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**PIPE**

Flanged Installation
To 1-1/2” diameter
ASTM A-106 Grade B schedule 40 seamless carbon steel pipe

Greater than 2”
ASTM A-53 Grade B schedule 40 seamless carbon steel pipe

Threaded Installation
To 1” diameter
ASTM A-106 Grade B schedule 80 carbon steel pipe

From 1” to 2”
ASTM A-106 Grade B schedule 40 carbon steel pipe

Greater than 2”
Threaded installations are not recommended

**FLANGES**

To 4” pipe diameter
ASTM A-181 1/16” raised face 300 lb rating

Greater than 4”
ASTM A-181 1/16” raised face 150 lb rating

**FLANGE GASKETS**

Flexible graphite
(Grafoil™, Garlock™ or equal).

Expanded/filled PTFE below
450°F/232°C (Goretex™, Garlock™ or equal)

**BOLTS**

ASTM A-193 Grade B7

**NUTS**

ASTM A-194 Grade 2H

**THREAD SEALANT**

Deacon 770 P or L or LA-CO Slic-tite Paste

**VALVES**

Control valves
Globe valves provide metal to metal sealing

Isolation Valves
Gate valves provide 100% shut off, 0 pressure drop when open

**PUMPS**

Centrifugal
Dean (RA2000/3000 series), MP (HTO series)
Positive Displacement
Viking Internal Gear Universal Seal

**PUMP SEALS**
Tungsten carbide vs silicon carbide face type mechanical seals are recommended

**O-RINGS/SEALS**
To 250°F/121°C
Nitrile rubber

To 400°F/204°C:
Fluoroelastomer (Viton™ or equal)

Above 400°F/204°C:
Perfluoroelastomer (Chemraz™, Zalak™, Kalrez™ or equal).

**INSULATION**
Closed cell (Pittsburgh Corning foamed glass) is recommended for all installations.

Mineral fiber, fiber glass or calcium silicate can be installed on straight pipe runs or other locations where the potential for leaks is low. The material should not be used with 2’ of a potential leak point. Flanges should not be insulated.

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