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# Specification Form FFF Excelon Flexible Duct Connector

#### DESCRIPTION

All air duct installations for heating, cooling or ventilation are attached to mechanical equipment containing a fan or blower. Vibrations, noises and rattles resulting from operation of the fan or blower are transmitted into the metal ducts which carry the noises throughout the system.

In order to isolate the vibration and noises to the source, an air - tight flexible joint, consisting of a fabric which is attached to sheet metal on both side, must be inserted between the equipment and the ductwork. This vibration isolator is called a "Flexible Duct Connector".



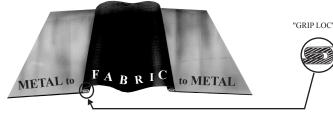
#### **RELATED NFPA 90A & 90B STANDARDS**

**2-3.2.2** Vibration isolation connectors in duct systems shall be made of an approved flame-retardant fabric or shall consist of sleeve joints with packing of approved material, each having a maximum flame spread index of 25 and a maximum smoke developed index of 50. Exception: Approved flame-retardant fabric having a maximum length of 10 in. (45.4 cm) in the direction of airflow-**NFPA No. 90A 1999** 

**2-1.1.1** Exception No. 3: Vibration isolation connectors in duct systems shall be made of approved flame-retardant fabric or shall consist of sleeve joints with packing of approved noncombustible material. The fabric shall not exceed 10 in. (254 mm) in length in direction of airflow-**NFPA No. 90B 1999** 

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FABRIC	Excelon <sup>4</sup>
Continuous Temp. Range	-40°F. to 180°F.
Color	Black
Weight Per Square Yard	17 oz.
Leakage Resistance <sup>1</sup>	350
Tear Strength <sup>2</sup>	100/100
Tensile Strength <sup>3</sup>	240/220
Base Fabric	Woven Nylon/Polyester Blend
Coating	Vinyl
Features	High Tear Strength
	High Abrasion
	Resistance
Codes	
Metal-Fab	
3x3x3	FFF333 (#10266)
Grip Loc	
Super Metal-Fab	
3x6x3	FFF363 (#10268)
Grip Loc	
TDC/TDF	
4x4x4	FFF444 (#10267)
Grip Loc	
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All Metal-Fab, Super Metal-Fab and TDC/TDF Flexible Duct Connectors are manufactured with 24 gauge galvanized steel.



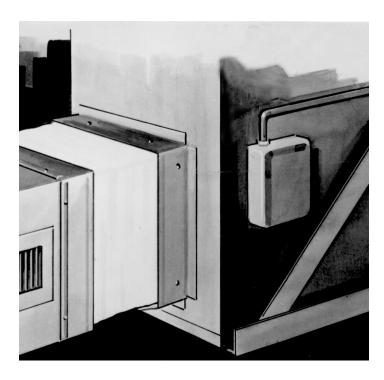
#### Notes:

- 1. Leakage resistance as per Federal Test Standard 191 Method #5512. Results in P.S.I. (To convert inches of water multiply P.S.I. x 27.176.).
- 2. Tear strength in tongue pounds as per Federal Test Standard 191 Method #5134.1 (warp/fill).
- 3. Tensile strength in grab pounds as per Federal Test Standard 191 Method #5100 (warp/fill).
- 4. Standard Excelon is not LA city approved. Use Excelon-LA when LA city approval is necessary. (See Specification Form Excelon-LA 203)

## SUGGESTED SPECIFICATION

## Vibration Isolating Flexible Duct Connector For Heating, Cooling & Exhaust Supplies & Returns.

At the inlet and discharge of all air handling	equipment( unless otherwis	se noted) furnish and	install vibration isolators.	Vibration isolators shall be
a coated woven fabric named and	shall be "Underwriters Lab	oratories Classified".		
Vibration isolators shall have a tear strength of	of not less then	, and a continuous te	emperature range of	Vibration isolators
shall be preassembled metal to exposed fabric	to metal. Fabric and metal	shall be joined by m	eans of a double lock sea	ım.
Vibration isolators shall be code	( called Flexible Duct Co	onnectors) as manufa	ctured by Duro Dyne Cor	poration, Bay Shore, N.Y.





All Listed Duro Dyne Flexible Duct Connector Fabrics are designed to meet the following specifications:

- 1. MIL-C-20696B Para. 4.4.3. (Oil Resistance).
- 2. MIL-C-20696B Para. 4.4.4. (Hydro Carbon Resistance).
- NFPA 90A Installation of Air Conditioning and Ventilating Systems Para. 2-3.2.2 1999 Edition.
- 4. NFPA 90B Warm air heating and air conditioning systems. Para. 2-1.1.1 exc. no 3 1999 Edition.
- 5. NFPA701 Tests for Flame Propagation of Fabrics and film.
- 6. California State Fire Marshal Approved.
- 7. Los Angeles City Approved. (See note 1 below)
- 8. Denver City Approved.

All Duro Dyne Flexible Duct Connectors utilize galvanized steel meeting ASTM-A-525 G 60 or better.

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## CHEMICAL RESISTANCE

(X = Extremely Resistant)

(~ = Not Recommended)

( O = No Data Available)

Chemical	Excelon	Chemical	Excelon	
Acetic Acid	~	Hydrofluoric Acid (100%) ~		
Aluminum Chloride	X	Hydrogen Peroxide	X	
Aluminum Sulfate	X	Hydrogen Sulfide	X	
Ammonia (Anhyd)	X	Lactic Acid	~	
Ammonium Hydroxide	X	Linseed Oil	~	
Ammonium Sulfate	X	Magnesium Chloride	~	
Barium Sulfide	X	Maleic Acid	X	
Black Sulfate Liquor	X	Methyl Alcohol	~	
Boric Acid	X	Methyl Cellosolve	~	
Butyl Alcohol	~	Mineral Oil	X	
Cadmium Plating Solution	X	Naptha	~	
Calcium Chloride	X	Nickel Chloride	X	
Calcium Hypochlorite	X	Nickel Sulfate	X	
Chlorine Water	X	Nitric Acid (40%)	X	
Chromic Acid	X	Oleic Acid	X	
Chromium Plating Solution	X	Oleum	~	
Citric Acid	X	Oxalic Acid	X	
Copper Chloride	X	Phosphoric Acid (85%)	~	
Copper Sulfate	X	Pickling Solution	X	
Cottonseed Oil	X	Potassium Chloride	X	
Diacetone Alcohol	~	Potassium Cyanide	X	
Disodium Phosphate	X	Potassium Dichromate	X	
Ethyl Alcohol	~	Potassium Hydroxide (40%)	X	
Ethylene Glycol	~	Potassium Sulfate	X	
Ferric Chloride	X	Propyl Alcohol	~	
Ferric Sulfate	X	Sodium Chloride	X	
Fluroboric Acid	X	Sodium Hydroxide (40%)	~	
Formaldehyde (40%)	X	Sodium Hypochlorite	~	
Formic Acid	X	Steam	~	
Glucose	X	Sulfur Dioxide (Liquid)	~	
Glycerine	~	Sulfuric Acid (50%)	X	
Heptane	~	Sulfuric Acid (over 50%)	~	
Hexane	~	Tannic Acid	X	
Hydrobromic Acid (40%)	~	Vinegar	X	
Hydrochloric Acid (conc)	~			

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