Series AH2-300 and AH2-CC-300



### 1.0 PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

## Available Sizes by Component

- Series AH2-300 1"/DN25 Nominal ID Braided Hose: 31, 36, 48, 60, 72"/790, 914, 1220, 1525, 1830 mm . Note: length includes branch-line nipple and 5.75 " $/ 140 \mathrm{~mm}$ straight reducer
- AH2-CC-300 1"/DN25 Nominal ID Braided Hose: 31, 36, 48, 60, 72"/790, 914, 1220, 1525, 1830 mm .

Note: length includes branch-line nipple and 5.75"/140mm straight reducer

- Sprinkler Reducers:
- Sprinkler Connections: $1 / 2$ " and $3 / 4$ "/15 and 20 mm
- Straight Lengths: 5.75 "/140mm, 9 "/230mm, 13"/330mm
- $90^{\circ}$ Elbows:
- Short (typically used with concealed sprinklers)
- Long (typically used with recessed pendent sprinklers)
- Inlet Connections:
- 1"/25mm NPT or BSPT
- 1" IGS connection

ALWAYS REFER TO ANY NOTIFICATIONS AT THE END OF THIS DOCUMENT REGARDING PRODUCT INSTALLATION, MAINTENANCE OR SUPPORT.

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### 1.0 PRODUCT DESCRIPTION (CONTINUED)

## Brackets

- Style AB1 for suspended and hard-lid ceilings, allows installation before most ceiling tiles in place
- Style AB2 for suspended and hard-lid ceilings and sidewalls, allows for vertical sprinkler adjustment, and installation before most ceiling tiles in place
- Style AB3 for surface mount applications, wood, metal and block walls, or ceilings
- Style AB4 for hard-lid ceilings with hat furring channel grid systems, allows for vertical sprinkler adjustment
- Style AB5 for hard-lid ceilings and sidewalls, allows for vertical sprinkler adjustment
- Style AB7 for suspended and hard-lid ceilings
- Style AB7 Adjustable for suspended and hard-lid ceilings
- Style AB8 for hard-lid ceilings with CD 60/27 profile metal studs (regionally available)
- Style AB10 for Armstrong ${ }^{\circledR}$ TechZone ${ }^{\text {TM }}$ ceilings
- Style AB12 for suspended and hard-lid ceilings, allows for vertical sprinkler adjustment, and allows for low profile installation down to 4"/100mm
- Style ABBA bracket for suspended, exposed, and hard-lid ceilings
- Style ABMM bracket for surface mount and stand off-mount applications, wood, metal and block walls, or ceilings and hard-lid ceilings


## Maximum Working Temperature

- $225^{\circ} \mathrm{F} / 107^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$


## Maximum Working Pressure

- 300 psi/2068 kPa


## Connections

- To adapter nipple (inlet) via
- 1"/25.4 mm Grooved IGS
- 1"/25.4 mm NPT or BSPT male thread
- To sprinkler head (outlet) via $1 / 22^{\prime \prime}$ or $3 / 4 " / 15 \mathrm{~mm}$ or 20 mm


## Minimum Bend Radius

- 8"/200 mm


## Maximum Number of Bends per Flexible Drop

- See section 5.0


## Maximum K-Factor of Sprinkler to be Connected to Reducer

- K8.0/11,5 (S.I.) (½"/15mm reducer)
- K14.0/20,2 (S.I.) (3/4"/20mm reducer)


### 2.0 CERTIFICATION/LISTINGS



### 3.0 SPECIFICATIONS - MATERIAL

Series AH2-300

- Flexible Hose: 300-series stainless steel
- Collar/Weld Fitting: 300-series stainless steel
- Gasket Seal: Victaulic EPDM
- Isolation Ring: Nylon
- Nut and Nipple: Carbon Steel, Zinc-Plated
- Reducers ( $1 / 2$ or $3 / 4$ "): Carbon Steel, Zinc-Plated

Brackets: Carbon Steel, Zinc-Plated
Series AH2-CC-300

- Flexible Hose: 300-series Stainless Steel
- Collar/Weld Fitting: 300-series Stainless Steel
- Gasket Seal: Victaulic EPDM
- Isolation Ring: Nylon
- Coupling Retainer Ring: Polyethelene
- Nut and Nipple: Carbon Steel, Zinc Plated
- Reducer ( $1 / 22^{\prime \prime} / 15 \mathrm{~mm}$ or $3 / 4 \mathrm{~L} / 20 \mathrm{~mm}$ ): Carbon Steel, Zinc-Plated
- Housing: Ductile iron conforming to ASTM A 536, Grade 65-45-12. Ductile iron conforming to ASTM A 395, Grade 65-45-15, is available upon special request.


## Coupling Housing Coating:

- Orange enamel (North America, Asia Pacific).
- Red enamel (Europe).
- Hot dipped galvanized.


## Grade "E" EPDM (Type A) Vic-Plus ${ }^{\text {TM }}$ Pre-lubricated Gasket

- EPDM (Violet Color Code). Applicable for wet and dry (oil-free air) fire protection systems only. Listed/Approved for continuous use in wet and dry systems. Listed/Approved for dry systems at $-40^{\circ} \mathrm{F} /-40^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ and above. Not compatible for use with hot water services or steam services.

Note: Reference should always be made to publication I-100, Victaulic Field Installation Handbook for gasket lubrication instructions.
Note: Services listed are General Service Guidelines only. It should be noted that there are services for which these gaskets are not compatible. Reference should always be made to publication 05.01, Victaulic Gasket Selection Guide for specific gasket service guidelines and for a listing of services which are not compatible.

- Bolts/Nut: Zinc electroplated carbon steel, trackhead meeting the physical and chemical requirements of ASTM A 449 and physical requirements of ASTM A 183.
- Linkage: CrMo Alloy Steel zinc electroplated per ASTM B633 Zn/Fe 5, Type III Finish


### 4.0 DIMENSIONS

## Product Details - Series AH2-300 Braided Hose



| Item | Description |
| :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Flexible Hose |
| 2 | Isolation Ring |
| 3 | Gasket |
| 4 | Nut |
| 5 | Branch Line Nipple |
| 6 | Braid |
| 7 | Collar/Weld Fitting |

## Hose Length Dimensions

| Hose Length <br> inches <br> mm | A <br> inches <br> mm | B <br> inches <br> mm |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 31 | 25.3 | 31 |
| 790 | 641 | 790 |
| 36 | 31.3 | 36 |
| 915 | 794 | 915 |
| 48 | 42.3 | 48 |
| 1220 | 1073 | 1220 |
| 60 | 54.3 | 60 |
| 1525 | 1378 | 1525 |
| 72 | 66.3 | 72 |
| 1830 | 1683 | 1830 |

## Series AH2-CC-300 Braided Hose




| Item | Description |
| :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Flexible Hose |
| 2 | Isolation Ring |
| 3 | Gasket |
| 4 | Nut |
| 5 | Style 108 Coupling |
| 6 | Braid |
| 7 | Collar/Weld Fitting |

## Hose Length Dimensions

| Hose Length <br> inches <br> mm | A <br> inches <br> mm | B <br> inches <br> mm |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 31 | 24.5 | 29.8 |
| 790 | 622 | 757 |
| 36 | 29.5 | 34.8 |
| 915 | 749 | 884 |
| 48 | 41.5 | 46.8 |
| 1220 | 1054 | 1189 |
| 60 | 53.5 | 58.8 |
| 1525 | 1359 | 1494 |
| 72 | 65.5 | 70.8 |
| 1830 | 1664 | 1798 |

### 4.1 DIMENSIONS

## Standard Reducer


5.75 "/140 mm straight reducer

## Optional Reducer



## 9.0 "/229 mm straight reducer


13.0"/330 mm straight reducer


Short $90^{\circ}$ elbow reducer


Long $90^{\circ}$ elbow reducer

## NOTE

- The Short $90^{\circ}$ elbow reducer is typically used with concealed sprinklers while the longer 90 elbow is typically used in the installation of recessed pendent sprinklers.


### 4.2 DIMENSIONS

## VicFlex Brackets

## Style AB1

- Suspended Ceilings
- Hard-Lid Ceilings

| Item | Description |
| :---: | :---: |
| 1 | 24 "/610mm or 48"/1219mm Square Bar |
| 2 | Patented 1-Bee ${ }^{2 \text { ® }}$ Center Bracket |
| 3 | End Bracket |

## Style AB2

- Hard-Lid Ceilings

| Item | Description |
| :---: | :---: |
| 1 | 24 "/610mm or 48"/1219mm Square Bar ${ }^{1}$ |
| 2 | Patent-Pending Adjustable Center bracket |
| 3 | End Bracket (adjustable) |

## Style AB3

- Surface Mount Applications



## Style AB4

- Hard-Lid Ceilings with Hat furring channel grid system

| Item | Description |
| :---: | :---: |
| 1 | 24 "/610mm or 48"/1219mm Square Bar ${ }^{1}$ |
| 2 | Patent-Pending Adjustable Center bracket |
| 3 | Adjustable End Bracket for Hat Furring Channel |



## Style AB5

- Hard-Lid Ceilings

| Item | Description |
| :---: | :---: |
| 1 | 24 "/610 mm or 48"/1220 mm Square Bar |
| 2 | Patented Vertically Adjustable Center Bracket |
| 3 | End Bracket |



### 4.2 DIMENSIONS (CONTINUED)

## VicFlex Brackets

## Style AB7

- Suspended Ceilings
- Hard-Lid Ceilings

| Item | Description |
| :---: | :---: |
| 1 | 24 "/610mm or 48"/1219mm Square Bar |
| 2 | Patented 1-Bee ${ }^{2 \ominus}$ Center Bracket |
| 3 | End Bracket |

Style AB7 Adjustable

- Suspended Ceilings
- Hard-Lid Ceilings

| Item | Description |
| :---: | :---: |
| 1 | 700mm or 1400 mm Square Bar |
| 2 | Patented 1-Bee ${ }^{2 ®}$ Center Bracket |
| 3 | End Bracket (adjustable) |

## Style AB8

- Hard-Lid Ceilings

| Item | Description |
| :---: | :---: |
| 1 | 700 mm or 1400 mm Square Bar |
| 2 | Patented Vertically Adjustable Center Bracket |



## Style AB10

- Suspended ceilings
- Armstrong ${ }^{\circledR}$ TechZone ${ }^{\text {TM }}$

| Item | Description |
| :---: | :---: |
| 1 | $6 " / 152 \mathrm{~mm}$ Square Bar ${ }^{1}$ |
| 2 | Patented $1-\mathrm{Bee}^{2 \ominus}$ Center Bracket |
| 3 | End Bracket |



## Style AB12

- Suspended ceilings
- Hard-Lid ceilings

| Item | Description |
| :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Style AB12 Bracket Body |
| 2 | Set Screw |

### 4.2 DIMENSIONS (CONTINUED)

## VicFlex Brackets

## Style ABBA

- Floor-above mount
- Cantilever mount
- Temporary mount in exposed ceilings

| Item | Description |
| :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Style ABBA Mounting Plate |
| 2 | Style ABBA Square Bar |
| 3 | Cap Screw, Serated Flange, $M 6 \times 1 \times 20$, <br> T25 Torx Drive Recessed |
| 4 | Style ABMM Bracket Body |
| 5 | Cap Screw, Serated Flange, M6 $\times 1 \times 15.24$, <br> T25 Torx Drive Recessed |



## Style ABMM

- Surface mount
- Stand-off mount

| Item | Description |
| :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Style ABMM Bracket Body |
| 2 | Cap Screw, Serated Flange, M6 $\times 1 \times 15.24$, <br> T25 Torx Drive Recessed |



### 4.3 DIMENSIONS

## Clearances

Series AH2 Braided Hose and Style AB1 Bracket


| Hose Clearance Chart |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Long Elbow | Short Elbow |
|  | V2707 3/4" Max Recess inches mm | V3802$1 / 2 "$ Max Recess <br> inches <br> mm | V2707 3/4" Max Recess inches mm | V3802 <br> $1 / 2$ " Max Recess <br> inches mm |
| "R" Minimum Bend Radius | $\begin{aligned} & 8.0 \\ & 203 \end{aligned}$ |  | - |  |
| "A" Minimum Required Installation Space | $\begin{aligned} & 14.6 \\ & 371 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16.1 \\ & 409 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} 5.8 \\ 147 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 5.8 \\ 147 \end{gathered}$ |

NOTE

- Variations of ceiling grids, sprinkler heads, brackets, and hoses are permitted but may result in clearance differences from the figures above.


### 4.4 DIMENSIONS

## Clearances

Series AH2 Braided Hose and Style AB2 Bracket


| Hose Clearance Chart |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | V2707 3/4" \| 20mm Max Recess inches mm | $\begin{gathered} \text { V3802 } \\ 1 / 2 \text { " I } 13 \mathrm{~mm} \\ \text { Max Recess } \\ \text { inches } \\ \text { mm } \end{gathered}$ | V2709 $3 / 4$ \| 20 mm Sidewall inches mm |
| "R" Minimum Bend Radius | $\begin{aligned} & 8.0 \\ & 203 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ |  |  |
| "A" Minimum Required Installation Space | $\begin{aligned} & 12.2 \\ & 310 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 13.6 \\ & 345 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12.1 \\ & 307 \end{aligned}$ |


| Hose Clearance Chart |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Long Elbow |  | Short Elbow |
|  | $\begin{gathered} \text { V2707 } \\ 3 / 4 \text { I I } 20 \mathrm{~mm} \\ \text { Max Recess } \\ \text { inches } \\ \mathrm{mm} \end{gathered}$ | V2709 $3 / 4$ I 120 mm Sidewall inches mm | V3802 $1 / 2$ I I 13 mm Max Recess inches mm |
| "R" Minimum Bend Radius | - |  |  |
| "A" Minimum Required Installation Space | $\begin{aligned} & 3.3 \\ & 84 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3.6 \\ & 91 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3.3 \\ & 84 \end{aligned}$ |

NOTE

- Variations of ceiling grids, sprinkler heads, brackets, and hoses are permitted but may result in clearance differences from the figures above.


### 4.5 DIMENSIONS

## Clearances

Series AH2 Braided Hose and Style AB4 Bracket


| Hose Clearance Chart |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Long Elbow | Short Elbow |
|  | V2707 <br> 3/4" Max Recess <br> inches mm | V3802 <br> $1 / 22^{\prime \prime}$ Max Recess <br> inches mm | V2707 <br> 3/4" Max Recess <br> inches mm | V3802 <br> $1 / 2$ " Max Recess <br> inches mm |
| "R" Minimum Bend Radius | $\begin{aligned} & \hline 8.0 \\ & 203 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \hline 8.0 \\ & 203 \end{aligned}$ | - |  |
| "A" Minimum Required Installation Space | $\begin{aligned} & 14.8 \\ & 376 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16.2 \\ & 411 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} 8.0 \\ 203 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 5.9 \\ 150 \end{gathered}$ |

## NOTE

Variations of ceiling grids, sprinkler heads, brackets, and hoses are permitted but may result in clearance differences from the figures above.

### 4.6 DIMENSIONS

## Clearances

Series AH2 Braided Hose and Style AB5 Bracket


| Hose Clearance Chart |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | V2707 $3 / 4$ I 20 mm Max Recess inches mm | V3802 $1 / 2$ " I 13 mm Max Recess inches mm | V2709 $3 / 4$ I 20 mm Sidewall inches mm |
| "R" Minimum Bend Radius | $\begin{aligned} & 8.0 \\ & 203 \end{aligned}$ |  |  |
| "A" Minimum Required Installation Space | $\begin{aligned} & 12.0 \\ & 305 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 13.7 \\ & 348 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12.1 \\ & 307 \end{aligned}$ |



NOTE

- Variations of ceiling grids, sprinkler heads, brackets, and hoses are permitted but may result in clearance differences from the figures above.


### 4.7 DIMENSIONS

## Clearances

Series AH2 Braided Hose and Style AB11 Bracket (LOW PROFILE SOLUTION)


| Hose Clearance Chart |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Low-Profile Long Elbow | Low-Profile Short Elbow |
|  | $\begin{gathered} \text { "V2707 } \\ 3 / 4 \text { \| } 20 \mathrm{~mm} \\ \text { Max Recess" } \\ \text { inches } \\ \mathrm{mm} \end{gathered}$ | V3802 $1 / 2 " \mid 13 \mathrm{~mm}$ Max Recess inches mm |
| "A" Minimum Required Installation Space | $\begin{aligned} & 4.0 \\ & 102 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3.9 \\ & 99 \end{aligned}$ |

## NOTE

- Variations of ceiling grids, sprinkler heads, brackets, and hoses are permitted but may result in clearance differences from the figures above.


### 4.9 DIMENSIONS

## Clearances

## Style AB12 and ABBA Bracket

Suspended Ceiling Grid with Recessed Sprinkler with Low Profile Short Elbow

Suspended Ceiling Grid with Recessed Sprinkler and Straight 5.75"/140mm Reducer



* Adjustability will be limited

Style ABMM Bracket

## Stand-off Dimensions


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### 4.10 DIMENSIONS

## Clearances

Series AH2 Braided Hose and Style AB3 and ABMM Bracket
Surface Mount Application with Recessed Sprinkler


| Hose Clearances |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Dimension | inches mm |  |  | inches mm |  |  | inches mm |  | inches mm | inches mm |
| $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { Wall Thickness } \\ \text { "A" } \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \hline 2 \\ 50 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ |  |  | $\begin{gathered} \hline 4 \\ 100 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ |  |  | $\begin{gathered} \hline 6 \\ 150 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ |  | $\begin{gathered} \hline 8 \\ 200 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 10 \\ 250 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ |
| Outlet Length "B" | $\begin{gathered} 5.75 \\ 146.1 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 9 \\ 228.6 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 13 \\ 330.2 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 5.75 \\ 146.1 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 9 \\ 228.6 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 13 \\ 330.2 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 9 \\ 228.6 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 13 \\ 330.2 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 13 \\ 330.2 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 13 \\ 330.2 \end{gathered}$ |
| Hose Clearance "C" | $\begin{aligned} & 12.6 \\ & 319 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15.8 \\ & 402 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{\|l\|} \hline 19.8 \\ 503 \\ \hline \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 10.6 \\ & 268 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 13.8 \\ & 351 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 17.8 \\ & 452 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 11.8 \\ & 300 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15.8 \\ & 402 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 13.8 \\ & 351 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 11.8 \\ & 300 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ |
| $\underset{\text { Bend Radius }}{\text { "R" }}$ "R" | $\begin{gathered} 8 \\ 200 \end{gathered}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

note

- Variations of ceiling grids, sprinkler heads, brackets, and hoses are permitted but may result in clearance differences from the figures above.


### 4.11 DIMENSIONS

## Branchline clearances

Series AH2 Braided Hose with female threaded outlet


| Hose Clearance Chart |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Dimension |  | inches <br>  <br>  <br>  <br>  <br> mm |
| R | Minimum | 8 |
|  | Bend Radius | 203 |
| A | Min. | 14.41 |
|  |  | 366 |

Series AH2-CC Braided Hose with grooved outlet


| Hose Clearance Chart |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Dimension |  |  |
|  |  | inches <br> mm |
| R | Minimum | 8 |
|  | Bend Radius | 203 |
| A | Min. | 13.1 |
|  |  | 333 |

### 5.0 PERFORMANCE - FRICTION LOSS DATA

## Series AH2-300 and AH2-CC-300 Braided Hoses

Style AB1, AB2, AB3, AB4, AB5, AB7, AB7 Adj., AB8, AB10, AB12, ABBA, ABMM VicFlex Brackets

| Length of Stainless Steel Flexible Hose inches mm | Sprinkler K-Factor Imperial S.I. | Outlet Size <br> inches/type | Equivalent Length of $1 " 33.7 \mathrm{~mm}$ Sch. 40 Pipe <br> feet/meters | Maximum Number of $90^{\circ}$ Bends at $8 " / 200 \mathrm{~mm}$ Bend Radius |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 31 | 5.6 | 1/2"/Straight | 13.8/4.2 | 2 |
| 790 | 8.1 | $1 / 22^{\prime \prime} / 90^{\circ}$ Elbow | 23.5/7.1 |  |
| 36 | 5.6 | 1/2"/Straight | 16.6/5.1 | 2 |
| 915 | 8.1 | 1/2"/90 ${ }^{1 / 2}$ Elbow | 25.6/7.8 |  |
| 48 | 5.6 | 1/2"/Straight | 23.4/7.1 | 3 |
| 1220 | 8.1 | 1/2"/90 ${ }^{\circ}$ Elbow | 30.7/9.3 |  |
| 60 | 5.6 | 1/2"/Straight | 30.2/9.2 | 4 |
| 1525 | 8.1 | 1/2"/90 ${ }^{\circ}$ Elbow | 35.9/10.9 |  |
| 72 | 5.6 | 1/2"/Straight | 37.0/11.3 | 4 |
| 1830 | 8.1 | 1/2"/90 ${ }^{\circ}$ Elbow | 41.1/12.5 |  |
| 31 | 8.0 | $3 / 4^{\prime \prime} /$ Straight | 20.7/6.3 | 2 |
| 790 | 11.5 | $3 / 44^{\prime \prime} / 90^{\circ}$ Elbow | 20.5/6.2 |  |
| 36 | 8.0 | $3 / 4^{\prime \prime} /$ Straight | 25.0/7.6 | 2 |
| 915 | 11.5 | $3 / 44^{\prime \prime} / 90^{\circ}$ Elbow | 24.6/7.5 |  |
| 48 | 8.0 | $3 / 4$ "/Straight | 35.5/10.8 | 3 |
| 1220 | 11.5 | 3/4"/90 ${ }^{\circ}$ Elbow | 34.7/10.6 |  |
| 60 | 8.0 | 3/4"/Straight | 39.6/12.1 | 4 |
| 1525 | 11.5 | $3 / 44^{\prime \prime} / 90^{\circ}$ Elbow | 40.1/12.2 |  |
| 72 | 8.0 | $3 / 4^{\prime \prime} /$ Straight | 43.5/13.2 | 4 |
| 1830 | 11.5 | 3/4"/90 ${ }^{\circ}$ Elbow | 45.2/13.7 |  |
| 31 | 11.2 | 3/4"/Straight | 17.8/5.4 | 2 |
| 790 | 16.1 | $3 / 4 / 190^{\circ}$ Elbow | 18/5.5 |  |
| 36 | 11.2 | 3/4"/Straight | 22.2/6.7 | 2 |
| 915 | 16.1 | $3 / 44^{\prime \prime} / 90^{\circ}$ Elbow | 22.1/6.7 |  |
| 48 | 11.2 | $3 / 4$ "/Straight | 32.9/10.0 | 3 |
| 1220 | 16.1 | $3 / 44^{\prime \prime} / 90^{\circ}$ Elbow | 32.1/9.8 |  |
| 60 | 11.2 | 3/4"/Straight | 36.8/11.2 | 4 |
| 1525 | 16.1 | 3/4/90 ${ }^{\circ}$ Elbow | 37.1/11.3 |  |
| 72 | 11.2 | 3/4"/Straight | 40.5/12.3 | 4 |
| 1830 | 16.1 | 3/4/90 ${ }^{\circ}$ Elbow | 41.9/12.7 |  |
| 31 | 14.0 | 3/4"/Straight | 14.9/4.5 | 2 |
| 790 | 20.2 | $3 / 4 / 190^{\circ}$ Elbow | 15.5/4.72 |  |
| 36 | 14.0 | 3/4"/Straight | 19.4/5.9 | 2 |
| 915 | 20.2 | $3 / 44^{\prime \prime} / 90^{\circ}$ Elbow | 19.6/5.9 |  |
| 48 | 14.0 | 3/4"/Straight | 30.3/9.2 | 3 |
| 1220 | 20.2 | 3/4"/90 ${ }^{\circ}$ Elbow | 29.5/8.9 |  |
| 60 | 14.0 | 3/4"/Straight | 33.9/10.3 | 4 |
| 1525 | 20.2 | 3/4"/90 ${ }^{\circ}$ Elbow | 34.1/10.4 |  |
| 72 | 14.0 | 3/4"/Straight | 37.5/11.4 | 4 |
| 1830 | 20.2 | $3 / 4{ }^{\prime \prime} / 90^{\circ}$ Elbow | 38.6/11.7 |  |

## FM NOTES:

- Series AH2-300 Braided Flexible Hoses have been tested and Approved by FM Global for use in wet, dry and preaction systems per NFPA 13, 13R, and 13D and FM data sheets 2-0, 2-5, and 2-8. FM 1637 for safety include, but are not limited to, pressure cycling, corrosion resistance, flow characterisitics, vibration resistance, leakage, mechanical and hydrostatic strength.
- Differences in equivalent lengths are due to varying test methods, per FM 1637. Refer to these standards for additional information regarding friction loss test methods.
- EXAMPLE: A 48-inch Series AH2-300 hose installed with two $30^{\circ}$ bends and two $90^{\circ}$ bends at a 7 -inch bend radius is permitted and considered equivalent to the data in the table shown above. In this example, the total number of degrees is $240^{\circ}$, which is less than the allowable $270^{\circ}$


### 6.0 NOTIFICATIONS

| ! WARNING |  |
| :---: | :---: |
|  | - Read and understand all instructions before attempting to install any Victaulic products. <br> - Always verify that the piping system has been completely depressurized and drained immediately prior to installation, removal, adjustment, or maintenance of any Victaulic products. <br> - Wear safety glasses, hardhat, and foot protection. <br> Failure to follow these instructions could result in death or serious personal injury and property damage. |

- These products shall be used only in fire protection systems that are designed and installed in accordance with current, applicable National Fire Protection Association (NFPA 13, 13D, 13R, etc.) standards, or equivalent standards, and in accordance with applicable building and fire codes. These standards and codes contain important information regarding protection of systems from freezing temperatures, corrosion, mechanical damage, etc.
- The installer shall understand the use of this product and why it was specified for the particular application.
- The installer shall understand common industry safety standards and potential consequences of improper product installation.
- It is the system designer's responsibility to verify suitability of materials for use with the intended fluid media within the piping system and external environment.
- The material specifier shall evaluate the effect of chemical composition, pH level, operating temperature, chloride level, oxygen level, and flow rate on materials to confirm system life will be acceptable for the intended service.
Failure to follow installation requirements and local and national codes and standards could compromise system integrity or cause system failure, resulting in death or serious personal injury and property damage.


### 7.0 REFERENCE MATERIALS - CHARACTERISTICS

## VicFlex Maximum Load Values

## Series AH2 Hose with 24" Bracket

| Model Size | Actual Length <br> ft <br> m | Total Load |  | Max. Uniform Load |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | lb | N | lb/linear ft | $\mathrm{N} /$ linear m |
| 31/790 | $\begin{aligned} & 2.6 \\ & 0.8 \end{aligned}$ | 5.2 | 23 | 2.6 | 38 |
| 36/915 | $\begin{gathered} 3 \\ 0.9 \end{gathered}$ | 5.5 | 25 | 2.8 | 40 |
| 48/1220 | $\begin{gathered} 4 \\ 1.2 \end{gathered}$ | 6.3 | 28 | 3.1 | 46 |
| 60/1525 | $\begin{gathered} 5 \\ 1.5 \end{gathered}$ | 7.0 | 31 | 3.5 | 51 |
| 72/1830 | $\begin{gathered} 6 \\ 1.8 \end{gathered}$ | 7.7 | 34 | 3.9 | 57 |

Series AH2 Hose with 48" Bracket

| Model Size | Actual Length <br> ft <br> m | Total Load |  | Max. Uniform Load |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | lb | N | $\mathrm{lb} / \mathrm{linear} \mathrm{ft}$ | $\mathrm{N} / \mathrm{l}$ inear m |
| 31/790 | $\begin{aligned} & 2.6 \\ & 0.8 \end{aligned}$ | 6.1 | 27 | 1.5 | 22 |
| 36/915 | $\begin{gathered} 3 \\ 0.9 \end{gathered}$ | 6.4 | 29 | 1.6 | 23 |
| 48/1220 | $\begin{gathered} 4 \\ 1.2 \end{gathered}$ | 7.2 | 32 | 1.8 | 26 |
| 60/1525 | $\begin{gathered} 5 \\ 1.5 \end{gathered}$ | 7.9 | 35 | 2.0 | 29 |
| 72/1830 | $\begin{gathered} 6 \\ 1.8 \end{gathered}$ | 8.7 | 39 | 2.2 | 32 |

Total Load is defined as the sum of the weights of the following:

- Water-filled flexible sprinkler hose with threaded end fittings, including a typical fire sprinkler
- Bracket assembly (any applicable Victaulic bracket model of the relevant associated size)


## ASTM C 635: Suspension System Load-Carrying Capabilities (excerpted)

| Suspension System | Actual Length | Min. Allowable Uniform Load |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | $\mathrm{ft} / \mathrm{m}$ | $\mathrm{lb} /$ linear ft | $\mathrm{N} /$ linear m |
|  | Light | 5.0 | 75.7 |
|  | Intermediate | 12.0 | 181.0 |
|  | Heavy | 16.0 | 241.7 |

SUMMARY: All direct-hung suspension system duty classifications per ASTM C 635 are able to withstand the maximum water-filled weight of the VicFlex sprinkler hose and bracket.

### 7.0 REFERENCE MATERIALS - CHARACTERISTICS

## Flexible Hose In-Plane Bend Characteristics



NOTE

- For out-of-plane (three-dimensional) bends, care must be taken to avoid imparting torque on the hose.

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-VicFlex-AB4
I-VicFlex-AB5
I-VicFlex-AB7
I-VicFlex-AB8
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