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Garlock Graph-Lock® 3123/3125

MATERIAL PROPERTIES*

Composition: Graphite sheet -Purified natural graphite flake that has been acid washed, expanded under heat, and then compressed into sheets with a minimum graphite content of 98%. For thicknesses ≤1/16" homogeneous graphite is used. For thicknesses >1/16" laminated graphite is used. The laminated graphite sheets are bonded with a proprietary adhesive. This adhesive comprises less than 1% of the total laminated weight. Color:

Black

Temperature², °F (°C)

Minimum: -400 (-240) Continuous Max³: +850 (+454) Pressure², Maximum, psig (bar): 2000 (138)

P x T (max.)², psig x °F (bar x °C)

1/32 and 1/16": 700,000 (25,000) 1/8": 350,000 (12,000)

Meets Specification: Fire Safe

PHYSICAL PROPERTIES

ASTM F36	Compressibility, %:	45		
ASTM F36	Recovery, %:	12		
ASTM F38	Creep Relaxation, %:	10		
ASTM F152	Tensile, Across Grain, psi (N/mm ²):	500 (3.4)		
DIN 52913	Stability Under Stress, % (N/mm ²):	90		
ASTM F1315	Density , lbs./ft. ³ (grams/cm3):	70 (1.12)		
ASTM F586	Design Factors	<u>1/16"</u>		
	"m" factor:	2.0 2.0		
	"y" factor, psi (N/mm²):	2500 (17.2) 2500 (17.2)		
ROTT	Gasket Constants, 1/16":	Gb=970 a=0.384 Gs=0.05		
ASTM F104	Line Call Out:	F507000B2M2		

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	1.0 ml/hr.	1.5 ml/hr.	1.5 cc/min

Chemical Impurity Data

Chemical Limits						
Leachable Levels, Max., ppm		Total Chemical Limits, Max., ppm				
Chlorides ⁴ :	50	Total Chlorides:	500			
Fluorides:	100	Total Fluorides:	500			
Sulfur:	200	Total Sulfur⁵:	500			

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

² 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.

³ Maximum temperature of +1000°F (+540°C) for GRAPH-LOCK HT.

⁴ The leachable chloride level for laminated 3125 material is 100ppm.

 $^{^{\}rm 5}\,$ The total sulfur level for laminated 3125 material is 1200ppm.