

AirTech® Guide Specification Polypropylene (PPd) Fume Exhaust Systems

Scope: This Specification encompasses Polypropylene (PPd) thickness's, and welding methods used for corrosive exhaust ventilation piping, 3" (90mm) thru 24" (630mm).

1.0 Material

Material of construction shall be from Group 1. Class 1, Grade 0 Polypropylene Homopolymer material per ASTM-D4101, Federal Specification L-P-39413 and Military Spec Mil P 461096. PP material to be heat stabilized, UV stabilized and pigmented to RAL 7032.

1.1 Duct

Shall be seamless, extruded from the specified material and shall have uniform, consistent wall thickness and roundness. Wall thickness as detailed in paragraph 1.4.

1.2 **Fittings**

All directional fittings shall be molded from the specified material. Mitered and hot air welded fittings are not allowed except for assemblies which are not manufactured as a molded component. Fittings and coupling shall have socket ends which fit snugly around the entire periphery of the pipe. Joints are completed by back welding with hot air and welding rod.

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Welding rod shall be the same material as the pipe and fitting.

1.3.1 Use of Welder

Welding is to be performed using a hot air welder having a source of clean dry air. Compressed air shall not be used for welding.

1.4 **Wall Thickness**

Minimal Wall thicknesses will be as follows:

<u>Diameter</u>	<u>Thickness</u>	<u>Diamete</u>	<u>er</u> <u>Thickness</u>
3" (90mm)	3.0mm	14" (355mm)	5.0mm
4" (110mm)	3.0mm	16" (400mm)	6.0mm
6" (160mm)	3.0mm	18" (450mm)	7.0mm
8" (200mm)	3.0mm	20" (500mm)	8.0mm
10" (250mm)	3.5mm	24" (630mm)	10.0mm
12" (315mm)	5.0mm		

2.0 **Static Loading**

Duct and fittings shall be capable of a maximum 1 bar (14.5psi) static pressure and a maximum of 0.5 bar negative static pressure.

3.0 **MANUFACTURER**

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