

## Table of Equivalents

To convert units appearing in Column 1 (left column) into equivalent values in Column 2 (center column), multiply by factor in Column 3. Example: To convert 7 gallons into cubic inches, multiply  $7 \times 231 = 1617$ . To convert units appearing in Column 2 (center) into equivalent values of units in Column 1 (left), divide by factor in Column 3. Example: To convert 25 horsepower into Btu per minute, divide 25 by  $0.02356 = 1061$

| To Convert Into                         | Into To Convert                    | Multiply By Divide By              |
|---|------------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| Atmospheres                             | Feet of Water                      | 33.9                               |
| Atmospheres                             | Inches of Mercury (Hg)             | 29.92                              |
| Atmospheres                             | PSI (LBS per Sq. Inch)             | 14.7                               |
| BTU                                     | Foot Pounds                        | 778.3                              |
| BTU per hour                            | Watts                              | 0.2931                             |
| BTU per minute                          | HorsePower                         | 0.02356                            |
| Celsius (Centigrade)                    | Fahrenheit                         | $^{\circ}\text{C} \times 1.8 + 32$ |
| Centimeters                             | Inches                             | 0.3937                             |
| Cubic Centimeters                       | Gallons (U.S. Liquid)              | 0.0002642                          |
| Cubic Centimeters                       | Liters                             | 0.0001                             |
| Cubic Feet                              | Cubic Inches                       | 1728                               |
| Cubic Feet                              | Gallons (U.S. Liquid)              | 7.48052                            |
| Cubic Inches                            | Cubic Feet                         | 0.0005787                          |
| Cubic Inches                            | Gallons (U.S. Liquid)              | 0.004329                           |
| Days                                    | Seconds                            | 86,400                             |
| Degrees (Angle)                         | Radians                            | 0.01745                            |
| Feet                                    | Meters                             | 0.3048                             |
| Feet                                    | Miles                              | 0.0001894                          |
| Feet of Water                           | Atmospheres                        | 0.0295                             |
| Feet of Water                           | Inches of Mercury (Hg)             | 0.8826                             |
| Feet of Water                           | PSI (Lbs per Sq. Inch)             | 0.4335                             |
| Feet per Minute                         | Miles per Hour                     | 0.01136                            |
| Feet per Second                         | Miles per Hour                     | 0.6818                             |
| Foot-Pounds                             | BTU                                | 0.001286                           |
| Foot-Pounds per Minute                  | Horsepower                         | 0.0000303                          |
| Foot-Pounds per Second                  | Horsepower                         | 0.001818                           |
| Gallons (U.S. Liquid)                   | Cubic Feet                         | 0.1337                             |
| Gallons (U.S. Liquid)                   | Cubic Inches                       | 231                                |
| Gallons of Water                        | Pounds of Water                    | 8.3453                             |
| Horsepower                              | BTU per Minute                     | 42.44                              |
| Horsepower                              | Foot-Pound per Minute              | 33,000                             |
| Horsepower                              | Foot Pounds per Second             | 550                                |
| Horsepower                              | Watts                              | 745.7                              |
| Hours                                   | Days                               | 0.04167                            |
| Hours                                   | Weeks                              | 0.005952                           |
| Inches                                  | Centimeters                        | 2.54                               |
| Inches of Mercury (Hg)                  | Atmospheres                        | 0.03342                            |
| Inches of Mercury (Hg)                  | Feet of Water                      | 1.133                              |
| Inches of Mercury (Hg)                  | PSI (Lbs. per Sq. Inch)            | 0.4912                             |
| Inches of Water                         | PSI (Lbs. per Sq. Inch)            | 0.03613                            |
| Liters                                  | Cubic Centimeters                  | 1000                               |
| Liters                                  | Gallons (U.S. Liquid)              | 0.2642                             |
| Micron                                  | Inches                             | 0.00004                            |
| Miles (Statute)                         | Feet                               | 5280                               |
| Miles per hour (MPH)                    | Feet per Minute                    | 88                                 |
| Miles per hour                          | Feet per Second                    | 1.467                              |
| Ounces (Weight)                         | Pounds                             | 0.0625                             |
| Ounces (Liquid)                         | Cubic Inches                       | 1.805                              |
| Pints (Liquid)                          | Quarts (Liquid)                    | 0.5                                |
| Pounds                                  | Grains                             | 7000                               |
| Pounds                                  | Grams                              | 453.59                             |
| Pounds                                  | Ounces                             | 16                                 |
| PSI (Pounds per Sq. Inch)               | Atmospheres                        | 0.06804                            |
| PSI (Pounds per Sq. Inch)               | Feet of Water                      | 2.307                              |
| PSI (Pounds per Sq. Inch)               | Inches of Mercury (Hg)             | 2.036                              |
| Quarts                                  | Gallons                            | 0.25                               |
| Square Feet                             | Square Inches                      | 144                                |
| Temperature ( $^{\circ}\text{F} - 32$ ) | Temperature ( $^{\circ}\text{C}$ ) | 0.5555                             |
| Tons (U.S.)                             | Pounds                             | 2000                               |
| Watts                                   | Horsepower                         | 0.001341                           |

## Appendix 1: Torque Specifications

| Location # | Part #  | Description                          | Torque in Inch Pounds | Torque in Newton Meters |
|------------|---------|--------------------------------------|-----------------------|-------------------------|
| 8          | 550-081 | Regulator mount nut                  | 75                    | 11.3                    |
| 20         | 530-317 | Nut, air train                       | 35                    | 4                       |
| 22         | 530-317 | Nut, air train                       | 15                    | 1.6                     |
| 25         | 530-050 | Screw, sideblock                     | 20                    | 2.25                    |
| 29         | 530-052 | Screw, port plug                     | 20                    | 2.25                    |
| 30         | 530-035 | Screw, port retainer                 | 12                    | 1.3                     |
| 34         | 550-062 | Knob, nose block                     | 12                    | 1.3                     |
| 38         | 530-045 | Screw, whisker kidney plate          | 12                    | 1.3                     |
| 46         | 550-055 | Packing nut, regulator               | 40 after seating      | 4.52 after seating      |
| 49         | 530-030 | Screw, regulator clamp               | 12                    | 1.3                     |
| 61c        | 550-050 | Jam nut, regulator                   | 40                    | 4.5                     |
| 61b        | 550-048 | Inlet nipple, regulator              | 40                    | 4.5                     |
| 62c        | 530-020 | Screw, exhaust flange                | 6                     | .67                     |
| 70         | 550-040 | Mount nut, communications penetrator | 20                    | 2.25                    |
| 71         | 530-308 | Nut, communications posts            | 20                    | 2.25                    |
| 78         | 555-178 | Packing nut, waterproof connector    | 20                    | 2.25                    |
| 86         | 550-020 | Bonnet, defogger valve               | 100                   | 11.3                    |
| 92         | 550-024 | Stud, sideblock                      | 50                    | 5.65                    |
| 94         | 550-140 | Emergency valve body                 | See note 1            | See note 1              |
| 98         | 550-091 | Packing nut, emergency valve         | 50 after seating      | 5.65 after seating      |
| 103        | 555-195 | One way valve                        | 150                   | 17                      |
| 104        | 555-117 | Adapter, brass (umbilical)           | See note 1            | See note 1              |
| 105        |         | One way valve seat                   | 150                   | 17                      |
| 111        |         | One way valve body                   | 150                   | 17                      |
| 114        | 550-095 | Low pressure plug                    | 20                    | 2.25                    |
| 116        | 555-154 | Bent tube assy, sideblock end        | 100                   | 11.3                    |
| 122c       | 530-073 | Screw, band adjustment               | 26                    | 2.94                    |

Note 1: Use Teflon® tape for one to one and a half wraps, starting two threads back from the pipe thread end of the fitting to avoid getting Teflon® tape in the valve. Tighten pipe thread using good engineering practices.

\* For a neoprene neck dam, turn the screw three turns. Screws may need adjustment after several dives.

### **Checklist, Maintenance, and Pre-Dive Inspections**

For the most current check lists, helmet maintenance procedures, and pre-dive inspections, please check on the Internet at [www.divelab.com](http://www.divelab.com).

## Appendix A2

# Maintenance and Inspection Procedures

The following section describes the maintenance and inspection procedures that are used to complete the Annual, Monthly and Daily Checklists, to ensure optimum reliability and performance. These procedures are additionally utilized in conjunction with the daily pre and post dive maintenance checklists. The following service intervals are the minimum recommended for helmets being used under good conditions. Helmets used in harsh conditions, i.e., contaminated water, welding / burning operations, or jetting may require more frequent servicing.

The intention of the maintenance and overhaul program is to help maintain all helmet components in good working order in accordance with KMDSI factory specifications. It will also help to identify worn or damaged parts and components before they affect performance and reliability. Whenever the serviceability of a component or part is in question, or doubt exists, replace it. All helmet components and parts have a service life and will eventually require replacement.

**NOTE:** The side block does not need to be removed from the helmet annually, providing, after removal of side block components, there is no corrosion and verdigris. Kirby Morgan recommends that every three years the side block assembly be physically removed from the helmet per Section 7.3. Clean and inspect the stud and securing screw, replace if bent, stripped, or any damage is detected.

**NOTE:** The pipe thread fittings used on the umbilical adapter and the emergency gas valve are the only fittings that require sealing with Teflon tape. Do not use liquid sealant. When installing Teflon tape on pipe threads, apply the tape starting one thread back from the end of the fitting. Apply the tape in a clockwise direction under tension. 1-1½ wraps is all that is needed. The use of more than 1½ wraps could cause excess Teflon tape to travel into the breathing system. Do not overtighten when installing.

Chapters 6, 7 and 8 of this maintenance manual gives guidance on all routine and corrective maintenance and repairs. Disassembly and reassembly of components is explained in a step-by-step manner that may not necessarily call out that all O-rings and normal consumable items will be replaced. The manual is written in this way so that if an assembly, component, or part is being inspected or disturbed between

normal intervals it is acceptable to reuse O-rings and components providing they pass a visual inspection. When conducting annual or scheduled overhauls all O-rings should be replaced. The side block should be removed from the helmet at least every three years (or 400 operating hours) so that the stud and securing screw can be inspected. All O-rings should be lightly lubricated with the applicable lubricant.

### Lubrication / Cleanliness:

Helmets intended for use with breathing gas mixtures in excess of 50% oxygen by volume, should be cleaned for oxygen service. They must only be lubricated with oxygen compatible lubricants such as Christo-Lube® or Krytox®. All air supply systems must be filtered and must meet the requirements of grade D quality air or better. Helmet breathing gas systems/gas train components used for air diving should only be lubricated with silicone grease Dow Corning® 111 or equivalent. KMDSI uses Christo-Lube® at the factory for lubrication of all gas train components requiring lubrication, and highly recommends its use.

Before 1999, Kirby Morgan Dive Systems, Inc., used Danger and Warning Notices in the helmet and mask owner's manual limiting the breathing gas percentage to less than 23.5 percent oxygen. This was due primarily to cleaning issues in regards to possible fire hazards and was in compliance with the recommendations of the Association of Standard Test Methods (ASTM), National Fire Protection Agency (NFPA), and the Compressed Gas Association (CGA) as well as other industry standards.

During the 1990's, open circuit scuba use of enriched-air (Nitrox) by technical and recreational divers became very popular, and as use increased, so did the number of combustion incidents during the mixing and handling of the breathing mixtures. These combustion incidents brought attention to the dangers and inherent risks associated with oxygen and oxygen enriched gas mixtures.

Kirby Morgan cannot dictate or override regulations or recommendations set forth by industry standards or governing bodies pertaining to enriched gas use. However, it is the opinion of Kirby Morgan that breathing gas mixtures up to 50% oxygen by volume should not pose a significant increased risk of fire or combustion in Kirby Morgan helmets and masks

low-pressure components and does not warrant the need for the stringent specialized oxygen clean post-sampling and particulate analysis normally accomplished for components used in high pressure oxygen valves, regulators, and piping systems. The decision for using 50% has been primarily based on a long history of operational field use.

As long as Kirby Morgan helmets and masks are cleaned and maintained in accordance with the maintenance manual, the equipment should not pose a significant increased risk of a fire or ignition originating in the helmet or mask low-pressure (<250 p.s.i.g. /<17.2 bar or less) components when used with enriched gases of up to 50% oxygen. However, CAUTION should be exercised any time enriched gases are handled or used.

In general, helmets and masks used primarily for mixed gas use are subject to far less oil and particulate contamination than those used for air diving. For this reason, helmets and masks commonly used with both air and enriched breathing gases should be cleaned and maintained with greater care and vigilance. It is important that all internal gas-transporting components, i.e., side block, bent tube, and demand regulator assemblies remain clean and free of hydrocarbons, dirt, and particulates. Whenever the equipment is depressurized, all exposed ports or fittings should be plugged/capped to help maintain foreign material exclusion.

Gas train components should be cleaned according to the procedures outlined in the operations manual at least annually and/or whenever contamination is suspected or found. Helmet interior and exterior surfaces should be cleaned at least daily at the completion of daily diving operations. Helmets and masks used in waters contaminated with oils and other petroleum or chemical contaminants may require cleaning after each dive.

Helmet and mask components requiring lubrication should be lubricated sparingly with lubricants approved for oxygen use such as Christo-Lube®, Krytox®, or Fluorolube®. KMDSI highly recommends using Christo-Lube®, and uses Christo-Lube® during the assembly of all KMDSI gas train components.

Regardless of the approved lubricant used, never mix different kinds of lubricants. Persons mixing handling and working with breathing gases should be properly trained in all aspects of safe gas handling.

## WARNING

**Do not use lubricants of any kind on the diaphragm or exhaust valves. Use of lubricants can attract and hold debris that could interfere with the proper operation of the regulator.**

*NOTE: Refer to Chapter 7 for removal and disassembly / reassembly procedures.*

*NOTE: The helmet weights do not need to be removed from the helmet unless fiberglass damage is present or suspected.*

*NOTE: During annual overhauls, all O-rings and soft goods, i.e., valve seats and washers should be replaced. KMDSI offers kits that have all the necessary parts.*

*NOTE: The neck dam rubber need not be replaced if the inspection reveals no damage or significant wear and the rubber components are not dried out.*

*NOTE: The oral nasal mask and oral nasal valve requires replacement, only if inspection reveals damage, distortion, or signs of damage.*

*NOTE: All threaded fasteners and parts require careful cleaning and inspection as well as the mating parts. Replace any and all threaded parts or components that show signs of wear or damage.*

KMDSI highly recommends a certified KMDSI repair technician make all repairs and that only genuine KMDSI repair and replacement parts be used. Owners of KMDSI products that elect to do their own repairs and inspections should only do so if they possess the knowledge and experience. All inspections, maintenance and repairs should be completed using the appropriate KMDSI Operation and Maintenance Manual.

Persons performing repairs should retain all replacement component receipts for additional proof of maintenance history. Should any questions on procedures, components, or repairs arise, please telephone Kirby Morgan Dive Systems, Inc., at 1-805-928-7772 or E-mail them at [kmdsi@kirbymorgan.com](mailto:kmdsi@kirbymorgan.com) or telephone Dive Lab, Inc., at 1-850-235-2715 or E-mail them at [divelab@aol.com](mailto:divelab@aol.com).

## Appendix 3

# Supply Pressure Requirements & Tables

Table 1 should be used whenever low pressure compressors are used or when using surface control panels that are limited to outlet pressures within the range of 220 psig or less.

It is important to insure the required outlet pressure from the table can be maintained in a stable manner at the surface to insure adequate supply at depth. When used with high pressure consoles that can regulate pressures greater than 220 psig use Appendix 3 Table 3 SuperFlow® / SuperFlow® 350 Regulator High Pressure Regulated Source.

### Diver Work Rates

The divers work rate, also known as respiratory minute volume (RMV), is basically how hard the diver breathes. As the diver's physical exercise increases, so does the ventilation rate. Proper training teaches the diver to never push the work rate beyond normal labored breathing. (This is in the 30-50 RMV range). To put things in perspective, heavy work for a physically fit person:

Swimming at one knot is about 38 RMV  
Running at 8 miles per hour is about 50 RMV

Once the diver hits 55 RMV, they are entering the extreme range. Many fit divers can do 75 RMV for one to two minutes providing the inhalation resistive effort of the breathing system is not much above 1-1.3 J/L. The divers work rate should never be so heavy that the diver cannot maintain a simple conversation with topside.

When the work rate gets into the moderately heavy to heavy range 40-50 RMV the diver needs to slow down!

Working to the point of being excessively winded should be avoided at all costs!

Working at rates greater than 58 RMV underwater is extreme, and can pose hazards that are not present when doing extreme rates on the surface. When underwater, inhalation and exhalation resistive effort increases due to the density of the breathing gas and resistive effort of the equipment. The increase in resistive effort can cause an increase in blood level CO<sub>2</sub> because the diver cannot ventilate as freely as when breathing at the surface. When breathing air at the deeper depths, nitrogen narcosis can mask

CO<sub>2</sub> symptoms which can then snowball into even heavier breathing, often resulting in confusion, panic, and in rare cases muscle spasm, unconsciousness, sometimes resulting in death. In some rare cases high ventilation rates has been suspected as the cause of respiratory barotraumas, including arterial gas embolism. The possibility of suffering a respiratory over inflation event during high work rates while underwater could be even greater for divers that smoke, or have previous known or unknown lung disease or respiratory damage. The safest course for the diver is to keep the equipment properly maintained for peak performance and to know and understand the capabilities and limitations of the equipment including all breathing supply systems they use.

The output capability of the supply system including umbilicals should be known to all that use it and periodic tests should be done to insure flow capability.

### Use Of Low Pressure Supply Table

The low pressure supply tables were developed to simplify calculation of supply pressure. In order to get the required volume to the diver, you need to have the proper supply pressure. The table starts at 90 psig and increases in 10 psig increments. The user simply selects the lowest pressure that best represents the low cycling pressure of the compressor being used. The table basically shows the maximum depth that can be attained while breathing at RMV's (breathing rates in liters per minute) listed. It is strongly recommended that divers plan for a minimum supply pressure that will allow the diver to work at no less that 50 - 62.5 RMV.

**Appendix 3 Table 1 Work Rate Expressed as Respiratory Minute Volume (RMV)\***

| Work Load     | RMV        | Cubic Feet/Minute (CFM) | Equivalent Land Based Exercise |
|---------------|------------|-------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Rest          | 7-10 RMV   | 0.2 - 0.35 CFM          |                                |
| Light Work    | 10-20 RMV  | 0.35 - 0.7 CFM          | Walking 2 miles per hour       |
| Moderate Work | 20-37 RMV  | 0.7 - 1.3 CFM           | Walking 4 miles per hour       |
| Heavy Work    | 37-54 RMV  | 1.3 - 1.9 CFM           | Running 8 miles per hour       |
| Severe Work   | 55-100 RMV | 1.94 - 3.5 CFM          |                                |

\* source: U.S. Navy Diving Manual

**Appendix 3 Table 2 Compressor Supply Table SuperFlow and SuperFlow 350**

Supply Pressure Requirements for Helmets & Masks equipped with SuperFlow® and SuperFlow® 350 Non-balanced regulators when used with low pressure compressors

| Supply Pressure             | RMV         | Depth |     | ATA  | Required SLPM | w/20% safety margin | Required SCFM |
|-----------------------------|-------------|-------|-----|------|---------------|---------------------|---------------|
|                             |             | FSW   | MSW |      |               |                     |               |
| <b>90 PSIG / 6.21 BAR</b>   | <b>40</b>   | 76    | 23  | 3.30 | 132.12        | 158.55              | 5.60          |
|                             | <b>50</b>   | 63    | 19  | 2.91 | 145.45        | 174.55              | 6.17          |
|                             | <b>62.5</b> | 44    | 13  | 2.33 | 145.83        | 175.00              | 6.18          |
|                             | <b>75</b>   | 33    | 10  | 2.00 | 150.00        | 180.00              | 6.36          |
| <b>100 PSIG / 6.9 BAR</b>   | <b>40</b>   | 86    | 26  | 3.61 | 144.24        | 173.09              | 6.11          |
|                             | <b>50</b>   | 72    | 22  | 3.18 | 159.09        | 190.91              | 6.74          |
|                             | <b>62.5</b> | 55    | 17  | 2.67 | 166.67        | 200.00              | 7.06          |
|                             | <b>75</b>   | 42    | 13  | 2.27 | 170.45        | 204.55              | 7.23          |
| <b>110 PSIG / 7.59 BAR</b>  | <b>40</b>   | 100   | 31  | 4.03 | 161.21        | 193.45              | 6.83          |
|                             | <b>50</b>   | 83    | 25  | 3.52 | 175.76        | 210.91              | 7.45          |
|                             | <b>62.5</b> | 67    | 20  | 3.03 | 189.39        | 227.27              | 8.03          |
|                             | <b>75</b>   | 50    | 15  | 2.52 | 188.64        | 226.36              | 8.00          |
| <b>120 PSIG / 8.28 BAR</b>  | <b>40</b>   | 112   | 34  | 4.39 | 175.76        | 210.91              | 7.45          |
|                             | <b>50</b>   | 91    | 28  | 3.76 | 187.88        | 225.45              | 7.96          |
|                             | <b>62.5</b> | 71    | 22  | 3.15 | 196.97        | 236.36              | 8.35          |
|                             | <b>75</b>   | 57    | 17  | 2.73 | 204.55        | 245.45              | 8.67          |
| <b>130 PSIG / 8.97 BAR</b>  | <b>40</b>   | 122   | 37  | 4.70 | 187.88        | 225.45              | 7.96          |
|                             | <b>50</b>   | 100   | 31  | 4.03 | 201.52        | 241.82              | 8.54          |
|                             | <b>62.5</b> | 82    | 25  | 3.48 | 217.80        | 261.36              | 9.23          |
|                             | <b>75</b>   | 60    | 19  | 2.82 | 211.36        | 253.64              | 8.96          |
| <b>140 PSIG / 9.66 BAR</b>  | <b>40</b>   | 137   | 42  | 5.15 | 206.06        | 247.27              | 8.73          |
|                             | <b>50</b>   | 108   | 33  | 4.27 | 213.64        | 256.36              | 9.06          |
|                             | <b>62.5</b> | 84    | 26  | 3.55 | 221.59        | 265.91              | 9.39          |
|                             | <b>75</b>   | 65    | 20  | 2.97 | 222.73        | 267.27              | 9.44          |
| <b>150 PSIG / 10.35 BAR</b> | <b>40</b>   | 145   | 44  | 5.39 | 215.76        | 258.91              | 9.15          |
|                             | <b>50</b>   | 120   | 37  | 4.64 | 231.82        | 278.18              | 9.83          |
|                             | <b>62.5</b> | 95    | 29  | 3.88 | 242.42        | 290.91              | 10.28         |
|                             | <b>75</b>   | 69    | 21  | 3.09 | 231.82        | 278.18              | 9.83          |

### Appendix 3 Table 2 Compressor Supply Table SuperFlow and SuperFlow 350 Continued

| Supply Pressure             | RMV         | Depth |     | ATA  | Required<br>SLPM | w/20% safety<br>margin | Required<br>SCFM |
|-----------------------------|-------------|-------|-----|------|------------------|------------------------|------------------|
|                             |             | FSW   | MSW |      |                  |                        |                  |
| <b>160 PSIG / 11.04 BAR</b> | <b>40</b>   | 157   | 48  | 5.76 | 230.30           | 276.36                 | 9.76             |
|                             | <b>50</b>   | 124   | 38  | 4.76 | 237.88           | 285.45                 | 10.08            |
|                             | <b>62.5</b> | 100   | 31  | 4.03 | 251.89           | 302.27                 | 10.68            |
|                             | <b>75</b>   | 76    | 23  | 3.30 | 247.73           | 297.27                 | 10.50            |
| <b>170 PSIG / 11.73 BAR</b> | <b>40</b>   | 167   | 51  | 6.06 | 242.42           | 290.91                 | 10.28            |
|                             | <b>50</b>   | 135   | 41  | 5.09 | 254.55           | 305.45                 | 10.79            |
|                             | <b>62.5</b> | 107   | 33  | 4.24 | 265.15           | 318.18                 | 11.24            |
|                             | <b>75</b>   | 86    | 26  | 3.61 | 270.45           | 324.55                 | 11.46            |
| <b>180 PSIG / 12.42 BAR</b> | <b>40</b>   | 181   | 55  | 6.48 | 259.39           | 311.27                 | 11.00            |
|                             | <b>50</b>   | 148   | 45  | 5.48 | 274.24           | 329.09                 | 11.62            |
|                             | <b>62.5</b> | 115   | 35  | 4.48 | 280.30           | 336.36                 | 11.88            |
|                             | <b>75</b>   | 93    | 28  | 3.82 | 286.36           | 343.64                 | 12.14            |
| <b>190 PSIG / 13.11 BAR</b> | <b>40</b>   | 190   | 58  | 6.76 | 270.30           | 324.36                 | 11.46            |
|                             | <b>50</b>   | 154   | 47  | 5.67 | 283.33           | 340.00                 | 12.01            |
|                             | <b>62.5</b> | 122   | 37  | 4.70 | 293.56           | 352.27                 | 12.44            |
|                             | <b>75</b>   | 100   | 31  | 4.03 | 302.27           | 362.73                 | 12.81            |
| <b>200 PSIG / 13.8 BAR</b>  | <b>40</b>   | 192   | 59  | 6.82 | 272.73           | 327.27                 | 11.56            |
|                             | <b>50</b>   | 166   | 51  | 6.03 | 301.52           | 361.82                 | 12.78            |
|                             | <b>62.5</b> | 132   | 40  | 5.00 | 312.50           | 375.00                 | 13.25            |
|                             | <b>75</b>   | 102   | 31  | 4.09 | 306.82           | 368.18                 | 13.01            |
| <b>210 PSIG / 14.49 BAR</b> | <b>40</b>   | 212   | 65  | 7.42 | 296.97           | 356.36                 | 12.59            |
|                             | <b>50</b>   | 175   | 53  | 6.30 | 315.15           | 378.18                 | 13.36            |
|                             | <b>62.5</b> | 137   | 42  | 5.15 | 321.97           | 386.36                 | 13.65            |
|                             | <b>75</b>   | 108   | 33  | 4.27 | 320.45           | 384.55                 | 13.58            |
| <b>220 PSIG / 15.18 BAR</b> | <b>40</b>   | 220   | 67  | 7.67 | 306.67           | 368.00                 | 13.00            |
|                             | <b>50</b>   | 182   | 56  | 6.52 | 325.76           | 390.91                 | 13.81            |
|                             | <b>62.5</b> | 147   | 45  | 5.45 | 340.91           | 409.09                 | 14.45            |
|                             | <b>75</b>   | 111   | 34  | 4.36 | 327.27           | 392.73                 | 13.87            |

### Appendix 3 Table 3 SuperFlow® 450 SS Balanced Regulator Low Pressure Compressor Table Supply Pressure Requirements

| Supply Pressure           | RMV         | Depth |     | ATA  | Required<br>SLPM | w/20% safety<br>margin | Required<br>SCFM |
|---------------------------|-------------|-------|-----|------|------------------|------------------------|------------------|
|                           |             | FSW   | MSW |      |                  |                        |                  |
| <b>90 PSIG / 6.21 BAR</b> | <b>40</b>   | 90    | 27  | 3.73 | 149.09           | 178.91                 | 6.32             |
|                           | <b>50</b>   | 76    | 23  | 3.30 | 165.15           | 198.18                 | 7.00             |
|                           | <b>62.5</b> | 62    | 19  | 2.88 | 179.92           | 215.91                 | 7.63             |
|                           | <b>75</b>   | 44    | 13  | 2.33 | 175.00           | 210.00                 | 7.42             |
| <b>100 PSIG / 6.9 BAR</b> | <b>40</b>   | 101   | 31  | 4.06 | 162.42           | 194.91                 | 6.88             |
|                           | <b>50</b>   | 86    | 26  | 3.61 | 180.30           | 216.36                 | 7.64             |

## Appendix 3 Table 3 SuperFlow® 450 SS Balanced Regulator Continued

| Supply Pressure             | RMV  | Depth |     | ATA  | Required SLPM | w/20% safety margin | Required SCFM |
|-----------------------------|------|-------|-----|------|---------------|---------------------|---------------|
|                             |      | FSW   | MSW |      |               |                     |               |
|                             | 62.5 | 67    | 20  | 3.03 | 189.39        | 227.27              | 8.03          |
|                             | 75   | 55    | 17  | 2.67 | 200.00        | 240.00              | 8.48          |
| <b>110 PSIG / 7.59 BAR</b>  | 40   | 111   | 34  | 4.36 | 174.55        | 209.45              | 7.40          |
|                             | 50   | 99    | 30  | 4.00 | 200.00        | 240.00              | 8.48          |
|                             | 62.5 | 74    | 22  | 3.24 | 202.65        | 243.18              | 8.59          |
|                             | 75   | 65    | 20  | 2.97 | 222.73        | 267.27              | 9.44          |
| <b>120 PSIG / 8.28 BAR</b>  | 40   | 125   | 38  | 4.79 | 191.52        | 229.82              | 8.12          |
|                             | 50   | 111   | 34  | 4.36 | 218.18        | 261.82              | 9.25          |
|                             | 62.5 | 90    | 27  | 3.73 | 232.95        | 279.55              | 9.87          |
|                             | 75   | 72.5  | 22  | 3.20 | 239.77        | 287.73              | 10.16         |
| <b>130 PSIG / 8.97 BAR</b>  | 40   | 141   | 43  | 5.27 | 210.91        | 253.09              | 8.94          |
|                             | 50   | 115   | 35  | 4.48 | 224.24        | 269.09              | 9.51          |
|                             | 62.5 | 100   | 30  | 4.03 | 251.89        | 302.27              | 10.68         |
|                             | 75   | 76    | 23  | 3.30 | 247.73        | 297.27              | 10.50         |
| <b>140 PSIG / 9.66 BAR</b>  | 40   | 160   | 49  | 5.85 | 233.94        | 280.73              | 9.92          |
|                             | 50   | 123   | 37  | 4.73 | 236.36        | 283.64              | 10.02         |
|                             | 62.5 | 110   | 33  | 4.33 | 270.83        | 325.00              | 11.48         |
|                             | 75   | 83    | 25  | 3.52 | 263.64        | 316.36              | 11.17         |
| <b>150 PSIG / 10.35 BAR</b> | 40   | 172   | 52  | 6.21 | 248.48        | 298.18              | 10.53         |
|                             | 50   | 137   | 41  | 5.15 | 257.58        | 309.09              | 10.92         |
|                             | 62.5 | 115   | 35  | 4.48 | 280.30        | 336.36              | 11.88         |
|                             | 75   | 93    | 28  | 3.82 | 286.36        | 343.64              | 12.14         |
| <b>160 PSIG / 11.04 BAR</b> | 40   | 185   | 56  | 6.61 | 264.24        | 317.09              | 11.20         |
|                             | 50   | 147   | 45  | 5.45 | 272.73        | 327.27              | 11.56         |
|                             | 62.5 | 130   | 40  | 4.94 | 308.71        | 370.45              | 13.09         |
|                             | 75   | 102   | 31  | 4.09 | 306.82        | 368.18              | 13.01         |
| <b>170 PSIG / 11.73 BAR</b> | 40   | 200   | 61  | 7.06 | 282.42        | 338.91              | 11.97         |
|                             | 50   | 161   | 49  | 5.88 | 293.94        | 352.73              | 12.46         |
|                             | 62.5 | 136   | 41  | 5.12 | 320.08        | 384.09              | 13.57         |
|                             | 75   | 110   | 33  | 4.33 | 325.00        | 390.00              | 13.78         |
| <b>180 PSIG / 12.42 BAR</b> | 40   | 211   | 64  | 7.39 | 295.76        | 354.91              | 12.54         |
|                             | 50   | 169   | 51  | 6.12 | 306.06        | 367.27              | 12.97         |
|                             | 62.5 | 145   | 44  | 5.39 | 337.12        | 404.55              | 14.29         |
|                             | 75   | 116   | 35  | 4.52 | 338.64        | 406.36              | 14.35         |
| <b>190 PSIG / 13.11 BAR</b> | 40   | 221   | 67  | 7.70 | 307.88        | 369.45              | 13.05         |
|                             | 50   | 173   | 53  | 6.24 | 312.12        | 374.55              | 13.23         |

**Appendix 3 Table 3 SuperFlow® 450 SS Balanced Regulator Continued**

| Supply Pressure             | RMV  | Depth |     | ATA  | Required SLPM | w/20% safety margin | Required SCFM |
|-----------------------------|------|-------|-----|------|---------------|---------------------|---------------|
|                             |      | FSW   | MSW |      |               |                     |               |
|                             | 62.5 | 153   | 46  | 5.64 | 352.27        | 422.73              | 14.93         |
|                             | 75   | 126   | 38  | 4.82 | 361.36        | 433.64              | 15.32         |
| <b>200 PSIG / 13.80 BAR</b> |      |       |     |      |               |                     |               |
|                             | 40   | 222   | 67  | 7.73 | 309.09        | 370.91              | 13.10         |
|                             | 50   | 191   | 58  | 6.79 | 339.39        | 407.27              | 14.39         |
|                             | 62.5 | 165   | 50  | 6.00 | 375.00        | 450.00              | 15.90         |
|                             | 75   | 133   | 40  | 5.03 | 377.27        | 452.73              | 15.99         |
| <b>210 PSIG / 14.49 BAR</b> |      |       |     |      |               |                     |               |
|                             | 40   |       |     | 1.00 | 40.00         | 48.00               | 1.70          |
|                             | 50   | 191   | 58  | 6.79 | 339.39        | 407.27              | 14.39         |
|                             | 62.5 | 166   | 50  | 6.03 | 376.89        | 452.27              | 15.98         |
|                             | 75   | 140   | 42  | 5.24 | 393.18        | 471.82              | 16.67         |
| <b>220 PSIG / 15.18 BAR</b> |      |       |     |      |               |                     |               |
|                             | 40   |       |     | 1.00 | 40.00         | 48.00               | 1.70          |
|                             | 50   | 202   | 61  | 7.12 | 356.06        | 427.27              | 15.09         |
|                             | 62.5 | 170   | 51  | 6.15 | 384.47        | 461.36              | 16.30         |
|                             | 75   | 148   | 45  | 5.48 | 411.36        | 493.64              | 17.44         |

**Appendix 3 Table 4 SuperFlow® / SuperFlow® 350 Regulator  
High Pressure Regulated Source**

| Depth    |       | Regulator Setting<br>Surface Gauge in P.S.I.G. |                     | Regulator Setting<br>Surface Gauge in BAR |                |
|----------|-------|--|---------------------|---|----------------|
| FSW      | MSW   | Minimum<br>P.S.I.G.                            | Maximum<br>P.S.I.G. | Minimum<br>Bar                            | Maximum<br>Bar |
| 0-60     | 0-18  | 150  | 225                 | 10.3                                      | 15.5           |
| 61-100   | 19-30 | 200  | 250                 | 13.8                                      | 17.2           |
| 101-132  | 31-40 | 250  | 275                 | 17.2                                      | 18.9           |
| 133-165  | 41-50 | 250  | 300                 | 17.2                                      | 19.6           |
| *166-220 | 51-67 | 300  | 325                 | 20.6                                      | 22.4           |

\*May not be capable of performing at 75 RMV deeper than 165 FSW.

Performance is based on a minimum of 75 RMV to 165 FSW (50 MSW) and 62.5 RMV to 220 FSW (67 MSW) using a 3/8" (9.5 mm) umbilical 600 foot (183 meters) long, made up of two 300 foot (91 meter) sections.

**Appendix 3 Table 5 Supply Pressure Guidelines REX® Regulator / KM-47 / KM-77 / and SuperFlow® 450 Stainless Steel Balanced Regulators  
High Pressure Regulated Source  
Supply Pressure Guidelines**

| Depth    |       | Regulator Setting<br>Surface Gauge in P.S.I.G. |                     | Regulator Setting<br>Surface Gauge in BAR |                |
|----------|-------|--|---------------------|---|----------------|
| FSW      | MSW   | Minimum<br>P.S.I.G.                            | Maximum<br>P.S.I.G. | Minimum<br>Bar                            | Maximum<br>Bar |
| 0-60     | 0-18  | 140  | 200                 | 9.7                                       | 13.8           |
| 61-100   | 19-30 | 165  | 220                 | 11.4                                      | 15             |
| 101-132  | 31-40 | 180  | 250                 | 12.4                                      | 17             |
| 133-165  | 41-50 | 220  | 300                 | 15  | 20.7           |
| *166-220 | 51-67 | 270  | 300                 | 18.6                                      | 20.7           |

**Appendix 4 Standard Kirby Morgan Surface Supply Pressure  
Formula - Old Method**

**Old Pressure Table Calculation:**

The old method of determining supply pressure was to multiply the dive depth by .445 PSI and then add the over-bottom pressure called out in the depth ranges for the depth from the KMDSI operations manual. The old method was based on a minimum RMV of 62.5. This method can still be used. The old method used the formula and called out over bottom pressures for depth as follows [(FSW x .445) + PSIG for depth] from the table below.

| <u>Depth in Feet and Meters</u> |            | <u>Over Bottom Pressure</u> |
|---------------------------------|------------|-----------------------------|
| 0-60 FSW                        | (0-18 MSW) | 90 PSIG (6.2 Bar)           |
| 61-100                          | (18-30)    | 115 (7.9)                   |
| 101-132                         | (30-40)    | 135 (9.3)                   |
| 133-165                         | (40-50)    | 165 (11.4)                  |
| 166-220                         | (50-67)    | 225 (15.5)                  |

For more information on determining supply pressure related information check the Dive Lab web site at [www.divelab.com](http://www.divelab.com).

