## **PTFE**

## soft-chem®

Thermoseal® soft-chem® expanded PTFE sealing material provides excellent corrosion resistance and impermeability along with superior creep resistance and sealability for use in all types of applications. The material's high compressibility enables it to deform under load and conform to irregularities in flange faces for a tight seal with low, minimum sealing stress. Standardizing with it also helps to reduce maintenance, simplify inventory, and save money.

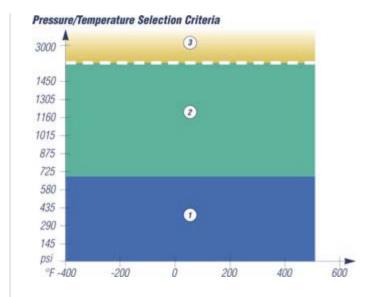
- · Can be used with more fragile piping systems
- · Ideal for boiler applications because it's largely unaffected by steam or condensate for longer life and trouble-free sealing
- BAM approval for gaseous oxygen
- Indefinite self life
- FDA compliant

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Creep Relaxation ASTM F38B (1/32")	35%
Sealability ASTM F37 B Fuel A	.002 ml/min
Gas Leakage DIN 3535/6	.12 ml/hr
Klinger Hot Compression Test	
Thickness Decrease ambient, 3625 psi Thickness Decrease Hot, 572°F (300°C)	37% 28.6%
Compressibility ASTM F36	60%
Recovery ASTM F36	12% min
Tensile ASTM 152	1,500 psi
Vacuum to Full Pressure	3,000 psi
Chemical Resistance	0-14 ph
Density	.85 g/cm <sup>3</sup>
Gasket constants as tested by Ecole Polytechnic	1/16"
G <sub>b</sub>	1,260 psi
a	.20 psi
$G_s$	3.5 psi
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