



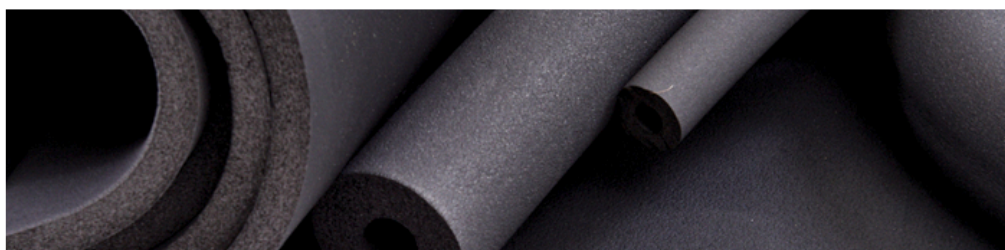
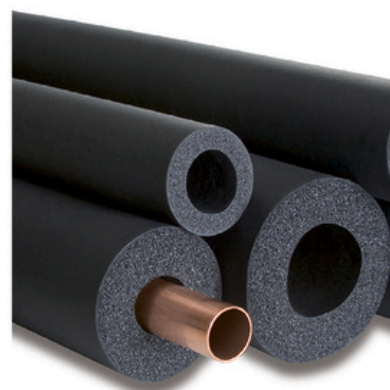
SOLUTIONS FOR ENERGY SAVINGS

AP/ArmaFlex + AP/ArmaFlex FS Tube/Sheet/Roll

The original flexible elastomeric pipe insulation for reliable protection against condensation and energy loss.

- // Fiber-free, formaldehyde-free, and low VOC
- // Closed-cell structure controls condensation
- // Ideal for below-ambient piping and equipment

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TECHNICAL DATA - AP/ARMAFLEX + AP/ARMAFLEX FS TUBE/SHEET/ROLL

Brief description

AP/ArmaFlex are flexible insulation products that reliably protects against water vapour ingress due to its closed-cell structure. No additional water vapour retarder is required, for most applications.
 AP/ArmaFlex is manufactured using nitrile rubber and polyvinyl chloride (NBR/PVC) formulations for insulation thickness up to and including one-inch wall thickness.
 AP/ArmaFlex FS insulation and pipe insulation in 1 1/2 and 2" wall thicknesses are manufactured using Ethylene Propylene Diene Monomer (EPDM) formulations.

Property	Value / Assessment					Standard / Test method
Temperature range						
Service temperature ^{1,2,3,4}	Range	Min. °C	Min. °F	Max. °C	Max. °F	ASTM C534
	3/8" through 1" Walls (NBR/PVC-based)	-183	-297	105	220	
	1-1/2" and 2" walls (NBR/PVC based)	-183	-297	105	220	
	1-1/2" and 2" Walls (EPDM-based)	-183	-297	149	300	
	Remarks	82 °C (180 °F) — Full bonding sheet insulation				
Thermal conductivity						
Declared thermal conductivity	Øm	50 °F (10 °C)	75 °F (24 °C)	100 °F (38 °C)	125 °F (52 °C)	ASTM C177, ASTM C518
	$\lambda d \leq [W/(m \cdot K)]$	0.034	0.0353	0.037	0.039	
	$k \leq [Btu \cdot in / (h \cdot ft^2 \cdot ^\circ F)]$	0.235	0.245	0.257	0.268	
	Range	3/8" through 2" walls (NBR/PVC products)				
Declared thermal conductivity	Øm	50 °F (10 °C)	75 °F (24 °F)	100 °F (38 °C)	125 °F (52 °C)	ASTM C177, ASTM C518
	$\lambda d \leq [W/(m \cdot K)]$	0.040	0.040	0.041	0.043	
	$k \leq [Btu \cdot in / (h \cdot ft^2 \cdot ^\circ F)]$	0.278	0.28	0.289	0.300	
	Range	1 1/2" and 2" Walls (EPDM based)				

Property	Value / Assessment							Standard / Test method
R-Value for tubes ⁵	ID / Wall thickness	3/8" (10mm)	1/2" (13mm)	3/4" (19mm)	1" (25mm)	1-1/2" (38mm)	2" (50mm)	
	1/4" (6 mm)	2.8	3.8	6.4	8.3			
	3/8" (10 mm)	2.8	3.3	5.9	7.3	13.7	19.7	
	1/2" (13 mm)	2.6	3.3	5.5	7.2	12.7	18.2	
	5/8" (16 mm)	2.6	3.4	5.6	7.2	12.0	17.2	
	3/4" (19 mm)	2.4	3.3	5.5	7.0	11.3	16.2	
	7/8" (22 mm)	2.4	3.3	5.4	7.0	10.8	15.5	
	1-1/8" (29 mm)	2.3	3.3	5.4	7.2	10.1	14.5	
	1-3/8" (35 mm)	2.2	3.2	5.3	7.2	9.6	13.7	
	1-5/8" (41 mm)	2.5	3.2	5.1	7.2	9.2	13.1	
	1-1/2" IPS (48 mm)	2.4	3.1	4.9	6.9	8.7	12.4	
	2-1/8" (54 mm)	2.4	3.2	4.8	6.8	8.6	12.2	
	2" IPS (60 mm)	2.4	3.2	5.2	7.1	8.8	12.3	
	2-5/8" (67 mm)	2.4	3.2	4.7	6.5	8.2	11.6	
	2-1/2" IPS (73 mm)	2.4	3.2	5.0	6.8	8.4	11.7	
	3-1/8" (79 mm)	2.4	3.2	4.6	6.3	7.9	11.1	
	3" IPS (89 mm)	2.3	3.1	4.9	6.6	8.1	11.2	
	3-5/8" (92 mm)		3.1	4.5	6.2	7.7	10.7	
	4-1/8" (105 mm)		3.1	4.5	6.1	7.5	10.5	
	4" IPS (114 mm)		3.0	4.8	6.4	7.8	10.7	
5" IPS (141 mm)		3.0	4.7	6.2	7.5	10.2		
6" IPS (168 mm)		3.0	4.6	6.1	7.3	9.9		
8" IPS (219 mm)		2.9	4.5	5.9	7.0	9.5		
10" IPS (273 mm)				5.8	6.8	9.2		
R-Value for sheets and rolls ⁵	Wall thickness	R-value						
	1/4" (6mm)	1.0						
	3/8" (10mm)	1.5						
	1/2" (13mm)	2.1						
	3/4" (19mm)	3.1						
	1" (25mm)	4.2						
	1-1/2" (38mm)	6						
	2" (50mm)	8						
Fire Performance and Approvals								
Surface burning characteristics	Flame Spread Index less than 25: Smoke Developed Index less than 50 NBR/PVC formulation up to one-inch thickness: EPDM for 1 1/2" and 2" thickness NBR/PVC formulations in 1 1/2" and 2" thickness are not 25/50 rated						ASTM E84 and UL 723	

Property	Value / Assessment				Standard / Test method
FM approved	Up to 1-1/2" insulation thickness for tubes and up to 1" insulation thickness for sheets				FM 4924
UL standards					
UL 94 5VA ⁶	Pass at 6 mm (1/4") and thicker.				
UL 94 V-0 ⁶	Pass at 6 mm (1/4") and thicker.				
Resistance to water vapour					
Water vapour permeability	0.05 perm-inch [0.725 x 10 ⁻¹³ kg/(s m Pa)] for NBR/PVC products 0.08 perm-inch [1.16 x 10 ⁻¹³ kg/(s m Pa)] for EPDM products				ASTM E96, procedure A
Resistance to water					
Water absorption	≤ 0.2% by volume				ASTM C209, ASTM C1763
Physical attributes					
Density	3 to 6 pounds per cubic feet (48 to 96 kilograms per cubic feet)				ASTM D1667
Acoustic performance					
Sound absorption average	Thickness (mm)	25	38	50	ASTM C423 ⁷
	Thickness (inches)	1	1.5	2	
	SAA	0.38	0.49	0.51	
Health and environment					
Mould growth	Passed				UL 181
Fungal growth	Passed				ASTM C1338, ASTM G21

¹At temperatures below -20°F (-29°C), elastomeric insulation starts to become less flexible. However, this does not affect the performance of AP/ArmaFlex in terms of thermal efficiency and resistance to water vapour permeability.

²For temperatures below -40 °F(-40 °C), please contact our Customer Service Centre.

³AP/ArmaFlex insulation can withstand temperatures as high as 250 °F (121 °C) when tested according to ASTM C411 - Standard Test Method for Hot-Surface Performance of High-Temperature Thermal Insulation.

⁴1 1/2" and 2" AP/ArmaFlex tubes are formulated with EPDM rubber giving them a higher upper temperature than AP/ArmaFlex tubes less than 1 1/2" wall thickness.

⁵Please see technical bulletin #1 for more details.

⁶UL File No. E55798.

⁷Type A Mounting

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