# Advanced-Technology Hot Melt Adhesive Hoses



Nordson hot melt hoses set the standard for safety, durability and performance.



TC-style hose for MX systems

Nordson RTD and TC hoses operate with the proven durability and performance that reduce costs and downtime.

### **Parallel Ground Paths Provide Safer Operation**

- Two separate ground paths protect against injury and damage to equipment.
- Electrical connections use make-first, break-last pins at the gun and melter ends to prevent powering the hose or gun without the ground connection.

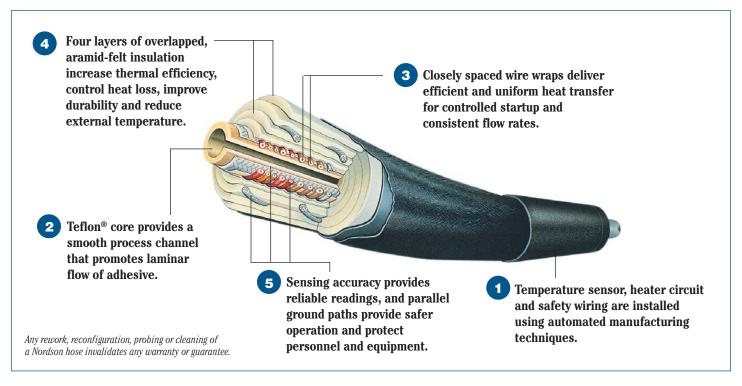
## **Aramid Insulation Protects System Components**

- Aramid insulation significantly improves chemical and moisture resistance.
- Insulation does not melt or support combustion in the air, allowing hoses to retain flexibility and electrical and mechanical properties beyond system operating temperatures.

### **Automated Manufacturing Delivers Consistency** and **Quality**

- Hose components are precision fabricated and calibrated prior to assembly, eliminating the need for temperature control calibration at installation.
- Controlled watt-density heating element minimizes hot spot potential, reducing char.
- Waterwash hoses are IP-X6 rated and feature improved electrical seals for longer service life in washdown environments.

Specifications	DTD Harra	TOHALL
Maximum Operating Temperature	RTD Hoses 232°C (450°F)	TC Hoses 232°C (450°F)
Maximum Hydraulic Pressure	1000 psi (6.89 MPa) for % and 1% in. (1.58 and 2.85 cm) diameter	1500 psi (10.34 MPa) for TC-8 and TC-13
	1500 psi (10.34 MPa) for ½ in. (.79 cm) diameter	
Electrical Service	120 VAC, 200 VAC or 240 VAC	200 VAC or 230 VAC
Available Lengths	2 to 65 ft (0.6 to 19.8 m) depending on diameter and voltage	4 to 43 ft (1.2 to 13 m) depending on diameter and voltage



### **Hose Rebuilding May Weaken Performance and Shorten Hose Life**

Due to the precise engineering of Nordson hoses, rebuilding or reconditioning them can significantly shorten life and performance, resulting in increased spare parts costs and unscheduled downtime.

- Nordson recommends against changing the cuffs or sheath material
  of a hose due to the possibility of damage. Safety circuitry is
  particularly vulnerable and can pose both equipment and personnel
  hazard if incorrectly installed or damaged during cleaning or handling.
- **2.** When a hose is cleaned using a "cleaning snake" or otherwise "probed," the internal surface can be damaged. The damaged surface can accumulate char and other debris, increasing the frequency of clogs and deterioration of flow.
- 3. When hoses are submerged in cleaning solvents, the solvent can impregnate the wrap with debris and contaminants. This action can deteriorate heat transfer efficiency and induce inaccuracies in your process.

- **4.** During a cleaning process, insulation can become contaminated with solvents and other debris, decreasing thermal efficiency and promoting premature failure of the hose.
- 5. The Nordson Trade Plus<sup>™</sup> program lets you exchange old hoses for new at discounts of up to 40 percent. New hoses carry a one-year or 2000 hour warranty.







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Most RTD hoses are CE and TUV approved and UL listed. Approvals and listings appear on individual products.

TC hoses are not UL listed.

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