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## GSM Armored Hose

- Applications include but not limited to: water cooling hose, oxygen supply hose, hydraulic hose, natural gas hose, black liquor hose, steam hose
- Wide selection of inner hoses specific to the demands of the application are industrial, hydraulic, stainless steel, or PTFE
- Armor: galvanized steel or stainless steel
- Sizes: 1/4" to 12"
- Extremely flexible armor protects from heat, slag splash, and harsh environments
- Temperature rating depends on specific applications; consult Dixon®
- A variety of end connections are available. Contact Dixon at 888.226.4673

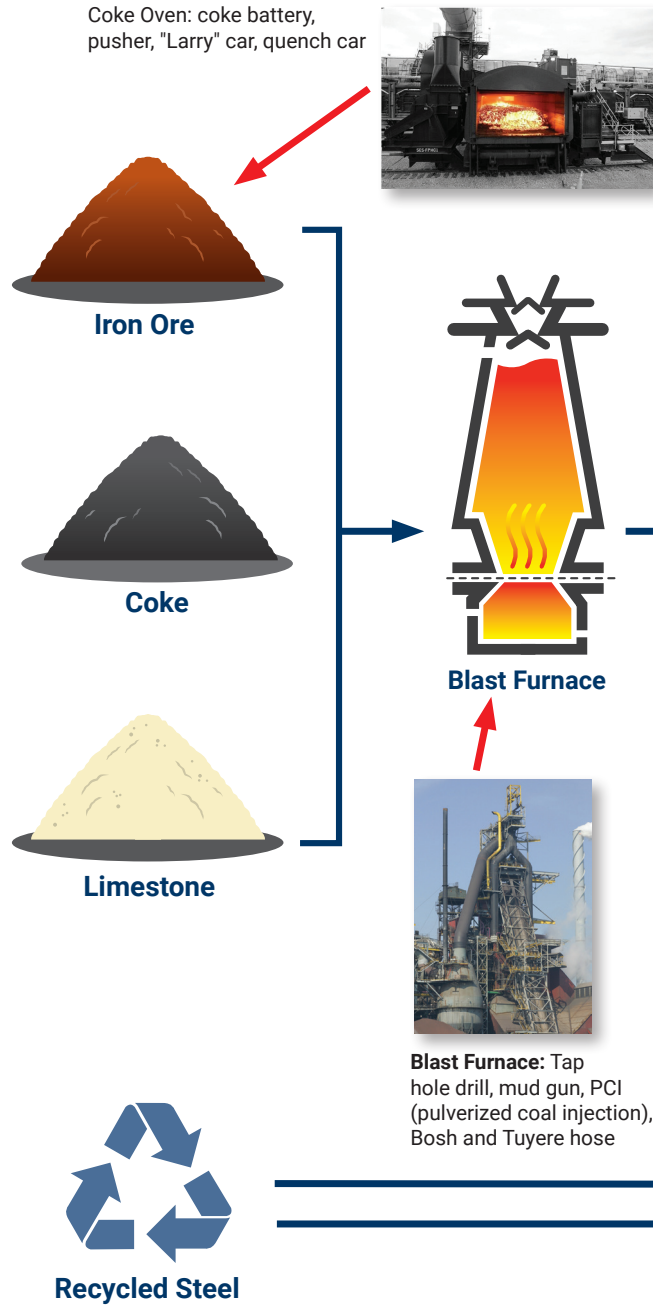
## PTFE Hose

- Available as ready to assemble bulk hose and fittings or made-to-order assemblies
- SAE100R14 nominal smooth bore sizes, True I.D. smooth bore, and open pitch convoluted hose in conductive and non conductive
- Majority of hose and fittings stocked in Maryland providing rapid delivery on made-to-order PTFE hose assemblies
- Common size hose and fittings stocked
- 24-hour or same day shipment for many orders

## Hose Restraints

- Available for a range of applications
- Provide standby safety in the case of accidental failure of assembly or fitting
- King Safety Cables are a low cost answer to minimizing damage to equipment and injuries to operators caused by the failure of air hose connections
  - Ideal for lower pressure hose-to-hose and hose-to-tool applications
- King Safety Whipsocks have dual anchor points that are secured beyond the fitting to keep the hose under complete control during a failure
  - Ideal for higher working pressure hose-to-rigid outlets and hose-to-hose connections
- Nylon safety restraints

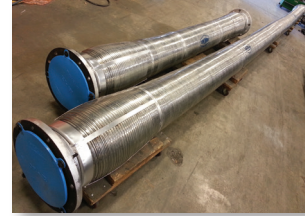
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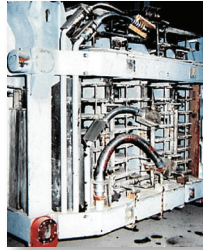
Coke Oven: coke battery, pusher, "Larry" car, quench car



**BOF:** Oxygen lance hose, water supply and return lines and hydraulic hose



**Water Cooling Hose:**  
• GSM bender hose, on the bottom of caster eliminates frequent, time consuming repairs



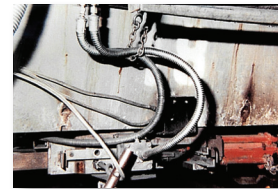
**Blast Furnace:** Tap hole drill, mud gun, PCI (pulverized coal injection), Bosh and Tuyere hose



**8" GSM Water Hose with 206 series Hammer Union:**  
• Spec: 350E  
• GSM armor protects hose from being compromised and from premature failure during critical furnace cooling processes



**GSM Slide Gate Hose:**  
• GSM hydraulic hose, reduces the need for repairs during charges, provides a safer work environment



**GSM Armor** provides a continuous, overlapping barrier without restricting the flexibility of the hose

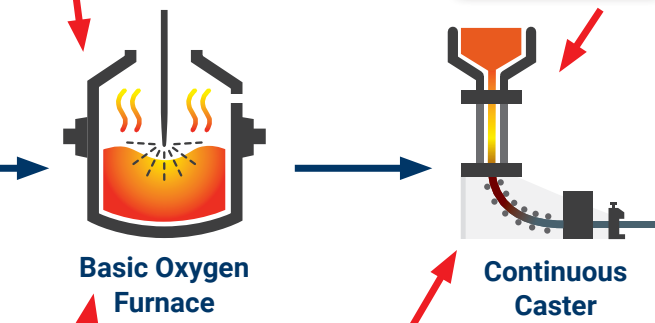


**Material Handling:** Scrap grapple, pot hauler, slag removal and charging systems

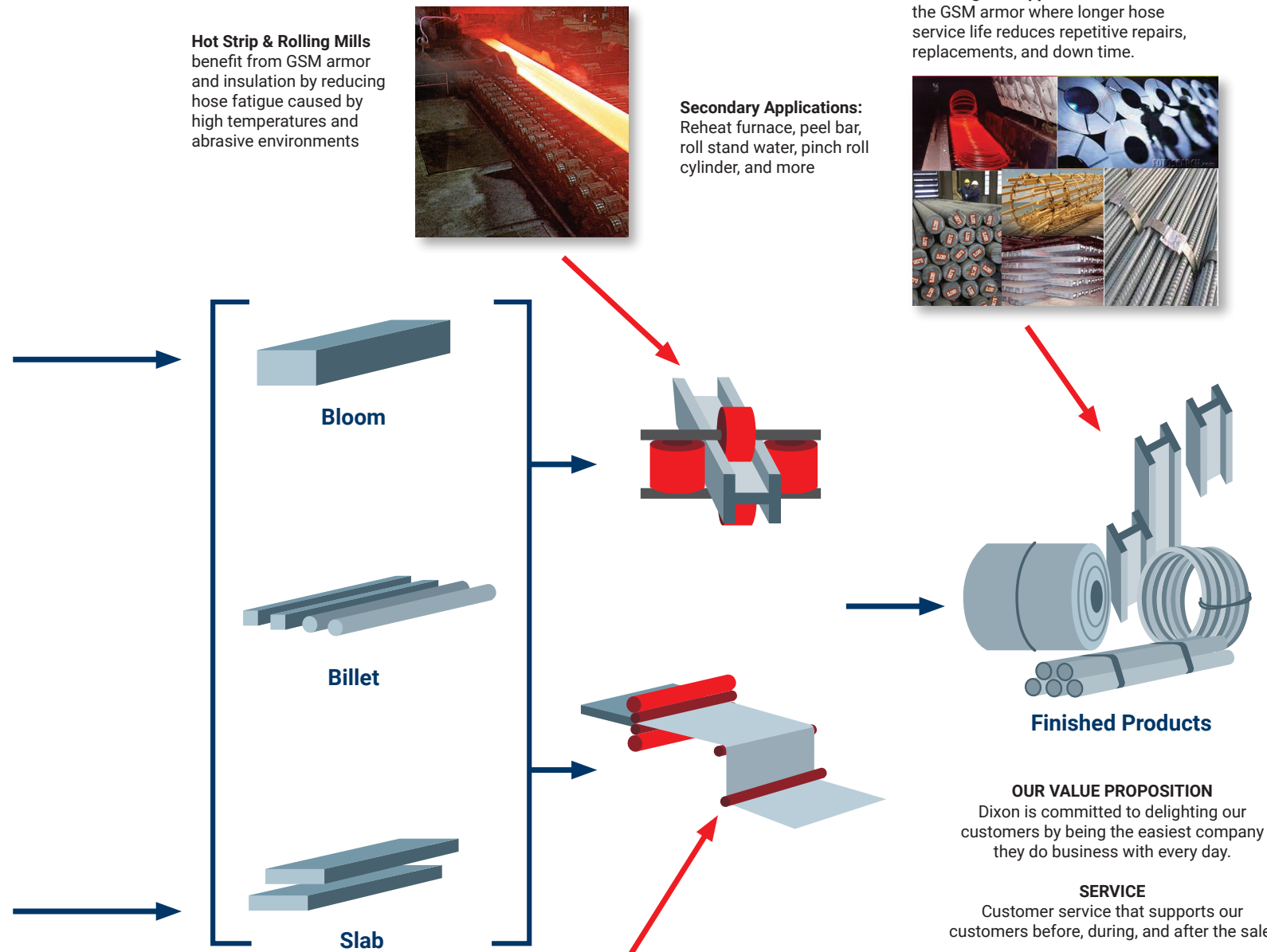
**Tilt Cylinder:**  
• Heavy gauge wire resists sparks and slag during the charging stage



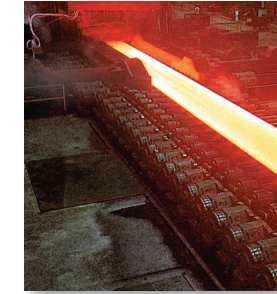
Primary Process: Melting



Secondary Process and Finishing: Cast and Roll



**Hot Strip & Rolling Mills** benefit from GSM armor and insulation by reducing hose fatigue caused by high temperatures and abrasive environments



**Secondary Applications:** Reheat furnace, peel bar, roll stand water, pinch roll cylinder, and more

**Finishing Mill Applications** utilize the GSM armor where longer hose service life reduces repetitive repairs, replacements, and down time.



**GSM Armored PTFE Hose:**  
• Suitable for conveying oils, gases, fuels, and steam  
• Specification: True I.D., smooth bore, open pitch convoluted, and nominal 100R14  
• Stainless steel braid, 1000°F insulation, GSM armor  
• Silicone fire sleeve options available



**GSM Torch cut-off hose** will reduce maintenance caused by exterior abrasion and blows from the cutting process

**OUR VALUE PROPOSITION**  
Dixon is committed to delighting our customers by being the easiest company they do business with every day.

**SERVICE**  
Customer service that supports our customers before, during, and after the sale.

**QUALITY MANUFACTURING**  
Innovative manufacturing that continues to build the Dixon brand recognized by our customers as "The Quality Line".

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Broad product offering that provides our customers with market based solutions supported by extensive customer training.



Dixon has a product for every process of the steel industry



**S.T.A.M.P.E.D.**

When fabricating and specifying hose assemblies ask the following questions:

- Size:** What is the I.D. (inside diameter) of the hose? What is the O.D. (outside diameter) of both ends of the hose? What is the overall length of the assembly required?
- Temperature:** What is the temperature range of the media (product) that is flowing through the hose assembly? What is the temperature range of the environment that surrounds the outside of the hose assembly?
- Application:** How is the hose assembly actually being used? Is it a pressure application? Is it a vacuum (suction) application? Is it a gravity flow application? Are there any special requirements that the hose assembly is expected to perform? Is the hose being used in a horizontal or vertical position? Are there any pulsations or vibrations acting on the hose assembly?
- Media:** What is the media/material that is flowing through the hose assembly? Being specific is critical. Check for: Abrasive materials, chemical compatibility, etc.
- Pressure:** What is the maximum pressure including surges (or, maximum vacuum) that this hose assembly will be subjected to? Always rate the maximum working pressure of your hose assembly by the lowest rated component in the system.
- Ends:** What couplings have been requested by the user? Are they the proper fittings for the application and hose selected?
- Dixon:** Dixon recommends that, based on the hose, fittings, and attachment method used, all assemblies be permanently marked with the designed working pressure and intended media. Do not use other manufacturers' fittings or ferrules with Dixon products due to the differences in dimensions and tolerances We also recommend that all hose assemblies be tested frequently. *Be Safe:* Any questions on application, use, or assembly, call 800.355.1991.

**Ordering Information for Hose Assemblies**

<b>S</b>	Size						
	I.D.	in	Length	ft	Preferred hose material		
<b>T</b>	Temperature of media (inside hose) and environment (outside hose)						
	Media	°F	Environment	°F	Steam	Yes	No
<b>A</b>	Application						
	Application						
	External Environment			Transfer Type			
<b>M</b>	Material being transferred (type & concentration)						
<b>P</b>	Pressure						
	Pressure						
<b>E</b>	End clamping and fitting methods						
	End fitting 1 + material			End fitting 2 + material			
	Preferred clamping method						
<b>D</b>	Delivery						
	Date required			Quantity			

## GSM Armored Hose

### Applications

- Industrial hose applications, where strong resistance to external forces is necessary for machines and equipment to function effectively
- Economically beneficial in applications where industrial hose is exposed to high temperatures, abrasion, and constant flexing
- For various mill applications like material handling, coke oven processing, blast furnaces, electric arc furnaces, basic oxygen furnaces, continuous casters, rolling and finishing mills, among other mill applications

### Features

- Continuous GSM armor construction offers extremely flexible and long-lasting protection for extended hose service
- Multiple layers of heat-resistant insulation are applied to maximize heat absorption and diffusion
- Inner hose chosen to meet installation specifications for hydraulic, water, gases, grease, and steam applications
- Prior to shipment, all GSM hoses are assembled, cleaned, and inspected by our team of highly-trained professionals

### Materials

- Inner hose: reinforced industrial rubber, hydraulic, stainless steel braided metal, and PTFE
- Insulation: multiple layers of 1000°F (538°C) rated fiberglass insulation
- GSM Ball-Joint Armor: galvanized or stainless steel
- Variety of end connections available: 150# and 300# flanges, Dixon Cam & Groove, Hammer Unions, MNPT, FJIC, code 61, and more

### Sizes

- 1/4" - 12" I.D.
- Contact Dixon Specialty Products for custom lengths and fabrications

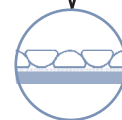


continuous heavy gauge wire construction for superior resistance to impact and abrasion

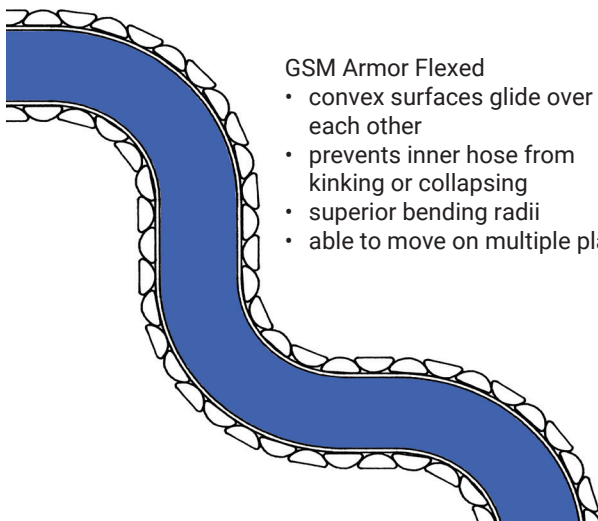
multiple layers of insulation completely incase the inner hose for maximum heat diffusion



wide selection of inner hoses specific to the demand of the application



no interlocking parts to restrict bending



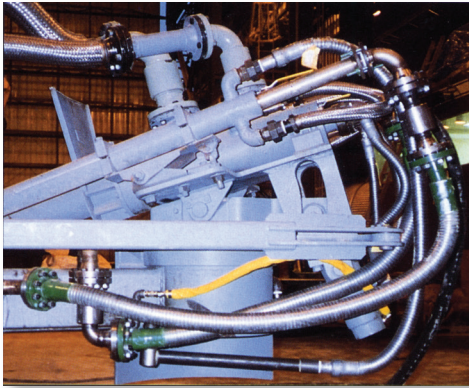
#### GSM Armor Flexed

- convex surfaces glide over each other
- prevents inner hose from kinking or collapsing
- superior bending radii
- able to move on multiple planes



GSM BOP hose tested at 2,000°F (1093°C) (2,000,000 BTU's) at 5,000 PSIWP.

## Oxygen Hose



GSM armor and insulation deliver maximum diffusion and absorption of heat.

### Application

- Reliable connector for the critical transfer of supplying oxygen into an oxy-fuel burner furnace

### Features

- Multiple layers of **1000°F (538°C)** rated heat-resistant insulation
- Temperature rating depends on the specific application

### Materials

- Tube: neoprene rubber
- Reinforcement: multiple high tensile wire braids
- Cover: smooth neoprene
- GSM Ball-Joint Armor: galvanized steel or stainless steel

### Sizes

- 3/8" - 3"

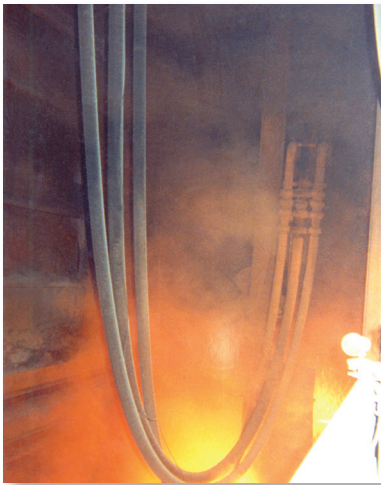
### Specification

- 256H

Hose Dimension		Minimum Bend Radius	PSI		Approximate Weight (ft-lbs)
I.D.	Approximate O.D.		Working	Burst	
3/8"	60/64"	2"	500	2000	1
1/2"	1-17/64"	2-1/2"	500	2000	1.25
3/4"	1-19/64"	3"	500	2000	1.8
1"	1-45/64"	4-1/2"	500	2000	2
1-1/4"	1-52/64"	5"	500	2000	2.8
1-1/2"	2-18/64"	6-1/2"	500	2000	3
2"	2-53/64"	11"	300	1200	4
2-1/2"	3-27/64"	12"	300	1200	5
3"	3-45/64"	15"	300	1200	6.25

NOTE: Consult Dixon® for details.

## BOF Oxygen Lance Hose



Flexibility of GSM will reduce noise caused by vibration.

### Application

- Reliable connector for the injection of oxygen directly into molten steel in a basic oxygen furnace

### Features

- Multiple layers of **1000°F (538°C)** rated heat-resistant insulation
- Temperature rating depends on the specific application

### Materials

- Tube: neoprene rubber
- Reinforcement: multiple textile plies and metal helix wire
- Cover: smooth neoprene
- GSM Ball-Joint Armor: galvanized steel or stainless steel

### Sizes

- 4" - 8"

### Specification

- LW65

Hose Dimension		Minimum Bend Radius	PSI		Approximate Weight (ft-lbs)
I.D.	Approximate O.D.		Working	Burst	
4"	5-36/64"	24"	300	1500	11
6"	7-45/64"	36"	300	1500	20
8"	10"	48"	300	1500	27.5

NOTE: Consult Dixon® for details.

## Water Hose

### Application

- Water cooled applications where flexible connections are required to transfer water in abrasive environments

### Features

- Multiple layers of **1000°F (538°C)** rated heat-resistant insulation
- Temperature rating depends on the specific application

### Specifications

- 1/2" to 3": 460H, 4" and above: 350H

### Materials

- Tube: 1/2" to 3" nitrile rubber, 4" and above are SBR rubber blend
- Reinforcement: 1/2" to 3" have multiple high tensile wire braids, 4" and above have multiple textile plies and metal helix wire
- Cover: SBR rubber blend
- GSM Ball-Joint Armor: galvanized steel or stainless steel

### Sizes

- 1/2" - 10" hose



Circulating water in an electric arc furnace cooling roof or furnace door.

Hose Dimension		Minimum Bend Radius	PSI		Approximate Weight (ft-lbs)
I.D.	Approximate O.D.		Working	Burst	
1/2"	1-15/64"	2-1/2"	500	2000	1.1
3/4"	1-22/64"	3"	500	2000	1.4
1"	1-42/64"	4"	500	2000	1.8
1-1/4"	1-60/64"	5"	500	2000	2.4
1-1/2"	2-18/64"	8"	500	2000	2.9
2"	2-50/64"	10"	500	2000	3.8
2-1/2"	3-18/64"	13"	400	1600	4.5
3"	4-8/64"	17"	400	1600	6
4"	5-36/64"	24"	150	600	11
6"	7-45/64"	36"	150	600	20
8"	10-7/64"	48"	150	600	27.5
10"	12"	60"	150	600	35

NOTE: Consult Dixon® for details.

## Hydraulic Hose

### Application

- Hydraulic service in abrasive environments needs the ultimate protection from external abuse, extreme heat, and kinking

### Features

- Multiple layers of **1000°F (538°C)** rated heat-resistant insulation
- Temperature rating depends on the specific application

### Materials

- Tube: oil resistant, synthetic rubber
- Reinforcement: 2, 4, and 6 wire braids
- Cover: oil resistant, synthetic rubber
- GSM Ball-Joint Armor: galvanized steel or stainless steel

### Sizes

- 1/4" - 2" standard, other sizes available

### Specifications

- 100R2, 100R12, 100R13



Better resistance to impact, abrasion, and kinking.

Hose Dimension I.D.	Working Pressure (PSI)		Bend Radius	
	100R2	100R12	100R2	100R12
1/4"	5800	n/a	3"	n/a
3/8"	5000	4000	4"	5"
1/2"	4250	4000	6"	7"
5/8"	2750	4000	7"	8"
3/4"	3125	4000	8-1/2"	9-1/2"
1"	2500	4000	10"	12"
1-1/4"	2250	3000	14-1/2"	16-1/2"
1-1/2"	1800	2500	18"	20"
2"	1300	3000	22"	25"

NOTE: Consult Dixon for details.

### Air Hose



Ideal in the applications where failures could be a disaster.

**Application**

- Air service in the transportation industry for air brake systems for rail cars and signal hose

**Features**

- Multiple layers of **1000°F (538°C)** rated heat-resistant insulation
- Temperature rating depends on the specific application

**Materials**

- Tube: nitrile blend
- Reinforcement: multiple high tensile wire braids
- Cover: neoprene rubber
- GSM Ball-Joint Armor: galvanized steel or stainless steel

**Sizes**

- 1/2" - 3"

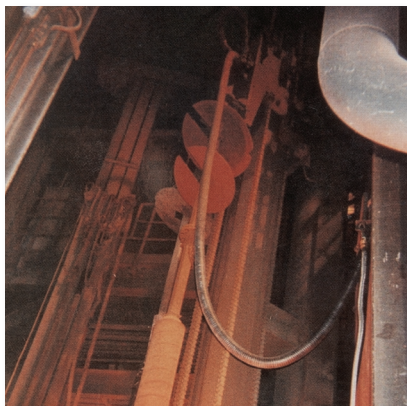
**Specification**

- 460H

Hose Dimension		Minimum Bend Radius	PSI		Approximate Weight (ft-lbs)
I.D.	Approximate O.D.		Working	Burst	
1/2"	1-15/64"	2-1/2"	500	2000	1.1
3/4"	1-22/64"	3"	500	2000	1.4
1"	1-42/64"	4"	500	2000	1.8
1-1/4"	1-60/64"	5"	500	2000	2.4
1-1/2"	2-18/64"	8"	500	2000	2.9
2"	2-50/64"	10"	500	2000	3.8
2-1/2"	3-18/64"	13"	400	1600	4.5
3"	4-8/64"	17"	400	1600	6

NOTE: Consult Dixon® for details.

### Natural Gas Hose



Reliable, flexible connector to meet your needs.

**Application**

- Used in the transfer of gases, ideally the injection of oxygen, natural gas, argon, or other gases into the ladle or blast furnace

**Features**

- Multiple layers of **1000°F (538°C)** rated heat-resistant insulation
- Temperature rating depends on the specific application

**Materials**

- Tube: neoprene rubber
- Reinforcement: multiple high tensile wire braids
- Cover: neoprene rubber
- GSM Ball-Joint Armor: galvanized steel or stainless steel

**Sizes**

- 3/8" - 3"

**Specification**

- 256H

Hose Dimension		Minimum Bend Radius	PSI		Approximate Weight (ft-lbs)
I.D.	Approximate O.D.		Working	Burst	
3/8"	60/64"	2"	500	2000	1
1/2"	1-17/64"	2-1/2"	500	2000	1.25
3/4"	1-19/64"	3"	500	2000	1.8
1"	1-45/64"	4-1/2"	500	2000	2
1-1/4"	1-52/64"	5"	500	2000	2.8
1-1/2"	2-18/64"	6-1/2"	500	2000	3
2"	2-53/64"	11"	300	1200	4
2-1/2"	3-27/64"	12"	300	1200	5
3"	3-45/64"	15"	300	1200	6.25

NOTE: Consult Dixon for details.

### Steam Hose

**Application**

- Used to convey steam in applications where heat and abrasion are a concern

**Features**

- Multiple layers of **1000°F (538°C)** rated heat-resistant insulation
- Temperature rating depends on the specific application

**Materials**

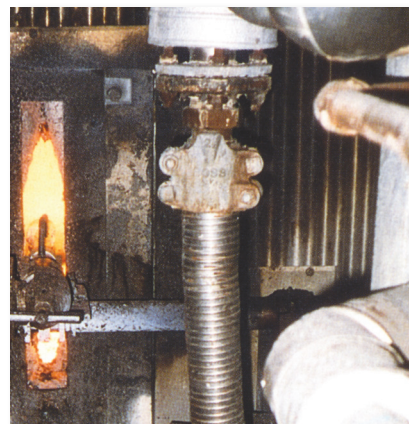
- Tube: Butyl blend
- Reinforcement: wire braid
- Cover: EPDM
- GSM Ball-Joint Armor: galvanized steel or stainless steel

**Sizes**

- 1/2" - 3"

**Specification**

- 769H



Designed to extend the life of your hose in the harshest conditions.

Hose Dimension		Minimum Bend Radius	PSI		Approximate Weight (ft-lbs)
I.D.	Approximate O.D.		Working	Burst	
1/2"	1-15/64"	3"	250	2500	1.25
3/4"	1-34/64"	4-1/2"	250	2500	2
1"	1-54/64"	5"	250	2500	2.25
1-1/4"	2-8/64"	6"	250	2500	3
1-1/2"	2-26/64"	7"	250	2500	3.5
2"	3"	10"	250	2500	4.5
2-1/2"	3-24/64"	13"	250	2500	6.25
3"	4-9/64"	16"	250	2500	7.5

NOTE: Consult Dixon® for details.

### Black Liquor Hose

**Application**

- Used to convey Black Liquor in applications where heat and abrasion are a concern such as the pulp and paper industry

**Features**

- Multiple layers of **1000°F (538°C)** rated heat-resistant insulation
- Temperature rating depends on specific application

**Materials**

- Tube: Butyl blend
- Reinforcement: wire braid
- Cover: EPDM
- GSM Ball-Joint Armor: galvanized steel or stainless steel

**Sizes**

- 1/2" - 3"

**Specification**

- 769H



Keeping the hose protected for extended life of the hose.

Hose Dimension		Minimum Bend Radius	PSI		Approximate Weight (ft-lbs)
I.D.	Approximate O.D.		Working	Burst	
1/2"	1-15/64"	3"	250	2500	1.25
3/4"	1-34/64"	4-1/2"	250	2500	2
1"	1-54/64"	5"	250	2500	2.25
1-1/4"	2-8/64"	6"	250	2500	3
1-1/2"	2-26/64"	7"	250	2500	3.5
2"	3"	10"	250	2500	4.5
2-1/2"	3-24/64"	13"	250	2500	6.25
3"	4-9/64"	16"	250	2500	7.5

NOTE: Consult Dixon for details.

## GSM Ball-Joint Armored Stainless Hose

Exclusively with our genuine ball-joint armor

### Application

- Used where pressure, temperature, media, or environment exceeds the limitations of rubber or PTFE lined transfer hose

### Features

- Temperature: **1500°F (815.5°C)**, see temperature adjustments on pg. 30
- Heat-resistant insulation to **1000°F (538°C)**

### Materials

- Hose: 321 stainless steel and 316L stainless steel are available
- Single or double braid available in 304 and 316 stainless steel

### Specification

- ISO 10380

## GAM Hose – DA1 and DA2



Hose	Hose Dimension				Bend Radius		PSI @ 70°F (21°C)	
	I.D.	# Braids	O.D. with Braid	Approx. O.D. with GSM Ball Joint Armor	Dynamic	Static	Working	Burst
DA1	1/4"	1	.48"	.82"	5	1	---	---
DA2		2	.56"	.89"			<b>2500</b>	<b>10000</b>
DA1	3/8"	1	.7"	1"	5.5	1.25	<b>3375</b>	<b>13500</b>
DA2		2	.81"	1.06"			<b>1680</b>	<b>6720</b>
DA1	1/2"	1	.91"	1.08"	6	1.5	<b>2700</b>	<b>10740</b>
DA2		2	.98"	1.21"			<b>1980</b>	<b>7920</b>
DA1	3/4"	1	1.28"	1.53"	8	2.25	<b>940</b>	<b>3760</b>
DA2		2	1.35"	1.6"			<b>1500</b>	<b>6000</b>
DA1	1"	1	1.58"	1.83"	9	2.75	<b>630</b>	<b>2520</b>
DA2		2	1.65"	1.9"			<b>1000</b>	<b>4000</b>
DA1	1-1/4"	1	1.93"	2.08"	10.5	3.5	<b>575</b>	<b>2300</b>
DA2		2	2.02"	2.27"			<b>920</b>	<b>3680</b>
DA1	1-1/2"	1	2.28"	2.44"	12	4	<b>500</b>	<b>2000</b>
DA2		2	2.37"	2.62"			<b>800</b>	<b>3200</b>
DA1	2"	1	2.73"	2.85"	15	5	<b>530</b>	<b>2120</b>
DA2		2	2.85"	3.09"			<b>850</b>	<b>3400</b>
DA1	2-1/2"	1	3.33"	3.5"	20	8	<b>500</b>	<b>2000</b>
DA2		2	3.43"	3.68"			<b>700</b>	<b>2800</b>
DA1	3"	1	3.88"	4.03"	22	9	<b>400</b>	<b>1600</b>
DA2		2	3.98"	4.27"			<b>600</b>	<b>2400</b>
DA1	4"	1	4.98"	5.1"	27	13	<b>300</b>	<b>1200</b>
DA2		2	5.08"	5.35"			<b>440</b>	<b>1770</b>
DA1	6"	1	7.1"	7.12"	36	19	<b>165</b>	<b>660</b>
DA2		2	7.33"	7.58"			<b>260</b>	<b>1050</b>
DA1	8"	1	9.19"	9.34"	40	20	<b>230</b>	<b>930</b>
DA2		2	9.28"	9.53"			<b>370</b>	<b>1495</b>
DA1	10"	1	11.32"	11.43"	50	25	<b>230</b>	<b>910</b>
DA2		2	11.45"	11.7"			<b>360</b>	<b>1460</b>
DA1	12"	1	13.31"	13.5"	60	30	<b>160</b>	<b>640</b>
DA2		2	13.43"	13.75"			<b>250</b>	<b>1020</b>

## GSM Ball-Joint Armored Stainless Hose

Exclusively with our genuine ball-joint armor

### Application

- Intended for applications that require high-pressure options

### Features

- Temperature: **1500°F (815.5°C)**, see temperature adjustments on pg. 30
- Heat-resistant insulation to **1000°F (538°C)**

### Materials

- Hose: 321 stainless steel and 316L stainless steel are available
- Double braid available in 304 and 316 stainless steel

### Specification

- ISO 10380

### High Pressure GAM Hose – D82 and D92

Hose	Hose Dimension				Bend Radius		PSI @ 70°F (21°C)	
	I.D.	# Braids	O.D. with Braid	Approx. O.D. with GSM Ball Joint Armor	Dynamic	Static	Working	Burst
D82	1/4"	2	.64"	.89"	5	2.50	<b>4000</b>	<b>16400</b>
D92		2	.64"	.89"	12	6	<b>4400</b>	<b>17500</b>
D82	3/8"	2	.81"	1.06"	5.5	2.75	<b>2400</b>	<b>9600</b>
D92		2	.83"	1.08"	12	6	<b>3000</b>	<b>12290</b>
D82	1/2"	2	1.02"	1.27"	8	4	<b>3500</b>	<b>14000</b>
D92		2	1.02"	1.27"	14	7	<b>3500</b>	<b>14000</b>
D82	3/4"	2	1.41"	1.66"	8	4	<b>2000</b>	<b>8300</b>
D92		2	1.46"	1.71"	15	7.5	<b>3190</b>	<b>12760</b>
D82	1"	2	1.7"	1.95"	9	4.5	<b>1700</b>	<b>6800</b>
D92		2	1.77"	2.02"	16	8	<b>2500</b>	<b>10200</b>
D82	1-1/4"	2	2.1"	2.35"	10	5	<b>1700</b>	<b>7000</b>
D92		2	2.09"	2.34"	18	9	<b>2100</b>	<b>8400</b>
D82	1-1/2"	2	2.43"	2.68"	10	5	<b>1380</b>	<b>5500</b>
D92		2	2.43"	2.68"	19	9.5	<b>1695</b>	<b>6795</b>
D82	2"	2	2.76"	3.01"	11.5	5.75	<b>1295</b>	<b>5180</b>
D92		2	2.77"	3.02"	24	12	<b>1340</b>	<b>5300</b>
D82	2-1/2"	2	3.49"	3.75"	24	12	<b>925</b>	<b>3700</b>
D82	3"	2	4.03"	4.28"	28	14	<b>850</b>	<b>3450</b>
D82	4"	2	5.05"	5.3"	40	20	<b>530</b>	<b>2100</b>
D82	6"	2	7.33"	7.58"	95	24	<b>425</b>	<b>1700</b>



**Armored Hose Fittings**

Available in carbon steel and stainless steel, consult Dixon Specialty Products for other available options.



male NPT



Dixon ground joint



hex male NPT



150# and 300# fixed or floating flange



female JIC



FJIC 45° and 90° elbow



code 61 and 62 straight



code 61 and 62  
45° and 90° elbow

**Additional Ends**



Dixon coupler  
Cam & Groove



Dixon adapter  
Cam & Groove



hammer union



NPT threaded union

## Food Grade Hose

### Applications

- Suitable for the transfer of fatty liquids, alcohol (max 92%), and food processing

### Sizes

- 1-1/2", 2", 3", and 4"

### Feature

- Highly flexible FDA and 3A compliant white smooth-bore nitrile tube
  - Compatible with True I.D. fitting line
  - Special food hose crimp collars required
- NOTE: Contact Dixon® for more information

### Materials

- Tube: FDA compliant chlorobutyl with ultra smooth tube
- Reinforcement: synthetic plies with an embedded helix wire
- Cover: gray ozone and weather resistant non-marking compound

### Specifications

- Temperature range: -4°F to 200°F (-20°C to 93°C) continuous



Part #	Size	Approximate O.D.	PSI		Minimum Bend Radius	Approximate Weight (ft-lbs)
			Working	Burst		
BFH-150	1-1/2"	2.05"	250	750	9.06	0.87
BFH-200	2"	2.56"	250	750	11.81	1.24
BFH-300	3"	3.62"	250	750	17.72	2.08
BFH-400	4"	4.8"	250	750	23.62	3.19

NOTE: For use with fittings and ferrules on page 16.

## Dixon Boss® Sanitary Crimp Stems

### Clamp End x Hose Shank

#### Features

- Sanitary style end
- Dixon sanitary crimp stems are only to be used with Dixon sanitary stainless steel crimp ferrules listed below
- Reference [dixonvalve.com](http://dixonvalve.com) for crimp recommendations



Size	316 Stainless Steel Part #
1"	CSSR100-3A
1-1/2"	CSSR150-3A
2"	CSSR200-3A
2-1/2"	CSSR250
3"	CSSR300-3A
4"	CSSR400

## Dixon Boss Sanitary Ferrules

### Crimp Ferrules

#### Approval

- Ferrules have a surface finish of 63 or better



Hose I.D.	Hose O.D.		AISI 304 Stainless Steel Part #
	From	To	
1-1/2"	1-58/64"	1-61/64"	F24G-1969
	1-62/64"	2-1/64"	F24G-2031
	2-2/64"	2-5/64"	F24G-2094
	2-6/64"	2-9/64"	F24G-2156
	2-10/64"	2-13/64"	F24G-2219
	2-14/64"	2-17/64"	F24G-2281
	2-18/64"	2-21/64"	F24G-2344
	2-22/64"	2-25/64"	F24G-2406
2"	2-30/64"	2-33/64"	F32G-2531
	2-34/64"	2-37/64"	F32G-2594
	2-38/64"	2-41/64"	F32G-2656
	2-42/64"	2-45/64"	F32G-2719
	2-46/64"	2-48/64"	F32G-2766
	2-49/64"	2-51/64"	F32G-2815
	2-52/64"	2-55/64"	F32G-2875
	2-56/64"	2-59/64"	F32G-2938
	2-60/64"	2-63/64"	F32G-3000
	3"	3-3/64"	F32G-3063
3"	3-4/64"	3-7/64"	F32G-3125
	3-36/64"	3-39/64"	F48G-3625
	3-40/64"	3-43/64"	F48G-3688
	3-44/64"	3-47/64"	F48G-3750
	3-48/64"	3-51/64"	F48G-3813
	3-52/64"	3-55/64"	F48G-3875
	3-56/64"	3-59/64"	F48G-3938
	3-61/64"	4"	F48G-4016
4"	4-40/64"	4-43/64"	F64G-4688
	4-44/64"	4-47/64"	F64G-4750
	4-48/64"	4-51/64"	F64G-4813
	4-52/64"	4-55/64"	F64G-4875
	4-56/64"	4-59/64"	F64G-4938
	5-5/64"	5-8/64"	F64G-5141

### Nominal

**Applications**

- Suitable for conveying chemicals, foods, pharmaceuticals, oils, gas, fuels, steam, and cooling fluids for data centers

**Size**

- Size range: dash-3 to dash-20

**Specification**

- Temperature range: -100°F to 450°F (-73°C to 232°C)

**Features**

- 304 stainless braided
- Extruded or heat shrink coverings are available upon request
- Boxed coils (bulk, per ft. lengths, and full reels available from Maryland, call Dixon® at 888.226.4673)
- For use with nominal PTFE fittings on pages 18 and 19

**Approval**

- Nominal standard smooth bore PTFE hose meets SAE100R14

### Nominal Smooth Bore PTFE Hose – Coiled (fittings not included)



Nominal Size	Average I.D.	Length in Feet	Dash Size	Working Pressure (PSI)	Burst Pressure (PSI)	White, non-conductive, coiled Part #	Black, conductive, coiled Part #
1/4"	.187"	100	dash-4	3,000	12,000	WSB-04-100	---
5/16"	.250"		dash-5	3,000	12,000	WSB-05-100	---
3/8"	.312"		dash-6	2,500	10,000	WSB-06-100	---
1/2"	.405"		dash-8	2,000	8,000	WSB-08-100	---
5/8"	.500"		dash-10	1,750	7,000	WSB-10-100	BSB-10-100
3/4"	.625"		dash-12	1,500	6,000	WSB-12-100	BSB-12-100
3/4T"	.750"	50	dash-12T	1,100	4,400	---	BSB-12T-50
1"	.875"		dash-16	1,000	4,000	WSB-16-50	BSB-16-50

### Nominal Smooth Bore PTFE Hose Per Foot Length (fittings not included)

Nominal Size	Average I.D.	Dash Size	White, non-conductive Part #	Black, conductive Part #
1/4"	.187"	dash-4	WSB-04	BSB-04
5/16"	.250"	dash-5	WSB-05	---
3/8"	.312"	dash-6	WSB-06	BSB-06
3/8T"	.375"	dash-6T	WSB-06T	---
1/2"	.405"	dash-8	WSB-08	BSB-08
5/8"	.500"	dash-10	WSB-10	BSB-10
3/4"	.625"	dash-12	WSB-12	BSB-12
3/4T"	.750"	dash-12T	WSB-12T	---
1"	.875"	dash-16	WSB-16	---
1T"	1.000"	dash-16T	---	BSB-16T
1-1/4"	1.125"	dash-20Z	WSB-20Z <sup>1</sup>	BSB-20Z <sup>1</sup>

<sup>1</sup> Double braided

NOTE: Per feet lengths are available from Maryland. Contact Dixon at 888.226.4673.

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**! WARNING:** For safety reasons, due to differences in dimensions and tolerances, do not interchange other manufacturer's products with Dixon products.

### Nominal Fittings

**Crimp Collars for all nominal fittings are included**

- For use with nominal smooth bore PTFE hoses on the previous page

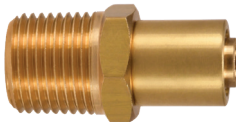
#### Female JIC Swivels



Hose Size	Thread Size	Carbon Steel Part #	304 Stainless Steel Part #	Brass Part #
dash 4	1/4"	FJC-04-04	FJS-04-04	FJB-04-04
dash 5	5/16"	FJC-05-05	FJS-05-05	FJB-05-05
dash 6	3/8"	FJC-06-06	FJS-06-06	FJB-06-06
dash 8	1/2"	FJC-08-08	FJS-08-08	FJB-08-08
dash 10	5/8"	FJC-10-10	FJS-10-10	FJB-10-10
dash 12	3/4"	FJC-12-12	FJS-12-12	FJB-12-12
dash 16	1"	FJC-16-16	FJS-16-16	FJB-16-16
dash 20Z	1-1/4"	FJC-20Z-20	FJS-20Z-20 <sup>1</sup>	---

<sup>1</sup> stock quantity only

#### Rigid Male Pipe Fittings



Hose Size	Thread Size	Carbon Steel Part #	304 Stainless Steel Part #	Brass Part #
dash 4	1/8"	MPC-04-02	MPS-04-02	MPB-04-02
dash 4	1/4"	MPC-04-04	MPS-04-04	MPB-04-04
dash 5	1/4"	MPC-05-04	MPS-05-04	MPB-05-04
dash 6	1/4"	MPC-06-04	MPS-06-04	MPB-06-04
dash 6	3/8"	MPC-06-06	MPS-06-06	MPB-06-06
dash 8	3/8"	MPC-08-06	MPS-08-06	MPB-08-06
dash 8	1/2"	MPC-08-08	MPS-08-08	MPB-08-08
dash 10	1/2"	MPC-10-08	MPS-10-08	MPB-10-08
dash 12	3/4"	MPC-12-12	MPS-12-12	MPB-12-12
dash 16	1"	MPC-16-16	MPS-16-16	MPB-16-16
dash 20Z	1-1/4"	MPC-20Z-20	---	MPB-20Z-20

#### Female SAE Swivels



Hose Size	Thread Size	Carbon Steel Part #	Brass Part #
dash 6	3/8"	SAEC-06-06	SAEB-06-06
dash 12	3/4"	SAEC-12-12	SAEB-12-12



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**WARNING:** For safety reasons, due to differences in dimensions and tolerances, do not interchange other manufacturer's products with Dixon products.

### Nominal PTFE Hose Insertion Tool and Dies

**Feature**

- Takes the hassle out of installing crimp collars onto braided PTFE Hose; with a few simple steps even challenging braid can be easily and safely inserted into the crimp collar

Description	Size	Part #
tool/die holder	---	ITDH
die	dash 4	ITD-04
die	dash 5	ITD-05
die	dash 6	ITD-06
die	dash 8	ITD-08
die	dash 10	ITD-10
die	dash 12	ITD-12
die	dash 16	ITD-16



### Nominal Smooth Bore PTFE Hose Fittings

Crimp collars for all nominal fittings are included

**Application**

- For use with nominal smooth bore PTFE hoses on page 17

#### Tube End Stubs

Hose Size	Tube Size	304 Stainless Steel Part #
dash 4	1/4"	TES-04-04
dash 6	3/8"	TES-06-06
dash 8	1/2"	TES-08-08
dash 12	3/4"	TES-12-12
dash 16	1"	TES-16-16



#### 45° FJIC Fittings

Hose Size	Thread Size	304 Stainless Steel Part #	Carbon Steel Part #
dash 3	3/16"	FJS45-03-03	FJC45-03-03
dash 4	1/4"	FJS45-04-04	FJC45-04-04
dash 5	5/16"	FJS45-05-05	FJC45-05-05
dash 6	3/8"	FJS45-06-06	FJC45-06-06
dash 8	1/2"	---	FJC45-08-08
dash 10	5/8"	FJS45-10-10	FJC45-10-10
dash 12	3/4"	---	FJC45-12-12
dash 16	1"	---	FJC45-16-16



#### 90° FJIC Fittings

Hose Size	Thread Size	304 Stainless Steel Part #	Carbon Steel Part #
dash 3	3/16"	FJS90-03-03	FJC90-03-03
dash 4	1/4"	FJS90-04-04	FJC90-04-04
dash 5	5/16"	---	FJC90-05-05
dash 6	3/8"	FJS90-06-06	FJC90-06-06
dash 8	1/2"	FJS90-08-08	FJC90-08-08
dash 10	5/8"	FJS90-10-10	FJC90-10-10
dash 12	3/4"	FJS90-12-12	FJC90-12-12
dash 16	1"	---	FJC90-16-16
dash 20Z	1-1/4"	FJS90-20Z-20	FJC90-20Z-20



**True I.D. Hose**

**Application**

- Suitable for conveying acids, chemicals, foods, and pharmaceuticals

**Size**

- Size range: 1/4" - 2"

**Specification**

- Temperature range: -100°F to 450°F (-73°C to 232°C)

**Features**

- Boxed coils (bulk, per ft. lengths, and full reels available from Maryland, call Dixon® at 888.226.4673)
- 304 stainless braided
- Other braids including synthetic, extruded, and heat shrink coverings are available upon request



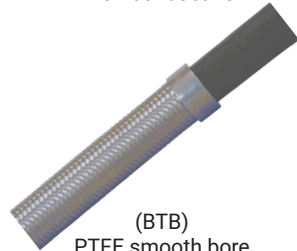
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PTFE convoluted  
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(WTB)  
PTFE smooth bore  
non-conductive



(BTB)  
PTFE smooth bore  
conductive

**True I.D. Open Pitch Convoluted Hose**

(fittings not included)

Size	Working Pressure PSI	Burst Pressure PSI	White, non-conductive Part #	Black, conductive Part #
1/4"	1,740	6,960	WOC-T04	---
3/8"	1,850	7,400	WOC-T06	BOC-T06
1/2"	1,500	6,000	WOC-T08	BOC-T08
3/4"	1,300	5,200	WOC-T12	BOC-T12
1"	1,000	4,000	WOC-T16	BOC-T16
1-1/4"	900	3,600	WOC-T20	BOC-T20
1-1/2"	700	2,800	WOC-T24	BOC-T24
2"	500	2,000	WOC-T32	BOC-T32

**Heavy Wall True I.D. Smooth Bore Hose**

(fittings not included)

Size	Working Pressure PSI	Burst Pressure PSI	White, non-conductive Part #	Black, conductive Part #
1/4"	3,000	12,000	WTB-T04	---
3/8"	2,250	9,000	WTB-T06	BTB-T06
1/2"	1,500	6,000	WTB-T08	BTB-T08
3/4"	1,100	4,400	WTB-T12	BTB-T12
1"	900	3,600	WTB-T16	BTB-T16

NOTE: For use with nominal PTFE fittings on pages 20 and 21.

**True I.D. Fittings**

Crimp collars for all True I.D. fittings are sold separately

**Female JIC Swivels**

Size	Carbon Steel Part #	316 Stainless Steel Part #
1/4"	FJC-T04	FJR-T04
3/8"	FJC-T06	FJR-T06
1/2"	FJC-T08	FJR-T08
3/4"	FJC-T12	FJR-T12
1"	FJC-T16	FJR-T16
1-1/4"	FJC-T20	FJR-T20
1-1/2"	FJC-T24	FJR-T24
2"	FJC-T32	FJR-T32



**Rigid Male Pipe Fittings**

Size	Carbon Steel Part #	316 Stainless Steel Part #
1/4"	MPC-T04	MPR-T04
3/8"	---	MPR-T06
1/2"	MPC-T08	MPR-T08
3/4"	MPC-T12	MPR-T12
1"	MPC-T16	MPR-T16
1-1/4"	MPC-T20	MPR-T20
1-1/2"	MPC-T24	MPR-T24
2"	MPC-T32	MPR-T32



NOTE: For use with True I.D. PTFE hoses.

### True I.D. Fittings

#### PTFE Hose Fittings

#### Sanitary Tri-Clamps

#### Application

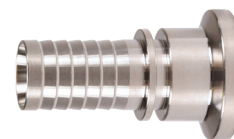
- For use with True I.D. PTFE hoses on page 20

Hose Size	Clamp Size	316 Stainless Steel Part #
1/2"	1"	TCR-T08-16
1/2"	1-1/2"	TCR-T08-24
3/4"	1-1/2"	TCR-T12-24
1"	1"	TCR-T16-16
1"	1-1/2"	TCR-T16-24
1-1/2"	1-1/2"	TCR-T24-24
2"	2"	TCR-T32-32



#### Mini Sanitary Tri-Clamps

Size	316 Stainless Steel Part #
1/2"	TCMR-T08
3/4"	TCMR-T12



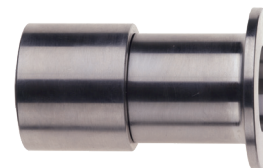
NOTE: For GSM and PTFE hose assemblies contact Dixon® at 888.226.4673.

#### Flange Retainers

#### Feature

- For use with lap joint flanges. Contact Dixon at 888.226.4673

Size	316 Stainless Steel Part #	316 Stainless Steel PTFE Encapsulated Part #
1/2"	FRR-T08	---
3/4"	FRR-T12	FRRE-T12
1"	FRR-T16	FRRE-T16
1-1/4"	---	FRRE-T20
2"	FRR-T32	---



#### Crimp Collars

#### Convuluted Crimp Collars

#### Features

- For True I.D. open pitch convuluted PTFE hose only
- New design for ease of installation and improved appearance of finished crimp

Size	Carbon Steel Part #	304 Stainless Steel Part #
1/4"	CSC-T04-1	SSC-T04-1
3/8"	CSC-T06-1	SSC-T06-1
1/2"	CSC-T08-1	SSC-T08-1
3/4"	CSC-T12-1	SSC-T12-1
1"	CSC-T16-1	SSC-T16-1
1-1/4"	CSC-T20-1	SSC-T20-1
1-1/2"	CSC-T24-1	SSC-T24-1
2"	CSC-T32-1	SSC-T32-1



#### Smooth Bore Crimp Collars

#### Features

- For True I.D. smooth bore PTFE hose only
- New design for ease of installation and improved appearance of finished crimp

Size	Carbon Steel Part #	304 Stainless Steel Part #
1/4"	CSC-T04-2	SSC-T04-2
3/8"	CSC-T06-2	SSC-T06-2
1/2"	CSC-T08-2	SSC-T08-2
3/4"	CSC-T12-2	SSC-T12-2
1"	CSC-T16-2	SSC-T16-2




Contact Dixon at 888.226.4673 for assembly instructions and crimp recommendations.

## King Cable®

### Application

- When hose, couplings, or clamps fail, or there is an accidental separation of the assembly, King safety cables minimize damage to equipment and injuries to operators.

### Features

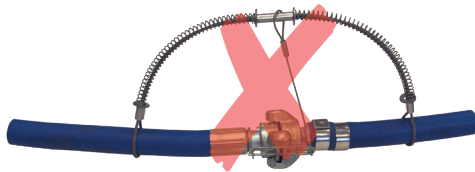
- Must be installed in the extended position (no slack) 
- Cable reaches across hose fittings to provide standby safety for hose
- Spring-loaded loops in the cable ends open easily to pass over the couplings for a firm grip on the hose
- No tools needed – easy to install and remove
- Cables shipped with safety restraint labels attached
- Highly resistant to rust and corrosion
- Hose-to-hose or hose-to-rigid outlet

### Materials

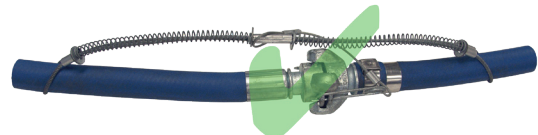
- For WB1, WB3, WA2, WA4, WSR1, WSR3, WSR2, WSR4, WSR1C, WB1C, WSR1E:
  - wire rope – galvanized carbon steel
  - ferrules – aluminum
  - springs – galvanized carbon steel
- For WB1SS, WB3SS, WA2SS, WA4SS, WSR1SS, WSR2SS, WSR3SS, WSR4SS:
  - wire rope – 304 stainless steel
  - ferrules – copper
  - springs – 304 stainless steel
- For WA2B:
  - wire rope – galvanized carbon steel
  - ferrules – copper
  - springs – galvanized carbon steel

### Specification

- Maximum operating pressure: **200 PSI**



Incorrect installation



Correct installation

### Hose-to-Tool Service



Hose end

Tool end

Hose I.D.	Cable	Length	Maximum Working Pressure (PSI)	Steel Part #	Stainless Steel Part #
1/2" – 1-1/4"	1/8"	20-1/4"	200	WSR1	WSR1SS
1/2" – 2"	3/16"	28"	200	WSR3	WSR3SS
1-1/2" – 3"	1/4"	38"	200	WSR2	WSR2SS
4"	3/8"	44"	200	WSR4	WSR4SS

### Hose-to-Hose Service



Hose end

Hose end

Hose I.D.	Cable	Length	Maximum Working Pressure (PSI)	Steel Part #	Stainless Steel Part #
1/2" – 1-1/4"	1/8"	20-1/4"	200	WB1	WB1SS
1/2" – 2"	3/16"	28"	200	WB3	WB3SS
1-1/2" – 3"	1/4"	38"	200	WA2	WA2SS
4"	3/8"	44"	200	WA4	WA4SS

## Hose Restraints

### King Cable Options



WB1C – WB1 with safety clip and lanyard



WSR1E – WSR1E with stainless steel marine eye

Hose I.D.	Cable	Part #	Description	Maximum Working Pressure (PSI)
1/2" – 1-1/4"	1/8"	WSR1C	WSR1 with safety clip and lanyard used to lock Air King® couplings	200
1/2" – 1-1/4"	1/8"	WB1C	WB1 with safety clip and lanyard used to lock Air King couplings	200
1/2" – 1-1/4"	1/8"	WSR1E	WSR1 with stainless steel safety marine eye used to connect safety cable to a bolt on tool	200
1-1/2" – 3"	1/4"	WA2B	WA2 with bronze/copper ferrule for special environmental conditions	200

### Nylon Safety Restraints

#### Applications

- Pneumatic, hydraulic, and water hoses

#### Features

- Strong, flexible nylon webbing
- Superior corrosion and spark resistance over metal restraints
- Rubber grommets securely choke eyes around hose
- Must be installed in the extended position (no slack)
- Shipped with labels detailing working pressures and safety instructions
- Minimizes damage to equipment and injuries to operators in the event hose, couplings or clamps fail, or there is an accidental separation of the assembly
- Contact Dixon® at 888.226.4673 for additional options

#### Materials

- Strap: nylon
- Grommets: rubber

#### Specification

- Maximum working temperature: 200°F (93°C)



Length	Recommended for use on the following hose inside diameters:								Nylon Part #
	1/4"	1/2"	3/4"	1"	2"	3"	4"	6"	
	Hose maximum working pressure (PSI) for above hose I.D.								
30"	26,000	6,500	2,900	1,650	400	---	---	---	WBN130
40"	---	---	---	1,650	400	175	100	---	WBN140
30"	52,000	13,000	5,800	3,300	750	---	---	---	WBN230
44"	---	---	---	3,300	750	350	200	---	WBN244
64"	---	---	---	---	750	350	200	90	WBN264
44"	---	---	---	7,300	1,800	820	450	---	WBN344
64"	---	---	---	---	1,800	820	460	200	WBN364
64"	---	---	---	---	2,300	1,040	580	260	WBN464

## King Safety Whipsocks

### Application

- Ideally suited for applications where the media being transferred is under higher working pressures such as air, water, hydraulic, and slurry

### Features

- King safety whipsocks keep the hose under control in the event of a high-pressure hose assembly failure
- Dual anchor points secured beyond the fittings eliminate hose whip
- Be sure the anchoring points are rated for the application
- Galvanized steel woven stockings extend down the hose to grip securely over a larger area preventing whip, abrasion, and wear
- Securing both eye-to-rigid or eye-to-eye anchor points reduce whip in the event of a hose connection failure
- Contact Dixon® with questions regarding working pressure, available options, or custom configurations



KSW32



KSW40

### Materials

- Wire rope: galvanized carbon steel
- Ferrules: aluminum

Size	O.D. Range	Length	Max. Working Pressure PSI	Part #
3/8"	.315" – .5512"	15.75"	<b>5,000</b>	KSW06
1/2"	.5512" – .7874"	21.65"	<b>3,000</b>	KSW08
3/4"	.7874" – 1.181"	25.20"	<b>2,000</b>	KSW12
1"	1.181" – 1.575"	34.25"	<b>1,500</b>	KSW16
1-1/4"	1.575" – 1.969"	38.19"	<b>1,000</b>	KSW20
1-1/2"	1.969" – 2.362"	49.21"	<b>700</b>	KSW24
2"	2.362" – 2.756"	51.18"	<b>1,300</b>	KSW32
2-1/2"	2.756" – 3.346"	53.15"	<b>800</b>	KSW40
3"	3.346" – 3.937"	72.44"	<b>750</b>	KSW48
3-1/2"	3.937" – 4.724"	72.05"	<b>550</b>	KSW56
4"	4.724" – 5.512"	86.61"	<b>550</b>	KSW64
6"	5.512" – 7.087"	93.31"	<b>250</b>	KSW96

## King Safety Shackles

### Applications

- Two shackles are used to anchor the King safety whipsock
- Secure both eyes to a rigid anchor point to reduce whip in the event of a hose or connection failure

### Features

- Recommended bolt, nut, and cotter pin style shackle
- Caution: working load must be rated for the application



Size	Working Load	Fits KSW Eye	Micro Alloy Steel Part #
5/16"	3/4 ton (1,000 lbs)	KSW06-KSW12	KSS04
7/16"	1-1/2 ton (3,000 lbs)	KSW16-KSW40	KSS06
5/8"	3-1/4 ton (6,000 lbs)	KSW48-KSW96	KSS08

## Spring Guard

### Application

- Protects hose against the effects of flexing at its most vulnerable point, immediately behind the coupling

### Features

- Optional end tang allows end guard to be secured under a clamp or ferrule
- Wire fits most hose O.D.s from 1/2" to 3-1/4"  
Contact Dixon® for custom sizes or lengths

### With Tang

Guard I.D.	Wire Gauge	Overall Length	Tang Length	Approx. # of Coils/ft	Galvanized Steel Part #	304 Stainless Steel Part #
3/4"	0.175	12"	1"	33	SEGC1-0.75-12	SEGS1-0.75-12
1"	0.175	12"	1"	33	SEGC1-1.00-12	SEGS1-1.00-12
1-1/4"	0.175	14"	2"	39	SEGC1-1.25-14	SEGS1-1.25-14
1-1/2"	0.175	14"	2"	39	SEGC1-1.50-14	SEGS1-1.50-14
1-3/4"	0.175	16"	2"	44	SEGC1-1.75-16	SEGS1-1.75-16
2"	0.280	16"	2"	44	SEGC1-2.00-16	SEGS1-2.00-16
2-1/2"	0.280	18"	2"	50	SEGC1-2.50-18	SEGS1-2.50-18
3"	0.280	18"	2"	50	SEGC1-3.00-18	SEGS1-3.00-18



### Without Tang

Guard I.D.	Wire Gauge	Overall Length	Approx. # of Coils/ft	Galvanized Steel Part #	304 Stainless Steel Part #
3/4"	0.175	12"	33	SEGC0-0.75-12	SEGS0-0.75-12
1"	0.175	12"	33	SEGC0-1.00-12	SEGS0-1.00-12
1-1/4"	0.175	14"	39	SEGC0-1.25-14	SEGS0-1.25-14
1-1/2"	0.175	14"	39	SEGC0-1.50-14	SEGS0-1.50-14
1-3/4"	0.175	16"	44	SEGC0-1.75-16	SEGS0-1.75-16
2"	0.280	16"	44	SEGC0-2.00-16	SEGS0-2.00-16
2-1/2"	0.280	18"	50	SEGC0-2.50-18	SEGS0-2.50-18
3"	0.280	18"	50	SEGC0-3.00-18	SEGS0-3.00-18



## Continuous Spring Guard

### Application

- Protects hose from external abrasion and helps resist over flexing

### Features

- Fits tight to hose reducing the potential for snagging
- Contact Dixon at 888.226.4673 for custom lengths or sizes

Guard I.D.	Wire Gauge	Overall Length	Approx. # of Coils/ft	Galvanized Steel Part #	304 Stainless Steel Part #
3/4"	0.175"	25'	33	CWG-C-0.75-25	CWG-S-0.75-25
1"	0.175"	25'	33	CWG-C-1.00-25	CWG-S-1.00-25
1-1/4"	0.175"	25'	33	CWG-C-1.25-25	CWG-S-1.25-25
1-1/2"	0.175"	25'	33	CWG-C-1.50-25	CWG-S-1.50-25
1-3/4"	0.175"	25'	33	CWG-C-1.75-25	CWG-S-1.75-25
2"	0.280"	25'	33	CWG-C-2.00-25	CWG-S-2.00-25
2-1/2"	0.280"	25'	33	CWG-C-2.50-25	CWG-S-2.50-25
3"	0.280"	25'	33	CWG-C-3.00-25	CWG-S-3.00-25



## Technical Information for GSM Hose

### Assembly Installation

GSM hose is engineered to provide maximum service life when properly installed. Improper installation, incorrect flexing, or careless handling in an application will reduce the effective service life of the hose and cause premature failure of an assembly. The following installation and handling precautions should be observed to achieve optimum performance from your corrugated hose assemblies.

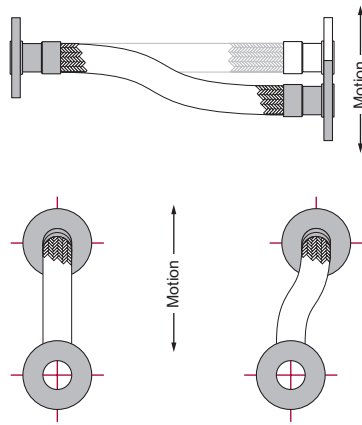
#### Avoid torque.

Do not twist the hose assembly during installation when aligning the bolt holes in a flange or in making up pipe threads. The utilization of lap joint flanges or pipe unions will minimize this condition. It is recommended that two wrenches be used in making the union connection; one to prevent the hose from twisting and the other to tighten the coupling.

#### In plane lateral offset installation

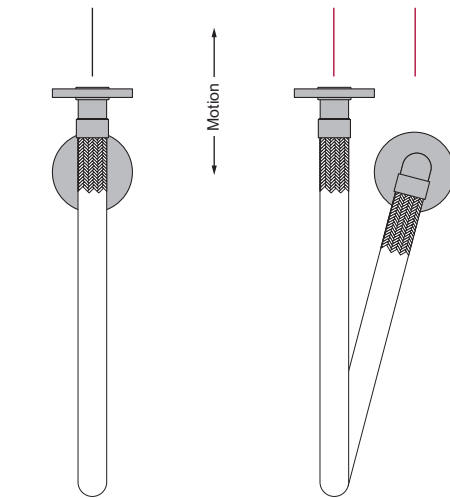
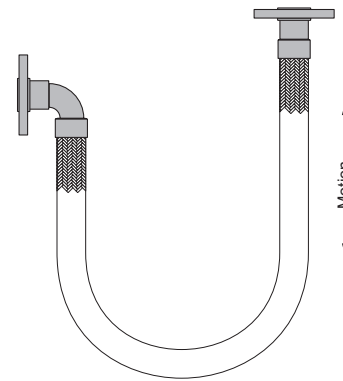
Prevent out-of-plane flexing in an installation. Always install the hose so that the flexing takes place in only one plane. This plane must be the plane in which the bending occurs.

#### In plane traveling loop installation



**Correct**  
in plane  
flexing

**Wrong**  
out of plane  
flexing



**Correct**  
in plane  
flexing

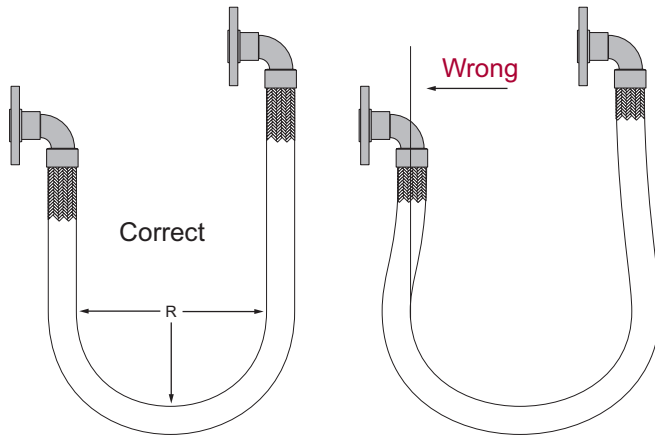
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## Technical Information for GSM Hose

### Assembly Installation (continued)

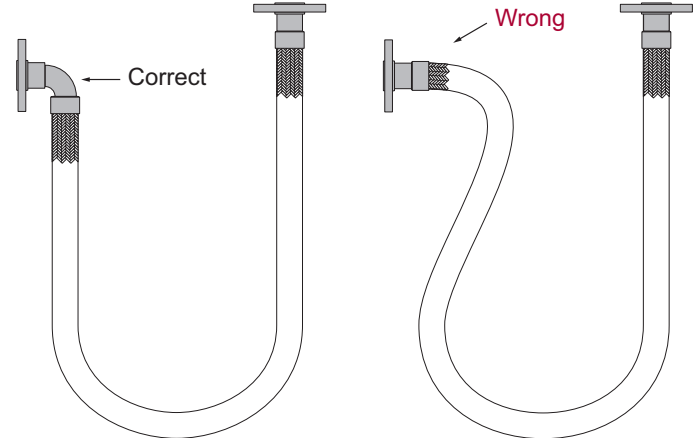
#### Avoid over bending.

The repetitive bending of a hose to a radius smaller than the radius listed in the specification tables for corrugated hose will result in premature hose failure. Always provide sufficient length to prevent over bending and to eliminate strain on the hose.



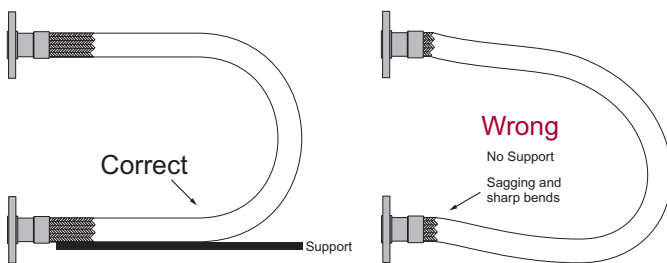
#### Avoid sharp bends.

Utilize sound geometric configurations that avoid sharp bends, especially near the end fittings of the assembly.



#### Provide support.

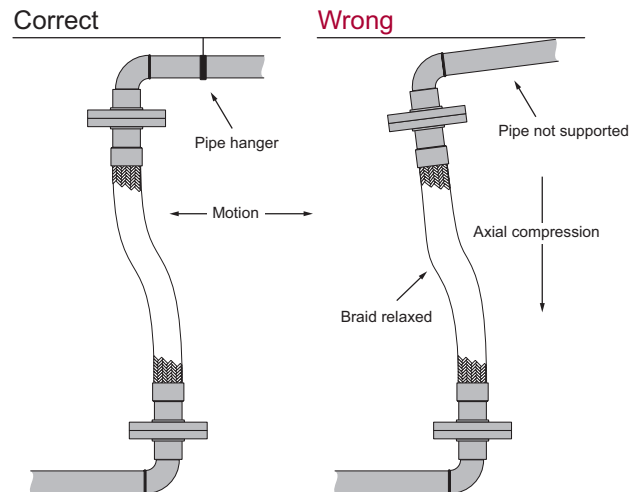
When installing the assembly in a horizontal loop, provide support for the arms to prevent the hose from sagging.



#### Do not extend or compress axially.

A piping system which utilizes GSM hose to absorb movement must be properly anchored and/or guided.

Always support the piping to prevent excessive weight from compressing the hose and relaxing the braid tension.



## Technical Information for GAM Hose

### Pressure Loss and Flow Velocity Information

#### Pressure Loss

For the same flow characteristics, the pressure loss is higher in metal hoses than rigid piping, due to the profile of the corrugations. As a rough estimation, expect the pressure loss in corrugated hoses to be 150 percent higher than in new, smooth steel pipes.

#### Flow Velocity Consideration

The flow velocity in corrugated metal hose should never exceed 150 ft./sec. for gas or 75 ft./sec. for liquids. When a hose is installed in a bent condition, the flow values should be reduced proportionally to the degree of the bend. Where the flow velocity exceeds these rates, an interlocked metal hose liner or larger hose ID is recommended.

### Classification of Motion

#### Random Motion

Such motion is non-predictable and occurs from the manual handling of a hose assembly. Care must be taken to prevent over-bending of the hose and to avoid external abrasion of the wire braid. An armor covering of GSM Ball-Joint Armor provides protection against these abuses.

#### Axial Motion

This type of motion occurs when there is extension or compression of the hose along its longitudinal axis. This class of motion is restricted to unbraided corrugated hose only and is accommodated by traveling loops.

#### Angular Motion

This type of motion occurs when one end of a hose assembly is deflected in a simple bend with the ends not remaining parallel.

To find the live hose length:

$$L = R\theta/180 + 2(s)$$

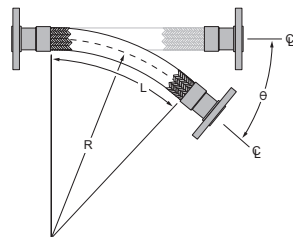
L = Live Hose Length (inches)

$$\pi = 3.1416$$

R = Minimum Centerline Bend Radius – Dynamic (in.)

$\theta$  = Angular Deflection (degrees)

S = Outside Diameter of Hose



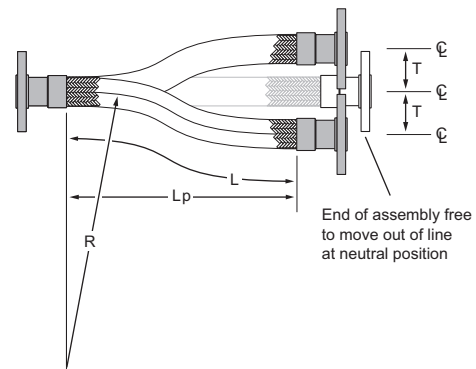
#### Minimum Bend Radius Occurs at Offset Position

Moving end is free to move "out of line" at neutral position.

To find the live hose length:

$$L = \sqrt{6(RT) + T^2}$$

$$L_p = \sqrt{L^2 - T^2}$$



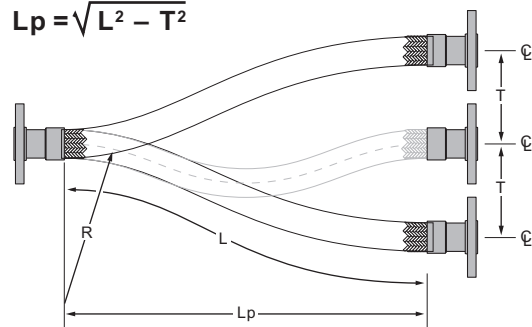
#### Minimum Bend Radius Occurs at Crowded Position

Moving end of the hose is restricted to move only up and down as hose crosses neutral position.

To find the live hose length:

$$L = \sqrt{20(RT)}$$

$$L_p = \sqrt{L^2 - T^2}$$



#### Offset Motion

Offset motion occurs when one end of the hose assembly is deflected in a plane perpendicular to the longitudinal axis with the ends remaining parallel. This movement can be due to a one-time (static) bend or movement which repeatedly occurs slowly over time (such as thermal expansion).

- The appropriate formula to use to calculate Live Hose Length depends on the condition of the moving end.
- When the offset motion occurs to both sides of the hose centerline, use total travel in the formula; i.e., 2 x "T".
- The offset distance "T" for constant flexing should never exceed 25 percent of the centerline bend radius "R". If the difference between "L" and "Lp" is significant, exercise care at installation to avoid stress on hose and braid at the maximum offset distance.

L = Live Hose Length (inches)

Lp= Projected Live Hose Length (inches)

R = Minimum Centerline Bend Radius – Dynamic (in.)

T = Offset Motion to One Side of Centerline (inches)

## Technical Information for GAM Hose

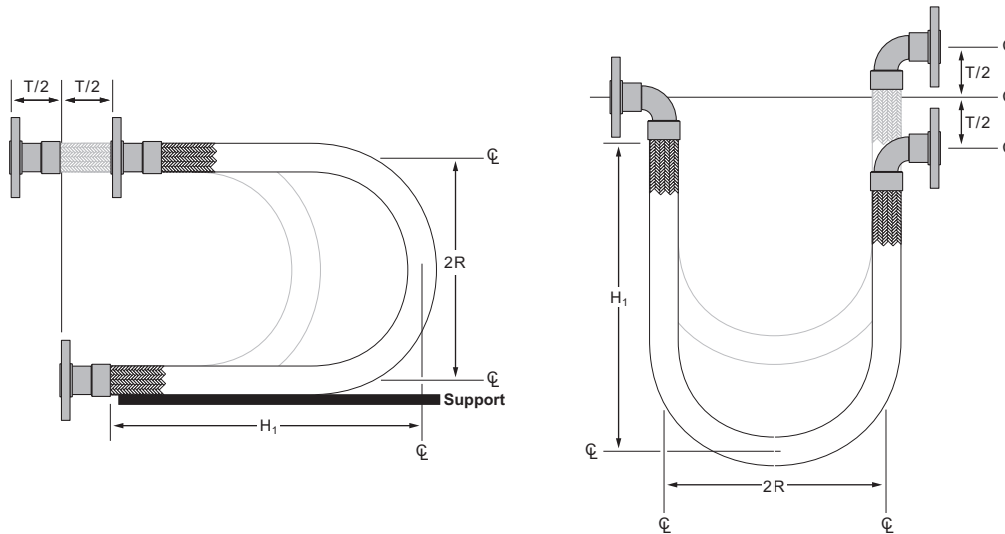
### Classification of Motion (continued)

#### Traveling Loops

In a piping system where axial movement must be accommodated or where the magnitude of the motion is in excess of the limits of an offset movement, the traveling loop configuration offers an ideal solution. In traveling loops, the centerline of a hose assembly is bent in a circular arc. Traveling loops accommodate movement in one of two ways. A constant radius traveling loop accommodates motion by varying the length of the arms of the assembly while the radius remains constant. A variable radius traveling loop accommodates motion by varying the bend radius of the hose assembly. Both types of traveling loops can be installed to absorb either horizontal or vertical movement. The constant radius traveling loop provides for greater movement while the variable radius traveling loop requires less installation space.

- L = Live Hose Length (inches)
- R = Minimum Centerline Bend Radius for Constant Flexing (inches)
- T = Total Travel (inches)
- H = Hang Length of the Loop (inches)

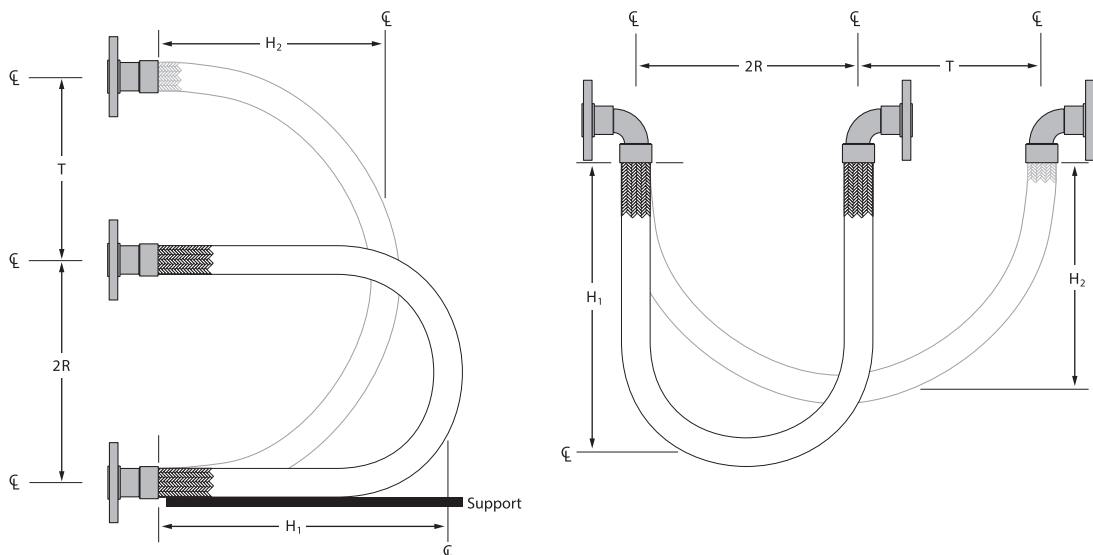
#### Constant Radius Traveling Loop – Class A



$$L = 4R + T/2$$

$$H_1 = 1.43R + T/2$$

#### Variable Radius Traveling Loop – Class B



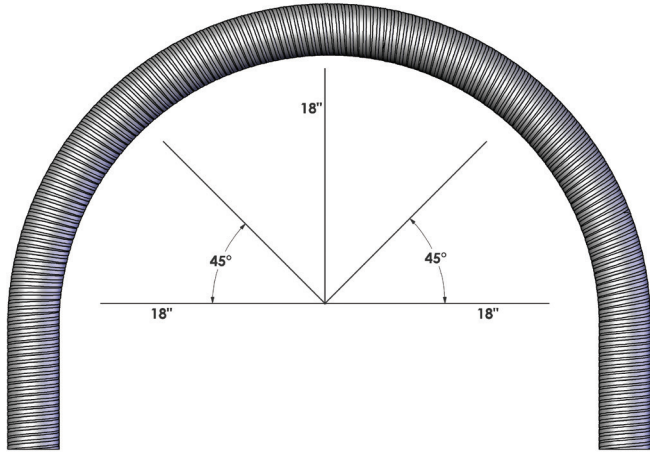
$$L = 4R + 1.57T$$

$$H_1 = 1.43R + 0.79T$$

$$H_2 = 1.43R + 0.5T$$

## Technical Information for GAM Hose

### Flexibility and Bend Radius



Bending a hose to a smaller bend radius than the hose is rated to may damage the hose and result in premature failure. The bend radius for the given application must be equal to or greater than the rated minimum bend radius.

Note: see page 36 for definition

The minimum bend radius is defined as the radius at which the hose can be bent in service without damaging or significantly shortening the life of the assembly.

Using the minimum bend radius and the angle at which the hose is bent, you can calculate the minimum length of hose needed to make the bend. Note: This is the live length of the hose required not the length of the entire hose assembly.

Formula:

$$\frac{A}{360^\circ} \times 2\pi B = L$$

For example, a 3" hose bent at 180° needs a minimum live length of 53.88" or 1,356mm given its minimum bend radius of 17"

$$\left(\frac{180}{360^\circ}\right)(2)(3.14)(17) = 53.38"$$

$$\left(\frac{180}{360^\circ}\right)(2)(3.14)(431.8) = 1,356\text{mm}$$

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### Temperature Adjustment Factors

In general, the strength and therefore the pressure rating of metal hose decreases as the temperature increases. Thus, as the operating temperature of a metal hose assembly increases, the maximum allowable working pressure of the assembly decreases. The pressure ratings shown in the specifications charts for corrugated and interlocked hose are valid at 70°F (21°C). Elevated service temperatures will decrease these pressure ratings by the factors shown in the following chart for the alloy used in the braid wire. What also must be considered is the maximum working temperature of the end fittings, of the hose and their method of attachment.

For example to calculate the maximum working pressure for:

- 3/4" I.D., 321 stainless steel corrugated hose
- with single-braided, 304L braid
- at 800°F (427°C)

From the corrugated metal hose specification table, the maximum working pressure at 70°F (21°C) is 792 PSIG.

Multiply

792 PSIG by 0.73. The maximum working pressure at 800°F (427°C) is 578 PSIG.

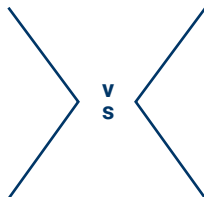
### Temperature Adjustment Factor Based on Braid Alloy

Temperature (°F)	304/304L Stainless Steel	316L Stainless Steel	321 Stainless Steel
70	1.00	1.00	1.00
150	.95	.93	.97
200	.91	.89	.94
250	.88	.86	.92
300	.85	.83	.88
350	.81	.81	.86
400	.78	.78	.83
450	.77	.78	.81
500	.77	.77	.78
600	.76	.76	.77
700	.74	.76	.76
800	.73	.75	.68
900	.68	.74	.62
1000	.60	.73	.60
1100	.58	.67	.58
1200	.53	.61	.53
1300	.44	.55	.46
1400	.35	.48	.42
1500	.26	.39	.37

## Technical Information for PTFE Hose

### Nominal Bore PTFE Hose Explained

**Nominal Bore Hose** follows the SAE 100R14 tubing standard which is typically labeled in 'dash' sizes (1/16 of an inch). For example, 1/2" tubing is 1/2" O.D. with a slightly smaller I.D. Thus, dash 8 (-08) nominal hose is 8/16" or 1/2" O.D., yielding an average I.D. of 13/32". All manufacturers of Nominal Fluoropolymer hose follow the same nominal I.D./O.D. standard.



**True Bore Hose** on the other hand follows the same I.D. as schedule 40 pipe; therefore, a typical 2" I.D. true bore hose is the exact same bore size as its mating 2" pipe.

### PTFE Hose Assembly Instructions

1. Determine the cut-off length using the Overall Length Calculation (OAL) (see page 32).
2. Using the calculated cut-off length, mark the hose to the desired length. Depending on the cutting option, tape can be used to reduce the flowering effect of the braid.
3. Cut the hose to the desired OAL using one of the preferred hose cutting options (see page 32).
4. Making sure the interlocking step of the collar is facing the cut end of the hose, slide the collars over the braid on each end of the hose or use collar insertion tool (see page 32).
5. Prior to inserting the fittings into the hose, be sure the tube is not folded over or compromised. Using a tool, such as a nail punch, expand the I.D. of the hose so that the fitting may slide in the hose without folding or bunching the tube. Make sure you do not puncture or damage the hose while opening up the tube I.D.
6. Push the fitting into the hose so that the step of the collar is lined up with the interlocking ring of the stem. Be sure that the fitting is securely pushed all the way in to the cut end of the hose.
7. Using the proper PTFE hose crimp specs on page 33, determine the correct set of dies for proper reduction. While crimping, make sure the step of the collar is securely locked into the fitting. For best results, use a 2 or 3 step crimp while rotating the hose assembly hitting the high spots made by the previous pass.
8. Use a caliper to check crimp dimensions and make any macro adjustments in the finished O.D.
9. All assemblies made by Dixon Specialty Products are pressurized air under water tested to **125 PSI** for 15 seconds.

### Technical Information for PTFE Hose

#### Dixon PTFE Hose Cutting Options

There are several methods to effectively cut stainless steel braided PTFE hose:

##### Hose Cutting Tool Options:

- 1. Metal Cutting Wheel** – non-scalloped (used to cut hydraulic hose). Since Dixon PTFE braid doesn't flare much on the female side of the braid there is no need to tape the braid.
- 2. Beverly Shear** – flattens the hose but does a nice job cutting the hose and braid; Dixon offers a simple ferrule tool to assist in putting on the collars (this is the preferred method of cutting stainless braided hoses).
- 3. Thin Abrasive Blade** – works well except creates a lot of dirt and dust and many times you need to tape the braid.

##### Dixon PTFE Insertion Tools:

Insertion tools are available from Dixon Specialty Products by calling 888-226-4673.

##### Overall Length (OAL) Calculation:

1. Select the fitting you plan to insert in the hose.
2. Measure the distance from the ferrule groove to the connection end of the fitting for each fitting.
3. Add the two end distances together and subtract this number from the assembly overall length.
4. The result is the cut length of the hose.

#### Assembly Installation

##### Do...

- Follow any printed instructions included with the flexible connector
- Follow industry recommended practices and use care in handling and installing flexible connector
- Install flexible connectors so the bend is as close to the center of the connector as possible
- Observe the minimum bend radius as specified by the connector manufacturer
- Trial-fit threaded connections by hand, unmake and then make permanent
- Use a flexible connector of proper length to suit the installation
- Only wrench on the fitting hex flats as provided
- Design the installation to allow for ground movement after installation, such as settling or frost heave
- Install the proper length connector to allow a 2" straight run of hose at each end fitting
- Use pipe wrenches on both mating hexes to avoid twisting the hose
- Keep hose free from all objects and debris
- Handle and store connectors carefully prior to installation
- Check for leaks before covering the installation
- Install in such a manner that the connector can be removed
- Make sure the pressure rating of connector is not exceeded

##### Don't...

- Apply a wrench to a hose, collar, or assembly
- Twist hose assemblies during installation or when aligning the bolt holes in a flange or when making up pipe threads
- "Pre-flex" a flexible connector to limber it up. Over bending could cause damage and result in leakage
- Over bend a flexible connector, a 45° - 90° bend should be sufficient to install any flexible connector
- Install a flexible connector with the bend next to the end fittings, this could cause damage and result in leakage
- Lay the flexible connector on rocks or objects which could puncture the hose and cause leakage
- Attempt to stretch or compress a flexible connector to fit an installation
- Restrict flexibility by allowing connector to come into contact with other components or equipment during installation

### Nominal I.D. SAE100R14 Smooth Bore PTFE Hose Crimp Specifications

Dixon Hose Part#		Crimp Spec. Range (in)
Non-conductive White	Conductive Black	
WSB-03	BSB-03	.300-.305
WSB-04	BSB-04	0.335-0.345
WSB-05	BSB-05	0.395-0.405
WSB-06	BSB-06	0.471-0.480
WSB-6T	BSB-6T	0.652
WSB-08	BSB-08	0.575-0.585
WSB-10	BSB-10	0.685-0.695
WSB-12	BSB-12	0.800-0.810
WSB-12T	BSB-12T	1.07
WSB-16	BSB-16	1.070-1.080
WSB-16T	BSB-16T	1.35
WSB-20Z	BSB-20Z	1.42

- T – denotes heavy wall
- Z – denotes double braid
- Specifications are valid only when using Dixon True Bore Fittings

### Stainless Steel Open Pitch Convoluted Hose Crimp Specifications

Dixon Hose Part#		Crimp Spec. Range (in)
Non-conductive White	Conductive Black	
WOC-T04	BOC-T04	0.55
WOC-T06	BOC-T06	0.649
WOC-T08	BOC-T08	0.799
WOC-T12	BOC-T12	1.055
WOC-T16	BOC-T16	1.362
WOC-T20	BOC-T20	1.654
WOC-T24	BOC-T24	1.909
WOC-T32	BOC-T32	2.402

- Specifications are valid only when using Dixon True Bore Fittings

### True Bore 40 Wall Smooth Bore Hose Crimp Specifications

Dixon Hose Part#		Crimp Spec. Range (in)
Non-conductive White	Conductive Black	
WTB-T04	---	0.525
WTB-T06	BTB-T06	0.652
WTB-T08	BTB-T08	0.75
WTB-T12	BTB-T12	1.07
WTB-T16	BTB-T16	1.35
WTB-T16Z	---	1.35
---	BTB-T20Z	call for spec.
WTB-T24Z	---	call for spec.

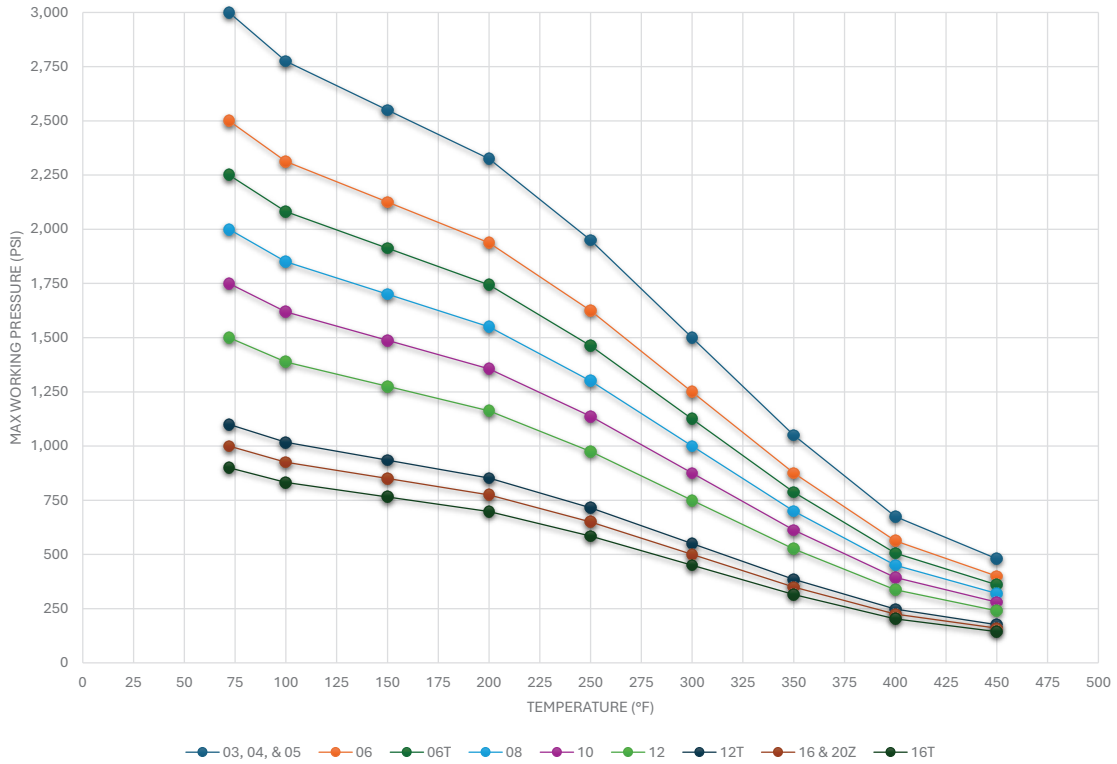
- Z – denotes double braid
- Specifications are valid only when using Dixon True Bore Fittings

NOTE: Crimp specifications are based on hose vendor recommendations.

### Temperature Derating for PTFE Hose

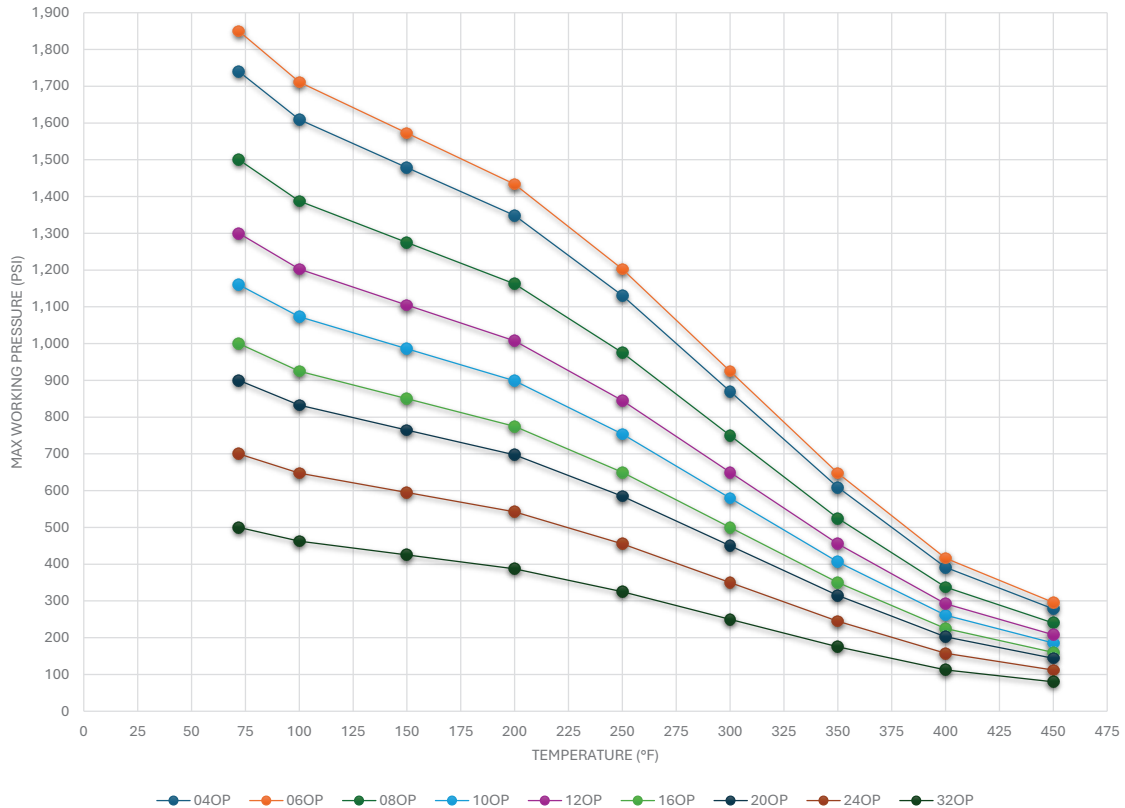
#### WSB and BSB Hose

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#### WOC and BOC Hose

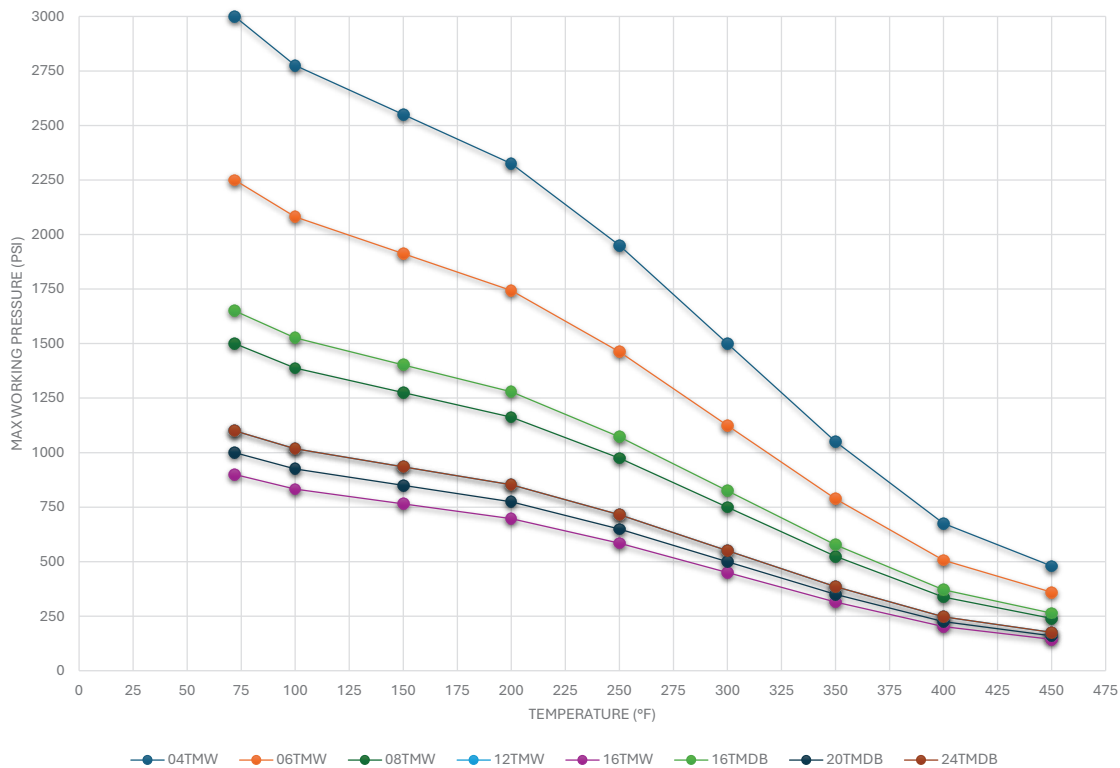
#### Convuluted PTFE



## Temperature Derating for PTFE Hose (continued)

### WTB and BTB Hose

#### True Bore Heavy Wall PTFE



Glossary

**Abrasion:**

External damage to a hose assembly caused by it being rubbed on a foreign object.

**Ambient or Atmospheric Conditions:**

The surrounding conditions, such as temperature, pressure and corrosion, to which a hose assembly is exposed.

**Amplitude of Vibration and/or Lateral Movement:**

The distance a hose assembly deflects laterally to one side from its normal position, when this deflection occurs on both sides of the normal hose centerline.

**Anchor:**

A restraint applied to a pipeline to control its motion caused by thermal growth.

**Annular:**

Refers to the convolutions on a hose that are a series of complete circles or rings located at right angle to the longitudinal axis of the hose (sometimes referred to as bellows).

**Application:**

The service conditions that determine how a hose assembly will be used.

**Attachment:**

The method of fixing end fittings to flexible hose – welding, brazing, soldering, swaging, or mechanical.

**Axial Movement:**

Compression or elongation of the hose along its longitudinal axis.

**Basket Weave:**

A braid pattern in which the strands of wire alternately cross over and under two braid bands (two over – two under).

**Bend Radius:**

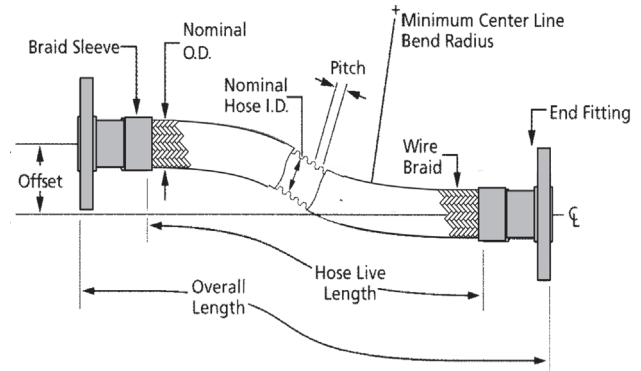
The radius of a bend measured to the hose centerline.

**Braid:**

A flexible wire sheath surrounding a metal hose that prevents the hose from elongation due to internal pressure. Braid is composed of a number of wires wrapped helically around the hose while at the same time going under and over each other in a basket weave fashion.

**Braid Angle:**

The acute angle formed by the braid strands and the axis of the hose.



**Braid Construction:**

Term applies to description of braid, i.e., 36 x 8 x .014, 304L SS.

- 36 = number of carriers or bands in a braid
- 8 = number of wires on each carrier
- .014 = wire diameter in inches
- 304L = material, Type 304L stainless steel

**Braid Collar, Braid Band or Ferrule:**

A ring made from tube or metal strip placed over the ends of a braided hose to contain the braid wires for attachment of fittings.

**Braid Wear:**

Motion between the braid and corrugated hose which normally causes wear on the O.D. of hose.

**Braided Braid:**

In this braid, the strands of wire on each carrier of the braiding machine are braided together, and then braided in normal fashion, hence the term braided braid.

**Brazing:**

A process of joining metals using a non-ferrous filler metal, which melts above 800°F (427°C), yet less than the melting of the "parent metals" to be joined.

**Butt Weld:**

A process in which the edges or ends of metal sections are butted together and joined by welding.

**Controlled Flexing:**

Controlled flexing occurs when the hose is being flexed regularly, as in connections to moving components. Examples: Platen presses, thermal growth in pipe work.

**Convolution:**

The annular or helical flexing member in corrugated or strip wound hose.

**Corrosion:**

The chemical or electrochemical attack of a media upon a hose assembly.

## Glossary (continued)

### Cycle-Motion:

The movement from normal to extreme position and return.

### Dye Penetrant Inspection or Test:

A method for detecting surface irregularities, such as cracks, voids, porosity, etc. The surface to be checked is coated with a red dye that will penetrate existing defects. Dye is removed from surface and a white developer is applied. If there is a defect in the surface being checked, the red dye remaining in it causes the white developer to be stained, thereby locating the defective area.

### Dog-Leg Assembly:

Two hose assemblies joined by a common elbow.

### Duplex Assembly:

An assembly consisting of two hose assemblies – one inside the other – and connected at the ends.

### Erosion:

The wearing away of the inside convolutions of a hose caused by the flow of the media conveyed, such as wet steam, abrasive particles, etc.

### Exposed Length:

The amount of active (exposed) hose in an assembly. Does not include the length of fittings and ferrules.

### Fatigue:

Failure of the metal structure associated with, or due to, the flexing of hose or bellows.

### Fitting:

A loose term applied to the nipple, flange, union, etc., attached to the end of a hose.

### Flow Rate:

Pertains to a volume of media being conveyed in a given time period, e.g., cubic feet per hour, pounds per second, gallons per minute, etc.

### Frequency:

The rate of vibration or flexure of a hose in a given time period, e.g., cycles per second (CPS), cycles per minute (CPM), cycles per day (CPD), etc.

### Galvanic Corrosion:

Corrosion that occurs on the less noble of two dissimilar metals in direct contact with each other in an electrolyte, e.g., water, sodium chloride in solution, sulfuric acid, etc.

### GSM/GAM Hose:

GSM: Goodall Semi-Metallic. A specialized armored hose manufactured by Dixon Specialty Products.  
GAM: a braided metal hose that is utilized in high-pressure and high-temperature applications, and used in conjunction with or provided only with GSM armor.

### Helical:

Used to describe a type of corrugated hose having one continuous convolution resembling a screw thread.

### Helical Wire Armor:

To provide additional protection against abrasion under rough operating conditions, GSM Ball Joint Armor can be supplied.

### Installation:

Referring to the installed geometry of a hose assembly.

### Interlocked Hose:

Formed from profiled strip and wound into flexible metal tubing with no subsequent welding, brazing, or soldering. May be made pressure-tight by winding in strands of packing.

### Intermittent Bend Radius:

The designation for a radius used for non-continuous operation. Usually an elastic radius.

### Inside Diameter (I.D.):

This refers to the internal diameter of a hose.

### Liner:

Flexible sleeve used to line the I.D. of hose when the velocity of gaseous media is in excess of 180 ft. per second.

### Medium (Singular)/Media (Plural):

The substance(s) being conveyed through a piping system.

### Metal Inert Gas Welding:

A method of welding in which the filler metal wire supplies the electric current to maintain the arc, which is shielded from the access of air by inert gas, usually argon.

### Minimum Bend Radius:

The smallest radius to which a hose can be bent without suffering permanent deformation of its convolutions.

### Misalignment:

A condition in which two points, intended to be connected, will not mate due to their being laterally out of line with each other.

### Operating Conditions:

The pressure, temperature, motion, media, and environment that a hose assembly is subjected to.

### Outside Diameter (O.D.):

This refers to the external diameter of a hose.

### Penetration (Weld):

The percentage of wall thickness of the two parts to be joined that is fused into the weld pool in making a joint. Our standard for penetration of the weld is 100 percent, in which the weld goes completely through the parent metal of the parts to be joined and is visible on the opposite side from which the weld was made.

### Pitch:

The distance between the two peaks of adjacent corrugation.

### Glossary (continued)

#### Pressure:

Usually expressed in pounds per square inch (**PSI**) and, depending on service conditions, may be applied internally or externally to a hose.

- a. **Absolute Pressure** – A total pressure measurement system in which atmospheric pressure (at sea level) is added to the gauge pressure, and is expressed as **PSIG**.
- b. **Atmospheric Pressure** – The pressure of the atmosphere at sea level which is **14.7 PSI**, or 29.92 inches of mercury.
- c. **Burst Pressure (Actual And Rated)**
  1. **Actual** – Failure of the hose determined by the laboratory test in which the braid fails in tensile, or the hose ruptures, or both, due to the internal pressure applied. This test is usually conducted at room temperature with the assembly in a straight line, but for special applications, can be conducted at elevated temperatures and various configurations.
  2. **Rated** – A burst value which may be theoretical, or a percentage of the actual burst pressure developed by laboratory test. It is expected that, infrequently, due to manufacturing limitations, an assembly may burst at this pressure, but would most often burst at a pressure greater than this.
- d. **Deformation Pressure (Collapse)** – The pressure at which the corrugations of a hose are permanently deformed due to fluid pressure applied internally, or, in special applications, externally.
- e. **Feet of Water or Head Pressure** – Often used to express system pressure in terms of water column height. A column of water 1 ft. high exerts a **.434 PSI** pressure at its base.
- f. **Proof Pressure or Test Pressure** – The maximum internal pressure which a hose can be subjected to without either deforming the corrugations, or exceeding 50 percent of the burst pressure. When a hose assembly is tested above 50 percent of its burst pressure, there often is a permanent change in the overall length of the assembly, which may be undesirable for certain applications.
- g. **PSIG** – Pounds per square inch gauge.
- h. **Pulsating Pressure** – A rapid change in pressure above and below the normal base pressure, usually associated with reciprocating type pumps. This pulsating pressure can cause excessive wear between the braid and the tops of the hose corrugations.
- i. **Shock Pressure** – A sudden increase of pressure in hydraulic or pneumatic system, which produces a shock wave. This shock can cause severe permanent deformation of the corrugations in a hose as well as rapid failure of the assembly due to metal fatigue.
- j. **Static Pressure** – A non-changing constant pressure.
- k. **Working Pressure** – The pressure, usually internal, but sometimes external, imposed on a hose during operating conditions.

#### Scale:

Generally refers to the oxide in a hose assembly brought about by surface conditions or welding.

#### Seamless:

Used in reference to a corrugated metal hose made from a base tube that does not have a longitudinal seam as in the case of a butt welded or lap welded tube.

#### Strand(s):

Individual groups of wires in a braid. Each group is constructed of wire strands from the braiding machine.

#### Stress Corrosion:

A form of corrosion in stainless steel normally associated with chlorides.

#### Traveling Loop:

A general classification of bending, wherein the hose is installed to a U-shaped configuration.

1. **Class A Loop** – An application wherein the radius remains constant and one end of the hose moves parallel to the other end of the hose.
2. **Class B Loop** – A condition wherein a hose is installed in a U-shaped configuration and the ends move perpendicular to each other so as to enlarge or decrease the width of the loop.

#### Torque (Torsion):

A force that produces, or tends to produce, rotation of or torsion through one end of a hose assembly while the other end is fixed.

#### Tungsten-Electrode Inert Gas Welding:

A method of welding in which the arc is maintained by a tungsten electrode and shielded from the access of air by an inert gas.

#### Velocity:

The speed at which the medium flows through the hose, usually specified in feet per second.

#### Velocity Resonance:

The sympathetic vibration of convolutions due to buffeting of high velocity gas or air flow.

#### Vibration:

Low amplitude motion occurring at high frequency.

#### Welding:

The process of localized join of two or more metallic components by means of heating their surfaces to a state of fusion, or by fusion with the use of additional filler materials.

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