**Introduction to a Gasket**

At the simplest level, a gasket does nothing more than make sure a pipe connection doesn’t leak.

Spiral Wound gaskets, first introduced in 1912, offer an inexpensive solution (along with sheet gaskets) to sealing a pipe flange in your most common applications.

That is until they leak!

**The Ultimate Gasket**

All of our gaskets, due to the unique design, offer you the following…

- **Ability to cope against severe thermal cycling and vibration.**
- **Inherent Live Loading capability.**
- **Fire, Blow Out and Leak proof.**
- **Superior pressure handling.**
- **Cannot be over compressed.**
- **No need to re-torque.**
- **True compression seal.**
- **Eliminates fugitive emissions.**

The Selco Seal® gaskets superior performance results in costs savings in all areas, including production downtime, product loss, repair costs, etc.

Your cost of ownership will be a fraction of the competitors gasket, because once you install a Selco Seal® gasket, you can forget about it. It is a permanent fix.

With leakage rates of <10ppm and a long history of performance in complex applications, now is the time to install the optimum gasket available.

For additional technical information, you can refer to the Data Sheets for each product line. For more information on the gasket design, you can refer to the Why Thin Gaskets are Better handout.

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**A Better Solution**

Sealing Corporation offers a range of metal gaskets, commonly referred to as Selco Seal® or Steel Trap® gaskets.

There are four (4) basic product lines…

- **SELF LOCATOR**
- **INSERTABLE**
- **RING**
- **MANWAY**

And our CUSTOM gaskets