



## Product Test Report

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### TITLE

Tensile Pull Test of Alloy 825 Tubing with Stainless Steel Swagelok® Tube Fittings

### PRODUCT TESTED

Samples Tested	Alloy 825 Tubing Size OD x Wall in.	Tubing Hardness 15-T	Part Description Ordering Number
6	1/4 x 0.065	85	Male Connector SS-400-1-4
6	3/8 x 0.065	81	Male Connector SS-600-1-4
6	1/2 x 0.065	84	Male Connector SS-810-1-4
6	3/4 x 0.095	84	Male Connector SS-1210-1-4
6	1 x 0.109	86	Male Connector SS-1610-1-4

### PURPOSE

These assemblies were tested under laboratory conditions to observe the tube grip performance of stainless steel Swagelok tube fittings when installed on heavy-wall, alloy 825 tubing under tensile load.

### TEST CONDITIONS

Original test date: November 2014

Laboratory environment

### TEST METHOD

#### Hardness Measurements of Tubing:

1. Performed five measurements equally spaced apart on each tube OD using the 15-T scale with the 1/16-inch diameter ball penetrator.
2. Reported the average of the five measurements.
3. Added the tubing cylindrical values taken from the Wilson Chart #53 Cylindrical Conversion Table.

#### Tensile Pull Test:

1. The fitting was assembled according to the Swagelok tube fitting installation instructions.
2. Each sample was attached in turn to a tensile test stand.
3. Samples were tensile pulled at a rate of 1/8 in. (3.2 mm) per minute until either the tube pulled out of the fitting or the tube fractured.



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4. The judgment criterion is taken from ASTM F1387, Annex A7.

Calculated tensile load =  $A_p \times S_y$

where:

$A_p$  = cross-section area of the tube based on wall thickness

$S_y$  = minimum specified yield strength of tube.

5. The test result should exceed the calculated tensile load.

### TEST RESULTS

#### Tensile Pull Test

Alloy 825 Tubing Size OD x Wall in.	ASTM F1387 Calculated Tensile Load lb (kg)	Samples Attaining ASTM F1387 Calculated Tensile Load	Results
1/4 x 0.065	1443 (654)	6 / 6	Pass
3/8 x 0.065	2425 (1099)	6 / 6	Pass
1/2 x 0.065	3408 (1545)	6 / 6	Pass
3/4 x 0.095	7474 (3390)	6 / 6	Pass
1 x 0.109	11 254 (5104)	6 / 6	Pass

**The tests were conducted beyond the product's recommended operating parameters and do not modify the published product ratings.**

These tests were performed to consider a specific set of conditions and should not be considered valid outside those conditions. Swagelok Company makes no representation or warranties regarding these selected conditions or the results attained. Laboratory tests cannot duplicate the variety of actual operating conditions. Test results are not offered as statistically significant. See the product catalog for technical data.

#### SAFE PRODUCT SELECTION

When selecting a product, the total system design must be considered to ensure safe, trouble-free performance. Function, material compatibility, adequate ratings, proper installation, operation, and maintenance are the responsibilities of the system designer and user.



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### Referenced Documents

*Wilson Cylindrical Correction Chart # 53*, Wilson Instrument Division, 929 Connecticut Avenue, Bridgeport, CT 06602

ASTM F1387-99, *Standard Specification for Performance of Piping and Tubing Mechanically Attached Fittings*, American Society of Testing and Materials, 100 Barr Harbor Drive, West Conshohocken, PA 19428

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