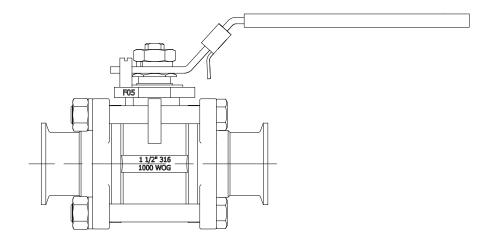








# **OPERATING MANUAL SANITARY MANUAL BALL VALVE**



#### **Instructions:**

- 1. Steel & O'Brien manual ball valves are designed for use with different standards and require a low torque for opening and closing
- 2. When installing, determine that the valve is set in the correct position, open or closed.
- 3. Before installation, check that the handle is connected tightly to the valve body.
- 4. Keep all valve surfaces as clean as possible to prevent corrosion.
- 5. Disassemble the valve for proper cleaning of inner parts and surfaces.
- 6. Any loose screws or modifications to the bolts may affect valve performance.
- 7. Check the valve seat often to avoid leaking and replace as needed.

#### Notices:

## A. PRECAUTION BEFORE USING:

- a. Stock ball valves in a dry area, if possible leave in original packaging prior to use.
- b. To prevent damage, do not stock valves on handle.

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## B. ASSEMBLY ON THE PROCESS LINE:

- a. Weld End:
  - 1. Disassemble the weld flanges for welding to avoid the gasket being damaged.
  - 2. Clean all inner surfaces while assembling after welding.
  - 3. Tighten up all of the bolts.
  - 4. Turn handle completely to the fully open-closed positions a few times to ensure the valve is engaging smoothly.

## b. Clamp End:

- 1. Before installing verify correct valve connection size and style with the process line size and style.
- 2. Properly install the valve according to the connection style.

### D. WORK TEMPERATURE & PRESSURE:

1. Working pressure for valve:

1/2" - 4" (up to 68 bar) up to 1000psi @ 70° f 1/2" - 4" (up to 20 bar) up to 200psi @ 300° f

(values dependent on clamp style used during installation)

- 2. Working temperature (water): (-17°c to 148°c) 0°f to 300°f dependent on size, gasket material and clamp style used during installation.
- 3. Torque required to fully open and fully close valve:

Size	1/2"	3/4"	1"	1-1/2"	2"	2-1/2"	3"	4"
N*m (newton meter)	4.75	6.55	10.51	32.20	39.54	88.35	107.45	139.20
Inch-Pounds	42	58	93	285	350	782	951	1232

#### Valve Notes:

Replacement kits are available and include:

PTFE Ball Body Gasket Thrust Washer Stem Seal

Valve body gaskets and seats should be inspected regularly for wear Body: Precision machined from 316ss, Casting to ASTM CF-8M Specification Body connection can be changed and is available in many variations including: Weld, Clamp, Bevel Seat, SMS, DIN, 3A and other options available

Seat: PTFE full flow encapsulated