

an EnPro Industries company





## **MATERIAL PROPERTIES**<sup>\*</sup>

Color:	Mahogany
Composition:	Graphite fibers with a nitrile binder
Fluid Services <sup>1</sup> :	Saturated steam <sup>3</sup> , water, oil, inert gases, aliphatic hydrocarbons and
	gasoline
Temperature <sup>2</sup> , °F (°C)	
Minimum:	-100 (-73)
Continuous Max:	+650 (+343)
Maximum:	+1000 (+537)
Pressure <sup>2</sup> , Maximum, psig (bar):	2000 (138)
<b>P x T (max.)</b> <sup>2</sup> , psig x °F (bar x °C)	
1/32 and 1/16":	700,000 (25,000)
1/8":	350,000 (12,000)
Meets Specification:	ABS (American Bureau of Shipping), STR 508(5) Rev. 2 and Fire Safe

## **TYPICAL PHYSICAL PROPERTIES**<sup>\*</sup>

ASTM F36	Compressibility, range, %: 7-17			
ASTM F36	Recovery, %:	65		
ASTM F38	Creep Relaxation, %:	9		
ASTM F152	Tensile, Across Grain, psi (N/mm <sup>2</sup> ):	1800 (12)		
ASTM F1315	<b>Density</b> , lbs./ft. <sup>3</sup> (grams/cm <sup>3</sup> ):	110 (1.76)		
ASTM F433	<b>Thermal Conductivity (K)</b> , W/m°K (Btu.·in./hr.·ft. <sup>2</sup> .°F):	0.87 (6.0)		
ASTM D149	Dielectric Properties, range, volts/mil.			
	Sample conditioning	<u>1/16"</u> <u>1/8"</u>		
	3 hours at 250°F:	<2 -		
	96 hours at 100% Relative Humidity:			
ASTM F586	Design Factors	<u>1/16" &amp; Under 1/8"</u>		
	"m" factor:	4.5 6		
	"y" factor, psi (N/mm <sup>2</sup> ):	4100 (28.3) 4100 (28.3)		
ROTT	Gasket Constants, 1/16":	Gb=2,322 a=0.133 Gs=18	8.0	
ASTM F104	Line Call Out:	F712102A9B3E22K9L401M5 <sup>(4)</sup>		

## SEALING CHARACTERISTICS

	ASTM F37B Fuel A	ASTM F37B Nitrogen	DIN 3535- 4 Gas Permeability
Gasket Load, psi (N/mm2):	500 (3.5)	3000 (20.7)	4640 (32)
Internal Pressure, psig (bar):	9.8 (0.7)	30 (2)	580 (40)
Leakage	0.1 ml/hr.	0.1 ml/hr.	0.015 cc/min

## IMMERSION PROPERTIES - ASTM F146 Fluid Resistance after Five Hours

		ASTM #1 Oil	ASTM IRM #903	ASTM Fuel A	ASTM Fuel B
		300°F (150°C)	300°F (150°C)	70-85°F (20-30°C)	70-85°F (20-30°C)
	Thickness Increase, (%)	0-5	0-10	0-5	0-10
	Weight Increase, (%)	<10	-	<7	<15
	Tensile Loss, (%)	-	<35	-	-
Notes:					

This is a general guide and should not be the sole means of selecting or rejecting this material. ASTM test results in accordance with ASTM F-104; properties based on 1/32" (0.8mm) sheet thickness unless otherwise mentioned.

\* Values do not constitute specification Limits

<sup>1</sup> See Garlock chemical resistance guide.

<sup>2</sup> Based on ANSI RF flanges at our preferred torque. When approaching maximum pressure, continuous operating temperature, minimum temperature or 50% of maximum PxT, consult Garlock Applications Engineering. Minimum temperature rating is conservative.

<sup>3</sup> Minimum recommended assembly stress = 4,800 psi. Preferred assembly stress = 6,000-10,000 psi. Gasket thickness of 1/16" strongly preferred. Retorque the bolts/studs prior to pressurizing the assembly. For saturated steam above 150 psig or superheated steam, consult Garlock Engineering.

<sup>4</sup> A9: Leakage in Fuel A (Isooctane), Gasket Load = 500psi (3.5N/mm2), Pressure = 9.8psig (0.7bar): Typical = 0.1ml/hr, Max = 0.5ml/hr. A9: Leakage in Nitrogen, Gasket Load = 3,000psi (20.7N/mm2), Pressure = 30psig (2bar): Typical = 0.1ml/hr, Max = 0.5ml/hr. K9: Thermal Conductivity = 0.87W/m°K (6.0btu-in/h-ft<sup>2</sup>°F).

<sup>5</sup> Testing and certification requred.

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