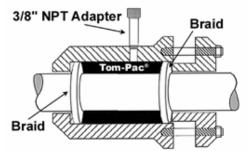


Tom-Pac® Installation Procedure

- 1. A good installation starts with equipment in good mechanical condition. Bearings, sleeve, stuffing box, follower, etc.
- Ensure that the installation is within **Tom-Pac**®'s 2. tolerances.
- 3. Measure shaft deflection with a dial indicator. Optimum Total Indicator Reading is .003" (0,075 mm)



- 4. Disconnect water line to lantern ring, if any.
- 5. Remove all old packing and lantern ring from stuffing box. **Note**: Do not remove lantern ring if it is installed at the front of the stuffing box (wet end) forming part of the throat bushing.
- 6. Clean shaft of any debris and flush stuffing box.
- 7. Check that the flush water port, which will now be used as the injection port for **Tom-Pac®**, is approximately in the center of the stuffing box, with a 3/8" NPT opening straight to the shaft, with no restriction or reduction. If needed, re-drill with a 9/16" bit right to the shaft and tap 3/8" NPT.
- 8. Install a **new** piece of **graphite** braided packing at the wet end of the stuffing box (If graphite is not suitable contact Tom-Pac for recommendations). Ensure that the braid is cut at a 45° angle and properly seated in the stuffing box.
- Braid is cut at 45° angle SHAFT
- 9. Fill stuffing box evenly with TP-4000 or TP-5400. Compact by hand using gland follower to compress and remove air pockets.
- 10. Install a second **new** piece of braid at the dry end of the stuffing box. Install follower, ensuring that it enters the stuffing box at least 1/8". Tighten nuts **moderately** just to secure the follower. **Do not** overtighten. Install double nuts.
- Load and install Linear LoaderTM according to instructions. 11
- 12. Start equipment and adjust to zero leakage, if necessary, by injecting additional compound via the Linear LoaderTM.
- 13. Install equipment maintenance tag.

IMPORTANT FACTS TO REMEMBER DURING INSTALLATION!

Make certain waterline is disconnected before installing Tom-Pac!

Always cut braid end rings at 45° angle!

Initial Installation is always done by hand, **not** by injection!

If a pipe is used to connect Injector to stuffing box port, Always pre-fill the pipe before connecting!

Never try to inject compound through pipe elbows of more than 45° angle!

Never use reducers if pipes are installed. Injection port must be 3/8" NPT all the way into the stuffing box.

