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Re: Indian Point Unit No. 2
Docket No. 50-247

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Subject: Response to Request for Additional Information - Generic Letter 96-06, "Assurance of Equipment Operability and Containment Integrity During Design Basis Accident Conditions," for Indian Point Unit No. 2. (TAC No. M96822)

Pursuant to 10CFR50.54(f), this letter and attachments provides the response of Consolidated Edison Company of New York, Inc. (Con Edison's) to NRC's request for additional information dated September 22, 1997 on Generic Letter 96-06.

Generic Letter 96-06, "Assurance of Equipment Operability and Containment Integrity During Design-Basis Accident Conditions," dated September 30, 1996, requested nuclear utilities to address the susceptibility of 1) containment air cooler cooling water systems to either waterhammer or two-phase flow conditions during postulated accident conditions and 2) piping systems that penetrate containment to thermal expansion of fluid such that overpressurization of piping could occur.

Pursuant to 10CFR50.54(f), Con Edison provided written responses to Generic Letter 96-06 on October 30, 1996, November 18, 1996, January 28, 1997, April 30, 1997, and August 29, 1997.

The attachments to this letter responds to your specific requests for additional information.

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Should you or your staff have any concerns regarding this matter, please contact Mr. Charles W. Jackson, Manager, Nuclear Safety & Licensing.

Very truly yours,

Paul H. Hubel

Subscribed and sworn to
before me this 21ST day
of November 1997

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ATTACHMENT A

RESPONSE TO REQUEST FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION
REGARDING RESPONSE TO GENERIC LETTER 96-06

Consolidated Edison Company of New York, Inc.
Indian Point Unit No. 2
Docket No. 50-247
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RESPONSE TO REQUEST FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION
REGARDING RESPONSE TO GENERIC LETTER 96-06

Request 1:

“To aid in the completion of the staff’s final review, the final results of the evaluations for the pipe line need to be submitted. In addition, please provide a discussion of the corrective actions for these six pipe lines penetrating containment.”

Response:

In accordance with our commitments in response to Generic Letter 96-06, modifications consisting of the installation of new thermal relief devices and pipe insulation were completed during the 1997 Indian Point Unit No.2 refueling outage. These modifications restored those pipe lines to their UFSAR design requirements. Of the six pipe lines (#’s 10, 25, 26, 59, 69, and 474) which were determined to have exceeded UFSAR design requirements, new thermal relief devices were installed on lines 26 and 69. New pipe insulation was installed on a portion of line 10 to preclude thermal overpressurization. Sampling lines, 25 and 59, were further evaluated and determined to be within UFSAR design basis stress limits, thus requiring no corrective actions. Line 474 was cut, drained and capped. To prevent the undesirable lifting of Grinnell diaphragm containment isolation valves 1702 and 1705 on line 40, and 1723 and 1728 on line 338, new relief valves were installed. The completion of the above-mentioned actions is intended to address the concerns of Generic Letter 96-06. This information was previously provided to your staff in our letter dated August 29, 1997.

Request 2:

“Please provide drawings of these valves, the calculations used to determine the lift pressure and discuss any sources of uncertainty associated with the calculated lift pressure.”

Response:

Attachments 1 and 2 are drawings of the 2" and 3" Grinnell diaphragm valves used on lines 33, 40 and 338 which would lift and prevent internal line pressure from exceeding UFSAR allowable stress limits. For line 33, valve 560 would lift at a minimum line pressure of 207 psig and vent to the pressurizer relief tank. Valve 560 is a 3" Grinnell diaphragm valve as shown on drawing No. WREF-PO-5-SS-1. For line 40, valves 1702 and 1705 would lift at a minimum line pressure of 207 psig and vent any line pressure to the Hold-Up Tanks. Both valves 1702 and 1705 are 3" Grinnell diaphragm valves as shown on drawing No. WREF-PO-5-SS-1. For line 338, valves 1723 and 1728 would lift at a minimum line pressure of 271 psig and vent any line pressure to the Hold-Up Tanks. Both valves 1723 and 1728 are 2" Grinnell diaphragm valves as shown on drawing No. WREP-PO-4-SS-1.

The calculations used to determine the lift pressures for the 2" and 3" Grinnell diaphragm valves were performed by the valve manufacturer, ITT Industries and sent to Con Edison in a letter dated January 10, 1997. A copy of these calculations is provided as Attachment 3.

ATTACHMENT 1

2" GRINNELL DIAPHRAGM VALVE

Drawing No. WREF-PO-4-SS-1

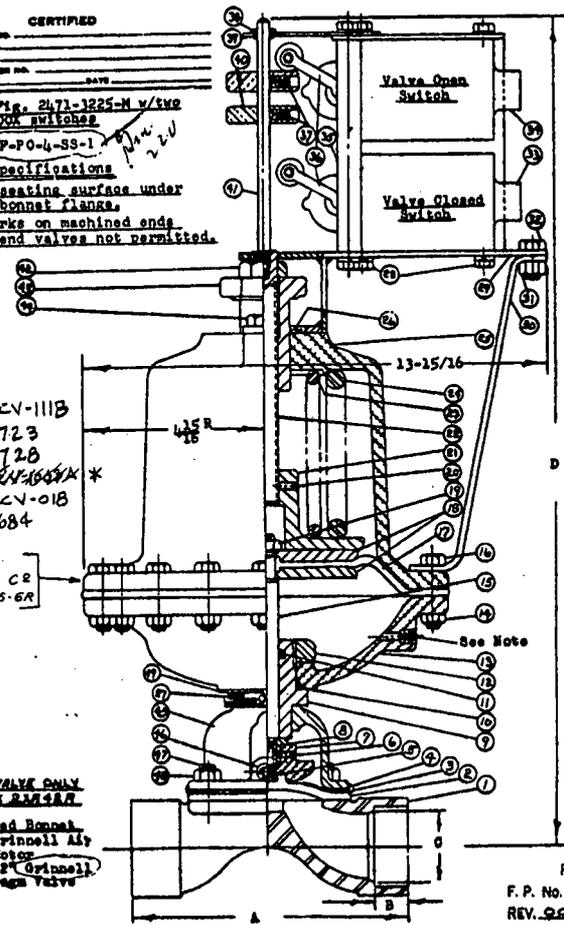
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 INDIAN POINT
 2" DIAPHR. VALVE

REVISIONS

4/2/47
 THIS ISSUE IS 'CLASS A' PER
 CI-240-1. THIS DWG. SUPERSEDES
 GRINNELL C & DWG. WREP-PO-4-SS-1
 UPDATED DWG. TO SHOW WORK DONE
 ON MOD. PROC. M.F.E. 7-70048.
 PKG. 3694. RELEASE AS CONSTRUCTED.
 P.N. 70048. E.D./ms

CERTIFIED
 SUPERSEDED BY
 BRANCH ORDER NO.
 WESTPHALIA ORDER NO.
 APPROVED BY DATE

2" 2" Fig. 2471-1225-M w/ two
 Valve Diaphragm switches
 Eng. No. WREP-PO-4-SS-1
 Additional specifications
 1. Machine seating surface under
 bolts on bonnet flange.
 2. Chuck marks on machined ends
 of weld end valves not permitted.



SUPERSEDED BY
 MM 1948 77
 ITEM 9.4

VALVE No. FCV-111B
 1723
 1728
 1684
 FOR FCV-110B
 SEE GRINNELL C &
 DWG. WAPD-CV-SS-6R

3" VALVE ONLY
 ITEM 23648R
 Sealed Bonnet
 1225 Grinnell Air
 Motor
 W/ 2" Grinnell
 Diaphragm Valve

FINAL ISSUE
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LIST OF PARTS

Item	Description	Material	Quantity
1	Soak, Weld Body (Sch. 10)	10# St. St. ASTM A-351 (Gr. C98)	
2	Diaphragm	EPN Grade W	
3	Finger Plate	Steel	
4	Gasket	Neoprene	
5	Diaphragm Stud	Brass	
6	Spiral Pin	Stainless Steel	
7	Compressor	Aluminum	
8	Stop Collar	Steel	
9	Adapter Bushing	Steel	
10	O' Ring 3/16	Neoprene	
11	O' Ring 1/4	Neoprene	
12	Adapter Bushing Nut	Aluminum	
13	Cover (Lower)	Steel	
14	Hex Nuts	Steel	10
15	Spindle	Stainless Steel	
16	Hex Cap Screws	Steel	10
17	Air Motor Diaphragm	Neoprene	
18	Plates	Steel	
19	Spindle Nut	Steel	
20	Spiral Pin	Stainless Steel	
21	Spring Seat	M.I.	
22	Spring Rod	Steel	
23	Spring	Steel	
24	Spring V (c)	Steel	
25	Cover (Upper)	Aluminum	
26	Washer	Steel	
27	Drive Screws	Steel	
28	Hex Hd. Cap Scr.	Steel	
29	Switch Mounting Bracket	Steel	
30	Support Bracket	Steel	
31	Hex Nut	Steel	
32	Hex Hd. Cap Scr.	Steel	
33	Waco Switch (2200X-37-SR)		
34	Waco Switch (2200X-37)		
35	Column	Steel	
36	Lever Arm	Steel	
37	Set Scr.	Steel	
38	Washer Bearing	Steel	
39	Guide Bracket	Steel	
40	Switch Actuator	Steel	
41	Operating Rod	Stainless Steel	
42	Cam Nut	Steel	
43	Adjusting Bushing	M.I.	
44	Hex Hd. Cap Scr.	Steel	
45	Bonnet	D.I. ASTM A-105-5W	
46	W Type Vent Plug	Steel	
47	Bonnet Studs	Steel	
48	Bonnet Nuts	Steel	
49	Name Plate	Aluminum	

* Recommended spare parts
 Note: All air inlets 1/4" N.P.T., switches shown 90° out of position

Valve Size	A	B	C	D
1-1/2	6-1/2	1/2	1.672	30 1/2
2	7-1/8	5/8	2.167	30

THIS DRAWING CONTAINS ITEMS WHICH
 MUST BE CONTROLLED WITHIN CECS EDISON CO.
 "CLASS A" ITEMS
 PER CI-240-1

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CONSOLIDATED EDISON CO.
 OF NEW YORK, INC.

STATION LOCATION INDIAN POINT
 2" GRINNELL DIAPHRAGM VALVE
 W/ 2" SEALED BONNET
 GRINNELL AIR MOTOR

70048

APPROVALS

DESIGNED BY	DATE
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APPROVED BY	DATE
DATE	2/2/47

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ATTACHMENT 2

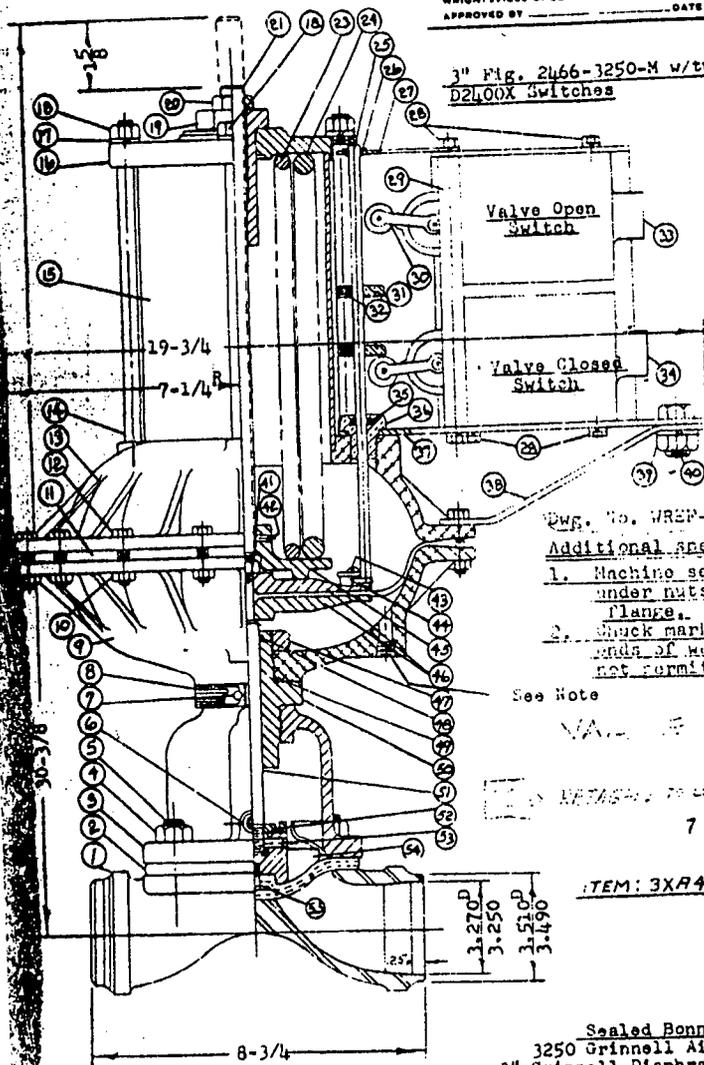
3" GRINNELL DIAPHRAGM VALVE

Drawing No. WREF-PO-5-SS-1

CERTIFIED

CUSTOMER ORDER NO. _____
 BRANCH ORDER NO. _____
 WRIGHTSVILLE ORDER NO. _____
 APPROVED BY _____ DATE _____

3" Fig. 2466-3250-M w/ two Namco
 D2400X Switches



Dwg. No. WREP-PO-5-SS-1

Additional specifications

1. Machine seating surface under nuts on bonnet flange.
2. Chuck marks on machined ends of hold end valves not permitted.

See Note

VALVE NO. 1702
 1705
 560
 523
 519
 562

ITEM: 3XA42R

Sealed Bonnet
 3250 Grinnell Air Motor
 3" Grinnell Diaphragm Valve

LIST OF PARTS

Item	Description	Material	Quantity
1.	Butt. Weld Body (Sch. 40)	304 St. St. ASTM-A-351 (Gr. CP8)	1
2.	Diaphragm	EPR Grade "M"	1
3.	Bonnet	D.I. ASTM-A-415-63T	1
4.	Bonnet Nuts	Steel ASTM-A-304 St. St.	4
5.	Bonnet Studs	Steel ASTM-A-304 St. St.	4
6.	"V" Type Vent Plug	Steel	1
7.	Drive Screws	Steel	2
8.	Name Plate	Aluminum	1
9.	Cover (Lower)	Aluminum	1
10.	Hex Nuts	Steel	16
11.	Air Motor Diaphragm	Elastomer	1
12.	Hex Cap Screws	Steel	16
13.	Cover (Upper)	Aluminum	1
14.	Column	Steel	4
15.	Spring Housing	Steel	1
16.	Spring Cover	M.I.	1
17.	Lock Washer	Steel	1
18.	Hex Nuts	Steel	1
19.	Adjusting Bushing	M.I.	1
20.	Jam Nut	Steel	1
21.	Spring Rod	Steel	1
22.	Spring (Inner) #97	Steel	1
23.	Spring (Outer) #96	Steel	1
24.	Operating Rod	Stainless Steel	1
25.	Nylinder Bearing	Steel	1
26.	Guide Bracket	Steel	6
27.	Hex Hd. Cap Scr.	Steel	1
28.	Column	Steel	2
29.	Lever Arm	Steel	2
30.	Switch Actuator	Steel	4
31.	Sec. Hd. Set Scr.	Steel	1
32.	Namco Switch D2400X-ST	Steel	1
33.	Namco Switch D2400X-ST-SR	Steel	1
34.	"O" Ring #110	Elastomer	1
35.	Rod Guide	Brass	1
36.	Switch Mounting Bracket	Steel	1
37.	Support Bracket	Steel	1
38.	Hex Nut	Steel	1
39.	Hex Hd. Cap Scr.	Steel	1
40.	Spindle Nut	Steel	1
41.	Spiral Pin	Stainless Steel	1
42.	Rd. Hd. Mach. Ser.	Steel	2
43.	Anchor Plate	Steel	1
44.	Spring Seat	M.I.	1
45.	Plates	C.I.	2
46.	Adapter Bushing Nut	M.I.	1
47.	"O" Ring #214	Elastomer	1
48.	"O" Ring #326	Elastomer	1
49.	Adapter Bushing	Steel	1
50.	Spindle	Stainless Steel	1
51.	Stop Collar	Steel	1
52.	Spiral Pin	Stainless Steel	1
53.	Compressor	C.I.	1
54.	Diaphragm Stud	Brass	1

* Recommended spare parts Body per WAPD Dwg. 498B932

Note: All air inlets 1/4" N.P.T. Switches shown 90° out of position

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ATTACHMENT 3

ITT Industries Letter Dated 1/10/97

FAX COVER SHEET

ITT Industries

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DEFENSE & ELECTRONICS
FLUID TECHNOLOGY

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SUBJECT: Diaphragm Valves

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MESSAGE:

The following information is a regards to your discussion with Kathy Yohn.

1. The maximum temperature for EPDM is 300° F.
1. Diaphragms have never been tested above 300 psig; therefore, there is no data at exactly what pressure the diaphragms will fail. Also, the failure point of the diaphragm will depend on length of service and irradiation and thermal aging. This makes it even more difficult to predict when a diaphragm will fail. Also, it is possible that there could be body/bonnet joint leakage before the diaphragm fails. The maximum design pressure for the valves listed below is 200 psig.
2. For the 3" diaphragm valve with 3250L air motor, 96 & 97 springs (drawing WREF-PO-5-SS-1), the valve line pressure to open the valves is 207 psig. This is not a conservative number and the actual opening pressure is probably higher. O-ring friction was considered but lubrication, cycle frequency and tolerances could not be taken into account. Also the spring rate has a tolerance of $\pm 10\%$.
3. For the 2" valve with 3225 air motor, 101 and 102A springs (drawing WREF-PO-4-SS-1), the minimum valve line pressure to open the valve was found to be ~~200~~ ^{271 psig max.} psig. The comments concerning the analysis and variables apply to this configuration as well. The 102A spring, which is the spring we would use if the valve was being supplied today, was used for calculations since no data on the 102 spring could be found. The 102 spring has not been used for many years and the only information we can find on it is that for sizing an actuator, the maximum line pressure for the 102 and 102A springs are the same.

Please contact Kathy Yohn (717-291-1901, ext. 317) if you have any additional questions.

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File AM3225_A.MCD, 1/8/97

KAY
1/9/97

3225 air motor - determination of valve line pressure required to begin opening valve, o-ring friction considered for 2" only - not conservative
K. A. Yohn 1/8/97

- nominal dimensions used
- layout sketch for air motor - SK-D-607 dated 2/29/72
- reference drawings
- spring seat 5475 rev. K
- AM diaphragm 3891 Rev. P
- upper cover 3533 Rev. W
- actuator plate 2842 Rev. E2
- catalog DV-98
- spring drawing 2127 rev. GG

CASE A. FRICTION NEGLECTED

actuator will begin to open when force due to fluid line pressure equals force due to spring compression

spring free length	$\ell_{101} = 10.12 \text{ in}$	reference spring rate	$sr_{101} = 260 \frac{\text{lb}}{\text{in}}$
	$\ell_{102a} = 10.37 \text{ in}$		$sr_{102a} = 140 \frac{\text{lb}}{\text{in}}$

height of springs when valve open (set point for all air's)

overall air height $h_1 = 3.25 \text{ in} + 0.19 \text{ in} = 3.44 \text{ in}$
 $h_1 = 11.75 \text{ in}$

$h_o = 3.75 \text{ in} + 0.19 \text{ in} + 2 \cdot \left(\frac{5}{16} \text{ in}\right) + 0.50 \text{ in} + 1.00 \text{ in}$
 $h_o = 6.065 \text{ in}$

spring height when valve open $h = h_1 - h_o$
 $h = 5.685 \text{ in}$

valve stroke - 2 & .75" $h_2 = 1.12 \text{ in}$
 $h_{75} = 0.38 \text{ in}$

for 2" valve

spring height when valve closed $hs_2 = h + h_2$
 $hs_2 = 6.805 \text{ in}$

Initial compression	$c2_{101} = \ell_{101} \cdot hs_2$	$c2_{102a} = \ell_{102a} \cdot hs_2$
	$c2_{101} = 3.315 \text{ in}$	$c2_{102a} = 3.565 \text{ in}$

force to overcome to begin opening valve

$open_2 = sr_{101} \cdot c2_{101} + sr_{102a} \cdot c2_{102a}$
 $open_2 = 1361 \text{ lbf}$

File AM3225_A.MCD, 1/9/97

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for 100% pressure drop condition - only one half diaphragm exposed to working fluid before valve beginning to open, assume diaphragm bead diameter area is area in contact with fluid, valve will open when force due to line pressure equals initial compression force from springs

$$\text{dia}_2 := \left(3 + \frac{11}{16}\right) \cdot \text{in}$$

$$\text{dia}_2 = 3.688 \cdot \text{in}$$

Pressure*diaphragm area = initial compression force

$$\text{Pressure}_2 := \frac{\text{c75}_2}{0.5 \cdot \left(\frac{\pi}{4} \cdot \text{dia}_2^2\right)}$$

$$\text{Pressure}_2 = 255 \cdot \text{psi}$$

for 0.75" valve

spring height when valve closed $hs_{75} = h + h_{75}$

$$hs_{75} = 6.065 \cdot \text{in}$$

initial compression $c75_{101} = \pi_{101} \cdot hs_{75}$ $c75_{102a} = \pi_{102a} \cdot hs_{75}$

$$c75_{101} = 4.055 \cdot \text{in} \quad c75_{102a} = 4.305 \cdot \text{in}$$

force to overcome to begin opening valve

$$\text{open}_{75} := sr_{101} \cdot c75_{101} + sr_{102a} \cdot c75_{102a}$$

$$\text{open}_{75} = 1657 \cdot \text{lbf}$$

for 100% pressure drop condition - only one half diaphragm exposed to working fluid before valve beginning to open, assume diaphragm bead diameter area is area in contact with fluid, valve will open when force due to line pressure equals initial compression force from springs

$$\text{dia}_{75} := 1.88 \cdot \text{in}$$

Pressure*diaphragm area = initial compression force

$$\text{Pressure}_{75} := \frac{\text{open}_{75}}{0.5 \cdot \left(\frac{\pi}{4} \cdot \text{dia}_{75}^2\right)}$$

$$\text{Pressure}_{75} = 1194 \cdot \text{psi}$$

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CASE B - Line pressure for valve opening when considering friction - 2" ONLY

This is not very exact. Friction can depend upon many factors including: time period since last operation, condition of o-rings, lubrication, base metal corrosion, thermal expansion of metal. This calculation is only an approximation and does not account for these factors which can increase friction.

From the Parker catalog ORD 5700

assume breakout friction = 3* running friction (page A6-5)

when considering o-ring friction two components - seat compression & fluid pressure

#116 o-ring used with 3225 air motors, for yoke mounted configurations 1 used and for close coupled 2 are used, assume yoke mounted - worst case WAPD-CV-SS-6R has 4 o-rings.

a. friction due to seal compression

spindle-bushing o-ring
o-ring #116 dimensions

spindle diameter - dwgs. 4474 & 101448

id_o := 0.737-in

od_b 0.750-in

thickness
w := 0.103-in

adapter bushing groove - dwg. 101281 Rev. K

od_g - 0.926-in

adapter bushing bore dia d_bore 0.755-in

% stretch of 116 o-ring o-ring installed so that it is stretched to the spindle OD

$$s = \frac{od_b - id_o}{id_o} \cdot 100$$

$$s = 1.764$$

reduction in cross sectional area due to the initial stretching - from Parker Catalog ORD-5700, page A4-7

Y := 1.3 for s graph on page A4-7 used for observed data for
s, equation does not produce possible results

new cross sectional areas

$$w_{str} = w - (.01 \cdot Y) \cdot w$$

$$w_{str} = 0.102 \cdot \text{in}$$

new OD

$$OD := od_b + 2 \cdot (w_{str})$$

$$OD = 0.953 \cdot \text{in}$$

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$$\text{groove depth } g = \frac{\text{od}_g - d_{\text{bore}}}{2}$$

$$g = 0.086 \text{ in}$$

$$\text{sq}_1 = w_{\text{str}} - g$$

$$\text{sq}_1 = 0.016 \text{ in}$$

%squeeze

$$\text{sq}_{1p} = \frac{\text{sq}_1}{w_{\text{str}}} \cdot 100$$

$$\text{sq}_{1p} = 16$$

from figure A6-5

from table A6-2

$$f_c = 1.2 \frac{\text{lbf}}{\text{in}}$$

$$l_r = 2.35 \text{ in}$$

$$F_c = f_c \cdot l_r$$

$$a_r = 0.24 \text{ in}^2$$

$$F_c = 2.82 \text{ lbf}$$

Friction due to line pressure - This is from a graph and is dependent on a graph based upon line pressure, but if it is assumed that the line pressure is approximately 300 psig (conservative) then f_h equals 18 lb/in² and if the line pressure is 250 psig then f_h equals approx. 17 lb/in².

$$f_h = 18 \frac{\text{lbf}}{\text{in}^2}$$

$$F_h = f_h \cdot a_r$$

$$F_h = 4.32 \text{ lbf}$$

o-ring breakout friction = $3 \cdot (F_c + F_h) \cdot \text{no. of o-rings}$

$$\text{open}_{2f} = \text{open}_2 + 3 \cdot (F_c + F_h) \cdot 4$$

$$\text{open}_{2f} = 1.447 \cdot 10^3 \text{ lbf}$$

$$\text{Pressure} = \frac{\text{open}_{2f}}{0.5 \left(\frac{\pi \cdot \text{dia}^2}{4} \right)}$$

$$\text{Pressure} = 271 \text{ psi}$$

In real life the friction is probably considerable greater

information note - if f_h of 17 psig used pressure changes to 270 psig - negligible

KAY
1/21/97

File AM3250_2.MCD, 1/2/97

3250 air motor - determination of valve line pressure required to begin opening valve, o-ring friction included in final calculations, case A does not include friction, case B includes friction

by K. A Yohn 12/27/96

nominal dimensions used

layout sketch for air motor - SK-D-610

reference drawings

spring seat 5475 Rev. K

AM diaphragm 3543 Rev. AA

upper cover 1869 Rev. F3

actuator plate 4456 Rev. G

spring case 4460 Rev. F

spring case cover 4463 Rev. K1

catalog DV-96

spring drawing 2127 rev. GG

CASE A - neglecting o-ring friction

The actuator will begin to open when the force due to fluid line pressure equals force due to spring initial compression, when o-ring friction neglected.

spring free length	$fl_{96} = 17.38 \text{ in}$	reference spring rate	$sr_{96} = 237 \frac{\text{lb}}{\text{in}}$
	$fl_{97} = 17.38 \text{ in}$		$sr_{97} = 135 \frac{\text{lb}}{\text{in}}$

height of springs when valve open (set point for all air motors)

spring height = spring case height + spring distance below case when open (x)

$h_c := 9.38 \text{ in}$

$x := (4.16 \text{ in} + 0.12 \text{ in} + 2.94 \text{ in}) - (4.97 \text{ in} + 0.69 \text{ in} + 0.12 \text{ in} + 0.53 \text{ in} + 0.50 \text{ in})$

$x = 0.41 \text{ in}$

spring height when open $h = h_c + x$
 $h = 9.79 \text{ in}$

stroke for 3" valve $h_3 = 1.62 \text{ in}$

spring height when valve closed

$hs_3 = h + h_3$

$hs_3 = 11.41 \text{ in}$

initial compression	$c3_{96} = fl_{96} - hs_3$	$c3_{97} = fl_{97} - hs_3$
	$c3_{96} = 5.97 \text{ in}$	$c3_{97} = 5.97 \text{ in}$

force to overcome to begin opening valve

$open_3 = sr_{96} \cdot c3_{96} + sr_{97} \cdot c3_{97}$

$open_3 = 2340 \text{ lbf}$

File AM3250_2.MCD, 1/2/97

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For 100% pressure drop condition - only one half diaphragm exposed to working fluid before valve begins to open. One half the diaphragm bead diameter area is assumed to be the area in contact with fluid, valve will open when force due to line pressure equals initial compression force from springs

$$\text{dia}_3 = 5.5 \text{ in}$$

Pressure * diaphragm area = initial compression force

$$\text{Pressure} = \frac{\text{open}_3}{0.5 \cdot \left(\frac{\pi}{4} \cdot \text{dia}_3^2 \right)} \quad \text{Pressure} = 197 \text{ psi}$$

CASE B - Line pressure for valve opening when considering friction

This is not very exact. Friction can depend upon many factors including: time period since last operation, condition of o-rings, lubrication, base metal corrosion, thermal expansion of metal. This calculation is only an approximation and does not account for these factors which can increase friction.

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#214 o-ring used with 3250L air motors, for yoke mounted configurations 4 used and for close coupled 2 are used, assume yoke mounted - worst case WAPD-CV-SS-8R has 4 o-rings.

a. friction due to seal compression

spindle
bush-bushing o-ring
o-ring #214 dimensions

spindle diameter - dwgs. 102601 & 102610

$$\text{id}_o = 0.984 \text{ in}$$

$$\text{od}_b = 1.000 \text{ in}$$

thickness

adapter bushing groove - dwg. 101282 Rev. K

$$w = 0.139 \text{ in}$$

$$\text{od}_g = 1.240 \text{ in}$$

adapter bushing bore dia $d_{\text{bore}} = 1.005 \text{ in}$

% stretch of 214 o-ring o-ring installed so that it is stretched to the spindle OD

$$s = \frac{\text{od}_b - \text{id}_o}{\text{id}_o} \cdot 100$$

$$s = 1.626$$

reduction in cross sectional area due to the initial stretching - from Parker Catalog ORD-5700, page A4-7

Y = 1.2 for s graph on page A4-7 used for observed data for s, equation does not produce possible results

new cross sectional areas

$$w_{\text{str}} = w \cdot (.01 \cdot Y) \cdot w$$

$$w_{\text{str}} = 0.137 \text{ in}$$

new OD

$$\text{OD} := \text{od}_b + 2 \cdot (w_{\text{str}})$$

$$\text{OD} = 1.275 \text{ in}$$

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groove depth $g = \frac{wd_g - d_{bore}}{2}$
 $g = 0.117 \cdot \text{in}$

$sq_1 = w_{str} - g$
 $sq_1 = 0.02 \cdot \text{in}$

%squeeze $sq_{1p} = \frac{sq_1}{w_{str}} \cdot 100$
 $sq_{1p} = 14$

from figure A6-5

from table A6-2

$f_c = 0.95 \cdot \frac{\text{lb}}{\text{in}}$

$l_r = 3.14 \cdot \text{in}$

$F_c = f_c \cdot l_r$

$a_r = 0.43 \cdot \text{in}^2$

$F_c = 2.983 \cdot \text{lb}$

Friction due to line pressure - This is from a graph and is dependent on a graph based upon line pressure, but if it is assumed that the line pressure is approximately 250 psig (conservative) then f_h equals 17.5 lb/in² and if the line pressure is 200 psig then f_h equals approx. 15 lb/in².

$f_h = 17 \cdot \frac{\text{lb}}{\text{in}^2}$

$F_h = f_h \cdot a_r$

$F_h = 7.31 \cdot \text{lb}$

o-ring breakout friction = $3 \cdot (F_c + F_h) \cdot \text{no. of o-rings}$

$\text{open}_{3f} = \text{open}_3 + 3 \cdot (F_c + F_h) \cdot 4$

$\text{open}_{3f} = 2.464 \cdot 10^3 \cdot \text{lb}$

Pressure = $\frac{\text{open}_{3f}}{0.5 \cdot \left(\frac{\pi \cdot \text{dia}_3^2}{4} \right)}$

Pressure = 207 psi

In real life the friction is probably considerable greater

information note - if f_h of 15 psig used pressure changes to 207 psig - negligible