

# Engineering OHL & Thrust



## OVERHUNG LOADS

Maximum values for output shaft loads are given in pounds of radial capacity as shown in the gearmotor selection pages under the  $F_R$  column. Input shaft capacities are given on pages 58 - 59 as  $F_{R1}$ .

The listed maximum loads are

- to be applied at the midpoint of the shaft
- calculated in the least favorable loading direction
- without thrust loads.

Keeping the operational loads at or below the rated capacity will ensure bearing performance for approximately 5,000 hours of service or greater.

The permissible overhung load values listed are based on the least favorable loading direction. For higher overhung load values please contact NORD with the exact loading direction and life requirements.

## OHL CAPACITY FOR REDUCERS

If a C-face reducer or solid input shaft reducer is used, the Gearmotor Selection pages should be used to determine the maximum overhung load  $F_Q$ . Assign the HP value of the motor driving the system to the reducer. Turn to the Gearmotor Selection pages and match the HP, gear unit and ratio to one shown in the table. Select the OHL capacity ( $F_Q$ ) from the appropriate column.

## CALCULATING OHL

When an in-line coupling is mounted on a shaft to connect power then no overhung load exists. However, if power transmission components such as sprockets or sheaves are mounted directly onto the shaft they will deliver a rotating load at a right angle to that shaft. The effective overhung load on that shaft will be determined as follows:

$$F_{OHL} = \frac{2 \times T \times f_z}{d_o}$$

Where:

$F_{OHL}$  = Calculated OHL on gearbox shaft [lb]

$T$  = Load torque on shaft [lb-in]

$d_o$  = Pitch diameter of overhung component [in]

$f_z$  = Power transmission component factor

Table for  $f_z$  factor

Transmission Component	Factor $f_z$	Notes
Gear	1.00	17 teeth or less
Gear	1.15	18 teeth or more
Chain Sprocket	1.40	13 teeth or less
Chain Sprocket	1.20	13 to 20 teeth
Chain Sprocket	1.00	21 teeth or more
Timing Belt Pulley	1.50	
V-Belt Pulley	1.70	
Flat Belt Pulley	2.50	

After calculating OHL actual compare to the overhung load capacity found in the tables.

$$F_{OHL} \leq F_R \text{ or } F_{R1}$$

If  $F_{OHL}$  exceeds the rated capacity ( $F_R$  or  $F_{R1}$ ) of the speed reducer, either heavy-duty bearings or a larger gearbox must be selected.

## LOAD NOT AT MIDPOINT OF SHAFT

If the load is not applied to the midpoint of the shaft, the maximum overhung load capacity  $F_Q$  or  $F_{Q1}$  must be modified. The new permissible overhung load  $F_{QX}$  or  $F_{Q1X}$  must be calculated at a point on the shaft ( $x$ ) by

$$F_{RX} = \frac{F_R \times z}{y + x} \quad F_{R1X} = \frac{F_{R1} \times z}{y + x}$$

Shaft strength must also be considered by these equations:

$$F_{RSS} = \frac{c}{f + x} \quad F_{RISS} = \frac{c}{f + x}$$

Where:

$F_R$  = permissible OHL from gearmotor tables [lb]

$x$  = distance from shaft shoulder to the point where the load is applied [in]

$c$  = factor from table [lb-in]

$f$  = factor from table [in]

$y$  = factor from table [in]

$z$  = factor from table [in]

$F_{RX}$  = new permissible OHL at 'x' distance from output shaft shoulder [lb]

$F_{R1X}$  = new permissible OHL at 'x' distance from input shaft shoulder [lb]

$F_{RSS}$  = output shaft strength capacity [lb]

$F_{RISS}$  = input shaft strength capacity [lb]

After calculating the above the lower of the two will be the adjusted permissible overhung load ( $OHL_{adjusted}$ ) at 'x' distance from the shaft shoulder and is compared to the  $F_{OHL}$  value.

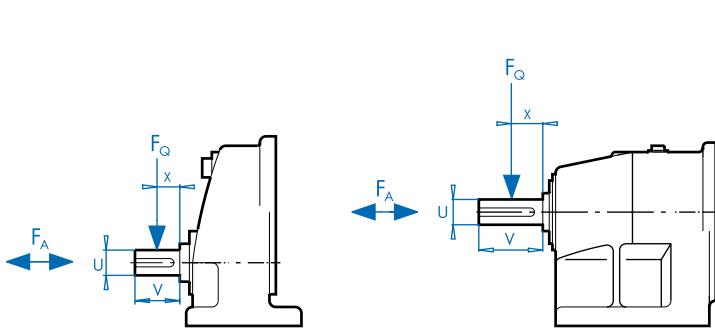
$$F_{OHL} \leq F_{RX}$$

Unit sizing with this method takes into consideration non-midpoint load location and ensures acceptable bearing and shaft strength.

## THRUST LOADS

Loads that are directed towards or away from the gearbox along the axis of the shaft are considered to be AXIAL loads. Commonly this loading is called THRUST. Output shaft THRUST capacity ( $F_A$ ) can be found in the Gearmotor Selection tables adjacent to the OHL values. Input shaft capacity is given on pages 58 - 59 as  $F_{A1}$ :

- Capacity shown is the lowest value of either a load directed into or away from the unit.
- Loads cannot exceed the values shown in the tables
- Capacity listed is for pure axial loads with no overhung load. If loads are kept at or below the rated capacity, reasonable bearing life can be expected. Contact NORD for combination load or a more exact examination of the application.



$F_{OHL}$  = Calculated OHL on gearbox shaft [lb]

T = Load torque on shaft [lb-in]

$d_o$  = Pitch diameter of overhung component [in]

$f_z$  = Power transmission component factor

$$F_{OHL} = \frac{2 \times T \times f_z}{d_o}$$

After calculating  $F_{OHL}$  compare to the overhung load capacity found in the tables.

$$F_{OHL} \leq F_R \text{ or } F_{R1}$$

If  $F_{OHL}$  exceeds the rated capacity ( $F_R$  or  $F_{R1}$ ) of the speed reducer then either heavy-duty bearings or a larger gearbox must be selected.

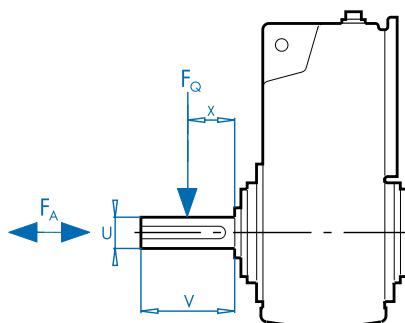
Calculation Table for OHL at Output Shaft for In-line Units

Gearbox Type	y [in]	z [in]	c Standard Bearings [lb-in]	c VL Bearings [lb-in]	f [in]	U [in]	V [in]	T <sub>2max</sub> [lb-in]
SK 11E	2.56	3.35	*	*	1.54	0.750	1.50	513
SK 21E	3.03	4.02	*	*	1.97	1.000	2.13	681
SK 31E	4.11	5.30	*	*	2.74	1.250	2.75	1637
SK 41E	4.39	5.77	*	*	2.64	1.375	3.00	2567
SK 51E	4.92	6.50	*	*	2.91	1.625	3.25	4354

SK 02	2.51	3.30	531	885	0.46	0.750	1.50	876
SK 03								973
SK 12	2.89	3.88	1,062	1,593	0.55	1.000	2.13	1628
SK 13								1717
SK 22	3.39	4.57	1,682	2,655	0.55	1.250	2.75	3310
SK 23								3009
SK 32	4.43	6.00	3,452	5,310	1.18	1.625	3.25	6284
SK 33								5947
SK 42	4.84	6.61	3,717	6,461	1.18	1.875	3.50	11,009
SK 43								11,408
SK 52	5.89	8.05	8,142	13,806	1.38	2.250	4.00	17,912
SK 53								19,753
SK 62	7.52	10.08	12,921	21,771	1.38	2.500	5.00	27,612
SK 63								32,745
SK 72	8.35	11.10	18,851	39,383	1.46	3.000	5.50	41,666
SK 73								50,003
SK 82	9.78	13.13	37,254	60,977	1.50	3.500	6.75	64,127
SK 83								81,243
SK 92	10.94	15.08	71,420	110,625	1.61	4.250	8.50	95,359
SK 93								123,900
SK 102	12.74	17.64	131,511	202,134	1.81	5.250	10.00	153,698
SK 103								204,966

\* - Consult Factory for calculation

# Clincher™ Overhung Load Calculation Tables



$F_{OHL}$  = Calculated OHL on gearbox shaft [lb]

T = Load torque on shaft [lb-in]

$d_o$  = Pitch diameter of overhung component [in]

$f_z$  = Power transmission component factor

$$F_{OHL} = \frac{2 \times T \times f_z}{d_o}$$

After calculating  $F_{OHL}$  compare to the overhung load capacity found in the tables.

$F_{OHL} \leq F_R$  or  $F_{R1}$

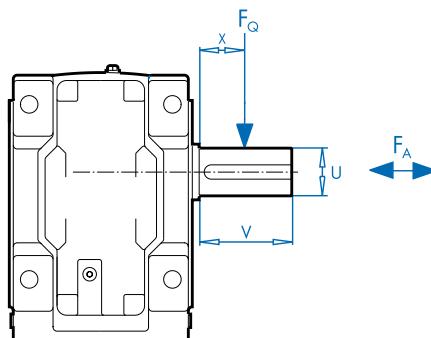
If  $F_{OHL}$  exceeds the rated capacity ( $F_R$  or  $F_{R1}$ ) of the speed reducer then either heavy-duty bearings or a larger gearbox must be selected.

Calculation Table for OHL at Output Shaft for Clincher™ Units

Gearbox Type	y [in]	z [in]	c Standard Bearings [lb-in]	c VL Bearings [lb-in]	f [in]	U [in]	V [in]	T <sub>2max</sub> [lb-in]
SK 0182NB	3.15	4.11	1,151	1,593	0	0.750	1.50	1,027
SK 0282NB	4.41	5.43	1,062	1,505	0	1.000	2.13	1,460
SK 1382NB	5.71	6.93	1,416	2,301	0	1.250	2.75	3,275
SK 1282	3.74	4.93	1,593	—	0	1.250	2.75	2,620
SK 2282 SK 2382	4.31	5.69	2,390	3,894	0	1.375	2.75	4,983
SK 3282 SK 3382	5.34	7.11	5,399	8,319	0	1.875	3.50	8,983 9,195
SK 4282 SK 4382	6.22	8.39	7,965	13,098	0	2.250	4.00	17,700 18,381
SK 5282 SK 5382	7.07	9.63	14,426	23,010	0	2.500	5.00	28,630 28,320
SK 6282 SK 6382	9.28	12.03	16,107	30,267	0	3.000	5.50	40,152 53,100
SK 7282 SK 7382	9.96	13.31	33,719	54,782	0	3.500	6.75	57,286 73,455
SK 8282 SK 8392	11.81	15.94	73,544	113,192	0	4.250	8.50	93,969 116,820
SK 9282 SK 9382	13.92	18.84	144,432	220,542	0	5.250	9.84	158,681 224,790
SK 10282 SK 10382	16.73	22.64	—	167,708	0	6.250	11.81	283,200 329,220
SK 11282 SK 11382	17.83	23.74	—	169,478	0	7.000	11.81	371,700 610,650
SK 12382	17.83	23.74	—	179,655	0	7.000	11.81	796,500



# Helical-Bevel Overhung Load Calculation Tables



$F_{OHL}$  = Calculated OHL on gearbox shaft [lb]

T = Load torque on shaft [lb-in]

$d_0$  = Pitch diameter of overhung component [in]

$f_z$  = Power transmission component factor

$$F_{OHL} = \frac{2 \times T \times f_z}{d_0}$$

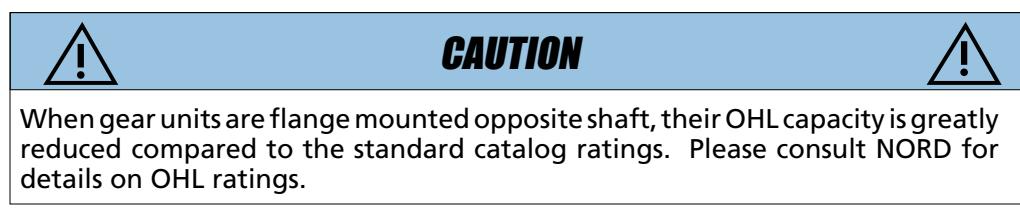
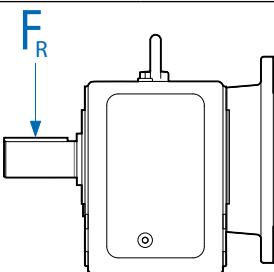
After calculating  $F_{OHL}$  compare to the overhung load capacity found in the tables.

$F_{OHL} \leq F_R$  or  $F_{R1}$

If  $F_{OHL}$  exceeds the rated capacity ( $F_R$  or  $F_{R1}$ ) of the speed reducer then either heavy-duty bearings or a larger gearbox must be selected.

Calculation Table for OHL at Output Shaft for Bevel Units

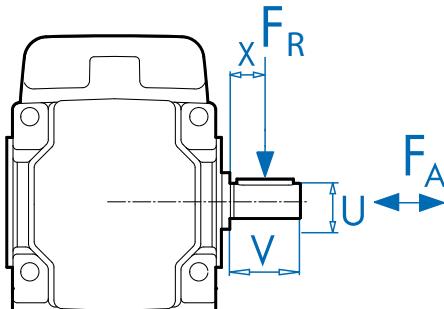
Gearbox Type	y [in]	z [in]	c Standard Bearings [lb-in]	c VL Bearings [lb-in]	f [in]	U [in]	V [in]	T <sub>2max</sub> [lb-in]
SK 92072	3.74	4.53	531	–	0	0.750	1.50	797
SK 92172	4.37	5.16	443	–	0	0.750	1.50	1,062
SK 92372	5.04	6.02	708	–	0	1.000	2.13	2,036
SK 92672	5.35	6.54	1,062	–	0	1.000	2.75	3,363
SK 92772	6.02	7.32	1,416	–	0	1.375	3.00	5,841
SK 9012.1 SK 9013.1	4.37	5.55	1,239	2,124	0	1.250	2.36	3,540
SK 9016.1 SK 9017.1	4.37	5.75	2,213	3,629	0	1.250	2.76	5,399
SK 9022.1 SK 9023.1	5.67	7.05	1,505	2,655	0	1.375	2.76	7,611
SK 9032.1 SK 9033.1	6.75	8.52	2,567	5,133	0	1.750	3.54	13,718
SK 9042.1 SK 9043.1	7.13	9.49	10,797	17,162	0	2.375	4.72	24,780
SK 9052.1 SK 9053.1	9.33	12.09	15,488	27,258	0	2.875	5.51	42,480
SK 9072.1	11.06	14.41	39,737	62,393	0	3.625	6.69	75,225
SK 9082.1	12.86	17.00	73,986	113,457	0	4.375	8.27	115,050
SK 9086.1	16.61	20.75	84,606	138,060	0	4.750	8.27	177,000
SK 9092.1	20.28	25.20	127,440	217,799	0	5.500	9.84	283,200
SK 9096.1	21.65	27.95	431,239	–	0	5.500	12.60	442,500



# Helical-Worm Overhung Load Calculation Tables



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$F_{OHL}$  = Calculated OHL on gearbox shaft [lb]  
 T = Load torque on shaft [lb-in]  
 $d_o$  = Pitch diameter of overhung component [in]  
 $f_z$  = Power transmission component factor

$$F_{OHL} = \frac{2 \times T \times f_z}{d_o}$$

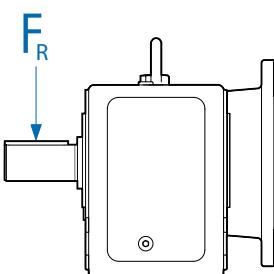
After calculating  $F_{OHL}$  compare to the overhung load capacity found in the tables.

$F_{OHL} \leq F_R$  or  $F_{R1}$

If  $F_{OHL}$  exceeds the rated capacity ( $F_R$  or  $F_{R1}$ ) of the speed reducer then either heavy-duty bearings or a larger gearbox must be selected.

Calculation Table for OHL at Output Shaft for Worm Units

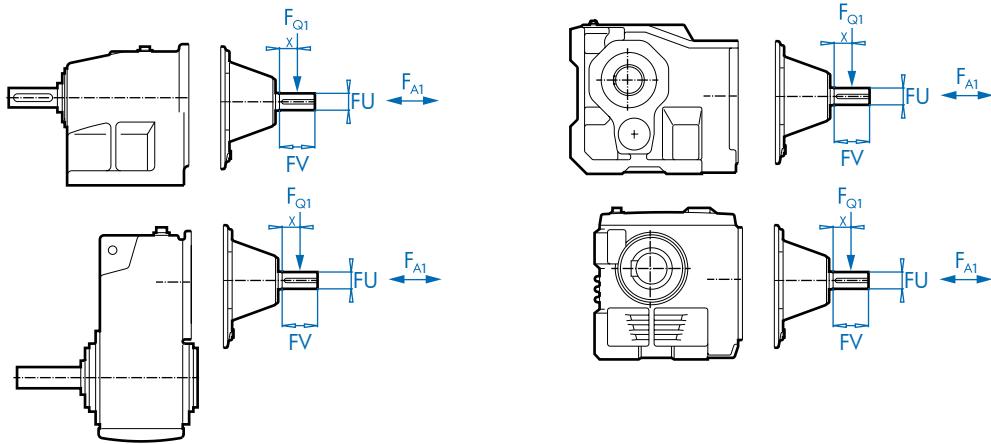
Gearbox Type	y [in]	z [in]	c Standard Bearings [lb-in]	c VL Bearings [lb-in]	f [in]	U [in]	V [in]	T <sub>2max</sub> [lb-in]
SK 02040	3.92	4.55	620	—	0	0.750	1.50	832
SK 02050	4.09	5.08	1,062	1,682	0	1.000	2.12	1,487
SK 13050								1,584
SK 12063	4.67	5.85	1,682	2,655	0	0.250	2.75	3,115
SK 13063								3,336
SK 12080	5.91	7.28	1,859	3,629	0	1.375	2.75	6,230
SK 13080								6,744
SK 32100	7.05	8.82	4,514	8,319	0	1.875	3.50	12,558
SK 33100								13,974
SK 42125	9.19	11.56	11,771	19,382	0	2.375	4.50	24,276
SK 43125								27,063



## CAUTION



When gear units are flange mounted opposite shaft, their OHL capacity is greatly reduced compared to the standard catalog ratings. Please consult NORD for details on OHL ratings.



Calculation Table for OHL at Input Shaft

Helical In-line Gearboxes	Clincher™ Gearboxes	Bevel Gearboxes	Worm Gearboxes	y [in]	z [in]	c [lb-in]	FU [in]	FV [in]
	SK 0182 NB SK 0282 NB	SK 92072 SK 92172		2.30	3.09	239	0.500	1.50
	SK 1382 NB	SK 92372	SK 02040	2.30	3.09	327	0.625	1.50
		SK 92672		2.34	3.13	283	0.750	1.50
		SK 92772		2.72	3.70	965	0.875	2.00
SK 02 SK 03 SK 11E SK 12 SK 13 SK 23 SK 33N	SK 1282 SK 2382 SK 3382	SK 9012.1 SK 9013.1 SK 9016.1 SK 9017.1 SK 9022.1 SK 9023.1 SK 9033.1	SK 02050 SK 12063 SK 12080 SK 13050 SK 13063 SK 13080 SK 33100					
	SK 21E SK 31E SK 22 SK 32 SK 43 SK 53	SK 2282 SK 3282 SK 4382 SK 5382	SK 9032.1 SK 9043.1 SK 9053.1	SK 32100 SK 43215	2.76	3.54	322	0.625
	SK 41E SK 51E SK 42 SK 52 SK 63	SK 4282 SK 5282 SK 6382	SK 9042.1 SK 9052.1	SK 42125	3.80	4.78	947	0.875
	SK 62 SK 72 SK 73 SK 83 SK 93	SK 6282 SK 7282 SK 7382 SK 8382 SK 9382	SK 9072.1		4.35	5.93	4,160	1.500
	SK 82 SK 92 SK 103	SK 8282 SK 9282	SK 9082.1 SK 9086.1 SK 9092.1		5.89	8.05	4,071	1.625
	SK 102				8.17	10.93	16,107	2.500
		SK 10282 SK 10382 SK 11282 SK 11382 SK 12382			8.84	11.59	14,691	2.500
					14.57	17.32	Calculation Upon Request	2.750
								5.50

# Input Shaft - W Overhung & Axial Loads

Permissible Overhung ( $F_{R1}$ ) & Axial (Thrust) ( $F_{A1}$ ) Loads at Input Shaft [lbs]

Gearbox Type				Maximum Overhung Loads $F_{Q1}$ and Axial Loads $F_{A1}$											
Helical In-line Gear Units	Clincher™ Gear Units	Helical-bevel Gear Units	Worm Gear Units	Power Pn [HP]											
	SK 0182 NB SK 0282 NB	SK 92072 SK 92172		FR1 [Lbs] Application of load at midpoint of shaft											
				FA1 [Lbs]											
				277	252	224	200	173	131	79	65				
	SK 1382NB	SK92372	SK 02040	Power Pn [HP]											
				FR1 [Lbs] Application of load at midpoint of shaft											
				FA1 [Lbs]											
	SK 92672			Power Pn [HP]											
				FR1 [Lbs] Application of load at midpoint of shaft											
				FA1 [Lbs]											
	SK 92772			Power Pn [HP]											
				FR1 [Lbs] Application of load at midpoint of shaft											
				FA1 [Lbs]											
SK 11E	SK 1282	SK 9012.1	SK 02050	Power Pn [HP]											
SK 02		SK 9016.1	SK 12063	0.16	0.25	0.33	0.50	0.75	1.00	1.50	2.00	3.00	5.00		
SK 12		SK 9022.1	SK 12080	FR1 [Lbs] Application of load at midpoint of shaft											
SK 03		SK 9013.1	SK 13050	191	185	176	169	162	158	136	97	95	52		
SK 13		SK 9017.1	SK 13063	FA1 [Lbs]											
SK 23		SK 9023.1	SK 13080	277	252	224	200	173	131	79	65	45	34		
SK 33N		SK 9033.1	SK 33100												
SK 21E	SK 2282	SK 9032.1	SK 32100	Power Pn [HP]											
SK 31E				0.16	0.25	0.33	0.50	0.75	1.00	1.50	2.00	3.00	5.00	7.50	10.0
SK 22				FR1 [Lbs] Application of load at midpoint of shaft											
SK 32				479	473	466	461	448	434	407	414	389	362	230	225
SK 43				FA1 [Lbs]											
SK 53				659	646	626	587	558	525	467	441	392	329	146	61



**Permissible Overhung ( $F_{R1}$ ) & Axial (Thrust) ( $F_{A1}$ ) Loads at Input Shaft [lbs]**

Gearbox Type				Maximum Overhung Loads $F_{Q1}$ and Axial Loads $F_{A1}$												
Helical In-line Gear Units	Clincher™ Gear Units	Helical-bevel Gear Units	Worm Gear Units	Power Pn [HP]												
SK 41E				0.50   0.75   1.00   1.50   2.00   3.00   5.00   7.50   10.0   15.0												
SK 51E				FR1 [Lbs] Application of load at midpoint of shaft												
SK 42	SK 4282	SK 9042.1	SK 42125	470   626   538   603   585   547   518   407   281   106												
SK 52	SK 5282	SK 9052.1		FA1 [Lbs]												
SK 63	SK 6382			911   874   853   794   738   601   560   367   308   133												
SK 62	SK 6282			Power Pn [HP]												
SK 72	SK 7282			1.00   1.50   2.00   3.00   5.00   7.50   10.0   15.0   20.0   25.0   30.0   40.0   50.0												
SK 73	SK 7382	SK 9062.1		FR1 [Lbs] Application of load at midpoint of shaft												
SK 83	SK 8382			995   965   950   911   873   774   756   617   605   524   412   275   196												
SK 93	SK 9382			FA1 [Lbs]												
SK 82	SK 8282	SK 9082.1		1377   1323   1296   1238   1168   997   968   743   738   610   505   252   167												
SK 92	SK 9282	SK 9086.1		Power Pn [HP]												
SK 102	SK 10382	SK 9092.1		5.00   7.50   10.0   15.0   20.0   25.0   30.0   40.0   50.0   60.0   75.0   100   125												
				FR1 [Lbs] Application of load at midpoint of shaft												
				2480   2421   2336   2219   2144   2102   2093   1897   1827   1868   1667   1038   1177												
				FA1 [Lbs]												
				972   914   848   758   698   668   659   513   459   488   335   176   54												
	SK 10282			Power Pn [HP]												
	SK 10382			15.0   20.0   25.0   30.0   40.0   50.0   60.0   75.0   100   125   150   200												
	SK 11282			FR1 [Lbs] Application of load at midpoint of shaft												
	SK 11382			3902   3845   3796   2624   3632   3530   3413   3265   2959   2723   2401   1544												
	SK 12382			FA1 [Lbs]												
				3013   3078   3020   2957   2815   2696   2630   2471   2156   1922   1602   1130												