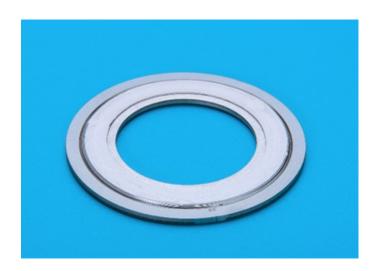
# **VORTEX™ GASKET-NM**

## TOMBO™ No. 1838R-NM



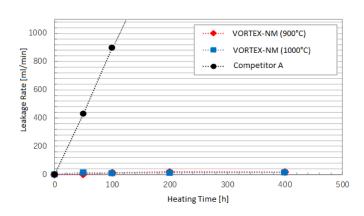
What's special about **VORTEX** ™ **Gasket-NM**?

- Serviceable high temperature up to 1000 °C higher than customary spiral wound gaskets
- Outstanding longer durability of superb sealing performance at high temperature than others
- ♦ Strong resistance to oxidizing substance
- Successful test result for API 6FB, Third Edition

### Application

- Suitable for flange coupling, valve bonnet and equipment at high temperature and high pressure.
- $\Diamond$  Applicable for water type fluids, oil type fluid, oxidizing acid/salts
- Recommended for oil refinery, petrochemical and power generations.

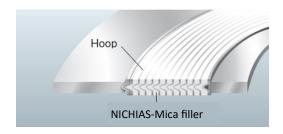
#### Heating Cycle Seal Test



**VORTEX** ™ **Gasket-NM** is a spiral wound gasket using **NM material**. **NM material** is developed by NICHIAS to overcome the chronical problem of vermiculite and graphite.

Vermiculite and graphite are known to have a problem in sealability and weakness in oxidant resistance, respectively. Due to its unique structure, **NM material** solves these issues by extending its sealing life-time and resisting to oxidization.

Exclusively to **NICHIAS, VORTEX** ™ **Gasket-NM** is a sealing solution for critical operation - high temperature and high pressure with flammable or toxic water/oil/gas medium for long useful time.



#### Design Criteria

	Gasket coefficient, m [—]	Minimum design seating stress, y [N/mm <sup>2</sup> ]	Minimum seating stress $\sigma^3$ [N/mm $^2$ ]		Allowable seating
			Water-type or oil-type fluid	Gas-type fluid	stress [N/mm²]
	3.00	68.9	34.3	78.4	294.2

#### Service Range

Water-type	Maximum Operating Temperature	1000 °C
Fluid	Maximum Operating Pressure	Class 2500 (Approx. 43 MPa)
Oil-type,	Maximum Operating Temperature	1000 ℃
Gas-type Fluid	Maximum Operating Pressure	Class 1500 (Approx. 26 MPa)

#### Hoop Material

- 312 Stainless Steel (J)
- Alloy 600 (Y)

VORTEX™ Gasket-NM shows stable sealability at high temperature and exhibits excellent sealing performance. It maintains the leakage at near zero level for 400 hours at 1000 °C as shown in the graph.

(tested by NICHIAS Corp.)

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