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GUARDIAN[®] Bearing Isolators offer exceptional bearing protection for pumps, motors and bearing supportetd industrial equipment under the harshest conditions. The engineered labyrinth design excludes liquid and solid contamination while retaining bearing lubrication.





Garlock Patented Cam-Lock Design

The patented Cam-Lock design of the GUARDIAN® provides excellent bore retention while allowing easy installation by hand, without the need for an arbor press. The interference fit of other designs require special tools for installation and may generate bronze shavings and result in bore scoring.

Garlock Patented Unitizing Ring

GUARDIAN[®] Bearing Isolators employ the patented Unitizing Ring to eliminate metal-to-metal contact between the rotor and stator. O-ring based designs lack axial reinforcement and allow bronze components to contact. Rotation and misalignment between the rotor and stator during normal operation cause O-rings to shred. O-ring designs result in self generated debris entering the bearing housing which can damage expensive bearings.

Benefits

Lifetime bearing protection increases mean time between failure (MTBF)

- » GUARDIAN[®] Bearing Isolators are safe for bearings
- » Consistent sealing performance
- » Extend bearing life

Faster mean time to repair (MTTR) during rebuilds

- » Eliminate repairs for shaft grooving
- » Eliminate repairs for seal housings
- » Reduce time to install

Use 97% - 99% less energy vs. contact lip seals

Compliant with safety and industry manufacturing standards

Technology to support Value & Benefits

Non-wearing components provide lifetime bearing protection

- » Garlock's patented Unitizing Ring eliminates metal to metal contact between stator and rotor
- » Engineered labyrinth designs exclude contamination while retaining bearing lubrication, to IP 66 ratings
- » Non-wearing components means seal properties are not degraded over time vs. contact seals that wear

Split GUARDIAN® designs offer even faster MTTR

- » Stationary O-ring contact between shaft and rotor does not groove the shaft
- » Stationary O-ring contact will not damage the seal housing
- » Garlock's patented Cam-Lock system allows the GUARDIAN[®] to be installed without an arbor press

Non-contact engineered labyrinth design reduces shaft drag

Industry Standards

- » Surpasses IEEE 841-2001 Standards
- » IP 65-66 rating per NEMA MG 1-2003, see GUARDIAN[®] configuration table
- » API 610 compliant bronze construction (standard), 316 SS construction available upon request

GUARDIAN®: Bearing Isolator protection to ensure bearing life

| Material | Filled PTFE Unitizing Ring and fluorelastomer O-rings are standard. Please inquire about special O-rings. |
|---------------|---|
| Temperature | -22°F to 400°F (-30°C to 204°C), limited by fluorelastomer O-rings. |
| Pressure | Design pressure differential across the seal is 0 psi. |
| Cross Section | Minimum cross section (C/S) of 0,375" (9,53 mm) unless otherwise stated, C/S = (Bore Diameter - Shaft Diameter) / 2 |



| | | | | | | | Shaft Diameter | |
|---|---|--------------|------------------|-----------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--|--|
| GUARDIAN® Configurations | Description | IP Rating | Surface Speed | Axial Motion | Misalignment & Runout | Shaft Diameter Ranges | Overall Width (Flange Width / Bore Engagement) | Stator Flange (SF) = Flange Diameter - Bore ID (CS Range : SF) |
| Standard Flanged | Construction Material 29602: Bronze 29604: 316 SS | IP 66 | 12,000 fpm | ±0.025" | ±0.020" | 0.625" to 10.500" | 0.700″ (0.325″ /375″) | (≤0.625″) : 0.347″ (>0.625″) : 0.125″ |
| The second | Drainports 1 inboard 1 outboard | | 60.9 m/s | ±0.64 mm | ±0.51 mm | 15.9 mm to 266.7 mm | 17.8 mm (8.3 mm / 9.5 mm) | (≤15.9 mm) : 8.8 mm (>15.9 mm) : 3.2 mm |
| Small Cross Section | Construction Material 29607: Bronze 29606: 316 SS | IP 65 | 12,000 fpm | ±0.015" | ±0.010" | 0.625" to 5.500" | 0.625" (0.375" /250") | (≤0.375″) : 0.285″ (>0.375″) : 0.125″ |
| | Drainports 1 inboard 1 outboard | IF 05 | 60.9 m/s | ±0.38 mm | ±0.25 mm | 15.9 mm to 139.7 mm | 15.9 mm (9.5 mm / 6.4 mm) | (≤9.5 mm) : 7.2 mm (>9.5 mm) : 3.2 mm |
| Narrow Width | Construction Material 29609: Bronze 29611: 316 SS | | 12,000 fpm | ±0.015" | ±0.010" | 0.625" to 4.000" | 0.375" (0.000" /375") | |
| G. | Drainports 0 inboard 0 outboard | IP 65 | 60.9 m/s | ±0.38 mm | ±0.25 mm | 15.9 mm to 101.6 mm | 9.5 mm (0.0 mm / 9.5 mm) | N/A |
| Flangeless | Construction Material 29619: Bronze 29612: 316 SS | IP 65 | 12,000 fpm | ±0.025" | ±0.020" | 0.625" to 10.500" | 0.625" (0.000" /625") | N/A |
| | Drainports 1 inboard 0 outboard | | 60.9 m/s | ±0.64 mm | ±0.51 mm | 15.9 mm to 266.7 mm | 15.9 mm (0 mm / 15.9 mm) | N/A |
| Split Pillow Block Standard & Custom | Construction Material 29616: Bronze 29617: 316 SS | IP 66 | 12,000 fpm | ±0.025" | ±0.020" | 0.625" to 10.500" | Various (0.500″ / Various) | (≤0.625″) : 0.347″ (>0.625″) : 0.125″ |
| | Drainports 1 inboard 1 outboard | | 60.9 m/s | ±0.64 mm | ±0.51 mm | 15.9 mm to 266.7 mm | Various (12.7 mm / Various) | (≤15.9 mm) : 8.8 mm (>15.9 mm) : 3.2 mm |
| Vertical Design** | Construction Material 29620: Bronze 29622: 316 SS | | 12,000 fpm | ±0.025" | ±0.020" | 0.625" to 10.500" | 0.700" (0.325" /375") | (≤0.625″) : 0.347″ (>0.625″) : 0.125″ |
| 7. | Drainports 0 inboard 0 outboard | IP 66 | 60.9 m/s | ±0.64 mm | ±0.51 mm | 15.9 mm to 266.7 mm | 17.8 mm (8.3 mm / 9.5 mm) | (≤15.9 mm) : 8.8 mm (>15.9 mm) : 3.2 mm |
| Step Shaft Custom Design | Construction Material 29697: Bronze | IP 65 | 12,000 fpm | ±0.025" | ±0.020" | 0.625" to 10.500" | Various | Various |
| | Drainports 1 inboard 1 outboard | | 60.9 m/s | ±0.64 mm | ±0.51 mm | 15.9 mm to 266.7 mm | | |
| Surface Mounted Constructio 29603: Bron: | Construction Material 29603: Bronze | | 12,000 fpm | ±0.025" | ±0.020" | 0.625" to 10.500" | 0.595" (0.959" / 0.000") | |
| | Drainports Various | 15,00 | 60.9 m/s | ±0.64 mm | ±0.51 mm | 15.9 mm to 266.7 mm | 15.1 mm (15.1 mm / 0.0 mm) | Various |

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