

ROMAC INDUSTRIES, INC
STAINLESS STEEL TAPPING SLEEVE (SST-H)
FOR USE ON HIGH DENSITY POLYETHYLENE PIPE (HDPE)
SUBMITTAL INFORMATION

MATERIALS

Flange	Ductile (nodular) iron, meets or exceeds ASTM A536, Grade 65-45-12. 304 Stainless Steel optional. All flanges in accordance with ANSI class 150 drilling and recessed to accept tapping valve.
Stainless Steel	Meets or exceeds ASTM A 40-92c type 304 UNS designated S30400.
Outlet	Heavy gauge 304L Stainless Steel. Fused to shell by GMAW welding.
Shell	Heavy gauge Stainless Steel top half 304L back half 304.
Sidebars	Heavy gauge 304 Stainless Steel, GTAW welded to form permanent fusion with shell.
Lugs	304 Stainless Steel, fused to sidebars by GMAW welding.
Bolts	304 Stainless Steel, 4 inch sleeves use 1/2" UNC rolled thread, 6 - 12 inch sleeves use 5/8" UNC rolled thread. Bolts are GMAW welded to sidebar.
Nuts	Heavy hex, 304 Stainless Steel, 4 inch nominal size sleeves uses 1/2" UNC threads, 6 inch nominal size and larger sleeves uses 5/8" UNC thread. Nuts coated to prevent galling.
Washers	1/2" or 5/8" 304 Stainless Steel spring washers manufactured from a special grade of Stainless Steel used in the making of springs. 1/2" or 5/8" Plastic washer prevents galling between nut or stainless steel washer and lifter bar on all sizes.
Armors	Heavy gauge 304 Stainless Steel.
Lifter Bars	304 Stainless Steel, lip curved to hold position while tightening. Heavy gauge serves as bearing surface for nuts.
Gaskets	Virgin SBR rubber compounded for water and sewer service in accordance with ASTM D 2000 MAA 610. Specially designed grid pattern and tapered ends to assure seal around full circumference of pipe. Reinforced ring at outlet provides hydrodynamic seal. Other compounds available for petroleum or high temperature service, or other special applications.
WELDS	GMAW and GTAW weld processes. 308L Stainless Steel filler wire used as appropriate. Flange weld is GMAW type proprietary process. All welds fully passivated for enhanced corrosion resistance.
Pressure	When properly installed, the Romac Style SST Tapping Sleeve can work at pressures up to 150 psi.
SIZES	See catalog.

HDPE PRODUCT LIMITATIONS:

- Pipe must be manufactured in accordance with AWWA Standard C906-90.
- Operating temperatures are limited to 85° F maximum and 32° F minimum.
- Operating pressure is limited to 150 psi or the rating of the pipe, whichever is less.
- Pipe systems must be designed to compensate for pipe movement so as to prevent fittings from migrating or rating on the pipe.
- Products are intended for use in underground service only.
- SST-H are not to be used on pressurized HDPE pipe with an SDR greater than 17.

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