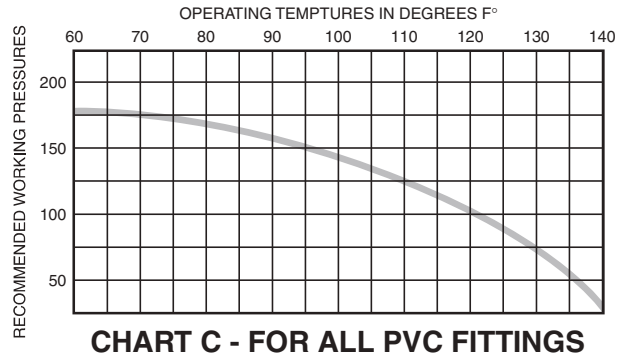


## INFORMATION

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### TEMPERATURE VARIATION AND WORKING PRESSURE CHART



## IMPORTANT

### Non shock valves manufactured from PVC Type 1 material

**WATER HAMMER** – NDS requires that all VC plastic piping systems be designed and constructed to **AVOID EXCESSIVE WATER HAMMER**. Water hammer can cause damage, and failure to pipe, valves, and fittings within the piping system. Not recommended in any shock applications.

NDS **DOES NOT RECOMMEND** the use of thermoplastic piping products for systems to transport or store compressed air or gases, or the testing of thermoplastic piping systems with compressed air or gases in above and below ground locations. The use of our product in exposed, compressed air or gas systems automatically voids our warranty for such products and its use against our recommendations is entirely the responsibility and liability of the installer.

NDS will not accept responsibility for damage or impairment of its products, or other consequential or incidental damages caused by misapplication, incorrect assembly, and/or exposure to harmful substances or conditions. See warranty on back cover.

Check valves are suitable for usage on grinder pump systems as long as the grinder pump is inspected for proper usage, and is on a preventative maintenance schedule.

NDS does not recommend using a F T (female) VC fitting with a M T (male) metal fitting; ASTM F1498. Unless the female VC fitting is used with a metal reinforcement ring, it may expand beyond its strength around a metal fitting, which can result in cracks and leaks.

## CLAMP IT™ / FLO-TAP SADDLES

### CLAMP-IT SADDLE DRILL SIZES

| OUTLET SIZE OVER 2½" PIPE | DRILL SIZE |
|---------------------------|------------|
| ¾" I S S & F T            | ¾"         |
| 1" I S S & F T            | 1"         |
| 1¼" I S S & F T           | 1¼"        |
| 1½" I S S & F T           | 1½"        |
| 2" I S S & F T            | 2"         |

For 2½" I S Saddle with a 2" outlet –  
Drill Size must be 1½" due to pipe restriction

### FLO-TAP™ HOT/WET TAP SADDLES

#### For ¾" and 1":

To drive cutter use a standard ¾" ratchet with a 6" extension.  
TA Cuts .750" hole.

#### For 1½" and 2":

To drive cutter use a standard ½" ratchet with a 6" extension.  
TA Cuts 1.250" hole.

Captures Coupon – No pipe chips in water system. CAUTION: Do not tap any VC pipes with wall thickness exceeding .540" (8" SDR 18, CLASS 150.) Refer to temperature variation and working pressure chart on page 26 for maximum pressure vs. maximum temperature.

NOT FOR USE WITH COMPRESSED AIR OR NATURAL GAS LINES.

## TECHNICAL DATA

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**NDS requires that the local and state plumbing codes be reviewed and understood prior to installing any of Flo Control's products. These codes will provide proper installation procedures.**

**1. PVC MATERIAL SPECIFICATION** PVC Type I, Grade I, Cell Class 12454-B meeting requirements of ASTM D-1784-03 is used in the manufacturing of all fittings recommended for use of potable cold water (see chart C for temperature vs. pressure). Not recommended for use on systems exceeding 100 psi at 120 degrees F.

**2. CPVC MATERIAL SPECIFICATION** CPVC Type IV, Grade I, Cell Class 23447-B meeting requirements of ASTM D-1784-03 is used in the manufacturing of all fittings recommended for use on potable Hot Water Systems in accordance with ASTM D-2846-73. Not recommended for use on systems that will exceed 100 psi at 180 degrees F.

**3. BUNA-N SEALS** are in accordance with ASTM D-2000. It is generally resistant to many hydrocarbons, fats, oils, greases, hydraulic fluids and chemicals. It is generally attacked by Ozone, Ketones, Esters, Aldehydes, chlorinated and nitro hydrocarbons. Reference chemical resistance under NBR (Nitrile) Elastomers for specific listings.

**4. EPDM O-RINGS** The o-ring material is made of high quality EPDM (Ethylene Propylene Copolymer) which is in accordance with ASTM D-2000. EPDM has exceptionally good weather aging and ozone resistance, excellent water and chemical resistance, and excellent aging resistance for most applications. EPDM is a polymer where oil and solvent resistance is poor. However, it is fairly good in ketones and alcohols. Reference chemical resistance under EPDM, EPT, or EPR Elastomers for specific listings.

**5. DOUBLE SEAL** of standard compression fitting. A compressive action is created as the cap is tightened squeezing the Buna-N seals into the tapered recessed areas of the cap and body. This process creates a highly concentrated pressure at the two "double seal" points, thus providing positive protection against leakage. (See Figure A)

**6. ACME THREAD** General purpose 10 pitch and 5 pitch Acme thread on Compression Cap section, eliminates the possibility of cross threading. This smooth running design prevents binding or galling as is often experienced in standard tapered threads.

**7. SPRINGS** Series 300 Stainless Steel.

## INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS

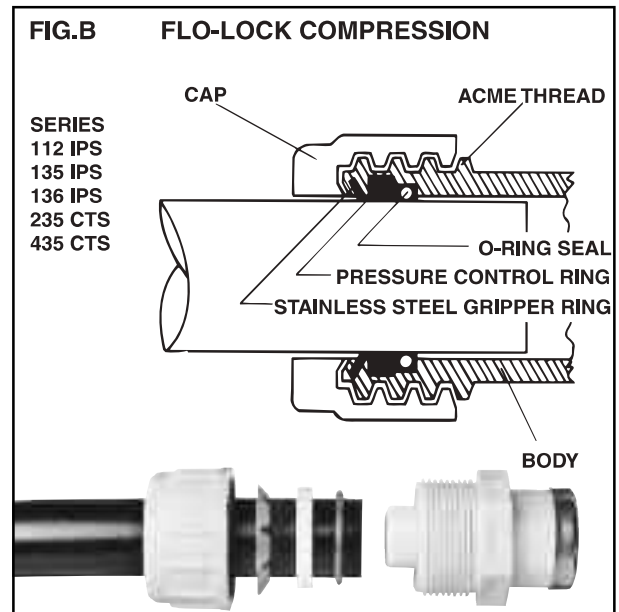
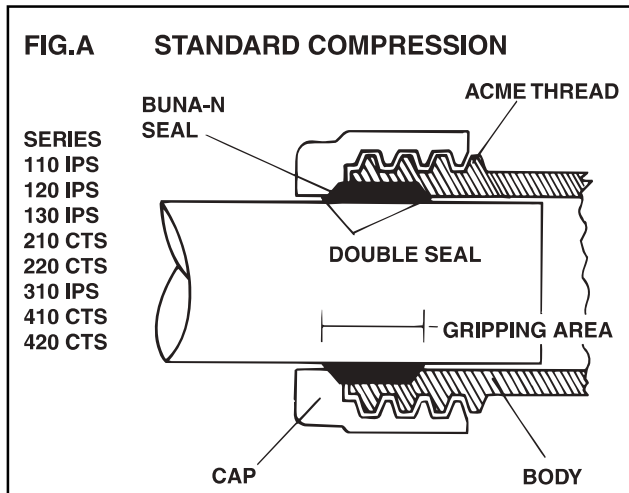
**NOTE:** NDS does not recommend using a FPT (female) PVC fitting with a MPT (male) metal fitting; ASTM F1498. Unless the female PVC fitting is used with a metal reinforcement ring, it may expand beyond its strength around a metal fitting, which can result in cracks and leaks.

**1. COMPRESSION FITTINGS** Compression cap should be drawn up hand tight to insure proper alignment and seating of gasket, then tighten  $\frac{3}{4}$  to 1 turn with a Flo Spanner Wrench or strap wrench. Average torque should be approximately 25 foot pounds on  $\frac{1}{2}$ " through 2" IPS, and 35 foot pounds on 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ " and larger IPS. Compression fittings are not for use on compressed air lines or natural gas lines. When installing the Standard Compression Seal fittings the pipe line must be restrained from lateral movement by thorough soil compaction on straight runs and thrust blocking at change of direction or reduction in size. Not for use on pipe lines suspended on hangers.

**2. PIPE THREADS** Use teflon tape on all IPS thread connections. IPS thread connection should be made hand tight plus  $\frac{1}{2}$  to  $\frac{3}{4}$  turn with a wrench.

**3. FLO LOCK ADAPTERS** for use on pipe with wall thickness of SDR-26, Class 160 or greater and copper tubing. Not recommended for use on galvanized pipe unless surface is sanded smooth. (See Figure B)

**4. SOLVENT WELDING** – NDS requires that all parts that are to be solvent cemented are clean of any and all foreign materials. Solvent cement manufacturers include installation instructions on the container. It is important to follow correct cementing instructions to avoid problems. Excessive cement or the incorrect type of cement can cause failures in thermoplastic products.



## PIPE SIZE LEGEND

| Abbreviation | Description                             |
|--------------|---|
| CTS          | Copper Tube Size                        |
| IPS          | Iron Pipe Size<br>(same as Sched 40 OD) |
| SDR          | PE Tubing Size                          |
| SIDR         | PE Tubing Size                          |
| TS           | PE Tube Size                            |

## CONNECTION TYPE LEGEND

| Abbreviation | Description  |
|--------------|--|
| Spg          | Spigot   |
| MPT          | Male Pipe Taper Thread                               |
| FPT          | Female Pipe Taper Thread                             |
| S            | Slip   |
| U            | Union fitting with<br>Slip connection                |
| U x U        | True Union — Slip connection<br>w/ Union on each end |
| UC           | Union fitting with<br>Compression connection         |
| FHT          | Female Hose Thread                                   |
| MHT          | Male Hose Thread                                     |
| MIP          | Male Iron Pipe                                       |

## PIPE & TUBE DIMENSIONS

| ASTM                        | SIDR-7 | OD         | ID    | Wall  |      |
|-----------------------------|--------|------------|-------|-------|------|
| D2239                       | 3/4"   | 1.060      | 0.824 | 0.118 |      |
|                             | 1"     | 1.349      | 1.049 | 0.150 |      |
|                             | 1 1/4" | 1.774      | 1.380 | 0.197 |      |
|                             | 1 1/2" | 2.070      | 1.610 | 0.230 |      |
|                             | 2"     | 2.657      | 2.067 | 0.295 |      |
|                             |        | SIDR-9     | OD    | ID    | Wall |
| D2239                       | 3/4"   | 1.008      | 0.824 | 0.092 |      |
|                             | 1"     | 1.283      | 1.049 | 0.117 |      |
|                             | 1 1/4" | 1.686      | 1.380 | 0.153 |      |
|                             | 1 1/2" | 1.968      | 1.610 | 0.179 |      |
|                             | 2"     | 2.527      | 2.067 | 0.230 |      |
|                             |        | SDR-9      | OD    | ID    | Wall |
| D2737                       | 3/4"   | 0.875      | 0.681 | 0.097 |      |
|                             | 1"     | 1.125      | 0.875 | 0.125 |      |
|                             | 1 1/4" | 1.375      | 1.069 | 0.153 |      |
|                             | 1 1/2" | 1.625      | 1.263 | 0.181 |      |
|                             |        | SDR-11     | OD    | ID    | Wall |
| D2737                       | 3/4"   | 0.875      | 0.715 | 0.080 |      |
|                             | 1 1/4" | 1.686      | 1.436 | 0.125 |      |
|                             |        | SDR-13.5   | OD    | ID    | Wall |
| D3035                       | 3/4"   | 1.050      | 0.874 | 0.078 |      |
|                             | 1"     | 1.315      | 1.101 | 0.097 |      |
|                             | 1 1/4" | 1.660      | 1.394 | 0.123 |      |
|                             | 1 1/2" | 1.900      | 1.598 | 0.141 |      |
|                             |        | SCH 40     | OD    | ID    | Wall |
| D1785                       | 1/2"   | 0.840      | 0.622 | 0.109 |      |
|                             | 3/4"   | 1.050      | 0.824 | 0.113 |      |
| SCH 40<br>FITTINGS<br>D2466 | 1"     | 1.315      | 1.049 | 0.133 |      |
|                             | 1 1/4" | 1.660      | 1.380 | 0.140 |      |
|                             | 1 1/2" | 1.900      | 1.610 | 0.145 |      |
|                             | 2"     | 2.375      | 2.067 | 0.154 |      |
|                             | 2 1/2" | 2.875      | 2.469 | 0.203 |      |
|                             |        | SCH 80     | OD    | ID    | Wall |
| D1785                       | 1/2"   | 0.840      | 0.546 | 0.147 |      |
|                             | 3/4"   | 1.050      | 0.742 | 0.154 |      |
|                             | 1"     | 1.315      | 0.957 | 0.179 |      |
|                             | 1 1/4" | 1.660      | 1.278 | 0.191 |      |
| SCH 80<br>FITTINGS<br>D2467 | 1 1/2" | 1.900      | 1.500 | 0.200 |      |
|                             | 2"     | 2.375      | 1.939 | 0.218 |      |
|                             | 2 1/2" | 2.875      | 2.323 | 0.276 |      |
|                             |        | CTS TYPE L | OD    | ID    | Wall |
| B88                         | 1/2"   | 0.625      | 0.545 | 0.040 |      |
|                             | 5/8"   | 0.750      | 0.666 | 0.042 |      |
|                             | 3/4"   | 0.875      | 0.785 | 0.045 |      |
|                             | 1"     | 1.125      | 1.025 | 0.050 |      |
|                             | 1 1/4" | 1.375      | 1.265 | 0.055 |      |
|                             | 1 1/2" | 1.625      | 1.505 | 0.060 |      |
|                             | 2"     | 2.125      | 1.985 | 0.070 |      |
|                             | 2 1/2" | 2.625      | 2.465 | 0.080 |      |
|                             | 3"     | 3.125      | 2.945 | 0.090 |      |

Note: All dimensions are nominal. All weights are for shipping purposes only. Price (U.S. Dollars) and availability are subject to change.

FLO CONTROL, INC

**MAXIMUM RECOMMENDED FLOW VELOCITIES  
THROUGH FLO CONTROL PLASTIC VALVES**

**VALVE SIZES**

| FLOW<br>G.P.M. | 1/2"               | 3/4"               | 1"                 | 1 1/4"             | 1 1/2"             | 2"                 | 2 1/2"             | 3"                 | 4"                 | 6"                 | FLOW<br>G.P.M. |
|----------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|----------------|
|                | VELOCITY<br>F.P.S. | VELOCITY<br>F.P.S. | VELOCITY<br>F.P.S. | VELOCITY<br>F.P.S. | VELOCITY<br>F.P.S. | VELOCITY<br>F.P.S. | VELOCITY<br>F.P.S. | VELOCITY<br>F.P.S. | VELOCITY<br>F.P.S. | VELOCITY<br>F.P.S. |                |
| 1              | 1.05               | 0.06               | 0.37               |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    | 1              |
| 2              | 2.11               | 1.20               | 0.74               | 0.43               |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    | 2              |
| 3              | 3.17               | 1.80               | 1.11               | 0.64               | 0.47               |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    | 3              |
| 4              | 4.22               | 2.41               | 1.48               | 0.86               | 0.63               |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    | 4              |
| 5              | 5.28               | 3.01               | 1.86               | 1.07               | 0.79               |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    | 5              |
| 6              | 6.33               | 3.61               | 2.23               | 1.29               | 0.95               | 0.57               |                    |                    |                    |                    | 6              |
| 8              | 8.44               | 4.81               | 2.97               | 1.72               | 1.26               | 0.76               | 0.54               |                    |                    |                    | 8              |
| 10             | 10.55              | 6.02               | 3.71               | 2.15               | 1.58               | 0.96               | 0.67               |                    |                    |                    | 10             |
| 15             |                    | 9.02               | 5.57               | 3.22               | 2.36               | 1.43               | 1.01               | 0.65               |                    |                    | 15             |
| 20             |                    |                    | 7.42               | 4.29               | 3.15               | 1.91               | 1.34               | 0.87               |                    |                    | 20             |
| 25             |                    |                    | 9.28               | 5.36               | 3.94               | 2.39               | 1.67               | 1.08               |                    |                    | 25             |
| 30             |                    |                    | 11.14              | 6.33               | 4.73               | 2.87               | 2.01               | 1.30               |                    |                    | 30             |
| 35             |                    |                    |                    | 7.51               | 5.62               | 3.35               | 2.35               | 1.52               | 0.88               |                    | 35             |
| 40             |                    |                    |                    | 8.58               | 6.30               | 3.82               | 2.64               | 1.73               | 1.01               |                    | 40             |
| 45             |                    |                    |                    | 9.65               | 7.09               | 4.30               | 3.01               | 1.95               | 1.13               |                    | 45             |
| 50             |                    |                    |                    | 10.72              | 7.88               | 4.78               | 3.35               | 2.17               | 1.26               |                    | 50             |
| 60             |                    |                    |                    |                    | 9.46               | 5.74               | 4.02               | 2.60               | 1.51               |                    | 60             |
| 70             |                    |                    |                    |                    | 11.03              | 6.69               | 4.69               | 3.04               | 1.76               |                    | 70             |
| 80             |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    | 7.65               | 5.36               | 3.47               | 2.02               |                    | 80             |
| 90             |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    | 8.60               | 6.03               | 3.91               | 2.27               |                    | 90             |
| 100            |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    | 9.56               | 6.70               | 4.34               | 2.52               | 1.11               | 100            |
| 125            |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    | 11.95              | 8.38               | 5.42               | 3.15               | 1.39               | 125            |
| 150            |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    | 10.05              | 6.51               | 3.78               | 1.67               | 150            |
| 175            |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    | 7.59               | 4.41               | 1.94               | 175            |
| 200            |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    | 8.68               | 5.04               | 2.22               | 200            |
| 225            |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    | 9.76               | 5.67               | 2.50               | 225            |
| 250            |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    | 10.85              | 6.30               | 2.78               | 250            |
| 275            |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    | 6.93               | 3.05               | 275            |
| 300            |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    | 7.56               | 3.33               | 300            |
| 325            |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    | 8.19               | 3.61               | 325            |
| 350            |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    | 8.82               | 3.89               | 350            |
| 375            |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    | 9.45               | 4.17               | 375            |
| 400            |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    | 10.08              | 4.44               | 400            |
| 425            |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    | 4.72               | 425            |
| 450            |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    | 5.00               | 450            |
| 475            |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    | 5.28               | 475            |
| 500            |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    | 5.55               | 500            |
| 550            |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    | 6.11               | 550            |
| 600            |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    | 6.67               | 600            |

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