## Flexible Expansion Joints

# Advantageous Features of Using Flexible Rubber Expansion Joints

### Absorbs Vibration, Noise and Shock

Sound travelling axially through Expansion Joints is stopped at once. Water hammer, pumping impulses and waterborne noises are absorbed by the molded, lightweight, thin-wall structure.

#### Easy to Install, Easy to Remove

Loose flanges, no need of gasket or packing, and elastic spherical body make Expansion Joints easy to install or remove.

#### **Higher Burst Strength**

Spherical shape is stronger than cylindrical shape or other configuration. Thus under pressure, Sure Flow Expansion Joints are 4 times as strong as cylindrical joints. Additionally, our products are made of the best suitable material, and hence their burst pressure is much higher than those of other makes.

## Wide Service Range

Made with chemical elastomers such as Neoprene.

#### **Greater Movements are Available**

Axial compression and elongation, deflection and angular movements will be greater.

#### **Suitable for Suction and Delivery**

Owing to its excellent molding technique with its tough chemical fiber, Expansion Joints can satisfactorily withstand the suction and discharge.

### **High Efficiency**

Expansion Joints have a streamlined, flowing arch to reduce turbulence, sediment build-up, thrust area and the effects of thrust on the piping system equipment.

#### **Low Deformation Under Pressure**

Internal pressure is exerted in all directions distributing forces evenly over a large area. Hence, the deformation of Sure Flow Expansion Joints due to pressure is much lower than that of other makes.

## **Light and Compact**

The space required for the installation of an Expansion Joint is about half of the requirement of a cylindrical joint. Weight is about one third.

#### Use In:

- · Air conditioning systems
- Air ducts
- Chemical lines
- · Circulating water lines
- Compressor lines
- · Paper stock lines
- · Pump-suction and discharge
- · Refrigeration lines
- · Turbine to condenser

#### **Marine Installations**

- Air intake on diesel engines
- Ballast
- Between scoop and condenser
- · Circulating lines to condenser
- · Fog foam lines
- · Fire and bilge pump lines
- · Forced draft
- Overboard discharge
- Sanitary system
- Ventilation lines

Applicable Fluids: Water, warm water, seawater, weak acids, alkalies, compressed air, etc.







