

# Temperature Correction Factors

As the service temperature increases, the maximum pressure a hose assembly can withstand decreases. The material from which the hose is made and the method of fitting attachment (mechanical, soldered, welded, silver brazed) determine the maximum pressure at which an assembly can be used. By using the factors given in the chart below, the approximate safe working pressure at elevated temperatures can be calculated for assemblies with welded or mechanically attached fittings.

Saturated Steam Pressure To Temperature (PSIG)					
Saturated Steam (PSIG)	Temp (° F)		Saturated Steam (PSIG)	Temp (° F)	
0	212		150	366	
10	238		175	377	
20	259		200	388	
30	274		225	397	
40	287		250	406	
50	298		275	414	
60	307		300	422	
75	320		325	429	
80	324		350	436	
90	331		375	442	
100	338		400	448	
125	353		425	454	
			450	460	
			475	465	
			500	470	
			550	480	
			600	489	
			700	505	
			800	520	
			900	534	
			1000	546	
			1250	574	
			1500	606	
			2500	669	

Temp (° F)	304, 316L Stainless	321 Stainless	Monel	Hastelloy
Room	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
150	.96	.97	.93	.97
200	.92	.94	.90	.94
250	.91	.92	.87	.92
300	.86	.88	.83	.91
350	.85	.86	.82	.89
400	.82	.83	.79	.87
450	.80	.81	.77	.86
500	.77	.78	.73	.85
600	.73	.74	.72	.84
700	.69	.70	.71	.82
800	.64	.66	.70	.81
900	—	.62	—	.79
1000	—	.60	—	.78
1100	—	.58	—	.75
1200	—	.55	—	.73
1300	—	.50	—	.69
1400	—	.44	—	.65
1500	—	.40	—	—

<b>Saturated Steam Pressure To Temperature (Hg)</b>	
<b>Saturated Steam Vacuum (in. of Hg)</b>	<b>Temp (° F)</b>
—	0
29.84	20
29.74	32
29.67	40
29.39	60
28.89	80
27.99	100
26.48	120
24.04	140
20.27	160
15.20	180
6.46	200

**Example**

Determine if 3/4" annular stainless hose with welded fittings is satisfactory for the given operating conditions?

**Given:**

Maximum operating temperature is 700°F.  
Maximum operating pressure is 200 PSIG.

**Computation:**

From the Product Specifications table - nominal rated burst pressure for 3/4" with one layer of braid and with welded fittings is 3200 PSIG.

From Temperature Correction Factors Chart - factor for stainless at 700°F is .70

Rated Burst Pressure:  $3200 \text{ PSIG} \times .70 = 2240 \text{ PSIG}$   
(rated burst pressure at 700°F)

Safe Operating Pressure:  $2240 \div 4 = 560 \text{ PSIG}$  (using 4:1 safety factor)

**Result:**

Since the maximum operating pressure for 3/4" one braid layer at 700°F is 560 PSIG the hose will meet the required operating conditions outlined above.