|---------------|-----------------|--|--|--|
| Defyer code | DT306-095122 | DT306-095122 | DT406-095122 | DT406-097105 | DT306-106120 | DT306-106134 | | | |
| Casing size (in., mm) | | 9-5/8 244.5 | | 9-7/8 10-3/4 250.8 273.1 | | | | | |
| Casing weight and grade | | As requested | | | | | | | |
| Connection | | | | | | | | | |
| OD (in., <i>mm</i>) | | 12-1/4 311.2 | | | 12 304.8 | 13-1/2 342.9 | | | |
| Tool length (ft, m) | | 2.12 0.65 | | 05 63 | 2.21 0.68 | 2.08 0.63 | | | |
| Tool weight (lb, kg) | 165 75 | | 183 83 | 154 70 | 215 98 | 243 110 | | | |
| Number of blades | ; | 3 | | 4 | : | 3 | | | |
| Number of nozzles | 3 | 6 | 4 | | 3 | 6 | | | |
| Nozzle type | | | Type 100 | o and 200 | | | | | |
| Cutting structure (drillable blade) | | | 6-mn | n TSP | | | | | |
| Cutting structure (on casing body) | | | PI | DC | | | | | |
| Gauge length (in., <i>mm</i>) | | 42 5.6 | 5.76 146.3 | 6.57 166.8 | 6.35 161.4 | 6.15 156.2 | | | |
| Gauge protection | | | Tungsten carl | bide briquettes | | - | | | |
| Total flow area | | | Dependent on | nozzle selection | | | | | |
| Junk slot area (in.², cm²) | 27.2 28.2 11.2 13.7 24 175.6 182.1 72.3 88.4 15 | | | | | | | | |
| Equivalent casing grade (ksi, <i>MPa</i>) | 125 65 110 862 448 758 | | | | | | | | |
| Nose material | | | Drillable alu | ıminum alloy | | | | | |



| Nominal size (in.) | 11-3/4 × 12-1/4a | 11-7/8 × 12-1/4 | 13-3/8 × 15-1/2 | 13-3/8 × 16 | 13-3/8 × 16 | 13-3/8 × 17 | 13-3/8 × 17 | 13-3/8 × 17 | |
|-------------------------------------|-----------------------|------------------------------|-----------------|----------------|-----------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|--|
| Defyer code | DT306-116122 | DT306-117122 | DT306-133154 | DT306-133160 | DT306N-133160 | DT306-133170 | DT406-133170 | DT506-133170 | |
| Casing size (in., mm) | 11-3/4 298.5 | 11-7/8 13-3/8 301.6 339.7 | | | | | | | |
| Casing weight and grade | | | | As requ | uested | | | | |
| Connection | | | | | | | | | |
| OD (in., <i>mm</i>) | 12- 31 | | 15-1/2 393.7 | | 6 6.4 | | 17 431.8 | | |
| Tool length (ft, m) | 2.0 0.1 | | 2.: 0. | | 2.27 0.69 | | 59 79 | 2.66 0.81 | |
| Tool weight (lb, kg) | 24 11 | 13 1 <i>0</i> | 380 173 | | | 339 154 | 372 169 | 407 185 | |
| Number of blades | | | 3 | 3 | | | 4 | 5 | |
| Number of nozzles | | | (| 6 | | | 8 | 7 | |
| Nozzle type | | | | Type 100 | and 200 | | | | |
| Cutting structure (drillable blade) | | | | 6-mm | TSP | | | | |
| Cutting structure (on casing body) | | | | PD | OC . | | | | |
| Gauge length (in., mm) | 6. ⁻ 17 | 74 1.2 | 9.25 234.8 | 9.02 229.1 | 3.77 95.8 | 8.55 271.1 | 8.53 216.7 | 7.01 178.0 | |
| Gauge protection | | | | Tungsten carb | ide briquettes | | | | |
| Total flow area | | | | Dependent on r | ozzle selection | | | | |
| Junk slot area (in.², cm²) | | | | | | | | 44.8 288.9 | |
| Equivalent casing grade (ksi, MPa) | 110 758 | | | | | | | | |
| Nose material | | | | Drillable aluı | minum alloy | | | | |

^aS13 (with baffle plate) version available.



| Nominal size (in.) | 13-3/8 × 17-1/2 | 13-3/8 × 17-1/2 | 16 × 17-1/2 | 16 × 19-1/2 | 18-5/8 × 21 | 18-5/8 × 23 | 20 × 23-7/8 | | |
|--|-----------------|-----------------|---------------|------------------------|--------------------------|---------------|-----------------|--|--|
| Defyer code | DT306-133174 | DT406-133174 | DT306-160174 | DT306-160194 | DT506-185210 | DT506-185230 | DT306-200237W | | |
| Casing size (in., mm) | | -3/8 9.7 | | 6 6.4 | 18-5/8 20 473.1 508.0 | | | | |
| Casing weight and grade | | As requested | | | | | | | |
| Connection | | | | | | | | | |
| OD (in., <i>mm</i>) | | 17-1/2 444.5 | | 19-1/2 495.3 | 21 533.4 | 23 584.2 | 23-7/8 606.4 | | |
| Tool length (ft, m) | | 59 79 | 2.64 0.81 | | 59 79 | 2.64 0.80 | 2.59 0.79 | | |
| Tool weight (lb, kg) | 375 170 | 379 172 | 390 177 | 434 197 | 548 249 | 592 268 | 550 250 | | |
| Number of blades | 3 | 4 | : | 3 | 5 | | 3 | | |
| Number of nozzles | 6 | 8 | | 6 | 12 | 10 | 9 | | |
| Nozzle type | | | | Type 100 and 200 | | | - | | |
| Cutting structure (drillable blade) | | | | 6-mm TSP | | | | | |
| Cutting structure (on casing body) | | | | PDC | | | | | |
| Gauge length (in., mm) | 8.32 211.3 | 8.35 212.1 | 9.56 242.8 | 8.32 211.3 | 8.52 216.4 | 7.20 182.9 | 7.41 188.2 | | |
| Gauge protection | | | Tun | gsten carbide brique | ttes | | - | | |
| Total flow area | | | Depe | ndent on nozzle sele | ection | | | | |
| Junk slot area (in.², cm²) | 59.7 385.2 | | | | | | | | |
| Equivalent casing grade (ksi, <i>MPa</i>) | | | 10 58 | | | 65 448 | | | |
| Nose material | | | D | rillable aluminum allo | by | | | | |



| Nominal size (in.) | 20 × 24 | 20 × 24 | 20 × 24 | 20 × 24 | | | | |
|--|---------------|----------------|------------------|---------------|--|--|--|--|
| Defyer code | DT306-200240 | DT406-200240W | DT506-200240 | DT506-200240W | | | | |
| Casing size (in., mm) | | 20 609.6 | | | | | | |
| Casing weight and grade | | As requested | | | | | | |
| Connection | | | | | | | | |
| OD (in., <i>mm</i>) | | | 4 9.6 | | | | | |
| Tool length (ft, m) | 2.58 0.79 | 2.44 0.74 | 2.64 0.80 | 1.98 0.60 | | | | |
| Tool weight (lb, kg) | 550 250 | 595 270 | | 38 90 | | | | |
| Number of blades | 3 | 4 | | 5 | | | | |
| Number of nozzles | 9 | 12 | | 10 | | | | |
| Nozzle type | | Type 100 | and 200 | | | | | |
| Cutting structure (drillable blade) | | 6-mn | n TSP | | | | | |
| Cutting structure (on casing body) | | P[| DC . | | | | | |
| Gauge length (in., <i>mm</i>) | | 33 6.2 | 6.79 172.4 | 8.22 208.7 | | | | |
| Gauge protection | | Tungsten cart | oide briquettes | | | | | |
| Total flow area | | Dependent on I | nozzle selection | | | | | |
| Junk slot area (in.², cm²) | 79.9 515.1 | | | | | | | |
| Equivalent casing grade (ksi, <i>MPa</i>) | | - | 5 48 | | | | | |
| Nose material | | Drillable alu | minum alloy | | | | | |



| Nominal size (in.) | 20 × 26 | 20 × 26 | 20 × 26 | 20 × 26 ^a | 20 × 27 | 24 × 27 | | | |
|--|----------------------|---------------|---------------|----------------------|---------------|---------------------|--|--|--|
| Defyer code | DT306-200260 | DT306-200260W | DT506-200260 | DT506-200260W | DT306-200270W | DT506-240270 | | | |
| Casing size (in., <i>mm</i>) | | | 20 660.4 | | | 24 609.6 | | | |
| Casing weight and grade | | As requested | | | | | | | |
| Connection | | | | | | | | | |
| OD (in., <i>mm</i>) | | | 6 0.4 | | 2 65 | | | | |
| Tool length (ft, m) | 2.58 <i>0.7</i> 9 | 2.03 0.62 | 2.64 0.80 | 2.08 0.63 | 2.03 0.62 | 1.89 <i>0.58</i> | | | |
| Tool weight (lb, kg) | 638 290 | 616 280 | 682 310 | 660 300 | 693 315 | 638 290 | | | |
| Number of blades | ; | 3 | | 5 | 3 | 5 | | | |
| Number of nozzles | , | 9 | 1 | 10 | 9 | 13 | | | |
| Nozzle type | | | Type 100 | 0 and 200 | | | | | |
| Cutting structure (drillable blade) | | | 6-mn | n TSP | | | | | |
| Cutting structure (on casing body) | | | Pl | DC | | | | | |
| Gauge length (in., <i>mm</i>) | 6.91 175.6 | 8.03 204.1 | | .41 38.3 | 6.33 160.7 | 7.95 202.0 | | | |
| Gauge protection | | | Tungsten carl | bide briquettes | | | | | |
| Total flow area | | | Dependent on | nozzle selection | | | | | |
| Junk slot area (in.², cm²) | 113.4 731.4 | | | | | | | | |
| Equivalent casing grade (ksi, <i>MPa</i>) | | 65 448 | | | | | | | |
| Nose material | | | Drillable alu | ıminum alloy | | | | | |

^aS13 (with baffle plate) version available.



Specifications (continued)

Recommended Operating Parameters

| Nominal size (in.) | 5 × 6 | 5 × 6-1/8 | 7 × 8-1/2 | 7-5/8 × 8-1/2 | 7-5/8 × 9-7/8 | | |
|--|---|--------------------------------|-------------------|---------------|------------------------|--|--|
| Minimum rotary speed (rpm) | | | 40 | | | | |
| Maximum rotary speed (rpm) | | | 120 | | | | |
| Minimum WOB (lb, kg) | , - | 2,000 907 3,000 1,361 | | | | | |
| Maximum WOB (lb, kg) | 8,000 3,628 | 9,000 <i>4,082</i> | 13,000 5,897 | | 15,000 <i>6,804</i> | | |
| Minimum flow rate (gal/min, <i>L/min</i>) | 60 227 | 65 246 | 120 <i>454</i> | 75 284 | 200 757 | | |
| Maximum flow rate (gal/min, <i>L/min</i>) | 110 <i>416</i> | 130 <i>4</i> 92 | 240 908 | 140 530 | 400 1,514 | | |
| Minimum torque (ft-lb, N•m) | 50 67 | | | ,000 ,356 | 1,200 1,627 | | |
| Maximum torque (ft-lb, N•m) | 90% of maximum connection makeup torque | | | | | | |

| Nominal size (in.) | 8-5/8 × 10-5/8 | 9-5/8 × 12 | 9-5/8 × 12-1/4 | 13-3/8 × 16 | 13-3/8 × 17 | | | | |
|--|-----------------|---------------------------------------|---------------------|------------------|--------------------------|--|--|--|--|
| Minimum rotary speed (rpm) | | 40 | | | | | | | |
| Maximum rotary speed (rpm) | | 120 | | | | | | | |
| Minimum WOB (lb, kg) | | 4,000 5,000 6,000 1,814 2,268 2,722 | | | | | | | |
| Maximum WOB (lb, kg) | 16,000 7,257 | 18,000 <i>8,165</i> | 20,000 9,072 | 24,000 10,886 | 26,000 <i>11</i> ,793 | | | | |
| Minimum flow rate (gal/min, <i>L/min</i>) | 200 757 | 250 946 | 300 1,136 | 400 1,514 | 550 2,082 | | | | |
| Maximum flow rate (gal/min, <i>L/min</i>) | 400 1,514 | 500 1,893 | 600 2,271 | 800 3,028 | 1,100 <i>4,164</i> | | | | |
| Minimum torque (ft-lb, N•m) | 1,200 1,627 | , | 500 034 | 3,000 4,067 | 3,500 4,745 | | | | |
| Maximum torque (ft-lb, N•m) | | 90% of max | kimum connection ma | keup torque | | | | | |



| Nominal size (in.) | 18-5/8 × 21 | 18-5/8 × 21 | 20 × 24 | 20 × 26 | 24 × 27 | |
|--|------------------|---|---------------------|------------------|-----------------------|--|
| Minimum rotary speed (rpm) | 4 | 40 | | 20 | | |
| Maximum rotary speed (rpm) | | 10 | 0 | | 80 | |
| Minimum WOB (lb, kg) | , . | 7,000 3,175 | | 9,000 4,082 | | |
| Maximum WOB (lb, kg) | 32,000 14,515 | | 36,000 16,329 | 40,000 18,144 | 45,000 20,412 | |
| Minimum flow rate (gal/min, <i>L/min</i>) | 500 1,893 | 700 2,650 | 900 <i>3,407</i> | 1,000 3,785 | 800 3, <i>0</i> 28 | |
| Maximum flow rate (gal/min, <i>L/min</i>) | 900 3,407 | 1,400 5,300 | | 1,500 5,678 | | |
| Minimum torque (ft-lb, N•m) | | 4,000 5,423 | | | | |
| Maximum torque (ft-lb, N•m) | | 90% of maximum connection makeup torque | | | | |