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INTRODUCTION



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You need a reliable source for high-quality, thermoplastic, industrial piping and we are dedicated to meeting your need. The goal of Charlotte Pipe and Foundry Company's Industrial Division is to earn your business.

To insure that you have a ready supply of highest quality products, we have recently added a 100,000 square foot pipe extrusion facility to our Monroe, North Carolina plant. This industrial extrusion facility is the newest of its kind in the nation and incorporates the most advanced technology available. It is devoted to the manufacture of **Corzan**[®] CPVC pipe in Schedule 80, and Schedule 40, and PVC Schedule 80 pipe. These pipe products meet or exceed all applicable ASTM and NSF standards for material purity and dimensional accuracy.

To provide you with the very best in service, we have manufacturing plants strategically located in Monroe, North Carolina; Muncy, Pennsylvania; Cameron, Texas; Wildwood, Florida; and Huntsville, Alabama. This broad-based supply structure of over 1,000,000 square feet allows us to ship most orders within 24 hours of receipt. You receive complete orders, where and when you need them, by utilizing our large inventory of the following products:

Corzan CPVC Pipe

Schedule 80, 1/4 - 12"

Schedule 40, 1/2 - 12"

Corzan CPVC Schedule 80 Fittings

PVC Pipe

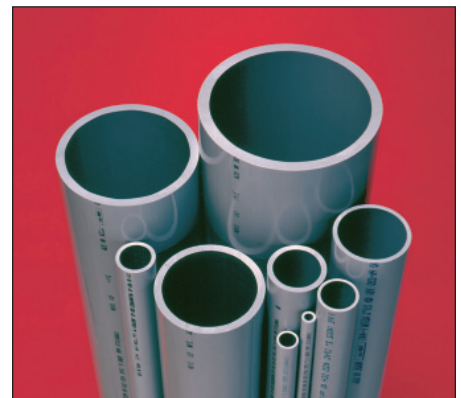
Schedule 80, 1/4 - 16"

Schedule 40, 1/2 - 16"

SDR 13.5, 26 and 21, 1/2 - 3"

PVC Schedule 80 Fittings

PVC Schedule 40 Fittings



To meet a wide range of design specifications, Charlotte's Industrial Pipe is available with plain, belled, and threaded end treatments.

We trust this technical manual will help answer your application, design and installation questions for our thermoplastic industrial pipe. However, if you prefer personal assistance, we welcome your call. Ask for the Industrial Division sales department. We thank you for this occasion to be of service.

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POLYVINYL CHLORIDE (PVC) AND CORZAN CHLORINATED POLYVINYL CHLORIDE (CPVC) PIPE

Industrial Technical Manual

Major Advantages

Easy Installation

PVC and CPVC pipe are light in weight (approximately one-half the weight of aluminum and one-sixth the weight of steel). They have smooth, seamless interior walls. No special tools are required for cutting. They can be installed using solvent cementing, threading, flanging and roll-grooved joining techniques.

Chemical Resistance

PVC and CPVC pipe are inert to attack by strong acids, alkalis, salt solutions, alcohols, and many other chemicals. They are dependable in corrosive applications and impart no tastes or odors to materials carried in them. They do not react with materials carried, nor act as a catalyst. All possibility of contamination, or chemical process changes, and all danger of clouding, sludging, or discoloration are eliminated. (See chemical resistance charts.)

Strength

PVC and CPVC pipe are highly resilient, tough and durable products that have high tensile and high impact strength. They will withstand surprisingly high pressure for long periods.

Fire Resistance

PVC and CPVC pipe products are self extinguishing and will not support combustion. They have an ASTM E-84 flame spread rate of 25 or less.

Internal Corrosion Resistance

PVC and CPVC pipe resist chemical attack by most acids, alkalis, salts, and organic media such as alcohols and aliphatic hydrocarbons, within certain limits of temperature and pressure. They provide the needed chemical resistance, while eliminating the disadvantages of special metals, lined piping, glass, wood, ceramics, or other special corrosion-resisting materials, which formerly had to be used.

External Corrosion Resistance

Industrial fumes, humidity, salt water, weather, atmospheric, or underground conditions, regardless of type of soil or moisture encountered, cannot harm rigid PVC and CPVC plastic pipe. Scratches or surface abrasions do not provide points which corrosive elements can attack.

Immunity to Galvanic or Electrolytic Attack

PVC and CPVC pipe are inherently immune to galvanic or electrolytic action. They can be used underground, underwater, in the presence of metals, and can also be connected to metals.

Freedom from Toxicity, Odors, Tastes

PVC and CPVC piping are non-toxic, odorless, and tasteless. They have been listed by the National Sanitation Foundation for use with potable water.

Corrosion Free

With many other pipe materials, slight corrosion may occur. The corroded particles can contaminate the piped fluid, complicating further processing, or causing bad taste, odors, or discoloration. This is particularly undesirable when the piped fluid is for domestic consumption. With PVC and CPVC, there are no corrosive by-products, therefore, no contamination of the piped fluid.

Low Friction Loss

The smooth interior surfaces of PVC and CPVC pipe, compared to metal and other piping materials, assure low friction loss and high flow rates. Additionally, since PVC and CPVC pipe will not rust, pit, scale, or corrode, the high flow rates will be maintained for the life of the piping system.

Low Thermal Conductivity

PVC and CPVC pipe have a much lower thermal conductivity factor than metal pipe. Therefore, fluids being piped maintain a more constant temperature. In most cases, pipe insulation is not required.

Low Installation Cost

PVC and CPVC pipe are extremely light weight, convenient to handle, relatively flexible, and easy to install. These features lead to lower installed costs than conventional metal piping.

Maintenance Free

Once a PVC or CPVC piping system is properly selected, designed, and installed, it is virtually maintenance free. It will not rust, scale, pit, corrode, or promote build-up on the interior. Therefore, years of trouble-free service can be expected when using Charlotte Pipe and Foundry PVC and CPVC pipe.

Charlotte Pipe and Foundry PVC and Corzan CPVC pipe products meet or exceed all applicable NSF standards and are NSF listed for potable water. PVC AND CPVC PIPING PRODUCTS ARE NOT RECOMMENDED FOR SYSTEMS WHICH TRANSPORT OR STORE COMPRESSED AIR OR GASES. DO NOT TEST PVC OR CPVC PIPING SYSTEMS WITH COMPRESSED AIR OR GASES. ALWAYS BLEED ALL ENTRAPPED AIR FROM THE SYSTEM PRIOR TO TESTING.

PHYSICAL PROPERTIES OF PVC AND CORZAN CPVC MATERIALS

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GENERAL INFORMATION

PROPERTY	PVC 1120	CPVC 4120	UNITS	ASTM No.
Specific Gravity	1.40	1.55	g/cc	D 792
Tensile Strength (73°F)	7,000	7,000	psi	D 638
Modulus of Elasticity in Tension (73°F)	400,000	360,000	psi	D 638
Flexural Strength (73°F)	14,000	15,100	psi	D 790
Izod Impact (notched at 73°F)	0.65	1.5	ft lb/ in.	D 256
Hardness (Durometer D)	80 ± 3	—		D 2240
Hardness (Rockwell R)	110 - 120	119		D 785
Compressive Strength (73°F)	9,600	10,100	psi	D 695
Hydrostatic Design Stress	2,000	2,000	psi	
Coefficient of Linear Expansion	3.0 x 10 ⁻⁵	3.4 x 10 ⁻⁵	in./ in./ °F	D 696
Heat Distortion Temperature at 264 psi	160	212	degrees F	D 648
Coefficient of Thermal Conductivity	1.2	.95	BTU/ hr/sq ft/ °F/ in.	C 177
Specific Heat	0.25	—	cal/ °C/ gm	D 2766
Water Absorption (24 hrs at 73°F)	.05	.03	% weight gain	D 570
Cell Classification	12454	23447 - 24448		D 1784

Above data is based upon information provided by the raw material manufacturers. It should be used only as a recommendation and not as a guarantee of performance.

PVC and CPVC Pipe Standards

TYPE PIPE	STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS	
	MATERIAL	DIMENSIONS
PVC SDR (Plain End)	ASTM D 1784	ASTM D 2241
PVC SDR (Belled-End)*	ASTM D 1784	ASTM D 2672
PVC Schedule 40	ASTM D 1784	ASTM D 1785
PVC Schedule 40 (DWV)	ASTM D 1784	ASTM D 2665
PVC Schedule 40 (Belled-End)*	ASTM D 1784	ASTM D 2672 or F 480
PVC Schedule 80*	ASTM D 1784	ASTM D 1785
CPVC Schedule 40 and 80	ASTM D 1784	ASTM F 441

* See page 14 for socket dimensions of Belled-End pipe.

RECOMMENDED PRODUCT SPECIFICATION

Suggested Specification

System: Corzan® CPVC Schedule 40 and 80 Pressure Pipe and Fitting System

Scope: This specification covers CPVC Schedule 40 and 80 pipe and Schedule 80 fittings for pressure applications. This system is intended for pressure applications where the operating temperature will not exceed 200°F.

Specification: Pipe and fittings shall be manufactured from virgin rigid CPVC (chlorinated polyvinyl chloride) vinyl compounds with a Cell Class of 24448 in sizes 1/4" through 8" and Cell Class of 23447 in size 10" and 12" as identified in ASTM D 1784.

CPVC Schedule 40 and 80 pipe shall be Iron Pipe Size (IPS) conforming to ASTM F 441. CPVC Schedule 80 fittings shall conform to ASTM F 439. CPVC Schedule 80 threaded fittings shall conform to ASTM F 437. Pipe and fittings shall be manufactured as a system and be the product of one manufacturer. All pipe and fittings shall be manufactured in the United States. Pipe and fittings shall conform to National Sanitation Foundation (NSF) Standard 61 or the health effects portion of NSF Standard 14.

Installation shall comply with the latest installation instructions published by Charlotte Pipe and Foundry and shall conform to all local plumbing, building, and fire code requirements. Solvent cement joints shall be made in a two step process with primer manufactured for thermoplastic piping systems and solvent cement conforming to ASTM F 493. The system shall be protected from chemical agents, fire stopping materials, thread sealant, plasticized vinyl products, or other aggressive chemical agents not compatible with CPVC compounds. Systems shall be hydrostatically (water) tested after installation. Testing with compressed air or gas is not recommended.

Referenced Standards:

ASTM D 1784	Rigid Vinyl Compounds
ASTM F 437	Threaded CPVC Plastic Fittings, Schedule 80
ASTM F 439	CPVC Plastic Fittings, Schedule 80
ASTM F 441	CPVC Plastic Pipe, Schedules 40 and 80
ASTM F 493	Solvent Cements for CPVC Pipe and Fittings
NSF Standard 14	Plastic Piping Components and Related Materials
NSF Standard 61	Drinking Water System Components - Health Effects

Note: Latest revision of all standards apply.

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RECOMMENDED PRODUCT SPECIFICATION

Suggested Specification

System: **PVC Schedule 40 Pressure Pipe and Fitting System**

Scope: This specification covers PVC Schedule 40 pipe and fittings for pressure applications. This system is intended for pressure applications where the operating temperature will not exceed 140°F.

Specification: Pipe and fittings shall be manufactured from virgin rigid PVC (polyvinyl chloride) vinyl compounds with a Cell Class of 12454 as identified in ASTM D 1784.

PVC Schedule 40 pipe shall be Iron Pipe Size (IPS) conforming to ASTM D 1785. PVC Schedule 40 fittings shall conform to ASTM D 2466. Pipe and fittings shall be manufactured as a system and be the product of one manufacturer. All pipe and fittings shall be manufactured in the United States. Pipe and fittings shall conform to National Sanitation Foundation (NSF) Standard 61 or the health effects portion of NSF Standard 14.

Installation shall comply with the latest installation instructions published by Charlotte Pipe and Foundry and shall conform to all local plumbing, building, and fire code requirements. Solvent cement joints shall be made in a two step process with primer manufactured for thermoplastic piping systems and solvent cement conforming to ASTM D 2564. The system shall be protected from chemical agents, fire stopping materials, thread sealant, plasticized vinyl products, or other aggressive chemical agents not compatible with PVC compounds. Systems shall be hydrostatically tested after installation. Testing with compressed air or gas is not recommended.

Referenced Standards:

ASTM D 1784	Rigid Vinyl Compounds
ASTM D 1785	PVC Plastic Pipe, Schedule 40
ASTM D 2466	PVC Plastic Fittings, Schedule 40
ASTM D 2564	Solvent Cements for PVC Pipe and Fittings
NSF Standard 14	Plastic Piping Components and Related Materials
NSF Standard 61	Drinking Water System Components - Health Effects

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RECOMMENDED PRODUCT SPECIFICATION

Suggested Specification

System: **PVC Schedule 80 Pressure Pipe and Fitting System**

Scope: This specification covers PVC Schedule 80 pipe and fittings for pressure applications. This system is intended for pressure applications where the operating temperature will not exceed 140°F.

Specification: Pipe and fittings shall be manufactured from virgin rigid PVC (polyvinyl chloride) vinyl compounds with a Cell Class of 12454 as identified in ASTM D 1784.

PVC Schedule 80 pipe shall be Iron Pipe Size (IPS) conforming to ASTM D 1785. PVC Schedule 80 fittings shall conform to ASTM D 2467. PVC Schedule 80 threaded fittings shall conform to ASTM D 2464. Pipe and fittings shall be manufactured as a system and be the product of one manufacturer. All pipe and fittings shall be manufactured in the United States. Pipe and fittings shall conform to National Sanitation Foundation (NSF) Standard 61 or the health effects portion of NSF Standard 14.

Installation shall comply with the latest installation instructions published by Charlotte Pipe and Foundry and shall conform to all local plumbing, building, and fire code requirements. Solvent cement joints shall be made in a two step process with primer manufactured for thermoplastic piping systems and solvent cement conforming to ASTM D 2564. The system shall be protected from chemical agents, fire stopping materials, thread sealant, plasticized vinyl products, or other aggressive chemical agents not compatible with PVC compounds. Systems shall be hydrostatically tested after installation. Testing with compressed air or gas is not recommended.

Referenced Standards:

ASTM D 1784	Rigid Vinyl Compounds
ASTM D 1785	PVC Plastic Pipe, Schedule 80
ASTM D 2464	PVC Threaded Fittings, Schedule 80
ASTM D 2467	PVC Plastic Fittings, Schedule 80
ASTM D 2564	Solvent Cements for PVC Pipe and Fittings
NSF Standard 14	Plastic Piping Components and Related Materials
NSF Standard 61	Drinking Water System Components - Health Effects

Note: Latest revision of all standards apply.

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RECOMMENDED PRODUCT SPECIFICATION

Suggested Specification

System: **PVC SDR Pressure Pipe and Fitting System**

Scope: This specification covers PVC Standard Dimensional Ratio (SDR) pipe and fittings for pressure applications. This system is intended for pressure applications where the operating temperature will not exceed 140°F.

Specification: Pipe and fittings shall be manufactured from virgin rigid PVC (polyvinyl chloride) vinyl compounds with a Cell Class of 12454 as identified in ASTM D 1784.

PVC SDR pipe shall be Iron Pipe Size (IPS) conforming to ASTM D 2241 for plain end pipe and ASTM D 2672 for belled-end pipe. PVC Schedule 40 (IPS) fittings shall conform to ASTM D 2466. Pipe and fittings shall be manufactured as a system and be the product of one manufacturer. All pipe and fittings shall be manufactured in the United States. Pipe and fittings shall conform to National Sanitation Foundation (NSF) Standard 61 or the health effects portion of NSF Standard 14.

Installation shall comply with the latest installation instructions published by Charlotte Pipe and Foundry and shall conform to all local plumbing, building, and fire code requirements. Solvent cement joints shall be made in a two step process with primer manufactured for thermoplastic piping systems and solvent cement conforming to ASTM D 2564. The system shall be protected from chemical agents, fire stopping materials, thread sealant, plasticized vinyl products, or other aggressive chemical agents not compatible with PVC compounds. Systems shall be hydrostatically tested after installation. Testing with compressed air or gas is not recommended.

Referenced Standards:

ASTM D 1784	Rigid Vinyl Compounds
ASTM D 2241	PVC Pressure Rated Pipe (SDR Series)
ASTM D 2672	Joints for IPS PVC Pipe Using Solvent Cement
ASTM D 2466	PVC Plastic Fittings, Schedule 40
ASTM D 2564	Solvent Cements for PVC Pipe and Fittings
NSF Standard 14	Plastic Piping Components and Related Materials
NSF Standard 61	Drinking Water System Components - Health Effects

Note: Latest revision of all standards apply.

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RECOMMENDED PRODUCT SPECIFICATION

Suggested Specification

System: **PVC Schedule 40 Solid Wall Pipe and PVC DWV Fitting System**

Scope: This specification covers PVC Schedule 40 solid wall pipe and PVC DWV fittings used in sanitary drain, waste, and vent (DWV), sewer, and storm drainage applications. This system is intended for use in non-pressure applications where the operating temperature will not exceed 140°F.

Specification: Pipe and fittings shall be manufactured from virgin rigid PVC (polyvinyl chloride) vinyl compounds with a Cell Class of 12454 as identified in ASTM D 1784.

PVC Schedule 40 pipe shall be Iron Pipe Size (IPS) conforming to ASTM D 1785 and ASTM D 2665. PVC DWV fittings shall conform to ASTM D 2665. Pipe and fittings shall be manufactured as a system and be the product of one manufacturer. All pipe and fittings shall be manufactured in the United States. All systems shall utilize a separate waste and vent system. Pipe and fittings shall conform to National Sanitation Foundation Standard 14.

Installation shall comply with the latest installation instructions published by Charlotte Pipe and Foundry and shall conform to all local plumbing, building, and fire code requirements. Solvent cement joints shall be made in a two step process with primer manufactured for thermoplastic piping systems and solvent cement conforming to ASTM D 2564. The system shall be protected from chemical agents, fire stopping materials, thread sealant, plasticized vinyl products, or other aggressive chemical agents not compatible with PVC compounds. Systems shall be hydrostatically tested after installation. Testing with compressed air or gas is not recommended.

Referenced Standards:

ASTM D 1784	Rigid Vinyl Compounds
ASTM D 1785	PVC Plastic Pipe, Schedule 40
ASTM D 2665	PVC Drain, Waste, and Vent Pipe & Fittings
ASTM D 2564	Solvent Cements for PVC Pipe and Fittings
NSF Standard 14	Plastic Piping Components and Related Materials

Note: Latest revision of all standards apply.

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HANDLING AND STORAGE OF PVC AND CPVC PIPE

RECEIVING PIPE:

As pipe is received, it must always be thoroughly inspected, prior to unloading. The person receiving the pipe must look for any transportation damage caused by over-tightened tie-down straps, improper treatment, or a shift in the load.

Pipe received in a closed trailer must be inspected as the trailer is opened. Take extra time to ensure that the pipe has not been damaged by other materials having been stacked on top of it, load shift, or rough handling.

Visually examine the pipe ends for any cracks, splits, gouges, or other forms of damage. Additionally, the pipe should be inspected for severe deformation which could later cause joining problems. The entire inside diameter of larger diameter pipe (4" and above) must be checked for any internal splits or cracks which could have been caused by loading or transit. The use of a flashlight may be necessary to perform this inspection.

Any damages must be observed by all parties involved, including the driver, and should be clearly noted on the bill of lading and/or delivery ticket. A copy of this document should be retained by the receiver. In addition, the manufacturer and carrier should be notified, within 24 hours, of any damages, shortages, or mis-shipped products.

HANDLING PIPE:

The pipe should be handled with reasonable care. Because thermoplastic pipe is much lighter in weight than metal pipe, there is sometimes a tendency to throw it around. This should be avoided.

The pipe should never be dragged or pushed from a truck bed. Removing and handling pallets of pipe should be done with a forklift. Loose pipe lengths require special handling to avoid damage.

Precautions to follow when unloading and handling loose pieces include not banging lengths together or dropping lengths, even from low heights, on hard or uneven surfaces.

In all cases, severe contact with any sharp objects (rocks, angle irons, forks on forklifts, etc.) should be avoided. Also, the pipe should never be lifted or moved by inserting the forks of a forklift into the pipe ends.

Handling PVC and particularly CPVC pipe diameters greater than 4-inch requires extra care as the added pipe weight can cause cracking from relatively minor impacts. Also, plastic pipe becomes more brittle as the temperature decreases. The impact strength and flexibility of PVC and especially CPVC pipe are reduced. Therefore, take extra care when handling skids or loose lengths when the temperature drops below 50° F.

STORING PIPE:

If possible, pipe should be stored inside. When this is not possible, the pipe should be stored on level ground which is dry and free from sharp objects. If different schedules of pipe are stacked together, the pipe with the thickest walls should be on the bottom.

If the pipe is in pallets, the pallets should be stacked with the pallet boards touching, rather than pallet boards being placed on the pipe. This will prevent damage to or bowing of the pipe.

If the pipe is stored in racks, it should be continuously supported along its length. If this is not possible, the spacing of the supports should not exceed three feet (3').

The pipe should be protected from the sun and be in an area with proper ventilation. This will lessen the effects of ultraviolet rays and help prevent heat build-up.



DIMENSIONS AND WEIGHTS

PVC and CPVC Schedule 40 Pipe

Nominal Pipe Size (in.)	Outside Diameter	Min. Wall	Approximate Wt. (lbs/100 ft)	
			PVC	CPVC
1/2	.840	.109	16.2	17.3
3/4	1.050	.113	21.4	23.0
1	1.315	.133	31.5	34.2
1 1/4	1.660	.140	42.6	46.3
1 1/2	1.900	.145	50.8	55.3
2	2.375	.154	68.2	74.3
2 1/2	2.875	.203	107.0	117.9
3	3.500	.216	140.8	154.2
4	4.500	.237	200.5	219.6
5	5.563	.258	272.5	—
6	6.625	.280	353.3	386.1
8	8.625	.322	538.6	581.1
10	10.750	.365	755.0	823.8
12	12.750	.406	1001.0	1089.2
14	14.000	.438	1180.1	—
16	16.000	.500	1543.1	—

PVC and CPVC Schedule 80 Pipe

Nominal Pipe Size (in.)	Outside Diameter	Min. Wall	Approximate Wt. (lbs/100 ft)	
			PVC	CPVC
1/4	.540	.119	10.0	10.9
3/8	.675	.126	13.8	15.0
1/2	.840	.147	20.4	22.1
3/4	1.050	.154	27.0	30.0
1	1.315	.179	41.0	44.2
1 1/4	1.660	.191	52.2	61.0
1 1/2	1.900	.200	66.8	73.9
2	2.375	.218	94.5	102.2
2 1/2	2.875	.276	144.5	155.9
3	3.500	.300	194.2	208.6
4	4.500	.337	275.2	304.9
5	5.563	.375	387.3	—
6	6.625	.432	541.5	581.5
8	8.625	.500	805.2	882.9
10	10.750	.593	1200.0	1309.1
12	12.750	.687	1650.0	1801.2
14	14.000	.750	1930.0	—
16	16.000	.843	2544.1	—

Note: All dimensions are in inches.

SDR Pressure Pipe

Nominal Pipe Size (in.)	Outside Diameter	SDR 13.5 (PR 315)		SDR 21 (PR 200)		SDR 26 (PR 160)	
		Min. Wall	Approx. Wt. (lbs/100 ft)	Min. Wall	Approx. Wt. (lbs/100 ft)	Min. Wall	Approx. Wt. (lbs/100 ft)
1/2	.840	.062	9.5				
3/4	1.050			.060	12.9		
1	1.315			.063	17.1		
1 1/4	1.660			.079	26.3	.064	21.4
1 1/2	1.900			.090	33.8	.073	27.7
2	2.375			.113	52.1	.091	42.8
2 1/2	2.875			.137	75.8	.110	63.9
3	3.500			.167	111.8	.135	93.4
4	4.500			.214	184.8	.173	151.0
5	5.563			.265	282.3	.214	230.9
6	6.625			.316	417.5	.255	336.9
8	8.625			.410	676.5	.332	553.4
10	10.750			.511	1051.6	.413	858.9
12	12.750					.490	1208.5
14	14.000					.538	1472.0
16	16.000					.615	1919.0

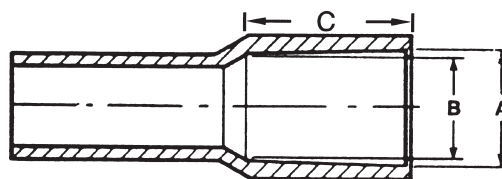
Note: All dimensions are in inches.

DIMENSIONS AND WEIGHTS

Socket Dimensions For Belled-End Pipe

NOM. Pipe size	ASTM Standard	SOCKET ENTRANCE (A)		SOCKET BOTTOM (B)		SOCKET LENGTH (C)		
		I.D. Min.	I.D. Max.	I.D. Min.	I.D. Max.	SDR	Schedule 40	Schedule 80
1/2	D 2672	.844	0.852	0.832	0.840	2.000	2.000	1.000
3/4	D 2672	1.054	1.062	1.042	1.050	2.250	2.250	1.250
1	D 2672	1.320	1.330	1.305	1.315	2.500	2.500	1.500
1 1/4	D 2672	1.665	1.675	1.650	1.660	2.750	2.750	1.750
1 1/2	D 2672	1.906	1.918	1.888	1.900	3.000	3.000	2.000
2	D 2672	2.381	2.393	2.357	2.369	4.000	—	2.250
2	F 480	2.380	2.392	2.357	2.369	—	4.000	—
2 1/2	D 2672	2.882	2.896	2.854	2.868	4.000	—	2.500
2 1/2	F 480	2.880	2.894	2.854	2.868	—	4.000	—
3	D 2672	3.508	3.524	3.476	3.492	4.000	—	3.250
3	F 480	3.506	3.522	3.476	3.492	—	4.000	—
4	D 2672	4.509	4.527	4.473	4.491	5.000	—	4.000
4	F 480	4.508	4.526	4.473	4.491	—	5.000	—
6	D 2672	6.636	6.658	6.592	6.614	6.500	—	6.000
6	F 480	6.637	6.659	6.592	6.614	—	6.500	—
8	D 2672	8.640	8.670	8.583	8.613	—	—	6.000
8	F 480	8.634	8.664	8.583	8.613	—	7.000	—
10	D 2672	10.761	10.791	10.707	10.737	—	9.000	7.500
12	D 2672	12.763	12.793	12.706	12.736	—	10.000	8.500
14	D 2672	14.020	14.050	13.970	14.000	—	10.000	9.000
16	D 2672	16.030	16.060	15.965	15.995	—	10.000	10.000

Note: All dimensions are in inches.



PRESSURE RATINGS

MAXIMUM OPERATING PRESSURE (PSI) AT 73°F

Nominal Pipe Size	Schedule 80 PVC and CPVC		Schedule 40 PVC and CPVC (2)	SDR 26 PVC (2)	SDR 21 PVC (2)	SDR 13.5 PVC (2)
	Plain End	Threaded				
1/4	1130	570	780	—	—	—
3/8	920	460	620	—	—	—
1/2	850	420	600	—	—	315
3/4	690	340	480	—	200	—
1	630	320	450	—	200	—
1 1/4	520	260	370	160	200	—
1 1/2	470	240	330	160	200	—
2	400	200	280	160	200	—
2 1/2	420	210	300	160	200	—
3	370	190	260	160	200	—
4	320	160	220	160	200	—
5	290	Threading	190	160	200	—
6	280	pipe above	180	160	200	—
8	250	4" is not	160	160	200	—
10	230	recommended	140	160	200	—
12	230		130	160	200	—
14	220 (1)		130 (1)	160	—	—
16	220 (1)		130 (1)	160	—	—

The operating pressures listed above are based on the hydrostatic design of the pipe using water at 73° F as the test medium. See page 17 for correction factors for temperatures above 73° F.

The PVC pipe shown is for PVC 1120 with a cell class of 12454. The CPVC pipe shown is for CPVC 4120 with a cell class of 24448 or 23447.

The pressure ratings for the pipe shown were derived by using the following equation:

$$P = \frac{2ST}{D-T}$$

Where: **P** = pressure (psi)
D = average outside diameter
T = minimum wall thickness
S = hydrostatic design stress (HDS)*

*The HDS for Charlotte Pipe and Foundry's PVC and CPVC compounds is 2,000 psi.

(1) PVC only.

(2) Threading is not recommended. Also, PVC and CPVC Schedule 80 pipe operating above 130° F should not be threaded.

PVC AND CPVC PIPING PRODUCTS ARE NOT RECOMMENDED FOR SYSTEMS WHICH TRANSPORT OR STORE COMPRESSED AIR OR GASES. DO NOT TEST PVC OR CPVC PIPING SYSTEMS WITH COMPRESSED AIR OR GASES. ALWAYS BLEED ALL ENTRAPPED AIR FROM THE SYSTEM PRIOR TO TESTING.

PRESSURE/TEMPERATURE RELATIONSHIP

The operating pressure of PVC and CPVC pipe will be reduced as the operating temperature increases above 73° F. To calculate this reduction, multiply the operating pressures shown on the previous page by the correction factors shown below:

Operating Temperature (°F)	Correction Factors	
	PVC	CPVC
73	1.00	1.00
80	.88	1.00
90	.75	.91
100	.62	.82
110	.50	.77
120	.40	.65
130	.30	.62
140	.22	.50
150	NR	.47
160	NR	.40
170	NR	.32
180	NR	.25
200	NR	.20

For example, the operating pressure for 6" Schedule 80 CPVC pipe is 280 psi. If the operating temperature is 140° F, the maximum operating pressure is now 140 psi (280 x .50).

Note: Operating temperatures above 140° F for PVC and 200° F for CPVC piping products are not recommended.

Friction Loss

Friction loss through PVC and CPVC pipe is normally obtained by using the Hazen-Williams equation shown below for water:

$$f = 0.2083 \times \left(\frac{100}{C}\right)^{1.852} \times \frac{Q^{1.852}}{di^{4.8655}}$$

where:

- f** = friction head loss in feet of water per 100 feet of pipe
- C** = constant for inside pipe roughness (C = 150 for PVC and CPVC pipe)
- Q** = flow in U.S. gallons per minute
- di** = inside diameter of pipe in inches

Water Velocities

Water velocities in feet per second may be calculated as follows:

$$V = 0.408709 \frac{Q}{di^2}$$

where:

- V** = velocity in feet per second
- Q** = flow in U.S. gallons per minute
- di** = inside diameter of pipe in inches

Manning Roughness Factor ("N" Value)

Another flow coefficient that is used is the Manning "N" value. This coefficient relates to the interior wall smoothness of pipe and is used for liquids with a steady flow, at a constant depth, in a prismatic open channel.

Laboratory tests have shown that the "N" value for PVC and CPVC pipe ranges from .008 to .012. The table below shows "N" values for other piping materials.

"N" Values For Typical Piping Materials

Piping Material	"N" Values
Cast Iron	.011 - .015
Finished Concrete	.011 - .015
Unfinished Concrete	.013 - .017
Corrugated Metal	.021 - .027
Glass	.009 - .013
Clay	.011 - .017

Friction Loss Through Fittings

The friction loss through fittings is considered to be equivalent to the loss through a certain number of linear feet of pipe of the same diameter as the fittings. To determine the loss through a piping system, add together the number of "equivalent feet" calculated for the fittings in the system.

The chart below shows approximate friction losses, in equivalent feet, for a variety of PVC and CPVC fittings of different sizes.

Approximate Friction Loss For PVC and CPVC Fittings In Equivalent Feet Of Straight Pipe

Fitting	1/2"	3/4"	1"	1 1/4"	1 1/2"	2"	2 1/2"	3"	4"	6"	8"
Tee (Run)	1.0	1.4	1.7	2.3	2.7	4.3	5.1	6.2	8.3	12.5	16.5
Tee (Branch)	4.0	5.0	6.0	7.3	8.4	12.0	15.0	16.4	22.0	32.7	49.0
90° Elbow	1.5	2.0	2.5	3.8	4.0	5.7	6.9	7.9	12.0	18.0	22.0
45° Elbow	.80	1.1	1.4	1.8	2.1	2.6	3.1	4.0	5.1	8.0	10.6
Male/Female Adapter	1.0	1.5	2.0	2.75	3.5	4.5	5.5	6.5	9.0	14.0	—

The tables on pages 19-22 show friction heads in feet and friction losses in psi. They also show the gallons per minute

(GPM) and velocities (in feet per second) for various pipe sizes.

FLUID FLOW PROPERTIES

FRICION LOSS AND FLOW VELOCITY FOR SCHEDULE 40 THERMOPLASTIC PIPE

(Friction head and friction loss are per 100 feet of pipe.) CAUTION: Flow velocity should not exceed 5 feet per second. PVC and CPVC pipe cannot be used for compressed air service.

Gallons Per Minute	1/2 in.			3/4 in.			1 in.			1 1/4 in.			2 in.			2 1/2 in.			3 in.			14 in.			16 in.		
	Velocity Feet Per Second	Friction Head Feet	Friction Loss Pounds Per Square Inch	Velocity Feet Per Second	Friction Head Feet	Friction Loss Pounds Per Square Inch	Velocity Feet Per Second	Friction Head Feet	Friction Loss Pounds Per Square Inch	Velocity Feet Per Second	Friction Head Feet	Friction Loss Pounds Per Square Inch	Velocity Feet Per Second	Friction Head Feet	Friction Loss Pounds Per Square Inch	Velocity Feet Per Second	Friction Head Feet	Friction Loss Pounds Per Square Inch	Velocity Feet Per Second	Friction Head Feet	Friction Loss Pounds Per Square Inch	Velocity Feet Per Second	Friction Head Feet	Friction Loss Pounds Per Square Inch	Velocity Feet Per Second	Friction Head Feet	Friction Loss Pounds Per Square Inch
1	1.13	2.08	0.90	0.63	0.51	0.22	0.77	0.55	0.24	0.14	0.06	0.33	0.07	0.03	0.49	0.066	0.029	0.30	0.038	0.016	0.22	0.015	0.007				
2	2.26	4.16	1.80	1.26	1.02	0.44	1.93	1.72	0.75	0.81	0.19	0.81	0.22	0.09	0.69	0.11	0.048	0.49	0.051	0.023	0.31	0.021	0.009				
5	5.64	23.44	10.15	3.16	5.73	2.48	4.86	6.02	2.61	1.55	0.67	1.62	0.72	0.31	0.98	0.21	0.091	0.68	0.09	0.039	0.44	0.03	0.013				
7	7.90	43.06	18.64	4.43	10.52	4.56	3.86	6.02	2.61	2.21	1.42	2.42	1.53	0.66	1.46	0.45	0.19	1.03	0.19	0.082	0.66	0.07	0.030				
10	11.28	82.02	35.51	6.32	20.04	8.68	5.79	12.77	5.53	3.28	1.42	3.23	2.61	1.13	2.44	1.15	0.50	1.37	0.32	0.14	0.88	0.11	0.048				
15	0.51	0.03	0.013	9.48	42.46	18.39	7.72	21.75	9.42	4.42	5.59	4.04	3.95	1.71	2.44	1.15	0.50	1.71	0.49	0.21	1.10	0.17	0.074				
20	0.64	0.04	0.017	12.65	72.34	31.32	9.65	32.88	14.22	5.52	3.66	4.04	3.95	1.71	2.44	1.15	0.50	2.05	0.68	0.29	1.33	0.23	0.10				
25	0.77	0.06	0.026	0.49	0.02	0.009	11.58	46.08	19.95	6.63	5.13	4.85	5.53	2.39	2.93	1.62	0.70	2.39	0.91	0.39	1.55	0.31	0.13				
30	0.89	0.08	0.035	0.57	0.03	0.013	7.73	31.91	14.22	7.73	6.82	5.66	7.36	3.19	3.41	2.15	0.93	2.39	0.91	0.39	1.77	0.40	0.17				
35	1.02	0.11	0.048	0.65	0.03	0.013	8.84	20.18	8.74	8.84	8.74	6.47	9.43	4.08	3.90	2.75	1.19	2.73	1.16	0.50	1.99	0.50	0.22				
40	1.15	0.13	0.056	0.73	0.04	0.017	9.94	25.10	10.87	9.94	10.87	7.27	11.73	5.08	4.39	3.43	1.49	3.08	1.44	0.62	2.21	0.60	0.26				
45	1.28	0.16	0.069	0.81	0.05	0.022	11.05	30.51	13.21	11.05	13.21	8.08	14.25	6.17	4.88	4.16	1.80	3.42	1.75	0.76	2.65	0.85	0.37				
50	1.53	0.22	0.095	0.97	0.07	0.030	0.67	0.03	0.013	0.67	0.03	0.013	19.98	8.65	5.85	5.84	2.53	4.10	2.46	1.07	3.09	1.13	0.49				
60	1.79	0.30	0.13	1.14	0.10	0.043	0.79	0.04	0.017	0.79	0.04	0.017	8.08	9.70	6.83	7.76	3.36	4.79	3.27	1.42	3.98	1.28	0.55				
70	1.92	0.34	0.15	1.22	0.11	0.048	0.84	0.05	0.022	0.84	0.05	0.022	8.82	9.94	7.32	8.82	3.82	5.13	3.71	1.61	4.42	1.44	0.62				
80	2.05	0.38	0.16	1.30	0.13	0.056	0.90	0.05	0.022	0.90	0.05	0.022	9.43	10.87	7.80	9.94	4.30	5.47	4.19	1.81	4.98	1.80	0.78				
90	2.30	0.47	0.20	1.46	0.16	0.069	1.01	0.06	0.026	1.01	0.06	0.026	10.87	13.21	8.78	12.37	5.36	6.15	5.21	2.26	5.81	2.18	0.94				
100	2.56	0.58	0.25	1.62	0.19	0.082	1.12	0.08	0.035	1.12	0.08	0.035	14.25	16.17	9.75	15.03	6.51	6.84	6.33	2.74	6.63	2.67	1.43				
125	3.20	0.88	0.38	2.03	0.29	0.125	1.41	0.12	0.052	1.41	0.12	0.052	19.98	23.21	12.65	19.98	8.65	8.55	9.58	4.15	7.73	6.16	2.00				
150	3.84	1.22	0.53	2.44	0.40	0.17	1.69	0.16	0.069	1.69	0.16	0.069	25.10	30.51	16.17	25.10	13.21	10.26	13.41	5.81	8.83	7.88	3.41				
175	4.48	1.63	0.71	2.84	0.54	0.235	1.97	0.22	0.096	1.97	0.22	0.096	30.51	37.16	20.18	30.51	16.17	11.04	14.93	6.51	11.04	11.93	4.17				
200	5.11	2.08	0.90	3.25	0.69	0.30	2.25	0.28	0.12	2.25	0.28	0.12	37.16	45.13	24.18	37.16	20.18	12.65	16.17	7.27	12.65	14.93	4.77				
250	6.40	3.15	1.36	4.06	1.05	0.45	2.81	0.43	0.19	3.30	0.40	0.17	45.13	55.13	30.51	45.13	24.18	15.03	19.98	8.65	15.03	18.16	5.17				
300	7.67	4.41	1.91	4.87	1.46	0.63	3.37	0.60	0.26	4.11	0.48	0.21	55.13	66.17	37.16	55.13	24.18	18.16	23.21	9.75	18.16	21.43	5.67				
350	8.95	5.87	2.55	5.69	1.95	0.85	3.94	0.79	0.34	4.86	0.63	0.37	66.17	79.16	45.13	66.17	30.51	21.43	27.27	11.04	21.43	24.18	6.17				
400	10.23	7.52	3.26	6.50	2.49	1.08	4.49	1.01	0.44	5.69	0.85	0.49	79.16	94.16	55.13	79.16	37.16	24.18	31.32	12.65	24.18	27.27	6.67				
450				7.31	3.09	1.34	5.06	1.26	0.55	6.48	1.13	0.55	94.16	111.16	66.17	94.16	45.13	27.27	35.51	14.93	27.27	31.32	7.17				
500				8.12	3.76	1.63	5.62	1.53	0.66	7.27	1.41	0.66	111.16	132.16	79.16	111.16	55.13	31.32	39.56	17.27	31.32	35.51	7.67				
750							8.43	3.25	1.41	8.12	1.54	0.74	132.16	157.16	94.16	132.16	66.17	35.51	43.81	19.98	35.51	39.56	8.17				
1000							11.24	5.54	2.40																		
1250																											
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FLUID FLOW PROPERTIES

FRICION LOSS AND FLOW VELOCITY FOR SCHEDULE 80 THERMOPLASTIC PIPE

(Friction head and friction loss are per 100 feet of pipe.)

CAUTION: Flow velocity should not exceed 5 feet per second. PVC and CPVC pipe cannot be used for compressed air service.

Gallons Per Minute	1/2 in.	3/4 in.	1 in.	1 1/4 in.	2 in.	2 1/2 in.	3 in.	12 in.	14 in.	16 in.
1	1.48	1.74	0.86	0.37	0.041	0.10	0.041	0.041	0.041	0.041
2	2.95	3.48	1.72	0.74	0.30	0.30	0.126	0.126	0.126	0.126
5	7.39	19.59	4.61	1.91	0.94	0.94	0.24	0.24	0.24	0.24
7	10.34	35.97	6.46	2.69	1.32	1.32	0.34	0.34	0.34	0.34
10			8.78	3.63	1.88	1.88	0.45	0.45	0.45	0.45
15			11.76	5.15	2.81	2.81	0.62	0.62	0.62	0.62
20	0.57	0.017	20.36	6.82	3.75	3.75	0.95	0.95	0.95	0.95
25	0.72	0.026	34.68	9.50	5.43	5.43	1.26	1.26	1.26	1.26
30	0.86	0.035	52.43	11.69	7.62	7.62	1.69	1.69	1.69	1.69
35	1.00	0.048	73.48	14.03	10.13	10.13	2.25	2.25	2.25	2.25
40	1.15	0.061		16.50	12.98	12.98	3.03	3.03	3.03	3.03
45	1.29	0.074		19.14	16.14	16.14	4.07	4.07	4.07	4.07
50	1.43	0.091		21.87	19.61	19.61	5.38	5.38	5.38	5.38
60	1.72	0.13		28.70			7.30	7.30	7.30	7.30
70	2.01	0.17					9.87	9.87	9.87	9.87
75	2.15	0.19					11.26	11.26	11.26	11.26
80	2.29	0.22								
90	2.58	0.27								
100	2.87	0.33								
125	3.59	0.50								
150	4.30	0.70								
175	5.02	0.93								
200	5.73	1.19								
250	7.16	1.81								
300	8.60	2.52								
350	10.03	3.36								
400	11.47	4.30								
450										
500										
750										
1250										
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FLUID FLOW PROPERTIES

FRICION LOSS AND FLOW VELOCITY FOR SDR 26 THERMOPLASTIC PIPE

(Friction head and friction loss are per 100 feet of pipe.)

CAUTION: Flow velocity should not exceed 5 feet per second. PVC and CPVC pipe cannot be used for compressed air service.

Gallons Per Minute	3/2 in.			3/4 in.			1 in.			1 1/4 in.			1 1/2 in.			2 in.			2 1/2 in.			3 in.			
	Velocity Feet Per Second	Friction Head Feet	Friction Loss Pounds Per Square Inch	Velocity Feet Per Second	Friction Head Feet	Friction Loss Pounds Per Square Inch	Velocity Feet Per Second	Friction Head Feet	Friction Loss Pounds Per Square Inch	Velocity Feet Per Second	Friction Head Feet	Friction Loss Pounds Per Square Inch	Velocity Feet Per Second	Friction Head Feet	Friction Loss Pounds Per Square Inch	Velocity Feet Per Second	Friction Head Feet	Friction Loss Pounds Per Square Inch	Velocity Feet Per Second	Friction Head Feet	Friction Loss Pounds Per Square Inch	Velocity Feet Per Second	Friction Head Feet	Friction Loss Pounds Per Square Inch	
1	0.84	1.00	0.43	0.50	0.28	0.12	0.36	0.085	0.037	0.027	0.02	0.0087	0.17	0.01	0.004	0.44	0.045	0.020	0.83	0.027	0.012	0.83	0.027	0.012	
2	1.67	2.00	0.86	0.99	0.56	0.24	0.72	0.17	0.074	0.054	0.04	0.017	0.86	0.04	0.008	0.90	0.09	0.015	1.67	0.045	0.020	1.67	0.045	0.020	
5	4.17	11.25	4.87	2.47	3.14	1.36	1.48	0.91	0.39	0.36	0.13	0.059	3.66	0.28	0.025	3.66	0.28	0.025	4.17	0.08	0.035	4.17	0.08	0.035	
7	5.84	20.66	8.95	3.46	5.76	2.49	2.08	1.66	0.72	0.49	0.21	0.104	4.94	0.42	0.035	4.94	0.42	0.035	5.84	0.16	0.069	5.84	0.16	0.069	
10	8.34	39.34	17.03	4.94	10.96	4.74	2.96	3.16	1.37	1.79	0.40	0.20	6.69	0.47	0.043	6.69	0.47	0.043	8.34	0.33	0.14	8.34	0.33	0.14	
15				7.40	23.23	10.06	4.44	6.69	2.90	2.68	0.85	0.43	10.06	0.74	0.056	10.06	0.74	0.056		0.33	0.14		0.33	0.14	
20	0.48	0.02	0.009	9.87	39.57	17.13	5.92	11.40	4.94	3.58	1.45	0.74	13.41	1.18	0.095	13.41	1.18	0.095	20	0.25	0.11	20	0.25	0.11	
25	0.60	0.04	0.017				7.40	17.23	7.46	4.47	2.18	1.12	17.23	1.71	0.125	17.23	1.71	0.125	25	0.33	0.14	25	0.33	0.14	
30	0.72	0.05	0.022	0.47	0.02	0.009	8.88	24.15	10.46	5.36	2.62	1.57	24.15	2.16	0.15	24.15	2.16	0.15	30	0.42	0.18	30	0.42	0.18	
35	0.84	0.07	0.030	0.55	0.03	0.013	10.36	32.13	13.91	6.26	3.16	2.09	32.13	2.62	0.175	32.13	2.62	0.175	35	0.47	0.20	35	0.47	0.20	
40	0.96	0.09	0.039	0.63	0.03	0.013				7.15	5.22	2.68							40	0.57	0.25	40	0.57	0.25	
45	1.08	0.11	0.048	0.71	0.04	0.017	8.04	14.98	6.49	8.04	7.88	3.33	14.98	3.33	0.20	14.98	3.33	0.20	45	0.66	0.28	45	0.66	0.28	
50	1.20	0.14	0.061	0.78	0.05	0.022	8.94	18.21	7.88	8.94	8.94	3.66	18.21	3.66	0.225	18.21	3.66	0.225	50	0.74	0.32	50	0.74	0.32	
60	1.44	0.19	0.082	0.94	0.07	0.030				8.16	13.10	5.67							60	0.83	0.36	60	0.83	0.36	
70	1.67	0.25	0.11	1.10	0.09	0.039	9.52	17.42	7.54	9.52	9.52	6.06	17.42	6.06	0.25	17.42	6.06	0.25	70	0.92	0.40	70	0.92	0.40	
75	1.79	0.29	0.13	1.18	0.10	0.043	10.19	19.80	8.57	10.19	10.19	6.66	19.80	6.66	0.275	19.80	6.66	0.275	75	0.98	0.43	75	0.98	0.43	
80	1.91	0.32	0.14	1.25	0.12	0.052	10.87	22.31	9.66	10.87	10.87	7.22	22.31	7.22	0.29	22.31	7.22	0.29	80	1.04	0.47	80	1.04	0.47	
90	2.15	0.40	0.17	1.41	0.14	0.061	12.23	27.75	12.02	12.23	12.23	8.16	27.75	8.16	0.31	27.75	8.16	0.31	90	1.12	0.52	90	1.12	0.52	
100	2.39	0.49	0.21	1.57	0.18	0.078	13.59	33.73	14.61	13.59	13.59	8.66	33.73	8.66	0.33	33.73	8.66	0.33	100	1.18	0.57	100	1.18	0.57	
125	2.99	0.74	0.33	1.96	0.27	0.12				0.83	0.027	0.012							125	1.26	0.63	125	1.26	0.63	
150	3.59	1.04	0.45	2.35	0.37	0.16	0.83	0.037	0.015	1.05	0.04	0.017							150	1.34	0.05	150	1.34	0.05	
175	4.19	1.39	0.60	2.74	0.50	0.22	1.14	0.06	0.026	1.26	0.05	0.022							175	1.49	0.06	175	1.49	0.06	
200	4.79	1.77	0.77	3.13	0.63	0.27	1.30	0.07	0.030	1.47	0.075	0.033							200	1.57	0.07	200	1.57	0.07	
250	5.98	2.68	1.16	3.92	0.96	0.42	1.63	0.11	0.048	1.68	0.09	0.039							250	1.90	0.11	250	1.90	0.11	
300	7.18	3.75	1.62	4.70	1.34	0.58	1.95	0.16	0.069	1.89	0.11	0.048							300	2.23	0.13	300	2.23	0.13	
350	8.38	5.00	2.17	5.49	1.79	0.77	2.28	0.21	0.091	2.10	0.14	0.061							350	2.68	0.16	350	2.68	0.16	
400	9.57	6.39	2.77	6.27	2.28	0.99	2.61	0.27	0.12	2.49	0.18	0.078							400	3.16	0.20	400	3.16	0.20	
450	10.77	7.95	3.44	7.05	2.84	1.23	3.14	0.33	0.14	3.14	0.29	0.104							450	3.73	0.25	450	3.73	0.25	
500	11.96	9.66	4.18	7.84	3.45	1.49	3.64	0.41	0.18	3.64	0.37	0.13							500	4.47	0.30	500	4.47	0.30	
750				11.75	7.31	3.17	6.51	1.47	0.64	6.51	0.64	0.22							750	6.29	0.46	750	6.29	0.46	
1000							8.15	2.23	0.96	8.15	0.96	0.33							1000	8.94	0.72	1000	8.94	0.72	
1250							9.77	3.11	1.35	9.77	1.35	0.46							1250	10.43	0.96	1250	10.43	0.96	
1500							13.03	5.30	2.29	13.03	2.29	0.78							1500	13.41	1.53	1500	13.41	1.53	
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FLUID FLOW PROPERTIES

FRICITION LOSS AND FLOW VELOCITY FOR SDR 21 THERMOPLASTIC PIPE

(Friction head and friction loss are per 100 feet of pipe.)

CAUTION: Flow velocity should not exceed 5 feet per second. PVC and CPVC pipe cannot be used for compressed air service.

Gallons Per Minute	1/2 in.			3/4 in.			1 in.			1 1/4 in.			1 1/2 in.			2 in.			2 1/2 in.			3 in.		
	Velocity Feet Per Second	Friction Head Feet	Friction Loss Pounds Per Square Inch	Velocity Feet Per Second	Friction Head Feet	Friction Loss Pounds Per Square Inch	Velocity Feet Per Second	Friction Head Feet	Friction Loss Pounds Per Square Inch	Velocity Feet Per Second	Friction Head Feet	Friction Loss Pounds Per Square Inch	Velocity Feet Per Second	Friction Head Feet	Friction Loss Pounds Per Square Inch	Velocity Feet Per Second	Friction Head Feet	Friction Loss Pounds Per Square Inch	Velocity Feet Per Second	Friction Head Feet	Friction Loss Pounds Per Square Inch	Velocity Feet Per Second	Friction Head Feet	Friction Loss Pounds Per Square Inch
1	0.84	1.00	0.44	0.50	0.28	0.12	0.60	0.30	0.13	0.04	0.29	0.05	0.022	0.18	0.023	0.010	0.31	0.031	0.014	0.20	0.015	0.006		
2	1.67	2.00	0.87	0.99	0.56	0.24	1.50	0.93	0.41	0.13	0.71	0.15	0.065	0.45	0.06	0.025	0.43	0.044	0.020	0.29	0.021	0.009		
5	4.17	11.25	4.87	2.47	3.14	1.36	2.09	1.70	0.74	0.23	0.99	0.28	0.12	0.63	0.081	0.035	0.61	0.07	0.03	0.41	0.03	0.013		
7	5.84	20.66	8.95	3.46	5.76	2.49	2.99	3.24	1.40	0.44	1.41	0.52	0.23	0.90	0.17	0.074	0.62	0.06	0.026	0.62	0.06	0.026		
10	8.34	39.34	17.03	4.94	10.96	4.75	4.49	6.86	2.97	0.94	2.12	1.11	0.48	1.35	0.37	0.16	0.92	0.14	0.061	0.83	0.09	0.039		
15				7.40	23.23	10.06	5.98	11.68	5.06	1.59	2.83	1.89	0.82	1.80	0.63	0.27	1.23	0.25	0.11	1.23	0.25	0.11		
20	0.50	0.03	0.013	9.87	39.57	17.13	7.48	17.66	7.65	2.41	3.54	2.85	1.23	2.25	0.95	0.41	1.53	0.37	0.16	1.53	0.37	0.16		
25	0.62	0.04	0.017				8.97	24.76	10.72	3.38	4.24	4.00	1.73	2.71	1.34	0.58	1.84	0.52	0.23	1.84	0.52	0.23		
30	0.75	0.06	0.026	0.49	0.02	0.009	10.47	32.94	14.26	4.48	5.66	5.32	2.30	3.16	1.78	0.77	2.15	0.70	0.30	2.15	0.70	0.30		
35	0.87	0.08	0.035	0.57	0.03	0.013	11.53			5.66	6.36	6.02	2.95	3.61	2.27	0.98	2.45	0.89	0.39	2.45	0.89	0.39		
40	1.00	0.10	0.043	0.65	0.04	0.017	12.59			6.36	7.15	6.81	3.67	4.06	2.83	1.23	2.76	1.11	0.48	2.76	1.11	0.48		
45	1.12	0.12	0.052	0.74	0.04	0.017	13.65			7.15	8.49	8.14	4.46	4.51	3.44	1.59	3.07	1.35	0.58	3.07	1.35	0.58		
50	1.25	0.15	0.065	0.82	0.05	0.022	14.71			8.49	10.29	9.94	5.32	5.41	4.82	2.09	3.68	1.89	0.82	3.68	1.89	0.82		
60	1.50	0.21	0.091	0.98	0.08	0.035	16.77			11.17	14.42	14.07	6.24	6.31	6.41	2.78	4.29	2.51	1.09	4.29	2.51	1.09		
70	1.75	0.28	0.12	1.14	0.10	0.048	18.83			13.65	19.19	18.84	8.31	6.31	6.41	3.44	4.91	3.22	1.39	4.91	3.22	1.39		
75	1.87	0.32	0.14	1.23	0.11	0.048	20.89			15.77	21.80	21.45	9.44	7.21	8.21	3.55	5.52	4.00	1.73	5.52	4.00	1.73		
80	2.00	0.36	0.16	1.31	0.13	0.056	22.95			17.83	24.42	24.07	10.61	8.12	10.21	4.42	6.14	4.86	2.10	6.14	4.86	2.10		
90	2.25	0.45	0.19	1.47	0.16	0.069	25.01			20.89	28.14	27.79	12.18	9.02	12.41	5.37	6.76	5.74	2.81	6.76	5.74	2.81		
100	2.50	0.54	0.23	1.63	0.19	0.082	27.07			24.42	32.86	32.51	13.65	10.61	14.84	6.24	7.29	6.66	3.72	7.29	6.66	3.72		
125	3.13	0.82	0.36	2.04	0.30	0.13	32.86			32.86	44.24	43.89	18.84	13.65	18.84	8.31	8.12	7.73	5.17	8.12	7.73	5.17		
150	3.75	1.15	0.50	2.45	0.41	0.18	37.91			44.24	55.62	55.27	23.00	16.77	23.00	10.61	9.02	8.63	6.14	9.02	8.63	6.14		
175	4.37	1.54	0.67	2.86	0.55	0.24	42.96			55.62	67.00	66.65	28.14	19.19	28.14	13.65	10.21	9.86	7.29	10.21	9.86	7.29		
200	4.99	1.96	0.85	3.27	0.70	0.30	47.01			66.65	78.38	78.03	33.91	21.80	33.91	16.77	11.17	10.71	8.12	11.17	10.71	8.12		
250	6.24	2.97	1.29	4.09	1.06	0.46	55.62			78.03	94.42	94.07	41.42	26.66	41.42	21.80	13.65	12.41	10.61	13.65	12.41	10.61		
300	7.49	4.16	1.80	4.90	1.48	0.64	64.19			94.42	111.77	111.42	50.00	31.65	50.00	26.66	16.77	14.84	13.65	16.77	14.84	13.65		
350	8.74	5.54	2.40	5.72	1.98	0.86	72.96			111.42	130.00	129.65	58.58	36.60	58.58	31.65	19.19	17.29	16.77	19.19	17.29	16.77		
400	9.99	7.09	3.07	6.54	2.53	1.10	81.73			129.65	149.42	149.07	67.16	41.42	67.16	36.60	21.80	19.86	19.19	21.80	19.86	19.19		
450	11.24	8.82	3.82	7.35	3.14	1.36	91.48			149.07	169.84	169.49	75.74	46.36	75.74	41.42	24.42	22.41	21.80	24.42	22.41	21.80		
500	12.48	10.72	4.64	8.17	3.82	1.65	101.23			169.49	191.23	190.88	84.32	51.23	84.32	46.36	27.07	24.42	23.00	27.07	24.42	23.00		
750				12.26	8.09	3.50																		
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Water Hammer

Water hammer is a term used to describe the sudden increase in pressure created by quickly stopping, starting, or changing the direction of the flow of fluid in a piping system. Typical actions which cause water hammer are:

- (1) Quickly closing a valve
- (2) Quickly opening a valve
- (3) Starting pumps with an empty discharge line
- (4) A high speed wall of liquid (such as starting a pump) suddenly changes direction (such as going through a 90° elbow)
- (5) Moving entrapped air through the system

The pressure increase generated must be added to the fluid pressure already existing in the piping system to determine the total pressure the system must withstand. If water hammer is not accounted for, the sudden pressure surge could be enough to burst the pipe, or break the fittings or valves.

The nomograph shown on page 24 may be used to predict the pressure surge that will result from given service conditions. The chart may be used for any industrial liquid. Since the values given by the chart indicate only the pressure rise in the system, the value of the static pressure head must be added to the pressure rise to give the maximum pressures experienced in the system under the conditions involved.

Taking the following measures will help prevent problems:

- (1) Keep fluid velocities under 5 feet per second.
- (2) Use actuated valves with controlled opening and closing speeds.
- (3) Instruct operators of manual valves on the proper opening and closing speeds.
- (4) When starting a pump, partially close the valve in the discharge line to minimize the volume of liquid accelerating through the system. Fully open the valve after the line is completely filled.
- (5) Use a check valve in the pipe line, near the pump, to keep the line full.
- (6) Use air relief valves to control the amount of air that is admitted or exhausted throughout the piping system.
- (7) Design the piping system so that the total pressure (operating plus water hammer surge) does not exceed the pressure rating of the lowest rated component in the system.

How To Use The Nomograph On The Following Page:

1. Liquid Velocity (feet/second), pipeline length (feet), and valve closing time (seconds) must be known.
2. Place a straight edge on the liquid velocity in pipe (line A) and the pipeline length (line D).
3. Mark intersection of straight edge with pivot line (line C).
4. Place straight edge on mark just placed on pivot line (line C) and on valve closing time for valve being used (line A).
5. The intersection of the straight edge with the pressure increase line (line B) is the liquid momentum surge pressure (water hammer).

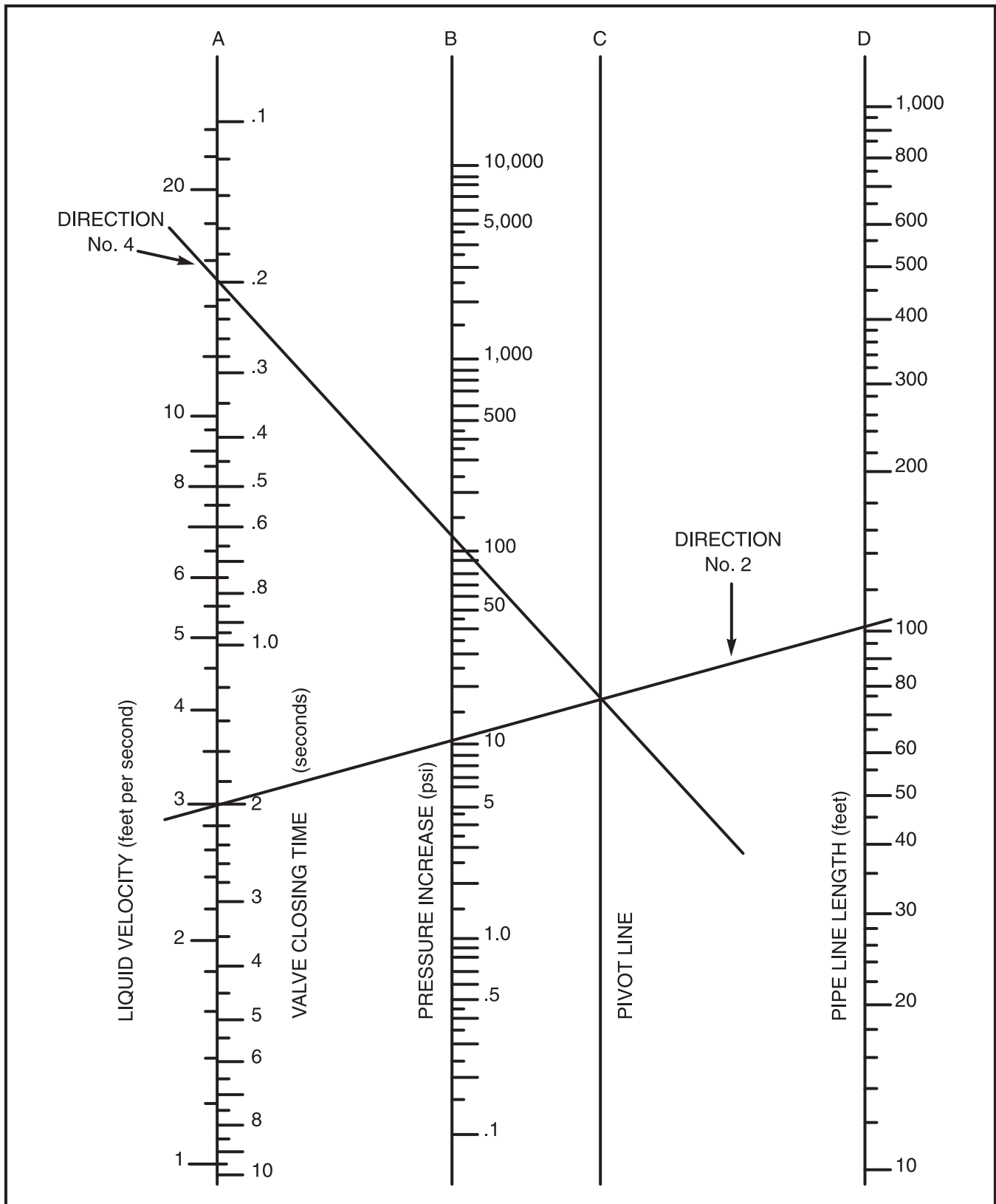
The liquid momentum surge pressure should be added to the operating line pressure to determine the system's maximum line pressure. The maximum line pressure is used to select the proper pipe schedule or wall thickness.

The nomograph is based on the formula

$$P = \frac{0.070VL}{T}$$

where P is increase in pressure due to momentum surge in psi, L is pipeline length in feet, V is liquid velocity in feet per second, and T is valve closing time in seconds.

Water Hammer Nomograph



DESIGN & ENGINEERING DATA

Entrapped Air

Source

There are many potential sources for air in pipelines. Air may be introduced at the point where fluid enters the system or during initial filling of the system.

Problem

Air in a piping system tends to accumulate at high points in the system. As the flowrate increases, the entrapped air is forced along the pipeline by the moving water. These pockets of air cause flow restrictions reducing the efficiency and performance of the system. Liquids are about 5 times more dense than air at 100 psi, so when a pocket of air reaches an outlet, it escapes rapidly and the fluid rushes to

replace the void. Such pressure surges can easily exceed the strength of a piping system and it's components.

Solution

Designers should be concerned about entrapped air, but the issue of entrapped air is very complex. The behavior of air in a piping system is not easy to analyze, but the effects can be devastating. Obviously, the best way to reduce problems would be to prevent air from entering the system. Systems should be filled slowly and air vented from the high points before the system is pressurized. Additionally, air relief valves should be installed at high points in the system to vent air that accumulates during service.

WEATHERING

UV Exposure

PVC pipe can suffer surface discoloration when exposed to ultraviolet (UV) radiation from sunlight. UV radiation affects PVC when energy from the sun causes excitation of the molecular bonds in the plastic. The resulting reaction occurs only on the exposed surface of the pipe and to the extremely shallow depths of .001 to .003 inches. The effect does not continue when exposure to sunlight is terminated.

A two-year study was undertaken to quantify the effects of UV radiation on the properties of PVC pipe (See Uni-Bell's UNI-TR-5). The study found that exposure to UV radiation results in a change in the pipe's surface color and a reduction in impact strength. Other properties such as tensile strength (pressure rating) and modulus of elasticity (pipe stiffness) are not adversely affected.

The presence of an opaque shield between the sun and the pipe prevents UV degradation. UV radiation will not penetrate thin shields such as paint coatings or wrappings. Burial of PVC pipe provides complete protection against UV attack.

The most common method used to protect above ground PVC pipe from the sun is painting with a latex (water base) paint. Preparation of the surface to be painted is very important. The pipe should be cleaned to remove moisture, dirt, and oil and wiped with a clean, dry cloth. Petroleum-based paints should not be used, since the presence of petroleum will prevent proper bonding of paint to pipe.

Reference Uni-Bell PVC Pipe Association 2001

SUPPORT SPACING FOR PVC AND CORZAN CPVC PIPE

Adequate support for any piping system is a matter of great importance. In practice, support spacings are a function of pipe size, operating temperatures, the location of heavy valves or fittings, and the mechanical properties of the pipe material.

To ensure the satisfactory operation of a PVC or CPVC piping system, the location and type of hangers should be carefully considered. The principles of design for steel piping systems are generally also applicable to PVC and CPVC piping systems, but with some notable areas where special consideration should be exercised.

- (1) Concentrated loads (valves, flanges, etc.) should be supported directly so as to eliminate high stress concentrations. Should this be impractical, then the pipe must be supported immediately adjacent to the load.
- (2) In systems where large fluctuations in temperature occur, allowance must be made for expansion and contraction of the piping system. Since changes in direction in the system are usually sufficient to allow expansion and contraction, hangers must be placed so as not to restrict this movement.
- (3) Changes in direction should be supported as close as practical to the fitting to avoid introducing excessive torsional stresses into the system.

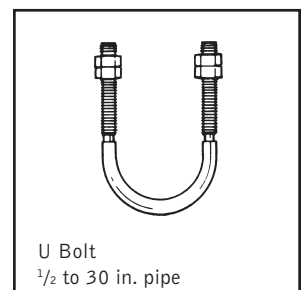
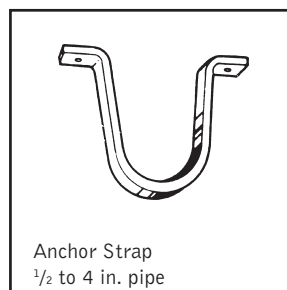
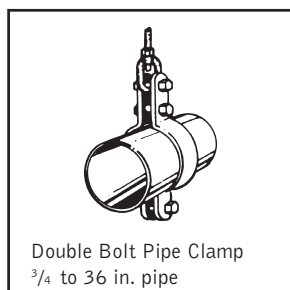
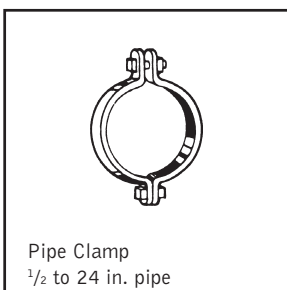
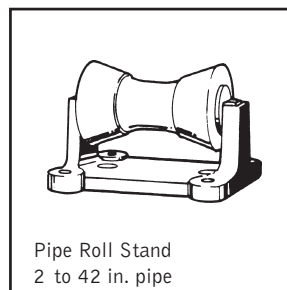
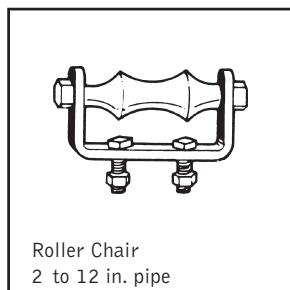
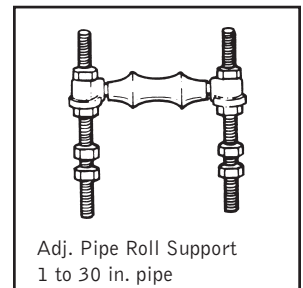
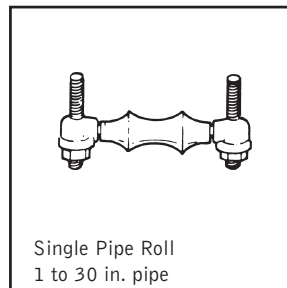
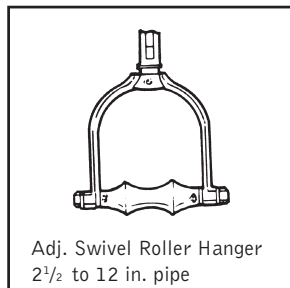
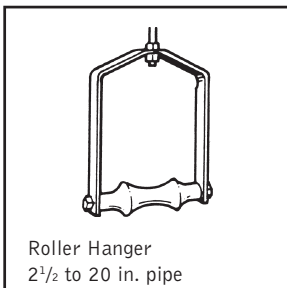
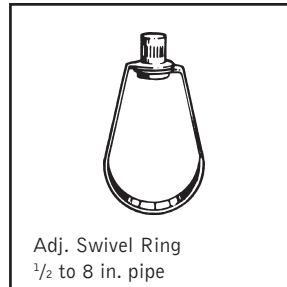
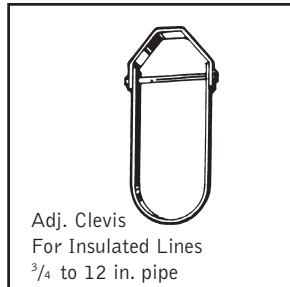
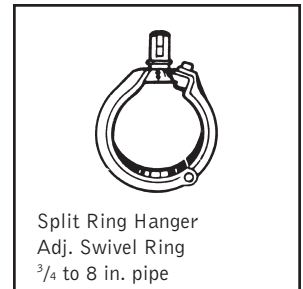
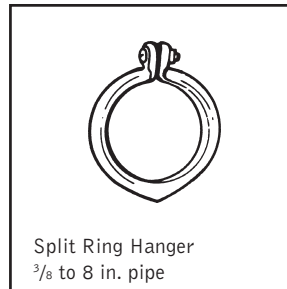
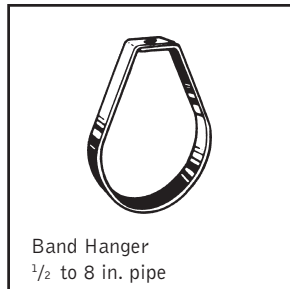
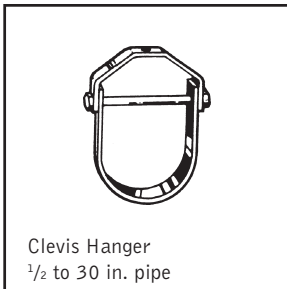
- (4) Since PVC and CPVC pipe expand or contract approximately five times as much as steel, hangers should not restrict this movement. When using a clamp type hanger, the hanger should not force the pipe and fittings into position.
- (5) Hangers should provide as much bearing surface as possible. To prevent damage to the pipe, file smooth any sharp edges or burrs on the hangers or supports.
- (6) Valves should be braced against operating torque.
- (7) PVC and CPVC lines must not be placed alongside steam or other high temperature pipe lines or other high temperature objects.
- (8) Support spacing for horizontal piping systems is determined by the maximum operating temperatures the systems will encounter. The piping should be supported on uniform centers with supports that do not restrict the axial movement of the pipe. The chart below shows the recommended support spacing according to size, schedule, and operating temperatures. These spacings apply to continuous spans of uninsulated lines, with no concentrated loads, conveying liquids with specific gravities of up to 1.00.

SUPPORT SPACING (IN FEET)

Nom. Pipe Size (in.)	PVC PIPE															CPVC PIPE											
	PR 160 & 200					Schedule 40					Schedule 80					Schedule 40						Schedule 80					
	Temp. °F					Temp. °F					Temp. °F					Temp. °F						Temp. °F					
	60	80	100	120	140	60	80	100	120	140	60	80	100	120	140	60	80	100	120	140	180	60	80	100	120	140	180
1/2	3 1/2	3 1/2	3	2		4 1/2	4 1/2	4	2 1/2	2 1/2	5	4 1/2	4 1/2	3	2 1/2	5	5	4 1/2	4 1/2	4	2 1/2	5 1/2	5 1/2	5	4 1/2	4 1/2	2 1/2
3/4	4	3 1/2	3	2		5	4 1/2	4	2 1/2	2 1/2	5 1/2	5	4 1/2	3	2 1/2	5 1/2	5	5	4 1/2	4	2 1/2	5 1/2	5 1/2	5 1/2	5	4 1/2	2 1/2
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This data is based upon information provided by the raw material manufacturers. It should be used only as a reference and not as a guarantee of performance. Installations must comply with all local plumbing codes and regulations.

RECOMMENDED PIPE HANGERS, CLAMPS, AND SUPPORTS



EXPANSION AND CONTRACTION OF ABS, PVC, AND CPVC

ABS and PVC pipe, like other piping materials, undergo length changes as a result of temperature variations above and below the installation temperature. They expand and contract 4.5 to 5 times more than steel or iron pipe. The extent of the expansion or contraction is dependent upon the piping material's coefficient of linear expansion, the length of pipe between directional changes, and the temperature differential.

The coefficients of linear expansion (Y) for ABS, PVC, and CPVC (expressed in inches of expansion per 10°F temperature change per 100 feet of pipe) are as follows:

Material	Y (in./10°F/100 ft)
ABS	0.66
PVC	0.36
CPVC	0.408

The amount of expansion or contraction can be calculated using the following formula:

$$\Delta L = \frac{Y (T_1 - T_2)}{10} \times \frac{L}{100}$$

ΔL = Dimensional change due to thermal expansion or contraction (in.)

Y = Expansion coefficient (See table above.) (in./10°F/100 ft)

(T₁-T₂) = Temperature differential between the installation temperature and the maximum or minimum system temperature, whichever provides the greatest differential (°F).

L = Length of pipe run between changes in direction (ft)

Example:

How much expansion can be expected in a 300 foot straight run of 2" diameter PVC pipe installed at 70°F and operating at 120°F?

Solution:

$$\Delta L = .360 \frac{(120 - 70)}{10} \times \frac{300}{100} = .360 \times 5 \times 3 = 5.4 \text{ inches}$$

There are several ways to compensate for expansion and contraction. The most common methods are:

1. Expansion loops which consist of pipe and 90° elbows (See Figure 1)
2. Piston type expansion joints* (See Figure 2)
3. Flexible bends*
4. Bellows and rubber expansion joints*

*The manufacturers of these devices should be contacted to determine the suitability of their products for the specific application.

Expansion loops are a simple and convenient way to compensate for expansion and contraction when there is sufficient space for the loop in the piping system. A typical expansion loop design is shown below.

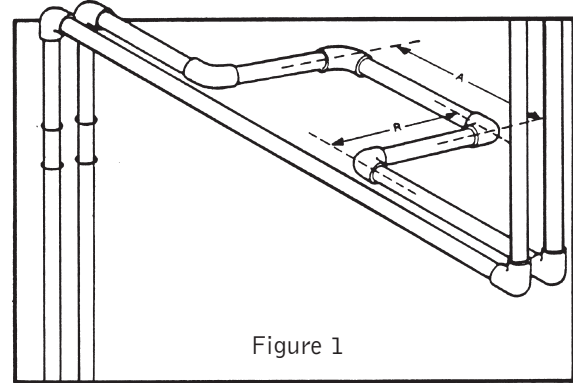


Figure 1

The length of leg "R" can be determined by using the following formula to ensure that it is long enough to absorb the expansion and contraction movement without damage. The length of leg "A" should be 1/2 the length of leg "R".

$$R = 1.44 \sqrt{D \Delta L}$$

R = Expansion loop leg length (ft)

D = Nominal outside diameter of pipe (in.) (See table below.)

ΔL = Dimensional change due to thermal expansion or contraction (in.)

Example: How long should the expansion loop legs be to compensate for the expansion in a system that has 215 feet of 3" diameter PVC pipe installed at 75°F and operating at 135°F?

$$\text{Solution: } R = 1.44 \sqrt{3.500 \times 4.644} = 1.44 \sqrt{16.254} = 5.80'$$

$$A = \frac{5.80'}{2} = 2.90'$$

When installing the expansion loop, no rigid or restraining supports should be placed within the leg lengths of the loop. The loop should be installed as closely as possible to the mid-point between anchors. Piping support guides should restrict lateral movement and direct axial movement into the loop. Lastly, the pipe and fittings should be solvent cemented together, rather than using threaded connections.

Compensation for expansion and contraction in underground applications is normally achieved by snaking the pipe in the trench. Solvent cemented joints must be used.

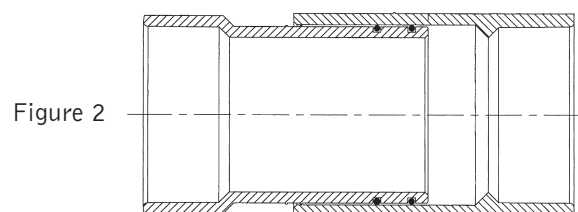


Figure 2

Piston-type expansion joint illustrated.

ABS, PVC, and CPVC pipe and fittings can be installed underground. Since these piping systems are flexible systems, proper attention should be given to burial conditions. The stiffness of the piping system is affected by sidewall support, soil compaction, and the condition of the trench. Trench bottoms should be smooth and regular in either undisturbed soil or a layer of compacted backfill. Pipe must lie evenly on this surface throughout the entire length of its barrel. Excavation, bedding and backfill should be in accordance with the provisions of the local Plumbing Code having jurisdiction.

Trenching

The following trenching and burial procedures should be used to protect the piping system.

1. The trench should be excavated to ensure the sides will be stable under all working conditions.
2. The trench should be wide enough to provide adequate room for the following.
 - A. Joining the pipe in the trench.
 - B. Snaking the pipe from side to side to compensate for expansion and contraction.
 - C. Filling and compacting the side fills.

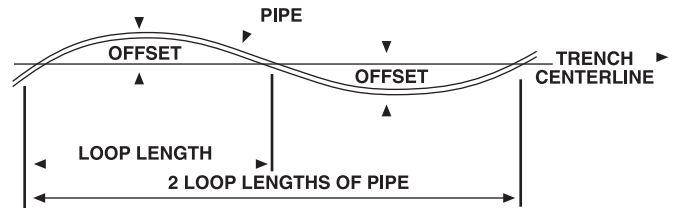
The space between the pipe and trench wall must be wider than the compaction equipment used in the compaction of the backfill. Minimum width shall be not less than the greater of either the pipe outside diameter plus 16 inches or the pipe outside diameter times 1.25 plus 12 inches. Trench width may be different if approved by the design engineer.

3. The trench bottom should be smooth, free of rocks and debris, continuous, and provide uniform support. If ledge rock, hardpan or large boulders are encountered, the trench bottom should be padded with bedding of compacted granular material to a thickness of at least 4 inches. Foundation bedding should be installed as required by the engineer.
4. Trench depth is determined by the pipe's service requirements. Plastic pipe should always be installed at least below the frost level. The minimum cover for lines subject to heavy overhead traffic is 24 inches.
5. A smooth, trench bottom is necessary to support the pipe over its entire length on firm stable material. Blocking should not be used to change pipe grade or to intermittently support pipe over low sections in the trench.

Compensation for expansion and contraction in underground applications is normally achieved by snaking the pipe in the trench. Solvent cemented joints must be used.

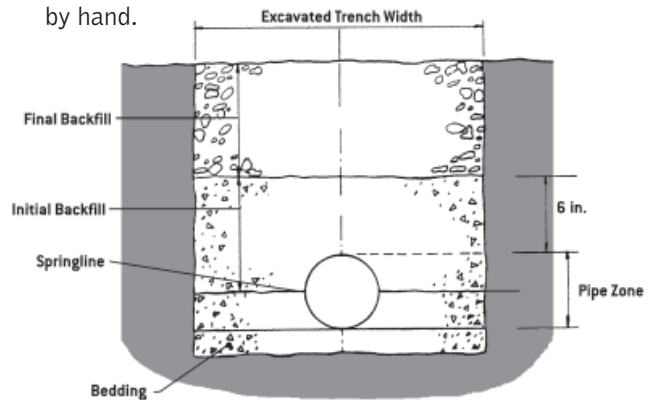
The following table shows recommended offsets and loop lengths for piping up to 2 1/2" nominal size.

Loop Length In Feet	Max. Temp. Variation °F, Between Installation and Final Operation									
	10°	20°	30°	40°	50°	60°	70°	80°	90°	100°
20	3.0	3.5	4.5	5.0	6.0	6.5	7.0	7.0	8.0	8.0
50	7.0	9.0	11.0	13.0	14.0	15.5	17.0	18.0	19.0	20.0
100	13.0	18.0	22.0	26.0	29.0	31.5	35.0	37.0	40.0	42.0



Bedding and Backfilling

1. Even though sub-soil conditions vary widely from place to place, the pipe backfill should be stable and provide protection for the pipe.
2. The pipe should be surrounded with a granular material which is easily worked around the sides of the pipe. Backfilling should be performed in layers of 6 inch with each layer being sufficiently compacted to 85% to 95% compaction.
3. A mechanical tamper is recommended for compacting sand and gravel backfill which contain a significant proportion of fine grained material, such as silt and clay. If a tamper is not available, compacting should be done by hand.



4. The trench should be completely filled. The backfill should be placed and spread in fairly uniform layers to prevent any unfilled spaces or voids. Large rocks, stones, frozen clods, or other large debris should be removed. Heavy tampers or rolling equipment should only be used to consolidate only the final backfill.

Additional information is contained in ASTM D 2321 "Underground Installation of Thermoplastic pipe for sewers and other gravity-flow applications."

Solvent Cementing PVC and CPVC Pipe and Fittings

BASIC PRINCIPLES OF SOLVENT CEMENTING

To make consistently good joints the following should be clearly understood:

1. The joining surfaces must be softened and made semi-fluid.
2. Sufficient cement must be applied to fill the gap between pipe and fitting.
3. Assembly of pipe and fittings must be made while the surfaces are still wet and fluid.
4. Joint strength develops as the cement dries. In the tight part of the joint the surfaces will tend to fuse together, in the loose part the cement will bond to both surfaces.

Penetrating and softening can be achieved by the use of both primer and cement. A suitable primer will usually penetrate and soften the surfaces more quickly than the cement alone. Additionally, the use of a primer can provide a safety factor for the installer, for he can know, under various temperature conditions, when he has achieved sufficient softening. For example, in cold weather more time and additional applications are required.

PRIMERS AND CEMENTS

Primer

It is recommended that a high quality primer be used to prepare the surfaces of pipe and fittings for solvent welding. Do not use water, rags, gasoline, or any other substitutes for cleaning PVC or CPVC surfaces. A chemical cleaner such as MEK may be used.

Cement

Make sure the solvent cement used is suitable for the type and size of the pipes being installed. PVC cement must be used with PVC pipe and fittings. CPVC cement must be used with CPVC pipe and fittings. Also, cement with the proper viscosity for the type and size of pipe, must be used. Contact the supplier of the cement if there are any questions on the suitability of the cement for the intended application.

Solvent cements are formulated to be used "as received" in original containers. Adding of thinners to change viscosity is

not recommended. If the cement is found to be jelly-like and is not free-flowing, it should not be used. Containers should be kept covered when not in actual use.

Solvent cements should be stored at temperatures between 40° F and 110° F and away from heat or open flame. The cements should be used within one year of the date stamped on the container. Stocks should be constantly rotated to prevent build-up of old cement inventories. If new cement is subjected to freezing it may become extremely thick or gelled. This cement can be placed in a warm area where, after a period of time, it will return to its original, useable condition. But such is not the case when gellation has taken place because of actual solvent loss; for example, when container was left open too long during use or not sealed properly after use. Cement in this condition has lost its formulation and should be discarded.

Solvent cements and primers are extremely flammable and should not be used or stored near heat or open flame. They should be used only with adequate ventilation. In confined or partially enclosed areas, a ventilating device should be used to remove vapors and minimize their inhalation. Containers should be kept tightly closed when not in use and covered as much as possible when in use. Avoid frequent contact with the skin. In case of eye contact, flush repeatedly with water. Keep out of reach of children.

Applicators

To properly apply the primer and cement, the correct size and type of applicator must be used. There are three basic types of applicators:

Daubers — should only be used on pipe sizes 2" and below, and should have a width equal to 1/2 the diameter of the pipe.

Brushes — can be used on any diameter pipe, should always have natural bristles, and should have a width equal to at least 1/2 the diameter of the pipe.

Rollers — can be used on 4" and larger diameter pipe and should have a length equal to at least 1/2 the diameter of the pipe.

The chart below shows the recommended applicator sizes.

Nominal Pipe Size (in.)	Applicator Type		
	Dauber	Brush Width (in.)	Roller Length (in.)
1/4	A	1/2	NR
3/8	A	1/2	NR
1/2	A	1/2	NR
3/4	A	1	NR
1	A	1	NR
1 1/4	A	1	NR
1 1/2	A	1 - 1 1/2	NR
2	A	1 - 1 1/2	NR
2 1/2	NR	1 1/2 - 2	NR
3	NR	1 1/2 - 2 1/2	NR
4	NR	2 - 3	3
5	NR	3 - 5	3
6	NR	3 - 5	3
8	NR	4 - 6	7
10	NR	6 - 8	7
12	NR	6 - 8	7
14	NR	7 - 8	7
16	NR	8+	8

A = Acceptable

NR = Not Recommended

MAKING THE JOINTS

1. Preparation

Before starting to make any joints, the pipe and fittings should be visually inspected for any damage or defects. The fittings should be exposed to the same temperature conditions as the pipe, for at least one hour prior to installation, so that the pipe and fittings are basically at the same temperature when joined.

3. Deburring and Chamfering

Remove all burrs from end of pipe with a knife, file, or plastic pipe deburring tool. Chamfer (bevel) the end of the pipe 10°-15° as shown to the right.



2. Cutting

Cut pipe square using a miter box or a plastic pipe cutting tool which DOES NOT flare up diameter at end of pipe.



4. Cleaning

Remove any dirt, moisture, or grease from pipe end and fitting sockets with a clean dry rag. A chemical cleaner must be used if the wiping fails to clean the surfaces.



5. Dry Fitting

Check dry fit of pipe and fitting by inserting pipe into fitting. With light pressure, pipe should easily go at least 1/3 of the way in. If it bottoms, it should be snug.



6. Priming

Using the correct applicator (as shown in chart), apply primer freely to fitting socket, keeping the surface and applicator wet until the surface has been softened. This will usually require 5-15 seconds. More time is needed for hard surfaces and in cold weather conditions. Redip the applicator in primer as required. When the surface is primed, remove any puddles of primer from the socket.



A second application in the socket is recommended if it has unusually hard surfaces. These hard surfaces are often found in belled-ends and in fittings made from pipe stock.

Apply the primer to the end of the pipe equal to the depth of the fitting socket. Application should be made in the same manner as was done on the fitting socket.

7. Cementing

While the surfaces of the pipe and fitting are still wet with primer, immediately apply a full even layer of cement to the pipe using the proper size applicator shown in chart) equal to the depth of the socket.



Apply a medium layer of cement to the fitting socket. Do not let the cement puddle. Also, when joining belled-end pipe, do not coat beyond the bell depth or allow the cement to run down the inside of the pipe.



Apply a second full even layer of cement to the pipe. Assemble parts QUICKLY! Parts must be assembled while cement is still fluid. If assembly is interrupted, recoat parts and assemble. Push pipe FULLY into fitting, using a turning motion, if possible, of 1/8 to 1/4 turn, until it bottoms. Hold them together for 15 - 30 seconds to offset tendency of pipe to move out of fittings. With a rag, wipe off excess bead of cement from juncture of pipe and fitting.



Note: For pipe sizes 6" and larger, two people will be required, a mechanical forcing device should be used, and the joint should be held together for up to 3 minutes.

Joint Curing

The joint should not be disturbed until it has initially set. The chart below shows the recommended initial set times.

Recommended Initial Set Times

Temperature Range	Pipe Sizes 1/2" to 1 1/4"	Pipe Sizes 1 1/2" to 3"	Pipe Sizes 4" to 8"	Pipe Sizes 10" to 16"
60° - 100° F	15 min	30 min	1 hr	2 hr
40° - 60° F	1 hr	2 hr	4 hr	8 hr
0° - 40° F	3 hr	6 hr	12 hr	24 hr

The joint should not be pressure tested until it has cured. The exact curing time varies with temperature, humidity, and pipe size. The following chart shows suggested curing times.

Recommended Curing Time Before Pressure Testing

RELATIVE HUMIDITY 60% or Less*	CURE TIME Pipe Sizes 1/2" to 1 1/4"		CURE TIME Pipe Sizes 1 1/2" to 3"		CURE TIME Pipe Sizes 4" to 8"		CURE TIME Pipe Sizes 10" to 16"
Temperature Range During Assembly and Cure Periods	Up to 180 psi	Above 180 to 370 psi	Up to 180 psi	Above 180 to 315 psi	Up to 180 psi	Above 180 to 315 psi	Up to 100 psi
60° - 100° F	1 hr	6 hr	2 hr	12 hr	6 hr	24 hr	24 hr
40° - 60° F	2 hr	12 hr	4 hr	24 hr	12 hr	48 hr	48 hr
0° - 40° F	8 hr	48 hr	16 hr	96 hr	48 hr	8 days	8 days

*For relative humidity above 60%, allow 50% more cure time.

The above data are based on laboratory tests and are intended as guidelines. For more specific information, contact should be made with the cement manufacturer.

Testing Pressure System

1. Prior to testing, safety precautions should be instituted to protect personnel and property in case of test failure.
2. Conduct pressure testing with water. DO NOT USE AIR OR OTHER GASES for pressure testing.
3. The piping system should be adequately anchored to limit movement. Water under pressure exerts thrust forces in piping systems. Thrust blocking should be provided at changes of direction, change in size and at dead ends.
4. The piping system should be slowly filled with water, taking care to prevent surge and air entrapment. The flow rate should not exceed 5 feet per second (see charts on pages 19 through 22).
5. All trapped air must be slowly released. Vents must be provided at all high points of the piping system. All valves and air relief mechanisms should be opened so that the air can be vented while the system is being filled. Trapped air is extremely dangerous and it must be slowly and completely vented prior to testing.
6. Once an installation is completed and cured the system should be filled with water and pressure tested in accordance with local code requirements. However, care must be taken to ensure the pressure does not exceed the working pressure of the lowest component in the system (valves, unions, flanges, threaded parts, etc.)
7. The pressure test should not exceed one hour. Any leaking joints or pipe must be cut out and replaced and the line recharged and retested using the same procedure.

THREADING PVC AND CPVC PIPE

Only Schedule 80 PVC and CPVC pipe can be safely threaded. Schedule 40 PVC and CPVC pipe and PVC SDR pipe should **not** be threaded.

Due to the reduction in wall thickness at the point of threading, the pressure rating of the pipe is reduced by 50%. Therefore, threaded connections are not recommended for high pressure applications.

THREADING PROCEDURE

1. Cutting

The pipe must be cut square using a power saw, a miter box, or a plastic pipe cutter. Burrs should be removed using a knife or deburring tool.

2. Threading

Threads can be cut using either hand held or power threading equipment. The cutting dies should be clean, sharp, and in good condition. Special dies for cutting plastic pipe are available and are recommended.

When using a hand threader, the dies should have a 5° to 10° negative front rake. When using a power threader, the dies should have a 5° negative front rake and the die heads should be self-opening. A slight chamfer to lead the dies will speed production. However, the dies should not be driven at high speeds or with heavy pressure.

When using a hand held threader, the pipe should be held in a pipe vise. To prevent crushing or scoring of the pipe, a protective wrap such as emery paper, canvas, rubber, or a light metal sleeve should be used.

Insert a tapered plug into the end of the pipe to be threaded. This plug will provide additional support and prevent distortion of the pipe in the threading area.

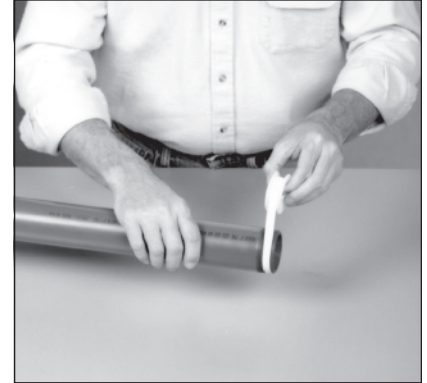
It is recommended that a cutting lubricant, such as a soap and water solution or a water soluble machine oil, be used during the threading operation. Also, clearing the cuttings from the die is highly recommended.

Do not over-thread the pipe. The diagram and table on the following page show the ASTM F 1498 dimensions for American Standard Taper Pipe Threads. Periodically check the threads with a ring gauge to ensure that the threads are accurate. The tolerance is $\pm 1\frac{1}{2}$ turns.

3. Installation

Brush the threads clean and wrap Teflon* thread tape around the entire length of the threads.⁽¹⁾ Start with the second full thread and wrap in the direction of the threads to prevent unraveling when the fitting is tightened onto the pipe. Overlap each wrap by one half the width of the tape.

⁽¹⁾Pipe joint compounds, pastes, or other thread lubricants are **not** recommended for use with PVC and CPVC pipe.



Thread the fitting onto the pipe and hand tighten. Further tighten the fitting (one to two turns past hand tight) by using a strap wrench only.

Avoid over tightening as this may cause thread or fitting damage.

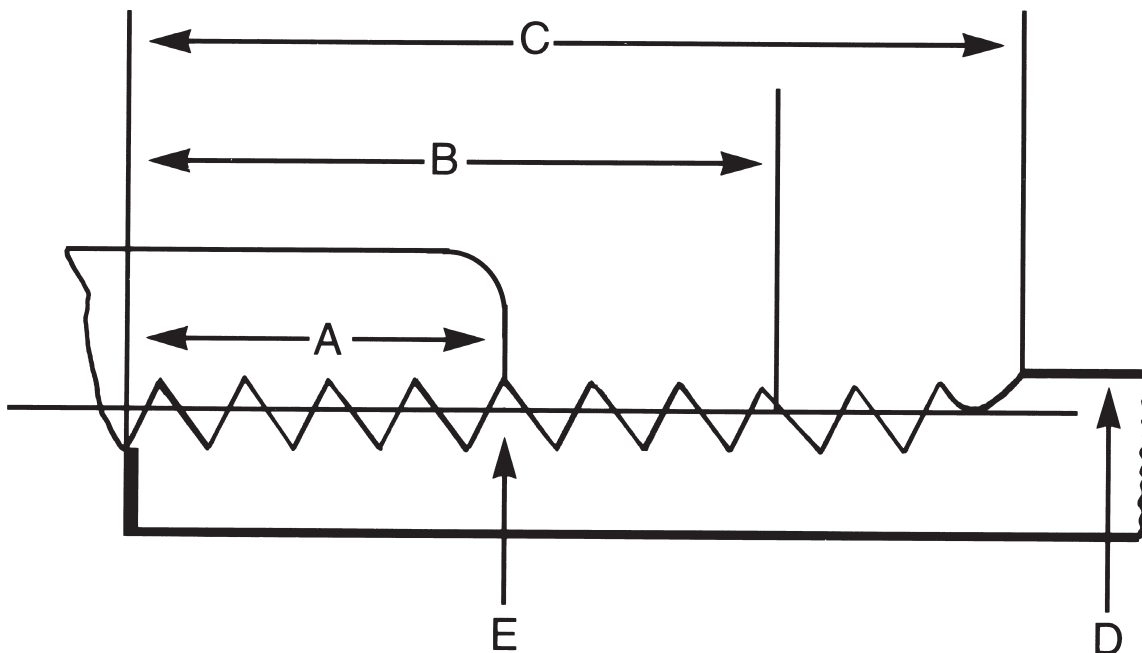
When combining plastic and metallic threaded systems, it is recommended that plastic male threads be screwed into metallic female threads rather than metallic male threads into plastic female threads.



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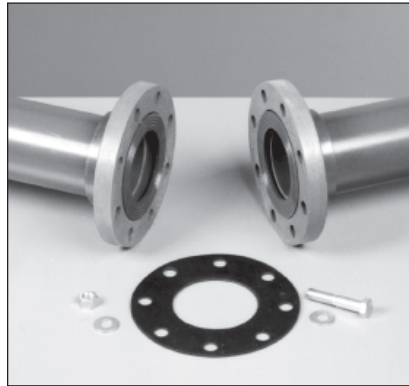
Taper Pipe Thread Dimensions Diagram



PIPE		THREADS					
Nominal Size In Inches	Outside Diameter In Inches (D)	Number of Threads Per Inch	Normal Engagement By Hand In Inches (A)	Length of Effective Thread In Inches (B)	Total Length: End of Pipe to Vanish Point In Inches (C)	Pitch Diameter at end of Internal Thread In Inches (E)	Maximum Depth of Thread In Inches
$\frac{1}{4}$	.540	18	.228	.4018	.5946	.49163	.04444
$\frac{3}{8}$	.675	18	.240	.4078	.6006	.62701	.04444
$\frac{1}{2}$	.840	14	.320	.5337	.7815	.77843	.05714
$\frac{3}{4}$	1.050	14	.339	.5457	.7935	.98887	.05714
1	1.315	$11\frac{1}{2}$	.400	.6828	.9845	1.23863	.06957
$1\frac{1}{4}$	1.660	$11\frac{1}{2}$	.420	.7068	1.0085	1.58338	.06957
$1\frac{1}{2}$	1.900	$11\frac{1}{2}$	.420	.7235	1.0252	1.82234	.06957
2	2.375	$11\frac{1}{2}$	.436	.7565	1.0582	2.29627	.06957
$2\frac{1}{2}$	2.875	8	.682	1.1375	1.5712	2.76216	.10000
3	3.500	8	.766	1.2000	1.6337	3.38850	.10000
4	4.500	8	.844	1.3000	1.7337	4.38713	.10000

FLANGING PVC AND CPVC PIPE

For systems where dismantling is required, flanging is a convenient joining method. It is also an easy way to join plastic and metallic systems.



- Use a torque wrench to tighten the bolts to the torque values shown below.



INSTALLATION

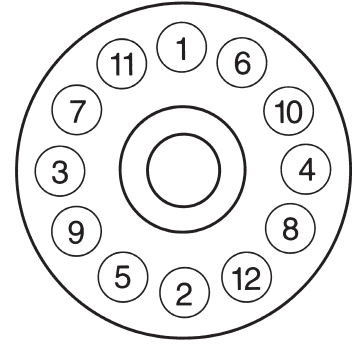
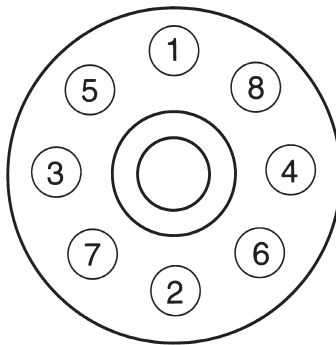
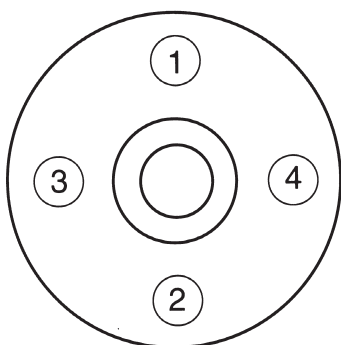
- Join the flange to the pipe using the procedures shown in the solvent cementing or threading sections (pages 30-35).
- Use a full faced elastomeric gasket which is resistant to the chemicals being conveyed in the piping system. A gasket 1/8" thick with a Durometer, scale "A", hardness of 55 -80 is normally satisfactory.
- Align the flanges and gasket by inserting all of the bolts through the mating flange bolt holes. Be sure to use properly sized flat washers under all bolt heads and nuts.
- Sequentially tighten the bolts corresponding to the patterns shown below.

RECOMMENDED TORQUE

Pipe Size In Inches	No. Bolt Holes	Bolt Diameter	Recommended Torque ft/lbs
1/2	4	1/2	10 - 15
3/4	4	1/2	10 - 15
1	4	1/2	10 - 15
1 1/4	4	1/2	10 - 15
1 1/2	4	1/2	10 - 15
2	4	5/8	20 - 30
2 1/2	4	5/8	20 - 30
3	4	5/8	20 - 30
4	8	5/8	20 - 30
6	8	3/4	33 - 50
8	8	3/4	33 - 50
10	12	7/8	53 - 75
12	12	7/8	53 - 75

Note: Flanges meet the bolt-pattern requirements of ANSI / ASME B 16.5

FLANGE BOLT TIGHTENING SEQUENCE



CHEMICAL RESISTANCE

The following table gives the chemical resistance of ABS, PVC and CPVC thermoplastic piping materials and three commonly used seal materials. The information shown is based upon laboratory tests conducted by the manufacturers of the materials, and it is intended to provide a general guideline on the resistance of these materials to various chemicals. **It is not a guarantee, and any piping systems using products made of these materials should be tested under actual service conditions to determine their suitability for a particular purpose.**

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	ABS	PVC	CPVC	Viton®	EPDM	Neoprene
Acetaldehyde	NR	NR	NR	NR	200	NR
Acetamide	120	• •	• •	NR	200	NR
Acetate Solvent, Crude	NR	NR	NR	• •	• •	• •
Acetate Solvent, Pure	NR	NR	NR	• •	• •	• •
Acetic Acid, 10%	120	140	180	NR	180	NR
Acetic Acid, 20%	NR	140	NR	NR	180	NR
Acetic Acid, 50%	NR	73	NR	NR	140	NR
Acetic Acid, 80%	NR	73	NR	NR	100	NR
Acetic Acid, Glacial	NR	NR	NR	NR	100	NR
Acetic Anhydride	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	70
Acetone	NR	NR	NR	NR	130	NR
Acetonitrile	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	70
Acetophenone	NR	NR	NR	NR	140	NR
Acetyl Chloride	NR	NR	NR	185	NR	NR
Acetylene	160§	140§	180§	200	200	70
Acetyl Nitrile	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
Acrylic Acid	NR	NR	NR	• •	• •	• •
Acrylonitrile	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
Adipic Acid (Sat'd)	• •	140	180	200	200	200
Allyl Alcohol	NR	NR	NR	100	70	70
Allyl Chloride	NR	NR	NR	70	NR	• •
Alums	160	140	180	NR	200	160
Aluminum Acetate	160	• •	180	NR	200	NR
Aluminum Ammonium	• •	140	180	200	200	160
Aluminum Chloride	160	140	180	200	200	160
Aluminum Chrome	• •	140	180	200	200	160
Aluminum Fluoride	NR	73	180	200	200	160
Aluminum Hydroxide	160	140	180	200	200	100
Aluminum Nitrate	160	140	180	100	200	100
Aluminum Oxychloride	160	140	180	NR	• •	• •
Aluminum Potassium Sulfate	160	140	180	200	200	160
Aluminum Sulfate	160	140	180	185	200	140
Amines	NR	• •	NR	• •	• •	• •
Ammonia	73	140	NR	NR	175	150
Ammonia, Gas	160§	140§	NR	NR	140	140
Ammonia, Aqua, 10%	• •	73	NR	NR	140	• •
Ammonia, (25% Aqueous Solution)	160	NR	NR	NR	140	• •
Ammonia Hydroxide	73	100	NR	NR	175	150
Ammonia Liquid (Concentrated)	NR	NR	NR	NR	140	70
Ammonium Acetate	• •	140	180	73	140	140

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	ABS	PVC	CPVC	Viton®	EPDM	Neoprene
Ammonium Benzoate	• •	• •	180	• •	• •	• •
Ammonium Bifluoride	• •	140	180	200	200	• •
Ammonium Bisulfide	160	140	180	• •	• •	• •
Ammonium Carbonate	160	140	180	200	200	140
Ammonium Chloride.....	120	140	180	200	200	160
Ammonium Citrate	120	• •	180	• •	• •	• •
Ammonium Dichromate	120	73	• •	• •	70	100
Ammonium Fluoride, 10%	120	140	180	• •	200	100
Ammonium Fluoride, 25%	120	73	180	• •	140	• •
Ammonium Hydroxide	120	73	NR	70	200	150
Ammonium Metaphosphate.	120	140	180	200	200	• •
Ammonium Nitrate	120	140	180	100	200	160
Ammonium Persulphate.....	120	140	73	• •	200	70
Ammonium Phosphate.....	120	140	73	185	200	140
Ammonium Sulfamate	120	• •	180	• •	• •	• •
Ammonium Sulfate	120	140	180	200	200	160
Ammonium Sulfide.....	120	73	180	200	200	• •
Ammonium Thiocyanate	120	140	180	185	• •	70
Ammonium Tartrate	120	140	180	• •	• •	• •
Amyl Acetate	NR	NR	NR	NR	70	NR
Alcohol, Amyl	NR	NR	NR	185	200	140
Amyl Chloride	NR	NR	NR	200	NR	NR
Aniline	NR	NR	NR	NR	140	NR
Aniline Chlorohydrate.....	NR	NR	• •	• •	• •	• •
Aniline Hydrochloride.....	NR	NR	NR	185	• •	NR
Anthraquinone Sulfonic Acid	• •	140	• •	200	• •	• •
Antimony Trichloride	• •	140	180	185	140	140
Aqua Regia	NR	NR	73	100	NR	NR
Aromatic Hydrocarbons.....	NR	NR	NR	73	NR	NR
Argon	• •	• •	• •	200	200	100
Arsenic Acid	• •	140	73	200	185	NR
Aryl Sulfonic Acid.....	• •	140	• •	185	140	• •
Asphalt	NR	NR	NR	180	NR	NR
Barium Carbonate	120	140	180	200	200	160
Barium Chloride.....	120	140	180	200	200	160
Barium Hydroxide.....	120	140	180	200	180	150
Barium Nitrate	120	73	180	200	200	160
Barium Sulfate	120	140	180	200	200	160
Barium Sulfide.....	120	140	180	200	140	160
Beer	120	140	180	200	200	140
Beet Sugar Liquids.....	120	140	180	185	200	160
Benzaldehyde	NR	NR	NR	NR	140	NR
Benzalkonium Chloride.....	NR	NR	NR	• •	• •	• •
Benzene	NR	NR	NR	150	NR	NR
Benzene, Benzol	NR	NR	NR	200	200	• •

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	ABS	PVC	CPVC	Viton®	EPDM	Neoprene
Benzene Sulfonic Acid	NR	NR	NR	185	NR	100
Benzoic Acid, (Sat'd)	160	140	73	• •	NR	160
Benzyl Chloride	NR	• •	NR	• •	• •	• •
Benzyl Alcohol	NR	NR	NR	140	NR	NR
Bismuth Carbonate	160	140	180	• •	• •	70
Black Liquor	73	140	180	200	180	70
Bleach, Industrial (15% Cl ₂)	73	140	180	185	70	• •
Bleach, 12.5% Active Cl ₂	73	140	180	R	140	• •
Bleach, 5.5% Active Cl ₂	73	140	180	R	140	• •
Borax	160	140	180	185	140	140
Boric Acid	160	140	180	185	140	140
Breeders Pellets, Deriv. Fish	160	140	180	• •	• •	• •
Brine, Acid	73	73	180	200	200	160
Bromic Acid	73	140	180	70	70	• •
Bromine	NR	NR	NR	70	NR	NR
Bromine, Liquid	NR	NR	NR	70	NR	NR
Bromine, Vapor 25%	NR	140	• •	• •	NR	• •
Bromine, Water	NR	73	73	185	NR	NR
Bromine, Water, (Sat'd)	NR	73	73	• •	• •	• •
Bromobenzene	NR	NR	NR	150	NR	NR
Bromotoluene	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
Butadiene	NR	140	73	185	NR	140
Butane	NR	140	• •	185	NR	70
Butanol, Primary	NR	NR	NR	• •	• •	• •
Butanol, Secondary	NR	NR	NR	• •	• •	• •
Butyl Acetate	NR	NR	NR	NR	140	NR
Butyl Alcohol	73	100	NR	75	200	140
Butyl Carbitol	• •	• •	NR	• •	• •	• •
Butyl Cellosolve (2-butoxyethanol)	NR	73	NR	NR	140	• •
Butynediol	NR	73	• •	• •	• •	• •
Butylene	NR	73	• •	100	NR	NR
Butyl Phenol	NR	73	• •	• •	• •	NR
Butyl Pthalate	NR	NR	NR	70	• •	• •
Butyl Stearate	NR	73	73	200	NR	NR
Butyric Acid	NR	NR	NR	70	140	NR
Butyric Acid, Up to 1%	73	73	180	73	140	• •
Butyric Acid, Over 1%	NR	• •	NR	• •	• •	• •
Cadmium Acetate	• •	• •	180	• •	• •	• •
Cadmium Chloride	• •	• •	180	• •	• •	• •
Cadmium Cyanide	• •	140	180	• •	• •	70
Cadmium Sulfate	• •	• •	180	• •	• •	• •
Caffeine Citrate	• •	73	• •	• •	• •	• •
Calcium Acetate	NR	73	180	• •	R	• •
Calcium Bisulfide	NR	NR	180	185	• •	• •
Calcium Bisulfite	NR	140	180	185	NR	70

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Calcium Carbonate	160	140	180	200	200	70
Calcium Chlorate	160	140	180	185	140	70
Calcium Chloride	160	140	180	200	200	160
Calcium Hydroxide	160	140	180	200	200	70
Calcium Hypochlorite	160	140	180	185	70	• •
Calcium Nitrate	160	140	180	200	200	100
Calcium Oxide	160	140	180	• •	200	160
Calcium Sulfate	160	140	180	200	200	160
Camphor Crystals	NR	73	• •	200	200	NR
Cane Sugar Liquors	120	140	180	200	200	160
Caprolactam	NR	• •	NR	• •	• •	• •
Caprolactone	NR	• •	NR	• •	• •	• •
Caprylic Acid	NR	• •	NR	• •	• •	• •
Carbitol™	NR	NR	NR	70	140	70
Carbon Bisulfide	NR	NR	NR	• •	• •	• •
Carbon Dioxide, Wet	160	140	180	200	200	160
Carbon Dioxide, Dry	160	140	180	200	200	160
Carbon Disulfide	NR	NR	NR	200	NR	NR
Carbonic Acid	• •	140	180	200	200	70
Carbon Monoxide	160	140	180	200	200	70
Carbon Tetrachloride	NR	NR	NR	185	NR	NR
Castor Oil	NR	140	NR	• •	140	100
Caustic Potash	160	140	180	NR	140	160
Caustic Soda	160	140	180	NR	70	100
Cellosolve	NR	73	NR	NR	140	• •
Cellosolve Acetate	NR	• •	NR	NR	140	NR
Chloracetic Acid	73	73	180	NR	73	• •
Chloracetyl Chloride	NR	73	• •	• •	• •	• •
Chloral Hydrate	• •	140	180	NR	• •	70
Chloramine	NR	73	• •	• •	• •	70
Chloric Acid, 20%	• •	140	180	140	• •	140
Chlorinated Solvents	NR	NR	NR	• •	• •	• •
Chlorinated Water, Up to 3500 ppm	160	140	180	185	100	NR
Chlorinated Water, Above 3500 ppm	NR	NR	NR	185	NR	NR
Chlorine Gas, Dry	NR	NR	NR	185	NR	NR
Chlorine Gas, Wet	NR	NR	NR	185	NR	NR
Chlorine, Liquid	NR	NR	NR	100	NR	• •
Chlorine, trace in air	• •	• •	180§	• •	• •	• •
Chlorine Dioxide (sat'd aqueous sol.)	• •	• •	180	• •	• •	• •
Chlorine Water, (Sat'd)	• •	140	180	200	73	• •
Chlorobenzene	NR	NR	NR	70	NR	NR
Chlorobenzene Chloride	NR	NR	NR	200	• •	• •
Chloroform	NR	NR	NR	70	NR	NR
Chloropicrin	NR	NR	NR	• •	• •	• •
Chlorosulfonic Acid	• •	73	73	NR	NR	NR

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Chlorox Bleach Solution, 5.5% Cl ₂	73	140	180	200	140	• •
Chromic Acid, 10%	73	140	180	140	70	NR
Chromic Acid, 30%	NR	73	180	140	NR	NR
Chromic Acid, 40%	NR	73	180	140	NR	NR
Chromic Acid, 50%	NR	75	140	140	NR	NR
Chromium Nitrate	• •	• •	180	• •	• •	• •
Chromium Potassium Nitrate	73	73	73	200	140	160
Citric Acid (Sat'd)	160	140	180	200	200	140
Citric Acid, 10%	160	140	180	• •	• •	• •
Citrus Oils	• •	• •	NR	• •	• •	• •
Coconut Oil	NR	140	NR	185	NR	100
Coke Oven Gas	NR	NR	NR	185	70	• •
Copper Acetate, (Sat'd)	73	73	73	140	100	160
Copper Carbonate	120	140	180	185	200	• •
Copper Chloride	73	140	180	200	200	160
Copper Cyanide	73	140	180	185	200	160
Copper Fluoride	73	140	180	185	200	140
Copper Nitrate	120	140	180	200	200	160
Copper Salts	160	140	180	• •	• •	• •
Copper Sulfate	160	140	180	200	200	160
Corn Oil	73	140	NR	200	NR	NR
Corn Syrup	120	140	180	185	• •	100
Cottonseed Oil	120	140	NR	185	NR	• •
Creosote	NR	NR	NR	73	NR	NR
Cresol	NR	NR	NR	100	NR	NR
Cresylic Acid, 50%	NR	140	NR	185	NR	NR
Crotonaldehyde	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	70
Crude Oil	NR	73	180	200	NR	• •
Cumene	• •	• •	• •	200	NR	NR
Cupric Fluoride	73	140	180	• •	200	• •
Cupric Sulfate	160	140	180	200	200	160
Cuprous Chloride	73	140	180	200	200	70
Cyclohexane	NR	NR	NR	185	NR	NR
Cyclohexanol	NR	NR	NR	185	NR	NR
Cyclohexanone	NR	NR	NR	NR	70	NR
Decalin	NR	NR	NR	• •	• •	• •
D-Limonene	• •	• •	NR	• •	• •	• •
Desocyphephrine	• •	73	• •	• •	• •	• •
Detergents	73	140	NR	200	200	160
Detergent Solution, Heavy Duty	73	140	NR	200	200	160
Dextrine	• •	140	180	200	NR	• •
Dextrose	120	140	180	200	140	160
Diacetone Alcohol	NR	NR	NR	NR	70	NR
Diazo Salts	• •	140	180	• •	• •	• •
Dibutoxy Ethyl Phthalate	NR	NR	NR	200	70	NR

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Dibutyl Ethyl Phthalate	NR	NR	NR	200	70	NR
Dibutyl Phthalate	NR	NR	NR	NR	70	NR
Dibutyl Sebacate	NR	NR	NR	NR	70	NR
Dichlorobenzene	NR	NR	NR	150	NR	NR
Dichloroethylene	NR	NR	NR	185	NR	NR
Diesel Fuels	NR	73	NR	185	NR	NR
Diethylamine	NR	NR	NR	NR	70	• •
Diethyl Cellosolve	NR	• •	NR	200	NR	100
Diethyl Ether	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	• •
Diglycolic Acid	NR	140	• •	70	70	• •
Dill Oil	• •	• •	NR	• •	• •	• •
Dimethylamine	NR	140	NR	NR	140	NR
Dimethylformamide	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
Dimethyl Hydrazine	NR	NR	NR	NR	• •	• •
Diethyl Phthalate (DEHP)	NR	NR	NR	70	70	NR
Dioxane	NR	NR	NR	NR	70	NR
Dioxane, 1.4	NR	NR	NR	NR	73	• •
Disodium Phosphate	120	140	180	• •	200	• •
Distilled Water	160	140	180	200	200	160
Divinylbenzene	NR	NR	NR	200	NR	• •
Dursban TC	NR	• •	NR	• •	• •	• •
EDTA, Tetrasodium	• •	• •	180	• •	• •	• •
Epsom Salt	120	140	180	• •	200	• •
Epichlorohydrin	NR	NR	NR	• •	• •	• •
Esters	NR	NR	NR	• •	• •	• •
Ethanol, Up to 5% (Ethyl Alcohol) ...	NR	140	180	• •	• •	• •
Ethanol, Over 5% (Ethyl Alcohol)	NR	140	NR	• •	• •	• •
Ethanolamine	NR	NR	NR	• •	• •	• •
Ethers	NR	NR	NR	NR	• •	NR
Ethyl Acetate	NR	NR	NR	NR	70	NR
Ethyl Acetoacetate	NR	NR	NR	NR	100	• •
Ethyl Acrylate	NR	NR	NR	NR	70	NR
Ethyl Benzene	NR	NR	NR	70	NR	NR
Ethyl Chloride	NR	NR	NR	140	70	70
Ethyl Chloroacetate	NR	NR	NR	• •	• •	• •
Ethylene Bromide	NR	NR	NR	70	NR	NR
Ethylene Chloride	NR	NR	NR	70	• •	• •
Ethylene Chlorohydrin	NR	NR	NR	NR	70	70
Ethylene Diamine	NR	NR	NR	• •	70	100
Ethylene Dichloride	NR	NR	NR	120	NR	NR
Ethyl Ether	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
Ethylene Glycol, Up to 50%	73	140	180	200	200	160
Ethylene Glycol, Over 50%	73	140	NR	200	200	160
Ethylene Oxide	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
Fatty Acids	160	140	73	185	NR	140

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Ferric Acetate	NR	73	180	• •	• •	• •
Ferric Chloride	120	140	180	200	200	160
Ferric Hydroxide	160	140	180	180	180	100
Ferric Nitrate	160	140	180	200	200	160
Ferric Sulfate	160	140	180	185	200	140
Ferrous Chloride	160	140	180	200	200	• •
Ferrous Hydroxide	160	73	180	180	180	• •
Ferrous Nitrate	160	73	140	200	180	160
Ferrous Sulfate	160	140	180	200	200	160
Fish Solubles	160	140	180	70	NR	• •
Fluorine Gas	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
Fluoboric Acid	• •	140	73	140	140	160
Fluosilicic Acid, 30%	73	140	73	200	140	100
Formaldehyde, 35%	NR	140	NR	NR	140	140
Formic Acid, Up to 25%	• •	73	180	NR	200	140
Formic Acid, Anhydrous	• •	73	NR	NR	• •	100
Freon F- 11	• •	140§	73§	70	NR	NR
Freon F-12	• •	140§	73§	NR	NR	130
Freon F-21	• •	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
Freon F-22	• •	NR	NR	NR	NR	130
Freon F-113	• •	140§	• •	130	NR	130
Freon F-114	• •	140§	• •	NR	NR	70
Fructose	120	140	180	200	175	160
Fruit Juices, Pulp	73	140	180	200	• •	• •
Furfural	NR	NR	NR	NR	140	70
Gallic Acid	• •	140	73	185	70	70
Gas, Manufactured	NR	73§	NR	• •	• •	• •
Gas, Natural	NR	140§	• •	185	NR	140
Gasoline, Leaded	NR	NR	NR	100	NR	70
Gasoline, Unleaded	NR	NR	NR	100	NR	• •
Gasoline, Sour	NR	NR	NR	100	NR	• •
Gasoline, Refined	NR	NR	NR	• •	• •	• •
Gelatin	120	140	150	200	200	160
Gin	NR	140	NR	• •	• •	• •
Glucose	120	140	180	200	200	160
Glycerine	120	140	180	200	200	160
Glycerine, Glycerol	120	140	180	200	200	• •
Glycolic Acid	• •	140	NR	NR	• •	70
Glycol Ethers	NR	140	NR	• •	• •	• •
Grape Sugar, Juice	73	140	180	185	200	160
Green Liquor	160	140	180	• •	150	70
Halocarbons Oils	NR	• •	NR	• •	• •	• •
Heptane	73	140	NR	185	NR	70
Hexane	NR	73	73	70	NR	70
Hexanol	NR	100	NR	160	NR	70

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Hydraulic Oil	NR	73	• •	200	NR	70
Hydrazine	NR	NR	NR	NR	70	• •
Hydrobromic Acid, Dilute	73	140	180	R	140	• •
Hydrobromic Acid, 20%	73	140	73	185	140	70
Hydrobromic Acid, 50%	NR	140	73	185	140	70
Hydrochloric Acid, Dilute	73	140	180	NR	150	• •
Hydrochloric Acid, 18%	NR	140	180	NR	150	• •
Hydrochloric Acid, 20%	NR	140	180	NR	150	• •
Hydrochloric Acid Conc., 37%	NR	140	180	NR	150	• •
Hydrocyanic Acid, 10%	160	140	• •	185	200	• •
Hydrofluoric Acid, Dilute	NR	73	73	150	NR	70
Hydrofluoric Acid, Up to 3%	73	73	73	150	NR	70
Hydrofluoric Acid, 30%	NR	73	NR	150	NR	70
Hydrofluoric Acid, 40%	NR	73	NR	100	NR	NR
Hydrofluoric Acid, 50%	NR	73	NR	75	NR	NR
Hydrofluoric Acid, 100%	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
Hydrofluosilicic Acid, 50%	NR	140	140	200	140	• •
Hydrogen	140§	140§	73§	200	200	160
Hydrogen Cyanide	• •	140	• •	• •	• •	70
Hydrogen Fluoride	NR	NR	NR	NR	70	NR
Hydrogen Peroxide, Dilute	73	140	73	200	140	NR
Hydrogen Peroxide, 30%	NR	140	73	200	140	NR
Hydrogen Peroxide, 50%	NR	140	73	185	100	NR
Hydrogen Peroxide, 90%	NR	NR	NR	100	NR	NR
Hydrogen Phosphide	• •	140	• •	• •	73	• •
Hydrogen Sulfide, Dry	• •	140	180	140	100	NR
Hydrogen Sulfide, Aqueous Sol.	• •	140	180	140	100	NR
Hydroquinone	• •	140	• •	185	NR	NR
Hydroxylamine Sulfate	• •	140	• •	• •	70	70
Hypochlorous Acid	73	140	140	70	70	• •
Iodine	NR	NR	NR	70	70	NR
Iodine Solution, 10%	NR	NR	NR	200	150	• •
Iodine in Alcohol	NR	NR	NR	• •	• •	• •
Iron Salts	• •	• •	180	• •	• •	• •
Isopropanol	NR	140	NR	• •	• •	• •
Isopropyl Alcohol	NR	140	NR	160	140	70
Isopropyl Ether	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
Isooctane	NR	NR	NR	185	NR	70
Jet Fuel, JP-4	NR	NR	NR	200	NR	NR
Jet Fuel, JP-5	NR	NR	NR	200	NR	NR
Kerosene	NR	NR	NR	200	NR	70
Ketones	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
Kraft Liquor	73	140	180	100	• •	70
Lactic Acid, 25%	73	140	180	70	70	140
Lactic Acid, 80%	NR	73	73	70	70	• •

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	ABS	PVC	CPVC	Viton®	EPDM	Neoprene
Lard Oil	73	140	NR	185	NR	70
Lauric Acid	• •	140	• •	100	• •	• •
Lauryl Chloride	• •	140	• •	200	140	• •
Lead Acetate	• •	140	180	NR	200	160
Lead Chloride	• •	140	180	140	NR	70
Lead Nitrate	• •	140	180	200	175	140
Lead Sulfate	• •	140	180	200	200	140
Lemon Oil	• •	• •	NR	200	• •	100
Ligroine	NR	NR	NR	100	• •	70
Lime Sulfur	• •	140	180	185	200	100
Limonene	• •	• •	NR	• •	• •	• •
Linoleic Acid	• •	140	180	140	70	• •
Linoleic Oil	• •	140	180	70	• •	• •
Linseed Oil	73	140	NR	200	70	70
Linseed Oil, Blue	73	73	NR	200	• •	• •
Liqueurs	NR	140	• •	• •	• •	70
Lithium Bromide (Brine)	• •	140	180	200	• •	• •
Lithium Chloride	• •	140	180	140	100	• •
Lithium Sulfate	• •	140	180	• •	• •	• •
Lubricating Oil, ASTM #1, #2, #3 ..	NR	140	73	150	NR	70
Lux Liquid	• •	NR	• •	• •	• •	• •
Lye Solutions	• •	140	180	• •	• •	• •
Machine Oil	NR	140	180	• •	NR	• •
Magnesium Carbonate	120	140	180	200	170	140
Magnesium Chloride	120	140	180	170	170	160
Magnesium Citrate	120	140	180	200	175	• •
Magnesium Fluoride	120	• •	180	200	140	• •
Magnesium Hydroxide	120	140	180	200	200	• •
Magnesium Nitrate	120	140	180	• •	200	• •
Magnesium Oxide	120	• •	180	• •	140	160
Magnesium Salts, Inorganic	120	• •	180	• •	• •	• •
Magnesium Sulfate	120	140	180	200	175	160
Maleic Acid	160	140	180	200	NR	70
Maleic Acid (Sat'd)	160	140	180	200	70	NR
Malic Acid	160	140	180	• •	• •	• •
Manganese Sulfate	120	140	180	200	175	160
Mercuric Acid	• •	• •	180	• •	• •	• •
Mercuric Chloride	• •	140	140	185	200	140
Mercuric Cyanide	• •	140	180	70	70	70
Mercuric Sulfate	• •	140	180	70	70	• •
Mercurous Nitrate	• •	140	180	70	70	NR
Mercury	• •	140	180	185	200	140
Methane	160§	140§	180§	185	NR	70
Methanol (Methyl Alcohol)	NR	140	NR	NR	140	140
Methoxyethyl Oleate	NR	73	• •	• •	• •	• •

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	ABS	PVC	CPVC	Viton®	EPDM	Neoprene
Methyl Amine	NR	NR	NR	100	70	70
Methyl Bromide	NR	NR	NR	185	NR	NR
Methyl Cellosolve	NR	NR	NR	NR	70	70
Methyl Chloride	NR	NR	NR	70	NR	NR
Methyl Chloroform	NR	NR	NR	70	NR	NR
Methyl Ethyl Ketone	NR	NR	NR	NR	70	NR
Methyl Formate	NR	• •	NR	NR	100	70
Methyl Isobutyl Ketone	NR	NR	NR	NR	70	NR
Methyl Methacrylate	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
Methyl Sulfate	NR	73	73	• •	• •	• •
Methyl Sulfuric Acid	• •	140	180	• •	• •	• •
Methylene Bromide	NR	NR	NR	70	NR	NR
Methylene Chloride	NR	NR	NR	73	NR	NR
Methylene Chlorobromide	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
Methylene Iodine.....	NR	NR	NR	• •	200	• •
Methylisobutyl Carbinol.....	NR	NR	NR	70	70	70
Milk	160	140	73	200	200	160
Mineral Oil	73	140	73	200	NR	70
Molasses	120	140	180	185	100	150
Monochloroacetic Acid, 50%	73	140	73	70	NR	NR
Monoethanolamine	NR	NR	NR	185	70	NR
Motor Oil	73	140	180	200	NR	• •
Muriatic Acid, Up to 30% HCl	NR	140	180	• •	• •	• •
Naphtha	NR	NR	NR	150	NR	NR
Naphthalene	NR	NR	NR	170	NR	NR
n-Heptane	NR	NR	NR	• •	• •	• •
Natural Gas	NR	140§	• •	185	NR	140
Nickel Acetate	73	73	180	NR	70	• •
Nickel Chloride	73	140	180	200	200	160
Nickel Nitrate	73	140	180	200	180	• •
Nickel Sulfate	73	140	180	200	200	160
Nicotine	NR	140	• •	• •	• •	NR
Nicotinic Acid	NR	140	• •	• •	70	140
Nitric Acid, 10%	73	140	140	185	70	NR
Nitric Acid, 30%	NR	140	120	160	70	NR
Nitric Acid, 40%	NR	NR	120	140	NR	NR
Nitric Acid, 50%	NR	NR	73	120	NR	NR
Nitric Acid, 70%	NR	NR	73	100	NR	NR
Nitric Acid, 100%	NR	NR	NR	• •	• •	• •
Nitric Acid, Fuming	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
Nitrobenzene.....	NR	NR	NR	70	NR	• •
Nitroglycerine	NR	NR	NR	• •	• •	• •
Nitrous Acid, 10%	NR	73	• •	100	• •	• •
Nitrous Oxide	73§	73§	• •	70	• •	NR
Nitroglycol.....	NR	NR	• •	• •	• •	70

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	ABS	PVC	CPVC	Viton®	EPDM	Neoprene
Nonionic Surfactants	160	140	NR	200	200	160
1-Octanol	NR	• •	NR	• •	• •	• •
Ocenol	NR	• •	• •	• •	• •	• •
Oils and Fats	73	140	• •	• •	• •	• •
Oils, Edible	73	• •	NR	• •	• •	• •
Oils, Vegetable	73	• •	NR	200	NR	• •
Oils, Sour Crude	• •	• •	NR	• •	• •	• •
Oleic Acid	160	140	180	185	70	70
Oleum	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
Olive Oil	73	140	NR	150	• •	140
Oxalic Acid (Sat'd)	• •	140	140	100	150	100
Oxalic Acid, 20%	73	140	180	100	150	100
Oxalic Acid, 50%	• •	140	73	100	150	100
Oxygen	160§	140§	180§	185	200	140
Ozone	160§	140§	180§	185	200	NR
Ozonized Water	• •	• •	• •	• •	• •	• •
Palm Oil	• •	• •	• •	70	NR	• •
Palmitic Acid, 10%	73	140	73	185	70	NR
Palmitic Acid, 70%	NR	NR	73	185	• •	NR
Paraffin	73	140	• •	200	NR	140
Peanut Oil	• •	• •	• •	150	NR	• •
Pentachlorophenol	NR	NR	NR	200	NR	NR
Peracetic Acid, 40%	NR	NR	NR	• •	• •	• •
Perchloric Acid, 10%	NR	73	73	70	70	70
Perchloric Acid, 70%	NR	NR	NR	185	70	NR
Perphosphate	• •	140	170	70	70	• •
Petrolatum	• •	140	180	• •	• •	• •
Petroleum Oils, Sour	• •	73	180	200	NR	• •
Petroleum Oils, Refined	73	140	180	200	NR	• •
Phenol	NR	NR	NR	200	70	NR
Phenylhydrazine	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	• •
Phenylhydrazine Hydrochloride	NR	NR	NR	• •	• •	• •
Phosgene, Liquid	NR	NR	NR	NR	73	• •
Phosgene, Gas	NR	NR	NR	NR	73	• •
Phosphoric Acid, 10%	73	140	180	200	140	140
Phosphoric Acid, 50%	73	140	180	200	70	70
Phosphoric Acid, 85%	73	140	180	200	70	NR
Phosphoric Anhydride	• •	73	73	• •	• •	• •
Phosphorous Pentoxide	• •	73	180	200	200	• •
Phosphorous, Red	NR	70	• •	• •	• •	• •
Phosphorus Trichloride	NR	NR	NR	• •	• •	NR
Phosphorous, Yellow	NR	73	• •	• •	• •	• •
Photographic Solutions	• •	140	180	185	• •	100
Phthalic Acid, 10%	73	73	• •	140	• •	NR
Picric Acid	NR	NR	NR	140	140	70

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	ABS	PVC	CPVC	Viton®	EPDM	Neoprene
Pine Oil	NR	• •	NR	70	• •	NR
Plating Solutions, Brass	• •	140	180	70	70	100
Plating Solutions, Cadmium	• •	140	180	70	70	100
Plating Solutions, Chrome	• •	140	180	• •	• •	R
Plating Solutions, Copper	• •	140	180	70	70	R
Plating Solutions, Gold	• •	140	180	70	70	125
Plating Solutions, Indium	• •	• •	• •	• •	• •	• •
Plating Solutions, Lead	• •	140	180	70	70	70
Plating Solutions, Nickel	• •	140	180	70	70	• •
Plating Solutions, Rhodium	• •	140	180	70	• •	• •
Plating Solutions, Silver	• •	140	180	70	70	70
Plating Solutions, Tin	• •	140	180	140	100	• •
Plating Solutions, Zinc	• •	140	180	70	70	• •
Polyethylene Glycol	• •	• •	NR	• •	• •	• •
Polypropylene Glycol	• •	• •	NR	• •	• •	• •
Potash	160	140	180	200	170	160
Potassium Acetate	• •	• •	180	• •	• •	• •
Potassium Alum	• •	140	180	200	200	160
Potassium Aluminum Sulfate	• •	140	180	200	200	160
Potassium Amyl Xanthate	• •	73	• •	• •	• •	• •
Potassium Bicarbonate	160	140	180	200	170	160
Potassium Bichromate	160	140	180	200	170	• •
Potassium Bisulfate	• •	• •	• •	200	170	140
Potassium Borate	160	140	180	200	200	• •
Potassium Bromate	160	140	180	200	• •	140
Potassium Bromide	160	140	180	200	170	160
Potassium Carbonate	160	140	180	200	170	160
Potassium Chlorate	160	140	180	140	140	100
Potassium Chloride	160	140	180	200	200	160
Potassium Chromate	160	140	180	200	170	70
Potassium Cyanide	160	140	180	185	140	160
Potassium Dichromate	160	140	180	200	170	• •
Potassium Ethyl Xanthate	• •	73	• •	• •	• •	• •
Potassium Ferricyanide	160	140	180	140	140	150
Potassium Ferrocyanide	160	140	180	140	140	150
Potassium Fluoride	160	140	180	200	140	• •
Potassium Hydroxide	160	140	180	NR	140	160
Potassium Hydroxide, 50%	160	140	180	NR	140	160
Potassium Hypochlorite	• •	73	180	70	NR	• •
Potassium Iodide	• •	73	180	180	140	160
Potassium Nitrate	160	140	180	200	200	140
Potassium Perborate	160	140	180	• •	• •	70
Potassium Perchlorate, (Sat'd)	160	140	180	150	140	• •
Potassium Permanganate, 10%	160	140	180	140	200	100
Potassium Permanganate, 25%	160	NR	180	140	140	100

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Potassium Persulphate, (Sat'd)	73	140	180	200	200	140
Potassium Phosphate	73	• •	180	• •	• •	• •
Potassium Sulfate	73	140	180	200	200	140
Potassium Sulfite	73	140	180	200	200	140
Potassium Tripolyphosphate	• •	• •	180	100	• •	70
Propane	160§	140§	73§	70	NR	70
Propanol, Up to 0.5%	NR	• •	180	• •	• •	• •
Propanol, Over 0.5%	NR	• •	NR	• •	• •	• •
Propargyl Alcohol	NR	140	NR	140	140	NR
Propionic Acid, Up to 2%	NR	• •	180	• •	• •	NR
Propionic Acid, Over 2%	NR	• •	NR	• •	• •	NR
Propyl Alcohol	NR	140	NR	• •	140	140
Propylene Dichloride	NR	NR	NR	70	NR	NR
Propylene Glycol, Up to 25%	73	140	180	140	70	100
Propylene Glycol, Up to 50%	73	140	NR	140	70	100
Propylene Oxide	NR	NR	NR	NR	70	NR
Pyridine	NR	NR	NR	NR	70	NR
Pyrogallia Acid	• •	73	• •	• •	• •	70
Quaternary Ammonium Salts	• •	• •	NR	• •	• •	• •
Rayon Coagulating Bath	• •	140	NR	• •	• •	• •
Salicylic Acid	• •	140	180	185	200	NR
Sea Water	160	140	180	• •	• •	• •
Selenic Acid	• •	140	• •	• •	• •	70
Silicic Acid	• •	140	• •	200	140	140
Silicone Oil	• •	73	150	185	140	70
Silver Chloride	160	• •	180	• •	• •	• •
Silver Cyanide	160	140	180	140	140	70
Silver Nitrate	160	140	180	200	200	160
Silver Sulfate	160	140	180	200	170	• •
Soaps	160	140	180	200	200	140
Sodium Acetate	120	140	180	NR	170	• •
Sodium Aluminate	120	• •	180	200	200	140
Sodium Alum	120	140	180	200	170	140
Sodium Arsenate	120	140	180	200	140	70
Sodium Benzoate	120	140	180	200	200	• •
Sodium Bicarbonate	120	140	180	200	200	160
Sodium Bichromate	120	140	180	200	140	70
Sodium Bisulfate	120	140	180	200	200	140
Sodium Bisulfite	120	140	180	200	200	140
Sodium Borate	120	73	180	140	140	100
Sodium Bromide	120	140	180	200	200	70
Sodium Carbonate	120	140	180	200	140	140
Sodium Chlorate	120	73	180	100	140	140
Sodium Chloride	120	140	180	200	140	160
Sodium Chlorite	120	NR	180	NR	NR	• •

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Sodium Chromate	120	• •	180	70	70	70
Sodium Cyanide	120	73	180	140	140	140
Sodium Dichromate	120	140	180	200	140	NR
Sodium Ferricyanide	120	140	180	140	140	• •
Sodium Ferrocyanide	120	140	180	140	140	• •
Sodium Fluoride	120	73	140	140	140	70
Sodium Formate	• •	• •	180	• •	• •	• •
Sodium Hydroxide, 15%	120	140	180	NR	180	160
Sodium Hydroxide, 30%	73	73	180	NR	140	160
Sodium Hydroxide, 50%	73	73	180	NR	140	160
Sodium Hydroxide, 70%	NR	73	180	NR	140	160
Sodium Hypobromite	• •	• •	180	• •	• •	• •
Sodium Hypochlorite, 15%	73	73†	180†	185	70	NR
Sodium Hypochlorite (Sat'd)	NR	73†	180†	140	NR	NR
Sodium Iodide	• •	• •	180	• •	• •	160
Sodium Metaphosphate	120	73	180	70	70	• •
Sodium Nitrate	120	140	180	200	200	140
Sodium Nitrite	120	140	180	200	170	140
Sodium Palmitate Solution, 5%	120	140	180	• •	• •	• •
Sodium Perborate	120	140	180	70	70	70
Sodium Perchlorate	120	140	180	• •	• •	• •
Sodium Peroxide	• •	140	• •	185	140	70
Sodium Phosphate, Alkaline	73	140	180	200	170	140
Sodium Phosphate, Acid	73	140	180	200	170	140
Sodium Phosphate, Neutral	73	140	180	200	170	140
Sodium Silicate	• •	• •	180	200	200	140
Sodium Sulfate	73	140	180	200	140	140
Sodium Sulfide	73	140	180	200	140	140
Sodium Sulfite	73	140	180	200	140	140
Sodium Thiosulfate	73	140	180	200	200	160
Sodium Tripolyphosphate	• •	• •	180	• •	• •	• •
Solicaldehyde	NR	NR	• •	• •	• •	• •
Sour Crude Oil	NR	140	• •	200	NR	NR
Soybean Oil	• •	• •	NR	200	NR	70
Stannic Chloride	120	140	180	200	100	NR
Stannous Chloride	120	140	180	200	70	160
Stannous Sulfate	• •	• •	180	• •	• •	• •
Starch	160	140	180	200	170	160
Stearic Acid	• •	140	73	100	NR	70
Stoddard's Solvent	NR	NR	NR	185	NR	NR
Strontium Chloride	• •	• •	180	• •	• •	• •
Styrene	NR	• •	NR	100	NR	NR
Succinic Acid	• •	140	• •	70	70	• •
Sugar	120	• •	180	200	140	140
Sulfamic Acid	NR	NR	180	NR	NR	70

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† Must use sodium hypochlorite resistant cement for making joints.

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Sulfate Liquors	• •	• •	• •	70	70	• •
Sulfite Liquor	• •	• •	180	140	140	70
Sulfur	• •	140	73	200	• •	70
Sulfur Chloride	• •	• •	• •	70	NR	NR
Sulfur Dioxide, Dry	73§	140§	NR	100	70	NR
Sulfur Dioxide, Wet.....	73§	73§	NR	140	140	• •
Sulfur Trioxide	• •	140	180	140	70	NR
Sulfur Trioxide, Gas	160§	140§	• •	140	70	NR
Sulfuric Acid, 10%.....	120	140	180	200	140	100
Sulfuric Acid, 20%.....	120	140	180	200	140	100
Sulfuric Acid, 30%.....	NR	140	180	200	140	100
Sulfuric Acid, 50%.....	NR	140	180	200	70	NR
Sulfuric Acid, 60%.....	NR	140	180	200	NR	NR
Sulfuric Acid, 70%.....	NR	140	180	200	NR	NR
Sulfuric Acid, 80%.....	NR	73	180	180	NR	NR
Sulfuric Acid, 90%.....	NR	73	73	160	NR	NR
Sulfuric Acid, 94%.....	NR	NR	73	160	NR	NR
Sulfuric Acid, 98%.....	NR	NR	73	160	NR	NR
Sulfuric Acid, 100%.....	NR	• •	NR	160	NR	NR
Sulfurous Acid	NR	NR	180	100	75	NR
Surfactants, Nonionic	160	140	NR	200	200	160
Tall Oil	• •	140	180	70	NR	70
Tannic Acid, 10%	NR	140	180	100	70	100
Tannic Acid, 30%	NR	• •	73	• •	• •	• •
Tanning Liquors	160	140	180	200	• •	70
Tar	NR	NR	NR	185	NR	70
Tartaric Acid.....	160	140	73	70	NR	70
Terpenes	NR	• •	NR	• •	• •	• •
Tetraethyl Lead	NR	73	• •	70	NR	• •
Tetrahydrodurane	NR	NR	NR	• •	• •	• •
Tetrahydrofuran	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
Tetralin	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
Tetra Sodium Pyrophosphate	• •	140	180	• •	• •	• •
Texanol	• •	• •	NR	• •	• •	• •
Thionyl Chloride	NR	NR	NR	• •	• •	NR
Thread Cutting Oils	73	73	• •	70	NR	• •
Titanium Tetrachloride	NR	NR	NR	185	NR	NR
Toluene, Toluol	NR	NR	NR	70	NR	NR
Toluene-Kerosene, 25%-75%	NR	NR	NR	• •	• •	• •
Tomato Juice	73	73	73	200	200	70
Toxaphene-Xylene, 90%-100%	NR	NR	NR	• •	• •	• •
Transformer Oil	NR	140	• •	140	140	NR
Transformer Oil, DTE/30	NR	• •	• •	• •	NR	NR
Tribute	• •	• •	NR	• •	• •	• •
Tributyl Phosphate	NR	NR	NR	NR	70	NR

Acrylonitrile-Butadiene-Styrene Polyvinyl Chloride Type 1 Grade 1 Chlorinated Polyvinyl Chloride Type IV Grade 1
Fluorocarbon Elastomer (Viton ® is a registered trademark of the DuPont Co.) Ethylene Propylene Diene Monomer

** Maximum recommended temperature, for chemical resistance, under normal conditions. § Non-pressure, vent-only, applications when chemical is in gas form.

CHEMICAL RESISTANCE

Number = Maximum Recommended Temp. (°F)**

NR = Not Recommended

• • = Incomplete Data

Chemical Name	Pipe & Fitting Materials Recommended Max. Temp (°F)			Seal Materials Recommended Max. Temp. (°F)		
	ABS	PVC	CPVC	Viton ®	EPDM	Neoprene
Tributyl Citrate	NR	73	• •	• •	• •	• •
Trichloroacetic Acid	NR	140	• •	NR	70	70
Trichloroethane	NR	NR	NR	• •	• •	• •
Trichloroethylene	NR	NR	NR	185	NR	NR
Triethanolamine	NR	73	NR	NR	70	70
Triethylamine	NR	140	• •	200	• •	70
Trimethylpropane	NR	73	• •	• •	180	160
Trisodium Phosphate	73	140	180	185	70	70
Turpentine	NR	140	NR	150	NR	NR
Urea	73	140	180	185	200	140
Urine	160	140	180	70	200	140
Vaseline	NR	NR	NR	70	NR	140
Vegetable Oil	NR	NR	NR	200	NR	70
Vinegar	73	140	180	NR	180	70
Vinegar, White	73	140	180	200	200	• •
Vinyl Acetate	NR	NR	NR	NR	70	NR
Water	160	140	180	200	200	160
Water, Acid Mine	160	140	180	• •	200	160
Water, Deionized	NR	140	180	• •	200	160
Water, Demineralized	NR	140	180	200	200	160
Water, Distilled	NR	140	180	• •	200	160
Water, Potable	NR	140	180	• •	200	160
Water, Salt	160	140	180	• •	200	160
Water, Sea	160	140	180	• •	200	160
Water, Sewage	160	140	180	• •	200	• •
Water, Swimming Pool	NR	73	180	• •	• •	• •
WD 40	NR	• •	NR	• •	• •	• •
Whiskey	NR	140	180	140	200	140
White Liquor	73	140	180	• •	• •	140
Wines	NR	140	180	140	170	140
Xylene	NR	NR	NR	150	NR	NR
Zinc Acetate	• •	140	180	70	180	160
Zinc Bromide	• •	140	180	• •	• •	• •
Zinc Carbonate	120	• •	180	• •	• •	• •
Zinc Chloride	120	140	180	200	180	160
Zinc Nitrate	120	140	180	200	180	• •
Zinc Phosphate	• •	• •	180	• •	• •	• •
Zinc Sulfate	• •	140	180	200	180	140

Acrylonitrile-Butadiene-Styrene Polyvinyl Chloride Type 1 Grade 1 Chlorinated Polyvinyl Chloride Type IV Grade 1 Fluorocarbon Elastomer (Viton ® is a registered trademark of the DuPont Co.) Ethylene Propylene Diene Monomer

** Maximum recommended temperature, for chemical resistance, under normal conditions. § Non-pressure, vent-only, applications when chemical is in gas form.

PVC “SOLID WALL” SCHEDULE 40 DWV PIPE AND PVC DWV FITTINGS FACT SHEET

Industrial Technical Manual

System

- PVC Schedule 40 Pipe and Fittings.

Standards

- ASTM D 1785 Schedule 40 PVC Plain End Pipe
- ASTM D 2665 Schedule 40 PVC DWV Fittings
- NSF Standard 14 Dimensional Standard
- NSF Standard 61 Health Effects

Cell Class

- 12454 PVC DWV Pipe and Fittings per ASTM D 1784

Maximum Working Temperature

- 140 Degrees Fahrenheit

Maximum Working Pressure

- 0 (Zero) PSI
- PVC DWV is not a pressure rated piping system.
- Recommended test is 10 feet of hydrostatic (water) pressure, which is equal to 4.3 PSI.

Joining Method

- Solvent Weld Joints
- Solvent Cement must meet ASTM D 2564.
- Primer is required

Cure Times

- Cure times shown are sufficient to complete a test at 10 feet of hydrostatic pressure (4.3 pounds per square inch.) Full cure may take significantly longer.
- Cure times are a function of air temperature, fluid temperature, humidity, and pipe size. Increase the cure time for more demanding conditions.

Threaded Joint

- Threading PVC Schedule 40 pipe is not recommended.
- To be joined with taper threads manufactured in accordance with American National Standard Taper Pipe Threads per ANSI/ASME B1.20.1 and ASTM F 1498.
- Use Teflon tape. Begin with the second thread and wrap in the direction of the thread overlapping each wrap one half the width of the tape.
- Avoid over-tightening as this may cause damage to the thread or the fitting.

Transition to Cast Iron Soil Pipe

- Transition fittings to No Hub and Service are available and recommended.

Thermal Expansion

- .360 inches per 10 degree temperature change per 100 foot of pipe.

Special Considerations

- Do **NOT** air test.
- Consult chemical resistant chart for chemical compatibility.
- U.V. sensitivity. Do not install permanently in direct sunlight without painting with water-based latex paint, or covering with pipe insulation.

PVC "SOLID WALL" SCHEDULE 40 DWV PIPE AND PVC DWV FITTINGS FACT SHEET

System

PVC Schedule 40 (Solid Wall) Pipe & Fittings.

Product Offering / Data

Size	Product	Available Lengths	OD	Nominal ID	Min. Wall	Weight Per 100 Ft. (lbs.)
1 ¹ / ₄ "	Plain End	10' & 20'	1.660	1.380	0.140	42.0
1 ¹ / ₂ "	IPS Pipe	10' & 20'	1.900	1.610	0.145	50.4
2"		10' & 20'	2.375	2.067	0.154	67.6
2 ¹ / ₂ "		20'	2.875	2.469	0.203	107.0
3"		10' & 20'	3.500	3.068	0.216	141.0
4"		10' & 20'	4.500	4.026	0.237	200.0
5"		20'	5.563	5.047	0.258	272.5
6"		10' & 20'	6.625	6.065	0.280	352.0
8"		20'	8.625	7.981	0.322	539.0
10"		20'	10.750	10.020	0.365	755.0
12"		20'	12.750	11.938	0.406	1001.0
14"		20'	14.000	13.124	0.437	1180.1
16"		20'	16.000	15.000	0.500	1543.1

Minimum Cure Time to Test

Size	60° - 100°F	40° - 60°F	0° - 40°F
1 ¹ / ₂ " to 3"	2 Hours	4 Hours	16 Hours
4" to 8"	6 Hours	12 Hours	48 Hours
10" to 12"	24 Hours	40 Hours	8 Days

- Cure times shown are sufficient to complete a test at 10 feet of hydrostatic pressure (4.3 pounds per square inch.) Full cure may take significantly longer.
- Cure times are a function of air temperature, fluid temperature, humidity, and pipe size. Increase the cure time for more demanding conditions.

PVC SCHEDULE 40 PIPE AND FITTINGS FACT SHEET

System

- PVC Schedule 40 Pipe and Fittings.

Standards

- ASTM D 1785 Schedule 40 PVC Plain End Pipe
- ASTM D 2665 Schedule 40 Dual Marked Pipe
- ASTM F 480 Schedule 40 Bell End Well Casing
- ASTM D 2466 Schedule 40 Fittings
- NSF Standard 14 Dimensional Standard
- NSF Standard 61 Health Effects

Cell Class

- 12454 (Type 1, Grade 1) PVC 1120 per ASTM D 1784

Maximum Working Temperature

- 140 Degrees Fahrenheit
- The De-rating factor must be used to determine the pressure rating for each pipe diameter for temperatures over 73°F.

Maximum Working Pressure

- See pipe diameter chart.

Joining Method

- Solvent Weld Joints
- Solvent Cement must meet ASTM D 2564.
- Primer is required

Cure Times

- Cure times are a function of air temperature, water temperature, humidity, and pipe size. Increase the cure time for colder temperatures or higher humidity. See cure time chart on page 33.

Threaded Joint

- Threading PVC Schedule 40 pipe is **not** recommended.
- To be joined with taper threads manufactured in accordance with American National Standard Taper Pipe Threads per ANSI/ASME B1.20.1 and ASTM F 1498.

- Use Teflon tape. Begin with the second thread and wrap in the direction of the thread overlapping each wrap one half the width of the tape.
- Avoid over-tightening as this may cause damage to the thread or the fitting.

Mechanical Joints

- May be made with schedule 80 flanges or unions.
- May be roll grooved.

Thermal Expansion

- .360 inches per 10 degree temperature change per 100 foot of pipe.

Temperature De-rating Factor

Temperature	De-Rating Factor	Temperature	De-Rating Factor
73°F	1.00	120°F	0.40
80°F	0.88	125°F	0.35
90°F	0.75	130°F	0.30
100°F	0.62	140°F	0.22

Principle: As the fluid temperature increases, the pipe's ability to hold pressure decreases.

Method: To find the pressure rating at a required temperature, multiply the cold water (73°F) pressure rating by the de-rating factor.

Example: Solve for 2" PVC-40 at 100°F.
 $0.62 \times 280 \text{ PSI} = 173 \text{ PSI}$

Special Considerations

- Do **NOT** air test.
- Consult chemical resistant chart for chemical compatibility.
- U.V. sensitivity. Do not install permanently in direct sunlight without painting with water-based latex paint, or covering with pipe insulation.

PVC SCHEDULE 40 PIPE AND FITTINGS FACT SHEET

System

PVC Schedule 40 Pipe.

Product Offering / Data

Size	Product	Available Lengths	OD	Nominal ID	Min. Wall	Bell Depth	Weight Per 100 Ft. (lbs.)	Max Work PSI 73°F (23°C)
1/2"	Plain End IPS Pipe	20'	0.840	0.622	0.109		15.700	600
3/4"		20'	1.050	0.824	0.113		21.000	480
1"		20'	1.315	1.049	0.133		31.000	450
1 1/4"		10' & 20'	1.660	1.380	0.140		42.000	370
1 1/2"		10' & 20'	1.900	1.610	0.145		50.400	330
2"		10' & 20'	2.375	2.067	0.154		67.600	280
2 1/2"		20'	2.875	2.469	0.203		107.000	300
3"		10' & 20'	3.500	3.068	0.216		141.000	260
4"		10' & 20'	4.500	4.026	0.237		200.000	220
5"		20'	5.563	5.047	0.258		272.500	190
6"		10' & 20'	6.625	6.065	0.280		352.000	180
8"		20'	8.625	7.981	0.322		539.000	160
10"		20'	10.750	10.020	0.365		755.000	140
12"		20'	12.750	11.938	0.406		1001.000	130
14"		20'	14.000	13.124	0.437		1180.100	130
16"	20'	16.000	15.000	0.500		1543.100	130	
1/2"	Bell End IPS Pipe	20'	0.840	0.622	0.109	2.00	15.700	600
3/4"		20'	1.050	0.824	0.113	2.25	21.000	480
1"		20'	1.315	1.049	0.133	2.50	31.000	450
1 1/4"		20'	1.660	1.380	0.140	2.75	42.000	370
1 1/2"		20'	1.900	1.610	0.145	3.00	50.400	330
2"		20'	2.375	2.067	0.154	4.00	67.600	280
2 1/2"		20'	2.875	2.469	0.203	4.00	107.000	300
3"		10' & 20'	3.500	3.068	0.216	4.00	144.300	260
4"		10' & 20'	4.500	4.026	0.237	5.00	205.900	220
6"		10' & 20'	6.625	6.065	0.280	6.50	365.100	180
8"		20'	8.625	7.981	0.322	7.00	558.800	160
10"		20'	10.750	10.020	0.365	9.00	761.000	140
12"		20'	12.750	11.938	0.406	10.00	1045.000	130
14"		20'	14.000	13.124	0.437	10.00	1187.000	130
16"		20'	16.000	15.000	0.500	10.00	1543.100	130
2"	Bell End IPS Well Casing	20'	2.375	2.067	0.154	4.00	67.600	280
2 1/2"		20'	2.875	2.469	0.203	4.00	107.000	300
3"		20'	3.500	3.068	0.216	4.00	144.300	260
4"		20'	4.500	4.026	0.237	5.00	205.900	220
6"		20'	6.625	6.065	0.280	6.50	365.100	180
8"		20'	8.625	7.981	0.322	7.00	558.800	160

Note: See separate sheet for ASTM F 480 & ASTM D 2241 Bell End Well Casing.

PVC SCHEDULE 80 PIPE AND FITTINGS FACT SHEET

System

- PVC Schedule 80 Pipe and Fittings.

Standards

- ASTM D 1785 Schedule 80 PVC Plain End Pipe
- ASTM D 2464 and ASTM D 2467 PVC Schedule 80 Fittings
- NSF Standard 14 Dimensional Standard
- NSF Standard 61 Health Effects

Cell Class

- 12454 (Type 1, Grade 1) PVC 1120 per ASTM D 1784

Maximum Working Temperature

- 140 Degrees Fahrenheit
- The De-rating factor must be used to determine the pressure rating for each pipe diameter for temperatures over 73°F.

Maximum Working Pressure

- See pipe diameter chart.

Joining Method

- Solvent Weld Joints
- Solvent Cement must meet ASTM D 2564.
- Primer is required

Cure Times

- Cure times are a function of air temperature, water temperature, humidity, and pipe size. Increase the cure time for colder temperatures or higher humidity. See cure chart on page 33.

Threaded Joint

- 1/4" - 4" PVC Schedule 80 pipe can be safely threaded. Threading will result in 50% reduction in pressure capability.
- To be joined with taper threads manufactured in accordance with American National Standard Taper Pipe Threads per ANSI/ASME B1.20.1 and ASTM D 1498.

- Use Teflon tape. Begin with the second thread and wrap in the direction of the thread overlapping each wrap one half the width of the tape.
- Avoid over-tightening as this may cause damage to the thread or the fitting.

Mechanical Joints

- May be made with schedule 80 flanges or unions.
- May be roll grooved.

Temperature De-rating Factor - PVC

Temperature	De-Rating Factor	Temperature	De-Rating Factor
73°F	1.00	120°F	0.40
80°F	0.88	125°F	0.35
90°F	0.75	130°F	0.30
100°F	0.62	140°F	0.22

Principle: As the fluid temperature increases, the pipe's ability to hold pressure decreases.

Method: To find the pressure rating at a required temperature, multiply the cold water (73°F) pressure rating by the de-rating factor.

Example: Solve for 2" PVC-80 at 100°F.
 $0.62 \times 400 \text{ PSI} = 248 \text{ PSI}$

Thermal Expansion

- .360 inches per 10 degree temperature change per 100 foot of pipe.

Special Considerations

- Do **NOT** air test.
- Consult chemical resistant chart for chemical compatibility.
- U.V. sensitivity. Do not install permanently in direct sunlight without painting with water-based latex paint, or covering with pipe insulation.

PVC SCHEDULE 80 PIPE AND FITTINGS FACT SHEET

System

PVC Schedule 80 Pipe.

Product Offering / Data

Size	Product	Available Lengths	OD	Nominal ID	Min. Wall	Bell Length	Weight Per 100 Ft. (lbs.)	Max Work PSI 73°F (23°C)
1/4"	Plain End IPS Pipe (Gray)	20'	0.540	0.302	0.119		10.0	1130
3/8"		20'	0.675	0.423	0.126		13.8	920
1/2"		20'	0.840	0.546	0.147		20.4	850
3/4"		20'	1.050	0.742	0.154		27.0	690
1"		20'	1.315	0.957	0.179		41.0	630
1 1/4"		20'	1.660	1.278	0.191		52.2	520
1 1/2"		20'	1.900	1.500	0.200		66.8	470
2"		20'	2.375	1.939	0.218		94.5	400
2 1/2"		20'	2.875	2.323	0.276		144.5	420
3"		20'	3.500	2.900	0.300		194.2	370
4"		20'	4.500	3.826	0.337		275.2	320
5"		20'	5.563	4.813	0.375		387.3	290
6"		20'	6.625	5.761	0.432		541.5	280
8"		20'	8.625	7.625	0.500		805.2	250
10"		20'	10.750	9.564	0.593		1200.0	230
12"		20'	12.750	11.376	0.687		1650.0	230
14"	20'	14.000	12.500	0.750		1930.0	220	
16"	20'	16.000	14.314	0.843		2544.1	220	
1/2"	Bell End IPS Pipe (Gray)	20'	0.840	0.546	0.147	1.00	20.5	850
3/4"		20'	1.050	0.742	0.154	1.25	27.5	690
1"		20'	1.315	0.957	0.179	1.50	40.9	630
1 1/4"		20'	1.660	1.278	0.191	1.75	55.7	520
1 1/2"		20'	1.900	1.500	0.200	2.00	68.6	470
2"		20'	2.375	1.939	0.218	2.25	94.9	400
2 1/2"		20'	2.875	2.323	0.276	2.50	142.1	420
3"		20'	3.500	2.900	0.300	3.25	193.8	370
4"		20'	4.500	3.826	0.337	4.00	283.3	320
6"		20'	6.625	5.761	0.432	6.00	541.1	280
8"		20'	8.625	7.625	0.500	6.00	805.2	250
10"		20'	10.750	9.564	0.593	7.50	1200.0	230
12"		20'	12.750	11.376	0.687	8.50	1650.0	230
14"		20'	14.000	12.500	0.750	9.00	2010.0	220
16"		20'	16.000	14.314	0.843	9.00	2544.1	220

CPVC SCHEDULE 40/80 PIPE AND FITTINGS FACT SHEET

System

- Corzan CPVC Schedule 40/80 Pipe and Fittings.

Standards

- ASTM F 441 Schedule 40/80 CPVC Plain End Pipe
- ASTM F 437 Schedule 80 Threaded Fittings
- ASTM F 439 Schedule 80 Fittings
- NSF Standard 14 Dimensional Standard
- NSF Standard 61 Health Effects

Cell Class

- 24448 or 23447 (Type IV, Grade 1) CPVC 4120 per ASTM D 1784

Maximum Working Temperature

- 200 Degrees Fahrenheit
- The De-rating factor must be used to determine the pressure rating for each pipe diameter for temperatures over 73°F.

Maximum Working Pressure

- See pipe diameter chart.

Joining Method

- Solvent Weld Joints
- Solvent Cement must meet ASTM F 493.
- Primer is required

Minimum Cure Time to Test at 180 PSI

Size	60° - 100°F	40° - 60°F	0° - 40°F
1/2" to 1 1/4"	1 Hour	2 Hours	8 Hours
1 1/2" to 3"	2 Hours	4 Hours	16 Hours
4" to 8"	6 Hours	12 Hours	48 Hours
10" to 16"	24 Hours	40 Hours	8 Days

Cure Times

- Cure times are a function of air temperature, water temperature, humidity, and pipe size. Increase the cure time for more demanding conditions.

Threaded Joint

- 1/4" - 4" Schedule 80 pipe can be safely threaded. Threading will result in 50% reduction in pressure capability.
- To be joined with taper threads manufactured in accordance with American National Standard Taper Pipe Threads per ANSI/ASME B1.20.1 and ASTM D 1498.
- Use Teflon tape. Begin with the second thread and wrap in the direction of the thread overlapping each wrap one half the width of the tape.
- Avoid over-tightening as this may cause damage to the thread or the fitting.

Mechanical Joints

- May be made with schedule 80 flanges or unions.
- May be roll grooved.

Temperature De-rating Factor - CPVC

Temperature	De-Rating Factor	Temperature	De-Rating Factor
73°F	1.00	130°F	0.62
80°F	1.00	140°F	0.50
90°F	0.91	160°F	0.40
100°F	0.82	180°F	0.25
120°F	0.65	200°F	0.20
125°F	0.66		

Principle: As the fluid temperature increases, the pipe's ability to hold pressure decreases.

Method: To find the pressure rating at a required temperature, multiply the cold water (73°F) pressure rating by the de-rating factor.

Example: Solve for 2" CPVC-80 at 100°F.
 $0.82 \times 400 \text{ PSI} = 328 \text{ PSI}$

Thermal Expansion

- .408 inches per 10 degree temperature change per 100 foot of pipe.

Special Considerations

- Do **NOT** air test.
- Consult chemical resistant chart for chemical compatibility.
- U.V. sensitivity. Do not install permanently in direct sunlight without painting with water-based latex paint, or covering with pipe insulation.

CORZAN® CPVC SCHEDULE 40/80 PIPE AND FITTINGS FACT SHEET

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PIPE AND FOUNDRY COMPANY®

System

CPVC Schedule 40 & 80 Pipe.

Product Offering / Data

Size	Product	Available Lengths	OD	Nominal ID	Min. Wall	Weight Per 100 Ft. (lbs.)	Max Work PSI 73°F (23°C)
1/4"	Sch. 80	20'	0.540	0.302	0.119	10.9	1130
3/8"	Plain End	20'	0.675	0.423	0.126	15.0	920
1/2"	IPS Pipe	20'	0.840	0.546	0.147	22.1	850
3/4"	(Gray)	20'	1.050	0.742	0.154	30.0	690
1"		20'	1.315	0.957	0.179	44.2	630
1 1/4"		20'	1.660	1.278	0.191	61.0	520
1 1/2"		20'	1.900	1.500	0.200	73.9	470
2"		20'	2.375	1.939	0.218	102.2	400
2 1/2"		20'	2.875	2.323	0.276	155.9	420
3"		20'	3.500	2.900	0.300	208.6	370
4"		20'	4.500	3.826	0.337	304.9	320
6"		20'	6.625	5.761	0.432	581.5	280
8"		20'	8.625	7.625	0.500	882.9	250
10"		20'	10.750	9.564	0.593	1309.1	230
12"		20'	12.750	11.376	0.687	1801.2	230
1/2"	Sch. 40	20'	0.840	0.622	0.109	17.3	600
3/4"	Plain End	20'	1.050	0.824	0.113	23.0	480
1"	IPS Pipe	20'	1.315	1.049	0.133	34.2	450
1 1/4"	(Gray)	20'	1.660	1.380	0.140	46.3	370
1 1/2"		20'	1.900	1.610	0.145	55.3	330
2"		20'	2.375	2.067	0.154	74.3	280
2 1/2"		20'	2.875	2.469	0.203	117.9	300
3"		20'	3.500	3.068	0.216	154.2	260
4"		20'	4.500	4.026	0.237	219.6	220
6"		20'	6.625	6.065	0.280	386.1	180
8"		20'	8.625	7.981	0.322	581.1	160
10"		20'	10.750	10.020	0.365	823.8	140
12"		20'	12.750	11.938	0.406	1089.2	130

ABRASION RESISTANCE—The measure of a material's ability to withstand erosion when subjected to rubbing, scraping, wearing, scouring, etc., conditions.

ACETAL PLASTICS—A group of plastics made from resins which have been obtained by heating aldehydes or ketones with alcohols.

ACIDS—Normally a water-soluble compound containing hydrogen and other elements that are capable of reacting with a base to form a salt. They turn blue litmus paper red.

ACRYLONITRILE-BUTADIENE-STYRENE (ABS) PLASTICS—A group of plastics made from polymers with prescribed percentages of acrylonitrile, butadiene, and styrene.

ADHESIVE—A substance capable of holding materials together by surface attachment.

AGING—The effect on materials exposed to an environment for a period of time. Also, the act of exposing materials to an environment for a period of time.

ALKALIES—Compounds capable of neutralizing acids.

ANTIOXIDANT—A substance added to a plastic compound to retard degradation due to contact with air (oxygen).

BEAM LOADING—The process of applying a specified force (load) to a piece of pipe which is supported at two points. It is usually expressed in pounds per the distance between the centers of the supports.

BELLED-END—A term used to describe a pipe end which has been enlarged to have the same inside dimensions as a fitting socket. It acts as a coupling when joining pipe.

BLISTER—An undesirable air or gas filled bubble (bump) on the surface of a plastic part.

BOND—To attach by the use of an adhesive.

BURST STRENGTH—The amount of internal pressure a piece of pipe or a fitting will hold before breaking.

CALENDERING—A process for making thin sheets of plastic or rubber in which a heated plastic or rubber compound is squeezed between heavy rollers.

CELLULOSE ACETATE—A type of resin made from the reaction of acetic acid or acetic anhydride with a cellulose base (cotton and/or wood pulp).

CEMENT (SOLVENT CEMENT)—An adhesive used to bond plastics which is a "solution" of a plastic resin and a volatile solvent.

CHEMICAL RESISTANCE—The ability of a plastic to withstand the effects of chemicals at various concentrations and temperatures.

COLD FLOW—A change in the shape or the dimensions of a plastic part when subjected to a load (weight or pressure) at room temperature.

COMPOUND—The mixture of ingredients, consisting of a plastic resin and specified additives, used to manufacture a plastic part.

CONDENSATION—A chemical reaction involving the combination of molecules with the result being the elimination of a simple molecule, such as water, and the formation of a more complex compound of greater molecular weight.

COPOLYMER—The product formed by the simultaneous polymerization of two or more polymerizable chemicals (monomers).

CRAZING—Small, fine cracks on or under the surface of a plastic.

CREEP—The dimensional change, beyond the initial elastic elongation caused by the application of a load, over a specified period of time. It is normally expressed in inches per inch per unit of time.

CURE—To change the properties of a polymer to a stable, usable, and final state by the use of chemical agents, heat, or radiation.

DEFLECTION TEMPERATURE (HEAT DISTORTION)—The temperature which will cause a plastic specimen to deflect a certain distance when a specified load is applied.

DEGRADATION—A deleterious change in the chemical structure, physical properties, or appearance of a plastic.

DELAMINATION—The separation of the layers of material in a laminate.

DETERIORATION—A permanent change in the physical properties of a plastic evidenced by impairment of these properties.

DIELECTRIC STRENGTH—The force required to drive an electric current through a specific thickness of a material.

DIFFUSION—The movement of gas or liquid particles or molecules in a body of fluid through or into a medium and away from the main body of fluid.

DIMENSIONAL STABILITY—The capability of a plastic part to maintain its original shape and dimensions under conditions of use.

DRY-BLEND—A dry compound prepared without fluxing or the addition of a solvent.

ELASTICITY—The property of a plastic which allows it to return to its original dimensions after deformation.

ELASTIC LIMIT—The load point at which a material will not return to its original shape and size after the load has been released.

ELASTOMER—A substance which when stretched to approximately twice its length, at room temperature, will quickly return to its original length when the stretching load is relieved.

ELECTRICAL PROPERTIES—The resistance of a plastic to the passage of electricity.

ELONGATION—The percentage of the original length which a material will deform, under tension, without failing.

EMULSION—A dispersion of one insoluble liquid into another insoluble liquid.

ENVIRONMENTAL STRESS CRACKING—Cracks which develop when a plastic part is subjected to incompatible chemicals and put under stress.

ESTER—The compound formed during the reaction between an alcohol and an acid.

ETHYLENE PLASTICS—Plastics based on polymers or copolymers of ethylene and other monomers in which ethylene is the greatest amount by weight.

EXTRUSION—The process used to continuously form a shape by forcing a heated or unheated plastic through a shaping orifice (die).

FILLER—A relatively inert material added to a plastic to modify its strength, permanence, working properties, other qualities, or to lower costs.

FLEXURAL STRENGTH—The measure of a material's ability to withstand a specified deformation under a beam load (bending) at 73°F. Normally expressed in PSI.

FORMING—A process in which the shape of plastic pieces such as sheets, rods, or tubes are changed to a desired configuration.

FORMULATION—The combination of ingredients used to make a finished plastic product. Also see compound.

FUSE—To join plastic parts by softening the material with heat or solvents.

GATE—The constriction in the flow channel between the runner and the mold cavity in an injection mold.

GLASS TRANSITION—The reversible change in an amorphous polymer from (or to) a viscous condition to (or from) a hard and relatively brittle one.

GLASS TRANSITION TEMPERATURE—The approximate midpoint of the temperature range over which the glass transition takes place.

GUSSET—A piece used to give additional size or strength to a plastic part at a particular location.

HARDNESS—The measure of a material's ability to resist indentation.

HEAT RESISTANCE—The ability of a material to withstand the effects of exposure to high temperatures.

HOOP STRESS—The circumferential stress imposed on a pipe wall when exposed to an internal pressure load. Usually expressed in PSI.

IMPACT STRENGTH—A measure of a plastic part's ability to withstand the effects of dropping and/or striking. There are two commonly used test methods, Notched Izod and Tup. Notched Izod uses a pendulum type machine to strike a notched specimen. Tup testing uses a falling weight (tup) to strike a pipe or fitting specimen.

INJECTION MOLDING—The process used to form a shape by forcing a heated plastic, in a fluid state and under pressure, into the cavity of a closed mold.

ISO EQUATION—The equation which shows the relationship between stress, pressure, and dimensions in pipe.

JOINT—The point where a pipe and fitting or two pieces of pipe are connected together.

KETONES—A group of compounds having two alkyl groups attached to a carbonyl (CO) group.

LIGHT STABILITY—A feature of a plastic which allows it to retain its original color and physical properties when exposed to sun or artificial light.

LIGHT TRANSMISSION—The amount of light which a plastic will allow to pass through.

LONGITUDINAL STRESS—A tensile or compressive force placed upon the long axis of a plastic part.

LUBRICANT—Any substance which reduces the friction between moving solid surfaces.

MODULUS—A term used to describe the load required to cause a specified percentage of elongation. It is usually expressed in PSI or kilos per square centimeter.

MONOMER—A low-molecular-weight substance whose molecules can react with other molecules to form a polymer.

NON-FLAMMABLE—Incapable of supporting combustion.

NON -TOXIC—Non-poisonous.

NYLON PLASTICS—Plastics based on resins composed principally of a long-chain synthetic polymeric amide which has recurring amide groups as an integral part of the main polymer chain.

OLEFIN PLASTICS—A group of plastics based on polymers made by the polymerization or copolymerization of olefins with other monomers, with the olefins being at least 50% of the weight. Polypropylene, polyethylene, and polybutylene are examples.

ORGANIC CHEMICAL—Any chemical which contains carbon.

PHENOLIC PLASTICS—A group of plastics based on resins made by the condensation of phenols with aldehydes.

PLASTIC—A material that contains as an essential ingredient one or more organic polymeric substances of large molecular weight, is solid in its finished state, and, at some stage in its manufacture or in its processing into finished articles, can be shaped by flow.

PLASTICITY—The property of plastics which allows them to be formed, without rupture, continuously and permanently by the application of a force which exceeds the yield value of the material.

PLASTICIZER—A substance incorporated in a plastic to increase its workability, flexibility, or distensibility.

PLASTIC PIPE—A hollow cylinder of a plastic material in which the wall thicknesses are usually small when compared to the diameter and in which the inside and outside walls are essentially concentric.

POLYBUTYLENE PLASTICS—Plastics based on polymers made with butene as essentially the sole monomer.

POLYETHYLENE PLASTICS—Plastics based on polymers made with ethylene as essentially the sole monomer.

POLYMER—A product formed by the chemical reaction of the addition of a large number of small molecules which have the ability to combine and reach high molecular weights.

POLYMERIZATION—A chemical reaction in which the molecules of monomers are linked together to form polymers.

POLYOLEFIN PLASTICS—Plastics based on polymers made with an olefin(s) as essentially the sole monomer(s).

POLYPROPYLENE PLASTICS—Plastics based on polymers made with propylene as essentially the sole monomer.

POLYSTYRENE—A polymer prepared by the polymerization of styrene as the sole monomer.

POLYVINYL CHLORIDE PLASTICS—Plastics obtained by the polymerization of vinyl chloride. The addition of various ingredients, such as stabilizers, colorants, lubricants, and fillers enhance the processability and performance.

POROSITY—A term describing a plastic part which has many visible voids.

PRESSURE RATING—The maximum pressure at which a plastic part can safely function without failing.

QUICK BURST—A term used to describe the amount of internal pressure required to burst a pipe or fitting when the pressure is built up over a 60-70 second interval of time.

REINFORCED PLASTIC—A plastic with high strength fillers imbedded in the composition, causing some mechanical properties to be superior to those of the base resin.

RESIN—A solid or pseudosolid organic material, often having a high molecular weight, which exhibits a tendency to flow when subjected to stress, usually has a softening or melting range, and usually fractures conchoidally.

RUNNER—The secondary feed channel in an injection mold that runs from the inner end of the sprue to the cavity gate. Also, the solidified piece of plastic which forms in the feed channel when the injection molded part cools.

SAMPLE—A small part or portion of a material or product intended to be representative of the whole.

SCHEDULE—A pipe sizing system for the outside diameter and wall thickness dimensions which was started by the iron pipe industry. Normally, as the diameter increases, the pressure rating decreases for any given schedule of pipe.

SELF-EXTINGUISHING—A term describing a plastic material which stops burning when the source of the burning is removed.

SHRINK MARK—A depression in the surface of a molded plastic part where it has retracted from the mold.

SOFTENING POINT—The temperature at which a plastic changes from rigid to soft.

SOLVENT—A medium into which a substance is dissolved.

SOLVENT CEMENT—An adhesive consisting of a plastic dissolved into a solvent and used to bond plastic surfaces.

SOLVENT CEMENTING—Using a solvent cement to make pipe joint.

SPECIFIC GRAVITY—The ratio of the mass of a material to the mass of an equal volume of water.

SPRUE—The primary feed channel that runs from the outer face of an injection mold to the runner or the gate.

STABILIZER—An ingredient added to a plastic compound to inhibit or retard undesirable changes in the material.

STANDARD DIMENSION RATIO (SDR) PIPE—A type of pipe in which the dimension ratios are constant for any given class. Unlike "schedule" pipe, as the diameter increases the pressure rating remains constant for any given class of pipe.

STIFFNESS FACTOR—A term describing the degree of flexibility in a piece of pipe when subjected to an external load.

STRESS-CRACK—An external or internal crack in a plastic caused by tensile stresses less than its short-time mechanical strength.

SUSTAINED PRESSURE TEST—A test in which a plastic part is subjected to a constant internal pressure load for 1000 hours.

TEAR STRENGTH—A measure of a material's ability to resist tearing.

TENSILE STRENGTH—The measure of a plastic's ability to resist a stretching force. It is normally expressed in the PSI required to rupture a test specimen.

THERMAL CONDUCTIVITY—A measure of a plastic's ability to conduct heat.

THERMAL CONTRACTION—The decrease in length of a plastic part due to a change in temperature.

THERMAL EXPANSION—The increase in length of a plastic part due to a change in temperature.

THERMOPLASTICS—A group of plastics which can repeatedly be softened by heating and hardened by cooling.

THERMOSETTING PLASTICS—A group of plastics which, having been cured by heat, chemicals, or other means, are substantially infusible and insoluble. They are permanently hardened.

VINYL CHLORIDE PLASTICS—Plastics based on polymers or copolymers of vinyl chloride with other monomers, with the vinyl chloride being the greatest amount by weight.

VISCOSITY—A term describing a material's resistance to flow.

VOLATILE—A property of liquids in which they pass away by evaporating.

WELD LINE (KNIT LINE)—A term used to describe a mark on a molded plastic part formed by the union of two or more streams of plastic flowing together.

YIELD POINT—The point at which a plastic material will not withstand a stretching force. It will continue to elongate with no increase in load after reaching that point.

Temperature Conversion

Degrees Fahrenheit	Degrees Centigrade	Degrees Fahrenheit	Degrees Centigrade
-10	-23.3	90	32.2
-5	-20.6	95	35.0
0	-17.8	100	37.8
5	-15.0	110	43.3
10	-12.2	120	48.9
15	-9.4	130	54.4
20	-6.7	140	60.0
25	-3.9	150	65.6
32	0	160	71.1
35	1.7	170	76.7
40	4.4	180	82.2
45	7.2	190	87.8
50	10.0	200	93.3
55	12.8	212	100.0
60	15.6	220	104.4
65	18.3	230	110.0
70	21.1	240	115.6
75	23.9	250	121.1
80	26.7	260	126.7
85	29.4		

For temperatures not shown, the following formulas apply:
 $^{\circ}\text{F to }^{\circ}\text{C} = 5/9 (^{\circ}\text{F}-32)$ $^{\circ}\text{C to }^{\circ}\text{F} = 9/5 ^{\circ}\text{C} + 32$

Metric Conversion

Pipe Size (mm)	Pipe Size (in.)	Pipe Size (mm)	Pipe Size (in.)
6mm	1/8 in.	90mm	3 1/2 in.
7mm	3/16 in.	100mm	4 in.
8mm	1/4 in.	125mm	5 in.
10mm	3/8 in.	150mm	6 in.
15mm	1/2 in.	200mm	8 in.
18mm	5/8 in.	250mm	10 in.
20mm	3/4 in.	300mm	12 in.
25mm	1 in.	350mm	14 in.
32mm	1 1/4 in.	400mm	16 in.
40mm	1 1/2 in.	450mm	18 in.
50mm	2 in.	500mm	20 in.
65mm	2 1/2 in.	600mm	24 in.
80mm	3 in.		

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