

Graphite Clad Metal Laminate

- GRAFOIL[®] Graphite Clad Metal Laminate materials are single-layer pure flexible graphite of the same grade mechanically bonded (GRAFOIL[®] GHE) or by a microthin phenolic based adhesive on both sides of a metal substrate (GRAFOIL[®] GHR and GRAFOIL[®] TG-251).
- Metal substrates used are; Tanged Stainless Steel (GRAFOIL® GHE), Flat Stainless Steel (GRAFOIL® GHR) and Low Carbon Steel (GRAFOIL® TG-251).
- Graphite purity range 97% to 98%
- Continuous operating temperature ranges from 240°C to 450°C (GRAFOIL® TG-251) and 240°C to 525°C (GRAFOIL® GHE & GRAFOIL® GHR).
- Chemical resistant to aggressive chemical.
- The most efficient sealing gaskets and packing
- Good and healthy replacement for asbestos
- Unlimited shelf Life
- Low outgassing















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GHE Graphite Clad Metal Laminate

Product Family

Reinforced Laminate
GHE – GTB with Tanged Stainless Steel Reinforcement

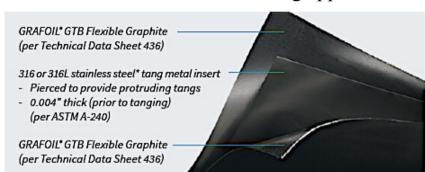
Product Overview

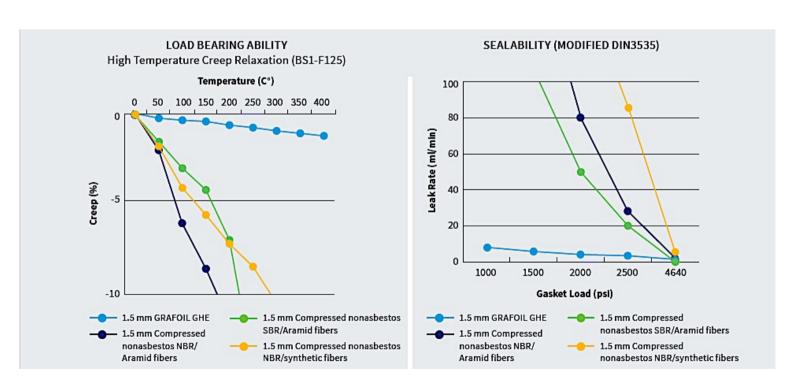
GRAFOIL® GHE metal- reinforced laminate consists of GRAFOIL® GTB flexible graphite mechanically attached to both sides of a stainless steel tang metal insert.

Applications

GRAFOIL® GHE material is suitable for standard industrial fluid sealing applications

- Chemicals
- Petrochemicals
- Refinery
- Steam service
- Cryogenic Applications
- ASME Class 150 & 300 Flanges





While maintaining an effective seal, GRAFOIL® material exhibits virtually no creep relaxation. As a result, the need for periodic bolt tightening is greatly reduced.

Typical Properties* GRAFOIL® GHE

Characteristic	Typical Value
Thickness	0.064" (1.63 mm) 0.124" (3.15 mm) 0.122" (3.10 mm)
Width	39.4" (1000 mm)
Length	39.4" (1000 mm) 100' (30.5 mt) for < 0.064" thick
Bulk Density	$70 \text{ lb/ft}^3 (1.12 \text{ g/cc})$
Compressibilty at 5000 psi (35 MPa) load	36% for 0.064' thick
Recovery at 5000 psi (35 MPa) load	18% for 0.064" thick
Operating Temperature	-400°F to 975°F (-240°C to 525°C)
Creep Relaxation Method: BSI-F 125 at 6391 psi (44.1 MPa) load up to 400°C	<3% for 70 lb/ft ³
Sealability Method: Mod DIN 3535 at 580 psi N2 at 32 MPa load	<1.5 ml/min for 70 lb/ft ³
Resistance in #3 Oil	
Thickness increase	< 12%
Weight change	< 35%
Resistance in #1 Oil	
Thickness increase	< 8%
Weight change	< 33%
Certification	Certify to Grade

Note:

*Properties listed are typical and cannot be used as accept/reject specifications

** Because teeth of the tanged metal interlayer may indent metals softer than 316/316L stainless steel, Grade GHE gaskets are not normally recommended for use with glass, bronze, aluminum or other softer metal flanges.

ASME Gasket Factors

• "m" Factor: 2

• "y" Stress: 2500 psi (17.28 MPa)

Max Gasket Unit Load: 24,000 psi (165.87 MPa)



GHR Graphite Clad Metal Laminate

Product Family

Reinforced Laminate
GHR – GTB with Flat Stainless Steel Reinforcement



Product Overview

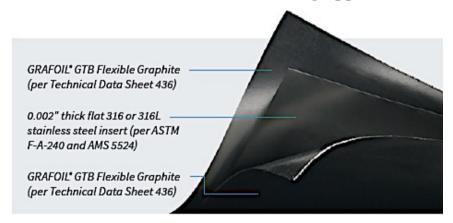
GRAFOIL® GHR metal- reinforced laminate consists of GRAFOIL® GTB flexible graphite adhesive bonded to both sides of a flat stainless steel core.

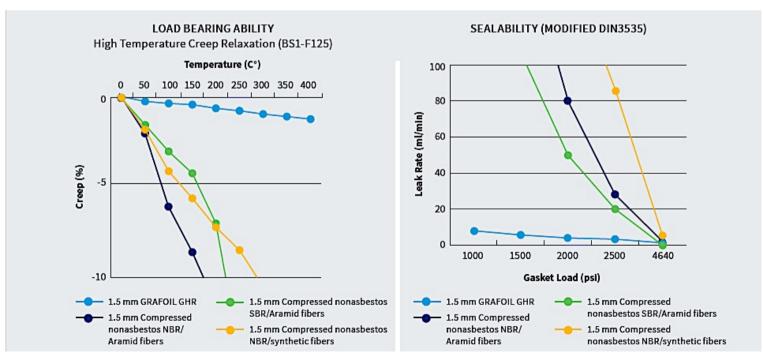
Applications

GRAFOIL® GHR material is suitable for standard industrial fluid sealing applications

Chemicals

- Petrochemicals
- Refinery
- Steam service
- Cryogenic Applications
- ASME Class 150 & 300 Flanges





While maintaining an effective seal, GRAFOIL® material exhibits virtually no creep relaxation. As a result, the need for periodic bolt tightening is greatly reduced.

Typical Properties* GRAFOIL® GHR Characteristic Typical Value 0.032" (0.81 mm) 0.062" (1.57 mm) **Thickness** 0.122" (3.10 mm) Width 39.4" (1000 mm) 39.4" (1000 mm) 60" (1524 mm) for > 0.082" thick Length 100' (30.5 mt) for < 0.062" thick $70 \text{ lb/ft}^3 (1.12 \text{ g/cc})$ **Bulk Density** Compressibilty 40% at 5000 psi (35 MPa) load Recovery 15% at 5000 psi (35 MPa) load

3800 psi (26.31 MPa)

-400°F to 975°F (-240°C to 525°C)

<3% for 70 lb/ft³

< 35%

Sealability Method: Mod DIN 3535 at 580 psi N2 at 32 MPa load	<1.5 ml/min for 70 lb/ft ³
Resistance in #3 Oil	
Thickness increase	< 12%

Resistance in #1 Oil
Thickness increase < 8%
Weight change < 33%

Certification Certify to Grade

Note: *Properties listed are typical and cannot be used as accept/reject specifications

ASME Gasket Factors

• "m" Factor: 2

Weight change

Tensile Strength

to 400°C

Operating Temperature

Creep Relaxation Method:

BSI-F 125 at 6391 psi (44.1 MPa) load up

• "y" Stress: 900 psi (6.22 MPa)

• Max Gasket Unit Load: 24,000 psi (165.87 MPa)

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TG-251 Graphite Clad Metal Laminate

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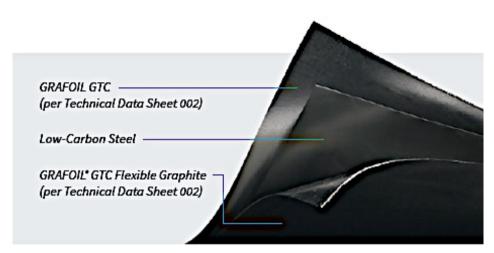
Reinforced Laminate
GHR – GTC with Low Carbon Steel

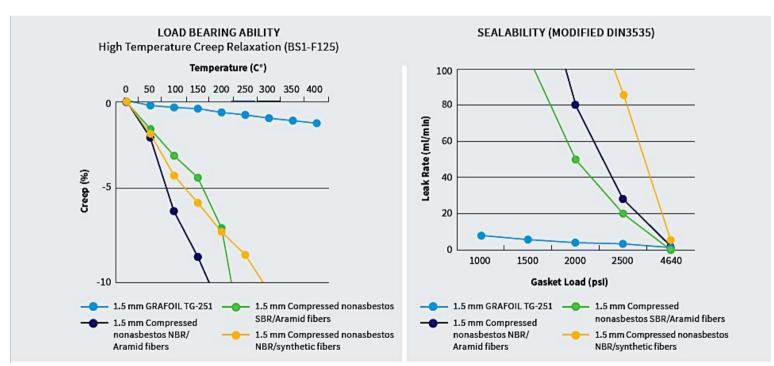
Product Overview

GRAFOIL® TG-251 metal- reinforced Graphite laminate consists of GRAFOIL® GTC flexible graphite adhesive bonded to both sides of a Low Carbon Steel.

Applications

- Chemicals
- Petrochemicals
- Refinery
- Steam service
- Cryogenic Applications
- ASME Class 150 & 300 Flanges





Laminate Construction

- 1. GRAFOIL® GTC flexible graphite, with a micro-thin phenolic based adhesive
- 2. 0.17 mm thick Low-Carbon Steel Grade 1008 or 1010, with a micro-thin phenolic based adhesive
- 3. GRAFOIL® GTC Flexible graphite

Typical	Properties*	GRAFOIL® TG-251

Characteristic	Typical Value
Thickness	0.037" (0.94 mm) 0.047" (1.19 mm)
Width	24" (610 mm)
Length	24" (610 mm)
Bulk Density	$70 \text{ lb/ft}^3 (1.12 \text{ g/cc})$
Compressibilty at 5000 psi (35 MPa) load	34%
Recovery at 5000 psi (35 MPa) load	31%
Creep Relaxation Method: BSI-F125 at 6391 psi (44.1 MPa) Load up to 400°C	<3% for 70 lb/ft ³
Air Aging, 5 hours at 540°C	
Weight Loss	5%
Compressibilty	39%
Recovery	24%
Fluid Soaking Distilled Water, 22 hours @ boiling 50/50 Glycol/Water, 48 hours @ boiling	No separation between GRAFOIL® material and steel

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