



## 2/2B ELASTOMER BELLOWS SEALS

### Applications

John Crane Type 2 Seals are specified in more original equipment than any other seal from any other manufacturer. With the highest success rate of any seal of its type, they are suitable for a wide range of service conditions, from water to steam to chemicals and corrosive materials.

- Fits equipment with confined space requirements and limited seal chamber depths in pumps, mixers, blenders, agitators, compressors and other rotary shaft equipment.
- For pulp and paper, food processing, wastewater, chemical processing and other demanding applications.
- Type 2B is a balanced seal used in higher pressure applications, offering greater operating speeds and reduced face wear.
- Both Type 2 and 2B are field repairable, minimizing replacement costs, and lost revenue from downtime.

### Non-Concurrent Operating Conditions

- **Temperatures:** -40°C to +205°C/  
-40°F to +400°F  
depending on materials used
- **Pressures:** **2:** 29 bar g/425 psig  
**2B:** 83 bar g/1200 psig
- **Speeds:** See Chart 7 for speed requirements

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**Design Features**

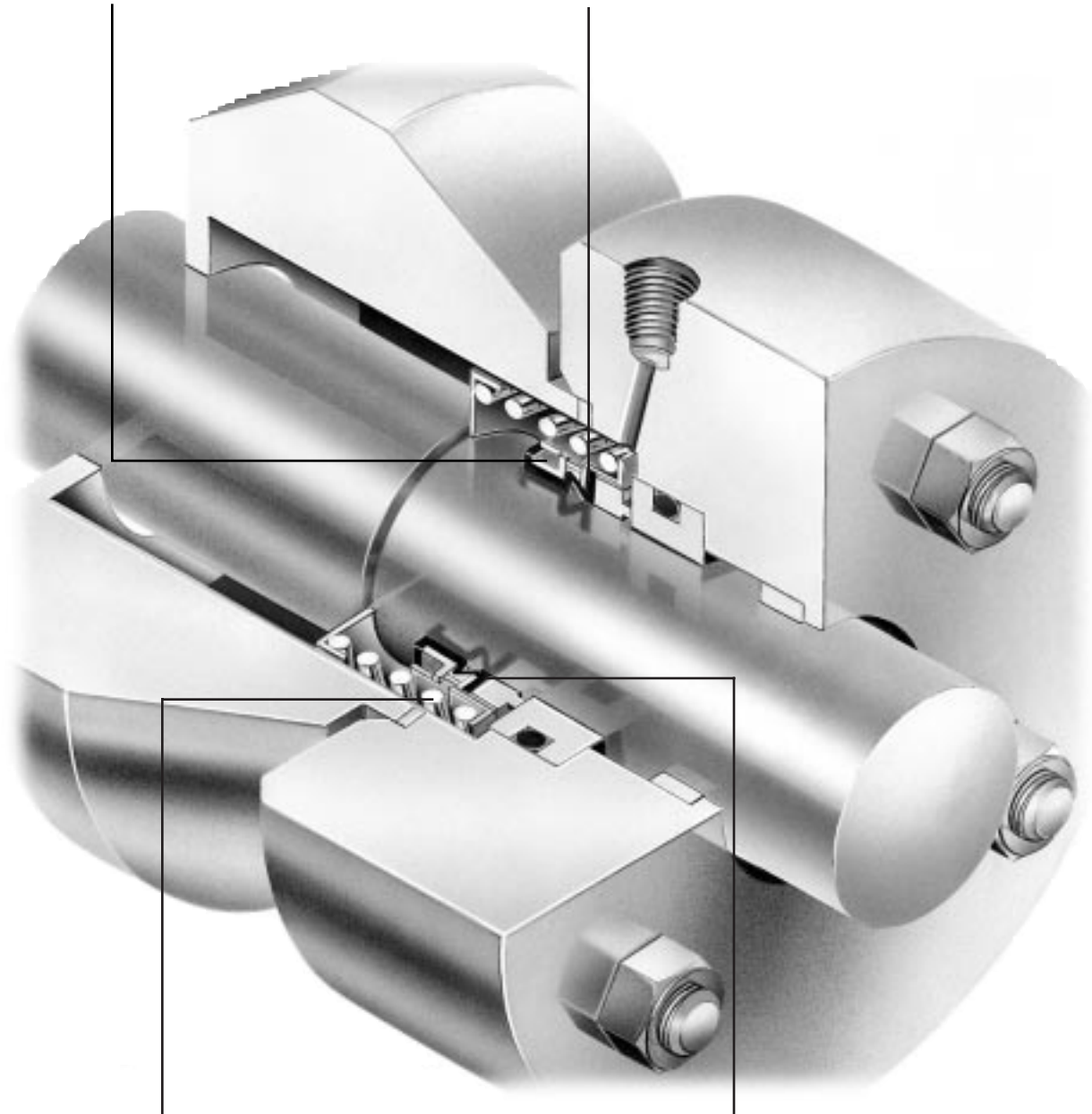
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**Mechanical Drive**

The drive band's notch design eliminates over-stressing of the elastomer bellows. Bellows slip is eliminated and shaft and sleeve are protected from wear.

**Special Balancing**

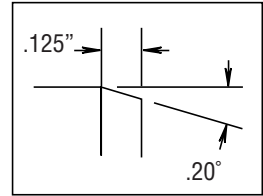
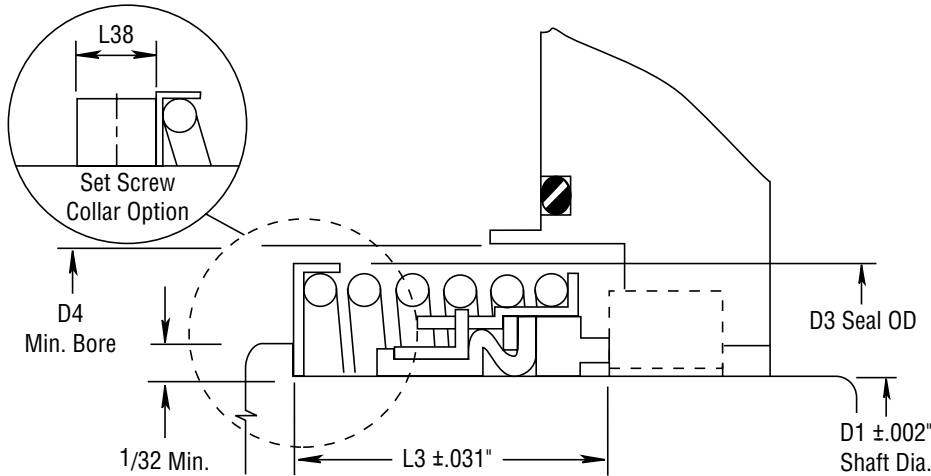
Elastomeric bellows are inherently balanced. This allows the Type 2 to operate at higher pressures than pusher seals. A balanced Type 2B provides greater sealing pressure capability.

**Non-Clogging, Single Coil Spring**

Provides greater dependability than multiple spring designs. Will not foul due to fluid contact. Fits over seal head.

**Self-Aligning**

Elastomeric bellows have automatic adjustment which compensates for abnormal shaft and play (run out), primary ring wear and equipment tolerances.

**Type 2 Typical Arrangement/Dimensional Data**


For ease of installation, the lead-in edge of the shaft or sleeve should be chamfered as shown.

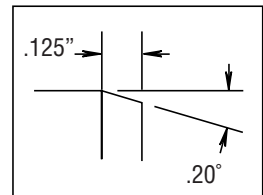
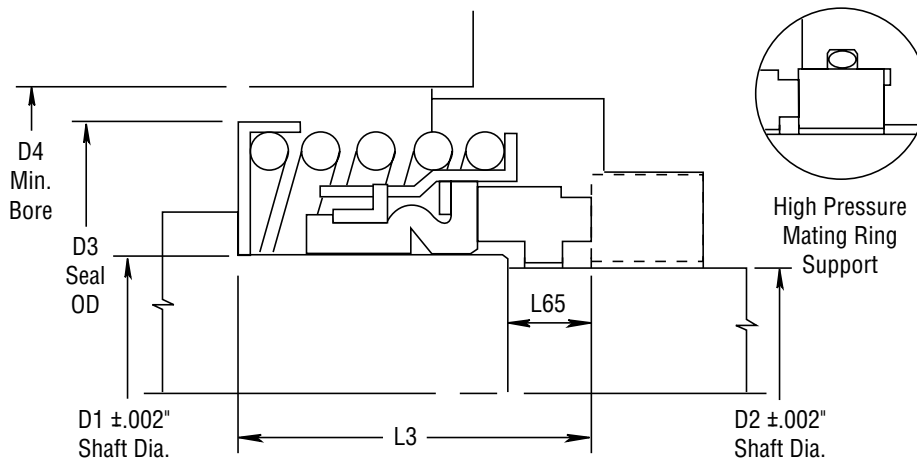
Note: For primary ring optional contractors (hard face) design, refer to Dwg. F-SK-2649.

**Chart 1. Type 2 Dimensional Data**

Seal Size (Inches)	D1	D3	D4	L3	L38
1.000	1.000	1.812	2.000	1.000	.375
1.125	1.125	1.937	2.125	1.062	.375
1.250	1.250	2.062	2.250	1.062	.375
1.375	1.375	2.250	2.437	1.125	.375
1.500	1.500	2.375	2.562	1.125	.375
1.625	1.625	2.718	2.937	1.375	.375
1.750	1.750	2.750	3.062	1.375	.375
1.875	1.875	2.875	3.187	1.500	.375
2.000	2.000	3.000	3.312	1.500	.375
2.125	2.125	3.250	3.625	1.687	.500
2.250	2.250	3.375	3.750	1.687	.500
2.375	2.375	3.500	3.875	1.812	.500
2.500	2.500	3.625	4.000	1.812	.500
2.625	2.625	3.875	4.312	1.937	.500
2.750	2.750	4.000	4.437	1.937	.500
2.875	2.875	4.125	4.562	2.062	.500
3.000	3.000	4.250	4.687	2.062	.500
3.125	3.125	4.562	5.000	2.187	.500
3.250	3.250	4.687	5.125	2.187	.500
3.375	3.375	4.812	5.250	2.187	.500
3.500	3.500	4.937	5.500	2.187	.500
3.625	3.625	5.125	5.687	2.312	.562
3.750	3.750	5.250	5.812	2.312	.562
3.875	3.875	5.437	6.000	2.312	.562
4.000	4.000	5.562	6.125	2.312	.562

**Chart 2. Type 2B Dimensional Data**

Seal Size (Inches)	D1	D2	D3	D4	L3	L65
1.000	1.000	0.875	1.812	2.000	1.312	.343
1.125	1.125	1.000	1.937	2.125	1.375	.343
1.250	1.250	1.125	2.062	2.250	1.375	.343
1.375	1.375	1.250	2.250	2.437	1.437	.343
1.500	1.500	1.375	2.375	2.562	1.437	.343
1.625	1.625	1.500	2.718	2.937	1.750	.437
1.750	1.750	1.625	2.750	3.062	1.750	.437
1.875	1.875	1.750	2.875	3.187	1.875	.437
2.000	2.000	1.875	3.000	3.312	1.875	.437
2.125	2.125	2.000	3.250	3.625	2.062	.500
2.250	2.250	2.125	3.375	3.750	2.062	.500
2.375	2.375	2.250	3.500	3.875	2.187	.500
2.500	2.500	2.375	3.625	4.000	2.187	.500
2.625	2.625	2.500	3.875	4.312	2.312	.562
2.750	2.750	2.625	4.000	4.437	2.312	.562
2.875	2.875	2.750	4.125	4.562	2.437	.562
3.000	3.000	2.875	4.250	4.687	2.437	.562
3.125	3.125	2.875	4.562	5.000	2.562	.625
3.250	3.250	3.000	4.687	5.125	2.562	.625
3.375	3.375	3.125	4.812	5.250	2.562	.625
3.500	3.500	3.250	4.937	5.500	2.562	.625
3.625	3.625	3.375	5.125	5.687	2.687	.625
3.750	3.750	3.500	5.250	5.812	2.687	.625
3.875	3.875	3.625	5.437	6.000	2.812	.625
4.000	4.000	3.750	5.562	6.125	2.812	.625

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For ease of installation, the lead-in edge of the shaft or sleeve should be chamfered as shown.

Chart 3. Pressure/Velocity (PV) Limits

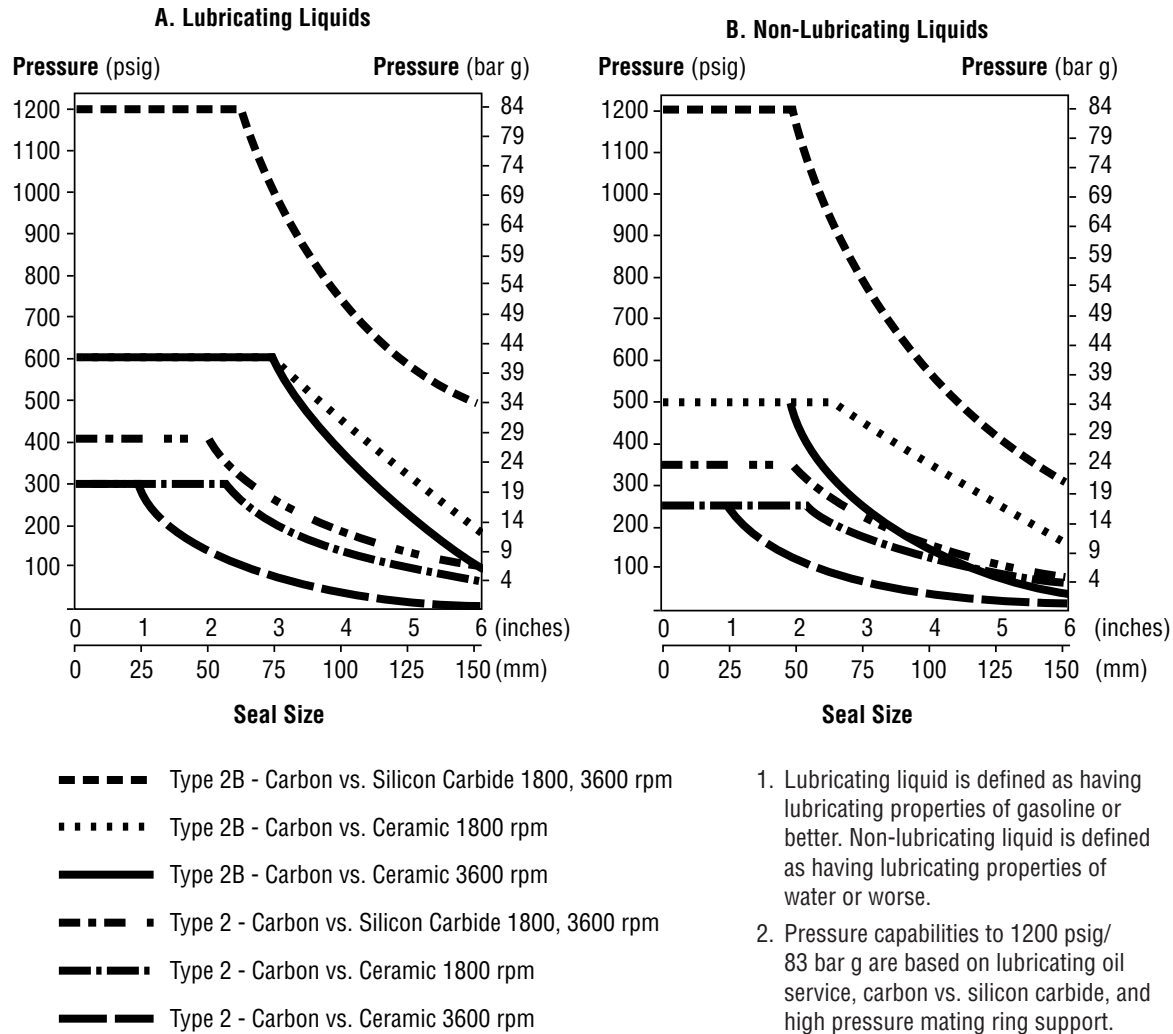


Chart 4. Multiplier Factors

To determine the maximum operating pressure for the size of Type 2 or 2B seal required, multiply the maximum pressure from Chart 3 (A or B) by the factors in Chart 4.

	Selection Considerations	Multiplier
<b>Speed</b>	Up to 3600 rpm	x 1.00
	Above 3600 rpm	**
<b>Sealed Fluid Temperature</b>	Below 79°C/175°F	x 1.00
	Above 79°C to 121°C/175°F to 250°F	x .90
	Above 121°C to 177°C/250°F to 350°F	x .80
	Above 177°C/350°F	x .65

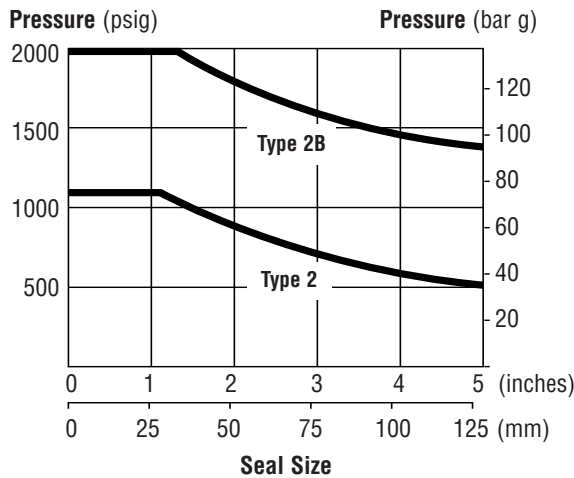
\*\* Multiplier = 3600/new speed  
 Example: If new speed = 4000 rpm  
 Multiplier = 3600/4000 = .90

**Example for Determining PV Limits:**

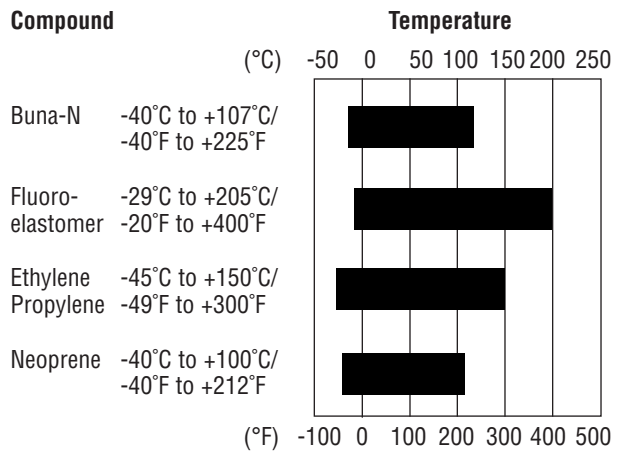
Seal: 51 mm/2 inches diameter Type 2B  
 Product: Water  
 Face Material: Carbon vs. Ceramic  
 Temperature: +80°C/176°F  
 Speed: 1800 rpm  
 Using Chart 3B, the maximum pressure would be 34 bar g/495 psig.  
 From Chart 4, apply the multipliers for the specific service requirements to determine the maximum operating pressure for the application.  
 495 x 1 x .9 = 445 psig/30.7 bar g  
 The maximum operating pressure of this 2 inch Type 2B Seal is 445 psig/30.7 bar g.

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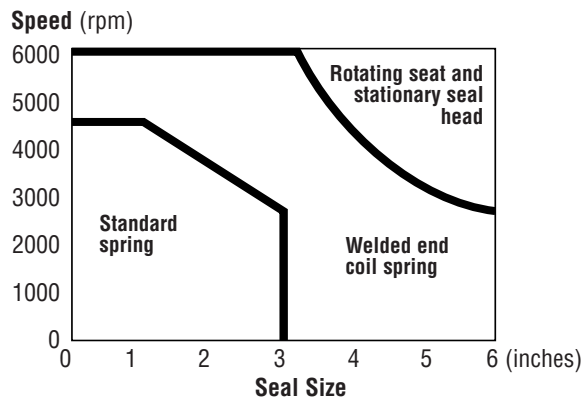
**Chart 5. Hydrostatic Pressure Limits**



**Chart 6. Elastomer Temperature Limits**

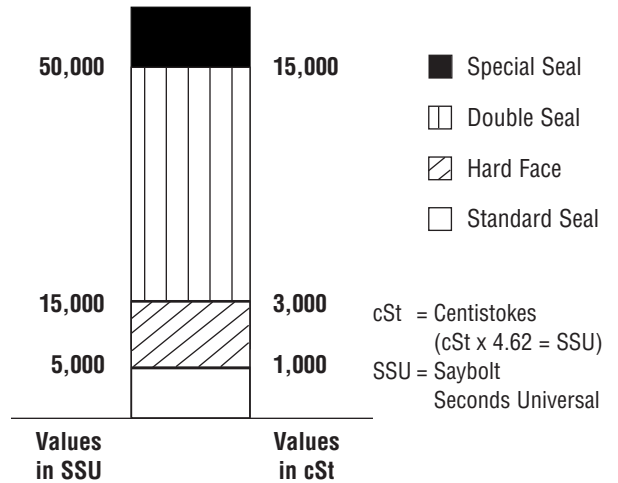


**Chart 7. Speed Limits for Coil Springs**



Coil spring requirements for rotating Type 2 and 2B seal heads with standard stuffing box diameter.

**Chart 8. Recommendation for Viscous Fluids**



**Chart 9. Materials of Construction**

Seal Component Materials		Secondary Sealing Elements O-Rings/Mating Rings	Primary Ring	Hardware Retainer, Disc, Drive Band, Spring Holder	Mating Ring	Mechanical Loading Device Springs
Material	Standard	Buna-N	Carbon	316 Stainless Steel		316 Stainless Steel
		Fluoroelastomer				
		Ethylene Propylene				
		Neoprene (chloroprene)				
	Options	Ethylene Propylene Nuclear Service	Carbon Nuclear Service	Monel		Monel
		Atlas*	Tungsten Carbide Nickel Binder	20 CB-3 SS Alloy 20		20 CB-3 SS Alloy 20
Solid Silicon Carbide						

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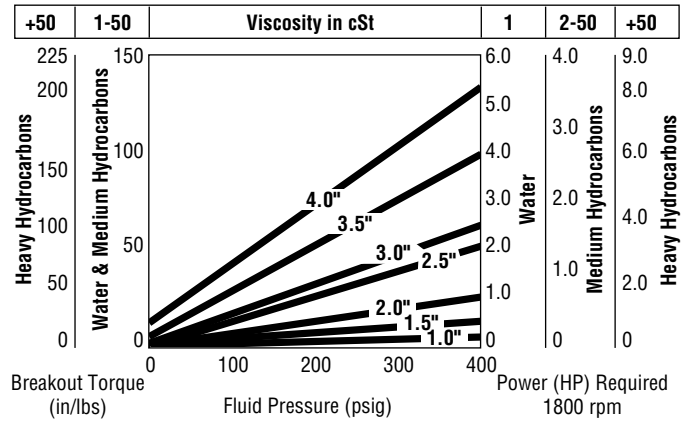
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### Chart 10. Criteria for Installation

Shaft/Sleeve	Limits
Surface Finish	1.000" to 3.125" dia. 63 Ra
	3.125" dia. and up. 32 Ra
Ovality/Out of Roundness (Shaft)	0.051 mm/0.002"
End Play/ Axial Float Allowance	± 0.13 mm/0.005"

### Chart 11. Breakout (Starting) Torque Consumption for Seal



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