

G-T® RINGS

11,000 Series

DOUBLE-ACTING SEAL

The unique G-T® Ring provides a compact double-acting seal for use in new design for heavy duty applications where a more bulky type of seal had previously been required, as well as for retrofit in standard grooves designed for O-rings with two, one, or no backups.

This proven seal combines a tough, resilient, T-shaped sealing ring with precisely-dimensioned pressure actuated non-extrusion rings—for use with pressures ranging from zero to 10,000 psi and higher.

Performance, reliability, and economy as a piston seal are unequalled—with no piston drift, with minimum piston length. This seal eliminates two major sealing problems: 1) The G-T Ring sealing element is protected from extrusion so that it seals satisfactorily when clearances must be abnormally larger or where pressures are high; 2) The unique G-T Ring configuration prevents seal roll and spiral failure (See Fig. 1).

The G-T Ring is a piston, rod or static seal for use in cylinders, intensifiers, accumulators, spool valves, and other demanding fluid power applications. It is currently specified for critical applications on all major jet aircraft (both military and commercial), sealing accumulators, reservoirs, actuators, valves, and the most rugged landing gear shock strut applications. The 11,000 Series seals are designed to fit industrial O-ring glands incorporating nominal rod and bore diameters for zero, one and two backup widths per MIL-P-5514B.

EXTRUSION RESISTANCE

The G-T design resists extrusion by preventing the elastomeric sealing element from wedging into the diametral clearance, or pinching off under motion or pressure. Under pressure, the resilient T-shaped elastomeric sealing element deforms, transmitting hydraulic pressure “down stream.” This causes radial swelling or expansion of the flange under the non-extrusion back-up ring on the low pressure side of the assembly (See Fig. 2). The skive cut in the non-extrusion ring permits instantaneous radial movement into positive contact with the cylinder bore or rod being sealed, closing the clearance gap before any extrusion of the sealing element can occur.

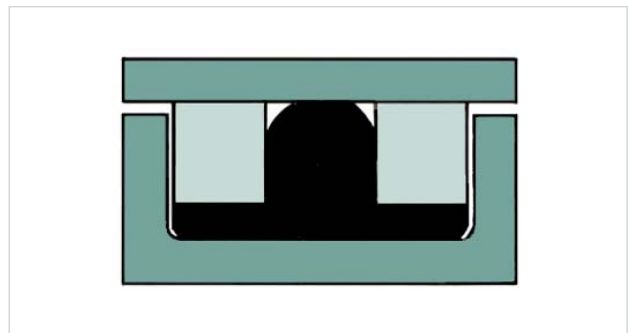


Figure 1

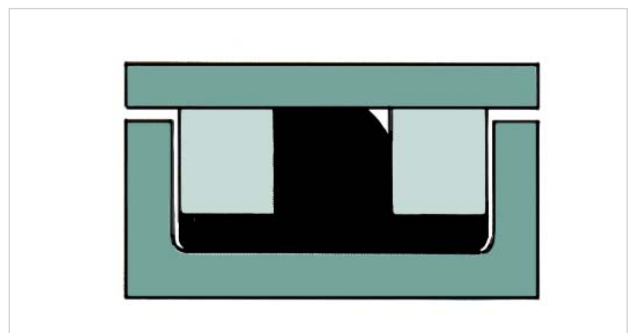


Figure 2

Since the non-extrusion rings do not rely on axial compression to radially expand, but are moved radially by hydro-mechanical action, they need not be made of easily deformed material.

Rather, they can be made of durable, low friction material with high shear strength and high resistance to cold flow which results in superior resistance to extrusion. These pressure-activated non-extrusion rings successfully bridge the large clearance incident to the use of wear-rings and protect the seal both from extrusion and contamination. As radial loading of the non-extrusion rings varies directly with fluid pressure, seal friction is kept to a minimum during the low pressure portion of the pressure cycle.

RESISTANCE TO ROLL

The seal is installed in the groove on a flat stable, static base. The non-extrusion rings complete the rectangular shape of the seal assembly and “lock” the T-shaped sealing element in position so that it is restrained from rolling around its circum-ferential axis. The G-T® Ring cannot roll, twist or spiral (See Fig. 3) and, therefore, it is not subject to this mode of failure.

LOW PRESSURE SEALING

The G-T Ring is dimensioned so that the sealing element is installed with seal “squeeze” balanced between static and dynamic surfaces, thus providing a positive seal even at zero and low pressure differential across the seal.

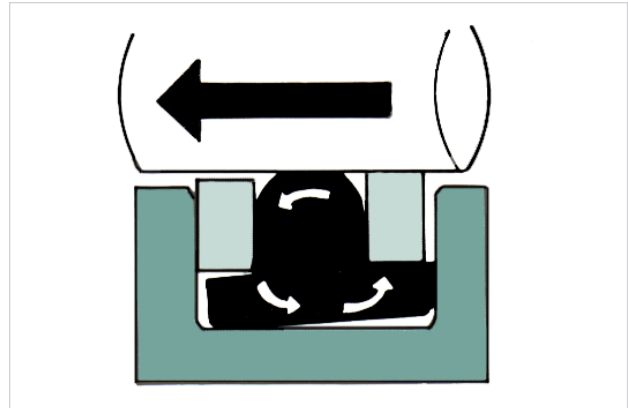
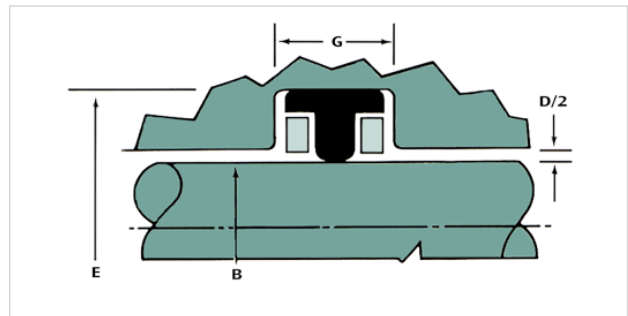
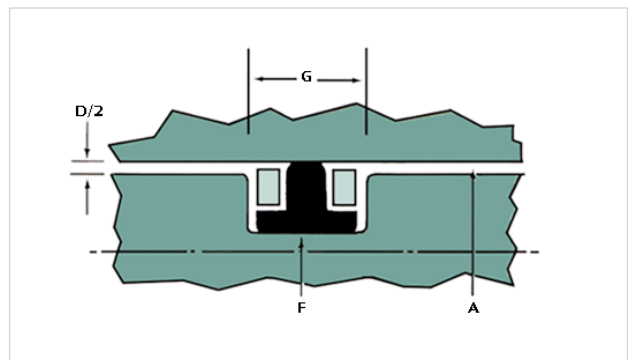


Figure 3



Rod seal



Piston seal



TABLE 1 11,000 SERIES DIMENSIONAL INFORMATION

AS568-A UNIFORM O-RING DASH No.	NOMINAL CROSS- SECTION	PISTON TYPE						ROD TYPE						DIAMETRAL CLEARANCE MAX D	RADIUS R	GLAND WIDTH (+0.005 to 0.000)										
		Bore Diameter			Gland Diameter			Rod Diameter			Gland Diameter					0B/U	1B/U	2B/U								
		inch	mm	Tol.	inch	mm	Tol.	inch	mm	Tol.	inch	mm	Tol.						G							
106	±0.003 in. ±0.0762 mm	0.375	9.52	+0.001 in. -0.000 in. 0.0254 mm -0.0 mm	0.196	4.98	+0.000 in. -0.001 in. 0.0254 mm -0.0 mm	0.186	4.72	+0.000 in. -0.001 in. 0.0254 mm -0.0 mm	0.365	9.27	+0.001 in. -0.000 in. 0.0254 mm -0.0 mm	0.005 in. to 0.015 in. 0.127 mm to 0.381 mm	0.150 in. 3.81 mm	0.171 in. 4.34 mm	0.238 in. 6.04 mm									
108		0.437	11.10		0.258	6.55		0.249	6.32		0.428	10.87														
109		0.500	12.70		0.321	8.15		0.311	7.90		0.490	12.45														
110		0.562	14.28		0.384	9.75		0.374	9.50		0.552	14.02														
111	3/32 in. (.103 in.) ±0.003 in. 2.6162 mm ±0.0762 mm	0.625	15.87	+0.001 in. -0.000 in. 0.0254 mm -0.0 mm	0.447	11.35	+0.000 in. -0.001 in. 0.0254 mm -0.0 mm	0.436	11.07	+0.000 in. -0.001 in. 0.0254 mm -0.0 mm	0.614	15.60	+0.001 in. -0.000 in. 0.0254 mm -0.0 mm	0.005 in. to 0.015 in. 0.127 mm to 0.381 mm	0.150 in. 3.81 mm	0.171 in. 4.34 mm	0.238 in. 6.04 mm									
112		0.687	17.45		0.509	12.93		0.499	12.68		0.677	17.20														
113		0.750	19.05		0.572	14.53		0.561	14.22		0.739	18.77														
114		0.812	20.62		0.634	16.10		0.624	15.85		0.802	20.37														
115		0.875	22.22		0.697	17.70		0.686	17.42		0.864	21.95														
116		0.937	23.80		0.759	19.28		0.749	19.02		0.927	23.55														
203		±0.004 in. ±0.1016 mm	0.562		14.27	+0.001 in. -0.000 in. 0.0254 mm -0.0 mm		0.319	8.10		+0.000 in. -0.001 in. 0.0254 mm -0.0 mm	0.311						7.90	+0.000 in. -0.001 in. 0.0254 mm -0.0 mm	0.554	14.07	+0.001 in. -0.000 in. 0.0254 mm -0.0 mm	0.005 in. to 0.015 in. 0.127 mm to 0.381 mm	0.150 in. 3.81 mm	0.171 in. 4.34 mm	0.238 in. 6.04 mm
204			0.625		15.87			0.382	9.70			0.374						9.00		0.617	15.67					
205	0.687		17.45	0.444	11.28		0.436	11.07	0.679	17.25																
206	0.750		19.05	0.507	12.88		0.499	12.68	0.742	18.85																
207	0.812		20.63	0.569	14.45		0.561	14.25	0.804	20.42																
208	0.875		22.22	0.632	16.05		0.624	15.85	0.867	22.02																
209	0.937		23.80	0.694	17.63		0.686	17.42	0.929	23.60																
210	1.000		25.40	0.757	19.23		0.748	19.00	0.991	25.17																
211	1/8 in. (.125 in.) ±0.004 in. 3.5306 mm ±0.1016 mm	1.063	27.00	+0.001 in. -0.000 in. 0.0254 mm -0.0 mm	0.820	20.83	+0.000 in. -0.001 in. 0.0254 mm -0.0 mm	0.810	20.57	+0.000 in. -0.001 in. 0.0254 mm -0.0 mm	1.053	26.75	+0.001 in. -0.000 in. 0.0254 mm -0.0 mm	0.005 in. to 0.015 in. 0.127 mm to 0.381 mm	0.150 in. 3.81 mm	0.171 in. 4.34 mm	0.238 in. 6.04 mm									
212		1.125	28.57		0.882	22.40		0.873	22.17		1.116	28.35														
213		1.188	30.18		0.945	24.00		0.935	23.75		1.178	29.92														
214		1.250	31.75		1.007	25.58		0.998	25.35		1.241	31.52														
215		1.313	33.35		1.070	27.18		1.06	27.00		1.303	33.10														
216		1.375	34.90		1.132	28.75		1.123	28.52		1.366	34.70														
217		1.438	36.52		1.195	30.35		1.185	30.10		1.428	36.27														
218		1.500	38.10		1.257	31.93		1.248	31.70		1.491	37.87														
219	1.563	39.70	1.320	33.53	1.31	33.27	1.553	39.45																		
220	1.625	41.27	1.382	35.10	1.373	34.87	1.616	41.05																		
221	1.688	42.87	1.445	36.70	1.435	36.45	1.678	42.62																		
222	1.750	44.45	1.507	38.28	1.498	38.05	1.741	44.22																		
325	1.875	47.62	1.503	38.18	1.498	38.05	1.870	47.50																		
326	2.00	50.80	1.628	41.35	1.623	41.22	1.995	50.67																		
327	2.125	53.97	1.753	44.53	1.748	44.40	2.120	53.85																		
328	2.250	57.15	1.878	47.70	1.873	47.57	2.245	57.02																		
329	2.375	60.32	2.003	50.88	1.998	50.75	2.370	60.20																		
330	2.50	63.50	2.128	54.05	2.123	53.92	2.495	63.38																		
331	2.625	66.67	2.253	57.23	2.248	57.10	2.620	66.55																		
332	2.750	69.85	2.378	60.40	2.373	60.27	2.745	69.72																		
333	2.875	73.02	2.503	63.58	2.498	63.45	2.870	72.90																		
334	3.000	76.20	2.628	66.75	2.623	66.62	2.995	76.08																		
335	3/16 in. (.1875 in.) ±0.004 in. 5.33 mm ±0.1016 mm	3.125	79.37	+0.001 in. -0.000 in. 0.0254 mm -0.0 mm	2.753	69.93	+0.000 in. -0.001 in. 0.0254 mm -0.0 mm	2.748	69.80	+0.000 in. -0.001 in. 0.0254 mm -0.0 mm	3.120	79.25	+0.001 in. -0.000 in. 0.0254 mm -0.0 mm	0.005 in. to 0.015 in. 0.127 mm to 0.381 mm	0.150 in. 3.81 mm	0.171 in. 4.34 mm	0.238 in. 6.04 mm									
336		3.25	82.55		2.878	73.10		2.873	72.97		3.245	82.42														
337		3.375	85.72		3.003	76.28		2.998	76.15		3.370	85.60														
338		3.500	88.90		3.128	79.45		3.123	79.32		3.495	88.77														
339		3.625	92.08		3.253	82.63		3.248	82.50		3.620	91.95														
340		3.750	95.25		3.378	85.80		3.373	85.67		3.745	95.12														
341		3.875	98.43		3.503	88.97		3.498	88.85		3.870	98.30														
342		4.000	101.60		3.628	92.15		3.623	92.02		3.995	101.47														

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		Bore Diameter			Gland Diameter			Rod Diameter			Gland Diameter					D	0b/u	1b/u	2b/u
		inch	mm	Tol.	inch	mm	Tol.	inch	mm	Tol.	inch	mm	Tol.						
343	3/16 in. (2.10 in.) ±0.005 in. 5.33 mm ±0.127 mm	4.125	104.78		3.753	95.20		3.748	95.20		4.120	104.65							
344		4.250	107.95		3.878	98.50		3.873	98.37		4.245	107.82							
345		4.375	111.13		4.003	101.68		3.998	101.55		4.370	111.00					0.280 in.		
346		4.500	114.30		4.128	104.85		4.123	104.72		4.495	114.17					7.112 mm		
347		4.625	117.48		4.253	108.03		4.248	107.90		4.620	117.35					0.311 in.		
348		4.750	120.65		4.378	111.20		4.373	111.07		4.745	120.52					7.8994 mm		
349		4.875	123.83		4.503	114.38		4.498	114.25		4.870	123.70					0.410 in.		
425		5.001	127.03		4.524	114.91		4.498	114.25		4.975	126.37							
426		5.126	130.20		4.649	118.08		4.623	117.42		5.100	129.54							
427		5.251	133.38		4.774	121.26		4.748	120.60		5.225	132.72							
428	5.376	136.55		4.899	124.43		4.873	123.77		5.350	135.89								
429	5.501	139.73		5.024	127.61		4.998	126.95		5.475	139.07								
430	5.626	142.90		5.149	130.78		5.123	130.12		5.600	142.24								
431	5.751	146.08		5.274	133.96		5.248	133.30		5.725	145.42								
432	5.876	149.25		5.399	137.13		5.373	136.47		5.850	148.59								
433	6.001	152.43		5.524	140.31		5.498	139.65		5.975	151.77								
434	6.126	155.60		5.649	143.48		5.623	142.82		6.100	154.94								
435	6.251	158.78		5.774	146.66		5.748	146.00		6.225	158.12								
436	6.376	161.95		5.899	149.83		5.873	149.17		6.350	161.29								
437	6.501	165.13		6.024	153.01		5.998	152.35		6.475	164.47								
438	6.751	171.48		6.274	159.36		6.248	158.70		6.725	170.82								
439	1/4 in. (275 in.) ±0.006 in. 6.985 mm ±0.1524 mm	7.001	177.83		6.524	165.71		6.498	165.05		6.975	177.17							
440		7.251	184.18		6.774	172.06		6.748	171.40		7.225	183.52							
441		7.501	190.53		7.024	178.41		6.998	177.75		7.475	189.87							
442		7.751	196.88		7.274	184.76		7.248	184.10		7.725	196.22							
443		8.001	203.23		7.524	191.11		7.498	190.45		7.975	202.57							
444		8.251	209.58		7.774	197.46		7.748	196.80		8.225	208.92							
445		8.501	215.93		8.024	203.81		7.998	203.15		8.475	215.27							
446		9.001	228.63		8.524	216.51		8.498	215.85		8.975	227.97							
447		9.501	241.33		9.024	229.21		8.998	228.55		9.475	240.67							
448		10.001	254.03		9.524	241.91		9.498	241.25		9.975	253.37							
449	10.501	266.73		10.024	254.61		9.998	253.95		10.480	266.07								
450	11.001	279.43		10.524	267.31		10.500	266.65		10.980	278.77								
451	11.501	292.13		11.024	280.01		11.000	279.35		11.480	291.47								
452	12.001	304.83		11.524	292.71		11.500	292.05		11.980	304.17								
453	12.501	317.53		12.024	305.41		12.000	304.75		12.480	316.87								
454	13.001	330.23		12.524	318.11		12.500	317.45		12.980	329.57								
455	13.501	342.93		13.024	330.81		13.000	330.15		13.480	342.27								
456	14.001	355.63		13.524	343.51		13.500	342.85		13.980	354.97								
457	14.501	368.33		14.024	356.21		14.000	355.55		14.480	367.67								
458	15.001	381.03		14.524	368.91		14.500	368.25		14.980	380.37								
459	15.501	393.73		15.024	381.61		15.000	380.95		15.480	393.07								
460	16.001	406.43		15.524	394.31		15.500	393.65		15.980	405.77								



TABLE 2 ELASTOMERIC COMPOUND SELECTOR

Fluids	Base Polymer (ASTM Designator)	Temp Range	Durometer Hardness (Shore A)	Compound Designator	Application
General purpose hydraulic oils, mineral, oils petroleum based lubricants, air, water, water-glycols, soluble oils	NBR	-40°F to 275°F (-40°C to 135°C)	70	173	General Purpose
MIL-H-5606	NBR	-65°F to 275°F (-54°C to 135°C)	70	160	MIL-P-25732 as applicable
MIL-H-6083	NBR	-70°F to 275°F (-57°C to 135°C)	70	987	Low temperature Nitrile
	NBR	-65°F to 275°F (-54°C to 135°C)	75	964	MIL-P-83461 as applicable
	FZ	-70°F to 300°F (-57°C to 149°C)	70/80	737/738	MIL-P-87175 as applicable
MIL-H-83282	NBR	-65°F to 275°F (-54°C to 135°C)	75	964	MIL-P-83461 as applicable
MIL-H-46170	FZ	-70°F to 300°F (-57°C to 149°C)	70/80	737/738	MIL-P-87175 as applicable
Silicone Oils	EPR	-65°F to 300°F (-54°C to 149°C)	80	952	NAS-1613 as applicable
Phosphate esters, water-glycol cellulubes, automotive brake fluids (SAE-J-1703)	EPDM	-65°F to 300°F (-54°C to 149°C)	75	801	For use in FYRQUEL, PYDRAUL, PYROGARD and LINDOL type fluids
	EPR	-65°F to 300°F (-54°C to 149°C)	80	952	SKYDROL type phosphate/ester fluids NAS-1613 as applicable
Automatic transmission fluids (ATF)	NBR	-40°F to 275°F (-40°C to 135°C)	70	700	Recommended for low aniline point oils
Gasoline, kerosene, aviation fuels	FKM	-20°F to 450°F (-29°C to 232°C)	75	731	MIL-R-83248 as applicable
JP fuels	FKM	-40°F to 450°F (-40°C to 232°C)	75	777	Low temperature FKM
	FZ	-65°F to 300°F (-54°C to 149°C)	70/80	740/741	AMS-7284 as applicable
Inert gases, nitrogen	NBR	-65°F to 275°F (-54°C to 135°C)	75	964	
	NBR	-65°F to 275°F (-54°C to 135°C)	75	972	Fluoromer treated elastomer for improved wear and low friction characteristics
Freon	CR	-65°F to 275°F (-54°C to 135°C)	80	253	Most freon gases
Synthetic hydrocarbons, silicate esters, diesters, solvents	FKM	-20°F to 450°F (-29°C to 232°C)	75	731	
	FKM	-40°F to 450°F (-40°C to 232°C)	75	777	Low temperature FKM
Steam, hot water	EPDM	-40°F to 300°F (-40°C to 149°C)	80	803	Can be used to 500°F in non-oxidizing environment
	*TFE/P	20°F to 450°F (-6.67°C to 232°C)	75	797	Recommended for use in steam systems with corrosion inhibitors
Well drilling fluids, "sweet" crude oil, brines	XNBR	-20°F to 225°F (-29°C to 107°C)	90	984	Tougher compound, abrasion resistance, suitable for downhole applications
	FKM	-20°F to 450°F (-29 to 232°C)	75/90		
Well drilling fluids, "sour" crude oil, H2S amines, steam, brines	*TFE/P	20°F to 450°F (-6.67 to 232°C)	75/90	797/799	90 durometer 799 compound recommended for rapid gas decompression resistance
	ECO	-50°F to 300°F (-45.6 to 149°C)	80	957	Recommended for low temperature applications
Virtually all fluids and fluid combinations EXCEPT fluorinated solvents and alkali metals	FFKM	-20°F to 450°F (-29 to 232°C)	75/90	505/510	

*ASTM designator not assigned at the time of this publication

NOTE: Temperature ranges may vary depending on fluids and/or applications. Factors other than compatibility may alter the ideal compound recommendation. Consult GT Product Engineering for confirmation of compound selection.



TABLE 3 ANTI-EXTRUSION RING MATERIAL SELECTOR

Pressure	Clearance Limits	Recommended Anti-Extrusion Ring		Comments
		Material*	Designator	
0–3000 psi (0-20.7 MPa)	See Table 1	Virgin TFE	005	Narrow Base Seal Only
		NWR	013	
		NWR	006	Includes balanced designed clearances to 0.025 in. (0.635 mm) diametral (i.e., with wear rings).
		P5	021	
		P4	016	Thin wall cylinder breathing to 0.012 in. (0.305 mm), diametral clearance.
3000–4500 psi (20.7-31.0 MPa)	to 0.025 in. diametral (0.635mm) From Table 1 to 0.030 in. (0.762 mm) diametral See Table 1	NWR	006	1. Relatively balanced actuator system, even stroke with intermittent side loading and lay down. 2. Static applications
		†Staged Virgin TFE & NWR	060	1. Heavy Duty Wide Base Seal only. 2. Heavy shock load system with clearance due to cylinder distortion.
		P5	021	
Extreme Pressures	See Table 1	P9	045	Recommended for service extremes (temperatures to 450°F, 232.22 C).

***Material**

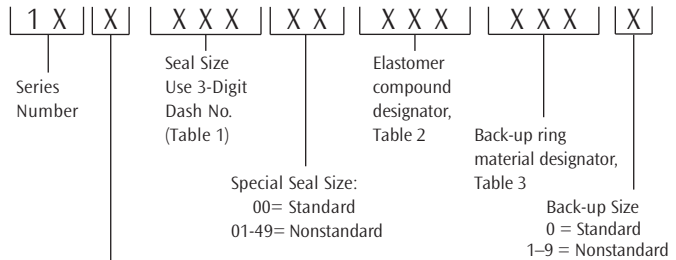
- TFE: to MIL-R-8791
- NWR: Wear Resistant Nylon to L-P-410a
- P4: Graphite filled TFE to GC spec.
- P5: Glass and MoS2 filled TFE to GT spec.
- P9: Polyetheretherketone to GT spec.

†Assembly includes 4 backups...1 TFE backup each side adjacent to rubber sealing element; 1 NWR backup each side adjacent to groove wall.

Unless otherwise indicated, for temperatures above 275°F, contact GT for Backup Material selection.)

GT-RING PART NUMBERING SYSTEM

The part numbering system requires the use of the material designator tables found in the above text. For nonstandard designs contact GT engineering.



ROD	PISTON	AXIAL LENGTH
1	2	Narrow Base
3	4	Intermediate Base
5	6	Wide Base
7	8	Narrow Base GTL



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