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| CONDITION OF BOLTS  | K FACTOR |
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| <b>New steel</b> bolts and nuts with 1/4" thick washers. Lubricated on all mating surfaces and threads of washers, studs, and nuts with Moly Paste containing 70% solids                              | 0.16     |
| <b>New steel</b> bolts and nuts <b>without 1/4" thick washers</b> . Lubricated on all mating surfaces and threads of studs and nuts with Moly Paste containing 70% solids                             | 0.19     |
| New steel bolts and nuts with 1/4" thick washers. No lubrication.   | 0.40     |
| New steel bolts and nuts without 1/4" thick washers. No lubrication.  | 0.45     |
| <b>Used steel</b> bolts and nuts with 1/4" thick washers and <b>cleaned threads</b> . Lubricated on all mating surfaces and threads of washers, studs, and nuts with Moly Paste containing 70% solids | 0.20     |
| Used steel bolts and nuts without 1/4" thick washers, but with cleaned threads. Lubricated on all mating surfaces and threads of studs and nuts with Moly Paste containing 70% solids                 | 0.25     |
| Used steel bolts and nuts with 1/4" thick washers and cleaned threads. No lubrication.  | 0.45     |
| Used steel bolts and nuts without 1/4" thick washers, but with cleaned threads. No lubrication.   | 0.50     |
| <b>New Xylan coated</b> steel bolts and nuts with 1/4" thick washers. Lubricated on all mating surfaces and threads of washers, studs, and nuts with Moly Paste containing 70% solids                 | 0.15     |
| <b>Used Xylan coated</b> steel bolts and nuts with 1/4" thick washers. Lubricated on all mating surfaces and threads of washers, studs, and nuts with Moly Paste containing 70% solids                | 0.16     |
| New Xylan 1070 (manganese-phosphate plate) coated steel bolts and nuts without 1/4" thick washers. No lubrication.  | 0.18     |
| New Xylan 1070 (zinc-chloride plate) coated steel bolts and nuts without 1/4" thick washers. No lubrication.  | 0.20     |
| New Xylan 1052 (manganese-phosphate plate) coated steel bolts and nuts without 1/4" thick washers. No lubrication.  | 0.16     |
| New Xylan 1052 (zinc-chloride plate) coated steel bolts and nuts without 1/4" thick washers. No lubrication.  | 0.19     |
| New Xylan 1014 (manganese-phosphate plate) coated steel bolts and nuts without 1/4" thick washers. No lubrication.  | 0.18     |
| <b>New Teflon (heavy) coated</b> steel bolts and nuts without 1/4" thick washers. No lubrication.   | 0.20     |
| New Teflon (medium) coated steel bolts and nuts without 1/4" thick washers. No lubrication.   | 0.24     |
| New Zinc-Nickel Plate - Light Teflon coated steel bolts and nuts without 1/4" thick washers. No lubrication.  | 0.29     |
| New (zinc-nickel plate) coated steel bolts and nuts without 1/4" thick washers. No lubrication.   | 0.31     |

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