

# **Classic MECO Technology**

HB Seal

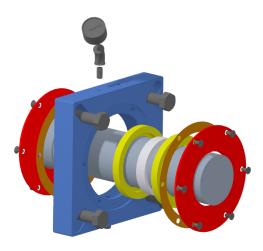
The MECO HB seal is a modular mechanical shaft seal, designed to fit process equipment following Conveyor Equipment Manufacturers Association (C.E.M.A.) standards, with many customizable material options to meet your application's requirements. The HB seal's air purge not only fortifies the HB's sealing performance but is also an effective diagnostic tool. Unlike standard stuffing box seals, the HB seal is non-abrasive to the machine's shaft and can accommodate up to ¼" of shaft runout.

## **How It Works**

The HB model's dynamic seal is formed between rotating, polymer seal faces (rotors) and stationary, stainless-steel seal faces (stators). Inside the seal's solid, square housing, the polymer rotors are frictionally locked into rotation with the machine's shaft by an elastomer drive ring. The sliding seal face is pneumatically loaded by a compressed gas, typically air or an inert gas, which also acts to clear the rotating seal faces of product and debris. In addition, the purge gas helps isolate the process from the atmosphere.

# **Applications**

MECO's HB seal is highly versatile, with the ability to seal a wide range of products and processes. It can be an especially effective solution to sealing smaller shafted equipment experiencing shaft runout. The HB seal can be used on horizontal, inclined, and vertical shafts. Several common machines and process material applications are listed to the right.



### **HB Seal Features:**

- Air-Purged
- Seconomical
- 🤣 Fully Split Repair Kits
- 🤣 Shaft Runout Capability

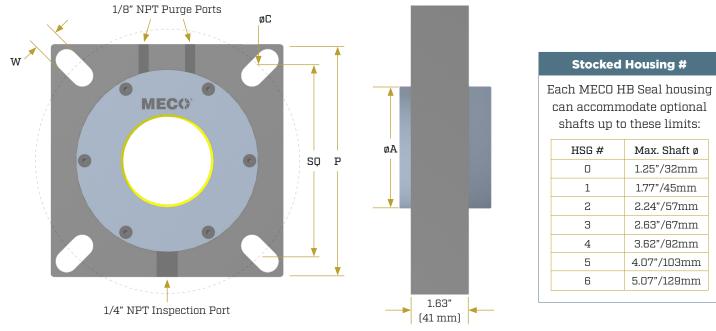
### HB Seal Machine Applications

- Screw Conveyors
- Small Blenders
- Bucket Elevators
- Hoppers
- Flange Bearing Applications

#### HB Seal Process Material Applications

- Powders
- Dewatering
- Dry Abrasive Processes
- Dry Conveying
- Dry Chemical Processes

# **HB Seal Sizing Chart**

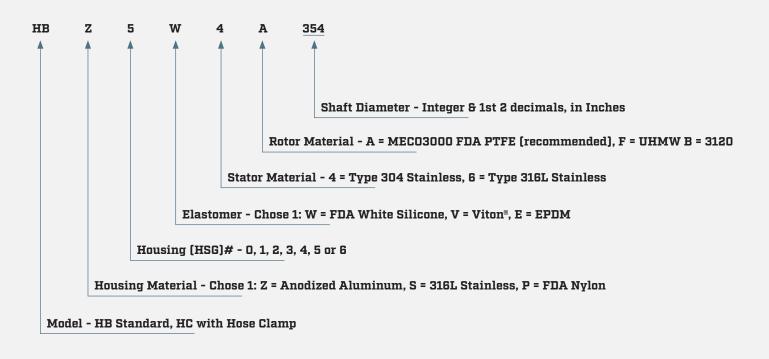


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|---|--------------------------------|--------------|--|--|--|--|
|   | can accommodate optional       |              |  |  |  |  |
|   | shafts up to these limits:     |              |  |  |  |  |
|   | HSG #                          | Max. Shaft ø |  |  |  |  |
|   | D                              | 1.25"/32mm   |  |  |  |  |
|   | 1                              | 1.77"/45mm   |  |  |  |  |
|   | 2                              | 2.24"/57mm   |  |  |  |  |
|   | З                              | 2.63"/67mm   |  |  |  |  |
|   | 4                              | 3.62"/92mm   |  |  |  |  |
|   | 5                              | 4.07"/103mm  |  |  |  |  |
|   | 6                              | 5.07"/129mm  |  |  |  |  |
|   |                                |              |  |  |  |  |

| S.A.E. Standard Sizes (Inches) |          |       |       |        |        |       |        |        |
|--------------------------------|----------|-------|-------|--------|--------|-------|--------|--------|
| CEMA Part #                    | øA Shaft | Р     | HSG # | SQ Min | SQ Max | W     | øC Min | øC Max |
| HBZOW4A100                     | 1.00     | 4.25  | 0     | 2.75   | 3.50   | 15/32 | 3.89   | 4.95   |
| HBZ1W4A150                     | 1.50     | 5.38  | 1     | 4.00   | 4.38   | 5/8   | 5.65   | 6.19   |
| HBZ2W4A200                     | 2.00     | 6.50  | 2     | 4.38   | 5.38   | 3/4   | 6.19   | 7.60   |
| HBZ3W4A244                     | 2.44     | 7.38  | 3     | 5.13   | 6.25   | 3/4   | 7.25   | 8.84   |
| HBZ4W4A300                     | 3.00     | 7.75  | 4     | 5.75   | 6.50   | 7/8   | 8.12   | 9.19   |
| HBZ5W4A344                     | 3.44     | 9.25  | 5     | 6.75   | 8.00   | 7/8   | 9.55   | 11.31  |
| HBZ6W4A444                     | 4.44     | 10.88 | 6     | 7.75   | 8.75   | 7/8   | 10.96  | 12.38  |

| METRIC Standard Sizes (Millimeters) |          |     |       |        |        |    |        |        |
|-------------------------------------|----------|-----|-------|--------|--------|----|--------|--------|
| Metric Part #                       | øA Shaft | Р   | HSG # | SQ Min | SQ Max | w  | øC Min | øC Max |
| HBZ1W4A157/177                      | 40/45    | 137 | 1     | 102    | 111    | 16 | 144    | 157    |
| HBZ2W4A197/217                      | 50/55    | 165 | 2     | 111    | 137    | 19 | 157    | 193    |
| HBZ3W4A236/256                      | 60/56    | 187 | 3     | 130    | 159    | 19 | 184    | 225    |
| HBZ4W4A276                          | 70       | 197 | 4     | 146    | 165    | 22 | 206    | 233    |
| HBZ4WA295                           | 75       | 197 | 4     | 146    | 165    | 22 | 206    | 233    |
| HBZ4W4A315                          | 80       | 197 | 4     | 146    | 165    | 22 | 206    | 233    |
| HBZ5W4A335                          | 85       | 235 | 5     | 171    | 203    | 22 | 243    | 287    |
| HBZ5W4A354                          | 90       | 235 | 5     | 171    | 203    | 22 | 243    | 287    |
| HBZ6W4A394                          | 100      | 276 | 6     | 197    | 222    | 24 | 278    | 314    |
| HBZ6W4A433                          | 110      | 276 | 6     | 197    | 222    | 24 | 278    | 314    |

## Part Number Decoder



# **Material Options**

The HB seal is available in a variety of materials to meet the requirements of your sealing application. Contact MECO with your specific application requirements for a custom solution.

| Stator<br>Materials    | 304L Stainless-Steel<br>316L Stainless-Steel               |  |  |  |  |
|------------------------|--|--|--|--|--|
| Housing<br>Materials   | Anodized 6061 Aluminum<br>316 Stainless Steel<br>FDA Nylon |  |  |  |  |
| Elastomer<br>Materials | Viton®<br>Silicone<br>EPDM                                 |  |  |  |  |
| Rotor<br>Materials     | MECO 3000 *<br>MECO 3120 *<br>UHMW<br>MECO 3400 **         |  |  |  |  |

\* FDA Approved Polymers

\*\* EC10/2011 Approved Polymers



HBP - FDA Nylon



HBZ - Anodized Aluminum



HBS - 316 Stainless Steel

# Maintenance

The HB model's sealing performance can be easily monitored by maintenance and production personnel using the seal's pressure gauge system. The pressure gauge system is effective in quickly alerting maintenance and production personnel of a potential seal breach so that repairs or replacements can be made before product leakage occurs.

MECO offers fully split repair kits to replace soft wear components like the polymer rotors and elastomer drive ring. Unsplit repair kits are available to replace all wear components including the stainless-steel stators.

# **Operating Parameters**

MECO specializes in custom engineered seals designed for the particulars of each specific application. The mechanical capabilities of the HB seal are dependent on the materials and processes involved in the application. MECO has a range of other seal models that may be more applicable if the HB seal isn't a good fit for your application.



To learn more and to find out if the **HB Seal** is the right seal for you, please give us a call, or submit an online application today!

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