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- Helium leakage
- Nitrogen leakage up to 4000 psi
- Thermal cycling from -70 to 200°C
- Seal characterization at temperatures up to 1200°C
- Cyclic durability





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|                            | SEAL TYPE   |                  |                  |                  |                     |                   |
|----------------------------|-------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|---------------------|-------------------|
| Application<br>Information | 0           | 0                | 0                | С                | S                   | J                 |
|                            | Helicoflex® | Delta®           | O-Flex™          | C-Flex™          | E-Flex™<br>U-Flex™* | Machined<br>Seal* |
| Ultra High<br>Vacuum       | •           |                  |                  |                  |                     |                   |
| Low<br>Pressure            |             | •                |                  |                  |                     |                   |
| High<br>Pressure           |             |                  |                  |                  | •                   |                   |
| Cryogenic<br>Temperature   |             |                  | •                | •                | •                   | •                 |
| High<br>Temperature        |             |                  |                  |                  |                     |                   |
| Spring Back                | •           | •                | •                |                  |                     |                   |
| Shaped Seals               |             |                  |                  | •                |                     | •                 |
| Axial Sealing              |             |                  | •                |                  | •                   |                   |
| QDS<br>Compatible          |             |                  |                  |                  |                     |                   |
| Seating Load               | High        | Moderate         | High<br>Moderate | Moderate<br>Low  | Low                 | High<br>Moderate  |
| Leak Rate<br>Approximation | Helium      | Ultra-<br>Helium | Helium<br>Bubble | Helium<br>Bubble | Low<br>Bubble       | Helium            |

\* See Custom Seals Section

| Application Legend        |   |
|---------------------------|---|
| Recommended - Excellent   |   |
| Recommended - Good        |   |
| Optional - Special Design | • |
| Not Recommended           |   |

| Leak Legend  | Approximate Leak Rates<br>per meter of circumference   | Actual leak rate in service will depend on the following: |
|--------------|--|---|
| Ultra-Helium | $\leq$ 1 x 10 <sup>-11</sup> std.cc/sec He             | Seal Load: Wall Thickness or Spring Load                  |
| Helium       | ≤ 1 x 10 <sup>-9</sup> std.cc/sec He                   | Surface Finish: Seal and Cavity                           |
| Bubble       | ≤ 1 x 10 <sup>-4</sup> std.cc/sec He                   | Surface Treatment: Coating/Plating/Jacket Material        |
| Low Bubble   | ≤ 25 cc/sec @ 50 psig Nitrogen<br>per inch of diameter |   |

# SEAL SELECTION GUIDE BY MARKET/APPLICATION

#### Aerospace



| Application                 | Section             |                     |                     |                  |
|-----------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|------------------|
| Fuel Nozzles                | E-FLEX <sup>™</sup> | C-FLEX <sup>™</sup> | <b>HELICOFLEX®</b>  |                  |
| Bleed Air                   | E-FLEX <sup>™</sup> | C-FLEX <sup>™</sup> | O-FLEX <sup>™</sup> |                  |
| Casing/Cowling              | E-FLEX <sup>™</sup> |                     |                     |                  |
| Fuel Delivery               | MS O-Rings          | Boss Seal*          |                     |                  |
| V-Band Coupling             | E-FLEX <sup>™</sup> | C-FLEX <sup>™</sup> | <b>HELICOFLEX®</b>  | QDS <sup>®</sup> |
| Compressor Discharge        | E-FLEX <sup>™</sup> | <b>HELICOFLEX®</b>  | C-FLEX <sup>™</sup> |                  |
| Electronic Enclosures       | DELTA®              | <b>HELICOFLEX®</b>  | C-FLEX <sup>™</sup> |                  |
| Gear Box                    | <b>HELICOFLEX®</b>  | C-FLEX <sup>™</sup> |                     |                  |
| Rocket Engine & Turbo Pumps | E-FLEX <sup>™</sup> | <b>HELICOFLEX®</b>  | C-FLEX <sup>™</sup> |                  |
| MS Standards                | MS Orings           | C-FLEX <sup>™</sup> |                     |                  |
| MS 33649/AS 5202/           | Boss Seal*          | C-FLEX <sup>™</sup> |                     |                  |
| AS 4395 Fluid Ports         |                     |                     |                     |                  |
|                             |                     |                     |                     |                  |

#### Defense



| Weapons                     | <b>HELICOFLEX®</b> | C-FLEX <sup>™</sup> | O-FLEX <sup>™</sup> |
|-----------------------------|--------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| Missiles                    | DELTA®             | <b>HELICOFLEX®</b>  | C-FLEX <sup>™</sup> |
| Electronic Enclosures       | DELTA®             | <b>HELICOFLEX®</b>  | C-FLEX <sup>™</sup> |
| MS 33649/AS 5202/           | Boss Seal*         | C-FLEX <sup>™</sup> |                     |
| AS 4395 Fluid Ports         |                    |                     |                     |
| Military Standards          | MS O-Rings         | C-FLEX <sup>™</sup> |                     |
| Exhaust Systems             | <b>HELICOFLEX®</b> | C-FLEX <sup>™</sup> | O-FLEX <sup>™</sup> |
| Fuel Delivery               | <b>HELICOFLEX®</b> | C-FLEX <sup>™</sup> | DELTA®              |
| Satellite Systems           | DELTA®             | <b>HELICOFLEX®</b>  | C-FLEX <sup>™</sup> |
| Laser & RF Guidance Systems | DELTA®             | <b>HELICOFLEX®</b>  |                     |

### Oil & Gas - Downhole Equipment & Upstream Production



| Drill Heads           | <b>HELICOFLEX®</b> | O-FLEX <sup>™</sup> |                     |
|-----------------------|--------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| Valves                | <b>HELICOFLEX®</b> | C-FLEX <sup>™</sup> | O-FLEX <sup>™</sup> |
| Steam Chucks          | <b>HELICOFLEX®</b> |                     |                     |
| Piping & Flanges      | <b>HELICOFLEX®</b> | QDS <sup>®</sup>    |                     |
| Electronic Enclosures | DELTA®             | <b>HELICOFLEX®</b>  | C-FLEX <sup>™</sup> |
| & Packagings          |                    |                     |                     |
| Flow Control          | <b>HELICOFLEX®</b> | C-FLEX <sup>™</sup> |                     |
| Pressure Gauges       | <b>HELICOFLEX®</b> | C-FLEX <sup>™</sup> |                     |
| Well Head Plug        | <b>HELICOFLEX®</b> | C-FLEX <sup>™</sup> |                     |
|                       |                    |                     |                     |

# Oil & Gas - Refining & Downstream Factories



| Heat Exchangers       | <b>HELICOFLEX®</b> | O-FLEX <sup>™</sup> |                     |  |
|-----------------------|--------------------|---------------------|---------------------|--|
| Bonnet Seals          | <b>HELICOFLEX®</b> | O-FLEX <sup>™</sup> | C-FLEX <sup>™</sup> |  |
| Valve Seats           | <b>HELICOFLEX®</b> |                     |                     |  |
| Stem Seals            | <b>HELICOFLEX®</b> | C-FLEX <sup>™</sup> |                     |  |
| Piping & Flanges      | <b>HELICOFLEX®</b> | QDS <sup>®</sup>    |                     |  |
| Process Sampling      | <b>HELICOFLEX®</b> | C-FLEX <sup>™</sup> | O-FLEX <sup>™</sup> |  |
| Specialty Compressors | <b>HELICOFLEX®</b> | C-FLEX <sup>™</sup> | O-FLEX <sup>™</sup> |  |
| specially compressors | TILLICOT LLX       | CILLA               | OTLLA               |  |

#### Semiconductor - Front End Processing



| End Point Windows    | DELTA®           |                |  |
|----------------------|------------------|----------------|--|
| Chamber Lids         | DELTA®           |                |  |
| Exhaust Lines        | QDS <sup>®</sup> | DELTA®         |  |
| Injectors            | DELTA®           | Machined Seal* |  |
| Bulkhead Connections | DELTA®           |                |  |

### Semiconductor - Sub Systems

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| Mass Flow Controllers Machined Seal* DELTA®<br>Valve Manifold Box (VMB) Machined Seal* |  |
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| Valve Manifold Box (VMB) Machined Seal*  |  |
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| Gas Isolation Box (GIB) Machined Seal*   |  |
| Turbo Pumps DELTA®   |  |

\* See Custom Seals Section

# SEAL SELECTION GUIDE BY MARKET/APPLICATION

### Semiconductor - Materials



| Application        | Section |  |
|--------------------|---------|--|
| Ampoules           | DELTA®  |  |
| Gas Canisters      | DELTA®  |  |
| Chemical Canisters | DELTA®  |  |

### **National Laboratories**



| <b>RF</b> Waveguides  | DELTA® |  |
|-----------------------|--------|--|
| Particle Accelerators | DELTA® |  |
| Fusion Reactors       | DELTA® |  |
| Klystron Tubes        | DELTA® |  |

#### Nuclear



| Pressure Vessel  | <b>HELICOFLEX®</b>  | O-FLEX <sup>™</sup> |                  |  |
|------------------|---------------------|---------------------|------------------|--|
| Spent Fuel Casks | <b>HELICOFLEX®</b>  | O-FLEX <sup>™</sup> |                  |  |
| Waste Heat       | <b>HELICOFLEX®</b>  | O-FLEX <sup>™</sup> |                  |  |
| Primary Loop     | <b>HELICOFLEX®</b>  | O-FLEX <sup>™</sup> | QDS <sup>®</sup> |  |
| Control Valves   | <b>HELICOFLEX®</b>  | O-FLEX <sup>™</sup> |                  |  |
| CRD / BWR        | O-FLEX <sup>™</sup> |                     |                  |  |
| Pressurizer      | <b>HELICOFLEX®</b>  | O-FLEX <sup>™</sup> |                  |  |
|                  |                     |                     |                  |  |

### **Power Gen: Land Based Turbines**



| Fuel Nozzles  | <b>HELICOFLEX®</b>    | C-FLEX <sup>™</sup> | E-FLEX <sup>™</sup> |                  |  |  |
|---|-----------------------|---------------------|---------------------|------------------|--|--|
| Cooling Steam   | <b>HELICOFLEX®</b>    | C-FLEX <sup>™</sup> | E-FLEX <sup>™</sup> |                  |  |  |
| Casing  | E-FLEX <sup>™</sup>   | <b>HELICOFLEX®</b>  |                     |                  |  |  |
| Fuel Delivery   | MS Orings*            | Boss Seal*          |                     |                  |  |  |
| V-Band Coupling   | U-FLEX <sup>™</sup> * | C-FLEX <sup>™</sup> | E-FLEX <sup>™</sup> | QDS <sup>®</sup> |  |  |
| Compressor Discharge  | <b>HELICOFLEX®</b>    | C-FLEX <sup>™</sup> | E-FLEX <sup>™</sup> |                  |  |  |
| Electronic Enclosures   | DELTA®                | <b>HELICOFLEX®</b>  | C-FLEX <sup>™</sup> |                  |  |  |
| Gear Box  | <b>HELICOFLEX®</b>    | C-FLEX <sup>™</sup> |                     |                  |  |  |
| Rocket Engine & Turbo Pumps   | E-FLEX <sup>™</sup>   | <b>HELICOFLEX®</b>  | C-FLEX <sup>™</sup> |                  |  |  |
| MS Standards  | MS Orings             | C-FLEX <sup>™</sup> |                     |                  |  |  |
| Fuel Nozzle Locking Rings & Plates Contact Applications Engineering |                       |                     |                     |                  |  |  |
|   |                       |                     |                     |                  |  |  |

### **High Performance Automotive**



| Head Gasket Replacement                | <b>HELICOFLEX®</b>    | O-FLEX <sup>™</sup>   |                       |                     |
|--|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|---------------------|
| Cooper Ring Replacement                | <b>HELICOFLEX®</b>    | O-FLEX <sup>™</sup>   |                       |                     |
| Head to Header Interface               | U-FLEX <sup>™</sup> * | C-FLEX <sup>™</sup>   | HELICOFLEX®           | O-FLEX <sup>™</sup> |
| Exhaust Systems                        | U-FLEX <sup>™</sup> * | C-FLEX <sup>™</sup>   | <b>HELICOFLEX®</b>    |                     |
| Turbochargers Internal                 | U-FLEX <sup>™</sup> * | C-FLEX <sup>™</sup>   | <b>HELICOFLEX®</b>    | O-FLEX <sup>™</sup> |
| and External Interfaces                |                       |                       |                       |                     |
| Stack-up Tubular Springs               | O-FLEX <sup>™</sup>   | C-FLEX <sup>™</sup>   | U-FLEX <sup>™</sup> * | E-FLEX <sup>™</sup> |
| High Pressure Fuel Injection           | <b>HELICOFLEX®</b>    | O-FLEX <sup>™</sup>   | C-FLEX <sup>™</sup>   |                     |
| Fuel Cell High Pressure Feed           | <b>HELICOFLEX®</b>    | O-FLEX <sup>™</sup>   | C-FLEX <sup>™</sup>   |                     |
| Fuel Cell Exhaust Path                 | C-FLEX™               | U-FLEX <sup>™</sup> * |                       |                     |
| <b>Catalytic Converter Connections</b> | U-FLEX <sup>™</sup> * | C-FLEX <sup>™</sup>   |                       |                     |

# **Plastic Injection Molding**

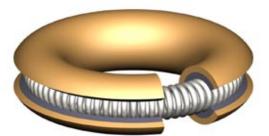
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| Hot Runner Components | <b>HELICOFLEX®</b> | O-FLEX <sup>™</sup> | C-FLEX <sup>™</sup> |
|-----------------------|--------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| Manifold Plates       | <b>HELICOFLEX®</b> | O-FLEX <sup>™</sup> | C-FLEX <sup>™</sup> |
| Extruder Plates       | <b>HELICOFLEX®</b> | O-FLEX <sup>™</sup> | C-FLEX <sup>™</sup> |
| Filter Packs          | <b>HELICOFLEX®</b> | O-FLEX <sup>™</sup> | C-FLEX <sup>™</sup> |
| Spinnerrettes         | <b>HELICOFLEX®</b> | O-FLEX <sup>™</sup> | C-FLEX <sup>™</sup> |
| Screen Changers       | <b>HELICOFLEX®</b> | O-FLEX <sup>™</sup> | C-FLEX <sup>™</sup> |
| Instrumentation Ports | <b>HELICOFLEX®</b> | O-FLEX <sup>™</sup> | C-FLEX <sup>™</sup> |

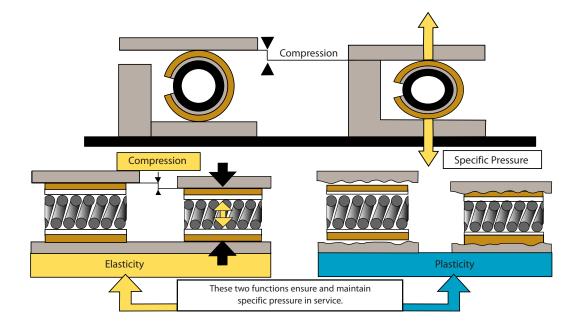
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# **Sealing Concept**

The sealing principle of the Helicoflex<sup>®</sup> family of seals is based upon the plastic deformation of a jacket of greater ductility than the flange materials. This occurs between the sealing face of a flange and an elastic core composed of a close-wound helical spring. The spring is selected

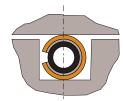


to have a specific compression resistance. During compression, the resulting specific pressure forces the jacket to yield and fill the flange imperfections while ensuring positive contact with the flange sealing faces. Each coil of the helical spring acts independently and allows the seal to conform to surface irregularities on the flange surface. This combination of elasticity and plasticity makes the Helicoflex seal the best overall performing seal in the industry.



# CONFIGURATIONS

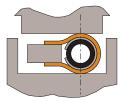
**Typical Configurations** 



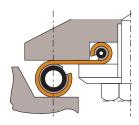
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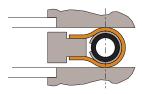
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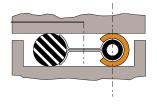
HN203 Tongue & Groove



HND229 Valve Seat



HN208 Raised face flange -ANSI B16.5



HNDE290 Leak check -Insert Gas Purge

# **Classification of Seal Type**

| Cross<br>Section<br>Type | HN<br>HNR<br>HNV<br>HND<br>HNDE | HNRground spring for precise load control (Beta Spring)HNVlow load (Delta Seal)HNDtandem Helicoflex seals |              |                   |   |                              |              |   |                      |          |
|--------------------------|---------------------------------|---|--------------|-------------------|---|------------------------------|--------------|---|----------------------|----------|
| Jacket/<br>Lining        | 1 = jacket only                 |   |              |                   |   | 2 = jacket with inner lining |              |   |                      |          |
| Jacket<br>Orientation    |                                 |   | <sup>2</sup> | <sup>3</sup>      |   | <sup>5</sup>                 | <sup>6</sup> |   | 8                    | °∰†      |
| Section<br>Orientation   | 0                               | 1<br>)=¦  | 2            | <sup>3</sup> □ ○¦ | 4 | 5<br>○□○¦                    | 6<br>○,;     | 7 | <sup>8</sup><br>□⊃O¦ | 9<br>00¦ |

### Example

| HN            | 2          | 0           | 8           |
|---------------|------------|-------------|-------------|
| Cross Section | # Jackets/ | Jacket      | Section     |
| Type          | Lining     | Orientation | Orientation |

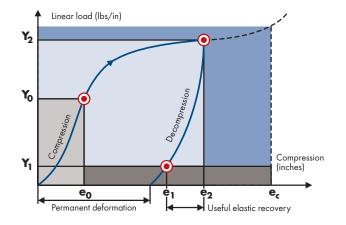
## **Characteristic Curve**

The resilient characteristic of the Helicoflex<sup>®</sup> seal ensures useful elastic recovery during service. This elastic recovery permits the Helicoflex<sup>®</sup> seal to accommodate minor distortions in the flange assembly due to temperature and pressure cycling. For most sealing applications the  $Y_0$  value will occur early in the compression curve and the  $Y_1$  value will occur near the end of the decompression curve.

The compression and decompression cycle of the Helicoflex<sup>®</sup> seal is characterized by the gradual flattening of the compression curve. The decompression curve, which is distinct from the compression curve, is the result of a hysteresis effect and permanent deformation of the spring and jacket.

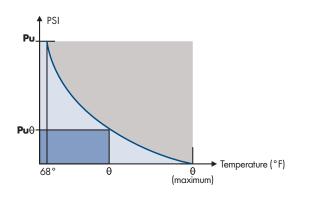
# **Definition of Terms**

- Y<sub>0</sub> = load on the compression curve above which leak rate is at required level
- Y<sub>2</sub> = load required to reach optimum compression e2
- Y<sub>1</sub> = load on the decompression curve below which leak rate exceeds required level
- e<sub>2</sub> = optimum compression
- e<sub>c</sub> = compression limit beyond which there is risk of damaging the spring



# The Intrinsic Power of the Seal

The intrinsic power of the Helicoflex seal reflects its ability to maintain and hold system pressure for a given temperature at  $Y_2$  and  $e_2$ . This value is expressed as a specific pressure and is noted by the symbols Pu (room temperature) and Pu $\Theta$  (at operating temperature). The influence of temperature on Pu is shown in the graph below. The table on page 4 gives the values of Pu at 68°F (20°C), Pu  $\Theta$  at a given temperature and the maximum temperature where Pu  $\Theta = 0$ .



# Performance Data

|                    | HELIUM SEALING   |                |                |                            |                            | BUBBLE SEALING |                              |                            |                            |                |                              |                   |
|--------------------|------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|----------------|------------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|----------------|------------------------------|-------------------|
| Jacket<br>Material | Cross<br>Section | e <sub>2</sub> | e <sub>c</sub> | Y <sub>2</sub><br>lbs/inch | ۲ <sub>1</sub><br>lbs/inch | Pu68°F<br>PSI  | Pu <del>O</del> 392°F<br>PSI | Y <sub>2</sub><br>Ibs/inch | Y <sub>1</sub><br>lbs/inch | Pu68°F<br>PSI  | Pu <del>O</del> 392°F<br>PSI | Max<br>Temp<br>°F |
|                    | 0.063            | 0.024          | 0.028          | 857                        | 114                        | 7250           | N/A                          | 514                        | 114                        | 5075           | N/A                          | 302               |
|                    | 0.075            | 0.028          | 0.033          | 914                        | 114                        | 7540           | N/A                          | 571                        | 114                        | 5800           | N/A                          | 302               |
|                    | 0.087            | 0.028          | 0.035          | 942<br>999                 | 114<br>114                 | 7685<br>7975   | N/A                          | 600                        | 114<br>114                 | 5800<br>6090   | N/A                          | 356               |
|                    | 0.098            | 0.028 0.031    | 0.035 0.039    | 1056                       | 114                        | 7975           | 725<br>1450                  | 657<br>742                 | 114                        | 6525           | 725<br>1450                  | 428<br>482        |
| uminum             | 0.138            | 0.031          | 0.039          | 1030                       | 143                        | 7975           | 2030                         | 799                        | 114                        | 6815           | 2030                         | 482               |
|                    | 0.157            | 0.035          | 0.043          | 1142                       | 143                        | 8700           | 2465                         | 857                        | 114                        | 7250           | 2465                         | 536               |
|                    | 0.177            | 0.035          | 0.047          | 1199                       | 143                        | 8700           | 2900                         | 914                        | 114                        | 7540           | 2900                         | 536               |
|                    | 0.197            | 0.035          | 0.055          | 1256                       | 171                        | 9135           | 3190                         | 971                        | 143                        | 7975           | 3190                         | 572               |
|                    | 0.217            | 0.035          | 0.063          | 1313                       | 171                        | 9425           | 3480                         | 1028                       | 143                        | 8265           | 3480                         | 608               |
|                    | 0.236 0.276      | 0.039 0.039    | 0.071 0.087    | 1399<br>1542               | 200<br>228                 | 9715<br>10150  | 3625<br>4060                 | 1113<br>1171               | 171<br>200                 | 8700<br>9425   | 3625<br>4060                 | 644<br>644        |
|                    | 0.270            | 0.039          | 0.087          | 1656                       | 228                        | 10130          | 4640                         | 1285                       | 200                        | 9425           | 4000                         | 680               |
|                    | 0.515            | 0.035          | 0.102          | 1050                       | 200                        | 10440          | Pu <del>O</del> 482°F        | 1205                       | 220                        | 5000           | Pu <del>O</del> 482°F        | 000               |
|                    | 0.063            | 0.020          | 0.024          | 1142                       | 171                        | 9425           | N/A                          | 857                        | 171                        | 5800           | N/A                          | 464               |
|                    | 0.075            | 0.024          | 0.028          | 1256                       | 171                        | 9425           | N/A                          | 857                        | 171                        | 5800           | N/A                          | 464               |
|                    | 0.087            | 0.024          | 0.031          | 1313                       | 200                        | 10150          | N/A                          | 914                        | 171                        | 5800           | 580                          | 536               |
|                    | 0.098            | 0.028          | 0.035          | 1370                       | 257                        | 10875          | 1160                         | 971                        | 228                        | 6525           | 725                          | 536               |
|                    | 0.118            | 0.031          | 0.039          | 1485                       | 286                        | 12325          | 2030                         | 1028                       | 257                        | 7250           | 1305                         | 572               |
| Silver             | 0.138            | 0.031          | 0.039          | 1599                       | 286                        | 13775          | 3190                         | 1085                       | 257                        | 7975           | 1885                         | 572               |
| 511701             | 0.157<br>0.177   | 0.031<br>0.031 | 0.043<br>0.043 | 1713<br>1827               | 314<br>343                 | 15225<br>16675 | 3915<br>4495                 | 1142<br>1256               | 286<br>286                 | 8700<br>10150  | 2320<br>2755                 | 662<br>698        |
|                    | 0.197            | 0.031          | 0.045          | 1941                       | 343                        | 18125          | 5220                         | 1313                       | 286                        | 11600          | 3190                         | 698               |
|                    | 0.217            | 0.031          | 0.055          | 2056                       | 371                        | 19575          | 5800                         | 1428                       | 343                        | 13050          | 3625                         | 752               |
|                    | 0.236            | 0.035          | 0.067          | 2284                       | 400                        | 21750          | 6815                         | 1542                       | 343                        | 15950          | 4350                         | 842               |
|                    | 0.276            | 0.035          | 0.079          | 2512                       | 457                        | 23200          | 7830                         | 1713                       | 371                        | 18125          | 5220                         | 842               |
|                    | 0.315            | 0.035          | 0.094          | 2798                       | 514                        | 24650          | 8700                         | 1999                       | 400                        | 20300          | 6090                         | 932               |
|                    |                  |                |                |                            |                            |                | Pu⊖572°F                     |                            |                            |                | Pu <del>O</del> 572°F        |                   |
|                    | 0.063            | 0.020          | 0.024          | 1485                       | 228                        | 7250           | 1450                         | 1085                       | 171                        | 5075           | 725                          | 662               |
|                    | 0.075 0.087      | 0.024          | 0.028          | 1599<br>1713               | 286<br>343                 | 7250<br>7975   | 1595<br>1885                 | 1142<br>1256               | 228<br>286                 | 5075<br>5075   | 870<br>1160                  | 662<br>680        |
| opper,             | 0.087            | 0.024          | 0.031          | 1827                       | 400                        | 8700           | 2465                         | 1313                       | 343                        | 5800           | 1450                         | 716               |
| oft Iron,          | 0.000            | 0.028          | 0.039          | 1999                       | 457                        | 9425           | 2900                         | 1428                       | 400                        | 5800           | 1740                         | 716               |
| Mild               | 0.138            | 0.028          | 0.039          | 2227                       | 457                        | 10150          | 3335                         | 1542                       | 400                        | 6525           | 2175                         | 752               |
| Steels             | 0.157            | 0.031          | 0.043          | 2455                       | 514                        | 10150          | 3915                         | 1656                       | 457                        | 6525           | 2465                         | 788               |
| and<br>nnealed     | 0.177<br>0.197   | 0.031<br>0.031 | 0.043 0.051    | 2684<br>2912               | 571<br>628                 | 11600<br>12325 | 4350<br>4785                 | 1827<br>1884               | 457<br>514                 | 6525<br>7250   | 2755<br>3045                 | 842<br>842        |
| Nickel             | 0.197            | 0.031          | 0.051          | 3141                       | 685                        | 13050          | 5220                         | 2056                       | 571                        | 7250           | 3335                         | 896               |
|                    | 0.236            | 0.035          | 0.067          | 3597                       | 799                        | 13775          | 5800                         | 2030                       | 571                        | 7975           | 3770                         | 968               |
|                    | 0.276            | 0.035          | 0.079          | 4225                       | 914                        | 14500          | 6525                         | 2627                       | 628                        | 8700           | 4205                         | 968               |
|                    | 0.315            | 0.035          | 0.094          | 4911                       | 1085                       | 15950          | 7105                         | 3026                       | 742                        | 9425           | 4640                         | 1022              |
|                    |                  |                |                |                            |                            |                | Pu <del>O</del> 662°F        |                            |                            |                | Pu <del>O</del> 662°F        |                   |
|                    | 0.063<br>0.075   | 0.016<br>0.020 | 0.020 0.024    | 1827<br>1999               | 457<br>457                 | 10150<br>10440 | 1595<br>2320                 | 1142<br>1256               | 343<br>343                 | 5800<br>6090   | 1015<br>1305                 | 716<br>716        |
|                    | 0.075            | 0.020          | 0.024          | 2227                       | 437<br>514                 | 110440         | 3045                         | 1313                       | 400                        | 6380           | 1740                         | 788               |
|                    | 0.098            | 0.020          | 0.020          | 2512                       | 571                        | 11890          | 3915                         | 1542                       | 400                        | 6815           | 2320                         | 842               |
| Nickel,            | 0.118            | 0.024          | 0.035          | 2512                       | 628                        | 12615          | 4930                         | 1713                       | 457                        | 7250           | 2900                         | 896               |
| Monel,             | 0.138            | 0.024          | 0.035          | 2798                       | 685                        | 13485          | 5800                         | 1941                       | 514                        | 7830           | 3335                         | 932               |
| intalum            | 0.157            | 0.028          | 0.039          | 3312                       | 799                        | 13920          | 6525                         | 2170                       | 571                        | 8265           | 3915                         | 1022              |
|                    | 0.177<br>0.197   | 0.028<br>0.028 | 0.039<br>0.043 | 4111<br>4454               | 857<br>1028                | 15225<br>15950 | 7540<br>8265                 | 2398<br>2627               | 628<br>628                 | 8700<br>9425   | 4350<br>4785                 | 1112<br>1202      |
|                    | 0.197            | 0.028          | 0.043          | 4625                       | 1142                       | 16675          | 8990                         | 2855                       | 685                        | 9715           | 5365                         | 1202              |
|                    | 0.236            | 0.031          | 0.063          | N/A                        | N/A                        | N/A            | N/A                          | 3198                       | 742                        | 10440          | 5945                         | 1202              |
|                    | 0.276            | 0.031          | 0.071          | N/A                        | N/A                        | N/A            | N/A                          | 3712                       | 857                        | 11310          | 6525                         | 1202              |
|                    | 0.315            | 0.031          | 0.083          | N/A                        | N/A                        | N/A            | N/A                          | 4168                       | 914                        | 12035          | 7250                         | 1202              |
|                    |                  |                |                |                            |                            |                | Pu <del>O</del> 752°F        |                            |                            |                | Pu <del>O</del> 752°F        |                   |
|                    | 0.063            | 0.016          | 0.020          | 1999                       | 571                        | 13050          | 3625                         | 1713                       | 457                        | 6815           | 870                          | 788               |
|                    | 0.075 0.087      | 0.020 0.020    | 0.024 0.028    | 2284<br>2570               | 571<br>628                 | 13195<br>13340 | 3915<br>4205                 | 1827<br>1999               | 457<br>514                 | 7250<br>7540   | 1160<br>1595                 | 788<br>896        |
|                    | 0.087            | 0.020          | 0.028          | 2855                       | 685                        | 14065          | 4205                         | 2170                       | 571                        | 8265           | 2175                         | 932               |
| ainless            | 0.118            | 0.024          | 0.035          | 3283                       | 742                        | 14500          | 5220                         | 2427                       | 628                        | 8990           | 2900                         | 932               |
| Steel,             | 0.138            | 0.024          | 0.035          | 3769                       | 857                        | 15080          | 5655                         | 2684                       | 742                        | 9715           | 3625                         | 1022              |
| iconel,            | 0.157            | 0.028          | 0.039          | 4283                       | 971                        | 15515          | 6090                         | 2969                       | 857                        | 10440          | 4350                         | 1112              |
| tanium             | 0.177            | 0.028          | 0.039          | 4711<br>N/A                | 1256                       | 15950          | 6525<br>N/A                  | 3198                       | 1028                       | 11165          | 4930                         | 1202              |
|                    | 0.197 0.217      | 0.028          | 0.043 0.051    | N/A<br>N/A                 | N/A<br>N/A                 | N/A<br>N/A     | N/A<br>N/A                   | 3426<br>3712               | 1085<br>1142               | 11890<br>12615 | 5365<br>6090                 | 1292<br>1292      |
|                    | 0.217            | 0.028          | 0.063          | N/A                        | N/A                        | N/A            | N/A                          | 4111                       | 1256                       | 13630          | 6815                         | 1292              |
|                    |                  | 0.031          | 0.071          | N/A                        | N/A                        | N/A            | N/A                          | 4568                       | 1485                       | 14790          | 7540                         | 1292              |
|                    | 0.276 0.315      | 0.031          | 0.083          | N/A                        | N/A                        | N/A            | N/A                          | 5139                       | 1656                       | 15660          | 8410                         | 1292              |

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## **Definition of Characteristic Values**

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|----------------------|---|---------------------------------|---------------|--|---|----------|
| Dj<br>Y <sub>2</sub> | Linear load correspondi   |                                 |               | section seal, $Dj = Dj_1 + Dj_2$ )                 |   | lbs/inch |
| Y <sub>1</sub>       | Linear load on the seal t   | o maintain seali                | ng in servi   | ce at low pressure (=Ym1)                          |   | lbs/inch |
| Pu                   | Intrinsic power of the se of the seal is maintained                                       | •                               |               | 20°C) when the reaction force perating conditions. |   | PSI      |
| Pu <sub>↔</sub>      | Value of Pu at temperatu  | ure <del>O</del>                |               |  |   | PSI      |
| Ρ                    | Operating or proof press<br>Note: if $\frac{P}{Pu \text{ or } Pu\Theta} >1$ , the         | sure<br>definition of th        | ie seal mus   | at be modified                                     |   | . PSI    |
|                      | This ratio must never exe   | ceed 1                          |               |  |   |          |
| Y <sub>m2</sub>      | Linear tightening load o<br>under pressure.<br>$Y_{m2} = Y_2 \frac{P}{P_{II}}$            | n the seal at roc               | om temper     | ature to maintain sealing                          |   | lbs/inch |
| Y <sub>m2↔</sub>     | Value of $Y_{m_2}$ at temperat  | ure <del>O</del> .Y.,=`         | (             |  |   | lbs/inch |
| m2↔<br>Et            | Young's modulus of bolt   |                                 | PSI           |  |   |          |
|                      | -   |                                 | -             |  |   |          |
| Et                   | Young's modulus of bolt   | material at ope                 | erating tem   | perature   |   | PSI      |
|                      |   |                                 |               |  |   |          |
| Load                 | Calculations  |                                 |               |  |   |          |
| Fj                   | Total tightening load to<br>Fj = $\pi \times Dj \times Y_2$                               | compress the se                 | eal to the c  | pperating point $(Y_2; e_2)$                       |   | lbs      |
| F,                   | Total hydrostatic end for   | rce $F_{F} = \pi/4 D j_{1}^{2}$ | $P(Dj_1 = D)$ | j in case of a single section seal                 | ) | lbs      |
| Fm                   | Minimum total load to b<br>i.e. Fm = $\pi$ Dj Y <sub>m</sub> where:<br>(see note 1 below) |                                 | . lbs         |  |   |          |
| Fs                   | Total load to be applied<br>$Fs = F_F + F_m$  | on the bolts to                 | maintain s    | ealing in service                                  |   | lbs      |
| Fs*                  | Increased value of Fs to  | compensate for                  | Young's m     | odulus at temperature                              |   | lbs      |
|                      | Fs* = Fs Et / Et  | -                               | -             | -  |   |          |
| F <sub>B</sub>       | LOAD TO BE APPLIED:   | If Fs* > Fj                     | then          | Fb = Fs*   |   | lbs      |
|                      |   |                                 |               |  |   |          |

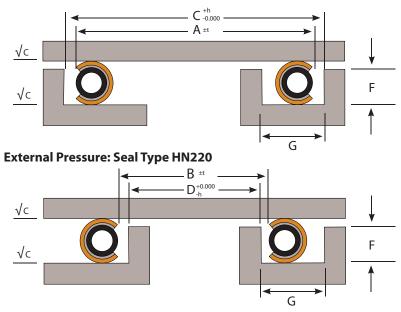
If Fj > Fs\* then Fb = Fj

Note 1: wherever the working pressure is high and/or seal diameter is big, to such an extent that  $P \cdot Dj \ge 32 Y_m$ , in order to remain on the safe side, whatever the inaccuracy on the tightening load may be, it is recommended to take the Fj value in lieu of  $F_m$  for the calculation of Fs so that  $Fs = F_F + Fj$ .

Note 2: this information is provided as a reference only.

# SEAL AND GROOVE DIMENSIONS

### Internal Pressure: Seal Type HN200



### **Seal and Groove Sizing Calculations**

The equations below can be used for basic groove calculations. Applications that have significant thermal expansion may require additional clearance. Please contact Applications Engineering for design assistance.

#### **Determining Seal Diameter:**

| Internal                  | <u>External</u> | Tolera | ncing:            | See chart   |
|---------------------------|-----------------|--------|-------------------|---|
| A = C - X                 | B = D + X       | Where: | A =<br>B =        | Seal Outer Diameter<br>Seal Inner Diameter          |
| Determining Groove Diamet | ter:            |        | Б =<br>С =<br>D = | Groove Outer Diameter<br>Groove Inner Diameter      |
| Internal                  | External        |        | X =               | Diametrical Clearance (see table)                   |
| C = A + X                 | D = B - X       | Groov  | e Finish          | √ <b>C:</b> See groove dimensioning chart on page 7 |

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#### Seal/Groove Tolerances

| Seal Diameter Range | Pressure <30                     | 00psi (20 bar)        | Pressure ≥300 psi (20 bar) |                       |  |  |
|---------------------|----------------------------------|-----------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------|--|--|
| Sear Diameter hange | Seal tolerance<br>t              | Groove tolerance<br>h | Seal tolerance<br>t        | Groove tolerance<br>h |  |  |
| 0.350 to 2.000      | 0.005                            | 0.005                 | 0.004                      | 0.004                 |  |  |
| 2.001 to 12.000     | 0.010                            | 0.010                 | 0.004                      | 0.004                 |  |  |
| 12.001 to 25.000    | 0.010                            | 0.010                 | 0.006                      | 0.006                 |  |  |
| 25.001 to 48.000    | 0.015                            | 0.015                 | 0.008                      | 0.008                 |  |  |
| 48.001 to 72.000    | 0.020                            | 0.015                 | 0.010                      | 0.008                 |  |  |
| > 72.000            | Contact Applications Engineering |                       |                            |                       |  |  |

#### Flatness

| Seal Diameter Range | Amplitude | Tangential Slope | Radial Slope |
|---------------------|-----------|------------------|--------------|
| 0.350 to 20.000     | 0.008     | 1:1000           | 1:100        |
| 20.001 to 80.000    | 0.016     | 2:1000           | 2:100        |

#### **Dimensions in inches**

# Shaped Seals

**Groove design:** Contact Applications Engineering for assistance in designing non-circular grooves.

**Groove finish:** Most applications will require a finish of 16-32 RMS (0.4 to 0.8 Ra  $\mu$ m). All machining & polishing marks must follow seal circumference.

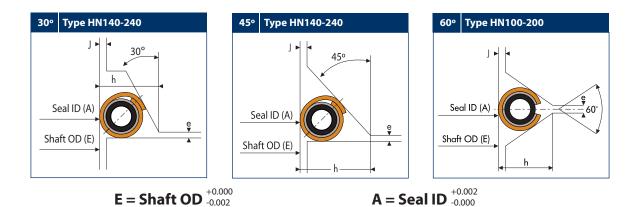
**Min. Seal Radius:** The minimum seal bending radius is six times the seal cross section (CS).

**Seating Load:** The load (Y2) to seat the seal is approximately 30% higher due to a slightly stiffer spring design.

# Seal and Groove Dimensions

|                    |                | SEAL                              |                          |                  | Pressure < 300psi             | Pressure ≥ 300psi             | GROOVE                             |                             |                             |
|--------------------|----------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------|------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|------------------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Jacket<br>Material | Free<br>Height | Installation<br>Compression<br>e2 | Seal<br>Diamete<br>Range |                  | Diametrical<br>Clearance<br>X | Diametrical<br>Clearance<br>X | Groove<br>Depth<br>F               | Groove<br>Width (Min.)<br>G | Groove<br>Finish<br>RMS     |
|                    | 0.063          | 0.024                             |                          | 4.000            | 0.024                         | 0.012                         | 0.039 +/- 0.003                    | 0.111                       |                             |
|                    | 0.075          | 0.028                             |                          | 6.000            | 0.028                         | 0.012                         | 0.047 +/- 0.003                    | 0.131                       |                             |
|                    | 0.087          | 0.028                             |                          | 0.000            | 0.028                         | 0.012                         | 0.059 +/- 0.003                    | 0.143                       |                             |
|                    | 0.098          | 0.028                             |                          | 5.000            | 0.028                         | 0.012                         | 0.070 +/- 0.003                    | 0.154                       | 32-125                      |
| luminum            | 0.118          | 0.031                             | 1.000 to 2               |                  | 0.031                         | 0.012                         | 0.087 +/- 0.004                    | 0.180                       | _                           |
|                    | 0.138          | 0.031                             |                          | 25.000<br>30.000 | 0.031                         | 0.020                         | 0.107 +/- 0.004                    | 0.200                       | Contact                     |
|                    | 0.157<br>0.177 | 0.035<br>0.035                    | 1.750 to 3<br>2.000 to 4 |                  | 0.035<br>0.035                | 0.020 0.020                   | 0.122 +/- 0.004<br>0.142 +/- 0.004 | 0.227<br>0.247              | Applications                |
|                    | 0.177          | 0.035                             |                          | 50.000           | 0.035                         | 0.020                         | 0.162 +/- 0.004                    | 0.247                       | Engineering<br>for          |
|                    | 0.217          | 0.035                             |                          | 50.000 +         | 0.035                         | 0.020                         | 0.182 +/- 0.004                    | 0.287                       | Recommendation              |
|                    | 0.236          | 0.039                             | 5.000 to 5               |                  | 0.039                         | 0.020                         | 0.197 +/- 0.005                    | 0.314                       | Recommendation              |
|                    | 0.276          | 0.039                             | 6.000 to 5               |                  | 0.039                         | 0.028                         | 0.237 +/- 0.005                    | 0.354                       |                             |
|                    | 0.315          | 0.039                             | 8.000 to 5               |                  | 0.039                         | 0.028                         | 0.276 +/- 0.005                    | 0.393                       |                             |
|                    | 0.063          | 0.020                             |                          | 4.000            | 0.020                         | 0.012                         | 0.043 +/- 0.002                    | 0.103                       |                             |
|                    | 0.075          | 0.024                             |                          | 6.000            | 0.024                         | 0.012                         | 0.051 +/- 0.003                    | 0.123                       |                             |
|                    | 0.087          | 0.024                             |                          | 0.000            | 0.024                         | 0.012                         | 0.063 +/- 0.003                    | 0.135                       |                             |
|                    | 0.098          | 0.028                             | 0.875 to 1               | 5.000            | 0.028                         | 0.012                         | 0.070 +/- 0.003                    | 0.154                       | 63-125                      |
|                    | 0.118          | 0.031                             |                          | 20.000           | 0.031                         | 0.012                         | 0.087 +/- 0.004                    | 0.180                       |                             |
| Silver             | 0.138          | 0.031                             |                          | 25.000           | 0.031                         | 0.020                         | 0.107 +/- 0.004                    | 0.200                       | Contact                     |
| Silver             | 0.157          | 0.031                             |                          | 30.000           | 0.031                         | 0.020                         | 0.126 +/- 0.004                    | 0.219                       | Applications                |
|                    | 0.177          | 0.031                             |                          | 10.000           | 0.031                         | 0.020                         | 0.146 +/- 0.004                    | 0.239                       | Engineering                 |
|                    | 0.197          | 0.031                             |                          | 50.000           | 0.031                         | 0.020                         | 0.166 +/- 0.004                    | 0.259                       | for                         |
|                    | 0.217          | 0.031                             |                          | 50.000 +         | 0.031                         | 0.020                         | 0.186 +/- 0.004                    | 0.279                       | Recommendation              |
|                    | 0.236          | 0.035                             |                          | 50.000 +         | 0.035                         | 0.020                         | 0.201 +/- 0.004                    | 0.306                       |                             |
|                    | 0.276          | 0.035                             |                          | 50.000 +         | 0.035                         | 0.028                         | 0.241 +/- 0.004                    | 0.346                       |                             |
|                    | 0.315          | 0.035 0.020                       |                          | 50.000 +         | 0.035                         | 0.028 0.012                   | 0.280 +/- 0.004<br>0.043 +/- 0.002 | 0.385                       |                             |
|                    | 0.063<br>0.075 | 0.020                             |                          | 4.000<br>6.000   | 0.020<br>0.024                | 0.012                         | 0.043 +/- 0.002                    | 0.103<br>0.123              |                             |
|                    | 0.075          | 0.024                             |                          | 0.000            | 0.024                         | 0.012                         | 0.063 +/- 0.003                    | 0.135                       |                             |
| Copper,            | 0.098          | 0.024                             |                          | 5.000            | 0.024                         | 0.012                         | 0.070 +/- 0.003                    | 0.154                       | 63-125                      |
| oft Iron,          | 0.118          | 0.028                             | 1.000 to 2               |                  | 0.028                         | 0.012                         | 0.090 +/- 0.003                    | 0.174                       | 05 125                      |
| Mild               | 0.138          | 0.028                             |                          | 25.000           | 0.028                         | 0.020                         | 0.110 +/- 0.003                    | 0.194                       | Contact                     |
| Steels             | 0.157          | 0.031                             |                          | 30.000           | 0.031                         | 0.020                         | 0.126 +/- 0.004                    | 0.219                       | Applications                |
| and                | 0.177          | 0.031                             | 2.000 to 4               | 10.000           | 0.031                         | 0.020                         | 0.146 +/- 0.004                    | 0.239                       | Engineering                 |
| Innealed           | 0.197          | 0.031                             | 3.000 to 5               | 50.000           | 0.031                         | 0.020                         | 0.166 +/- 0.004                    | 0.259                       | for                         |
| Nickel             | 0.217          | 0.031                             | 4.000 to 5               | 50.000 +         | 0.031                         | 0.020                         | 0.186 +/- 0.004                    | 0.279                       | Recommendation              |
|                    | 0.236          | 0.035                             | 5.000 to 5               | 50.000 +         | 0.035                         | 0.020                         | 0.201 +/- 0.004                    | 0.306                       |                             |
|                    | 0.276          | 0.035                             |                          | 50.000 +         | 0.035                         | 0.028                         | 0.241 +/- 0.004                    | 0.346                       |                             |
|                    | 0.315          | 0.035                             |                          | 50.000 +         | 0.035                         | 0.028                         | 0.280 +/- 0.004                    | 0.385                       |                             |
|                    | 0.063          | 0.016                             |                          | 4.000            | 0.016                         | 0.012                         | 0.047 +/- 0.002                    | 0.095                       |                             |
|                    | 0.075          | 0.020                             |                          | 6.000            | 0.020                         | 0.012                         | 0.055 +/- 0.002                    | 0.115                       |                             |
|                    | 0.087          | 0.020                             |                          | 0.000            | 0.020                         | 0.012                         | 0.067 +/- 0.002                    | 0.127                       | 22.62                       |
|                    | 0.098          | 0.024                             |                          | 5.000            | 0.024                         | 0.012                         | 0.074 +/- 0.003                    | 0.146                       | 32-63                       |
| Nickel,            | 0.118          | 0.024                             | 1.000 to 2               |                  | 0.024                         | 0.012                         | 0.094 +/- 0.003                    | 0.166                       | Contract                    |
| Monel,             | 0.138<br>0.157 | 0.024 0.028                       | 1.250 to 2<br>1.750 to 3 | 30.000           | 0.024<br>0.028                | 0.020                         | 0.114 +/- 0.003                    | 0.186<br>0.213              | Contact                     |
| antalum            | 0.157          | 0.028                             |                          | 10.000           | 0.028                         | 0.020                         | 0.129 +/- 0.003                    | 0.213                       | Applications<br>Engineering |
|                    | 0.177          | 0.028                             |                          | 50.000           | 0.028                         | 0.020                         | 0.169 +/- 0.003                    | 0.253                       | for                         |
|                    | 0.217          | 0.028                             | 4.000 to 5               |                  | 0.028                         | 0.020                         | 0.189 +/- 0.003                    | 0.273                       | Recommendation              |
|                    | 0.236          | 0.028                             |                          | 50.000 +         | 0.028                         | 0.020                         | 0.205 +/- 0.004                    | 0.298                       | Accontinentation            |
|                    | 0.276          | 0.031                             | 6.000 to 5               |                  | 0.031                         | 0.028                         | 0.245 +/- 0.004                    | 0.338                       |                             |
|                    | 0.315          | 0.031                             |                          | 50.000 +         | 0.031                         | 0.028                         | 0.284 +/- 0.004                    | 0.377                       |                             |
|                    | 0.063          | 0.016                             |                          | 4.000            | 0.016                         | 0.012                         | 0.047 +/- 0.002                    | 0.095                       |                             |
|                    | 0.075          | 0.020                             |                          | 6.000            | 0.020                         | 0.012                         | 0.055 +/- 0.002                    | 0.115                       |                             |
|                    | 0.087          | 0.020                             | 0.750 to 1               | 0.000            | 0.020                         | 0.012                         | 0.067 +/- 0.002                    | 0.127                       |                             |
|                    | 0.098          | 0.024                             | 0.875 to 1               | 5.000            | 0.024                         | 0.012                         | 0.074 +/- 0.003                    | 0.146                       | 32-63                       |
| tainless           | 0.118          | 0.024                             | 1.000 to 2               |                  | 0.024                         | 0.012                         | 0.094 +/- 0.003                    | 0.166                       |                             |
| tainless<br>Steel, | 0.138          | 0.024                             | 1.250 to 2               |                  | 0.024                         | 0.020                         | 0.114 +/- 0.003                    | 0.186                       | Contact                     |
| Inconel,           | 0.157          | 0.028                             | 1.750 to 3               |                  | 0.028                         | 0.020                         | 0.129 +/- 0.003                    | 0.213                       | Applications                |
| itanium            | 0.177          | 0.028                             | 2.000 to 4               |                  | 0.028                         | 0.020                         | 0.149 +/- 0.003                    | 0.233                       | Engineering                 |
|                    | 0.197          | 0.028                             | 3.000 to 5               |                  | 0.028                         | 0.020                         | 0.169 +/- 0.003                    | 0.253                       | for                         |
|                    | 0.217          | 0.028                             | 4.000 to 5               |                  | 0.028                         | 0.020                         | 0.189 +/- 0.003                    | 0.273                       | Recommendation              |
|                    | 11.136         | 0.031                             | 5.000 to 5               | + 000.000 +      | 0.031                         | 0.020                         | 0.205 +/- 0.004                    | 0.298                       |                             |
|                    | 0.236<br>0.276 | 0.031                             | 6.000 to 5               | 0 000            | 0.031                         | 0.028                         | 0.245 +/- 0.004                    | 0.338                       |                             |

# Three Face Compression



| CALCULATIONS          |                 | COEF | FICIENT VALU | ES  |     |      |
|-----------------------|-----------------|------|--------------|-----|-----|------|
| Axial Load (Ya)       | = K • Y,        | Co   | pefficient   | 30° | 45° | 60°  |
| Shaft OD (E)          | = Seal ID (A)   |      | а            | 2.0 | 1.4 | 1.15 |
| Clearance (J)         | < CS / 10       |      | К            | 0.9 | 1.2 | 1.4  |
| Axial Compression (e) | $= a \cdot e_2$ |      |              |     |     |      |
| Cavity Finish         | < 32 RMS        |      |              |     |     |      |

#### "h" Values

| Seal Cross Section | 30                 | )o               | 45                 | 0                | 60°                |                  |  |
|--------------------|--------------------|------------------|--------------------|------------------|--------------------|------------------|--|
| CS                 | Aluminum<br>Jacket | Other<br>Jackets | Aluminum<br>Jacket | Other<br>Jackets | Aluminum<br>Jacket | Other<br>Jackets |  |
| 0.102              | 0.130              | 0.126            | 0.163              | 0.157            | 0.126              | 0.134            |  |
| 0.126              | 0.157              | 0.157            | 0.199              | 0.199            | 0.157              | 0.165            |  |
| 0.165              | 0.207              | 0.207            | 0.260              | 0.260            | 0.213              | 0.220            |  |
| 0.205              | 0.260              | 0.260            | 0.327              | 0.327            | 0.272              | 0.280            |  |
| 0.252              | 0.321              | 0.321            | 0.402              | 0.402            | 0.339              | 0.346            |  |

**Dimensions in inches** 

## **Target Sealing Criteria**

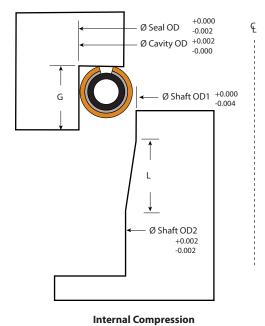
The ultimate leak rate of a joint is a function of the seal design, flange design, bolting, surface finish and other factors. Helicoflex seals are designed to provide two levels of service: Helium Sealing or Bubble Sealing.

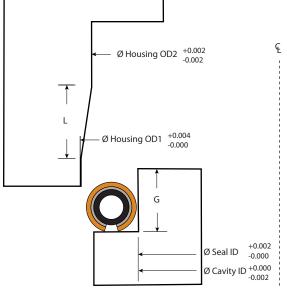
**Helium Sealing:** These Helicoflex seals are designed with a target Helium leak rate not to exceed  $1\times10^{-9}$  cc/sec. atm under a  $\Delta P$  of 1 atmosphere. The ultimate leak rate will depend on the factors listed above.

**Bubble Sealing:** These Helicoflex seals are designed with a target air leak rate not to exceed  $1x10^4$  cc/sec.atm under a  $\Delta P$  of 1 atmosphere.

# SEAL AND GROOVE DIMENSIONING

## **Axial Pressure**





**External Compression** 

| Aluminum            |                | Silver       |                     | Copper         |              |                     | Nickel         |              |                     |                |              |
|---------------------|----------------|--------------|---------------------|----------------|--------------|---------------------|----------------|--------------|---------------------|----------------|--------------|
| Cross Section<br>CS | e <sub>3</sub> | Ya<br>Ibs/in |
| 0.063               | 0.012          | 109          | 0.063               | 0.010          | 170          | 0.067               | 0.008          | 217          | 0.063               | 0.008          | 228          |
| 0.102               | 0.014          | 137          | 0.102               | 0.012          | 195          | 0.092               | 0.010          | 251          | 0.102               | 0.010          | 308          |
| 0.118               | 0.016          | 154          | 0.122               | 0.014          | 206          | 0.128               | 0.012          | 286          | 0.126               | 0.012          | 343          |
| 0.157               | 0.020          | 183          | 0.165               | 0.018          | 228          | 0.171               | 0.016          | 332          | 0.165               | 0.016          | 434          |
| 0.200               | 0.020          | 206          | 0.205               | 0.018          | 263          | 0.210               | 0.016          | 377          | 0.205               | 0.016          | 525          |
| 0.260               | 0.024          | 235          | 0.244               | 0.020          | 308          | 0.250               | 0.018          | 457          | 0.252               | 0.018          | 640          |

### Seal Configuration = HN110 or HN210

**Dimensions in inches** 

| CALCULATIONS               |                              |                               |
|----------------------------|------------------------------|-------------------------------|
|                            | Internal Compression         | External Compression          |
| $G min = CS + e_3 + 0.008$ | Seal OD = Cavity OD          | Seal ID = Cavity ID           |
| $L min = 10 x e_3$         | Seal ID = Seal OD - 2 CS     | Seal OD = Seal ID + 2 CS      |
| Cavity Finish: ≤ 32RMS     | Shaft OD1 ≤ Seal ID          | Housing OD1 $\geq$ Seal OD    |
| Ya = Axial Seating Load    | Shaft OD2 = Seal ID + $2e_3$ | Housing OD2 = SealOD - $2e_3$ |

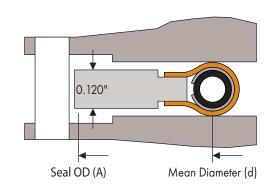
### **ANSI B16.5 Raised Face Flange**

HELICOFLEX<sup>®</sup> Spring Energized Seals

The Helicoflex<sup>®</sup> HN208 is ideally suited for standard raised face flanges. The resilient nature of the seal allows it to compensate for the extremes of high temperature and pressure where traditional spiral wounds and double jacketed seals fail. The jacket and spring combination can be modified to meet most requirements of temperature and pressure. In addition, a large selection of jacket materials ensures chemical compatibility in corrosive and caustic media.

| Jacket          | Availability | Cross<br>Section<br>(inches) | Seating<br>Load<br>(lbs/in)* | Recommended<br>Flange<br>Finish (RMS) |
|-----------------|--------------|------------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| Aluminum        | Standard     | 0.160                        | 1150                         | 63 - 125                              |
| Silver          | Standard     | 0.160                        | 1725                         | 63 - 125                              |
| Copper          | Standard     | 0.155                        | 2250                         | 63 - 125                              |
| Soft Iron       | Optional     | 0.155                        | 2250                         | 32 - 63                               |
| Nickel          | Standard     | 0.150                        | 2800                         | 32 - 63                               |
| Monel           | Optional     | 0.150                        | 2800                         | 32 - 63                               |
| Hastelloy C     | Optional     | 0.150                        | 3800                         | 32 - 63                               |
| Stainless Steel | Standard     | 0.150                        | 3800                         | 32 - 63                               |
| Alloy 600       | Optional     | 0.150                        | 3800                         | 32 - 63                               |
| Alloy X750      | Optional     | 0.150                        | 4000                         | 32 - 63                               |
| Titanium        | Optional     | 0.150                        | 4000                         | 32 - 63                               |

#### Seal Type HN208



#### **Dimensions in inches**

\*NOTE: Seating load only! Does not allow for hydrostatic end force.

| SEAL DIME | SEAL DIMENSIONS |        |             |        |        |        |        |        |  |  |
|-----------|-----------------|--------|-------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--|--|
| Nominal   | Mean            |        | Seal OD (A) |        |        |        |        |        |  |  |
| Diameter  | Diameter (d)    | 150lb  | 300lb       | 400lb  | 600lb  | 900lb  | 1500lb | 2500lb |  |  |
| 1/2       | 0.827           | 1.874  | 2.126       | 2.126  | 2.126  | 2.500  | 2.500  | 2.752  |  |  |
| 3/4       | 1.102           | 2.252  | 2.626       | 2.626  | 2.626  | 2.752  | 2.752  | 3.000  |  |  |
| 1         | 1.417           | 2.626  | 2.874       | 2.874  | 2.874  | 3.122  | 3.122  | 3.374  |  |  |
| 1-1/4     | 1.890           | 3.000  | 3.252       | 3.252  | 3.252  | 3.500  | 3.500  | 4.126  |  |  |
| 1-1/2     | 2.283           | 3.374  | 3.752       | 3.752  | 3.752  | 3.874  | 3.874  | 4.626  |  |  |
| 2         | 2.913           | 4.126  | 4.374       | 4.374  | 4.374  | 5.626  | 5.626  | 5.752  |  |  |
| 2-1/2     | 3.425           | 4.874  | 5.126       | 5.126  | 5.126  | 6.500  | 6.500  | 6.626  |  |  |
| 3         | 4.173           | 5.374  | 5.874       | 5.874  | 5.874  | 6.626  | 6.874  | 7.752  |  |  |
| 3-1/2     | 4.685           | 6.374  | 6.500       | 6.500  | 6.374  | N/A    | N/A    | N/A    |  |  |
| 4         | 5.256           | 6.874  | 7.126       | 7.000  | 7.626  | 8.126  | 8.252  | 9.252  |  |  |
| 5         | 6.378           | 7.752  | 8.500       | 8.374  | 9.500  | 9.752  | 10.000 | 11.000 |  |  |
| 6         | 7.500           | 8.752  | 9.874       | 9.752  | 10.500 | 11.413 | 11.126 | 12.500 |  |  |
| 8         | 9.567           | 10.996 | 12.126      | 12.000 | 12.626 | 14.126 | 13.874 | 15.252 |  |  |
| 10        | 11.693          | 13.374 | 14.252      | 14.126 | 15.752 | 17.126 | 17.126 | 18.760 |  |  |
| 12        | 13.858          | 16.126 | 16.626      | 16.500 | 18.000 | 19.626 | 20.500 | 21.626 |  |  |
| 14        | 15.098          | 17.752 | 19.126      | 19.000 | 19.374 | 20.500 | 22.752 | N/A    |  |  |
| 16        | 17.205          | 20.252 | 21.252      | 21.126 | 22.252 | 22.626 | 25.252 | N/A    |  |  |
| 18        | 19.567          | 21.626 | 23.500      | 23.374 | 24.126 | 25.126 | 27.752 | N/A    |  |  |
| 20        | 21.575          | 23.874 | 25.752      | 25.500 | 26.874 | 27.500 | 29.752 | N/A    |  |  |
| 24        | 25.728          | 28.252 | 30.500      | 30.252 | 31.126 | 32.996 | 35.500 | N/A    |  |  |

#### **Dimensions in inches**

NOTE: Contact Applications Engineering for other available sizes and materials

# CODE CALCULATIONS

### **Calculations According to Codes**

|  | A.S.M.E. Section VIII<br>Division I  | Garlock Helicoflex   |  |  |  |
|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| Operating<br>load                      | Wm2 = π.b.G.y  | $Fj = \pi.Dj.Y_2$  |  |  |  |
| Hydrostatic<br>force                   | $H = \pi. \ \underline{G^2}_4 \ .P$  | $F_{F} = \pi. \frac{(Dj)^{2}}{4} .P$   |  |  |  |
| Minimum<br>service load                | H <sub>p</sub> = 2.b.π.G.m.P   | Fm= $\pi$ .Dj.Ym<br>Ym = $\begin{array}{c} Ym_1 = Y_1 \\ Ym_2 = Y_2 \end{array} \xrightarrow{P} Pu \Theta$<br>Use the greater of the two |  |  |  |
| Minimum<br>tightening<br>load to apply | W = $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \end{pmatrix} W_{m2}$<br>(2) H + Hp = W <sub>m1</sub> | $F_{B} = {(1) Fj} (2) F_{F} + F_{m} = Fs$  |  |  |  |
| on bolts                               | Use the greater of the two (1) or (2)  | Use the greater of the two (1) or (2)  |  |  |  |

### **Equivalent Symbols**

|                         | A.S.M.E. Section VIII<br>Division I   |
|-------------------------|---|
| Operating<br>load       | $W_{m2} = Fj$<br>b = 1<br>G = Dj<br>$Y = Y_{2}$<br>$W_{m2} = \pi . Dj. Y_{2}$                               |
| Hydrostatic<br>force    | $H = F_{F}$ $G = Dj$ $\Psi$ $H = \pi \cdot \frac{(Dj)^{2}}{4} \cdot P$                                      |
| Minimum<br>service load | $H_{p} = F_{m}$<br>b = 1<br>G = Dj<br>$2.m.P = Y_{m}$<br>$m = \frac{Ym}{\sqrt{2.P}}$<br>$H_{p} = \pi.Dj.Ym$ |
| Minimum<br>bolt load    | $W = F_{B}$ $W = (1) Fj$ $(2) F_{F} + F_{m} = Fs$ Use the greater of the two (1) or (2)                     |

Note: Due to its circular section, the Helicoflex seal exhibits a "line" load instead of an "area load" typical of traditional gaskets. As a result, "m", "b" and "y" factors are not pertinent when applied to the Helicoflex seal. These equivalent equations were developed to assist flange designers with their calculations.

# Garlock Helicoflex® PERFORMANCE METAL SEALS

# **HELICOFLEX DATA SHEET**

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| COMPANY:   |                       |                 | PHONE:                                 |               |                |            |
|--|-----------------------|-----------------|--|---------------|----------------|------------|
| CONTACT:   |                       |                 | FAX:                                   |               |                |            |
| ADDRESS:   |                       |                 | E-MAIL:                                |               |                |            |
|  |                       |                 | DATE:                                  |               |                |            |
| APPLICATION: (please                             | e attach customer dr  | awing / sketch) |  |               |                |            |
| Brief Description:                               |                       |                 |  |               |                |            |
|  |                       |                 |  |               |                |            |
| Annual quantities:                               |                       |                 | RFQ Quantities:                        |               |                |            |
| Is This a New Design?                            | 🗅 Yes                 | 🗅 No            | Are Modifications Possible?            |               | □ Yes          | 🗆 No       |
| Drawing or Sketch Attached?                      | 🖵 Yes                 | 🗅 No            | What is the Seal Type?                 |               | Shaped         | Circular   |
| SERVICE CONDITION                                | S:                    |                 |  |               |                |            |
| Media:   |                       |                 | Life Expectancy:                       |               |                |            |
| Working Temperature:                             |                       |                 | Max/Proof Pressure:                    |               | @ Temp.        | =          |
| Working Pressure:                                |                       |                 | Max Temperature:                       |               | @ Pressure     | : =        |
| Pressure Direction:<br>(Internal/External/Axial) |                       |                 | Target Sealing Level:                  | Helium:       |                | Std.cc/sec |
| Pressure Cycles:                                 |                       |                 |  | Flow Rate:    |                | cc/minute  |
| Temperature Cycles:                              |                       |                 |  | Other:        |                |            |
| FLANGE DETAILS:                                  | (Please Provide [     | Drawing)        |  |               |                |            |
| Amount of Flange Movment in                      | n Service: (Inches)   | Rad             | lial: Axia                             | al:           | #Cycle         | es:        |
| Material:  |                       |                 | Thicknes                               | s:            |                |            |
| Groove / Counter Bore:                           | Please lis            | t dimensions in | Groove Details section                 |               |                |            |
| ANSI Raised Face                                 | Size:                 | # Rati          | ng: Face                               | Surface Finis | h:             | (RMS)      |
| Flange(s) with Clamping S                        | System: (ISO,KF, etc) |                 | Standard:                              | Siz           | .e:            |            |
| Other:   | Description:          |                 |  | (Please Pro   | ovide Drawing) |            |
| GROOVE DETAILS:                                  | (Please Provide Dra   | wing)           |  |               |                |            |
| Type (Rectangular, Dovetail, e                   | etc.):                |                 |  |               |                |            |
| Outer Diameter:                                  | Toler                 | ance:           | Depth:                                 | Tolerance:    |                |            |
| Inner Diameter:                                  | Toler                 | ance:           | Finish (RMS)                           | —<br>Туре:    |                | _          |
| · ·  |                       |                 | Finish Type: lathe (circular), endmill |               | , other        | —          |
| BOLTING DETAILS:                                 | (Please Provide Dra   |                 |  |               |                |            |
|  | (mease monue bra      |                 | Turne / Orado:                         |               |                |            |
| Size:  |                       |                 | Type / Grade:                          |               |                |            |
| Number:  | Bolt Circle           |                 | Tapped / Through:                      |               |                |            |
| OTHER:   |                       |                 |  |               |                |            |
| Special coating / plating spec                   | offication            |                 |  |               |                |            |
| Special coating / plating spec                   |                       |                 |  |               |                |            |
| Other:   | pecilications.        |                 |  |               |                |            |
| Other.   |                       |                 |  |               |                |            |
|  |                       |                 |  |               |                |            |
|  |                       |                 |  |               |                |            |

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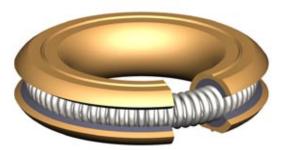
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# DELTA<sup>®</sup> Spring Energized Metal Seals

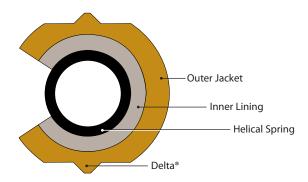
# **Sealing Concept**

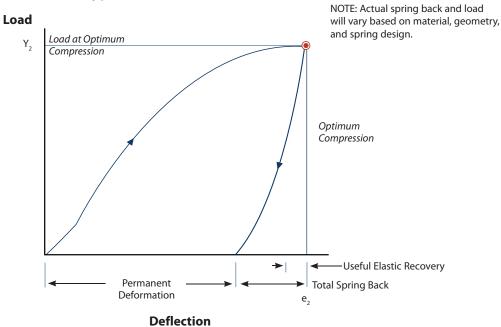
The Delta<sup>®</sup> seal is a member of the Helicoflex family of spring energized seals. The sealing principle of the Helicoflex family of seals is based upon the plastic deformation of a jacket that has greater ductility than the flange materials. This occurs between the sealing face of a flange and an elastic core composed of a close-wound helical spring. The spring is selected to have a specific compres-



sion resistance. During compression, the resulting specific pressure forces the jacket to yield and ensures positive contact with the flange sealing faces. Each coil of the helical spring acts independently and allows the seal to conform to irregularities on the flange surface.

The Delta<sup>®</sup> seal is unique in that it uses two small ridges or "Deltas" on the face of the seal. The load required to plastically deform the jacket material is greatly reduced by concentrating the compression load on the Deltas. The resulting high contact stress in the seal track makes the Delta seal an excellent choice for ultra-high vacuum applications that require ultra-low Helium leak rates. There is typically no risk of damaging the flange sealing surfaces as long as the minimum hardness requirements are maintained.



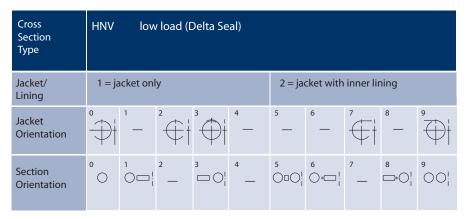


## **Typical Load Deflection Curve**

## **Leak Performance**

Delta seals can provide Helium leak rate performance of < 1x10-11 std.cc/sec (per meter of seal circumference). Actual leak rate will depend on seal jacket, cavity/flange finish, bolting, hardware robustness and cleanliness level.

### **Classification of Seal Type**



#### Example

| HNV           | 2          | 0           | 0           |
|---------------|------------|-------------|-------------|
| Cross Section | # Jackets/ | Jacket      | Section     |
| Type          | Lining     | Orientation | Orientation |

## **PERFORMANCE DATA**

#### **Delta® Characteristic Values**

| Jacket<br>Material | Free<br>Height                   | Seal<br>Type | Installation<br>Compression<br>e <sub>2</sub> | Seal<br>Diameter     | Seating Load<br>PCI<br>Y2 | Maxir<br>Tempe<br>°F |     |  |  |
|--------------------|----------------------------------|--------------|---|----------------------|---------------------------|----------------------|-----|--|--|
|                    | 0.075                            | HNV100       |   | Contact Application  | s Engineering             |                      |     |  |  |
|                    | 0.102                            | HNV200       | 0.028   | 0.750 to 8.000       | 800                       | 428                  | 220 |  |  |
|                    | 0.130                            | HNV200       | 0.031   | 1.000 to 16.000      | 800                       | 482                  | 250 |  |  |
| Aluminum           | 0.157                            | HNV200       | 0.035   | 2.000 to 20.000      | 800                       | 536                  | 280 |  |  |
|                    | 0.189                            | HNV200       | 0.035   | 3.000 to 30.000      | 800                       | 536                  | 280 |  |  |
|                    | 0.220                            | HNV200       | 0.039   | 4.000 to 40.000      | 860                       | 608                  | 320 |  |  |
|                    | 0.264                            | HNV200       | 0.043   | 5.000 to 50.000      | 860                       | 644                  | 340 |  |  |
|                    | 0.067                            | HNV100       | (   | Contact Applications | Engineering               |                      |     |  |  |
|                    | 0.094                            | HNV200       | 0.024   | 0.750 to 6.000       | 915                       | 536                  | 280 |  |  |
|                    | 0.122                            | HNV200       | 0.024   | 1.000 to 12.000      | 915                       | 572                  | 300 |  |  |
| Silver             | 0.154                            | HNV200       | 0.028   | 2.000 to 18.000      | 915                       | 662                  | 350 |  |  |
|                    | 0.185                            | HNV200       | 0.031   | 3.000 to 20.000      | 915                       | 698                  | 370 |  |  |
|                    | 0.213                            | HNV200       | 0.031   | 4.000 to 20.000      | 970                       | 752                  | 400 |  |  |
|                    | 0.256                            | HNV200       | 0.035   | 5.000 to 20.000      | 1030                      | 842                  | 450 |  |  |
|                    | 0.065                            | HNV100       | Contact Applications Engineering              |                      |                           |                      |     |  |  |
|                    | 0.092                            | HNV200       | 0.017   | 0.750 to 8.000       | 1030                      | 716                  | 380 |  |  |
|                    | 0.120                            | HNV200       | 0.021   | 1.000 to 16.000      | 1030                      | 716                  | 380 |  |  |
| Copper             | 0.155                            | HNV200       | 0.025   | 2.000 to 18.000      | 1030                      | 788                  | 420 |  |  |
| copper             | 0.179                            | HNV200       | 0.025   | 3.000 to 20.000      | 1030                      | 842                  | 450 |  |  |
|                    | 0.210                            | HNV200       | 0.025   | 4.000 to 30.000      | 1030                      | 896                  | 480 |  |  |
|                    | 0.250                            | HNV200       | 0.029   | 5.000 to 30.000      | 1085                      | 968                  | 520 |  |  |
|                    | 0.065                            | HNV100       | (   | Contact Applications | Engineering               |                      |     |  |  |
|                    | 0.092                            | HNV200       | 0.017   | 0.750 to 8.000       | 1030                      | 788                  | 420 |  |  |
|                    | 0.120                            | HNV200       | 0.021   | 1.000 to 16.000      | 1030                      | 896                  | 480 |  |  |
| Nickel             | 0.155                            | HNV200       | 0.025   | 2.000 to 18.000      | 1030                      | 1022                 | 550 |  |  |
| (Annealed)         | 0.179                            | HNV200       | 0.025   | 3.000 to 20.000      | 1030                      | 1112                 | 600 |  |  |
|                    | 0.210                            | HNV200       | 0.025   | 4.000 to 30.000      | 1030                      | 1202                 | 650 |  |  |
|                    | 0.250                            | HNV200       | 0.029   | 5.000 to 30.000      | 1085                      | 1202                 | 650 |  |  |
| Stainless<br>Steel | Contact Applications Engineering |              |   |                      |                           |                      |     |  |  |

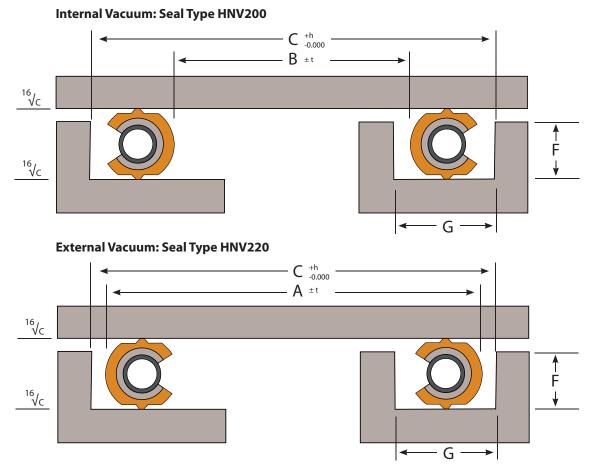
**Dimensions in inches** 

NOTES:

- 1. PCI = Pounds force per circumferential inch.
- 2. Seating load (Y<sub>2</sub>) is an approximation and may vary based on groove clearance, seal diameter and tolerance. Seating load is for circular seals only.
- 3. The customer must verify that system bolts and flanges can generate the required seating load without warping or distorting.
- 4. The customer must test and verify that the seal design meets customer designated performance requirements.
- 5. Seal type HNV100 is available as an option only. Type HNV200 is preferred due to its protective inner lining and can be expected to produce better results.
- 6. Contact Applications Engineering for low pressure applications.

# DELTA<sup>®</sup> Spring Energized Metal Seals

## SEAL AND GROOVE DIMENSIONS



### **Seal and Groove Sizing Calcuations**

The equations below can be used for basic groove calculations. Applications that have significant thermal expansion may require additional clearance. Please contact Applications Engineering for design assistance.

#### **Determining Seal Diameter:**

#### Internal Vacuum

< 12'' B = C - X - 2 (Seal Section x 0.933)  $\geq 12''$  Contact Applications Engineering

#### **Determining Groove Diameter:**

#### Internal Vacuum

External Vacuum

External Vacuum

A = C - X

- < 12'' C = B + X + 2 (Seal Section x 0.933) C = A + X
- $\geq 12''$  Contact Applications Engineering

#### Tolerancing: See chart

| A = | Seal Outer Diameter   |
|-----|-----------------------|
| B = | Seal Inner Diameter   |
| C = | Groove Outer Diameter |
|     | 3 =                   |

X = Diametrical Clearance

### **Delta® Groove Dimensions**

| Seal               |                |                 |              |                           |                                     | Groove                           |                                       |                          |                      |                            |                                      |
|--------------------|----------------|-----------------|--------------|---------------------------|-------------------------------------|----------------------------------|---------------------------------------|--------------------------|----------------------|----------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| Jacket<br>Material | Free<br>Height | Seal<br>Section | Seal<br>Type | Seal<br>Diameter<br>Range | Seal<br>Tolerance<br>t <sup>3</sup> | Diametical<br>Clearance<br>x     | Seating<br>Load<br>PCI Y <sub>2</sub> | Groove<br>Tolerance<br>h | Groove<br>Depth<br>F | Groove<br>Width<br>G (Min) | Min. Flange<br>Hardness<br>(Vickers) |
|                    | 0.075          | 0.079           | HNV100       | -                         | -                                   |                                  | Contact                               | Applications             | Engineering          |                            |                                      |
|                    | 0.102          | 0.106           | HNV200       | 0.750 to 8.000            | 0.005                               | 0.020                            | 800                                   | 0.010                    | $0.075 \pm 0.002$    | 0.150                      | 65                                   |
|                    | 0.130          | 0.134           | HNV200       | 1.000 to 16.000           | 0.005                               | 0.030                            | 800                                   | 0.010                    | $0.099 \pm 0.002$    | 0.180                      | 65                                   |
| Aluminum           | 0.157          | 0.161           | HNV200       | 2.000 to 20.000           | 0.005                               | 0.030                            | 800                                   | 0.010                    | $0.122 \pm 0.002$    | 0.210                      | 65                                   |
|                    | 0.189          | 0.193           | HNV200       | 3.000 to 30.000           | 0.005                               | 0.035                            | 800                                   | 0.010                    | $0.154 \pm 0.003$    | 0.245                      | 65                                   |
|                    | 0.220          | 0.228           | HNV200       | 4.000 to 30.000           | 0.005                               | 0.040                            | 860                                   | 0.010                    | $0.180 \pm 0.003$    | 0.280                      | 65                                   |
|                    | 0.264          | 0.272           | HNV200       | 5.000 to 30.000           | 0.005                               | 0.040                            | 860                                   | 0.010                    | $0.220 \pm 0.003$    | 0.320                      | 65                                   |
|                    | 0.067          | 0.071           | HNV100       | -                         | -                                   |                                  | Contact                               | Applications             | Engineering          |                            |                                      |
|                    | 0.094          | 0.098           | HNV200       | 0.750 to 6.000            | 0.005                               | 0.020                            | 915                                   | 0.010                    | 0.07′0 ± 0.002       | 0.140                      | 120                                  |
|                    | 0.122          | 0.126           | HNV200       | 1.000 to 12.000           | 0.005                               | 0.020                            | 915                                   | 0.010                    | 0.098 ± 0.002        | 0.165                      | 120                                  |
| Silver             | 0.154          | 0.157           | HNV200       | 2.000 to 18.000           | 0.005                               | 0.025                            | 915                                   | 0.010                    | 0.12:6 ± 0.002       | 0.200                      | 120                                  |
|                    | 0.185          | 0.189           | HNV200       | 3.000 to 20.000           | 0.005                               | 0.030                            | 915                                   | 0.010                    | $0.154 \pm 0.003$    | 0.235                      | 120                                  |
|                    | 0.213          | 0.220           | HNV200       | 4.000 to 20.000           | 0.005                               | 0.030                            | 970                                   | 0.010                    | 0.180 ± 0.003        | 0.265                      | 120                                  |
|                    | 0.256          | 0.264           | HNV200       | 5.000 to 20.000           | 0.005                               | 0.035                            | 1030                                  | 0.010                    | 0.220 ± 0.003        | 0.315                      | 120                                  |
|                    | 0.065          | 0.069           | HNV100       | -                         | -                                   | Contact Applications Engineering |                                       |                          |                      |                            |                                      |
|                    | 0.092          | 0.096           | HNV200       | 0.750 to 8.000            | 0.005                               | 0.020                            | 1030                                  | 0.010                    | $0.075 \pm 0.001$    | 0.130                      | 130                                  |
| -                  | 0.120          | 0.124           | HNV200       | 1.000 to 16.000           | 0.005                               | 0.020                            | 1030                                  | 0.010                    | $0.098 \pm 0.002$    | 0.160                      | 130                                  |
| Copper             | 0.155          | 0.159           | HNV200       | 2.000 to 18.000           | 0.005                               | 0.025                            | 1030                                  | 0.010                    | $0.130\pm0.002$      | 0.200                      | 130                                  |
|                    | 0.179          | 0.183           | HNV200       | 3.000 too 20.000          | 0.005                               | 0.025                            | 1030                                  | 0.010                    | $0.154 \pm 0.002$    | 0.225                      | 130                                  |
|                    | 0.210          | 0.218           | HNV200       | 4.000 to 30.000           | 0.005                               | 0.025                            | 1030                                  | 0.010                    | $0.185 \pm 0.002$    | 0.255                      | 130                                  |
|                    | 0.250          | 0.257           | HNV200       | 5.000 to 30.000           | 0.005                               | 0.030                            | 1085                                  | 0.010                    | $0.220 \pm 0.003$    | 0.300                      | 130                                  |
|                    | 0.065          | 0.069           | HNV100       | -                         | -                                   |                                  | Contact                               | Applications             | Engineering          |                            |                                      |
|                    | 0.092          | 0.096           | HNV200       | 0.750 to 8.000            | 0.005                               | 0.020                            | 1030                                  | 0.010                    | $0.075 \pm 0.001$    | 0.130                      | 220                                  |
|                    | 0.120          | 0.124           | HNV200       | 1.000 to 16.000           | 0.005                               | 0.020                            | 1030                                  | 0.010                    | $0.098 \pm 0.002$    | 0.160                      | 220                                  |
| Nickel             | 0.155          | 0.159           | HNV200       | 2.000 to 18.000           | 0.005                               | 0.025                            | 1030                                  | 0.010                    | $0.130 \pm 0.003$    | 0.200                      | 220                                  |
| (Annealed)         | 0.179          | 0.183           | HNV200       | 3.000 to 20.000           | 0.005                               | 0.025                            | 1030                                  | 0.010                    | $0.154 \pm 0.002$    | 0.225                      | 220                                  |
|                    | 0.210          | 0.218           | HNV200       | 4.000 to 30.000           | 0.005                               | 0.025                            | 1030                                  | 0.010                    | $0.185 \pm 0.002$    | 0.255                      | 220                                  |
|                    | 0.250          | 0.257           | HNV200       | 5.000 to 30.000           | 0.005                               | 0.030                            | 1085                                  | 0.010                    | $0.220\pm0.003$      | 0.300                      | 220                                  |
| Stainless<br>Steel |                |                 |              |                           |                                     |                                  | Contact                               | Applications             | Engineering          |                            |                                      |

#### NOTES:

- 1. Contact Applications Engineering for additional sizes.
- 2. Seal type HNV100 is available as an option only. Type HNV200 is preferred due to its protective inner lining and can be expected to produce better results.
- 3. Seal diameters  $\geq 12''$  may require special tolerancing. Contact Applications Engineering for design assistance.

### Shaped Seal: Delta® Groove Dimensions

| Seal               |                |                      |              |   |                                       |                        |                              | Groo                             | ve                   |                            |                                      |
|--------------------|----------------|----------------------|--------------|---|---------------------------------------|------------------------|------------------------------|----------------------------------|----------------------|----------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| Jacket<br>Material | Free<br>Height | Seal<br>Section<br>g | Seal<br>Type | Installation<br>Compression<br>e <sub>2</sub> | Seating Load<br>PCI<br>Y <sub>2</sub> | Seal<br>Tolerance<br>t | Bend<br>Radius<br>ID R (Min) | Groove<br>Tolerance<br>h         | Groove<br>Depth<br>F | Groove<br>Width<br>G (Min) | Min. Flange<br>Hardness<br>(Vickers) |
|                    | 0.075          | 0.079                | HNV100       | Conta   | Contact Applications Engineering      |                        |                              | C                                | Contact Application  | ons Enginee                | ering                                |
|                    | 0.102          | 0.106                | HNV200       | 0.028   | 1200                                  | Fit Template           | 0.750                        | 0.010                            | $0.075 \pm 0.002$    | 0.170                      | 65                                   |
|                    | 0.130          | 0.134                | HNV200       | 0.031   | 1050                                  | Fit Template           | 1.000                        | 0.010                            | $0.099 \pm 0.002$    | 0.200                      | 65                                   |
| Aluminum           | 0.157          | 0.161                | HNV200       | 0.035   | 1050                                  | Fit Template           | 1.125                        | 0.010                            | $0.122 \pm 0.002$    | 0.230                      | 65                                   |
|                    | 0.189          | 0.194                | HNV200       | 0.035   | 1050                                  | Fit Template           | 1.375                        | 0.010                            | 0.154 ± 0.003        | 0.265                      | 65                                   |
|                    | 0.220          | 0.228                | HNV200       | 0.039   | 1170                                  | Fit Template           | 1.500                        | 0.010                            | $0.180 \pm 0.003$    | 0.300                      | 65                                   |
|                    | 0.264          | 0.272                | HNV200       | 0.043   | 1200                                  | Fit Template           | 1.750                        | 0.010                            | $0.220 \pm 0.003$    | 0.340                      | 65                                   |
|                    | 0.067          | 0.071                | HNV100       | Conta   | ct Applications E                     | ngineering             |                              | (                                | Contact Application  | ons Enginee                | ering                                |
|                    | 0.094          | 0.098                | HNV200       | 0.024   | 1050                                  | Fit Template           | 0.625                        | 0.010                            | $0.070 \pm 0.002$    | 0.160                      | 120                                  |
| Silver             | 0.122          | 0.126                | HNV200       | 0.024   | 1150                                  | Fit Template           | 0.875                        | 0.010                            | $0.098 \pm 0.002$    | 0.185                      | 120                                  |
|                    | 0.154          | 0.157                | HNV200       | 0.028   | 1100                                  | Fit Template           | 1.000                        | 0.010                            | $0.126 \pm 0.002$    | 0.220                      | 120                                  |
|                    | 0.185          | 0.189                | HNV200       | 0.031   | 1100                                  | Fit Template           | 1.250                        | 0.010                            | $0.154 \pm 0.003$    | 0.225                      | 120                                  |
|                    | 0.065          | 0.069                | HNV100       | Conta   | ct Applications E                     | ngineering             |                              | Contact Applications Engineering |                      |                            |                                      |
|                    | 0.092          | 0.096                | HNV200       | 0.017   | 1100                                  | Fit Template           | 0.625                        | 0.010                            | $0.075 \pm 0.001$    | 0.150                      | 130                                  |
| Copper             | 0.120          | 0.124                | HNV200       | 0.021   | 1350                                  | Fit Template           | 0.875                        | 0.010                            | $0.098 \pm 0.002$    | 0.180                      | 130                                  |
|                    | 0.155          | 0.159                | HNV200       | 0.025   | 1275                                  | Fit Template           | 1.000                        | 0.010                            | $0.130 \pm 0.002$    | 0.220                      | 130                                  |
|                    | 0.179          | 0.183                | HNV200       | 0.025   | 1275                                  | Fit Template           | 1.125                        | 0.010                            | $0.154 \pm 0.002$    | 0.245                      | 130                                  |
|                    | 0.065          | 0.069                | HNV100       | Conta   | ct Applications E                     | ngineering             |                              | (                                | Contact Application  | ons Enginee                | ering                                |
|                    | 0.092          | 0.096                | HNV200       | 0.017   | 1100                                  | Fit Template           | 0.625                        | 0.010                            | $0.075 \pm 0.001$    | 0.150                      | 220                                  |
| Nickel             | 0.120          | 0.124                | HNV200       | 0.021   | 1350                                  | Fit Template           | 0.875                        | 0.010                            | $0.098 \pm 0.002$    | 0.180                      | 220                                  |
| (Annealed)         | 0.155          | 0.159                | HNV200       | 0.025   | 1275                                  | Fit Template           | 1.000                        | 0.010                            | $0.130 \pm 0.003$    | 0.220                      | 220                                  |
|                    | 0.179          | 0.183                | HNV200       | 0.025   | 1275                                  | Fit Template           | 1.125                        | 0.010                            | $0.154 \pm 0.002$    | 0.245                      | 220                                  |
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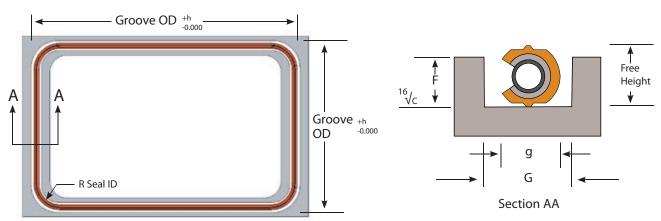
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#### NOTES:

- 1. PCI = Pounds force per circumferential inch.
- 2. Seating Load (Y<sub>2</sub>) is an approximation and may vary based on groove clearance, seal diameter and tolerance. Load values may be slightly higher in corner radii.
- 3. Seal type HNV100 is available as an option only. Type HNV200 is preferred due to its protective inner lining and can be expected to produce better results.
- 4. Seal Tolerance: Seal is manufactured to fit customer supplied/purchased groove template.
- 5. All machining and polishing marks must follow seal circumference.



# Garlock Helicoflex®

# **HELICOFLEX DATA SHEET**

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| COMPANY:   |                     |              |               | PHONE:                                    |                |               |            |
|--|---------------------|--------------|---------------|---|----------------|---------------|------------|
| CONTACT:   |                     |              |               | FAX:                                      |                |               |            |
| ADDRESS:   |                     |              |               | E-MAIL:                                   |                |               |            |
|  |                     |              |               | DATE:                                     |                |               |            |
| APPLICATION: (pleas                              | e attach custo      | mer drawi    | na / sketch)  |   |                |               |            |
| Brief Description:                               |                     |              |               |   |                |               |            |
| p  |                     |              |               |   |                |               |            |
| Annual quantities:                               |                     |              |               | RFQ Quantities:                           |                |               |            |
| Is This a New Design?                            |                     | ) Yes        | 🗆 No          | - Are Modifications Possible?             |                | □ Yes         | □ No       |
| Drawing or Sketch Attached                       | ?                   | ) Yes        | 🗅 No          | What is the Seal Type?                    |                | Shaped        | Circular   |
| SERVICE CONDITION                                | IS:                 |              |               |   |                |               |            |
| Media:   |                     |              |               | Life Expectancy:                          |                |               |            |
| Working Temperature:                             |                     |              |               | Max/Proof Pressure:                       |                | @ Temp.       | =          |
| Working Pressure:                                |                     |              |               | Max Temperature:                          |                | @ Pressure    | =          |
| Pressure Direction:<br>(Internal/External/Axial) |                     |              |               | Target Sealing Level:                     | Helium:        |               | Std.cc/sec |
| Pressure Cycles:                                 |                     |              |               |   | Flow Rate:     |               | cc/minute  |
| Temperature Cycles:                              |                     |              |               |   | Other:         |               |            |
| FLANGE DETAILS:                                  | (Please P           | rovide Drav  | wing)         |   |                |               |            |
| Amount of Flange Movment                         |                     |              | Radia         | I: Axia                                   | l:             | #Cycle        | S:         |
| Material:  |                     |              |               | Thickness                                 | 3:             |               |            |
| Groove / Counter Bore:                           | Pl                  | ease list di | mensions in G | <ul> <li>roove Details section</li> </ul> |                |               |            |
| ANSI Raised Face                                 | Size:               |              | # Rating      | g: Face S                                 | Surface Finisl | h:            | (RMS)      |
| Flange(s) with Clamping                          | -<br>System: (ISO,K | (F, etc)     |               | Standard:                                 | Size           | e:            |            |
| Other:   | Description:        |              |               |   | (Please Prov   | vide Drawing) | _          |
| GROOVE DETAILS:                                  | (Please Prov        | ide Drawin   | g)            |   |                |               |            |
| Type (Rectangular, Dovetail,                     | etc.):              |              |               |   |                |               |            |
| Outer Diameter:                                  | -                   | Toleranc     | e:            | Depth:                                    | Tolerance:     |               |            |
| Inner Diameter:                                  |                     | Toleranc     |               | Finish (RMS)                              | –<br>Type:     |               | _          |
|  |                     | Tolerano     |               | Finish Type: lathe (circular), endmill (  |                | other         |            |
|  |                     |              |               |   |                |               |            |
| BOLTING DETAILS:                                 | (Please Prov        | ide Drawin   | g)            |   |                |               |            |
| Size:  | -                   |              |               | Type / Grade:                             |                |               |            |
| Number:  | Bolt Circle         |              | _             | Tapped / Through:                         |                |               |            |
|  |                     |              |               |   |                |               |            |
| OTHER:   |                     |              |               |   |                |               |            |
| Special coating / plating spe                    |                     |              |               |   |                |               |            |
| Special quality / inspection s                   | specifications:     |              |               |   |                |               |            |
| Other:   |                     |              |               |   |                |               |            |
|  |                     |              |               |   |                |               |            |
|  |                     |              |               |   |                |               |            |
|  |                     |              |               |   |                |               |            |

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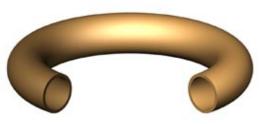
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# **Sealing Concept**

O-Flex<sup>™</sup> Metal O-Rings are designed to provide a sealing option for high pressure/temperature applications that require minimal spring back. The O-Flex<sup>™</sup> is made from high strength metal tubing that is coiled, cut and welded to size. It is available in standard cross section increments of 1/32". The O-Flex<sup>™</sup> seating load can be adjusted to the application by varying the cross section and tubing wall thickness. Typical applications



include Performance Engines, Plastic Extrusion/Molding, Military Specifications, Aerospace and Chemical Processing.

# **O-Flex™ Types**

### Basic

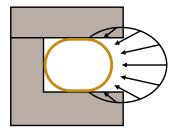
The basic O-Flex<sup>™</sup> is designed for low to moderate pressure applications as high pressure may collapse the exposed tubing wall.

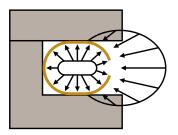
# Self Energizing

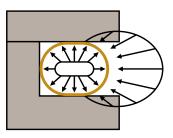
The Self-Energizing O-Flex<sup>™</sup> is designed for high pressure applications. Small holes are drilled in the tubing wall exposed to the system pressure. These holes create an energizing effect by allowing the pressure to enter the O-Flex<sup>™</sup>. As a result, the pressure inside the seal increases with the system pressure and minimizes the possibility of collapsing the exposed tubing wall.

## **Pressure Filled**

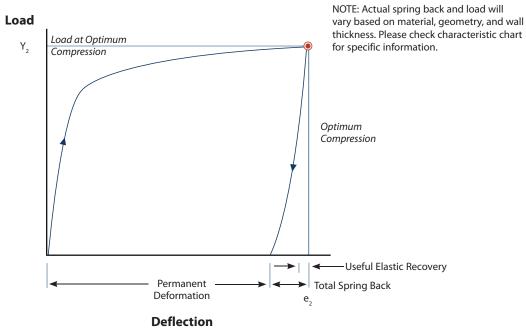
The Pressure Filled O-Flex<sup>™</sup> is designed for Performance Engine applications that require sealing at elevated pressure and temperature in a high cycling environment. The O-Flex<sup>™</sup> is filled with an inert gas that increases in pressure proportional to increases in system temperature. This results in an energizing effect that partially offsets the loss of material strength in service.











### **O-Flex™ Characteristic Curve**

#### **Material Selection**

| Material   | Status   | Temperature                      | Heat Treatment |  |  |  |  |
|------------|----------|----------------------------------|----------------|--|--|--|--|
| SS 321     | Standard | T < 700°F                        | NA             |  |  |  |  |
| Alloy 600  | Standard | T < 1,000°F                      | NA             |  |  |  |  |
| Alloy X750 | Standard | T < 1,100°F                      | NA             |  |  |  |  |
| Alloy 718  | Optional | T < 1,200°F                      | NA             |  |  |  |  |
| Other      |          | Contact Applications Engineering |                |  |  |  |  |

### **Plating/Coating Selection**

| Plating/Coating       | Status                           | Standard Thickness | Temperature | Groove Finish* |  |  |
|-----------------------|----------------------------------|--------------------|-------------|----------------|--|--|
| PTFE                  | Optional                         | .001/.003          | T < 500°F   | 16 - 32 RMS    |  |  |
| Silver                | Standard                         | .001/.002          | T < 800°F   | 16 - 63 RMS    |  |  |
| Silver w/ Gold strike | Optional                         | .001/.002          | T < 1,200°F | 16 - 63 RMS    |  |  |
| Nickel                | Standard                         | .001/.002          | T < 1,600°F | 16 - 32 RMS    |  |  |
| None                  | -                                | -                  | -           | < 16 RMS       |  |  |
| Other                 | Contact Applications Engineering |                    |             |                |  |  |

#### Dimensions in inches

\* Groove finish must follow seal circumference (lathe turned finish). Contact Applications Engineering for non-standard thicknesses.



### **PERFORMANCE DATA**

|                | ™ Charact                     | ovictic Vo                | CHARACTERISTIC VALUES AT 70°F |                                     |   |   |   |     |     |
|----------------|-------------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------------|---|---|---|-----|-----|
| O-riex         | Characte                      | eristic va                | SS 321                        | Alloy 600                           | Alloy X-750                             |   |   |     |     |
| Free<br>Height | Compression<br>e <sub>2</sub> | Seal<br>Diameter<br>Range | Material<br>Thickness         | Thin (T)<br>Medium (M)<br>Heavy (H) | Seating Load<br>(PCI)<br>Y <sub>2</sub> | Seating Load<br>(PCI)<br>Y <sub>2</sub> | Seating Load<br>(PCI)<br>Y <sub>2</sub> |     |     |
|                |                               | 0.500                     | 0.006                         | Т                                   | 457                                     | 503                                     | 594                                     |     |     |
| 0.032          | 0.006                         | to                        | 0.010                         | М                                   | 1028                                    | 1131                                    | 1336                                    |     |     |
|                |                               | 4.000                     | -                             | Н                                   | -                                       | -                                       | -                                       |     |     |
|                |                               | 0.500                     | 0.010                         | Т                                   | 571                                     | 628                                     | 742                                     |     |     |
| 0.063          | 0.012                         | to                        | 0.012                         | М                                   | 799                                     | 879                                     | 1039                                    |     |     |
|                |                               | 10.000                    | 0.014                         | Н                                   | 1256                                    | 1382                                    | 1633                                    |     |     |
|                |                               |                           |                               | 1.000                               | 0.010                                   | Т                                       | 343                                     | 377 | 446 |
| 0.094          | 0.020                         | to<br>20.000              | 0.012                         | М                                   | 514                                     | 565                                     | 668                                     |     |     |
|                |                               |                           | 0.018                         | Н                                   | 1313                                    | 1444                                    | 1707                                    |     |     |
|                |                               | 2.000                     | 0.010                         | Т                                   | 343                                     | 377                                     | 446                                     |     |     |
| 0.125          | 0.026                         | to                        | 0.020                         | М                                   | 1142                                    | 1256                                    | 1485                                    |     |     |
|                |                               | 40.000                    | 0.025                         | Н                                   | 2056                                    | 2262                                    | 2673                                    |     |     |
|                |                               | 3.000                     | -                             | Т                                   | -                                       | -                                       | -                                       |     |     |
| 0.156          | 0.031                         | to                        | 0.020                         | М                                   | 857                                     | 943                                     | 1114                                    |     |     |
|                |                               | 50.000                    | 0.025                         | Н                                   | 1428                                    | 1571                                    | 1856                                    |     |     |
|                |                               | 4.000                     | -                             | Т                                   | -                                       | -                                       | -                                       |     |     |
| 0.188          | 0.039                         | to                        | 0.020                         | М                                   | 657                                     | 723                                     | 854                                     |     |     |
|                |                               | 60.000                    | 0.032                         | Н                                   | 2113                                    | 2324                                    | 2747                                    |     |     |
|                |                               | 5.000                     | 0.025                         | Т                                   | 799                                     | 879                                     | 1039                                    |     |     |
| 0.250          | 0.051                         | to                        | 0.032                         | М                                   | 1370                                    | 1507                                    | 1781                                    |     |     |
|                |                               | 80.000                    | 0.049                         | Н                                   | 3026                                    | 3329                                    | 3934                                    |     |     |

#### **Dimensions in inches**

NOTES:

1. PCI = Pounds force per circumferential inch

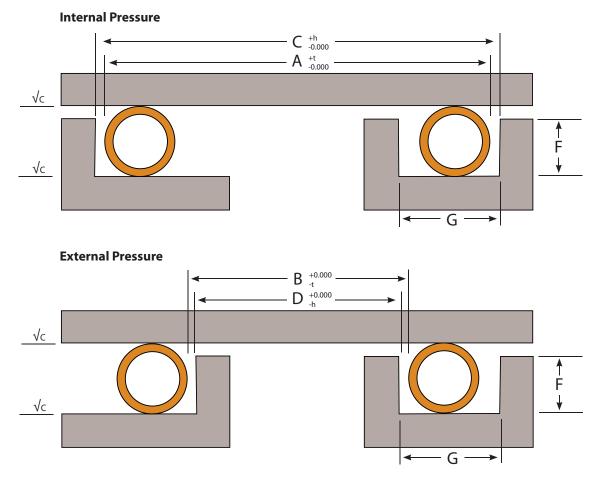
2. Seating Load (Y<sub>2</sub>) is an approximation and may vary based on groove clearance, seal diameter, tolerance and plating thickness. It does not allow for system pressure requirements and should be verified for each application and seal size.

3. The customer must verify that system bolts and flanges can generate the required seating load without warping or distorting.

4. The customer must test and verify that the seal design meets customer designated performance requirements.



# SEAL AND GROOVE DIMENSIONS



# **Seal and Groove Sizing Calculations**

The equations below can be used for basic groove calculations. Applications that have significant thermal expansion may require additional clearance. Please contact Applications Engineering for design assistance.

2Pmax

### **Determining Seal Diameter:**

| <u>Internal</u> | <u>External</u> |
|-----------------|-----------------|
| A = C-X-2Pmax   | B = D + X +     |

#### **Determining Groove Diameter:**

| Internal          | External          |
|-------------------|-------------------|
| C = A + X + 2Pmax | D = B - X - 2Pmax |

#### Tolerancing: See chart

| Where: | A =<br>B = | Seal Outer Diameter<br>Seal Inner Diameter |
|--------|------------|--|
|        | C =        | Groove Outer Diameter                      |
|        | D =        | Groove Inner Diameter                      |
|        | Pmax =     | Maximum Plating or Coating Thickness       |
|        | X =        | Diametrical Clearance                      |

#### **Groove Finish** $\sqrt{c:}$ See Plating/Coating Section



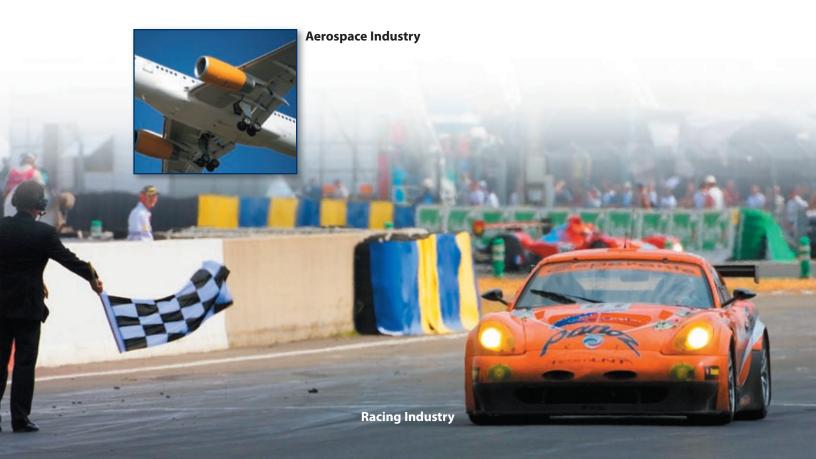
# Seal and Groove Dimensions

|                | SEAL                |                        | GROOVE                        |                          |                      |                             |  |  |
|----------------|---------------------|------------------------|-------------------------------|--------------------------|----------------------|-----------------------------|--|--|
| Free<br>Height | Seal Diameter Range | Seal<br>Tolerance<br>t | Diametrical<br>Clearance<br>x | Groove<br>Tolerance<br>h | Groove<br>Depth<br>F | Groove<br>Width (Min.)<br>G |  |  |
| 0.032          | 0.500 to 4.000      | 0.005                  | 0.006                         | 0.004                    | 0.026 ±0.001         | 0.055                       |  |  |
| 0.063          | 0.500 to 10.000     | 0.005                  | 0.006                         | 0.004                    | 0.051 ±0.001         | 0.090                       |  |  |
| 0.094          | 1.000 to 20.000     | 0.005                  | 0.008                         | 0.004                    | 0.073 ±0.002         | 0.125                       |  |  |
| 0.125          | 2.000 to 40.000     | 0.005                  | 0.008                         | 0.004                    | 0.099 ±0.002         | 0.160                       |  |  |
| 0.157          | 3.000 to 50.000     | 0.005                  | 0.014                         | 0.006                    | 0.125 ±0.002         | 0.200                       |  |  |
| 0.188          | 4.000 to 50.000     | 0.005                  | 0.014                         | 0.006                    | 0.149 ±0.002         | 0.250                       |  |  |
| 0.250          | 5.000 to 50.000     | 0.008                  | 0.019                         | 0.008                    | 0.199 ±0.002         | 0.350                       |  |  |

### Seal and Groove Dimensions

#### **Dimensions in inches**

NOTE: Contact Applications Engineering for additional sizes.





# SEALING LEVELS

| Tube<br>Coatings | Tube<br>Diameter   | S.steel<br>321 | Alloy<br>600 | Alloy<br>X750 |  |  |
|------------------|--|----------------|--------------|---------------|--|--|
|                  | Wall Thickness   | тмн            | тмн          | тмн           |  |  |
| Non Plated       | 0.032"<br>0.063"<br>0.094"<br>0.125"<br>0.156"<br>0.188"<br>0.250" |                |              |               |  |  |
|                  | Wall Thickness   | ТМН            | тмн          | тмн           |  |  |
| PTFE             | 0.032"<br>0.063"<br>0.094"<br>0.125"<br>0.156"<br>0.188"<br>0.250" |                |              |               |  |  |
|                  | Wall Thickness   | тмн            | тмн          | тмн           |  |  |
| Silver           | 0.032"<br>0.063"<br>0.094"<br>0.125"<br>0.156"<br>0.188"<br>0.250" |                |              |               |  |  |
|                  | Wall Thickness   | тмн            | тмн          | тмн           |  |  |
| Nickel           | 0.032"<br>0.063"<br>0.094"<br>0.125"<br>0.156"<br>0.188"<br>0.250" |                |              |               |  |  |

### Legend

- : Q > 1.32 x 10<sup>-5</sup> std.cc/sec He
- : 1.32 x 10<sup>-9</sup> < Q < 1.32 x 10<sup>-5</sup> std.cc/sec He
- ▲ : Q <1.32 x 10<sup>-9</sup> std.cc/sec He
- Q : Approximate leak rate per meter of circumference
- T: Thin
- M: Medium
- H: Heavy









# O-Flex<sup>™</sup> Seals for Military Standards



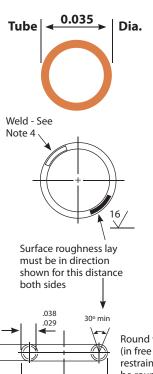


# **Tube 0.035 Diameter**

### **Military Standard**

MS 9141 Gasket, metal O-ring, .035 tube x .006 wall, cres

- MS 9371 Gasket, metal O-ring, .035 tube x .006 wall, cres, silver plated
  - 1. Ring shall be flat within B.
  - 2. \*Preferred sizes.
  - 3. Material: Corrosion and heat resistant steel tubing AMS 5570 or AMS 5576.
  - 4. Finish weld flush with tube OD. Smooth blend within .125 of Weld. Dimensions at blend shall not be more than .003 below adjacent surfaces.
  - Finish: Silver plate AMS 2410 .0010-.0015 thick. Dimensions to be met before plating. Contact points permissible on ID of ring: (MS 9371 only)
  - 6. Surface roughness: AS 291/ANSI B46.1
  - 7. Manufacturing specification: AMS 7325
  - 8. Identification: Mark MS part number and manufacturer's identification on container.
  - 9. Dimensions in inches.
  - 10. Do not use unassigned part numbers.
  - 11. Contact Applications Engineering for design requirements.



Dia

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After Forming

Round within B on dia. (in free state) when restrained dia. A shall be round within dia. limits

| Add to MS<br>Number | A<br>+.005<br>000 | В    | Add to MS<br>Number | A<br>+.005<br>000 | В    |
|---------------------|-------------------|------|---------------------|-------------------|------|
| -03                 | .250 †            | .020 | -15                 | .750*             | .020 |
| -04                 | .281 †            | .020 | -16                 | .812              | .020 |
| -05                 | .312 †            | .020 | -17                 | .875*             | .020 |
| -06                 | .344 †            | .020 | -18                 | .938              | .020 |
| -07                 | .375 †            | .020 | -19                 | 1.000*            | .020 |
| -08                 | .406 †            | .020 | -20                 | 1.125             | .020 |
| -09                 | .438 †            | .020 | -21                 | 1.250             | .020 |
| -10                 | .469 †            | .020 | -22                 | 1.375             | .020 |
| -11                 | .500              | .020 | -23                 | 1.500*            | .020 |
| -12                 | .562              | .020 | -24                 | 1.625             | .020 |
| -13                 | .625*             | .020 | -25                 | 1.750*            | .020 |
| -14                 | .688              | .020 | -26                 | 1.875             | .020 |
| Dimensions in       | inches            |      | -27                 | 2.000*            | 0.20 |

+ Contact Applications Engineering for these sizes.

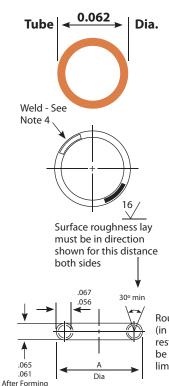


# Tube 0.062 Diameter

### **Military Standard**

MS 9142 Gasket, metal O-ring, .062 tube x .006 wall, cres
MS 9202 Gasket, metal O-ring, .062 tube x .010 wall, cres
MS 9372 Gasket, metal O-ring, .062 tube x .006 wall, cres, silver plated
MS 9373 Gasket, metal O-ring, .062 tube x .010 wall, cres, silver plated

- 1. Ring shall be flat within B.
- 2. \*Preferred sizes.
- 3. Material: Corrosion and heat resistant steel tubing AMS 5570 or AMS 5576.
- 4. Finish weld flush with tube OD. Smooth blend within .125 of Weld. Dimensions at blend shall not be more than .004 below adjacent surfaces.
- 5. Finish: Silver plate AMS 2410 .0010-.0015 thick. Dimensions to be met before plating. Contact points permissible on ID of ring: (MS 9372, MS 9373 only)
- 6. Surface roughness: AS 291/ANSI B46.1
- 7. Manufacturing specification: AMS 7325
- 8. Identification: Mark MS part number and manufacturer's identification on container.
- 9. Dimensions in inches.
- 10. Do not use unassigned part numbers.
- 11. Contact Applications Engineering for design requirements.



Round within B on dia. (in free state) when restrained dia. A shall be round within dia. limits

| NOTE: MS 9142 and MS 9372 available only fro | om dash 013 |
|--|-------------|
| through dash 099.                            |             |

| Add<br>to MS<br>Number | A<br>+.005<br>000 | В    |
|------------------------|-------------------|------|------------------------|-------------------|------|------------------------|-------------------|------|------------------------|-------------------|------|
| -013                   | .438*             | .030 | -037                   | 1.188             | .030 | -061                   | 2.625             | .060 | -103                   | 5.250             | .090 |
| -014                   | .469              | .030 | -038                   | 1.219             | .030 | -062                   | 2.688             | .060 | -105                   | 5.375             | .090 |
| -015                   | .500*             | .030 | -039                   | 1.250*            | .030 | -063                   | 2.750*            | .060 | -107                   | 5.500             | .090 |
| -016                   | .531              | .030 | -040                   | 1.312             | .030 | -064                   | 2.812             | .060 | -109                   | 5.625             | .090 |
| -017                   | .562*             | .030 | -041                   | 1.375*            | .030 | -065                   | 2.875             | .060 | -111                   | 5.750             | .090 |
| -018                   | .594              | .030 | -042                   | 1.438             | .030 | -066                   | 2.938             | .060 | -113                   | 5.875             | .090 |
| -019                   | .625*             | .030 | -043                   | 1.500*            | .030 | -067                   | 3.000*            | .060 | -115                   | 6.000*            | .090 |
| -020                   | .656              | .030 | -044                   | 1.562             | .030 | -069                   | 3.125             | .060 | -117                   | 6.125             | .090 |
| -021                   | .688*             | .030 | -045                   | 1.625*            | .030 | -071                   | 3.250             | .060 | -119                   | 6.250             | .090 |
| -022                   | .719              | .030 | -046                   | 1.688             | .030 | -073                   | 3.375             | .060 | -121                   | 6.375             | .090 |
| -023                   | .750*             | .030 | -047                   | 1.750*            | .030 | -075                   | 3.500*            | .060 | -123                   | 6.500             | .090 |
| -024                   | .781              | .030 | -048                   | 1.812             | .030 | -077                   | 3.625             | .060 | -125                   | 6.625             | .090 |
| -025                   | .812              | .030 | -049                   | 1.875             | .030 | -079                   | 3.750             | .060 | -127                   | 6.750             | .090 |
| -026                   | .844              | .030 | -050                   | 1.938             | .030 | -081                   | 3.875             | .060 | -129                   | 6.875             | .090 |
| -027                   | .875*             | .030 | -051                   | 2.000*            | .030 | -083                   | 4.000*            | .060 | -131                   | 7.000*            | .090 |
| -028                   | .906              | .030 | -052                   | 2.062             | .030 | -085                   | 4.125             | .060 | -133                   | 7.125             | .090 |
| -029                   | .938              | .030 | -053                   | 2.125             | .030 | -087                   | 4.250             | .060 | -135                   | 7.250             | .090 |
| -030                   | .969              | .030 | -054                   | 2.188             | .030 | -089                   | 4.375             | .060 | -137                   | 7.375             | .090 |
| -031                   | 1.000*            | .030 | -055                   | 2.250*            | .030 | -091                   | 4.500*            | .060 | -139                   | 7.500             | .090 |
| -032                   | 1.031             | .030 | -056                   | 2.312             | .030 | -093                   | 4.625             | .060 | -141                   | 7.625             | .090 |
| -033                   | 1.062             | .030 | -057                   | 2.375             | .030 | -095                   | 4.750             | .060 | -143                   | 7.750             | .090 |
| -034                   | 1.094             | .030 | -058                   | 2.438             | .030 | -097                   | 4.875             | .060 | -145                   | 7.875             | .090 |
| -035                   | 1.125*            | .030 | -059                   | 2.500*            | .030 | -099                   | 5.000*            | .060 | -147                   | 8.000*            | .090 |
| -036                   | 1.156             | .030 | -060                   | 2.562             | .060 | -101                   | 5.125             | .090 |                        |                   |      |

Dimensions in inches

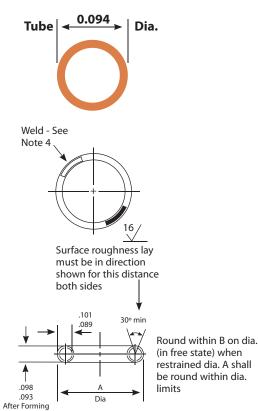


# **Tube 0.094 Diameter**

### **Military Standard**

MS 9203 Gasket, metal O-ring, .094 tube x .006 wall, cres
MS 9204 Gasket, metal O-ring, .094 tube x .010 wall, cres
MS 9374 Gasket, metal O-ring, .094 tube x .006 wall, cres, silver plated
MS 9375 Gasket, metal O-ring, .094 tube x .010 wall, cres, silver plated

- 1. Ring shall be flat within B.
- 2. \*Preferred sizes.
- 3. Material: Corrosion and heat resistant steel tubing AMS 5570 or AMS 5576.
- 4. Finish weld flush with tube OD. Smooth blend within .125 of Weld. Dimensions at blend shall not be more than .004 below adjacent surfaces.
- 5. Finish: Silver plate AMS 2410 .0010-.0015 thick. Dimensions to be met before plating. Contact points permissible on ID of ring: (MS 9374, MS 9375 only)
- 6. Surface roughness: AS 291/ANSI B46.1
- 7. Manufacturing specification: AMS 7325
- 8. Identification: Mark MS part number and manufacturer's identification on container.
- 9. Dimensions in inches.
- 10. Do not use unassigned part numbers.
- 11. Contact Applications Engineering for design requirements.



NOTE: MS 9374 and MS 9375 available only through dash 195

| Add<br>to MS<br>Number | A<br>+.005<br>000 | В    |
|------------------------|-------------------|------|------------------------|-------------------|------|------------------------|-------------------|------|------------------------|-------------------|------|
| -010                   | 1.000*            | .030 | -038                   | 2.188             | .030 | -065                   | 3.875             | .060 | -143                   | 8.750             | .090 |
| -012                   | 1.031             | .030 | -039                   | 2.250*            | .030 | -066                   | 3.938             | .060 | -147                   | 9.000*            | .090 |
| -013                   | 1.062             | .030 | -040                   | 2.312             | .030 | -067                   | 4.000*            | .060 | -151                   | 9.250             | .090 |
| -014                   | 1.094             | .030 | -041                   | 2.375             | .030 | -069                   | 4.125             | .060 | -155                   | 9.500             | .090 |
| -015                   | 1.125*            | .030 | -042                   | 2.438             | .030 | -071                   | 4.250             | .060 | -159                   | 9.750             | .090 |
| -016                   | 1.156             | .030 | -043                   | 2.500*            | .030 | -073                   | 4.375             | .060 | -163                   | 10.000*           | .090 |
| -017                   | 1.188             | .030 | -044                   | 2.562             | .060 | -075                   | 4.500*            | .060 | -167                   | 10.250            | .125 |
| -018                   | 1.219             | .030 | -045                   | 2.625             | .060 | -077                   | 4.625             | .060 | -171                   | 10.500            | .125 |
| -019                   | 1.250*            | .030 | -046                   | 2.688             | .060 | -079                   | 4.750             | .060 | -175                   | 10.750            | .125 |
| -020                   | 1.281             | .030 | -047                   | 2.750*            | .060 | -081                   | 4.875             | .060 | -179                   | 11.000*           | .125 |
| -021                   | 1.312             | .030 | -048                   | 2.812             | .060 | -083                   | 5.000*            | .060 | -183                   | 11.250            | .125 |
| -022                   | 1.344             | .030 | -049                   | 2.875             | .060 | -085                   | 5.125             | .090 | -187                   | 11.500            | .125 |
| -023                   | 1.375*            | .030 | -050                   | 2.938             | .060 | -087                   | 5.250             | .090 | -191                   | 11.750            | .125 |
| -024                   | 1.406             | .030 | -051                   | 3.000             | .060 | -089                   | 5.375             | .090 | -195                   | 12.000*           | .125 |
| -025                   | 1.438             | .030 | -052                   | 3.062             | .060 | -091                   | 5.500*            | .090 | -203                   | 12.500            | .150 |
| -026                   | 1.469             | .030 | -053                   | 3.125             | .060 | -095                   | 5.750             | .090 | -211                   | 13.000            | .150 |
| -027                   | 1.500*            | .030 | -054                   | 3.188             | .060 | -099                   | 6.000*            | .090 | -219                   | 13.500            | .150 |
| -028                   | 1.562             | .030 | -055                   | 3.250             | .060 | -103                   | 6.250             | .090 | -227                   | 14.000            | .150 |
| -029                   | 1.625             | .030 | -056                   | 3.312             | .060 | -107                   | 6.500             | .090 |                        |                   |      |
| -030                   | 1.688             | .030 | -057                   | 3.375             | .060 | -111                   | 6.750             | .090 |                        |                   |      |
| -031                   | 1.750*            | .030 | -058                   | 3.438             | .060 | -115                   | 7.000*            | .090 |                        |                   |      |
| -032                   | 1.812             | .030 | -059                   | 3.500*            | .060 | -119                   | 7.250             | .090 |                        |                   |      |
| -033                   | 1.875             | .030 | -060                   | 3.562             | .060 | -123                   | 7.500             | .090 |                        |                   |      |
| -034                   | 1.938             | .030 | -061                   | 3.625             | .060 | -127                   | 7.750             | .090 |                        |                   |      |
| -035                   | 2.000*            | .030 | -062                   | 3.688             | .060 | -131                   | 8.000*            | .090 |                        |                   |      |
| -036                   | 2.062             | .030 | -063                   | 3.750             | .060 | -135                   | 8.250             | .090 |                        |                   |      |
| -037                   | 2.125             | .030 | -064                   | 3.812             | .060 | -139                   | 8.500             | .090 |                        |                   |      |

#### **Dimensions in inches**

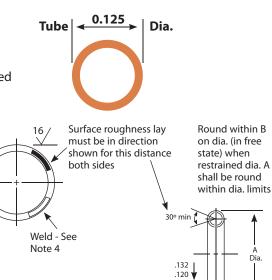


# **Tube 0.125 Diameter**

### **Military Standard**

**MS 9205** Gasket, metal O-ring, .125 tube x .010 wall, cres **MS 9376** Gasket, metal O-ring, .125 tube x .010 wall, cres, silver plated

- 1. Ring shall be flat within B.
- 2. \*Preferred sizes.
- 3. Material: Corrosion and heat resistant steel tubing AMS 5570 or AMS 5576. Tube size .124-.127 dia., wall thick. .009-.011.
- 4. Finish weld flush with tube OD. Smooth blend within .125 of Weld. Dimensions at blend shall not be more than .004 below adjacent surfaces.
- 5. Finish: Silver plate AMS 2410 .0010-.0015 thick. Dimensions to be met before plating. Contact points permissible on ID of ring: (MS 9376 only)
- 6. Surface roughness: AS 291/ANSI B46.1
- 7. Manufacturing specification: AMS 7325
- 8. Identification: Mark MS part number and manufacturer's identification on container.
- 9. Dimensions in inches.
- 10. Do not use unassigned part numbers.
- 11. Contact Applications Engineering for design requirements.



→ | ← .124 After Forming NOTE: MS 9376 available only

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through dash 170

| Add<br>to MS<br>Number | A<br>+.005<br>000 | В     |
|------------------------|-------------------|------|------------------------|-------------------|------|------------------------|-------------------|------|------------------------|-------------------|------|------------------------|-------------------|-------|
| -010                   | 2.000*            | .030 | -049                   | 4.438             | .060 | -102                   | 7.750             | .090 | -238                   | 16.250            | .200 | -490                   | 32.000*           | .500  |
| -011                   | 2.062             | .030 | -050                   | 4.500*            | .060 | -104                   | 7.875             | .090 | -242                   | 16.500            | .200 | -498                   | 32.500            | .500  |
| -012                   | 2.125             | .030 | -051                   | 4.562             | .060 | -106                   | 8.000*            | .090 | -246                   | 16.750            | .200 | -506                   | 33.000            | .500  |
| -013                   | 2.188             | .030 | -052                   | 4.625             | .060 | -108                   | 8.125             | .090 | -250                   | 17.000            | .200 | -514                   | 33.500            | .500  |
| -014                   | 2.250*            | .030 | -053                   | 4.688             | .060 | -110                   | 8.250             | .090 | -254                   | 17.250            | .200 | -522                   | 34.000            | .500  |
| -015                   | 2.312             | .030 | -054                   | 4.750             | .060 | -112                   | 8.375             | .090 | -258                   | 17.500            | .200 | -530                   | 34.500            | .500  |
| -016                   | 2.375             | .030 | -055                   | 4.812             | .060 | -114                   | 8.500             | .090 | -262                   | 17.750            | .200 | -538                   | 35.000            | .500  |
| -017                   | 2.438             | .030 | -056                   | 4.875             | .060 | -116                   | 8.625             | .090 | -266                   | 18.000*           | .200 | -546                   | 35.500            | .500  |
| -018                   | 2.500*            | .030 | -057                   | 4.938             | .060 | -118                   | 8.750             | .090 | -270                   | 18.250            | .200 | -554                   | 36.000*           | .500  |
| -019                   | 2.562             | .060 | -058                   | 5.000*            | .060 | -120                   | 8.875             | .090 | -274                   | 18.500            | .200 | -562                   | 36.500            | .500  |
| -020                   | 2.625             | .060 | -059                   | 5.062             | .090 | -122                   | 9.000*            | .090 | -278                   | 18.750            | .200 | -570                   | 37.000            | .500  |
| -021                   | 2.688             | .060 | -060                   | 5.125             | .090 | -126                   | 9.250             | .090 | -282                   | 19.000            | .200 | -578                   | 37.500            | .500  |
| -022                   | 2.750*            | .060 | -061                   | 5.188             | .090 | -130                   | 9.500             | .090 | -286                   | 19.250            | .250 | -586                   | 38.000            | .500  |
| -023                   | 2.812             | .060 | -062                   | 5.250             | .090 | -134                   | 9.750             | .090 | -290                   | 19.500            | .250 | -594                   | 38.500            | .500  |
| -024                   | 2.875             | .060 | -063                   | 5.312             | .090 | -138                   | 10.000*           | .090 | -294                   | 19.750            | .250 | -602                   | 39.000            | .500  |
| -025                   | 2.938             | .060 | -064                   | 5.375             | .090 | -142                   | 10.250            | .125 | -298                   | 20.000*           | .250 | -610                   | 39.500            | .500  |
| -026                   | 3.000*            | .060 | -065                   | 5.438             | .090 | -146                   | 10.500            | .125 | -306                   | 20.500            | .250 | -618                   | 40.000*           | 1.000 |
| -027                   | 3.062             | .060 | -066                   | 5.500*            | .090 | -150                   | 10.750            | .125 | -314                   | 21.000            | .250 | -634                   | 41.000            | 1.000 |
| -028                   | 3.125             | .060 | -067                   | 5.562             | .090 | -154                   | 11.000*           | .125 | -322                   | 21.500            | .250 | -650                   | 42.000            | 1.000 |
| -029                   | 3.188             | .060 | -068                   | 5.625             | .090 | -158                   | 11.250            | .125 | -330                   | 22.000*           | .250 | -666                   | 43.000            | 1.000 |
| -030                   | 3.250             | .060 | -069                   | 5.688             | .090 | -162                   | 11.500            | .125 | -338                   | 22.500            | .500 | -682                   | 44.000            | 1.000 |
| -031                   | 3.312             | .060 | -070                   | 5.750             | .090 | -166                   | 11.750            | .125 | -346                   | 23.000            | .500 | -698                   | 45.000*           | 1.000 |
| -032                   | 3.375             | .060 | -071                   | 5.812             | .090 | -170                   | 12.000*           | .125 | -354                   | 23.500            | .500 | -714                   | 46.000            | 1.000 |
| -033                   | 3.438             | .060 | -072                   | 5.875             | .090 | -174                   | 12.250            | .150 | -362                   | 24.000*           | .500 | -730                   | 47.000            | 1.000 |
| -034                   | 3.500*            | .060 | -073                   | 5.938             | .090 | -178                   | 12.500            | .150 | -370                   | 24.500            | .500 | -746                   | 48.000            | 1.000 |
| -035                   | 3.562             | .060 | -074                   | 6.000*            | .090 | -182                   | 12.750            | .150 | -378                   | 25.000            | .500 | -762                   | 49.000            | 1.000 |
| -036                   | 3.625             | .060 | -076                   | 6.125             | .090 | -186                   | 13.000            | .150 | -386                   | 25.500            | .500 | -778                   | 50.000*           | 1.000 |
| -037                   | 3.688             | .060 | -078                   | 6.250             | .090 | -190                   | 13.250            | .150 | -394                   | 26.000            | .500 |                        |                   |       |
| -038                   | 3.750             | .060 | -080                   | 6.375             | .090 | -194                   | 13.500            | .150 | -402                   | 26.500            | .500 | Dimens                 | ions in ir        | iches |
| -039                   | 3.812             | .060 | -082                   | 6.500             | .090 | -198                   | 13.750            | .150 | -410                   | 27.000            | .500 |                        |                   |       |
| -040                   | 3.875             | .060 | -084                   | 6.625             | .090 | -202                   | 14.000*           | .150 | -418                   | 27.500            | .500 |                        |                   |       |
| -041                   | 3.938             | .060 | -086                   | 6.750             | .090 | -206                   | 14.250            | .175 | -426                   | 28.000*           | .500 |                        |                   |       |
| -042                   | 4.000*            | .060 | -088                   | 6.875             | .090 | -210                   | 14.500            | .175 | -434                   | 28.500            | .500 |                        |                   |       |
| -043                   | 4.062             | .060 | -090                   | 7.000*            | .090 | -214                   | 14.750            | .175 | -442                   | 29.000            | .500 |                        |                   |       |
| -044                   | 4.125             | .060 | -092                   | 7.125             | .090 | -218                   | 15.000            | .175 | -450                   | 29.500            | .500 |                        |                   |       |
| -045                   | 4.188             | .060 | -094                   | 7.250             | .090 | -222                   | 15.250            | .175 | -458                   | 30.000            | .500 |                        |                   |       |
| -046                   | 4.250             | .060 | -096                   | 7.375             | .090 | -226                   | 15.500            | .175 | -466                   | 30.500            | .500 |                        |                   |       |
| -047                   | 4.312             | .060 | -098                   | 7.500             | .090 | -230                   | 15.750            | .175 | -474                   | 31.000            | .500 |                        |                   |       |
| -048                   | 4.375             | .060 | -100                   | 7.625             | .090 | -234                   | 16.000*           | .175 | -482                   | 31.500            | .500 |                        |                   |       |

# Garlock Helicoflex® PERFORMANCE METAL SEALS

# **HELICOFLEX DATA SHEET**

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|  |                       |                 | DATE:                                  |               |                |            |
| APPLICATION: (please                             | e attach customer dr  | awing / sketch) |  |               |                |            |
| Brief Description:                               |                       |                 |  |               |                |            |
|  |                       |                 |  |               |                |            |
| Annual quantities:                               |                       |                 | RFQ Quantities:                        |               |                |            |
| Is This a New Design?                            | 🗅 Yes                 | 🗅 No            | Are Modifications Possible?            |               | □ Yes          | 🗆 No       |
| Drawing or Sketch Attached?                      | 🖵 Yes                 | 🗅 No            | What is the Seal Type?                 |               | Shaped         | Circular   |
| SERVICE CONDITION                                | S:                    |                 |  |               |                |            |
| Media:   |                       |                 | Life Expectancy:                       |               |                |            |
| Working Temperature:                             |                       |                 | Max/Proof Pressure:                    |               | @ Temp.        | =          |
| Working Pressure:                                |                       |                 | Max Temperature:                       |               | @ Pressure     | : =        |
| Pressure Direction:<br>(Internal/External/Axial) |                       |                 | Target Sealing Level:                  | Helium:       |                | Std.cc/sec |
| Pressure Cycles:                                 |                       |                 |  | Flow Rate:    |                | cc/minute  |
| Temperature Cycles:                              |                       |                 |  | Other:        |                |            |
| FLANGE DETAILS:                                  | (Please Provide [     | Drawing)        |  |               |                |            |
| Amount of Flange Movment in                      | n Service: (Inches)   | Rad             | lial: Axia                             | al:           | #Cycle         | es:        |
| Material:  |                       |                 | Thicknes                               | s:            |                |            |
| Groove / Counter Bore:                           | Please lis            | t dimensions in | Groove Details section                 |               |                |            |
| ANSI Raised Face                                 | Size:                 | # Rati          | ng: Face                               | Surface Finis | h:             | (RMS)      |
| Flange(s) with Clamping S                        | System: (ISO,KF, etc) |                 | Standard:                              | Siz           | .e:            |            |
| Other:   | Description:          |                 |  | (Please Pro   | ovide Drawing) |            |
| GROOVE DETAILS:                                  | (Please Provide Dra   | wing)           |  |               |                |            |
| Type (Rectangular, Dovetail, e                   | etc.):                |                 |  |               |                |            |
| Outer Diameter:                                  | Toler                 | ance:           | Depth:                                 | Tolerance:    |                |            |
| Inner Diameter:                                  | Toler                 | ance:           | Finish (RMS)                           | —<br>Туре:    |                | _          |
| · ·  |                       |                 | Finish Type: lathe (circular), endmill |               | , other        | —          |
| BOLTING DETAILS:                                 | (Please Provide Dra   |                 |  |               |                |            |
|  | (mease monue bra      |                 | Turne / Orado:                         |               |                |            |
| Size:  |                       |                 | Type / Grade:                          |               |                |            |
| Number:  | Bolt Circle           |                 | Tapped / Through:                      |               |                |            |
| OTHER:   |                       |                 |  |               |                |            |
| Special coating / plating spec                   | offication            |                 |  |               |                |            |
| Special coating / plating spec                   |                       |                 |  |               |                |            |
| Other:   | pecilications.        |                 |  |               |                |            |
| Other.   |                       |                 |  |               |                |            |
|  |                       |                 |  |               |                |            |
|  |                       |                 |  |               |                |            |



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# **Sealing Concept**

The sealing concept of C-Flex<sup>™</sup> metal Crings is based on the elastic deformation of a metal "C" substrate which, during the compression cycle, gives a contact point on each sealing surface.

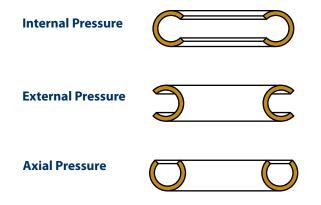
The substrate characteristics determine the compressive load of the seal. This load



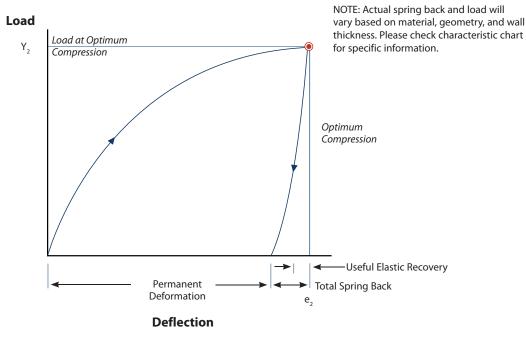
combined with an accurate compression rate results in a specific pressure which is directly related to the sealing level obtained. A certain specific pressure is necessary to make the seal flow into the flange imperfections. In service, this load is supplemented by the system pressure. A softer surface treatment is available to increase the plasticity of the seal and reduce the specific pressure necessary to reach the desired sealing level.

# C-FLEX<sup>™</sup> Types

The opening of the C-Flex<sup>™</sup> seal is typically oriented toward the system pressure. In service, the system pressure "energizes" the seal providing supplemental load. This energizing effect increases in direct proportion to increases in differential system pressure. Below are typical seal orientations:







# **C-Flex<sup>™</sup> Characteristic Curve**

### **Material Selection**

| Material   | Status                           | Temperature | Heat Treatment  |  |  |  |  |
|------------|----------------------------------|-------------|---|--|--|--|--|
| Alloy X750 | Standard                         | T < 1,100⁰F | Solution heat treat and precipitation harden per AMS 5598 |  |  |  |  |
| Alloy 718  | Optional                         | T < 1,200°F | Solution heat treat and precipitation harden per AMS 5596 |  |  |  |  |
| Other      | Contact Applications Engineering |             |   |  |  |  |  |

### **Plating/Coating Selection**

| Plating/Coating       | Status                           | Standard Thickness | Temperature | Groove Finish* |  |  |
|-----------------------|----------------------------------|--------------------|-------------|----------------|--|--|
| PTFE                  | Optional                         | .001/.003          | T < 500°F   | 16 - 32 RMS    |  |  |
| Silver                | Standard                         | .001/.002          | T < 800°F   | 16 - 63 RMS    |  |  |
| Silver w/ Gold strike | Optional                         | .001/.002          | T < 1,200°F | 16 - 63 RMS    |  |  |
| Nickel                | Standard                         | .001/.002          | T < 1,600°F | 16 - 32 RMS    |  |  |
| None                  | -                                | -                  | -           | < 16 RMS       |  |  |
| Other                 | Contact Applications Engineering |                    |             |                |  |  |

\* Groove finish must follow seal circumference (lathe turned finish)

| <b>C-Flex</b>  | ™ Characte                                    | CHARACTERISTIC            | CHARACTERISTIC VALUES AT 70°F |                                     |   |   |
|----------------|---|---------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------------|---|---|
|                |   |                           |                               |                                     | Alloy X-750                             | Alloy 718                               |
| Free<br>Height | Installation<br>Compression<br>e <sub>2</sub> | Seal<br>Diameter<br>Range | Material<br>Thickness         | Thin (T)<br>Medium (M)<br>Heavy (H) | Seating Load<br>(PCI)<br>Y <sub>2</sub> | Seating Load<br>(PCI)<br>Y <sub>2</sub> |
|                |   | 0.250                     | 0.006                         | Т                                   | 95                                      | 110                                     |
| 0.047          | 0.006   | to                        | -                             | М                                   | -                                       | -                                       |
|                |   | 4.000                     | 0.008                         | Н                                   | 210                                     | 245                                     |
|                |   | 0.500                     | 0.008                         | Т                                   | 85                                      | 100                                     |
| 0.063          | 0.012   | to<br>10.000              | -                             | М                                   | -                                       | -                                       |
|                |   |                           | 0.010                         | Н                                   | 260                                     | 300                                     |
|                | 0.020   | 1.000<br>to<br>20.000     | 0.010                         | Т                                   | 140                                     | 165                                     |
| 0.094          |   |                           | -                             | М                                   | -                                       | -                                       |
|                |   |                           | 0.015                         | Н                                   | 400                                     | 460                                     |
|                | 0.026   | 2.000                     | 0.010                         | Т                                   | 130                                     | 150                                     |
| 0.125          |   | to<br>40.000              | 0.015                         | М                                   | 240                                     | 280                                     |
|                |   |                           | 0.020                         | Н                                   | 570                                     | 660                                     |
|                |   | 3.000                     | 0.015                         | Т                                   | 200                                     | 230                                     |
| 0.156          | 0.032   | to                        | -                             | М                                   | -                                       | -                                       |
|                |   | 50.000                    | 0.025                         | Н                                   | 600                                     | 690                                     |
|                |   | 4.000                     | 0.020                         | Т                                   | 350                                     | 410                                     |
| 0.188          | 0.039   | to                        | -                             | М                                   | -                                       | -                                       |
|                |   | 60.000                    | -                             | Н                                   | -                                       | -                                       |
|                |   | 5.000                     | 0.025                         | Т                                   | 315                                     | 365                                     |
| 0.250          | 0.051   | to                        | -                             | М                                   | -                                       | -                                       |
|                |   | 80.000                    | -                             | Н                                   | -                                       | -                                       |

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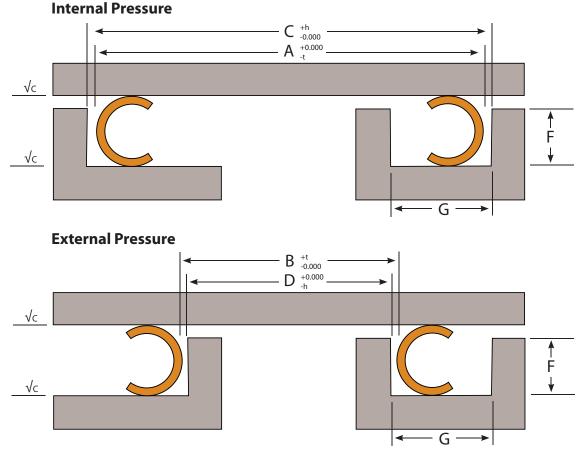
#### **Dimensions in inches**

NOTES:

- 1. PCI = Pounds force per circumferential inch
- 2. Seating Load (Y<sub>2</sub>) is an approximation and may vary based on groove clearance, seal diameter, tolerance and plating thickness. It does not allow for system pressure requirements and should be verified for each application and seal size.
- 3. The customer must verify that system bolts and flanges can generate the required seating load without warping or distorting.
- 4. The customer must test and verify that the seal design meets customer designated performance requirements.



# SEAL AND GROOVE DIMENSIONS



# **Seal and Groove Sizing Calculations**

The equations below can be used for basic groove calculations. Applications that have significant thermal expansion may require additional clearance. Please contact Applications Engineering for design assistance.

### **Determining Seal Diameter:**

| <u>Internal</u> |  |
|-----------------|--|
| A = C-X-2Pmax   |  |

 $\frac{\text{External}}{\text{B} = \text{D} + \text{X} + 2\text{Pmax}}$ 

### **Determining Groove Diameter:**

 $\frac{\text{Internal}}{C = A + X + 2Pmax}$ 

 $\frac{\text{External}}{\text{D} = \text{B} - \text{X} - 2\text{Pmax}}$ 

### Tolerancing: See chart

|        | -      |                                      |
|--------|--------|--------------------------------------|
| Where: | A =    | Seal Outer Diameter                  |
|        | B =    | Seal Inner Diameter                  |
|        | C =    | Groove Outer Diameter                |
|        | D =    | Groove Inner Diameter                |
|        | Pmax = | Maximum Plating or Coating Thickness |

X = Diametrical Clearance

### **Groove Finish** $\sqrt{c:}$ See Plating/Coating Section



|                | SEAL                | GROOVE                        |                      |                             |  |  |  |
|----------------|---------------------|-------------------------------|----------------------|-----------------------------|--|--|--|
| Free<br>Height | Seal Diameter Range | Diametrical<br>Clearance<br>x | Groove<br>Depth<br>F | Groove<br>Width (Min.)<br>G |  |  |  |
| 0.047          | 0.250 to 4.000      | 0.006                         | 0.038 ±0.001         | 0.055                       |  |  |  |
| 0.063          | 0.300 to 6.000      | 0.007                         | 0.050 ±0.001         | 0.075                       |  |  |  |
| 0.094          | 0.400 to 16.000     | 0.008                         | 0.074 ±0.002         | 0.105                       |  |  |  |
| 0.125          | 1.000 to 25.000     | 0.012                         | 0.100 ±0.002         | 0.135                       |  |  |  |
| 0.157          | 1.250 to 30.000     | 0.016                         | 0.127 ±0.002         | 0.170                       |  |  |  |
| 0.188          | 2.000 to 40.000     | 0.018                         | 0.151 ±0.002         | 0.200                       |  |  |  |
| 0.250          | 4.000 to 50.000     | 0.020                         | 0.200 ±0.003         | 0.260                       |  |  |  |

# **Seal and Groove Dimensions**

**Dimensions in inches** 

NOTE: Contact Applications Engineering for additional sizes.

| Seal Diameter Range | Seal<br>Tolerance<br>t | Groove<br>Tolerance<br>h |
|---------------------|------------------------|--------------------------|
| 0.250 to 0.999      | 0.002                  | 0.001                    |
| 1.000 to 1.999      | 0.002                  | 0.002                    |
| 2.000 to 2.999      | 0.003                  | 0.003                    |
| 3.000 to 3.999      | 0.003                  | 0.003                    |
| 4.000 to 4.999      | 0.004                  | 0.004                    |
| 5.000 to 6.999      | 0.006                  | 0.006                    |
| 7.000 to 9.999      | 0.007                  | 0.007                    |
| 10.000 to 14.999    | 0.012                  | 0.012                    |
| 15.000 to 19.999    | 0.015                  | 0.015                    |
| 20.000 +            | Contact Applica        | tions Engineering        |

# Tolerances

**Dimensions in inches** 

# **Shaped Seals**

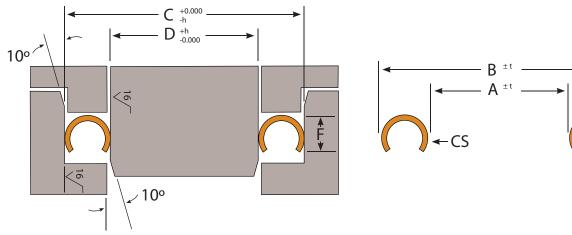
C-Flex<sup>™</sup> seals can be made in a variety of shapes and sizes. Typical Internal and External pressure seals can be formed into racetrack, square, triangular and rectangular shapes. Contact Applications Engineering for more information regarding shaped seal capabilities.

| Minimum Corner Radii for Shaped C-Flex™ Seals   |       |       |       |       |       |       |  |  |
|---|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|--|--|
| Cross Section         0.063         0.094         0.125         0.157         0.188         0.250 |       |       |       |       |       |       |  |  |
| Minimum Inner Radius  | 0.375 | 0.565 | 1.000 | 2.000 | 3.000 | 4.000 |  |  |
| Dimensions in inches  |       |       |       |       |       |       |  |  |

**Dimensions in inches** 



# AXIAL PRESSURE APPLICATIONS



Cavity Finish ≤ 16 RMS

| SEAL                   |   |                     |                               |                      |                        | CAVITY DIMENSIONS |                   |                          |                            |  |
|------------------------|---|---------------------|-------------------------------|----------------------|------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|--------------------------|----------------------------|--|
| Cross<br>Section<br>CS | Material<br>Thickness<br>(Prior to Forming) | Seal<br>ID<br>Range | Axial<br>Length<br>(Max. Ref) | Axial<br>Load<br>PCI | Seal<br>Tolerance<br>t | Cavity<br>OD<br>C | Cavity<br>ID<br>D | Cavity<br>Tolerance<br>h | Cavity<br>Depth<br>F (Min) | Cavity OD/ID<br>Eccentricity<br>(Max.) |
|                        | 0.008                                       | 0.375 to 1.249      | 0.050                         | 110                  | 0.001                  | B - 0.003         | A + 0.003         | 0.001                    | 0.075                      | 0.0005                                 |
| 0.063                  | 0.008                                       | 1.250 to 2.500      | 0.050                         | 110                  | 0.001                  | B - 0.004         | A + 0.004         | 0.001                    | 0.075                      | 0.0005                                 |
| 0.005                  | 0.010                                       | 0.375 to 1.249      | 0.050                         | 130                  | 0.001                  | B - 0.003         | A + 0.003         | 0.001                    | 0.075                      | 0.0005                                 |
|                        | 0.010                                       | 1.250 to 2.500      | 0.050                         | 130                  | 0.001                  | B - 0.004         | A + 0.004         | 0.001                    | 0.075                      | 0.0005                                 |
|                        | 0.010                                       | 0.500 to 1.249      | 0.075                         | 80                   | 0.001                  | B - 0.003         | A + 0.003         | 0.001                    | 0.105                      | 0.0010                                 |
| 0.004                  | 0.010                                       | 1.250 to 3.000      | 0.075                         | 80                   | 0.001                  | B - 0.004         | A + 0.004         | 0.001                    | 0.105                      | 0.0010                                 |
| 0.094                  | 0.015                                       | 0.500 to 1.249      | 0.075                         | 190                  | 0.001                  | B - 0.003         | A + 0.003         | 0.001                    | 0.105                      | 0.0010                                 |
|                        | 0.015                                       | 1.250 to 3.000      | 0.075                         | 190                  | 0.001                  | B - 0.004         | A + 0.004         | 0.001                    | 0.105                      | 0.0010                                 |
|                        | 0.015                                       | 0.750 to 2.499      | 0.100                         | 165                  | 0.001                  | B - 0.003         | A + 0.003         | 0.001                    | 0.135                      | 0.0010                                 |
|                        | 0.015                                       | 2.500 to 8.000      | 0.100                         | 165                  | 0.002                  | B - 0.006         | A + 0.006         | 0.002                    | 0.135                      | 0.0010                                 |
| 0.125                  | 0.020                                       | 0.750 to 2.499      | 0.100                         | 210                  | 0.001                  | B - 0.003         | A + 0.003         | 0.001                    | 0.135                      | 0.0010                                 |
|                        | 0.020                                       | 2.500 to 8.000      | 0.100                         | 210                  | 0.002                  | B - 0.006         | A + 0.006         | 0.002                    | 0.135                      | 0.0010                                 |
|                        | 0.015                                       | 2.000 to 5.999      | 0.125                         | 240                  | 0.002                  | B - 0.006         | A + 0.006         | 0.002                    | 0.170                      | 0.0015                                 |
|                        | 0.015                                       | 6.000 to 10.000     | 0.125                         | 240                  | 0.002                  | B - 0.007         | A + 0.007         | 0.002                    | 0.170                      | 0.0015                                 |
| 0.157                  | 0.025                                       | 2.000 to 5.999      | 0.125                         | 360                  | 0.002                  | B - 0.006         | A + 0.006         | 0.002                    | 0.170                      | 0.0015                                 |
|                        | 0.025                                       | 6.000 to 10.000     | 0.125                         | 360                  | 0.002                  | B - 0.007         | A + 0.007         | 0.002                    | 0.170                      | 0.0015                                 |
|                        | 0.020                                       | 3.000 to 5.999      | 0.150                         | 280                  | 0.002                  | B - 0.007         | A + 0.007         | 0.002                    | 0.200                      | 0.0015                                 |
| 0.188                  | 0.020                                       | 6.000 to 10.000     | 0.150                         | 280                  | 0.002                  | B - 0.008         | A + 0.008         | 0.002                    | 0.200                      | 0.0015                                 |
|                        | 0.025                                       | 4.000 to 6.499      | 0.200                         | 360                  | 0.002                  | B - 0.008         | A + 0.008         | 0.002                    | 0.260                      | 0.0015                                 |
| 0.250                  | 0.025                                       | 6.500 to 10.000     | 0.200                         | 360                  | 0.002                  | B - 0.009         | A + 0.009         | 0.002                    | 0.260                      | 0.0015                                 |

### **Dimensions in inches**

NOTES:

1. PCI = Pounds force per circumferencial inch

2. Axial load is an approximate value. Actual value will vary based on diameter, interferences, friction coefficients, finish, platings, lubrication, etc.

3. Load values are for Alloy 718 at 70°F

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| Is This a New Design?                            | ĺ                 | ⊒ Yes        | 🖵 No          | Are Modifications Possible?            |                      | □ Yes         | 🗆 No       |
| Drawing or Sketch Attached?                      |                   | ⊒ Yes        | D No          | What is the Seal Type?                 |                      | Shaped        | Circular   |
| SERVICE CONDITION                                | S:                |              |               |  |                      |               |            |
| Media:   |                   |              |               | Life Expectancy:                       |                      |               |            |
| Working Temperature:                             |                   |              |               | Max/Proof Pressure:                    |                      | @ Temp        | . =        |
| Working Pressure:                                |                   |              |               | Max Temperature:                       |                      | @ Pressure    | 9 =        |
| Pressure Direction:<br>(Internal/External/Axial) |                   |              |               | Target Sealing Level:                  | Helium:              |               | Std.cc/sec |
| Pressure Cycles:                                 |                   |              |               |  | Flow Rate:           |               | cc/minute  |
| Temperature Cycles:                              |                   |              |               |  | Other:               |               |            |
| FLANGE DETAILS:                                  | (Please F         | Provide Dra  | iwing)        |  |                      |               |            |
| Amount of Flange Movment i                       | in Service: (Inch | es)          | Rac           | lial: Axia                             | al:                  | #Cycle        | es:        |
| Material:  |                   |              |               | Thicknes                               | s:                   |               |            |
| Groove / Counter Bore:                           | Р                 | lease list d | imensions in  | Groove Details section                 |                      |               |            |
| ANSI Raised Face                                 | Size:             |              | # Rati        | ng: Face                               | Surface Finisl       | h:            | (RMS)      |
| Flange(s) with Clamping S                        | System: (ISO,I    | ≺F, etc)     |               | Standard:                              | Size                 | e:            | _          |
| Other:   | Description:      |              |               |  | (Please Pro          | vide Drawing) |            |
| GROOVE DETAILS:                                  | (Please Pro       | vide Drawir  | ng)           |  |                      |               |            |
| Type (Rectangular, Dovetail,                     | etc.):            |              |               |  |                      |               |            |
| Outer Diameter:                                  |                   | Tolerand     | ce:           | Depth:                                 | Tolerance:           |               |            |
| Inner Diameter:                                  |                   | Tolerand     | ce:           | Finish (RMS)                           | —<br>Type:           |               | _          |
|  |                   |              |               | Finish Type: lathe (circular), endmill | (multi-directional), | other         | _          |
| BOLTING DETAILS:                                 | (Please Pro       | uido Drowi   |               |  |                      |               |            |
|  | (Flease FIU       |              | ig)           | Type / Crade:                          |                      |               |            |
| Size:  |                   |              |               | Type / Grade:                          |                      |               |            |
| Number:  | Bolt Circle       |              |               | Tapped / Through:                      |                      |               |            |
| OTHER:   |                   |              |               |  |                      |               |            |
| Special coating / plating special                | cification        |              |               |  |                      |               |            |
| Special quality / inspection s                   |                   |              |               |  |                      |               |            |
| Other:   | pecinications.    |              |               |  |                      |               |            |
| Guidt.   |                   |              |               |  |                      |               |            |
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# **Sealing Concept**

E-Flex<sup>™</sup> Metal E-rings are designed to have low load, high spring back performance for high pressure/temperature applications. In service, the E-Flex<sup>™</sup> is pressure energized by the system which increases the contact stress and further minimizes leakage. The E-Flex<sup>™</sup> geometry can be designed to meet the requirements for each unique application and can be manufactured in a wide range of



sizes. Typical markets for E-Flex<sup>™</sup> seals include Aerospace, Land Based Turbines, and Automotive.



The standard E-Flex<sup>™</sup> design exhibits improved spring back and reduced load compared to C-Rings.

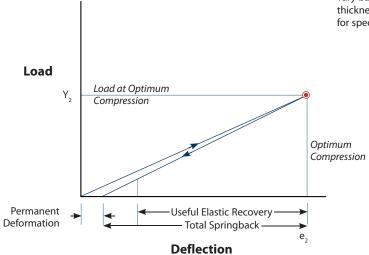
# The Super E-Flex<sup>™</sup> is designed to have less stress during installation. These seals typically have less load than the traditional E-Flex<sup>™</sup> seals and have nearly 100% spring back at room tem-

# **Multi-convolution**



These seals are designed with extra convolutions and special geometry for applications that require maximum spring back in service.





# E-Flex<sup>™</sup> Characteristic Curve

NOTE: Actual spring back and load will vary based on material, geometry, and wall thickness. Please check characteristic chart for specific information.

### **Material Selection**

| Material   | Status   | Temperature | Heat Treatment  |
|------------|----------|-------------|---|
| Alloy X750 | Optional | T < 1,100°F | Solution heat treat and precipitation harden per AMS5598            |
| Alloy 718  | Standard | T < 1,200°F | Solution heat treat and precipitation harden per AMS5596            |
| Waspaloy   | Optional | T < 1,350°F | Solution heat treat, stabilize and precipitation harden per AMS5544 |

### **Coatings and Platings**

| Туре                    | Description  |
|-------------------------|--|
| Tribological<br>Coating | An HVOC tribaloy coating ideal for applications exhibit-<br>ing high wear patterns.  |
| Silver Plating          | Not recommended for most applications. The E-Flex seal does not generate enough load to plastically deform the silver plating. |
| Custom                  | Please contact Applications Engineering for special or custom coating requests.  |



| E-Flex™<br>Type         | Free<br>Height | Material<br>Thickness | Seal<br>Diameter | Seating Load<br>(PCI)<br>Y <sub>2</sub> | Installation<br>Springback | Installation<br>Compression<br>e <sub>2</sub> |
|-------------------------|----------------|-----------------------|------------------|---|----------------------------|---|
|                         | 0.075          | 0.006                 | 0.625<br>6.000   | 42<br>28                                | 0.009<br>0.011             | 0.013   |
|                         | 0.098          | 0.008                 | 0.625<br>8.000   | 104<br>64                               | 0.013<br>0.014             | 0.021   |
|                         | 0.102          | 0.010                 | 0.625<br>8.000   | 92<br>56                                | 0.011<br>0.013             | 0.015   |
|                         | 0.132          | 0.008                 | 1.250<br>24.000  | 32<br>16                                | 0.013<br>0.014             | 0.014   |
| E-FLEX™                 | 0.132          | 0.015                 | 1.250<br>24.000  | 50<br>28                                | 0.013<br>0.014             | 0.014   |
|                         | 0.218          | 0.015                 | 3.375<br>40.000  | 93<br>78                                | 0.026<br>0.031             | 0.037   |
|                         | 0.243          | 0.010                 | 6.000<br>40.000  | 12<br>11                                | 0.072<br>0.073             | 0.073   |
|                         | 0.295          | 0.020                 | 6.000<br>60.000  | 83<br>69                                | 0.046<br>0.047             | 0.048   |
|                         | 0.375          | 0.020                 | 8.000<br>60.000  | 55<br>44                                | 0.062<br>0.062             | 0.062   |
|                         | 0.108          | 0.0095                | 0.950<br>40.000  | 38<br>28                                | 0.015<br>0.021             | 0.021   |
| Super<br>E-FLEX™        | 0.140          | 0.010                 | 1.750<br>40.000  | 24<br>14                                | 0.022<br>0.022             | 0.022   |
|                         | 0.140          | 0.012                 | 1.750<br>40.000  | 41<br>24                                | 0.021<br>0.022             | 0.022   |
|                         | 0.209          | 0.007                 | 25.000           | 30                                      | 0.040                      | 0.048   |
|                         | 0.230          | 0.008                 | 25.000           | 30                                      | 0.065                      | 0.065   |
| Multiple<br>Convolution | 0.243          | 0.010                 | 25.000           | 46                                      | 0.046                      | 0.057   |
| E-FLEX™                 | 0.263          | 0.006                 | 25.000           | 29                                      | 0.062                      | 0.068   |
|                         | 0.286          | 0.010                 | 25.000           | 25                                      | 0.061                      | 0.061   |
|                         | 0.300          | 0.010                 | 25.000           | 55                                      | 0.041                      | 0.055   |

### E-Flex<sup>™</sup> Characteristics For Alloy 718 Material At 70°F

### **Dimensions in inches**

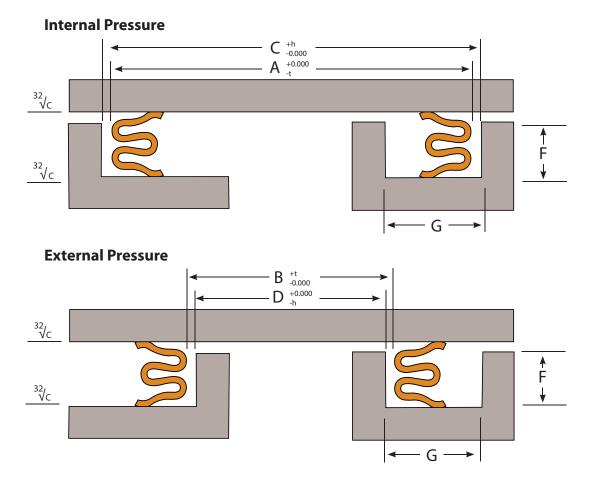
NOTES:

- 1. PCI = Pounds force per circumferential inch
- Seating load (Y<sub>2</sub>) is an approximation and may vary based on groove clearance, seal diameter, tolerance and coating thickness. It does not allow for system pressure requirements and should be verified for each application and seal size.
- 3. The customer must verify that system bolts and flanges can generate the required seating load without warping or distorting.
- 4. The customer must test and verify that the seal design meets customer designated performance requirements.

Other materials: Please contact Applications Engineering. Anti-Wear Coatings: Please contact Applications Engineering.



# SEAL AND GROOVE DIMENSIONS



## **Seal and Groove Sizing Calcuations**

The equations below can be used for basic groove calculations. Applications that have significant thermal expansion may require additional clearance. Please contact Applications Engineering for design assistance.

### **Determining Seal Diameter:**

| <u>Internal</u> | <u>External</u>   |
|-----------------|-------------------|
| A = C-X-2Pmax   | B = D + X + 2Pmax |

### **Determining Groove Diameter:**

 $\frac{\text{Internal}}{C = A + X + 2Pmax}$ 

 $\frac{\text{External}}{\text{D} = \text{B} - \text{X} - 2\text{Pmax}}$ 

### Tolerancing: See chart

| Where: | A =    | Seal Outer Diameter                  |
|--------|--------|--------------------------------------|
|        | B =    | Seal Inner Diameter                  |
|        | C =    | Groove Outer Diameter                |
|        | D =    | Groove Inner Diameter                |
|        | Pmax = | Maximum Plating or Coating Thickness |
|        | x =    | Diametrical clearance                |

# E-FLEX Metal E-Rings

# Seal and Groove Dimensions

| SEAL                   |                       |                    |                 |                        | GROOVE DIMENSIONS                            |       |                   |                         |             |
|------------------------|-----------------------|--------------------|-----------------|------------------------|--|-------|-------------------|-------------------------|-------------|
| E-Flex™<br>Type        | Type Height Thickness |                    | Radial<br>Width | Internal A<br>Diameter | External B Diametrical<br>Diameter Clearance |       | Groove<br>Depth   | Groove Width<br>(Min) G |             |
| iypc                   | licigite              | (Prior to Forming) | (Max. Ref.)     | Range                  | Range  | Х     | F                 | Int. Press.             | Ext. Press. |
|                        | 0.075                 | 0.006              | 0.066           | 1.360 to 6.000         | 1.200 to 6.000                               | 0.003 | $0.062 \pm 0.001$ | 0.090                   | 0.090       |
|                        | 0.098                 | 0.008              | 0.083           | 2.000 to 10.000        | 1.200 to 10.000                              | 0.003 | $0.077 \pm 0.002$ | 0.110                   | 0.110       |
|                        | 0.102                 | 0.010              | 0.091           | 2.000 to 10.000        | 1.200 to 10.000                              | 0.003 | $0.087\pm0.001$   | 0.115                   | 0.115       |
|                        | 0.132                 | 0.008              | 0.120           | 1.360 to 13.000        | 2.500 to 13.000                              | 0.003 | 0.118 ± 0.002     | 0.145                   | 0.145       |
| E-FLEX™                | 0.132                 | 0.015              | 0.120           | 1.360 to 13.000        | 2.500 to 13.000                              | 0.003 | $0.118 \pm 0.002$ | 0.145                   | 0.145       |
|                        | 0.218                 | 0.015              | 0.190           | 2.600 to 13.000        | 2.600 to 13.000                              | 0.005 | $0.181 \pm 0.002$ | 0.210                   | 0.220       |
|                        | 0.243                 | 0.010              | 0.260           | 6.000 to 40.000        | 6.000 to 40.000                              | 0.005 | $0.170 \pm 0.003$ | 0.300                   | 0.320       |
|                        | 0.295                 | 0.020              | 0.266           | 6.000 to 60.000        | 6.000 to 60.000                              | 0.005 | $0.247 \pm 0.003$ | 0.315                   | 0.335       |
|                        | 0.375                 | 0.020              | 0.340           | 8.000 to 60.000        | 8.000 to 60.000                              | 0.005 | $0.313 \pm 0.003$ | 0.405                   | 0.425       |
|                        | 0.108                 | 0.0095             | 0.145           | 2.000 to 13.000        | 2.500 to 13.000                              | 0.003 | $0.087\pm0.002$   | 0.170                   | 0.180       |
| Super<br>E-FLEX™       | 0.140                 | 0.010              | 0.194           | 2.500 to 13.000        | 2.500 to 13.000                              | 0.005 | $0.118\pm0.002$   | 0.220                   | 0.250       |
|                        | 0.140                 | 0.012              | 0.194           | 2.500 to 13.000        | 2.500 to 13.000                              | 0.005 | $0.118\pm0.002$   | 0.220                   | 0.250       |
|                        | 0.209                 | 0.007              | 0.116           | 10.000 to 40.000       | 10.000 to 40.000                             | 0.003 | 0.199 / 0.166     | 0.180                   | 0.180       |
|                        | 0.230                 | 0.008              | 0.184           | 10.000 to 40.000       | 10.000 to 40.000                             | 0.003 | 0.210 / 0.170     | 0.255                   | 0.255       |
| Multiple               | 0.243                 | 0.010              | 0.150           | 10.000 to 60.000       | 10.000 to 60.000                             | 0.003 | 0.231 / 0.191     | 0.220                   | 0.220       |
| Convolution<br>E-FLEX™ | 0.263                 | 0.006              | 0.150           | 10.000 to 40.000       | 10.000 to 40.000                             | 0.003 | 0.248 / 0.200     | 0.220                   | 0.220       |
|                        | 0.286                 | 0.010              | 0.200           | 10.000 to 40.000       | 10.000 to 40.000                             | 0.003 | 0.270 / 0.230     | 0.270                   | 0.270       |
|                        | 0.300                 | 0.010              | 0.150           | 10.000 to 60.000       | 10.000 to 60.000                             | 0.003 | 0.285 / 0.245     | 0.220                   | 0.220       |

### Dimensions in inches

NOTE: Contact Applications Engineering for additional sizes.

### Tolerances

|                           | E-FLEX™                    |                          | Super E                    | Super E-FLEX™            |                            | Multiple<br>Convolution E-FLEX™ |  |
|---------------------------|----------------------------|--------------------------|----------------------------|--------------------------|----------------------------|---------------------------------|--|
| Seal<br>Diameter<br>Range | Groove<br>Tolerance<br>"h" | Seal<br>Tolerance<br>"t" | Groove<br>Tolerance<br>"h" | Seal<br>Tolerance<br>"t" | Groove<br>Tolerance<br>"h" | Seal<br>Tolerance<br>"t"        |  |
| 1.000 to 1.999            | 0.002                      | 0.003                    | 0.002                      | 0.004                    | -                          | -                               |  |
| 2.000 to 2.999            | 0.002                      | 0.004                    | 0.003                      | 0.006                    | -                          | -                               |  |
| 3.000 to 3.999            | 0.003                      | 0.005                    | 0.004                      | 0.008                    | -                          | -                               |  |
| 4.000 to 4.999            | 0.003                      | 0.006                    | 0.004                      | 0.008                    | -                          | -                               |  |
| 5.000 to 5.999            | 0.003                      | 0.006                    | 0.005                      | 0.010                    | -                          | -                               |  |
| 6.000 to 6.999            | 0.004                      | 0.007                    | 0.006                      | 0.012                    | -                          | -                               |  |
| 7.000 to 7.999            | 0.004                      | 0.008                    | 0.007                      | 0.014                    | -                          | -                               |  |
| 8.000 to 8.999            | 0.005                      | 0.009                    | 0.008                      | 0.016                    | -                          | -                               |  |
| 9.000 to 9.999            | 0.005                      | 0.010                    | 0.009                      | 0.018                    | -                          | -                               |  |
| 10.000 to 10.99           | 0.005                      | 0.010                    | 0.010                      | 0.020                    | 0.005                      | 0.010                           |  |
| 11.000 to 11.999          | 0.006                      | 0.011                    | 0.010                      | 0.020                    | 0.006                      | 0.011                           |  |
| 12.000 to 12.999          | 0.006                      | 0.012                    | 0.010                      | 0.020                    | 0.006                      | 0.012                           |  |
| 13.000 to 13.999          | 0.007                      | 0.013                    | 0.010                      | 0.020                    | 0.007                      | 0.013                           |  |
| 14.000 +                  |                            | Co                       | ontact Applicat            | ions Engineeri           | ng                         |                                 |  |

### **Dimensions in inches**

# E-FLEX<sup>™</sup> Metal E-Rings

|               |                       |              | SEAL DIMENSIONS |          |  |                |  |
|---------------|-----------------------|--------------|-----------------|----------|--|----------------|--|
| Part Number   | AS1895/7<br>Reference | Duct<br>Size | OD              | ID (Ref) | Out of<br>Roundness of<br>Outer Diameter | Free<br>Height |  |
| E-800128 -100 | AS1895/7 -100         | 1.00         | 1.249<br>1.245  | 0.958    | 0.040<br>0.020                           | 0.113<br>0.103 |  |
| E-800128 -125 | AS1895/7 -125         | 1.25         | 1.499<br>1.495  | 1.208    | 0.040<br>0.020                           | 0.113<br>0.103 |  |
| E-800128 -150 | AS1895/7 -150         | 1.50         | 1.749<br>1.745  | 1.458    | 0.040<br>0.020                           | 0.113<br>0.103 |  |
| E-800128 -175 | AS1895/7 -175         | 1.75         | 1.999<br>1.995  | 1.708    | 0.040<br>0.020                           | 0.113<br>0.103 |  |
| E-800128 -200 | AS1895/7 -200         | 2.00         | 2.249<br>2.245  | 1.958    | 0.040<br>0.020                           | 0.113<br>0.103 |  |
| E-800128 -225 | AS1895/7 -225         | 2.25         | 2.499<br>2.493  | 2.208    | 0.040<br>0.020                           | 0.113<br>0.103 |  |
| E-800128 -250 | AS1895/7 -250         | 2.50         | 2.749<br>2.743  | 2.458    | 0.040<br>0.020                           | 0.113<br>0.103 |  |
| E-800128 -275 | AS1895/7 -275         | 2.75         | 2.999<br>2.993  | 2.708    | 0.040<br>0.020                           | 0.113<br>0.103 |  |
| E-800128 -300 | AS1895/7 -300         | 3.00         | 3.249<br>3.243  | 2.958    | 0.040<br>0.020                           | 0.113<br>0.103 |  |
| E-800128 -325 | AS1895/7 -325         | 3.25         | 3.499<br>3.491  | 3.208    | 0.040<br>0.020                           | 0.113<br>0.103 |  |
| E-800128 -350 | AS1895/7 -350         | 3.50         | 3.749<br>3.741  | 3.458    | 0.050<br>0.030                           | 0.113<br>0.103 |  |
| E-800128 -400 | AS1895/7 -400         | 4.00         | 4.249<br>4.241  | 3.958    | 0.050<br>0.030                           | 0.113<br>0.103 |  |
| E-800128 -450 | AS1895/7 -450         | 4.50         | 4.749<br>4.739  | 4.458    | 0.050<br>0.030                           | 0.113<br>0.103 |  |
| E-800128 -500 | AS1895/7 -500         | 5.00         | 5.249<br>5.239  | 4.958    | 0.060<br>0.040                           | 0.113<br>0.103 |  |
| E-800128 -550 | AS1895/7 -550         | 5.50         | 5.749<br>5.737  | 5.458    | 0.060<br>0.040                           | 0.113<br>0.103 |  |
| E-800128 -600 | AS1895/7 -600         | 6.00         | 6.249<br>6.237  | 5.958    | 0.060<br>0.040                           | 0.113<br>0.103 |  |
| E-800128 -650 | AS1895/7 -650         | 6.50         | 6.749<br>6.735  | 6.458    | 0.065<br>0.045                           | 0.113<br>0.103 |  |
| E-800128 -700 | AS1895/7 -700         | 7.00         | 7.249<br>7.235  | 6.958    | 0.065<br>0.045                           | 0.113<br>0.103 |  |
| E-800128 -750 | AS1895/7 -750         | 7.50         | 7.749<br>7.733  | 7.458    | 0.065<br>0.045                           | 0.113<br>0.103 |  |

<u>NOTE:</u> Material: Alloy 718 per AMS 5596 Heat Treatment: Solution heat treated and precipitation hardened per AMS 5596 in inert atmosphere.

# Garlock Helicoflex<sup>®</sup> PERFORMANCE METAL SEALS

# **HELICOFLEX DATA SHEET**

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|--------------------------------|----------------|-------------|----------------|--|------------------|---------------|------------|
| CONTACT:                       |                |             |                | FAX:                                   |                  |               |            |
| ADDRESS:                       |                |             |                | E-MAIL:                                |                  |               |            |
|                                |                |             |                | DATE:                                  |                  |               |            |
| APPLICATION: (please           | e attach custo | omer draw   | ing / sketch)  |  |                  |               |            |
| Brief Description:             |                |             | ing / enotein) |  |                  |               |            |
|                                |                |             |                |  |                  |               |            |
| Annual quantities:             |                |             |                | RFQ Quantities:                        |                  |               |            |
| Is This a New Design?          |                | ⊒ Yes       | □ No           | Are Modifications Possible?            |                  | □ Yes         | □ No       |
| Drawing or Sketch Attached?    | ?              | ⊒ Yes       | 🗆 No           | What is the Seal Type?                 |                  | Shaped        | Circular   |
| SERVICE CONDITION              | S:             |             |                |  |                  |               |            |
| Media:                         |                |             |                | Life Expectancy:                       |                  |               |            |
| Working Temperature:           |                |             |                | Max/Proof Pressure:                    |                  | @ Temp        | . =        |
| Working Pressure:              |                |             |                | Max Temperature:                       |                  | @ Pressure    | e =        |
|                                |                |             |                | Target Sealing Level:                  | Helium:          |               | Std.cc/sec |
| Pressure Cycles:               |                |             |                |  | Flow Rate:       |               | cc/minute  |
| Temperature Cycles:            |                |             |                |  | Other:           |               |            |
| FLANGE DETAILS:                | (Please F      | Provide Dra | awina)         |  |                  |               |            |
| Amount of Flange Movment       |                |             | Rad            | lial: Axia                             | al:              | #Cycle        | 25.        |
| Material:                      |                |             |                | Thicknes                               |                  |               |            |
| Groove / Counter Bore:         | P              | ease list d | imensions in   | Groove Details section                 |                  |               |            |
| ANSI Raised Face               | Size:          |             | # Rati         |  | Surface Finis    | h:            | (RMS)      |
| Flange(s) with Clamping :      | System: (ISO,I | (F, etc)    |                | Standard:                              | Siz              | e:            | `          |
| □ Other:                       | Description:   |             |                |  | —<br>(Please Pro | vide Drawing) |            |
| GROOVE DETAILS:                | (Please Pro    | /ide Drawii | na)            |  |                  |               |            |
| Type (Rectangular, Dovetail,   |                |             |                |  |                  |               |            |
| Outer Diameter:                |                | Toleran     |                | Depth:                                 | Tolerance:       |               |            |
| Inner Diameter:                |                | Toleran     |                | Finish (RMS)                           | <br>Туре:        |               |            |
|                                |                | TOIETAIN    |                | Finish Type: lathe (circular), endmill | _                | other         |            |
|                                |                |             |                | r mish type. lattle (circular), endmin |                  |               |            |
|                                |                |             |                |  |                  |               |            |
| Size:                          | -              |             |                | Type / Grade:                          |                  |               |            |
| Number:                        | Bolt Circle    |             |                | Tapped / Through:                      |                  |               |            |
| OTHER:                         |                |             |                |  |                  |               |            |
| Special coating / plating spe  | cification:    |             |                |  |                  |               |            |
| Special quality / inspection s |                |             |                |  |                  |               |            |
|                                |                |             |                |  |                  |               |            |
| Other:                         |                |             |                |  |                  |               |            |
|                                |                |             |                |  |                  |               |            |
|                                |                |             |                |  |                  |               |            |



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# NUCLEAR Nuclear Reactor Pressure Vessel Seals

# **Sealing Concept**

Garlock Helicoflex is the world's leading manufacturer of Nuclear Reactor Pressure Vessel (RPV) Closure Head Seals. In addition, Garlock Helicoflex sealing technology is used extensively as primary seals on spent fuel storage and transportation casks.

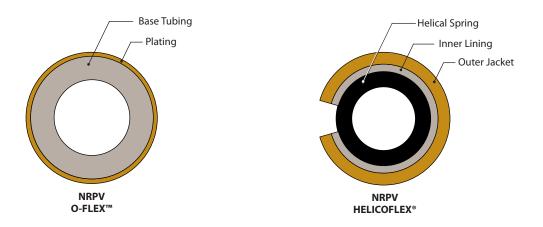


# **O-FLEX™ Metal O-Rings**

The O-Flex<sup>™</sup> is manufactured of Alloy 718 or Stainless Steel 304 tubing. Alloy 718 is the most common and preferred material because it offers optimum strength, spring back and resistance to radiation and corrosion. The base tubing is plated with pure (99.95%) silver. This combination of elastic core (tubing) with deformable plastic layer (silver) provides durable sealing for traditional Nuclear Reactor Pressure Vessels.

# **HELICOFLEX®** Spring Energized Seals

The Helicoflex<sup>®</sup> seal is a high performance, flexible, metal seal that has exceptional compression and elastic recovery properties. The Helicoflex seal is composed of a close-wound helical spring surrounded by two metal jackets. The spring is selected to have a specific compression resistance. During compression, the resulting specific pressure forces the jacket to yield and fill the flange imperfections while ensuring positive contact with the flange sealing faces. Each coil of the helical spring acts independently and allows the seal to conform to surface irregularities on the flange surface. This combination of elasticity and plasticity makes the Helicoflex seal the best choice for ageing reactors.



# NUCLEAR Nuclear Reactor Pressure Vessel Seals

TYPICAL SEAL APPLICATIONS

# **RPV Closure Head Seals**

These seals are the primary seal for the reactor pressure vessel. Typically, the seals are used in tandem with an inner and outer seal for redundancy. The seals are positioned in the reactor pressure vessel head with clips and screws for easy installation and assembly.

# **Control Rod Drive (CRD) Seals**

PTFE coated O-Flex<sup>™</sup> seals for CRD mechanisms.

# **Spent Fuel Casks**

Primary seals for casks used in the storage and transportation of spent fuel assemblies.

# **Other Applications**

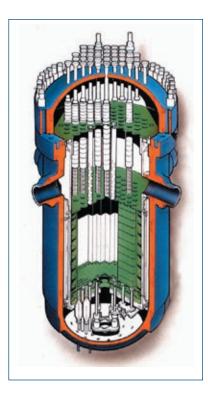
Steam Turbines Primary Loop Valves Waste Heat Systems Steam Pressurizer

# **Reactor Types**

BWR – All Types PWR – All Types Gas Cooled Navy Nuclear

# **QA System Assessment**

ISO 9001:2000 Title 10 CFR 50 Appendix B ANSI / ASME N45.2 Favorable Audits by NUPIC Members ANSI / ASME NQA-1 KTA 1401



# **General Services**

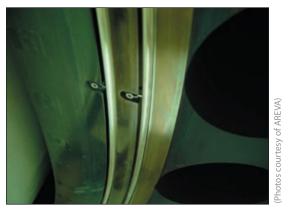
- Global leader for more than 50 years in nuclear RPV seal design and manufacturing. References available.
- RPV seal design and manufacturing for most PWR Nuclear Power Plants (NPP) and all BWR NPPs worldwide and to major NSSS worldwide. References available.
- Spent fuel cask seal design to all major spent fuel (transportation and storage) casks manufacturers worldwide. References available.
- Individual RPV seal design and recommendations for newly built PWR and BWR units.
- Seal and retainer design improvements to meet today's industries requirements of tight outage itineraries and ALARA requirements.
- Qualified and experienced on-site field services to evaluate the cause of numerous RPV seal problems, i.e. for RPV seal leakages, etc.
- Nuclear seal qualification services for new applications.
- Quality Assurance program based on the requirements of 10 CFR 50 Appendix B, ASME, N45.2, ASME Boiler and Pressure Vessel Codes V and IX, NUPIC audited.
- 3<sup>rd</sup> party evaluation available for on-site laser scan & repair of mating surfaces, reactor pressure vessel flange, and pressure vessel closure head grooves.
- NPP field staff training available, i.e. handling, installation, removal of RPV seals.
- Airfreight packaging and crating and airfreight arrangement for quick response transportation (airfreight capability limitation given by seal design).

# **Garlock Helicoflex Emergency Response**

- Emergency response for outage. Spare RPV seals available on demand.
- 24/7 emergency service phone (803) 695-3553 (U.S.A.)
- 24 36 hour worldwide emergency site service available, on request.



**RPV** Closure Lid



RPV O-Flex<sup>™</sup> Seals with installation clips

### **Nuclear RPV Closure Head Seals**

| RPV O-FL       | FY™               |                                  | ALLOY 718 BASE TUBING        |                         |                                  |                               |  |
|----------------|-------------------|----------------------------------|------------------------------|-------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------------|--|
| Free<br>Height | Wall<br>Thickness | Recommended<br>Diameter<br>Range | Seating Load<br>(PCI)<br>Y,* | Installation            | Installation<br>Compression<br>% | Total<br>Springback<br>(Min.) |  |
| 0.375          | 0.038             | 40<br>to                         |                              | 0.030<br>0.037<br>0.045 | 8%<br>10%<br>12%                 | 0.009<br>0.009<br>0.009       |  |
|                |                   | 180                              | 2500                         | <b>0.060</b><br>0.064   | <b>16%</b><br>17%                | <b>0.009</b><br>0.009         |  |
| 0.500          | 0.050             | 120<br>to                        |                              | 0.040<br>0.050<br>0.060 | 8%<br>10%<br>12%                 | 0.015<br>0.015<br>0.015       |  |
|                |                   | >180                             | 2500                         | <b>0.080</b><br>0.085   | <b>16%</b><br>17%                | <b>0.015</b><br>0.015         |  |
| 0.625          | 0.063             | 120<br>to                        |                              | 0.050<br>0.062<br>0.075 | 8%<br>10%<br>12%                 | 0.017<br>0.017<br>0.017       |  |
|                |                   | >180                             | 4000                         | <b>0.100</b><br>0.106   | <b>16%</b><br>17%                | <b>0.017</b><br>0.017         |  |

### **Dimensions in inches**

 $\underline{\text{NOTE:}}\,$  Recommended compression % for NRPV O-FLEX is 16%

\* PCI = Pounds force per Circumferential Inch

| RPV Helicoflex: HN200 |                   |                                  | HIGH TEMPERATURE ALLOY SPRING            |                                   |                                  |                               |  |
|-----------------------|-------------------|----------------------------------|--|-----------------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------------|--|
| Free<br>Height        | Wall<br>Thickness | Recommended<br>Diameter<br>Range | Seating Load<br>(PCI)<br>Y2 <sup>*</sup> | Installation<br>Compression<br>e2 | Installation<br>Compression<br>% | Total<br>Springback<br>(Min.) |  |
|                       |                   | 40                               |  |                                   |                                  |                               |  |
| 0.520                 | N/A               | to                               | 4000                                     | 0.052                             | 10%                              | 0.017                         |  |
|                       |                   | >180                             |  |                                   |                                  |                               |  |

### **Dimensions in inches**



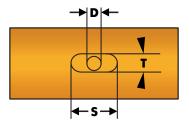
RPV Closure Head Seals are typically held in the pressure vessel head with specially designed clips. Garlock Helicoflex recommends a clip be located at a minimum every 30" of seal circumference. This will ensure that the seal is securely held in place.

# Type I

This clip can only be used with the traditional O-Flex RPV seal. This clip is designed to penetrate either a slot (most common) or a hole in ID of the O-Flex™.

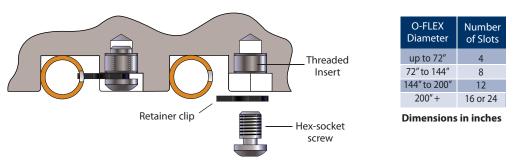
### Type I Clip (O-FLEX Only)

| Free<br>Height | Wall<br>Thickness | Slot<br>Length<br>S | Slot<br>Width<br>T | Hole<br>Diameter<br>D |
|----------------|-------------------|---------------------|--------------------|-----------------------|
| 0.375          | 0.038             | 0.281               | 0.125              | 0.070                 |
| 0.500          | 0.050             | 0.375               | 0.205              | 0.093                 |
| 0.625          | 0.063             | 0.438               | 0.256              | 0.125                 |



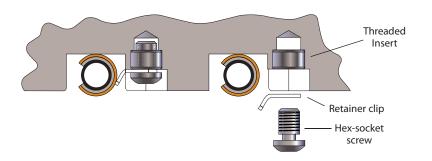
Dimensions in inches

NOTE: Type I clip can be used with a slot or hole (depending on ring design)

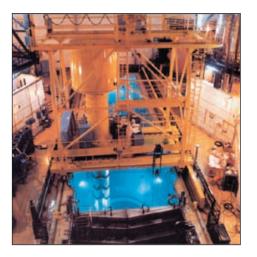


# Type II

This style clip can be used with either the O-Flex<sup>™</sup> or the Helicoflex<sup>®</sup> RPV seals. It is designed to hold the seal to the outer circumference of the groove without having to penetrate the ring through a slot. This makes seal installation easier since the seal does not require special alignment.



# NUCLEAR Nuclear Reactor Pressure Vessel Seals

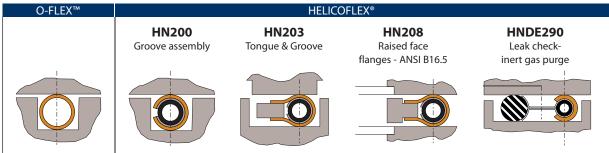


Garlock Helicoflex metal seals offer the performance and flexibility to meet stringent spent fuel cask requirements. The Helicoflex seal in particular can be made in a wide variety of geometries and shapes to meet the demanding requirements of cask designers. Typical seal types are listed below. Please contact Applications Engineering to discuss your cask requirements.

**Typical Cask Seal Locations:** Cask Lid Closures

Fill Ports Drain Ports

# **Typical Configurations**





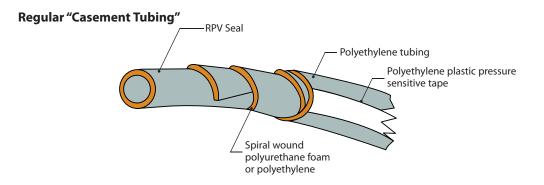
TN-40 Dry Storage Cask



TN-32 Dry Storage Cask

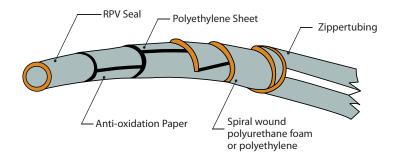
# **RPV Closure Head Seal Packaging**

Garlock Helicoflex offers two styles of protective packaging for RPV seals:



### **Zipper Lock Tubing Packaging**

This is a packaging upgrade that was developed using ALARA minded principles. This packaging is designed to be removed quickly and therefore reduce radiation exposure time during unpacking and installation.



### Shipping

Individually wrapped seals are securely packaged in wooden crates. Special provisions are made for extra protection during overseas shipments. Typically, the crate is transported by way of a specialized drop deck freight carrier. However, some crates may be custom designed for specialty ocean or air freight carriers.



# Garlock Helicoflex® PERFORMANCE METAL SEALS

# **HELICOFLEX DATA SHEET**

Tel: 800-233-1722 Fax: 803-783-4279 E-Mail: sales@helicoflex.com

| COMPANY:   |                       |                              | PHONE:                                 |                           |               |            |
|--|-----------------------|------------------------------|--|---------------------------|---------------|------------|
| CONTACT:   |                       |                              | FAX:                                   |                           |               |            |
| ADDRESS:   |                       |                              | E-MAIL:                                |                           |               |            |
|  |                       |                              | DATE:                                  |                           |               |            |
| APPLICATION: (please                             | attach customer dr    | awing / sketch)              |  |                           |               |            |
| Brief Description:                               |                       |                              |  |                           |               |            |
|  |                       |                              |  |                           |               |            |
| Annual quantities:                               |                       |                              | RFQ Quantities:                        |                           |               |            |
| Is This a New Design?                            | 🗅 Yes                 | 🗅 No                         | Are Modifications Possible?            |                           | 🗅 Yes         | 🗆 No       |
| Drawing or Sketch Attached?                      | 🗅 Yes                 | 🗆 No                         | What is the Seal Type?                 |                           | Shaped        | Circular   |
| SERVICE CONDITION                                | S:                    |                              |  |                           |               |            |
| Media:   |                       |                              | Life Expectancy:                       |                           |               |            |
| Working Temperature:                             |                       |                              | Max/Proof Pressure:                    |                           | @ Temp.       | =          |
| Working Pressure:                                |                       |                              | Max Temperature:                       |                           | @ Pressure    | : =        |
| Pressure Direction:<br>(Internal/External/Axial) |                       |                              | Target Sealing Level:                  | Helium:                   |               | Std.cc/sec |
| Pressure Cycles:                                 |                       |                              |  | Flow Rate:                |               | cc/minute  |
| Temperature Cycles:                              |                       |                              |  | Other:                    |               |            |
| FLANGE DETAILS:                                  | (Please Provide [     | Drawing)                     |  |                           |               |            |
| Amount of Flange Movment in                      | n Service: (Inches)   | Rad                          | lial: Axia                             | al:                       | #Cycle        | S:         |
| Material:  |                       |                              | Thicknes                               | s:                        |               |            |
| Groove / Counter Bore:                           | Please lis            | t dimensions in <sup>,</sup> | Groove Details section                 |                           |               |            |
| ANSI Raised Face                                 | Size:                 | # Ratii                      | ng: Face                               | Surface Finis             | h:            | (RMS)      |
| Flange(s) with Clamping S                        | System: (ISO,KF, etc) |                              | Standard:                              | Siz                       |               | _          |
| Other:   | Description:          |                              |  | (Please Pro               | vide Drawing) |            |
| GROOVE DETAILS:                                  | (Please Provide Dra   | wing)                        |  |                           |               |            |
| Type (Rectangular, Dovetail, e                   | etc.):                |                              |  |                           |               |            |
| Outer Diameter:                                  | Tolera                | ance:                        | Depth:                                 | Tolerance:                |               |            |
| Inner Diameter:                                  | Toler                 | ance:                        | Finish (RMS)                           | Туре:                     |               | —          |
|  |                       |                              | Finish Type: lathe (circular), endmill | —<br>(multi-directional), | other         | _          |
| BOLTING DETAILS:                                 | (Please Provide Dra   | wina)                        |  |                           |               |            |
| Size:  | (Hedder Howas Bra     | wing)                        | Type / Grade:                          |                           |               |            |
| · · ·  |                       |                              | Tapped / Through:                      |                           |               |            |
|  | Bolt Circle           |                              |  |                           |               |            |
| OTHER:   |                       |                              |  |                           |               |            |
| Special coating / plating spec                   | cification:           |                              |  |                           |               |            |
| Special quality / inspection sp                  |                       |                              |  |                           |               |            |
| Other:   |                       |                              |  |                           |               |            |
|  |                       |                              |  |                           |               |            |
|  |                       |                              |  |                           |               |            |
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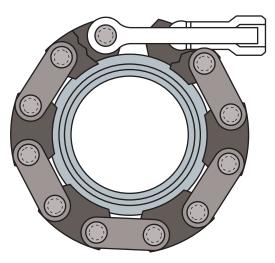
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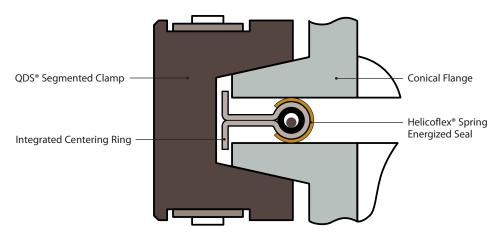
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# QDS<sup>®</sup> Quick Disconnect Systems

# **Sealing Concept**

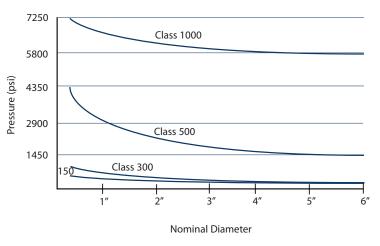
The Quick Disconnect System (QDS<sup>®</sup>) is designed to be assembled and disassembled quickly while offering space saving features. A typical QDS<sup>®</sup> requires less space than a traditional bolted assembly and can be easier to install, especially in tight locations where access to bolts and screws may be difficult. This feature is especially beneficial in radioactive environments where personnel exposure is an issue. The QDS<sup>®</sup> is available for both standard ISO-KF sizes and similar custom sizes for low and medium pressure applications.





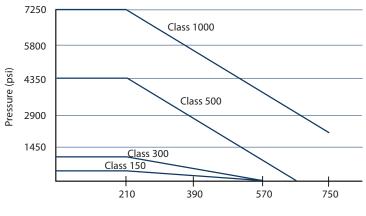
Quick Disconnect System (Section View)

# Pressure Limits x Nominal Diameter (70°F)



NOTE: Hydraulic Pressure

**Pressure Limits x Operating Temperature** 



Temperature (°F)

\* Reference only. Must be adjusted for nominal diameter.

|             | Jacket<br>Material | Class<br>150 | Class<br>300 | Class<br>500 | Class<br>1000 |
|-------------|--------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|---------------|
|             | Aluminum           | 0            | 0            | 0            | 0             |
| Helicoflex® | Silver             | Х            | 0            | 0            | 0             |
| HL290P      | Copper             | Х            | Х            | 0            | 0             |
|             | Nickel             | Х            | Х            | 0            | 0             |
|             | Stainless Steel    | Х            | Х            | 0            | 0             |
|             | Aluminum           | 0            | 0            | 0            | 0             |
| Delta®      | Silver             | Х            | 0            | 0            | 0             |
| HLV290P     | Copper             | Х            | Х            | 0            | 0             |
|             | Nickel             | Х            | Х            | 0            | 0             |
|             | Stainless Steel    | Х            | Х            | 0            | 0             |

### **QDS® Seal-Clamp Compatibility**

# Clamps

| Reference                          | e Number  |                   |   |
|------------------------------------|-----------|-------------------|---|
| 300                                | Α         | 55                | NM  |
| <b>Class*</b><br>150<br>300<br>500 | Link Size | Flange OD<br>(mm) | Non-Magnetic<br>(Optional)<br>This is a special option<br>for applications that<br>require reduced<br>magnetic permeability |

# Flanges

| Reference                          | e Number   |                   | Weld Stub Description           |  |                                |  |
|------------------------------------|--|-------------------|---------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|--|
| 300                                | KF   | 55                | 1-1⁄2                           | Sch 10   | Short                          |  |
| <b>Class*</b><br>150<br>300<br>500 | Flange Type<br>KF<br>Class 300/500<br>L<br>Standard ISO<br>Class 150 | Flange OD<br>(mm) | Pipe/Tube OD<br>(Class 300/500) | Pipe Schedule<br>Tube thickness<br>(Class 300/500) | Stub Length<br>(Class 300/500) |  |

#### Example:

**300KF55 1.5" Sch 10, short** Class 300 Type KF Flange OD = 55mm Pipe OD = 1.5" Pipe Schedule = 10 Stub Length = Short (1.181")

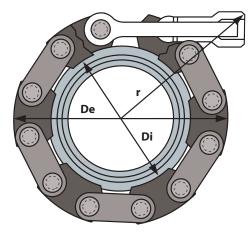
#### **Blind Flanges:**

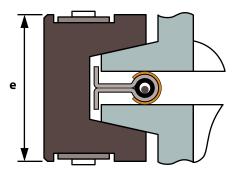
Blind Flanges may be specified by placing a "T" in front of the Reference Number

Example: T300KF55

\* The class type is based on load capability expressed in N/mm and is <u>NOT</u> related to the pound ratings for ANSI B16.5 flanges.

# **Clamps: ISO KF**





# Light: Class 150

#### Material:

- Aluminum links

#### **Technical Data:** - Clamping load: 150 N/mm (860 lb/in)

- Non-magnetic side-plates
- Non-magnetic stainless steel screws

- Temperature: 392°F (200°C) max. The selection is made according to the ISO Nominal Diameter reference

| CLAMP DI          | MENSION  | 5     |     |       |    |       |    |       |    |            |      |            |     |
|-------------------|----------|-------|-----|-------|----|-------|----|-------|----|------------|------|------------|-----|
| ISO KF<br>Nominal | Part     | D     | e   | C     | vi | t     |    | e     | ž  | ma<br>pres | sure | ma<br>torc | que |
| Diameter          | Number   | in    | mm  | in    | mm | in    | mm | in    | mm | psi        | bars | in.lb      | Nm  |
| 10/16             | 150 L 30 | 2.284 | 58  | 0.827 | 21 | 2.402 | 61 | 0.906 | 23 | 290        | 20   | 35.0       | 4   |
| 20/25             | 150 L 40 | 2.795 | 71  | 1.181 | 30 | 2.284 | 58 | 0.906 | 23 | 174        | 12   | 62.0       | 7   |
| 32/40             | 150 L 55 | 3.346 | 85  | 1.772 | 45 | 2.559 | 65 | 0.906 | 23 | 145        | 10   | 80.0       | 9   |
| 50                | 150 L 75 | 4.016 | 102 | 2.559 | 65 | 2.796 | 71 | 0.906 | 23 | 73         | 5    | 89.0       | 10  |

NOTE: ISO nominal diameter is sometimes denoted as NW or QF

# Heavy: Class 300

#### Material:

32/40

50

- Stainless Steel links
- Stainless Steel side-plates

#### **Technical Data:**

- Clamping load: 300 N/mm (1715 lb/in)
- Temperature: 572°F (300°C) max.

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580 40

290 20

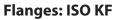
| - Steel screw                 | (stainless st  | eel on re | equest) |         |         |         |    |         |         |                    |    |                     |    |
|-------------------------------|----------------|-----------|---------|---------|---------|---------|----|---------|---------|--------------------|----|---------------------|----|
| CLAMP DI                      | MENSIONS       | 5         |         |         |         |         |    |         |         |                    |    |                     |    |
| ISO KF<br>Nominal<br>Diameter | Part<br>Number | D<br>in   | e<br>mm | D<br>in | i<br>mm | ı<br>in |    | e<br>in | e<br>mm | ma<br>press<br>psi |    | ma<br>torc<br>in.lb |    |
| 10/16                         | 300 L 30       | 2.362     | 60      | 0.787   | 20      | 2.165   | 55 | 1.260   | 32      | 870                | 60 | 53                  | 6  |
| 20/25                         | 300 L 40       | 2.756     | 70      | 1.181   | 30      | 2.284   | 58 | 1.260   | 32      | 580                | 40 | 89                  | 10 |

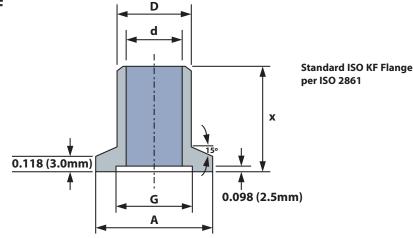
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300 L 75 3.937 100 2.559 65 2.756 70 1.260 32

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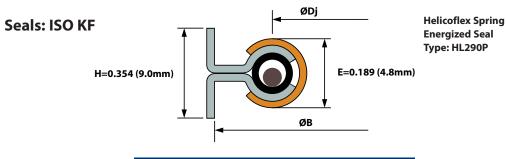
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| FLANGE D                      | FLANGE DIMENSIONS |    |       |      |         |         |            |            |            |          |                       |    |                 |
|-------------------------------|-------------------|----|-------|------|---------|---------|------------|------------|------------|----------|-----------------------|----|-----------------|
| ISO KF<br>Nominal<br>Diameter | A<br>in mm        |    |       |      | C<br>in | 5<br>mm | X-sł<br>in | nort<br>mm | X-lc<br>in | ng<br>mm | Flange<br>ref. number |    |                 |
| 10                            | 1.181             | 30 | 0.551 | 14   | 0.394   | 10      | 0.480      | 12.2       | 0.787      | 20       | 1.969                 | 50 | 150 KF 30 ND 10 |
| 16                            | 1.181             | 30 | 0.780 | 19.8 | 0.630   | 16      | 0.677      | 17.2       | 0.787      | 20       | 1.969                 | 50 | 150 KF 30 ND 16 |
| 20                            | 1.575             | 40 | 0.984 | 25   | 0.827   | 21      | 0.874      | 22.2       | 0.984      | 25       | 1.969                 | 50 | 150 KF 40 ND 20 |
| 25                            | 1.575             | 40 | 1.102 | 28   | 0.945   | 24      | 1.032      | 26.2       | 0.984      | 25       | 1.969                 | 50 | 150 KF 40 ND 25 |
| 32                            | 2.165             | 55 | 1.496 | 38   | 1.260   | 32      | 1.346      | 34.2       | 1.181      | 30       | 2.362                 | 60 | 150 KF 55 ND 32 |
| 40                            | 2.165             | 55 | 1.732 | 44   | 1.575   | 40      | 1.622      | 41.2       | 1.181      | 30       | 2.362                 | 60 | 150 KF 55 ND 40 |
| 50                            | 2.953             | 75 | 2.244 | 57   | 1.969   | 50      | 2.055      | 52.2       | 1.181      | 30       | 2.362                 | 60 | 150 KF 75 ND 50 |

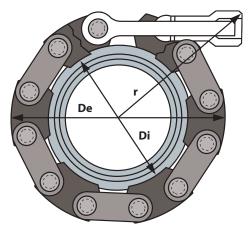
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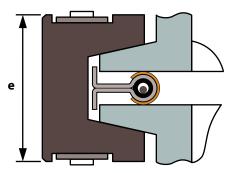


| SEAL DIM                      | ENSION   | IS - AL  | UMINU   | JM JAC  | KET                |
|-------------------------------|----------|----------|---------|---------|--------------------|
| ISO KF<br>Nominal<br>Diameter | Øl<br>in | Dj<br>mm | Ø<br>in | B<br>mm | Seal Type          |
| 10/16                         | 0.866    | 22.0     | 1.185   | 30.1    | HL290P-4.8AI ND 16 |
| 20/25                         | 1.268    | 32.2     | 1.579   | 40.1    | HL290P-4.8AI ND 25 |
| 32/40                         | 1.878    | 47.7     | 2.169   | 55.1    | HL290P-4.8AI ND 40 |
| 50                            | 2.449    | 62.2     | 2.957   | 75.1    | HL290P-4.8AI ND 50 |

Other jacket materials available upon request.

# **Clamps: Class 300**





#### Material:

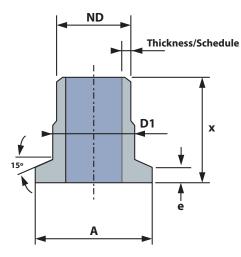
- Stainless Steel links
- Stainless Steel side-plates
- Steel screw (stainless steel on request)

#### **Technical Data:**

- Clamping load: 300 N/mm (1715 lb/in)
- Temperature: 572°F (300°C) max.

|           | Tu     | be   |        |     | Cla    | mp Di | mensio | ons |       |    | Pressure | Torque |
|-----------|--------|------|--------|-----|--------|-------|--------|-----|-------|----|----------|--------|
| Clamp     | OD (I  | Max) | D      | )e  | D      | )i    |        | r   | (     | e  | (Max)    | (Max)  |
| Reference | in     | mm   | in     | mm  | in     | mm    | in     | mm  | in    | mm | psi      | ft.lb  |
| 300 A 30  | 0.709  | 18   | 2.362  | 60  | 0.787  | 20    | 2.165  | 55  | 1.260 | 32 | 870      | 4      |
| 300 A 40  | 1.102  | 28   | 2.756  | 70  | 1.181  | 30    | 2.283  | 58  | 1.260 | 32 | 580      | 7      |
| 300 A 55  | 1.693  | 43   | 3.307  | 84  | 1.772  | 45    | 2.441  | 62  | 1.260 | 32 | 580      | 10     |
| 300 A 75  | 2.441  | 62   | 3.937  | 100 | 2.559  | 65    | 2.756  | 70  | 1.260 | 32 | 290      | 13     |
| 300 B 92  | 2.992  | 76   | 5.512  | 140 | 3.150  | 80    | 4.134  | 105 | 1.614 | 41 | 290      | 37     |
| 300 B 114 | 3.780  | 96   | 6.299  | 160 | 4.016  | 102   | 4.528  | 115 | 1.614 | 41 | 261      | 37     |
| 300 B 134 | 4.567  | 116  | 7.087  | 180 | 4.803  | 122   | 4.921  | 125 | 1.614 | 41 | 232      | 37     |
| 300 C 167 | 5.748  | 146  | 9.055  | 230 | 6.024  | 153   | 6.142  | 156 | 2.087 | 53 | 232      | 89     |
| 300 C 201 | 7.087  | 180  | 10.630 | 270 | 7.362  | 187   | 6.890  | 175 | 2.087 | 53 | 203      | 89     |
| 300 C 252 | 9.055  | 230  | 12.598 | 320 | 9.370  | 238   | 7.677  | 195 | 2.087 | 53 | 174      | 89     |
| 300 D 304 | 10.945 | 278  | 14.961 | 380 | 11.260 | 286   | 9.055  | 230 | 2.756 | 70 | 174      | 133    |
| 300 D 356 | 12.992 | 330  | 17.087 | 434 | 13.307 | 338   | 10.236 | 260 | 2.756 | 70 | 145      | 133    |
| 300 D 387 | 14.173 | 360  | 18.110 | 460 | 14.528 | 369   | 10.827 | 275 | 2.756 | 70 | 116      | 133    |
| 300 D 438 | 16.142 | 410  | 20.079 | 510 | 16.535 | 420   | 11.811 | 300 | 2.756 | 70 | 58       | 133    |

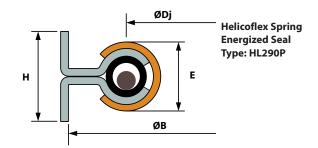
# Flanges: Class 300



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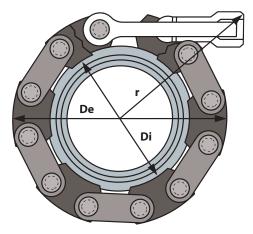
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|-----------|--------|-----|---------|--------|-------|------|------------|
| Clamp     | ŀ      | ł   | D       | 1      |       | e    | Flange     |
| Reference | in     | mm  | in      | mm     | in    | mm   | Reference  |
| 300 A 30  | 1.181  | 30  | 0.709   | 18     | 0.157 | 4.0  | 300 KF 30  |
| 300 A 40  | 1.575  | 40  | 1.102   | 28     | 0.157 | 4.0  | 300 KF 40  |
| 300 A 55  | 2.165  | 55  | 1.693   | 43     | 0.157 | 4.0  | 300 KF 55  |
| 300 A 75  | 2.953  | 75  | 2.480   | 63     | 0.157 | 4.0  | 300 KF 75  |
| 300 B 92  | 3.622  | 92  | 3.071   | 78     | 0.248 | 6.3  | 300 KF 92  |
| 300 B 114 | 4.488  | 114 | 3.937   | 100    | 0.248 | 6.3  | 300 KF 114 |
| 300 B 134 | 5.276  | 134 | 4.724   | 120    | 0.248 | 6.3  | 300 KF 134 |
| 300 C 167 | 6.575  | 167 | 5.906   | 150    | 0.327 | 8.3  | 300 KF 167 |
| 300 C 201 | 7.913  | 201 | 7.244   | 184    | 0.327 | 8.3  | 300 KF 201 |
| 300 C 252 | 9.921  | 252 | 9.252   | 235    | 0.327 | 8.3  | 300 KF 252 |
| 300 D 304 | 11.969 | 304 | 11.102  | 282    | 0.445 | 11.3 | 300 KF 304 |
| 300 D 356 | 14.016 | 356 | 13.150  | 334    | 0.445 | 11.3 | 300 KF 356 |
| 300 D 387 | 15.236 | 387 | 14.370  | 365    | 0.445 | 11.3 | 300 KF 387 |
| 300 D 438 | 17.244 | 438 | 16.378  | 416    | 0.445 | 11.3 | 300 KF 438 |

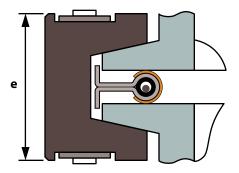
## Seals: Class 300



|           |        |       | Cla    | amp Di | mensic | ons |       |    |                    |
|-----------|--------|-------|--------|--------|--------|-----|-------|----|--------------------|
| Clamp     | Ø      | βB    | Ø      | Dj     |        | E   | H     | H  | Seal               |
| Reference | in     | mm    | in     | mm     | in     | mm  | in    | mm | Reference          |
| 300 A 30  | 1.185  | 30.1  | 0.866  | 22.0   | 0.110  | 2.8 | 0.315 | 8  | HL290P - 2.8 x 30  |
| 300 A 40  | 1.579  | 40.1  | 1.268  | 32.2   | 0.110  | 2.8 | 0.315 | 8  | HL290P - 2.8 x 40  |
| 300 A 55  | 2.169  | 55.1  | 1.878  | 47.7   | 0.110  | 2.8 | 0.315 | 8  | HL290P - 2.8 x 55  |
| 300 A 75  | 2.957  | 75.1  | 2.449  | 62.2   | 0.110  | 2.8 | 0.315 | 8  | HL290P - 2.8 x 75  |
| 300 B 92  | 3.626  | 92.1  | 3.268  | 83.0   | 0.189  | 4.8 | 0.354 | 9  | HL290P - 4.8 x 92  |
| 300 B 114 | 4.492  | 114.1 | 4.055  | 103.0  | 0.189  | 4.8 | 0.354 | 9  | HL290P - 4.8 x 114 |
| 300 B 134 | 5.280  | 134.1 | 4.764  | 121.0  | 0.189  | 4.8 | 0.354 | 9  | HL290P - 4.8 x 134 |
| 300 C 167 | 6.579  | 167.1 | 6.063  | 154.0  | 0.189  | 4.8 | 0.472 | 12 | HL290P - 4.8 x 167 |
| 300 C 201 | 7.917  | 201.1 | 7.283  | 185.0  | 0.189  | 4.8 | 0.472 | 12 | HL290P - 4.8 x 201 |
| 300 C 252 | 9.925  | 252.1 | 9.291  | 236.0  | 0.189  | 4.8 | 0.472 | 12 | HL290P - 4.8 x 252 |
| 300 D 304 | 11.972 | 304.1 | 11.339 | 288.0  | 0.189  | 4.8 | 0.551 | 14 | HL290P - 4.8 x 304 |
| 300 D 356 | 14.020 | 356.1 | 13.268 | 337.0  | 0.189  | 4.8 | 0.551 | 14 | HL290P - 4.8 x 356 |
| 300 D 387 | 15.240 | 387.1 | 14.488 | 368.0  | 0.189  | 4.8 | 0.551 | 14 | HL290P - 4.8 x 387 |
| 300 D 438 | 17.248 | 438.1 | 16.496 | 419.0  | 0.189  | 4.8 | 0.551 | 14 | HL290P - 4.8 x 438 |

# Clamps: Class 500





#### Material:

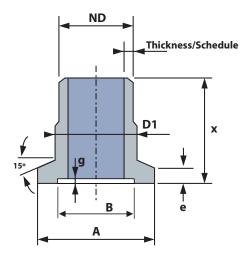
- Stainless Steel links
- Stainless Steel side-plates
- Steel screw

#### **Technical Data:**

- Clamping load: 500 N/mm (2855 lb/in)
- Temperature: 662°F (350°C) max.

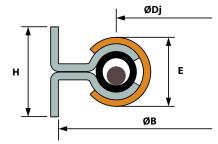
|           | Tu     | be   |        |     | Cla    | imp Di | imensic | ons |       |    | Pressure | Torque |
|-----------|--------|------|--------|-----|--------|--------|---------|-----|-------|----|----------|--------|
| Clamp     | OD (I  | Max) | D      | e   | D      | Di     |         | r   |       | 5  | (Max)    | (Max)  |
| Reference | in     | mm   | in     | mm  | in     | mm     | in      | mm  | in    | mm | psi      | ft.lb  |
| 500 A 30  | 0.709  | 18   | 2.362  | 60  | 0.787  | 20     | 2.165   | 55  | 1.260 | 32 | 4350     | 13     |
| 500 A 40  | 1.102  | 28   | 2.756  | 70  | 1.181  | 30     | 2.283   | 58  | 1.260 | 32 | 2900     | 13     |
| 500 A 55  | 1.693  | 43   | 3.307  | 84  | 1.772  | 45     | 2.441   | 62  | 1.260 | 32 | 2610     | 13     |
| 500 B 75  | 2.402  | 61   | 4.803  | 122 | 2.480  | 63     | 4.134   | 105 | 1.614 | 41 | 2610     | 37     |
| 500 B 92  | 2.992  | 76   | 5.512  | 140 | 3.150  | 80     | 4.134   | 105 | 1.614 | 41 | 2030     | 37     |
| 500 B 114 | 3.780  | 96   | 6.299  | 160 | 4.016  | 102    | 4.528   | 115 | 1.614 | 41 | 1450     | 37     |
| 500 C 134 | 4.528  | 115  | 7.559  | 192 | 4.724  | 120    | 5.709   | 145 | 2.087 | 53 | 1450     | 89     |
| 500 C 167 | 5.669  | 144  | 9.055  | 230 | 6.024  | 153    | 6.142   | 156 | 2.087 | 53 | 1160     | 89     |
| 500 D 201 | 6.693  | 170  | 11.181 | 284 | 7.205  | 183    | 6.890   | 175 | 2.756 | 70 | 1160     | 133    |
| 500 D 252 | 8.661  | 220  | 13.071 | 332 | 9.213  | 234    | 8.386   | 213 | 2.756 | 70 | 1015     | 133    |
| 500 D 304 | 10.787 | 274  | 14.961 | 380 | 11.260 | 286    | 9.055   | 230 | 2.756 | 70 | 870      | 133    |
| 500 E 356 | 12.756 | 324  | 17.126 | 435 | 13.150 | 334    | 10.433  | 265 | 3.307 | 84 | 870      | 184    |
| 500 E 387 | 14.016 | 356  | 18.701 | 475 | 14.370 | 365    | 11.024  | 280 | 3.307 | 84 | 580      | 184    |
| 500 E 438 | 16.024 | 407  | 20.472 | 520 | 16.378 | 416    | 12.205  | 310 | 3.307 | 84 | 290      | 184    |

# Flanges: Class 500



| Clamp     | F      | 4   | E      | 3     | D      | 1   |       | g   | (     | e    | Flange     |
|-----------|--------|-----|--------|-------|--------|-----|-------|-----|-------|------|------------|
| Reference | in     | mm  | in     | mm    | in     | mm  | in    | mm  | in    | mm   | Reference  |
| 500 A 30  | 1.181  | 30  | 0.992  | 25.2  | 0.709  | 18  | 0.031 | 0.8 | 0.189 | 4.8  | 500 KF 30  |
| 500 A 40  | 1.575  | 40  | 1.394  | 35.4  | 1.102  | 28  | 0.031 | 0.8 | 0.189 | 4.8  | 500 KF 40  |
| 500 A 55  | 2.165  | 55  | 2.004  | 50.9  | 1.693  | 43  | 0.031 | 0.8 | 0.189 | 48   | 500 KF 55  |
| 500 B 75  | 2.953  | 75  | 2.575  | 65.4  | 2.402  | 61  | 0.035 | 0.9 | 0.311 | 7.9  | 500 KF 75  |
| 500 B 92  | 3.622  | 92  | 3.413  | 86.7  | 3.071  | 78  | 0.035 | 0.9 | 0.311 | 7.9  | 500 KF 92  |
| 500 B 114 | 4.488  | 114 | 4.201  | 106.7 | 3.937  | 100 | 0.035 | 0.9 | 0.311 | 7.9  | 500 KF 114 |
| 500 C 134 | 5.276  | 134 | 4.909  | 124.7 | 4.646  | 118 | 0.035 | 0.9 | 0.390 | 9.9  | 500 KF 134 |
| 500 C 167 | 6.575  | 167 | 6.209  | 157.7 | 5.906  | 150 | 0.035 | 0.9 | 0.390 | 9.9  | 500 KF 167 |
| 500 D 201 | 7.913  | 201 | 7.429  | 188.7 | 7.087  | 180 | 0.035 | 0.9 | 0.508 | 12.9 | 500 KF 201 |
| 500 D 252 | 9.921  | 252 | 9.437  | 239.7 | 9.094  | 231 | 0.035 | 0.9 | 0.508 | 12.9 | 500 KF 252 |
| 500 D 304 | 11.969 | 304 | 11.484 | 291.7 | 11.102 | 282 | 0.035 | 0.9 | 0.508 | 12.9 | 500 KF 304 |
| 500 E 356 | 14.016 | 356 | 13.413 | 340.7 | 12.992 | 330 | 0.035 | 0.9 | 0.665 | 16.9 | 500 KF 356 |
| 500 E 387 | 15.236 | 387 | 14.634 | 371.7 | 14.213 | 361 | 0.035 | 0.9 | 0.665 | 16.9 | 500 KF 387 |
| 500 E 438 | 17.244 | 438 | 16.642 | 422.7 | 16.220 | 412 | 0.035 | 0.9 | 0.665 | 16.9 | 500 KF 438 |

Seals: Class 500



|           |        |       | Cla    | amp Di | mensio | ons |       |    |                    |
|-----------|--------|-------|--------|--------|--------|-----|-------|----|--------------------|
| Clamp     | Q      | βB    | Ø      | Dj     |        | E   | H     | H  | Seal               |
| Reference | in     | mm    | in     | mm     | in     | mm  | in    | mm | Reference          |
| 500 A 30  | 1.185  | 30.1  | 0.866  | 22.0   | 0.110  | 2.8 | 0.315 | 8  | HL290P - 2.8 x 30  |
| 500 A 40  | 1.579  | 40.1  | 1.268  | 32.2   | 0.110  | 2.8 | 0.315 | 8  | HL290P - 2.8 x 40  |
| 500 A 55  | 2.169  | 55.1  | 1.878  | 47.7   | 0.110  | 2.8 | 0.315 | 8  | HL290P - 2.8 x 55  |
| 500 B 75  | 2.957  | 75.1  | 2.449  | 62.2   | 0.126  | 3.2 | 0.354 | 9  | HL290P - 3.2 x 75  |
| 500 B 92  | 3.626  | 92.1  | 3.268  | 83.0   | 0.126  | 3.2 | 0.354 | 9  | HL290P - 3.2 x 92  |
| 500 B 114 | 4.492  | 114.1 | 4.055  | 103.0  | 0.126  | 3.2 | 0.354 | 9  | HL290P - 3.2 x 114 |
| 500 C 134 | 5.280  | 134.1 | 4.764  | 121.0  | 0.126  | 3.2 | 0.472 | 12 | HL290P - 3.2 x 134 |
| 500 C 167 | 6.579  | 167.1 | 6.063  | 154.0  | 0.126  | 3.2 | 0.472 | 12 | HL290P - 3.2 x 167 |
| 500 D 201 | 7.917  | 201.1 | 7.283  | 185.0  | 0.126  | 3.2 | 0.551 | 14 | HL290P - 3.2 x 201 |
| 500 D 252 | 9.925  | 252.1 | 9.291  | 236.0  | 0.126  | 3.2 | 0.551 | 14 | HL290P - 3.2 x 252 |
| 500 D 304 | 11.972 | 304.1 | 11.339 | 288.0  | 0.126  | 3.2 | 0.551 | 14 | HL290P - 3.2 x 304 |
| 500 E 356 | 14.020 | 356.1 | 13.268 | 337.0  | 0.126  | 3.2 | 0.630 | 16 | HL290P - 3.2 x 356 |
| 500 E 387 | 15.240 | 387.1 | 14.488 | 368.0  | 0.126  | 3.2 | 0.630 | 16 | HL290P - 3.2 x 387 |
| 500 E 438 | 17.248 | 438.1 | 16.496 | 419.0  | 0.126  | 3.2 | 0.630 | 16 | HL290P - 3.2 x 438 |

# **Standard Schedule Pipe Sizes**

| Nom       | Pi     | pe     |       | Sched | ule 5S |        |       | Scheo | lule 10S |        |
|-----------|--------|--------|-------|-------|--------|--------|-------|-------|----------|--------|
| Pipe      |        | Max)   | Thick | kness | I      | C      | Thick | ness  | I        | D      |
| Size (in) | in     | mm     | in    | mm    | in     | mm     | in    | mm    | in       | mm     |
| 1/8       | 0.405  | 10.29  |       |       |        |        | 0.049 | 1.24  | 0.307    | 7.81   |
| 1/4       | 0.540  | 13.72  |       |       |        |        | 0.065 | 1.65  | 0.410    | 10.42  |
| 1/2       | 0.840  | 21.34  | 0.065 | 1.65  | 0.710  | 18.04  | 0.083 | 2.11  | 0.674    | 17.12  |
| 3/4       | 1.050  | 26.67  | 0.065 | 1.65  | 0.918  | 23.31  | 0.083 | 2.11  | 0.884    | 22.45  |
| 1         | 1.315  | 33.40  | 0.065 | 1.65  | 1.185  | 30.10  | 0.109 | 2.77  | 1.097    | 27.86  |
| 1-1/2     | 1.900  | 48.26  | 0.065 | 1.65  | 1.770  | 44.96  | 0.109 | 2.77  | 1.682    | 42.72  |
| 2         | 2.375  | 60.33  | 0.065 | 1.65  | 2.245  | 57.03  | 0.109 | 2.77  | 2.157    | 54.79  |
| 2-1/2     | 2.875  | 73.03  | 0.083 | 2.10  | 2.710  | 68.83  | 0.120 | 3.05  | 2.635    | 66.93  |
| 3         | 3.500  | 88.90  | 0.083 | 2.10  | 3.335  | 84.70  | 0.120 | 3.05  | 3.260    | 82.80  |
| 4         | 4.500  | 114.30 | 0.083 | 2.10  | 4.335  | 110.10 | 0.120 | 3.05  | 4.260    | 108.20 |
| 5         | 5.563  | 141.30 | 0.109 | 2.77  | 5.463  | 138.76 | 0.134 | 3.40  | 5.295    | 134.50 |
| 6         | 6.625  | 168.28 | 0.109 | 2.77  | 6.407  | 162.74 | 0.134 | 3.40  | 6.357    | 161.48 |
| 8         | 8.625  | 219.08 | 0.109 | 2.77  | 8.407  | 213.54 | 0.148 | 3.76  | 8.329    | 211.56 |
| 10        | 10.750 | 273.05 | 0.134 | 3.40  | 10.482 | 266.25 | 0.165 | 4.19  | 10.420   | 264.67 |
| 12        | 12.750 | 323.85 | 0.156 | 3.96  | 12.438 | 315.93 | 0.180 | 4.57  | 12.390   | 314.71 |
| 14        | 14.000 | 355.60 | 0.156 | 3.96  | 13.688 | 347.68 | 0.188 | 4.78  | 13.624   | 346.04 |
| 16        | 16.000 | 406.40 | 0.165 | 4.19  | 15.670 | 398.02 | 0.188 | 4.78  | 15.624   | 396.84 |

| Nom       | Pi     | ре     |       | Schedu | ule 40S |        |       | Sched | lule 80S |        |
|-----------|--------|--------|-------|--------|---------|--------|-------|-------|----------|--------|
| Pipe      |        | Max)   | Thick | kness  | 10      | )      | Thick | ness  | l        | D      |
| Size (in) | in     | mm     | in    | mm     | in      | mm     | in    | mm    | in       | mm     |
| 1/8       | 0.405  | 10.29  | 0.068 | 1.73   | 0.269   | 6.83   | 0.095 | 2.41  | 0.215    | 5.47   |
| 1/4       | 0.540  | 13.72  | 0.088 | 2.24   | 0.364   | 9.24   | 0.119 | 3.02  | 0.302    | 7.68   |
| 1/2       | 0.840  | 21.34  | 0.109 | 2.77   | 0.622   | 15.80  | 0.147 | 3.73  | 0.546    | 13.88  |
| 3/4       | 1.050  | 26.67  | 0.113 | 2.87   | 0.824   | 20.93  | 0.154 | 3.91  | 0.742    | 18.85  |
| 1         | 1.315  | 33.40  | 0.133 | 3.38   | 1.049   | 26.64  | 0.179 | 4.55  | 0.957    | 24.30  |
| 1-1/2     | 1.900  | 48.26  | 0.145 | 3.68   | 1.610   | 40.90  | 0.200 | 5.08  | 1.500    | 38.10  |
| 2         | 2.375  | 60.33  | 0.154 | 3.91   | 2.067   | 52.51  | 0.218 | 5.54  | 1.939    | 49.25  |
| 2-1/2     | 2.875  | 73.03  | 0.203 | 5.16   | 2.469   | 62.71  | 0.276 | 7.01  | 2.323    | 59.01  |
| 3         | 3.500  | 88.90  | 0.216 | 5.49   | 3.068   | 77.92  | 0.300 | 7.62  | 2.900    | 73.66  |
| 4         | 4.500  | 114.30 | 0.237 | 6.02   | 4.026   | 102.26 | 0.337 | 8.56  | 3.826    | 97.18  |
| 5         | 5.563  | 141.30 | 0.258 | 6.55   | 5.047   | 128.20 | 0.376 | 9.53  | 4.813    | 122.24 |
| 6         | 6.625  | 168.28 | 0.280 | 7.11   | 6.065   | 154.06 | 0.432 | 10.97 | 5.761    | 146.34 |
| 8         | 8.625  | 219.08 | 0.322 | 8.18   | 7.981   | 202.72 | 0.500 | 12.70 | 7.625    | 193.68 |
| 10        | 10.750 | 273.05 | 0.365 | 9.27   | 10.020  | 254.51 | 0.500 | 12.70 | 9.750    | 247.65 |
| 12        | 12.750 | 323.85 | 0.375 | 9.52   | 12.000  | 304.81 | 0.500 | 12.70 | 11.750   | 298.45 |
| 14        | 14.000 | 355.60 | 0.375 | 9.52   | 13.250  | 336.56 | 0.500 | 12.70 | 13.004   | 330.30 |
| 16        | 16.000 | 406.40 | 0.375 | 9.52   | 15.250  | 387.36 | 0.500 | 12.70 | 15.000   | 381.00 |

# **ISO Standard Tubing**

| Tu    | be    |       | Lig   | ght   |       |       | Me   | dium  |       |       | He   | eavy  |       |
|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|-------|-------|-------|------|-------|-------|
| 0     | D     | Thick | kness | 10    | C     | Thick | ness |       | D     | Thick | ness | 1     | D     |
| in    | mm    | in    | mm    | in    | mm    | in    | mm   | in    | mm    | in    | mm   | in    | mm    |
| 0.236 | 6.00  | 0.039 | 1.00  | 0.157 | 4.00  |       |      |       |       |       |      |       |       |
| 0.315 | 8.00  | 0.039 | 1.00  | 0.236 | 6.00  |       |      |       |       |       |      |       |       |
| 0.394 | 10.00 | 0.039 | 1.00  | 0.315 | 8.00  |       |      |       |       |       |      |       |       |
| 0.472 | 12.00 | 0.039 | 1.00  | 0.394 | 10.00 | 0.059 | 1.50 | 0.354 | 9.00  |       |      |       |       |
| 0.551 | 14.00 | 0.039 | 1.00  | 0.472 | 12.00 | 0.059 | 1.50 | 0.433 | 11.00 | 0.079 | 2.00 | 0.394 | 10.00 |
| 0.630 | 16.00 | 0.039 | 1.00  | 0.551 | 14.00 | 0.059 | 1.50 | 0.669 | 17.00 | 0.079 | 2.00 | 0.472 | 12.00 |
| 0.787 | 20.00 | 0.039 | 1.00  | 0.709 | 18.00 | 0.059 | 1.50 | 0.866 | 22.00 | 0.079 | 2.00 | 0.630 | 16.00 |
| 0.984 | 25.00 | 0.039 | 1.00  | 0.906 | 23.00 | 0.059 | 1.50 | 0.866 | 22.00 | 0.079 | 2.00 | 0.827 | 21.00 |
| 1.102 | 28.00 | 0.039 | 1.00  | 1.024 | 26.00 | 0.059 | 1.50 | 0.984 | 25.00 | 0.079 | 2.00 | 0.945 | 24.00 |
| 1.496 | 38.00 | 0.039 | 1.00  | 1.417 | 36.00 | 0.063 | 1.60 | 1.370 | 34.80 | 0.079 | 2.00 | 1.339 | 34.00 |
| 1.752 | 44.50 | 0.059 | 1.50  | 1.634 | 41.50 | 0.079 | 2.00 | 1.594 | 40.50 | 0.102 | 2.60 | 1.547 | 39.30 |
| 2.244 | 57.00 | 0.059 | 1.50  | 2.126 | 54.00 | 0.079 | 2.00 | 2.087 | 53.00 | 0.102 | 2.60 | 2.039 | 51.80 |
| 2.996 | 76.10 | 0.063 | 1.60  | 2.870 | 72.90 | 0.091 | 2.30 | 2.815 | 71.50 | 0.114 | 2.90 | 2.768 | 70.30 |

# Weld Stub Lengths

|     | Fla   | nge   |        | Stub Length (X) |     |       |     |            |     |
|-----|-------|-------|--------|-----------------|-----|-------|-----|------------|-----|
|     | Refe  | rence |        | sh              | ort | loi   | ng  | extra long |     |
|     | Class |       | Suffix | in              | mm  | in    | mm  | in         | mm  |
| 150 | 300   | 500   | KF 30  | 0.787           | 20  | 1.969 | 50  | 3.937      | 100 |
| 150 | 300   | 500   | KF 40  | 0.984           | 25  | 1.969 | 50  | 3.937      | 100 |
| 150 | 300   | 500   | KF 55  | 1.181           | 30  | 2.362 | 60  | 4.724      | 120 |
| 150 | 300   | 500   | KF 75  | 1.181           | 30  | 2.362 | 60  | 4.724      | 120 |
| N/A | 300   | 500   | KF 92  | 1.181           | 30  | 2.362 | 60  | 4.724      | 120 |
| N/A | 300   | 500   | KF 114 | 1.772           | 45  | 3.150 | 80  | 6.299      | 160 |
| N/A | 300   | 500   | KF 134 | 1.969           | 50  | 3.543 | 90  | 7.874      | 200 |
| N/A | 300   | 500   | KF 167 | 1.969           | 50  | 3.543 | 90  | 7.874      | 200 |
| N/A | 300   | 500   | KF 201 | 1.969           | 50  | 3.937 | 100 | 7.874      | 200 |
| N/A | 300   | 500   | KF 252 | 1.969           | 50  | 3.937 | 100 | 7.874      | 200 |
| N/A | 300   | 500   | KF 304 | 1.969           | 50  | 3.937 | 100 | 7.874      | 200 |
| N/A | 300   | 500   | KF 356 | 2.362           | 60  | 4.724 | 120 | 9.449      | 240 |
| N/A | 300   | 500   | KF 387 | 2.362           | 60  | 4.724 | 120 | 9.449      | 240 |
| N/A | 300   | 500   | KF 438 | 2.362           | 60  | 4.724 | 120 | 9.449      | 240 |

# QDS Class 1000

The Class 1000 series is a heavy duty clamp and flange assembly designed for medium to high pressure. The flange and seal assembly can be modified to accept a variety of seal configurations. Please contact Applications Engineering for more information.

# **Remote Handling**

The QDS<sup>®</sup> clamp and seal can be fitted with special handling features such as custom cross bolts and seal tabs for easy installation and removal with remote handling equipment. These custom QDS<sup>®</sup> assemblies are ideal for radioactive environments where personnel exposure must be reduced or eliminated. Please contact Applications Engineering for more information.



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| COMPANY:                              |                          |               | PHONE:                              |          |            |
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| CONTACT:                              |                          |               | FAX:                                |          |            |
| ADDRESS:                              |                          |               | E-MAIL:                             |          |            |
|                                       |                          |               | DATE:                               |          |            |
| APPLICATION                           |                          |               |                                     |          |            |
| Brief Description:                    |                          |               |                                     |          |            |
| Is This a New Design?                 | □ Yes                    | □ No          | Are Modifications Possible?         | □ Yes    | □ No       |
| Drawing or Sketch Attached?           | Yes                      | 🗅 No          |                                     |          |            |
| SERVICE CONDITIONS                    |                          |               |                                     |          |            |
| Working Pressure:                     |                          |               | Temp/Pressure Cycles:               |          |            |
| Maximum Pressure:                     |                          |               | Media:                              |          |            |
| Working Temperature:                  |                          |               | Required Sealing Level:             |          |            |
| Maximum Temperature:                  |                          |               | Life Expectancy:                    |          |            |
| □ Remote Handling Required (Radiatio  | n?)                      |               | Non-Magnetic Required               |          |            |
| FLANGE DETAILS                        |                          |               |                                     |          |            |
| Garlock to Design (If flange design e | kists, then fill out "St | andard" or "  | Special" Section below as appropria | ate).    |            |
| Standard Size (ie. ND, KF, D          | N, ISO, etc):            |               | Face Surface Finish:                | (RMS)    |            |
| Flange Material                       |                          |               |                                     |          |            |
| □ Special                             | If not sta               | andard, provi | de drawing or dimensions in picture | e below. |            |
| Flange Material =                     | _                        |               |                                     | •        | Flange Ø A |
| Ø D =                                 | -                        |               |                                     |          |            |
| Ø A =                                 | _ /0                     |               |                                     | h        |            |
| Flange Thickness h =                  |                          |               | r                                   |          |            |
| Flange Angle                          |                          | De            |                                     |          | 0          |
| Clamp Width/Thickness =               |                          |               | Di                                  |          |            |
| Clamp Clearance De =                  | - \@                     |               |                                     | 1        |            |
| Bolt Clearance r =                    | _                        |               |                                     |          |            |
| Flange Stub Length =                  | _                        |               |                                     |          |            |
|                                       |                          |               |                                     |          |            |
|                                       |                          |               |                                     |          |            |

#### PIPE DETAILS

Size:

Material Grade:

Thickness: (Schedule / ISO Size may be provided instead) \_

COMMENTS / NOTES

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# **CUSTOM PRODUCTS & SERVICES**

Garlock Helicoflex offers custom designed sealing solutions for difficult or extreme applications. Our design capabilities are supported with seal modeling, prototyping and testing services. Contact Applications Engineering for more information regarding these products and services.

# **Machined Seals**

Machined seals are made from solid metal and are typically used in applications requiring a very small diameter. The seal geometry and material can be custom designed to meet most customer requirements.





#### **U-Flex**<sup>™</sup>

The U-Flex<sup>™</sup> is a variation of the E-Flex<sup>™</sup>. It has very good spring back but does not have the compression range of most E-Flex<sup>™</sup> seals. However, it may be a cost effective solution for applications requiring more spring back than a typical C-Flex<sup>™</sup>.

# **Custom Configurations**

Most metal seals can be manufactured in various shapes and sizes. The Helicoflex<sup>®</sup> Spring Energized Seal is particularly flexible in design and function. Helicoflex<sup>®</sup> seals can be designed and manufactured for remote handling, tandem sealing, quartz windows, radio frequency wave guides and many other custom applications.



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# **HELICOFLEX DATA SHEET**

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| ADDRESS:   |                       |                 | E-MAIL:                                |               |                |            |
|  |                       |                 | DATE:                                  |               |                |            |
| APPLICATION: (please                             | e attach customer dr  | awing / sketch) |  |               |                |            |
| Brief Description:                               |                       |                 |  |               |                |            |
|  |                       |                 |  |               |                |            |
| Annual quantities:                               |                       |                 | RFQ Quantities:                        |               |                |            |
| Is This a New Design?                            | 🗅 Yes                 | 🗅 No            | Are Modifications Possible?            |               | □ Yes          | 🗆 No       |
| Drawing or Sketch Attached?                      | 🖵 Yes                 | 🗅 No            | What is the Seal Type?                 |               | Shaped         | Circular   |
| SERVICE CONDITION                                | S:                    |                 |  |               |                |            |
| Media:   |                       |                 | Life Expectancy:                       |               |                |            |
| Working Temperature:                             |                       |                 | Max/Proof Pressure:                    |               | @ Temp.        | =          |
| Working Pressure:                                |                       |                 | Max Temperature:                       |               | @ Pressure     | : =        |
| Pressure Direction:<br>(Internal/External/Axial) |                       |                 | Target Sealing Level:                  | Helium:       |                | Std.cc/sec |
| Pressure Cycles:                                 |                       |                 |  | Flow Rate:    |                | cc/minute  |
| Temperature Cycles:                              |                       |                 |  | Other:        |                |            |
| FLANGE DETAILS:                                  | (Please Provide [     | Drawing)        |  |               |                |            |
| Amount of Flange Movment in                      | n Service: (Inches)   | Rad             | lial: Axia                             | al:           | #Cycle         | es:        |
| Material:  |                       |                 | Thicknes                               | s:            |                |            |
| Groove / Counter Bore:                           | Please lis            | t dimensions in | Groove Details section                 |               |                |            |
| ANSI Raised Face                                 | Size:                 | # Rati          | ng: Face                               | Surface Finis | h:             | (RMS)      |
| Flange(s) with Clamping S                        | System: (ISO,KF, etc) |                 | Standard:                              | Siz           | .e:            |            |
| Other:   | Description:          |                 |  | (Please Pro   | ovide Drawing) |            |
| GROOVE DETAILS:                                  | (Please Provide Dra   | wing)           |  |               |                |            |
| Type (Rectangular, Dovetail, e                   | etc.):                |                 |  |               |                |            |
| Outer Diameter:                                  | Toler                 | ance:           | Depth:                                 | Tolerance:    |                |            |
| Inner Diameter:                                  | Toler                 | ance:           | Finish (RMS)                           | —<br>Туре:    |                | _          |
| · ·  |                       |                 | Finish Type: lathe (circular), endmill |               | , other        | —          |
| BOLTING DETAILS:                                 | (Please Provide Dra   |                 |  |               |                |            |
|  | (mease monue bra      |                 | Turne / Orado:                         |               |                |            |
| Size:  |                       |                 | Type / Grade:                          |               |                |            |
| Number:  | Bolt Circle           |                 | Tapped / Through:                      |               |                |            |
| OTHER:   |                       |                 |  |               |                |            |
| Special coating / plating spec                   | offication            |                 |  |               |                |            |
| Special coating / plating spec                   |                       |                 |  |               |                |            |
| Other:   | pecilications.        |                 |  |               |                |            |
| Other.   |                       |                 |  |               |                |            |
|  |                       |                 |  |               |                |            |
|  |                       |                 |  |               |                |            |

# AMS SPECIFICATIONS AND HEAT TREATMENTS

# **Common Material AMS Specifications**

|           |       | Tubing   |        |               |
|-----------|-------|----------|--------|---------------|
| Material  | Grade | Seamless | Welded | Sheet / Strip |
| Aluminum  | 1100  | -        | -      | 4001          |
| Nickel    | 201   | -        | -      | 5553          |
| St. Steel | 304   | 5560     | 5565   | 5513          |
| St. Steel | 304L  | -        | -      | 5511          |
| St. Steel | 316   | 5573     | -      | 5524          |
| St. Steel | 316L  | -        | -      | 5507          |
| St. Steel | 321   | 5570     | 5576   | 5510          |
| Alloy     | C276  | -        | -      | 5530          |
| Alloy     | 400   | 4574     | -      | 4544          |
| Alloy     | 600   | 5580     | -      | 5540          |
| Alloy     | 625   | 5581     | 5581   | 5599          |
| Alloy     | 718   | 5590     | -      | 5596          |
| Alloy     | X-750 | 5582     | -      | 5598          |
| Titanium  | Grd 2 | -        | -      | 4902          |
| Waspaloy  |       | -        | -      | 5544          |

## **Heat Treatments**

#### Solution Heat Treat / Anneal

Stainless Steel (300 series): Anneal at 2000°F for 3 minutes Nickel: Anneal at 1325°F for 90 minutes Alloy X-750: Solution heat treat/anneal per AMS 5598 Section 3.4 Alloy 718: Solution heat treat/anneal per AMS 5596 Section 3.4 Other materials: Contact Applications Engineering

#### Precipitation Harden / Age

Stainless Steel (300 Series): N/A Nickel: N/A Alloy X-750: Precipitation harden per AMS 5598 per Section 3.5.2 Alloy 718: Precipitation harden per AMS 5596 Section 3.5.2 Other materials: Contact Applications Engineering

#### **Special Heat Treatments**

NACE: Temper per NACE MR0175 for control of stress corrosion cracking Custom 2-stage stainless steel anneal (316L VIMVAR stainless steel) Aluminum anneal (Alloys 6061 and 2024)

Contact Applications Engineering for more information.

# MATERIALS Information

|                     | Grade          | UNS<br>Description | Description   | Density<br>Ib/in³<br>(g/cm³) | Tensile<br>Strength<br>ksi (Mpa)   | Yield<br>Strength at<br>0.2% offset<br>ksi (MPa) | Elongation<br>%         | Hardness                   |
|---------------------|----------------|--------------------|---|------------------------------|------------------------------------|--|-------------------------|----------------------------|
|                     | 304            | S30400             | Chromium-Nickel austenitic alloy. Used for a wide vari-<br>ety of home and commercial applications, this is one of<br>the most familiar and most frequently used alloys in the<br>stainless steel family.   | 0.285<br>(7.90)              | 75<br>(515)                        | 30<br>(205)                                      | 30<br>(205)             | 92 Rb                      |
| Stainless<br>Steels | 316            | S31600             | Molybdenum-bearing austenitic stainless steel which<br>is more resistant to general corrosion and pitting/crev-<br>ice corrosion than the conventional chromium-nickel<br>austenitic stainless steels. This alloy offers higher creep,<br>stress-to-rupture and tensile strength at elevated tem-<br>peratures. | 0.290<br>(8.03)              | 75<br>(515)                        | 30<br>(205)                                      | 30<br>(205)             | 95 Rb                      |
|                     | 321            | S32100             | A stabilized stainless steel which offers an excellent resistance to intergranular corrosion following exposure to temperature in the chromium carbide precipitation range from 800-1500°F (430-820°C).   | 0.286<br>(7.92)              | 75<br>(515)                        | 30<br>(205)                                      | 30<br>(205)             | 95 Rb                      |
|                     | Alloy 276      | N10276             | A nickel-molybdenum-chromium-iron-tunsten alloy<br>which is among the most corrosion resistant of alloys<br>currently available. Alloy 276 alloy is widely used in the<br>severest environments.  | 0.321<br>(8.89)              | 120<br>(825)                       | 60<br>(415)                                      | 55                      | 90 Rb                      |
|                     | Alloy 400      | N04400             | A ductile nickel-copper alloy with resistance to a variety of corrosive conditions.   | 0.318<br>(8.80)              | 80<br>(550)                        | 40<br>(275)                                      | 40                      | 70 Rb                      |
|                     | Alloy 600      | N06600             | A non-precipitation hardenable, high-strength nickel-<br>chromium alloy. Service temperatures up to 1000°F.   | 0.306<br>(8.47)              | 95<br>(655)                        | 45<br>(310)                                      | 40                      | 80 Rb                      |
| Nickel<br>Alloys    | Alloy 625      | N06625             | An austenitic nickel-base superalloy possessing excellent<br>resistance to oxidation and corrosion over a broad range<br>of corrosive conditions. It has outstanding strength and<br>toughness at temperatures ranging from cryogenic to<br>high temperature.   | 0.305<br>(8.44)              | 135<br>(930)                       | 70<br>(485)                                      | 45                      | 95 Rb                      |
|                     | Alloy 718      | N07718             | A precipitation hardenable, high-temperature nickel<br>alloy that combines excellent corrosion resistance,<br>high-strength and weldability. Resistant to post-weld<br>cracking. Service temperatures up to 1200°F.   | 0.297<br>(8.23)              | 195<br>(1345)<br>(Heat<br>Treated) | 170<br>(1170)<br>(Heat<br>Treated)               | 17<br>(Heat<br>Treated) | 43 Rc<br>(Heat<br>Treated) |
|                     | Alloy<br>X-750 | N07750             | A precipitation hardenable, high-strength and high-tem-<br>perature nickel alloy. Service temperatures up to 1100°F.  | 0.299<br>(8.28)              | 175<br>(1207)<br>(Heat<br>Treated) | 115<br>(793)<br>(Heat<br>Treated)                | 20<br>(Heat<br>Treated) | 35 Rc<br>(Heat<br>Treated) |
|                     | Waspaloy       | N07001             | A precipitation hardenable nickel alloy with excellent<br>high-temperature strength. Service temperatures up to<br>1350°F.  | 0296<br>(8.19)               | 80<br>(550)                        | 40<br>(275)                                      | 40                      | 70 Rb                      |

# MATERIALS Information

# MATERIAL PROPERTIES

|                    | Grade                    | UNS<br>Description | Description   | Density<br>Ib/in <sup>3</sup><br>(g/cm <sup>3</sup> ) | Tensile<br>Strength<br>ksi (Mpa) | Yield<br>Strength at<br>0.2% offset<br>ksi (MPa) | Elongation<br>% | Hardness  |
|--------------------|--------------------------|--------------------|---|---|----------------------------------|--|-----------------|-----------|
|                    | Nickel 201               | N02201             | Commercially pure wrought Nickel with similar proper-<br>ties to Alloy 200 but with a lower carbon content to pre-<br>vent embrittlement by intergranular carbon at elevated<br>temperatures.   | 0.321<br>(8.89)                                       | 58.6<br>(403)                    | 14.9<br>(103)                                    | 50              | 75-100 HB |
|                    | Aluminum<br>(Alloy 1100) | A91100             | Commercially pure aluminum that contains a minimum of 99.0% aluminum. It has good formability and high resistance to corrosion.   | 0.098<br>(2.71)                                       | 13<br>(89.6)                     | 5<br>(34.5)                                      | 45              | 23 HB     |
| Other<br>Materials | Silver<br>(99.99 pure)   |                    | Commercially pure silver is very ductile, malleable, and capable of a high degree of polish.  | 0.379<br>(10.491)                                     | 20.3<br>(140)                    |  |                 | 25 HV     |
|                    | Titanium                 | R50400             | Commercially pure Titanium Grade 2 is the most com-<br>monly used and widely available grade of unalloyed<br>titanium. The grade combines excellent corrosion resis-<br>tance and weldability with good strength, ductility and<br>formability. | 0.163<br>(4.51)                                       | 50<br>(340)<br>Min.              | 40<br>(280)<br>Min.                              | 22              | 80 Rb     |
|                    | Tantalum                 |                    | Superior resistance to all acids except hydrofluoric and hot sulfuric. Good for most aqueous salt solutions.  | 0.6<br>(16.6)   | 40<br>(276)                      | 25<br>(172)                                      | 50              | 35 Rb     |
|                    | Copper                   | C11000             | Good to excellent corrosion resistance. Excellent hot and cold workability.   | 0.323<br>(8.94)                                       | 33<br>(227)                      | 11<br>(76)                                       | 41              | 72 Rb     |

Typical room temperature mechanical properties.

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# **Performance of Resilient Metal Seals**

The performance of a resilient metal seal depends on two basic factors: elasticity and plasticity. The concept is similar to an elastomer seal such as Viton or Buna. The difference is that the elastomer compound serves both functions where a metal seal must use two components: a substrate and a soft outer layer.

## Elasticity

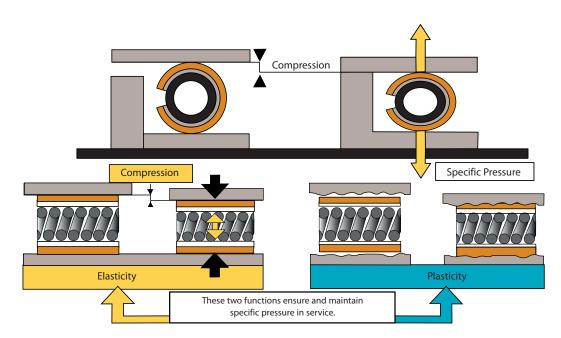
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Each seal has a resilient metal substrate in the form of a spring (Helicoflex<sup>®</sup>), tubing (O-Flex<sup>™</sup>), or formed strip (E-Flex<sup>™</sup>, C-Flex<sup>™</sup>). This substrate serves to provide a specific load that is used to deform a soft outer layer. The substrate also has a certain amount of spring back that helps maintain constant contact force during service. This spring back is not necessarily designed to compensate for axial or radial flange separation. Instead, it ensures that the seal maintains enough contact force to properly seal a static joint in service.

# **Plasticity**

The soft outer layer is usually a plating/coating or a wrapped jacket. This outer layer is designed to plastically deform based on the specific load generated by the substrate. As the soft outer layer is deformed, it flows into the flange/groove imperfections and creates a seal. The tightness of the seal will depend on the amount of specific load, the ductility of the outer layer and the groove surface finish. An ideal groove/flange finish has machining marks that follow the circumference of the seal. Any radial marks or scratches may not be completely filled by the soft outer layer and could create a leak.



# **Bolted Joints**

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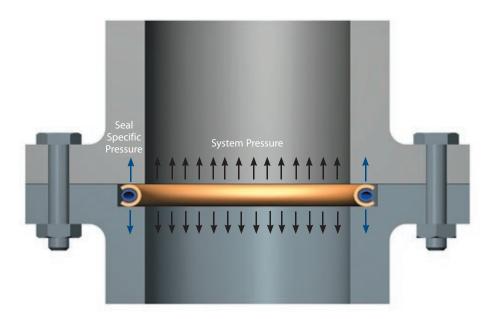
A bolted joint is an assembly that relies on each component to work properly. The performance and success of the bolted joint depends on the quality and design of each of these components. There are three major components of every bolted joint:

- 1. Flanges (Flange design / Groove dimensions & finish)
- 2. Bolts / Fasteners
- 3. Seal / Gasket

The above components cannot be designed mutually exclusive of each other. They must be considered together as a system during the design process. If any part of the bolted joint assembly does not perform properly, the joint as a whole will not perform to expectations and may leak.

# **Bolt Load and Tightening Torque**

When using bolts to fasten the sealing joint the bolts must be of suitable strength and quantity to compress the seal and withstand the maximum hydrostatic load. Additionally, the bolts and flanges must be robust enough to prevent warpage, distortion or separation during service. All service factors must be considered such as thermal stresses, differential expansion, external loads and vibration.



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# **Bolt Load Estimates**

The following equations may be used to estimate required bolt loads.

NOTE: These estimates are offered as guidelines only. There are many other factors that the flange designer must consider such as: thermal cycling, vibration, cyclic fatigue, flange thickness, flange rotation, bolt stress relaxation, additional bolt preload, externally applied loads, etc. <u>The customer is responsible for the flange design and for ensuring that the flanges,</u> <u>bolts and bolt loads are sufficient for the application</u>. Please refer to Section VIII of the ASME Boiler and Pressure Vessel Code for code requirements.

#### Total Bolt Load ≥ Seal Seating Load + Hydrostatic Load + Safety Factor

# **Seal Seating Load**

Total load required to compress the seal to optimal level. This information can be found for each seal type in the Performance Data sections of the catalog. It is referenced as  $Y_2$  and is given in pounds per circumferential inch (PCI).

Seal Seating Load = Seal Diameter  $x \pi x Y_{2}$ 

# **Hydrostatic Load**

Load required to contain the system pressure.

Hydrostatic Load = Maximum system pressure x ( $\pi/4$ ) x (Seal Diameter)<sup>2</sup>

# **Safety Factor**

This is a customer determined safety factor and must consider: system temperature effects, temperature cycling/spikes, pressure cycling/spikes, vibration, etc.

NOTE: A more detailed calculation is available for the Helicoflex spring energized seals. Please see the Helicoflex Seal product section.

# **Example Calculation**

Seal: O-Flex metal o-ring, Material = SS321 OD = 4.000in, CS = .125in, wall thickness = .020in  $Y_2 = 1142$  lbs/in

Operating Conditions: Pressure: 500 psi, Temperature: 70 F

Seating Load = 4.000in x  $\pi$  x 1142lbs/in = 14351 lbs Hydrostatic Load = 500 lbs/in<sup>2</sup> x ( $\pi$ /4) x (4.000in)<sup>2</sup> = 6283 lbs

Total Bolt Load Estimate ≥ 14351 lbs + 6283 lbs + customer safety factor

NOTE: each application should be reviewed to determine if additional bolt preload may be required for proper bolt stretch.

# **Tightening Torque and Bolt Tension**

The following equation may be used to create a rough estimate of the required torque:

 $\mathbf{T} = \mathbf{K} \mathbf{x} \mathbf{P} \mathbf{x} \mathbf{D}$ 

Where:

T= tightening torque (in-lbs) K\*= dynamic coefficient of friction (i.e. minimum = .15 (dry-zinc plated)) P= total bolt load / number of bolts (lbf) D= nominal bolt diameter (in)

(\* Also referred to as the "nut factor" in some texts.)

It must be understood that every bolted joint is unique and the tightening torque should be determined for each application through experimentation. A properly tightened bolt is one that is stretched, thus acting like a very rigid spring pulling the mating surfaces together. As the bolt is tightened it begins to stretch and goes into a state of tension. There are many factors that affect how much tension occurs when a given amount of tightening torque is applied. These factors include bolt diameter, bolt grade (strength), and friction. Torque calculations can have significant errors based on these factors, especially friction. Best practice indicates that bolts should be properly lubricated and hardened washers used under the head and nut.

Where possible, it is recommended the fastener elongation, or stretch, be measured directly to ensure proper tension or preload, in the fastener.

NOTE: These estimates are offered as guidelines only. There are many other factors that the flange designer must consider such as: thermal cycling, vibration, cyclic fatigue, flange thickness, flange rotation, bolt stress relaxation, additional bolt preload, externally applied loads, etc. <u>The customer is responsible for the flange design and for ensuring that the flanges</u>, <u>bolts and bolt loads are sufficient for the application</u>. Please refer to Section VIII of the ASME Boiler and Pressure Vessel Code for code requirements.

# **Typical Bolt / Fastener Information**

|                               |                               |                   | Area at                      | 30000 F                    | SI Stress                        | 45000 P                    | SI Stress                        | 60000 PS                   | il Stress                        |
|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------|------------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------------|
| Size /<br>Nominal<br>Diameter | Nominal<br>Diameter<br>inches | Pitch<br>(THD/IN) | Root of<br>Thread<br>sq. in. | Fastener<br>Preload<br>Ibs | Torque Req'd<br>K= .15<br>Ibs-in | Fastener<br>Preload<br>Ibs | Torque Req'd<br>K= .15<br>Ibs-in | Fastener<br>Preload<br>Ibs | Torque Req'd<br>K= .15<br>Ibs-in |
| #6                            | 0.138                         | 32                | 0.008                        | 225                        | 5                                | 338                        | 7                                | 450                        | 9                                |
| #8                            | 0.164                         | 32                | 0.012                        | 360                        | 9                                | 540                        | 13                               | 720                        | 18                               |
| #10                           | 0.190                         | 24                | 0.015                        | 435                        | 12                               | 653                        | 19                               | 870                        | 25                               |
| #12                           | 0.226                         | 24                | 0.021                        | 618                        | 21                               | 927                        | 31                               | 1236                       | 42                               |
|                               |                               |                   |                              |                            |                                  |                            |                                  |                            |                                  |
| 1/4″                          | 0.250                         | 20                | 0.027                        | 807                        | 30                               | 1211                       | 45                               | 1614                       | 61                               |
| 5/16″                         | 0.313                         | 18                | 0.045                        | 1362                       | 64                               | 2043                       | 96                               | 2724                       | 128                              |
| 3/8″                          | 0.375                         | 16                | 0.068                        | 2034                       | 114                              | 3051                       | 172                              | 4068                       | 229                              |
| 7/16″                         | 0.438                         | 14                | 0.093                        | 2799                       | 184                              | 4199                       | 276                              | 5598                       | 367                              |
| 1/2″                          | 0.500                         | 13                | 0.126                        | 3771                       | 283                              | 5657                       | 424                              | 7542                       | 566                              |
| 9/16″                         | 0.563                         | 12                | 0.162                        | 4860                       | 410                              | 7290                       | 615                              | 9720                       | 820                              |
| 5/8″                          | 0.625                         | 11                | 0.202                        | 6060                       | 568                              | 9090                       | 852                              | 12120                      | 1136                             |
| 3/4″                          | 0.750                         | 10                | 0.302                        | 9060                       | 1019                             | 13590                      | 1529                             | 18120                      | 2039                             |
| 7/8″                          | 0.875                         | 9                 | 0.419                        | 12570                      | 1650                             | 18855                      | 2475                             | 25140                      | 3300                             |
| 1″                            | 1.000                         | 8                 | 0.551                        | 16530                      | 2480                             | 24795                      | 3719                             | 33060                      | 4959                             |
| 1-1/8″                        | 1.125                         | 8                 | 0.728                        | 21840                      | 3686                             | 32760                      | 5528                             | 43680                      | 7371                             |
| 1-1/4″                        | 1.250                         | 8                 | 0.929                        | 27870                      | 5226                             | 41805                      | 7838                             | 55740                      | 10451                            |
| 1-3/8″                        | 1.375                         | 8                 | 1.155                        | 34650                      | 7147                             | 51975                      | 10720                            | 69300                      | 14293                            |
| 1-1/2″                        | 1.500                         | 8                 | 1.405                        | 42150                      | 9484                             | 63225                      | 14226                            | 84300                      | 18968                            |
| 1-3/4″                        | 1.750                         | 8                 | 1.980                        | 59400                      | 15593                            | 89100                      | 23389                            | 118800                     | 31185                            |
| 2″                            | 2.000                         | 8                 | 2.652                        | 79560                      | 23868                            | 119340                     | 35802                            | 159120                     | 47736                            |

NOTES:

1. For fasteners larger than one inch, it is often customary to use a thread pitch of 8 in place of UNC thread pitch.

2. Contact Applications Engineering for other sizes.

3. These values/estimates are offered as guidelines only. There are many other fators that the flange designer must consider such as: thermal cycling, vibration, cyclic fatigue, flange thickness, flange rotation, bolt stress relaxation, additional bolt preload, externally applied loads, etc. The customer is responsible for the flange design and for ensuring that the flanges, bolts and bolt loads are sufficient for the application. Please refer to Section VIII of the ASME Boiler and Pressure Vessel Code for code requirements.

### **Installation Procedures**

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Seal installation is as important to the performance of the bolted joint as the flange, bolt and seal design. Following these simple steps will help ensure a successful installation.

**Preparation** Verify the seal part number, required bolt loading and any special handling or installation instructions. Seals should remain in original protective packaging and preferably be stored in a controlled environment until time of installation. Finally, the packaging should be opened carefully to avoid scratching or damaging the seal. Be especially careful when using razor knives to open seal packaging or container.

**Inspection** Inspect the groove and flanges to make sure the seal track area is free of burrs, debris and any radial marks or scratches. If necessary, clean the groove carefully with acetone or alcohol using a lint free cloth. Any radial scratches must be removed by careful polishing (polishing marks must follow seal circumference). Deeper scratches may require re-cutting the groove and/or refacing the flange. Additionally, the sealing surface of the seal should be inspected for scratches and carefully handled to avoid dings, dents and radial marks or scratches.

**Seal installation** Carefully, place the seal into the groove or onto the flange. Gently bring the mating flange into place taking care not to scratch or damage the seal during all steps of the process.

Note: Large seals (> 36") should be supported every three feet of circumference to prevent bending or crimping.

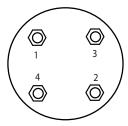
**Bolts / Fasteners** Bolts, bolt holes and nuts should be free of burrs, debris and galling. Bolts and nuts should be well lubricated with a process compatible lubricant. Hardened washers should be used when possible to further reduce friction. Note: for critical applications the installer may want to preload the bolts and release (without the seal) two or three times to "run in" the threads.

**Bolt Tightening** Bolts should be tightened using a star pattern (see diagram). Number the bolts with an indelible marker to make the process easier. First, tighten the nuts until "finger tight". Then, tighten bolts in one-third increments, according to the proper star bolting pattern. Make a final check pass at the final target torque value moving consecutively from bolt to bolt in a rotational order starting with bolt number one. It is recommended to re-torque 12-24 hours after initial installation, especially for high temperature applications.

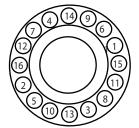
**Removing Used Seals** Most metal seals are designed to make some light contact with the groove wall during compression and service. This helps to reinforce the seal against the system pressure. As a result, it may be difficult to remove the seal with finger force only, especially if the groove is very narrow. Ideally, a hard plastic pick can be used to remove the seal. For some seals, you may carefully drill a small hole in the top of the seal and use a small pick. In all cases, great care must be taken not to scratch the groove when using tools to remove the seal.

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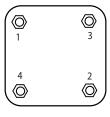
# **Correct Bolting Patterns**



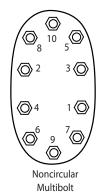




Circular Multibolt



Square Four Bolt



# Jacket -vs- Plating/Coating

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There are two types of soft outer layers that can be applied to metal seals to improve leakage performance. In both cases, the substrate must provide enough specific load to plastically deform the soft outer layer into the flange imperfections.

**Wrapped Jacket** The Helicoflex Spring Energized Seal has a soft outer jacket that consists of a metal strip that has been wrapped or formed around the spring. Typically it is much thicker than platings or coatings. For example, a Silver jacket is approximately .012" to .020" thick where Silver plating is approximately .001" to .002" thick.

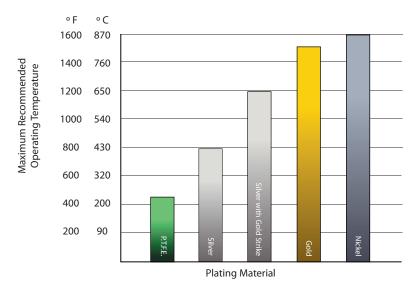
There are two primary advantages of the wrapped jacket. First, there is greater flexibility in material choice since the jacket is not limited by available plating technology. The Helicoflex seal can be made with most metals available in strip or sheet form which helps match the seal material to temperature and corrosion requirements. Secondly, because the jacket is thicker, it typically performs better on rougher surface finishes. This is especially helpful for older vessels, such as aging nuclear reactor pressure vessels, where the grooves may have been polished or refinished.

The Helicoflex seal spring is specifically designed for each jacket material to ensure plastic deformation is achieved.

**Platings/Coatings** Platings and coatings are applied directly to the seal substrate. Typically these treatments are very thin and are usually .001/.002" thick. Therefore, they require a smooth groove/ flange finish for optimal performance. Platings such as Silver and Nickel are applied by an electroplating process while coatings such as PTFE are typically applied by a spray or dip process. It is more difficult to match materials to temperature and corrosion requirements because platings and coatings are limited in choice by available deposition technologies.

It is important to note that each plating material requires a minimum amount of specific load to plastically deform. Below are some guidelines for Silver plated non-spring energized seals.

Cross sections: 0.063 to 0.156 = minimum load of 400 lbs per inch of circumference. Cross sections: 0.188 to 0.250 = minimum load of 800 lbs per inch of circumference.



# **Maximum Recommended Operating Temperatures for Platings and Coatings**

Contact Applications Engineering for additional platings and coatings.

# **Surface Finish**

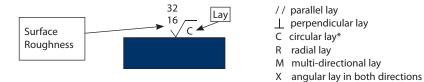
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The leak rate of any joint is largely influenced by the condition of the surfaces in the joint. Leak paths are inherent in any sealing surface. Both the surface roughness of the seal and the surface roughness of the mating flange surfaces will affect sealing performance.

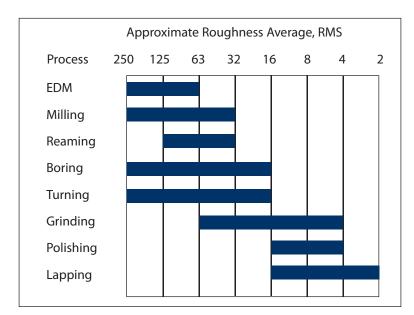
Surface roughness, also called surface texture or finish, is a trait of any surface. The design engineer usually specifies the required surface roughness of a flange sealing surface to ensure proper function of the flange in the joint.

Surface roughness is usually specified with a "check mark" symbol on a drawing as shown in the figure below. Surface roughness is typically indicated in RMS or microinches (µin) and is located on the left side of the symbol above the check mark. In the example below the roughness value is 32 RMS maximum and 16 RMS minimum. If a single value is specified, this value is interpreted as a maximum value.



\* Most metal seal applications require a circular or circumferential lay

The directional lay of a finished surface refers to the direction of the machining or polishing marks. The lay of a sealing surface is specified under the surface roughness symbol as shown in the figure above.



# **Understanding Leakage**

Leakage is the flow of a fluid through an orifice or permeation through a material and typically occurs as a result of a pressure differential. It is important to understand that all materials and mechanical joints permit some leakage over a period of time. This leakage may range from as much as several gallons or cubic feet per minute to as little as a bubble of air in several years.

Helicoflex designs and manufactures a wide range of seals to satisfy a broad range of sealing requirements including leakage rate. Therefore, it is necessary to establish leakage rate criteria so that a suitable seal can be selected or designed. A specification that defines a "no leak" or "zero leakage" requirement is, in a technical sense, unrealistic and may lead to costly attempts at sealing. Leak tightness must be considered in relation to the medium being sealed, the normal operating conditions, and the sealing requirements regarding safety, contamination, and reliability.

# **Gas Flow**

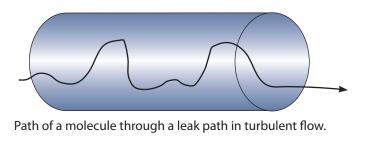
Gas flow is used in characterizing leakage and performing leakage testing. Even at very low pressures, gases behave and flow like fluids. Gas flow is categorized into different types of flow modes as follows:

| Flow Mode                     | Flow Description   | Leakage Rate (std cc/sec)            |
|-------------------------------|--|--------------------------------------|
| Turbulent Flow (Viscous Flow) | Flow through a passage that is<br>typified as a large leak and at high<br>pressure differentials. Leaks with<br>turbulent flow are large and can<br>be readily located and repaired. | Greater than 10 <sup>-2</sup>        |
| Laminar Flow (Viscous Flow)   | Flow in a passage that is typified<br>by slow movement of fluid in a<br>relatively straight path along the<br>centerline of a passage.   | 10 <sup>-1</sup> to 10 <sup>-6</sup> |
| Transitional Flow             | Flow that occurs between the laminar and molecular flow regimes.   | 10 <sup>-4</sup> to 10 <sup>-7</sup> |
| Molecular Flow                | At molecular flow each molecule<br>travels independently of other<br>molecules. However, the general<br>flow is in direction of the lower<br>pressure.                               | Less than 10 <sup>-7</sup>           |

Note: Both turbulent flow and laminar flow are types of viscous flow.

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# LEAK RATES





Path of a molecule through a leak path in laminar flow.



Path of a molecule through a leak path in molecular flow.

# Viscosity: Why liquids and gases have different leakage rates

Viscosity is the internal friction of molecules of a liquid or gas and characterizes the resistance of a fluid to flow at a given temperature. High viscosity indicates a greater resistance to flow and low viscosity indicates a lesser resistance to flow. Therefore, fluids with a low viscosity have a higher probability of leaking or flowing at a higher rate.

Examples of typical fluid viscosities at room temperature (68°F, 20°C):

| Fluid          | Viscosity (in centipoises) at<br>68°F, 20°C |
|----------------|---|
| SAE 10 Grease  | 65  |
| Water          | 0.95  |
| Gasoline       | 0.6   |
| Liquid Propane | 0.11  |
| Helium         | 0.019                                       |
| Air            | 0.018                                       |
| Hydrogen       | 0.009                                       |

From the above viscosity values it can be seen that at ambient temperature, water has a viscosity that is approximately 53 times greater than air. Therefore, at low pressure, the volume of water flow will be 53 times less than that of air.

# **Equivalent Leakage Rates**

| Std cc/sec*       | mbar-l/sec               | Torr<br>Liters/sec      | Time for one cc<br>to Leak | Time for one<br>bubble** to leak |
|-------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------------|
| 10-1              | 1.01 x 10 <sup>-1</sup>  | 7.6 x 10 <sup>-2</sup>  | 10 seconds                 | 0.25 seconds                     |
| 10-2              | 1.01 x 10 <sup>-2</sup>  | 7.6 x 10⁻³              | 100 seconds                | 2.5 seconds                      |
| 10-3              | 1.01 x 10 <sup>-3</sup>  | 7.6 x 10⁻⁴              | 16.7 minutes               | 25 seconds                       |
| 10-4              | 1.01 x 10 <sup>-4</sup>  | 7.6 x 10⁻⁵              | 2.8 hours                  | 4 minutes                        |
| 10-5              | 1.01 x 10⁻⁵              | 7.6 x 10⁻⁵              | 28 hours                   | 40 minutes                       |
| 10-6              | 1.01 x 10 <sup>-6</sup>  | 7.6 x 10⁻ <sup>7</sup>  | 11.5 days                  | 7 hours                          |
| 10-7              | 1.01 x 10⁻ <sup>7</sup>  | 7.6 x 10⁻ <sup>8</sup>  | 3.8 months                 | 3 days                           |
| 10-8              | 1.01 x 10⁻ <sup>8</sup>  | 7.6 x 10 <sup>-9</sup>  | 3.2 years                  | 1 month                          |
| 10 <sup>-9</sup>  | 1.01 x 10 <sup>-9</sup>  | 7.6 x 10 <sup>-10</sup> | 32 years                   | 9 months                         |
| 10 <sup>-10</sup> | 1.01 x 10 <sup>-10</sup> | 7.6 x 10 <sup>-11</sup> | 320 years                  | 8 years                          |
| 10-11             | 1.01 x 10 <sup>-11</sup> | 7.6 x 10 <sup>-12</sup> | 3200 years                 | 80 years                         |
|                   |                          |                         |                            |                                  |

\* Std cc/sec = One cubic centimeter of gas flow per second at 14.7 psi of pressure and a temperature of  $77^{\circ}F$ 

\*\* Bubble diameter is 3mm

| Leak Legend  | Approximate Leak Rates<br>per meter of circumference   | Actual leak rate in service will depend on the following: |
|--------------|--|---|
| Ultra-Helium | $\leq$ 1 x 10 <sup>-11</sup> std.cc/sec He             | Seal Load: Wall Thickness or Spring Load                  |
| Helium       | ≤ 1 x 10 <sup>-9</sup> std.cc/sec He                   | Surface Finish: Seal and Cavity                           |
| Bubble       | ≤ 1 x 10 <sup>-4</sup> std.cc/sec He                   | Surface Treatment: Coating/Plating/Jacket Material        |
| Low Bubble   | ≤ 25 cc/sec @ 50 psig Nitrogen<br>per inch of diameter |   |

# Conversion of helium leakage rate to leakage rates of other gases

| To Convert to Leakage | Multiply Helium Leakage Rate by: |                |  |  |
|-----------------------|----------------------------------|----------------|--|--|
| Rate of:              | Laminar Flow                     | Molecular Flow |  |  |
| Argon                 | 0.88                             | 0.316          |  |  |
| Air                   | 1.08                             | 0.374          |  |  |
| Nitrogen              | 1.12                             | 0.374          |  |  |
| Water vapor           | 2.09                             | 0.469          |  |  |
| Hydrogen              | 2.23                             | 1.410          |  |  |

#### Sources:

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- 3. Leakage Testing Handbook, Revised Edition, July 1969, General Electric.
- 4. Fluid Flow in Small Passages, Mars Hablanian, J.W.Marr, Varian

# **Common Conversion Tables**

| Length                |    |            |            |            |            |            |
|-----------------------|----|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| To Obtain<br>Multiply |    | Inch       | micron     | mm         | cm         | meter      |
| inch                  | by | 1          | 2.5400E+04 | 25.4000    | 2.5400     | 2.5400E-02 |
| micron                | by | 3.9370E-05 | 1          | 1.0000E-03 | 1.0000E-04 | 1.000E-06  |
| mm                    | by | 3.9370E-02 | 1.0000E+03 | 1          | 1.0000E-01 | 1.000E-03  |
| cm                    | by | 3.9370E-01 | 1.0000E+04 | 10.0000    | 1          | 1.0000E-02 |
| meter                 | by | 39.3700    | 1.0000E+06 | 1.0000E+03 | 1.0000E+02 | 1          |

#### Pressure

| To Obta<br>Multiply | ain | bar        | pascal     | Mpascal    | torr       | psi        | inches<br>mercury<br>0°C | inches<br>water<br>4°C |
|---------------------|-----|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|--------------------------|------------------------|
| bar                 | by  | 1          | 1.0000E+05 | 1.0000E-01 | 7.5006E+02 | 14.5040    | 29.5300                  | 4.0146E+02             |
| pascal              | by  | 1.0000E-05 | 1          | 1.0000E-06 | 7.5006E-03 | 1.4504E-04 | 2.9530E-04               | 4.0146E-03             |
| Mpascal             | by  | 10.0000    | 1.0000E+06 | 1          | 7.5006E+03 | 1.4504E+02 | 2.9530E+02               | 4.0146E+03             |
| torr                | by  | 1.3332E-03 | 1.3332E+02 | 1.3332E-04 | 1          | 1.9337E-02 | 3.9370E-02               | 5.3524E-01             |
| psi                 | by  | 6.8948E-02 | 6.8948E+03 | 6.8948E-03 | 51.7150    | 1          | 2.0360                   | 27.6800                |
| inches mercury 0°C  | by  | 3.3863E-02 | 3.3863E+03 | 3.3863E-03 | 25.4000    | 4.9115E-01 | 1                        | 13.5950                |
| inches water 4°C    | by  | 2.4909E-03 | 2.4909E+02 | 2.4909E-04 | 1.8683     | 3.6127E-02 | 7.3556E-02               | 1                      |

#### Vacuum Leak Rate

| T                                    | o Obtain |                        |                                      |                        |                                    |
|--------------------------------------|----------|------------------------|--------------------------------------|------------------------|------------------------------------|
| Multiply                             |          | torr.l.s <sup>-1</sup> | atm.cm <sup>3</sup> .s <sup>-1</sup> | mbar.l.s <sup>-1</sup> | Pa.m <sup>3</sup> .s <sup>-1</sup> |
| torr.l.s <sup>-1</sup>               | by       | 1                      | 1.316                                | 1.333                  | 1.333E-01                          |
| atm.cm <sup>3</sup> .s <sup>-1</sup> | by       | 7.600E-01              | 1                                    | 1.013                  | 1.013E-01                          |
| mbar.l.s <sup>-1</sup>               | by       | 7.501E-01              | 9.862E-01                            | 1                      | 1.000E-01                          |
| Pa.m <sup>3</sup> .s <sup>-1</sup>   | by       | 7.501                  | 9.869                                | 10.000                 | 1                                  |
|                                      |          |                        |                                      |                        |                                    |

Mass

| To C<br>Multiply | Dbtain | Kgf        | N      | lbf        |
|------------------|--------|------------|--------|------------|
| Kgf              | by     | 1          | 9.8067 | 2.2046     |
| Ν                | by     | 1.0197E-01 | 1      | 2.2481E-01 |
| lbf              | by     | 4.5359E-01 | 4.4482 | 1          |

#### Torque

Temperature

Fahrenheit

Celsius Kelvin

| To Obtain<br>Multiply |    | lb.in   | Kg.m       | N.m        |
|-----------------------|----|---------|------------|------------|
| lb.in                 | by | 1       | 1.1521E-02 | 1.1298E-01 |
| Kg.m                  | by | 86.7962 | 1          | 9.8067     |
| N.m                   | by | 8.8507  | 1.0197E-01 | 1          |

F° = (9/5)C+32

 $C^{\circ} = 5/9 (F-32)$ 

K = C+273

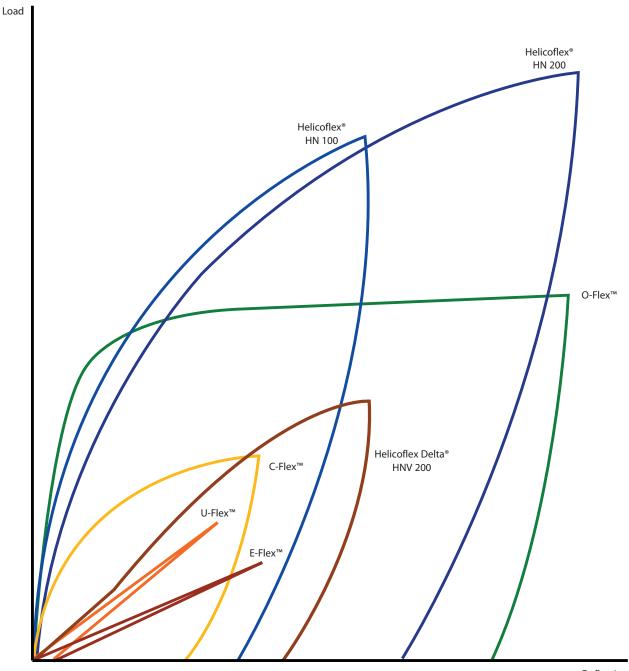
#### Units of Load/Unit Length

| Multiply            | by       | To Obtain          |  |
|---------------------|----------|--------------------|--|
| N.mm <sup>-1</sup>  | 5.71     | lb.in⁻¹            |  |
| lb.in <sup>-1</sup> | 1.75E-01 | N.mm <sup>-1</sup> |  |

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# TYPICAL LOAD DEFLECTION CURVES



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