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## TANG SPECIFICTION SHEET

Reference Application Guide for Stock Calipers

Metal Reinforced Graphite Gasket Material

COMMON APPLICATIONS Cylinder Head Gaskets, Intake Manifold Gaskets, Exhaust Manifold

Gaskets, Small Engine Gaskets, High Temperature/High Pressure Fluid

Applications, Furnace Gaskets

**TEMPERATURE RATING** 816°C/1500°F

I-Flex uses .088" ETP (electrolytic tin plate) steel core. This core is then laminated on one side (I-Flex-1) or two sites (I-Flex-2) with an expanded graphite facing. The graphite covers are mechanically bonded without the use of any adhesives. This type of mechanical bonding insures product integrity at high temperatures. The gasket material is permanently resilient and naturally lubricious which requires no release agent and minimum clearing effect. This material can be used in a broad range of applications and flange conditions.

PHYSICAL TEST PROPERTIES	TYPICAL VALUES	TEST METHOD
Compression@34.5 MPa (5000psi)	25-35%	ASTM F-36
Recovery @34.5 MPa (5000psi) min.	15%	ASTM F-36
Creep Relaxation @ 20.7 MPA 22hrs. @100°C (212°F)	4%	ASTM F-495
Air Aging 70 hrs.@ 540°C (1000°F) (Thickness Loss)	3.5%	ASTM D-573
(Weight Loss)	22.0%	
FLUID IMMERSIONS		
Fluid Resistance in ASTM #3 Oil		
Thickness Change % max.	6%	
Weight Change %	20%	ASTM F-146
Fluid Resistance in ASTM Fuel B		
Thickness Change % max.	5%	
Weight Change %	15%	ASTM F-146

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