

Pressure Gauges

General purpose utility gauges ASME grade B 3-2-3% - Quality & Economy

Typical Applications: Air Conditioning, Heating & Hydraulic Systems, Sprinkler & Irrigation, Pressure Regulators, Water Pumps, Air Line Testing

All gauges to be installed in accordance with ANSI B40.1. All gauges are precision instruments and must be handled with care. A failure resulting in injury damage may be caused by pressure beyond top of scale, excessive vibration or pulsation excessive temperature, corrosion of the pressure containing parts or other misuse. DO NOT USE ON OXYGEN SERVICE

Air Test Gauge Assembly

- · All parts precision made and assembled with sealant
- 3/4" FPT
- · 2" Gauge
- 1427-A is an Ashcroft Gauge



Air Test Gauge Assembly

- 3/4" or 1" FPT
- · All parts precision made and assembled with sealant
- 2" Gauge
- Bell reducer type
- * Add -B for bottom mount



1/10 PSI Air Test **Gauge Assembly**

- 15 # gauge scaled in 1/10# increments
- · Complies with Section 319.0 of Uniform **Plumbing Code**
- · All parts precision made and assembled with sealant

NUMBER

1726-10G

• 3/4" FPT • 2" Gauge



PSI

0-15#

INCRE-

MENTS

1/10#

Low Pressure Air Test **Gauge Assembly**

- · 2-1/2" 5# low pressure gauge
- · Complete with body and air valve





Lazy Hand Water Test Gauge

- · 3/4" FHT brass swivel connection
- Filter washer

Regular pressure hand to peak operating or surge pressure point where it remains until you manually reset it. Excellent to determine if P/T valve is leaking from failure or if leaking is caused by surge or excessive pressures (gauge attached to boiler drain overnight) LAZY hand operates over entire gauge range.



PART NUMBER	PSI
1423	0-160#
1428	0-300#
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Water Test Gauge

· 3/4" FHT brass swivel GAUGE PART connection PSI NUMBER SIZE · Filter washer 1431 0-160# 2" 1432 0-300# 2" 1440 0-160# 2-1/2" 1430 0-300# 2-1/2" Connection Only (swivel) PART DESCRIPTION NUMBER Nut and Bushing 1402 3/4" FHT x 1/4" FPT

Separate Air Test Gauge Components





PASCO Pressure Gauges

- Steel case
- 1/4" MPT brass connection
- Plastic face



* 2" Gauge is divided into 1# increments

	GAUGE DESCRIPTION		
PSI	2"	2-1/2"	3-1/2"
15#	1726-10		—
30#	1727	1739	1751
60#	1728*	1740	—
100#	1729	1741	1753
160#	1730	1742	—
200#	1731	1743	—
300#		1744	_
400#	_	_	_
600#	_	_	-

5 PSI Low Pressure Test Diaphragm Gauge

- · Detects pressure in fractions of ounces
- · 2-1/2" diameter
- 1/4" MPT
- brass connectionExtremely
- accurate



Compound & Vacuum Gauges

- 2-1/2" diameter
- 1/4" MPT brass connection
- Steel case



Ashcroft Pressure Gauges

Plastic face
1/4" MPT brass connection



 2" Gauge is divided into 1# increments

	GAUGE DESCRIPTION	
PSI	2"	2-1/2"
15#	1726-A	1738-A
30#	1727-A	1739-A
60#	1728-A*	1740-A
100#	1729-A	1741-A
160#	1730-A	1742-A
200#	1731-A	1743-A
300#	1732-A	1744-A

2-1/2" Liquid Filled Pressure Gauges

- For use where gauge is exposed to corrosion, vibration and pulsation.
- Stainless steel case



Fire Protection Sprinkler Gauge









Dial Type Thermometers

- Superior quality
- · Back or bottom mount

Dual scale:

- 32°-250°F, 0°-120°C
- 3-1/2" diameter
- 1/2" MPT brass connection
- · 2-1/2" brass element (beyond MPT)
- Corrosion resistant steel case



Spring Strap-On Surface Thermometer New!

This new thermometer is specifically designed to provide an economical and accurate surface temperature measurement on any 1/2" to 4" pipe: iron, plastic, steel or copper. Easy on, easy off!

- Dual Scale 40°C/240°F 0°C/120°C
- 5° increments
- · Acrylic lens
- Accuracy +/- 3°



Springs



Pigtail Siphons

- 1/4" IPS
- 600 PSI-750°F



Pressure Gauge Snubber

- · Pulsation damper
- Protects air pressure gauges from sudden
 pressure surges
- 1/4" MPT x 1/4" FPT
- Brass



- Dual Scale:
- 40° 280°F
- 10° 130°C
- 1/2" MPT connection
- 1442-1444 7" overall length
- 1443-1445 10-1/2" overall length



PART NUMBER	MPT MATERIAL	STYLE
1442	Steel	Angle
1444	Brass	Angle
1443	Steel	Straight
1445	Brass	Straight

Boiler Gauges Pressure/Temperature

Specially constructed for use on hot water heater boilers, these combination gauges give accurate indication of temperature and pressure. Gauges are designed to withstand the conditions normally encountered on domestic heating systems.

Dual scale:

- 60° 260° F
- 20° 120° C
- 3-1/2" diameter
- 1/2" MPT brass connection
- Steel case
- · Glass face



PART NUMBER	PSI	CONNECTION AND ELEMENT LENGTH
1451	0-75 PSI	2-3/4" Bottom Mount
1452	0-75 PSI	2-3/4" Back Mount

- 60° 320° F
- 20° 160° C
- 2-3/4" diameter
- 1/4" MPT brass connection
- Center backmount
- Polycarbonate face
- Back mount only

PART NUMBER	PSI	CONNECTION AND ELEMENT LENGTH
1435	0-75 PSI	2-1/2" Back Mount
1437	0-75 PSI	3-1/2" Back Mount



The following information has been gathered from various sources, including AMETEK's Pressure Gauge Handbook and ANSI B-40. The descriptions and topics mentioned cover the particular gauges that are found in **PASCO**'s catalog.

Commercial Gauges:

Gauges found on much of the equipment used in manufacturing plants, stores, garages, etc. are classified as commercial gauges or general purpose gauges. Typical equipment uses include refrigeration units, pumps, compressors and fire extinguishers. In such applications, although the gauges may be ruggedly built, service conditions are not expected to be severe. These gauges are of Grade B accuracy and could have metal or plastic cases and glass or plastic faces.

Commercial gauges are low in cost and designed without refinements to simplify maintenance or repair due to the fact that it is less expensive to replace them than to repair them. Not for use on oxygen systems.

Grade B Gauges

GRADE B Gauges are used in the above mentioned general purpose applications. These gauges are often referred to as 3-2-3 gauges. The reason is that they have a an accuracy of 2% of span over the middle half of the scale and 3% of span over the first and last quarters of the scale. Grade B gauges are not high accuracy gauges, but suitable for commercial installations.

Gauge Take Up

The average user believes that if the gauge pointer is not on zero, then the gauge must be faulty and will refuse to accept the gauge or try to reset the pointer, damaging the gauge. As shown above, a GRADE B gauge pointer could not be at zero and still be within spec because of the 3% accuracy at either end of the scale. A GRADE B gauge will begin more accurate measurement once the pointer goes past the first 3 graduations of the scale.

Frequency Of Graduations

The frequency of the graduation on a gauge should bear a relationship to the grade of accuracy. For example, it is somewhat misleading to divide the gauge into 100 increments if the gauge is made to GRADE B accuracy.

Pulsation Damper

Push checks or throttle plugs are the least expensive pulsation dampers. These checks are usually made from the same material as the pressure port of the gauge and they are easily installed by pushing into the gauge stem. The small hole in the check helps alleviate pressure surges or spikes which may cause gauge failure. In the event of gauge failure, due to fatigue or corrosion, the check may also limit the flow of pressure medium if the gauge develops a leak. The small diameter hole in the check may become clogged with debris preventing gauge operation. The gauge should be checked from time to time and this hole kept free of debris.

Gauge Valves or Cocks - IMPORTANT

Gauge valves or cocks are installed in the pipeline leading to the gauge. The valve provides a means of shutoff so that the gauge can be removed from the line without loss of pressure. The valve also allows the gauge to be completely closed off from the pressure source except when it is necessary to take a reading. Clogging of the gauge stem is minimized and the gauge will also be isolated from pressure surges or spikes. This arrangement will nearly prevent early or unexpected gauge failure and greatly extend the life of the gauge.

Siphons

The purpose of the siphon is to provide a heat exchanger where steam in the line can be condensed and the resulting condensate cooled prior to entering the pressure gauge. This prevents the melting of the soft soldered joints of the gauge which could cause gauge failure. A pigtail siphon is a coiled tube. This coil provides a large cooling surface and the trap created prevents the condensate from draining away. Incoming vapor must pass through this liquid seal and is cooled. This type of siphon is often referred to as a trap.

Installation

In all installations, ANSI B40. must be strictly followed. Always use the wrench flat on the gauge stem to tighten the gauge into the fitting. Never APPLY TORQUE TO THE GAUGE CASE. It is suggestion that a joint compound instead of thread sealing tape be used. Tape sheds can get into the pressure gauge port of the gauge causing blockage.



Manual Air & Condensate Vents

- 1/8" threads
- · Nickle plated brass
- Qty pack 25



PART NUMBER	DESCRIPTION
605	Standard coin/key combo
605LK	Standard LESS key
606	Key ONLY

3 in 1 Radiator Air Vent Wrench

- Inserts
- Extracts
- · Renews threads



Radiator Spud Wrench for 1/2" - 2" Spuds



Radiator Valve Handles



Inspection Mirror -Telescoping

