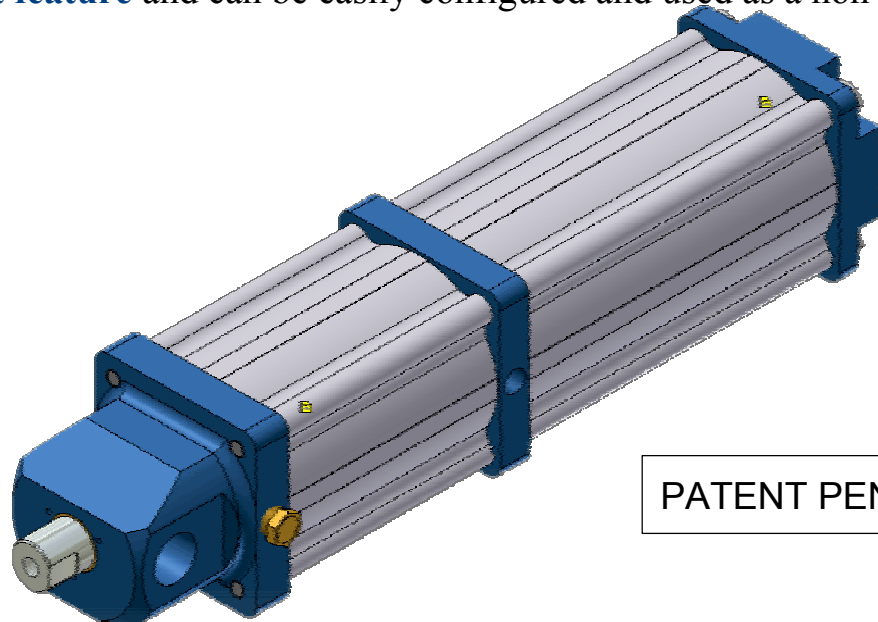




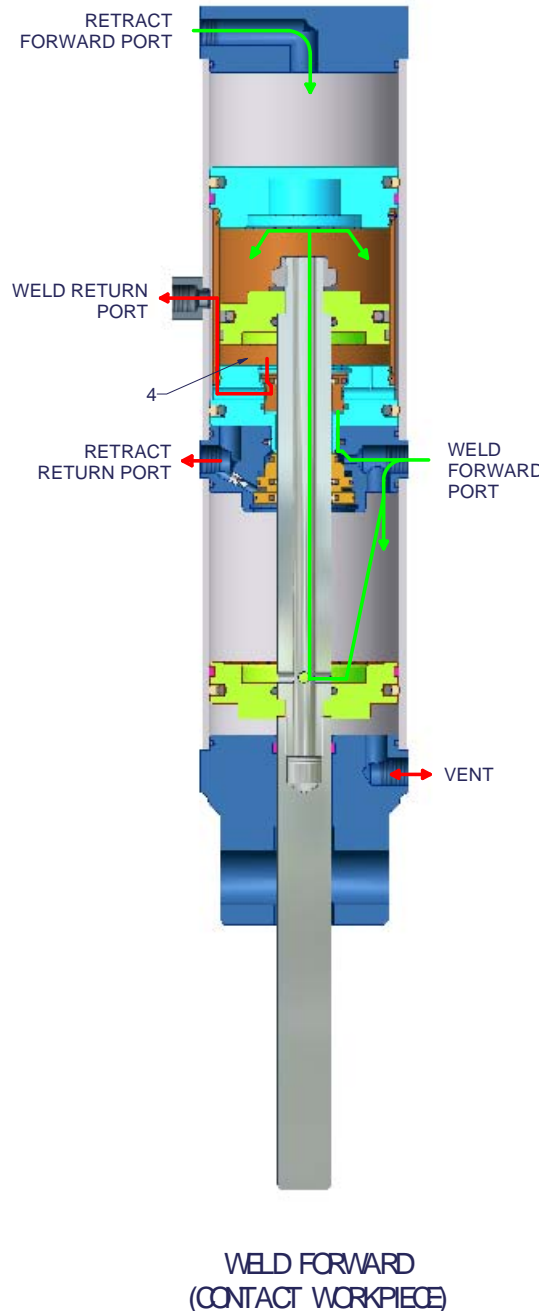
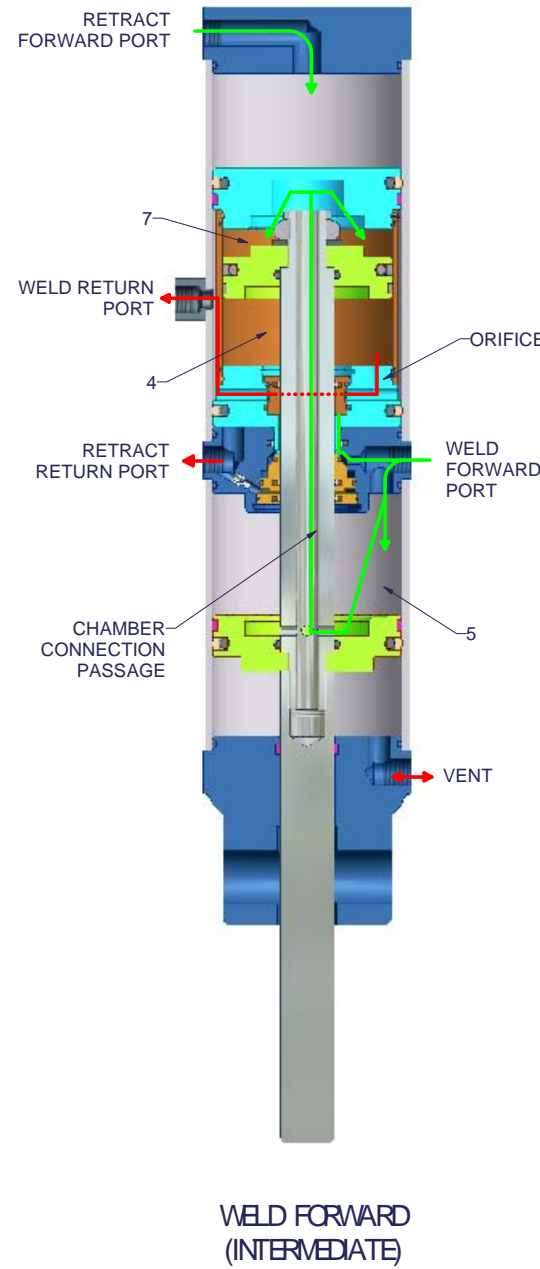
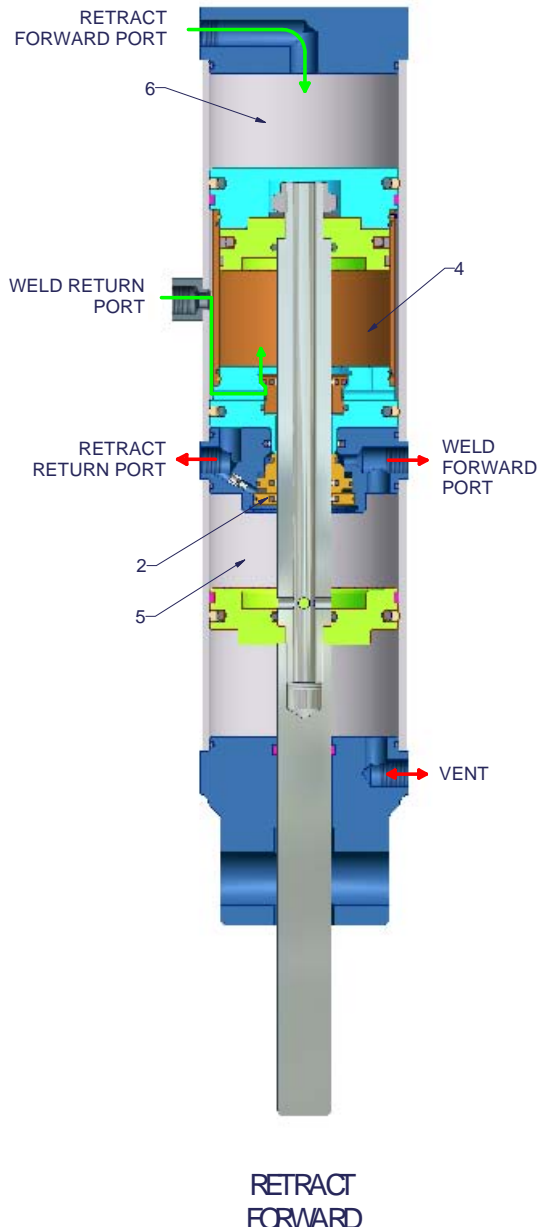
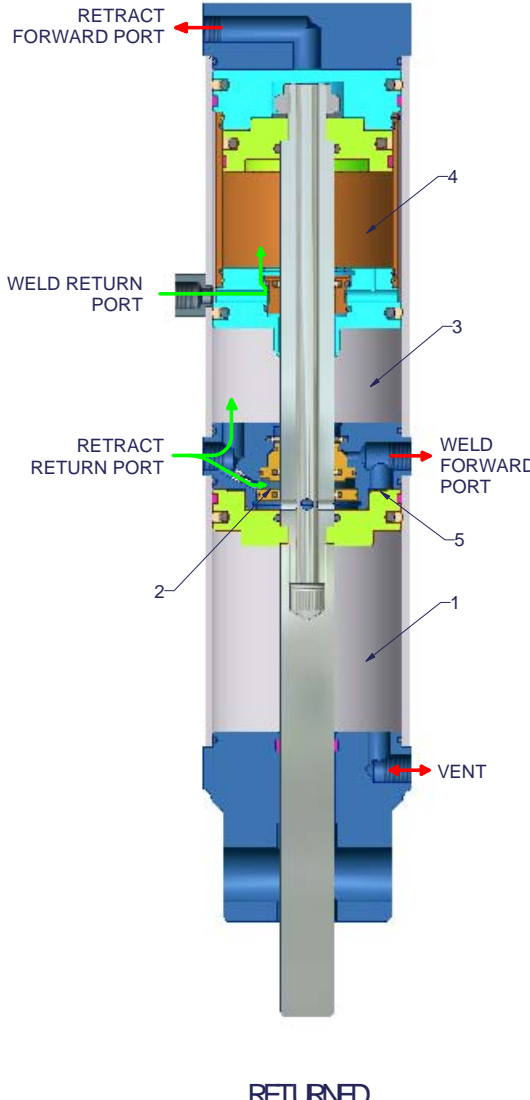
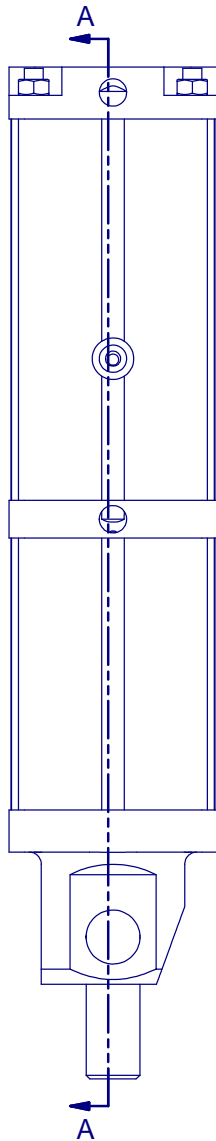
Second Generation STAAC™ Weld Cylinder

CenterLine's ongoing quest for discovering and developing product improvements has resulted in a second generation STAAC™ cylinder. The second generation architecture was specifically developed to **meet and surpass the benefits and performance of the original** STAAC™ pneumatic cylinder. The new STAAC™ cylinder is designed with a **decreased overall length**, while maintaining the **soft touch (low impact) operation**. The new cylinder will be almost equal in length to pneumatic cylinders without soft touch operation. The updated offering now encompasses a **cushion feature that is effective at all points of the welding stroke**. Additionally, the second generation is available in a **standard four port configuration**. A **push action version in single or dual flange variations** will also be available. The second generation will always include the **retract feature** and can be easily configured and used as a non-retractable cylinder.



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Sequence of Operation



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— Exhaust (atmosphere)
 — Pressurized Air

TOLERANCES NOT OTHERWISE SPECIFIED

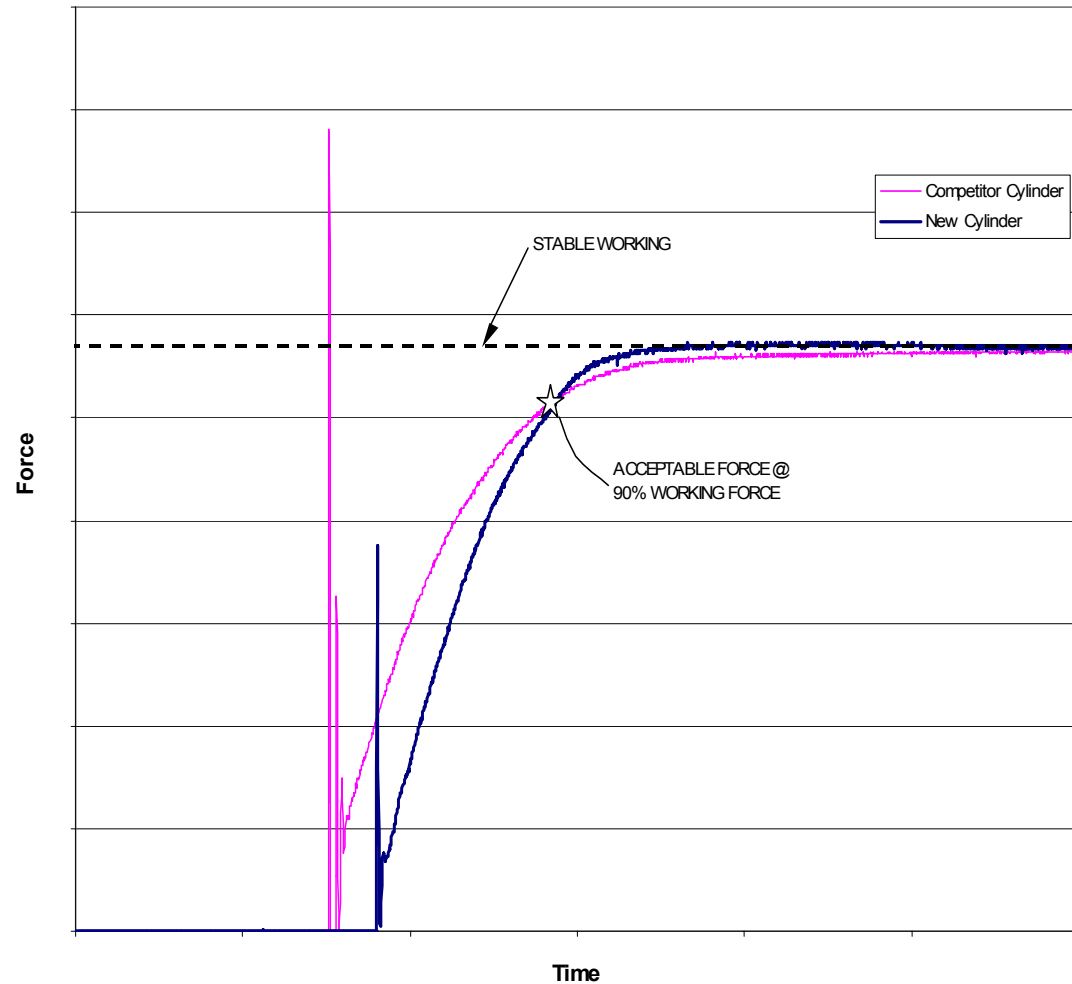
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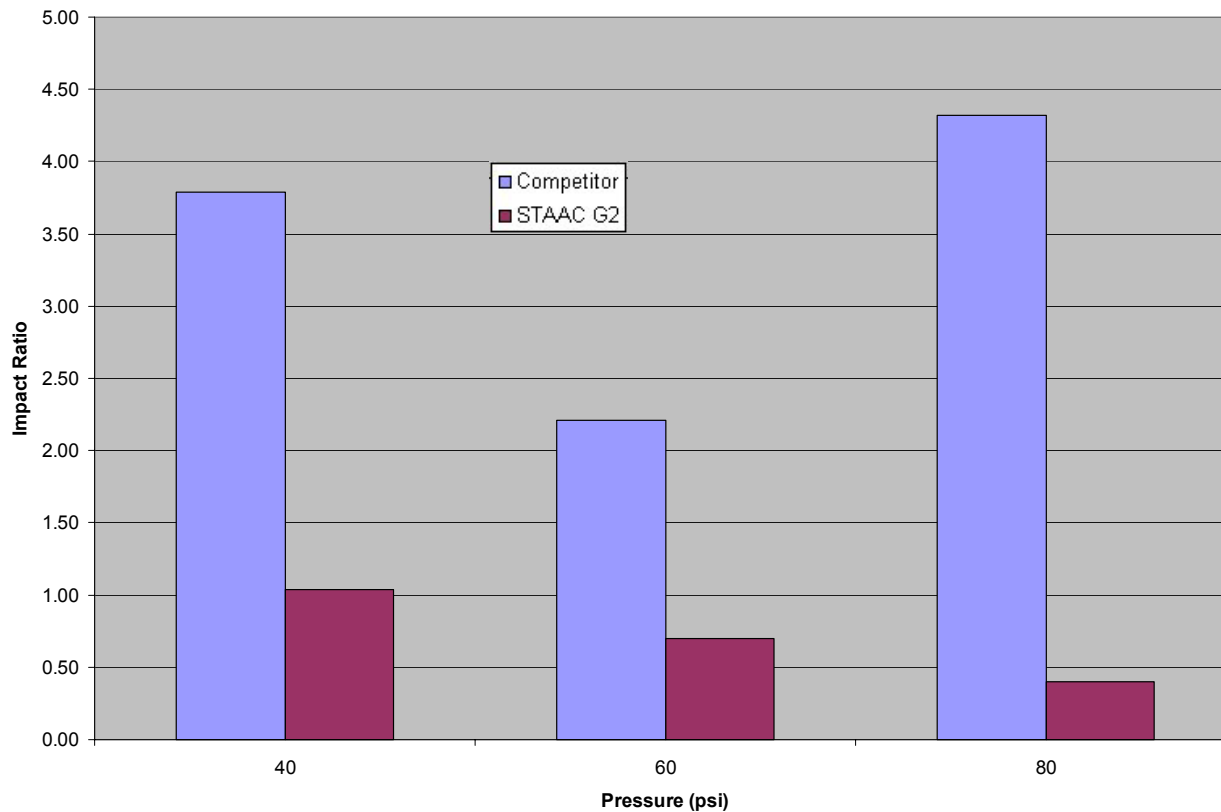
This chart represents a competitive cylinder versus a standard second generation STAAC™ cylinder. The STAAC™ cylinder **takes longer to close**, yet with a **dramatically lower impact**, still **reaches an acceptable weld force at the exact same time** as the competitor and actually **reaches a stabilized true weld force at a faster rate**.

Welding/Working Force Versus Process Time





Impact Ratio - Competitor vs. STAAC G2



This chart demonstrates the STAAC™ cylinder's exceptional advantage in regards to impact. The soft touch low impact feature enables a **significantly lower impact** compared to the competition. It also illustrates that **as the pressure increases the impact actually decreases**, confirming that the STAAC™ cylinder is better **suited for high pressure applications**.