

SAA088Y03B-002

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**Critical Item:** Check Valve  
**Total Quantity:** 4 items Total  
**Find Number:** See Table  
**Criticality Category:** 1B

**SAA No:** 098Y03B-002      **System/Area:** Pad Water/Pad B  
**NASA Part No:** 79K80133-3      **PMIN/Name:** See Table  
**Mfgt/Part No:** Circle Seal  
 HP268T-8BB      **Drawing/Sheet No:** 79K40019  
 6, 7, & 8

**Function:** Prevents GN2 supply pressure from flowing back into GN2 system supply line.

**Critical Failure Mode/Failure Mode No:** Fail closed / 098Y03B-002.006

**Failure Cause:** Caused by corrosion, contamination or structural failure of internal piece part.

**Failure Effect:** See Table. Possible loss of life or vehicle in the event of a hazardous condition. An operational failure can be detected by monitoring associated water valve position indicator switch function designators. (NOTE: Water valve V10A supporting the LH2 transfer area and water valve V11A supporting the LOX transfer area do not have position indicator switches. Visual confirmation of no firex water flow in each area is the only method to detect check valve failure.) Time to effect immediate.

#### ACCEPTANCE RATIONALE

**Design:**

	<u>Rated</u>	<u>Actual</u>
Working pressure	6000 psig	50 psig
Temp (° F)	-40 to 250	Ambient at Pad

- Body material: 300 series stainless steel
- Seat material: TFE
- Disc & Shaft material: 316 Stainless Steel

**Test:**

- System validation (OMI M2086) requires cycling of perimeter area water valves to verify proper operation.

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- OMRSD, File VI requires verification of the operational function of the water valves in all modes of operation - annually and at replacement.
- Manufacturer hydrostat test 450 psig.

#### Inspection:

- Pre-mission OM's require the inspection of the firex valves for signs of corrosion and/or contamination.

#### Failure History:

- Current data on test failures, unexpected anomalies, and other failures experienced during ground processing activities can be found in the PRACA database. The PRACA database was researched and no failure data was found on this component in the critical failure mode.
- The CEDEP failure data interchange was researched and no failure data was found on this component in the critical failure mode.

#### Operational Use:

- **Correcting Action:**

There is no action which can be taken to mitigate the failure effect.

- **Timeframe:**

Since no correcting action is available, timeframe does not apply.

Table 22. Circle Seal Check Valve Critical Item Summary

<u>Item No.</u>	<u>Failure Effect</u>	<u>PMN/Name</u>	<u>OCT 31 1987</u>
A530410 (CK-12)	Loss of firex water flow to LH2 and GH2 Storage Areas	K60-0049-01/ LH2 Storage Area	S050234HK Attachment Sheet 13 of 15
A530412 (CK-11)	Loss of firex water flow to LOX Storage Area	K60-0052-01/ LOX Storage Area	
A530414 (CK-67)	Loss of firex water flow to Hypergol Fuel Area	K60-0053-01/ Hypergol Fuel Area	
A530416 (CK-61)	Loss of firex water flow to Hypergol Oxidizer Area	K61-2942-01/ Hypergol Oxidizer Area	