

# **T-BOLT HINGED CLOSURES**

#### **GENERAL INFORMATION**

Tube Turns' exclusive T-Bolt Closure is designed expressly for nominal pressure applications. Less expensive and much more satisfactory than blind flanges and job-fabricated closure devices, it is ideal for:

1. Manways for storage tanks, mixing vessels, filters, separators and other batch equipment.

 Caps for inspection ports and other access openings on towers and reactors.
 Handholes on processing equipment and medical or laboratory apparatus such as hyperbaric chambers.

#### **Economically Priced**

Low initial cost is an especially attractive feature of the Tube Turns T-Bolt Closure. A complete unit normally costs less than the component parts for a blind and slip-on flange combination. There are no additional expenses for hinges, hoists, davits, etc., as the closure us fully assembled when shipped. Furthermore, installation and labor charges are held to a minimum; a single butt weld joins the closure to the nozzle vessel.

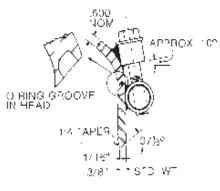
#### **Compact Design**

Simplicity of construction and operation are keynotes of the Tube Turns T-Bolt Hinged Closure. The closure consists of a thick semi-ellipsiodal head that is hinged to a matching hub, a self energized O-ring and a suitable number of T-Bolts to effect and maintain a tight seal. For most services, the standard materials—carbon steel and a "Buna-N" 0-ring are satisfactory. Other metals and elastomers are furnished on special request. The T-Bolt Hinged Closure is opened quickly and easily. The operator merely loosens the T-Bolts until they clear the head lugs and allow the head to be swung open on its hinge. Complete, unrestricted access is provided, too, since the standard hinging permits a full 180° opening.

#### **Warning Feature**

The holding lugs are mounted on the closure head at an angle of approximately 10°. This provides a valuable feature, for the angular mounting requires that the T-bolt be backed off an extra turn or two before it will swing out of the holding position.

Thus, if there is pressure in the vessel while it is being opened, initial turns of the



bolts permit the head to lift slightly and the contained fluid escapes, alerting the operator to possible danger. Further movement of the head is restrained, since the T-bolt is confined within the holding lug.

#### **Operating Savings**

Tube Turns T-Bolt Hinged Closures provide savings of time and labor. The semielipsiodal shape of the T-Bolt Closure has greater pressure-holding capacity than a flat plate of equal thickness. This permits substantial weight reduction: the head of a 24" T-Bolt Closure, for instance, weighs only 100 pounds, as compared with 410 pounds for a comparable size 150 lb blind flange. And the mechanical advantage afforded by the hinge arrangement further reduces the force needed to open a T-Bolt Closure. Bolting is also simplified. A 24" T-Bolt Closure has but five bolts, while the same size 150 lb flange requires 20. Furthermore, the T-bolts remain attached to the closure when it is opened, eliminating possibilities of dropped or misplaced nuts, bolts and washers.

#### **Full Size Range**

Standard Tube Turns T-Bolt Hinged Closures are furnished in carbon steel, stainless steel, & other alloys. Sizes range from 6" thru 66".

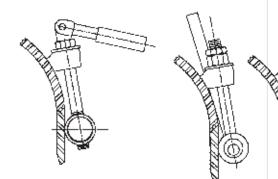


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#### **T-BOLT CLOSURE OPTIONS**

Break-Over Wrenches and Camlocks are optional attachments and accessories adding further to the versatility and utility of our T-Bolt Closures. Attachment of either of these options to the closure's T-Bolts provides extra convenience, speed and ease in tightening the bolts. These attachments eliminate the need for separate wrenches.



Break-Over Wrench Assembly

Tightened Loosened Camlock Assembly

The Break-Over Wrench Lug is welded to the T-Bolt (head bolt) and a handle is inserted over this lug. A pin is then inserted through the handle and the lug allowing the handle to act as a wrench and making the Break-Over Wrench an integral part of the T-Bolt Assembly.

In a Camlock Assembly, components replace the tapped swing nut (in the hub nut mount). The Camlock bolting unit consists of a high strength eye bolt that is pinned through an eccentric cam to provide the necessary clamping action. The caming action is adjustable by moving the adjustable nut at the threaded end of the eye bolt. This allows the camlock assembly to be loosened & tightened merely by lowering or raising the cam handle.





#### **Vertical T-Bolt Closures**

T-Bolt Closures with a spring loaded head for vertical applications are furnished in sizes 10" - 42". The need for spring loading can be determined by reference to the table below. The tabulated "Force to Lift Head" is the force to lift the head **without** the springs.

Closure Size	6	8	10	12	14	16	18	20	22	24	26	28	30	32	34	36	38	40	42
Weight of Head (lbs)	7	12	19	22	32	41	53	67	74	100	112	125	139	169	184	269	295	322	346
Force to Lift Head (lbs)	4	9	12	15	20	26	32	40	44	58	62	71	76	90	106	149	168	186	231



# T-BOLT RATINGS

	Cla	ss 75	Clas	Class 300		
Closure	Carbon	Stainless	Carbon	Stainless	Carbon	Stainless
Size	Steel	Steel**	Steel	Steel**	Steel	Steel**
6	-	-	320	320	510	510
8	-	-	185	185	390	390
10	115	115	245	245	365	365
12	170	170	255	255	380	380
14	140	140	210	210	365	365
16	105	105	185	185	385	380
18	125	125	185	185	375	365
20	100	100	175	175	355	345
22	100	100	200	195	330	320
24	115	105	190	190	310	305
26	115	105	180	180	265	255
28	110	100	190	190	255	245
30	105	95	180	180	240	235
32	100	90	175	160	210	190
34	150	135	170	165	205	200
36	120	110	165	160	185	180
38	125	115	175	170	-	-
40	105	95	170	165	-	-
42	110	100	165	160	-	-
48	120	120	135	130	-	-

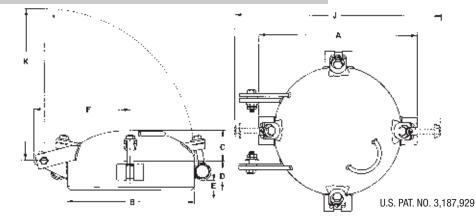
\*\* Ratings apply to stainless steel closures with carbon steel bolts and attachments. Closures of all stainless steel are rated lower. For temperatures higher than 450F, consult Tube Turns stating temperature, pressure, fluid and type of o-ring required. Ratings apply for closures with ASME SA325 bolts. Slightly higher ratings are available in some sizes upon application by using ASME SA193 Grade B7 bolts, resulting in a slightly higher price.

Above ratings good for 450F. "Buna-N" is the standard 0-ring gasket material. For services above 250F or where special corrosive conditions are to be encountered, 0-rings of "Viton", Silicone Rubber, "Neoprene' Ethylene Propylene, "Teflon Encapsulated" (Viton or Silicone Core) can be furnished at an extra charge. Refer to Page 7



# **T-BOLT HORIZONTAL DIMENSIONS**





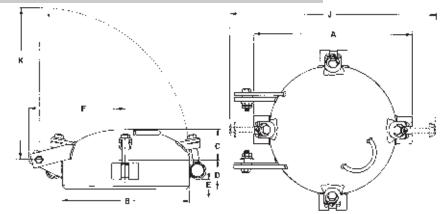
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	12	.500	16 1/8	12 3/4	3 1/8	2 5/8	3/4	8 15/16	21	14 1/4	4	5/8	50
	14	.500	17 3/8	14	3 9/16	2 7/8	1	9 9/16	22	15 1/2	4	5/8	60
	16	.500	19 3/8	16	4	2 7/8	1	10 1/2	24	17 1/2	4	5/8	70
	18	.500	21 3/8	18	4 1/2	3 3/8	1 3/8	11 11/16	30	19 1/2	4	3/4	95
Class 75-TB	20	.500	23 3/8	20	4 15/16	3 7/8	1 7/8	12 15/16	32	21 11/16	4	3/4	115
T-Bolt	22	.500	25 3/8	22	5 1/4	4 3/8	2 3/8	13 15/16	34	23 11/16	5	3/4	140
Horizontal	24	.500	27 7/8	24	5 3/4	4 3/8	1 13/16	15	38	25 11/16	5	7/8	165
	26	.500	29 7/8	26	6 1/4	4 3/8	1 13/16	16 1/4	40	28	6	7/8	180
	28	.500	31 7/8	28	6 3/4	4 3/8	2 1/8	17 1/4	42	30	7	7/8	200
	30	.500	33 7/8	30	7 1/4	4 3/8	1 7/8	18 5/16	45	32	8	7/8	230
	32	.500	35 7/8	32	7 3/4	4 3/8	2	19 5/8	47	34	9	7/8	265
	34	.625	38 3/4	34	8 3/16	4 3/8	1 5/16	20 5/8	51	36	9	1 1/8	325
	36	.625	40 3/4	36	8 11/16	4 1/2	1 5/8	21 9/16	53	38	9	1 1/8	410
	38	.625	42 3/4	38	9 3/16	4 1/2	1 5/8	22 9/16	55	40	10	1 1/8	450
	40	.625	44 3/4	40	9 11/16	4 1/2	1 5/8	22 3/4	57	42	10	1 1/8	480
	42	.625	46 3/4	42	10 3/16	4 1/2	1 5/8	25 5/16	61	44 3/4	11	1 1/8	550
	48	.750	52 3/4	48	11 3/4	7	4 1/8	28 1/8	67	49 1/2	14	1 1/8	830
	6	.500	9 1/4	6 5/8	2 1/8	1 11/16	1/4	5 1/2	13	8	3	1/2	15
	8	.500	11 1/4	8 5/8	2 3/16	2 1/4	13/16	6 5/8	15	10 1/8	3	1/2	20
	10	.500	14 1/8	10 3/4	2 13/16	2 1/2	3/4	7 5/8	19	12 1/4	4	5/8	35
Class 150-TB	12	.500	16 1/8	12 3/4	3 1/8	2 5/8	3/4	9	23	14 5/16	4	3/4	55
T-Bolt	14	.500	17 3/8	14	3 9/16	2 7/8	1	9 9/16	24	15 1/2	4	3/4	65
Horizontal	16	.500	19 3/8	16	4	2 7/8	1	10 1/2	26	17 1/2	7	5/8	80
	18	.500	21 3/8	18	4 1/2	3 3/8	1 3/8	11 11/16	30	19 1/2	6	3/4	100
	20	.500	23 3/8	20	4 15/16	3 7/8	1 7/8	12 15/16	32	21 11/16	7	3/4	125
	22	.500	25 3/4	22	5 1/4	4 3/8	1 13/16	15 1/2	36	23 3/16	7	7/8	150
	24	.500	27 7/8	24	5 3/4	4 3/8	1 7/8	15	38	25 11/16	8	7/8	180
	26	.500	29 7/8	26	6 1/4	4 3/8	1 13/16	16 1/4	40	28	9	7/8	200
	28	.500	31 7/8	28	6 3/4	4 3/8	2 1/8	17 1/4	43	30	11	7/8	225
	30	.500	33 7/8	30	7 1/4	4 3/8	1 7/8	18 5/16	45	32	12	7/8	250
	32	.500	36 3/4	32	7 3/4	4 3/8	1 5/16	19 5/8	49	34	10	1 1/8	310
	<u>34</u> 36	.625	38 3/4	34	8 3/16	4 3/8	1 5/16	20 5/8	53	<u>36</u> 38	10 11	<u>1 1/8</u> 1 1/8	380 460
	36 38	.625	40 3/4 42 3/4	36 38	8 11/16 9 3/16	4 1/2 4 1/2	1 5/8 1 5/8	21 9/16 22 9/16	55 59	38 40 1/16	13	1 1/8 1 1/8	460 500
	38 40	.625 .625	42 3/4 44 3/4	38 40	9 3/16 9 11/16	4 1/2 4 1/2	1 5/8	22 9/16 26 1/16	59 57	40 1/16 44 7/16	13 14	1 1/8	500 550
	40	.625	46 3/4	40	10 3/16	4 1/2	1 5/8	20 1/10	<u> </u>	44 7/16	14	1 1/8	600
	42 48	.025	40 3/4 52 3/4	42 48	11 3/4	4 1/2	4 1/8	23	67	44 7/10 52	16	1 1/8	860
	40	.150	JZ J/4	40	11 3/4	1	4 1/0	20	07	52	10	1 1/0	000

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	6 8	.500 .500	9 7/8 11 7/8	6 5/8 8 5/8	2 1/8 2 3/16	2 1/16 2 1/4	5/16 7/16	5 5/8 6 9/16	16 19	8 1/8 10 1/8	3 4	5/8 5/8	18 27
Class 300-TB	<u>10</u> 12 14	.500 .500 .500	<u>14 1/8</u> 16 1/8 17 3/8	<u>10 3/4</u> 12 3/4 14	2 13/16 3 1/8 3 9/16	2 1/2 2 5/8 2 7/8	5/8 3/4 1	7 5/8 9 3/4 9 1/2	20 23 25	<u>12 1/4</u> 15 3/16 15 7/8	<u>4</u> 6 7	3/4 3/4 3/4 7/2	35 55 70
T-Bolt Horizontal	16 18 20	.500 .500 .500	19 7/8 22 3/4 24 3/4	16 18 20	4 4 1/2 4 15/16	2 7/8 3 3/8 3 7/8	3/8 5/8 1 1/8	10 1/8 11 3/4 12 5/16	29 33 36	17 1/2 20 21 9/16	6 7	7/8 1 1/8 1 1/8	85 130 175
	22 24 26	.500 .500 .500	26 3/4 28 3/4 30 3/4	22 24 26	<u>5 1/4</u> 5 3/4 6 1/4	4 3/8 4 3/8 4 3/8 4 3/8	<u>1 5/8</u> 1 5/8 1 1/4	<u>13 15/16</u> 16 16 5/8	38 40 42	23 11/16 26 11/16 28 5/8	8 9 9	<u>1 1/8</u> 1 1/8 1 1/8 1 1/8	200 230 250
	28 30 32 34	.500 .500 .500 .625	32 3/4 34 3/4 36 3/4 38 3/4	28 30 32 34	<u>6 3/4</u> 7 1/4 7 3/4 <u>8 3/16</u>	4 3/8 4 3/8 4 3/8 4 3/8	1 5/8 1 11/16 1 5/16 1 5/16	<u>17 5/16</u> 18 5/16 19 11/16 <u>21 1/8</u>	45 47 49 53	30 32 34 7/16 36 1/2	10 11 11 12	<u>1 1/8</u> 1 1/8 1 1/8 <u>1 1/8</u> <u>1 1/8</u>	275 300 360 440
	36	.625	40 3/4	36	8 11/16	4 1/2	1 5/8	25 5/16	55	38 3/4	12	1 1/8	510

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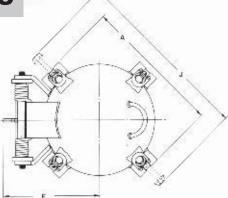
We stock T-Bolt Closures in many sizes, pressure classes and materials.

## **T-BOLT VERTICAL DIMENSIONS**

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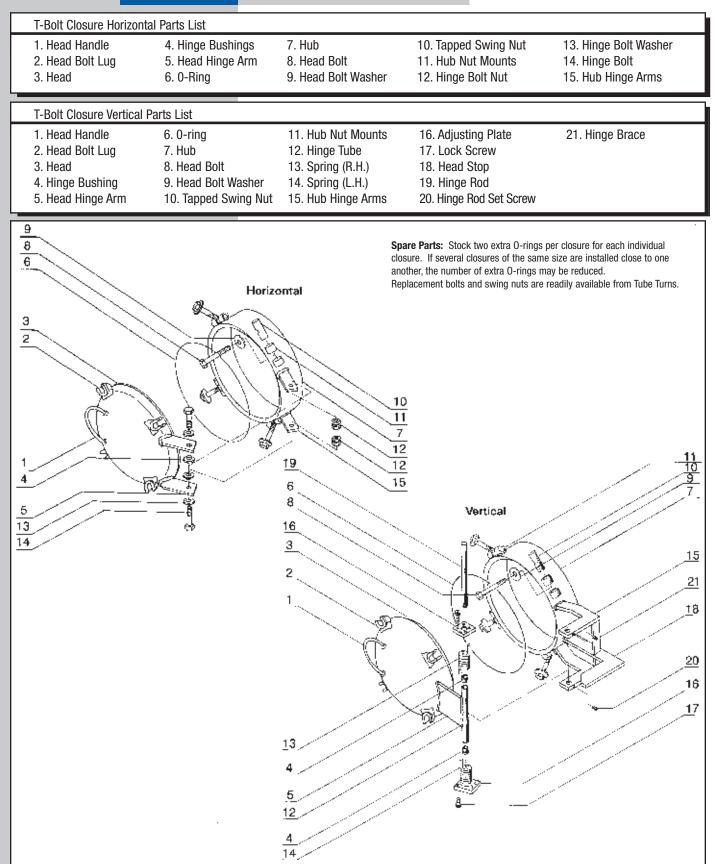


				OD at			Clear	Center to	Face	Swing				
	Nom.	Nom.*		Welding	Back to	Hub	Hub	Hinge	to	Bolt	Opening			Approx.
	Pipe	Wall	Over-all	Bevel	Face	Length	Length	End	Hinge	Clearance	Clearance	No.	Bolt	Weight
	Size	Thickness	A	В	С	D	E	F	G	J	К	Bolts	Size	Lbs
	10	.500	13 3/8	10 3/4	2 13/16	2 1/2	1 1/16	8 1/4	1 3/8	18	1 11/16	3	1/2	35
	12	.500	16 1/8	12 3/4	3 1/8	2 5/8	3/4	97/8	1 1/2	21	13 15/16	4	5/8	55
	14	.500	17 3/8	14	3 9/16	2 7/8	1	10 1/4	1 1/2	22	15 1/16	4	5/8	65
	16	.500	19 3/8	16	4	2 7/8	1	11 1/4	1 1/2	24	17 1/16	4	5/8	75
	18	.500	21 3/8	18	4 1/2	3 3/8	1 3/8	13 5/8	1 7/16	30	20 1/16	4	3/4	105
Class	20	.500	23 3/8	20	4 15/16	3 7/8	1 7/8	14 3/4	1 11/16	32	22 1/16	4	3/4	130
	22	.500	25 3/8	22	5 1/4	4 3/8	2 3/8	17 1/4	2 1/4	34	25 9/16	5	3/4	160
75-TBV	24	.500	27 7/8	24	5 3/4	4 3/8	1 13/16	19 3/8	1 3/4	38	28 5/16	5	7/8	190
T-Bolt	26	.500	29 7/8	26	6 1/4	4 3/8	1 13/16	21 1/4	1 7/8	40	31 1/4	6	7/8	200
Vertical	28	.500	31 7/8	28	6 3/4	4 3/8	2 1/8	23	2 1/8	42	33 13/16	7	7/8	225
Vortiour	30	.500	33 7/8	30	7 1/4	4 3/8	1 7/8	23	1 7/8	45	35 1/16	8	7/8	260
	32	.500	35 7/8	32	7 3/4	4 3/8	2	23	2	47	36 1/16	9	7/8	295
	34	.625	38 3/4	34	8 3/16	4 3/8	1 5/16	25 1/4	2 5/16	51	38 9/16	9	1 1/8	365
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	14	.500	17 3/8	12 3/4	3 9/16	2 7/8	1	10 1/4	1 1/2	23	14 7/8	4	3/4	70
Class	16	.500	19 3/8	16	4	2 7/8	1	13 13/16	1 1/2	24	19 3/16	7	5/8	85
150-TBV	18	.500	21 3/8	18	4 1/2	3 3/8	1 3/8	14 3/8	1 5/8	30	20 1/2	6	3/4	110
T-Bolt	20	.500	23 3/8	20	4 15/16	3 7/8	1 7/8	15 7/8	1 1/8	32	22 1/2	7	3/4	140
	22	.500	25 3/4	22	5 1/4	4 3/8	1 13/16	19 3/8	1 1/4*	36	25 1/2	7	7/8	170
Vertical	24	.500	27 7/8	24	5 3/4	4 3/8	1 7/8	19 3/8	2	38	28 1/4	8	7/8	205
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	34	.625	38 3/4	34	8 3/16	4 3/8	1 5/16	27 7/8	1 3/4*	53	38 1/2	10	1 1/8	420
	36	.625	40 3/4	36	8 11/16	4 1/2	1 5/8	29 1/2	1 3/4*	55	41	11	1 1/8	530
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Class	12	.500	16 1/8	12 3/4	3 1/8	2 5/8	3/4	12 5/8	1 3/8	23	16 3/8	6	3/4	65
300-TBV	14	.500	17 3/8	14	3 9/16	2 7/8	1	12 3/8	1 1/2	25	17 1/4	7	3/4	75
T-Bolt	16	.500	19 7/8	16	4	2 7/8	3/8	13 7/8	1 1/2	29	19 1/2	7	7/8	90
	18	.500	22 3/4	18	4 1/2	3 3/8	5/8	16 3/4	1	33	23	6	1 1/8	120
Vertical	20	.500	24 3/4	20	4 15/16	3 7/8	1 1/8	18 5/8	1 1/2	36	26	7	1 1/8	145
	22	.500	26 3/4	22	5 1/4	4 3/8	1 5/8	20	2 3/8	38	27 5/8	8	1 1/8	180
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## **T-BOLT** CLOSURE PARTS



### TERMS AND CONDITIONS

1. Seller offers to sell to Buyer, or accepts Buyer's offer to purchase, on the condition that Buyer assents to the terms contained herein. Buyer's failure to provide seller with notification of any objection to these terms within a period of five days after receipt of this instrument or Buyer's acceptance of any product shipped hereunder constitutes assent by the Buyer to these terms. Seller's acceptance of Buyer's offer to purchase, or Buyer's acceptance hereof, is limited and restricted to these terms. Seller objects to and refuses to be bound by any terms additional to or different from those contained herein.

2. Prices are subject to change without notice, and all orders are to be invoiced at Seller's prices prevailing at time of shipment.
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