



Swept Volume

Swept volume is the volume swept by a compressor piston during a complete stroke. Swept volume is expressed in cubic inches and calculated as follows:

$$\text{Head End} = \text{Area Piston (in}^2\text{)} * \text{Stroke (in)}$$

$$\text{Crank End} = (\text{Area Piston (in}^2\text{)} - \text{Area Rod (in}^2\text{)}) * \text{Stroke (in)}$$

$$\text{Total} = [2 * \text{Area Piston (in}^2\text{)} - \text{Area Rod (in}^2\text{)}] * \text{Stroke (in)}$$