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THE PERFORMANCE GUIDELINES SHOWN ON THIS PAGE ARE SUPPLIED AS A GENERAL GUIDE ONLY, AS CONDITIONS VARY WITH EACH APPLICATION AND METHOD OF INSTALLATION. STRENGTH DATA GIVEN IS FOR FAILURE OF THE PRODUCT OR FOR SUFFICIENT DEFORMATION TO MAKE THE PRODUCT INOPERABLE. NO SAFETY FACTOR HAS BEEN APPLIED. IT'S RECOMMENDED THAT THE USER REQUEST A PRODUCT SAMPLE FOR TESTING TO DETERMINE THE SUITABILITY OF THE PRODUCT FOR THE PURPOSE INTENDED AND THE USER'S PARTICULAR APPLICATION.

SOUTHCO PERFORMANCE GUIDELINES

DIRECTION 1
TENSILE FORCES
APPLIED TO CAM

DIRECTION 2
FORCES REQUIRED
TO OPERATE LATCH
MANUALLY

MECHANICAL
OVERRIDE TRIGGER

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R4-EM-8X6-X30 SHOWN

PERFORMANCE VALUES FOR R4-EM-8X-X30 AND R4-EM-8X6-X30 SEE J-R4-EM-8-1

1. TESTING PERFORMED ON R4-EM-8X-XXO AND R4-EM-8X6-XXO.

550 N (124 lbf) MINIMUM FOR 24VOLT MODELS

- 2. TENSILE FORCES (DIRECTION 1) ARE APPLIED AT THE NOMINAL LATERAL POSITION (ZERO MISALIGNMENT).
- 3. CYCLE LIFE WITH 44 N (10 1bf) TENSILE FORCE (DIRECTION 1) ON CAM : 100,000 CYCLES CYCLE TEMPERATURE PROFILE: 80,000 AT AMBIENT TEMP, 10,000 AT -20C, 10,000 AT +60C

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- 4. MAXIMUM TENSILE FORCE (DIRECTION 1) ON THE CAM THAT THE LATCH CAN RELEASE (OPEN) ELECTRICALLY ONE TIME:
 225 N (50 lbf) MINIMUM FOR 12VOLT MODELS
- 5. AVERAGE ULTIMATE TENSILE LOAD (DIRECTION 1) ON THE CAM BEFORE LATCH CAM FAILURE: 5300 N (1191 lbf).
- 6. AVERAGE ULTIMATE TENSILE LOAD (DIRECTION 1) WHEN USED WITH SOUTHCO STRIKER BOLT R4-90-121-10: 5200 N (1169 lbf)
- 7. AVERAGE TENSILE FORCE (DIRECTION 2) REQUIRED ON THE MECHANICAL OVERRIDE TRIGGER TO OPERATE (OPEN) THE LATCH MANUALLY WITH A TENSILE FORCE ON THE CAM:

AVERAGE FORCE TO OPERATE LATCH WITH MECHANICAL OVERRIDE VS. LATCH CAM LOAD								
FORCE 1 (N) ON CAM	100 N (22.48 lbf)	200 N (44.96 lbf)	300 N (67.44 lbf)	400 N (89.92 lbf)	500 N (112.40 lbf)			
FORCE 2 (N) ON MECHANICAL OVERRIDE	11.8 N (2.65 lbf)	17.7 N (3.98 lbf)	23.1 N (5.19 lbf)	29.5 N (6.63 lbf)	33.3 N (7.49 lbf)			

8. OPERATING TEMPERATURE RANGE -20 TO 60°C.

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VOLUME	UP TO 0.5 OVER 0.5 UP T OVER 6 UP TO		Ι ' '	CHANICAL		RY LATCH	
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