



SÜDMO'S ADVANCED ASEPTIC SEAL TECHNOLOGY THE P³ DIAPHRAGM

Südmo sets the industry standard with its P³ diaphragm seal material for use in a wide range of aseptic valves.

The P^3 diaphragm's shape along with the material properties provide outstanding performance in terms of chemical and temperature resistance, as well as pressure and load cycle resilience compared to other options on the market, including metal bellows. The P^3 diaphragm provides many advantages in various process areas and aseptic applications.

- Extremely good chemical resistance
- Temperature resistance up to 150 °C (302 °F)
- Dynamic working pressure up to 10 bar (145 psi)
- High number of cycles > 300,000

Already standard in the pharmaceutical industry, the use of aseptic production and packaging is growing rapidly in the beverage, food and dairy industries. Consumer trends toward natural chemical-free products, extended shelf life (ESL) options, and unique packaging that requires cold filling challenges production plants to process microbiological sensitive products.

Due to product liability processors must protect consumers from the risk of health-damaging germs and bacteria. This increases the procedural and economic optimization requirements that are imposed by the manufacturers on the suppliers of the respective components.

Challenges incude automated Cleaning in Place/Sterilization in Place (CIP/SIP), minimized cleaning times and cost-effective, simple and fast maintenance.

UTILIZATION OF THE P3 DIAPHRAGM

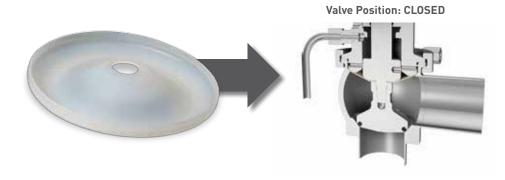
The P³ diaphragm is applied in the Südmo SVP Select Single Seat Valve series and the Aseptic Mix Proof Secure Valves.

In both valve types the advanced seal technology supports all performance areas of the proven Südmo valve technology, including Südmo's minimized maintenance requirements and easy service handling.





Aseptic Mix Proof Valve Secure



Valve Position: OPEN



OPERATING RANGE AND FIELD OF APPLICATION



- Pasteurized area of dairies
- Cold aseptic filling (CAF)
- Pharmaceutical and biochemical facilities
- Lactose/milk sugar
- · Instant coffee
- Abrasive media

- Low-acid products, fruit and vegetable purees and concentrates
- Fruit and confectionery bases, sauces, yogurt, cottage cheese; with / or diced fruit (peach, apricot, strawberry, pear, apple, tropical fruit)
- Diced tomatoes / tomato paste

MARKET REQUIREMENTS - GROWING NEED FOR ASEPTIC VALVES AND PRODUCTION









INCREASE MARKET ACCEPTANCE AND QUALITY

- Increase product life and maximize product shelf-life
- Sterile products
- Microbiological durability
- Increase and stabilize product quality
- Avoid use of chemical preservatives
- Unflavored products
- Enable cold aseptic filling
- No subsequent sterilization of the package required
- Protect against production rejects and product recalls

COMPARISON OF P3 DIAPHRAGM VS. BELLOW TECHNOLOGY





ADVANTAGES OF P3 DIAPHRAGM TECHNOLOGY

Flow from the side is possible and due to the form as a result the diaphragm have a very good flow characteristic. This characteristic creates less turbulence and flow turbulence.

Excellent cleaning ability due to the membrane and body design.

Less sensitive to dynamic pressure shocks as the diaphragm is supported from behind. The unsupported space behind the diaphragm is minimized.

High number of load cycles provide a longer service life in the production area. Suitable for longer strokes to realize a maximized free cross section (gap) for bulky products e.g. pieces of fruit **without leading to a larger dome**.

Cost-effective, because only the diaphragm is replaced. Due to the design, Südmo valves are quick and easy to repair and maintain.

Unimpeded secure and easy leakage detection.

LIMITATIONS OF BELLOWS

Undesirable flow conditions against the side produces a bad CV value and is not suitable for large chunky products. In addition there is a risk for a distortion of the bellow's corrugation resulting in failure of the bellows.

Poor cleaning ability between the bellows corrugations and the dome leads to long cleaning times or uncleanable bellows.

Sensitive to pressure shocks caused by the very large unpressurized space inside the metal bellows. Pressure shocks can cause the bellows to experience premature failure which compromises th valve function.

Low stroke movement and load changes are due to design. With a required enlargement of the stroke the bellows have to be longer. More bellows corrugations lead to a **larger dome** inside and weakens the bellow itself.

High spare parts costs. When replacement is necessary high-quality stainless steel parts, such as the valve seat or the upper socket, are disposed.

Double-walled bellows will not provide secure leakage management. There is a **risk of contamination** between the layers of the metal bellows.

The term aseptic, when applied to valve design, generally means to eliminate atmospheric contact with the product as made possible with a standard hygienic valve. Depending on system design and valve type, processors have become accustomed to performing maintenance at intervals as frequently as once a week to a maximum of about three months. This is in large part due to three variables - temperature, chemicals and pressure shocks. Metal bellows have traditionally been a standard option for aseptic valves. Made from either stainless steel with elastomer seat, or entirety Teflon®, bellows have many limitations.

TECHNICAL ADVANTAGES OF THE P3 DIAPHRAGM

DESIGN

- Very good flow CV's
- Easy cleaning
- Suitable for the use with large particulates (fruits, nuts)
- Dome free housing design
- Leak detection

RESISTANCE

- Extremely good chemical resistance
- Temperature stable material
- High temperature resistance

EXTREMELY GOOD CHEMICAL RESISTANCE
TEMPERATURE RESISTANCE UP TO 150 °C (302 °F)
DYNAMIC WORKING PRESSURE UP TO 10 BAR (145 PSI)
HIGH NUMBER OF CYCLES > 300,000

MATERIAL

- Homogeneous material
- No elastomer
- Plastic like PTFE (polytetrafluoroethylene)
- No cold flow
- Elasticity, elastic recovery
- Low adhesive coefficient

DURABILITY

- Good mechanical material properties
- Good dynamic and static pressure stability
- High number of switching cycles and load cycles

COMMERCIAL BENEFITS OF THE P3 DIAPHRAGM

AREA	P³ DIAPHRAGM ADVANTAGE
Operation and Environment	Improved equipment efficiencies, better protection of downstream equipment, and minimized batch contamination due to the more reliable diaphragm. Shorter and easier cleaning cycles reduce the overall demand for media (water, caustic / acid concentrates).
Maintenance Costs	A longer diaphragm service life increases process run time and reduces labor and documentation costs for membrane replacement.
Spare Parts	Only the P ³ diaphragm is replaced, which reduces spare parts and inventory carrying costs.
Cost Savings	Based on the service life over several years you will see significant cost savings, improved product conditions, and longer process run times.

CHEMICAL RESISTANCE CHART

Abietic Acid	Α	Amyl Acetate	Α	Bromoform	А	Caustic Soda	A ¹¹
Acetaldehyde	Α	Amyl Alcohol	Α	Bromomethane	Α	Cetane (Hexadecane)	Α
Acetamide	Α	Aniline, Aniline Oil	Α	Butadiene	A^1	China Wood Oil	Α
Acetic Acid (Crude, Glacial, Pure)	Α	Aniline Dyes	Α	Butane	Α	Chloramben	Α
Acetic Anhydride	Α	o-Anisidine	Α			Chlorazotic Acid (Aqua Regia)	Α
Acetone	Α	Aqua Regia	Α	2-Butanone	Α	Chlordane	Α
Acetonitrile	Α	Aroclors	Α	Butyl Acetate	Α	Chlorinated Solvents, Dry	Α
Acetophenone	Α	Asphalt	Α	Butyl Alcohol, Butanol	Α	Wet	Α
2-Acetylaminofluorene	Α	Aviation Gasoline	Α	n-Butyl Amine	Α	Chlorine, Dry	Α
Acetylene	Α	Barium Chloride	Α	tert-Butyl Amine	Α	Wet	Α
Acrolein	A ¹	Barium Hydroxide	Α	Butyl Methacrylate	A ¹	Chlorine Dioxide	Α
Acrylamide	A^1	Barium Sulfide	Α	Butyric Acid	Α	Chlorine Trifluoride	С
Acrylic Acid	A^1	Baygon	Α	Calcium Bisulfite	Α	Chloroacetic Acid	Α
Acrylic Anhydride	Α	Beer10	Α	Calcium Chloride	A	2-Chloroacetophenone	Α
Acrylonitrile	A ¹	Benzaldehvde	Α	Calcium Cyanamide	Α	Chloroazotic Acid (Agua Regia)	Α
Air	Α	Benzene, Benzol	Α	Calcium Hydroxide	A	Chlorobenzene	Α
Allyl Acetate	Α	Benzidine	Α	Calcium Hypochlorite	Α	Chlorobenzilate	Α
Allyl Chloride	Α	Benzoic Acid	Α	Calcium Nitrate	Α	Chloroethane	Α
Allyl Methacrylate	Α	Benzonitrile	Α	Calflo AF	Α	Chloroethylene	Α
Aluminum Chloride	Α	Benzotrichloride	Α	Calflo FG	Α	Chloroform	Α
Aluminum Fluoride	Α	Benzoyl Chloride	Α	Calflo HTF	Α	Chloromethyl Methyl Ether	Α
Aluminum Hydroxide (Solid)	Α	Benzyl Alcohol	Α	Calflo LT	Α	Chloronitrous Acid (Aqua Regia)	Α
Aluminum Nitrate	Α	Benzyl Chloride	Α	Cane Sugar Liquors	Α	Chloroprene	Α
Aluminum Sulfate	Α	Biphenyl	Α	Caprolactam	Α	Chlorosulfonic Acid	Α
Alums	Α	Bis(2-chloroethyl)ether	Α	Captan	Α	Chrome Plating Solutions	Α
4-Aminodiphenyl	Α	Bis(chloromethyl)ether	Α	Carbaryl	Α	Chromic Acid	Α
Ammonia, Gas, 150° Fand below	Α	Bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate	Α	Carbolic Acid, Phenol	Α	Chromic Anhydride	Α
Gas, Above 150° F	Α	Black Sulfate Liquor	Α	Carbon Dioxide, Dry	Α	Chromium Trioxide	Α
Liquid, Anhydrous	Α	Blast Furnace Gas	Α	Wet	Α	Citric Acid	Α
Ammonium Chloride	Α	Bleach (Sodium Hyprochlorite)	Α	Carbon Disulfide	Α	Coke Oven Gas	Α
Ammonium Hydroxide	Α	Boiler Feed Water	Α	Carbon Monoxide	Α	Copper Chloride	Α
Ammonium Nitrate	Α	Borax	Α	Carbon Tetrachloride	Α	Copper Sulfate	Α
Ammonium Phosphate, Monobasic	Α	Boric Acid	Α	Carbonic Acid	Α	Corn Oil10	Α
Dibasic	Α	Brine (Sodium Chloride)	Α	Carbonyl Sulfide	Α	Cotton Seed Oil10	Α
Tribasic	Α	Bromine	Α	Castor Oil	Α	Creosote	Α
Ammonium Sulfate	Α	Bromine Trifluoride	C	Catechol	Α	Cresols, Cresylic Acid	Α

Crotonic Acid	Α	Dimethyl Hydrazine, Unsymmetrical	Α	Ethylene Glycol	Α	Hexone	Α
Crude Oil	Α	Dimethyl Phthalate	Α	Ethyleneimine	Α	Hydraulic Oil, Mineral	Α
Cumene	Α	Dimethyl Sulfate	Α	Ethylene Oxide	A1	Synthetic	Α
Cyclohexane	Α	4,6-Dinitro-o-Cresol and Salts	Α	Ethylene Thiourea	Α	Hydrazine	Α
Cyclohexanone	Α	2,4-Dinitrophenol	Α	Ethylidine Chloride	Α	Hydrobromic Acid	Α
2,4-D, Salts and Esters	Α	2,4-Dinitrotoluene	Α	Ferric Chloride	Α	Hydrochloric Acid	Α
Detergent Solutions	Α	Dioxane	Α	Ferric Phosphate	Α	Hydrocyanic Acid	Α
						Hydrofluoric Acid, up to Anhydrous,	
Diazomethane	Α	1,2-Diphenylhydrazine	Α	Ferric Sulfate	Α	150° F & below	Α
						Less than 65%, Above	
Dibenzofuran	Α	Diphyl DT	Α	Fluorine, Gas	С	150° F	Α
						65% to Anhydrous, Above	
Dibenzylether	Α	Dowfrost	Α	Fluorine, Liquid	С	150° F	Α
1,2-Dibromo-3-chloropropane	Α	Dowfrost HD	Α	Fluorine Dioxide	С	Anhydrous	Α
Dibromoethane	Α	Dowtherm 4000	Α	Formaldehyde	Α	Hydrofluorosilicic Acid	Α
Dibutyl Phthalate	Α	Dowtherm A	Α	Formic Acid	Α	Hydrofluosilicic Acid	Α
Dibutyl Sebacate	A	Dowtherm E	Α	Fuel Oil	Α	Hydrogen	Α
o-Dichlorobenzene	A	Dowtherm G	Α	Fuel Oil, Acid	Α	Hydrogen Bromide	Α
1,4-Dichlorobenzene	Α	Dowtherm HT	Α	Furfural	Α	Hydrogen Fluoride	Α
3,3-Dichlorobenzidene	Α	Dowtherm J	Α	Gasoline, Refined	Α	Hydrogen Peroxide, 10%	Α
Dichloroethane (1,1 or 1,2)	Α	Dowtherm Q	Α	Sour	Α	10-90%	Α
1,1-Dichloroethylene	A ¹	Dowtherm SR-1	Α	Gelatin	Α	Hydrogen Sulfide, Dry or Wet	Α
Dichloroethyl Ether	Α	Epichlorohydrin	Α	Glucose	Α	Hydroquinone	Α
Dichloromethane	Α	1,2-Epoxybutane	Α	Glue, Protein Base	Α	Iodine Pentafluoride	-
1,2-Dichloropropane	Α	Ethane	Α	Glycerine, Glycerol	Α	Iodomethane	Α
1,3-Dichloropropene	Α	Ethers	Α	Glycol	Α	Isobutane	Α
Dichlorvos	Α	Ethyl Acetate	Α	Grain Alcohol10	Α	Isooctane	Α
Diesel Oil	Α	Ethyl Acrylate	A^1	Grease, Petroleum Base	Α	Isophorone	Α
Diethanolamine	Α	Ethyl Alcohol10	Α	Green Sulfate Liquor	Α	Isopropyl Alcohol	Α
N,N-Diethylaniline	Α	Ethylbenzene	Α	Heptachlor	Α	Jet Fuels (JP Types)	Α
Diethyl Carbonate	Α	Ethyl Carbamate	Α	Heptane	Α	Kerosene	Α
Diethyl Sulfate	Α	Ethyl Cellulose	Α	Hexachlorobenzene	Α	Lacquer Solvents	Α
3,3-Dimethoxybenzidene	Α	Ethyl Chloride	Α	Hexachlorobutadiene	Α	Lacquers	Α
Dimethylaminoazobenzene	Α	Ethyl Ether	Α	Hexachlorocyclopentadiene	Α	Lactic Acid, 150° F and below	Α
N,N-Dimethyl Aniline	Α	Ethyl Hexoate	Α	Hexachloroethane	Α	Above 150° F	Α
3,3-Dimethylbenzidine	Α	Ethylene	Α	Hexadecane	Α	Lime Saltpeter (Calcium Nitrates)	Α
Dimethyl Carbamoyl Chloride	Α	Ethylene Bromide	Α	Hexamethylene Diisocyanate	Α	Lindane	Α
Dimethyl Ether	Α	Ethylene Dibromide	Α	Hexamethylphosphoramide	Α	Linseed Oil	Α
Dimethylformamide	Α	Ethylene Dichloride	Α	Hexane	Α	Lithium Bromide	Α

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Lithium, Elemental	С	Mobiltherm 603	Α	Norwegian Saltpeter (Calcium Nitrate)	Α	Phthalic Anhydride	Α
Lubricating Oils, Mineral or Petroleum							
Types	Α	Mobiltherm 605	Α	N-Octadecyl Alcohol	Α	Picric Acid, Molten	_
Refined	Α	Mobiltherm Light	Α	Octane	Α	Water Solution	Α
Sour	Α	Molten Alkali Metals	С	Oil, Petroleum	Α	Pinene	Α
Lye	A ¹¹	Monomethylamine	Α	Oils, Animal and Vegetable10	Α	Piperidine	Α
Magnesium Chloride	Α	MultiTherm 100	Α	Oleic Acid	Α	Polyacrylonitrile	Α
Magnesium Hydroxide	Α	MultiTherm 503	Α	Oleum	Α	Polychlorinated Biphenyls	Α
Magnesium Sulfate	Α	MultiTherm IG-2	Α	Orthodichlorobenzene	Α	Potash, Potassium Carbonate	Α
Maleic Acid	A	MultiTherm PG-1	Α	Oxalic Acid	Α	Potassium Acetate	Α
Maleic Anhydride	A	Muriatic Acid	A	Oxygen, Gas	-	Potassium Bichromate	A
Mercuric Chloride	A	Naphtha	A	Ozone	Α	Potassium Chromate, Red	A
	A	Naphthalene	A	Palmitic Acid	A		
Mercury		The state of the s				Potassium Cyanide	A
Methane	A	Naphthols	A	Paraffin	A	Potassium Dichromate	A
Methanol, Methyl Alcohol	Α	Natural Gas	Α	Paratherm HE	Α	Potassium, Elemental	С
Methoxychlor	Α	Nickel Chloride	Α	Paratherm NF	Α	Potassium Hydroxide	A ¹¹
Methylacrylic Acid	Α	Nickel Sulfate	Α	Parathion	Α	Potassium Nitrate	Α
Methyl Alcohol	Α	Nitric Acid, Less than 30%	Α	Paraxylene	Α	Potassium Permanganate	Α
2-Methylaziridine	Α	Above 30%	Α	Pentachloronitrobenzene	Α	Potassium Sulfate	Α
Methyl Bromide	Α	Crude	Α	Pentachlorophenol	Α	Producer Gas	Α
Methyl Chloride	Α	Red Fuming	Α	Pentane	Α	Propane	Α
Methyl Chloroform	Α	Nitrobenzene	Α	Perchloric Acid	Α	1,3-Propane Sultone	Α
4,4 Methylene Bis(2-chloroaniline)	Α	4-Nitrobiphenyl	Α	Perchloroethylene	Α	Beta-Propiolactone	Α
Methylene Chloride	Α	2-Nitro-Butanol	Α	Petroleum Oils, Crude	Α	Propionaldehyde	Α
4,4-Methylene Dianiline	Α	Nitrocalcite (Calcium Nitrate)	Α	Refined	Α	Propoxur (Baygon)	Α
Methylene Diphenyldiisocyanate	Α	Nitrogen	Α	Phenol	Α	Propyl Nitrate	Α
Methyl Ethyl Ketone	Α	Nitrogen Tetroxide	Α	p-Phenylenediamine	Α	Propylene	Α
Methyl Hydrazine	Α	Nitrohydrochloric Acid (Agua Regia)	Α	Phosgene	Α	Propylene Dichloride	Α
Methyl Iodide	Α	Nitromethane	Α	Phosphate Esters	Α	Propylene Oxide	Α
Methyl Isobutyl Ketone (MIBK)	Α	2-Nitro-2-Methyl Propanol	Α	Phosphine	Α	1,2-Propylenimine	Α
Methyl Isocyanate	A	Nitromuriatic Acid (Aqua Regia)	A	Phosphoric Acid, Crude	A	Prussic Acid, Hydrocyanic Acid	A
Methyl Methacrylate	A	4-Nitrophenol	A	Pure, Less than 45%	A	Pyridine	A
Wethyr Wethaer ylate	-	4 Mili ophenoi		Pure, Above 45%, 150° F and	-	Tyridine	
N-Methyl-2-Pyrrolidone	Α	2-Nitropropane	А	below	Α	Quinoline	Α
N-Wettryi-2-r yrrolldone	^	2-Mili opropane	^	Pure, Above 45%, Above	^	Quitoline	^
Methyl Tert. Butyl Ether (MTBE)	Α	N-Nitrosodimethylamine	Α	150° F	Α	Quinone	Α
Milk10	A	N-Nitroso-N-Methylurea	A	Phosphorus, Elemental	A	Refrigerants	A
Mineral Oils	A	N-Nitrosomorpholine	A	Phosphorus Pentachloride	A	10	^
Mobiltherm 600	A	·	A	Phthalic Acid	A	11	A A
Modiffieriii 600	А	Norge Niter (Calcium Nitrate)	А	Pritrialic Acid	А	11	А
12	Α	Soda Ash, Sodium Carbonate	А	10-75%, 500° F and below	Α	1,2,4-Trichlorobenzene	Α
13	Α	Sodium Bicarbonate, Baking Soda	Α	75-98%, 150° F and below	A	1,1,2-Trichloroethane	A
13B1	A	Sodium Bisulfate (Dry)	A	75-98%, 150° F to 500° F	A	Trichloroethylene	A
21	A	Sodium Bisulfite	A	Sulfuric Acid, Fuming	A	2,4,5-Trichlorophenol	A
22	A	Sodium Chlorate	A	Sulfurous Acid	A	2,4,6-Trichlorophenol	A
23	A	Sodium Chloride	A	Syltherm 800	A	Tricresylphosphate	A
31	A	Sodium Cyanide	A	Syltherm XLT	A	Triethanolamine	A
32	A	Sodium, Elemental	C	Tannic Acid	A		A
			A ¹¹			Triethyl Aluminum	
112	A	Sodium Hydroxide		Tar	A	Triethylamine	A
113	A	Sodium Hypochlorite	A	Tartaric Acid	A	Trifluralin	A
114	A	Sodium Metaborate Peroxyhydrate	Α	2,3,7,8-TCDB-p-Dioxin	Α	2,2,4-Trimethylpentane	A
114B2	A	Sodium Metaphosphate	A	Tertiary Butyl Amine	Α	Tung Oil	Α
115	A	Sodium Nitrate	A	Tetrabromoethane	A	Turpentine	A
123	Α	Sodium Perborate	A	Tetrachlorethane	Α	UCON Heat Transfer Fluid 500	A
124	Α	Sodium Peroxide	A	Tetrachloroethylene	Α	UCON Process Fluid WS	Α
125	A	Sodium Phosphate, Monobasic	A	Tetrahydrofuran, THF	A	Varnish	A
134a	Α	Dibasic	Α	Therminol 44	Α	Vinegar10	Α
141b	Α	Tribasic	Α	Therminol 55	Α	Vinyl Acetate	A^1
142b	Α	Sodium Silicate	Α	Therminol 59	Α	Vinyl Bromide	A ¹
143a	Α	Sodium Sulfate	Α	Therminol 60	Α	Vinyl Chloride	A ¹
152a	Α	Sodium Sulfide	Α	Therminol 66	Α	Vinylidene Chloride	A ¹
218	Α	Sodium Superoxide	Α	Therminol 75	Α	Vinyl Methacrylate	Α
290	Α	Sodium Thiosulfate, "Hypo"	Α	Therminol D12	Α	Water, Acid Mine, with Oxidizing Salt	Α
500	Α	Soybean Oil10	Α	Therminol LT	Α	No Oxidizing Salts	Α
502	Α	Stannic Chloride	Α	Therminol VP-1	Α	Water, Distilled	Α
503	Α	Steam, Saturated	Α	Therminol XP	Α	Return Condensate	Α
C316	Α	Superheated	_	Thionyl Chloride	Α	Seawater	Α
C318	Α	Stearic Acid	Α	Titanium Sulfate	Α	Тар	Α
HP62	Α	Stoddard Solvent	Α	Titanium Tetrachloride	A	Whiskey and Wines10	Α
HP80	A	Styrene	A ¹	Toluene	A	Wood Alcohol	A
HP81	A	Styrene Oxide	A	2,4-Toluenediamine	A	Xceltherm 550	A
Salt Water	A	Sulfur Chloride	A	2,4-Toluenediisocyanate	A	Xceltherm 600	A
Saltpeter, Potassium Nitrate	A	Sulfur Dioxide	A	Toluene Sulfonic Acid	A	Xceltherm MK1	A
2,4-D Salts and Esters	A	Sulfur, Molten	A	o-Toluidine	A	Xceltyherm XT	A
Sewage	A	Sulfur Trioxide, Dry	A	Toxaphine	A	Xylene	A
Silver Nitrate	A	Wet	A	Transformer Oil (Mineral Type)	A	Zinc Chloride	A
Skydrols	A	Sulfuric Acid, 10%, 150° F and below	A	Transmission Fluid A	A	Zinc Sulfate	A
Jinyai Ola							M
Soan Solutions						Zinc Junate	
Soap Solutions	A	10%, Above 150° F	A	Trichloroacetic Acid	A	Zinc Junate	

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P3 DIAPHRAGM CHARACTERISTICS

PHYSICAL PROPERTIES	
Compression	20 - 25%
Resetting	45 - 50%
Creep Relaxation	35 %
Tension	31 N/mm² (4500 psi)
Ultimate Elongation	320 %
Specific Gravity	2.14
Gas Permeability	5 x 10 ⁻⁷
Flex Endurance	17.6 mio. cycles
	The data referred are determined in accordance with ASTM guidelines ASTM F36, F152, D1708, D792, D2176

MATERIAL PROPERTIES	
Color	Clear, translucent
Composition	PTFE
Temperature continuous	up to +150 °C (302 °F) *
Pressure	up to 10 bar (145 psi) *
Flammability	Will not burn
Bacterial Growth	Will not support
Meets Specification	FDA Regulation 21CFR177.1550, 3A Standard, NSF 61 Standard, USP Class VI Chapter 87 & 88, USP Part 31, 281 and 661, TSE free, EG1935/2004
	* The data refer to the operating limits of the valve technology and are dependent on the type and size.

HANDLING THE P3 DIAPHRAGM

AREA	NOTE
Storage	Store flat in a cool, dry area. Store away from incidental exposure to all types of radiation. Following extended storage, carefully inspect the material for damage.
Cleaning	If exposed to grease, oil, or solvents in liquid or vapor form, clean before installing.
Handling	Do not fold or bend.



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