Rovanco Piping Systems

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This instruction manual will give you all the information needed in terms of techniques, tools, and accessories required to install ROVANCO's Mid Temperature Foam system. If you follow the instructions carefully, the end result will be a high quality, Mid Temperature Foam piping system. Thank you for showing your confidence in ROVANCO by purchasing its products. We sincerely appreciate your business and we will provide you with quality products with a fair price and "great" service to deserve your future business. Please contact your local ROVANCO Manufacturer's Representative for information about all of the products provided by ROVANCO.

PLEASE READ CAREFULLY—MIX IS NOT 50/50!!

GENERAL FOAMING

MATERIALS (supplied by Rovanco)

Each standard foam kit contains the following items:

- 1) Containers of A & B agents. Refer to M.S.D.S. for safety requirements
- 2) Mixer head attachment
- 3) Material Safety Data Sheets. (M.S.D.S.)

MATERIALS (To be supplied by the contractor)

- 1) Non-waxed paper mixing cups (32 oz.)
- 2) Measuring containers
- 3) Paper towels

STORAGE

The foam kits should be stored at 70 degrees (F). Keep the containers out of direct sunlight. Higher or lower temperature will affect the products performance. Liquid foam has a shelf life of 6 months after delivery. Not following storage conditions will effect warranty.



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INSULATING JOINTS

- 1) Do not begin the foaming process until you have read and understand the foaming process. Prepare the joint to be insulated following the procedures outlined in the piping system installation instructions included with your shipment.
- Label your measuring cups with the letters A & B to prevent a mix-up later on. Examine the mixing charts on pages 3 and 4, then pour the correct amount of A & B agents into the separate measuring cups. See figure 1.1. Make sure to have the right size fitting and insulation thickness. Some larger sizes require two or three separate pours.
 - 3) Pour the measured amounts of A & B material into a mixing cup.
 - 4) Using an electric drill with the mixer head attachment provided, mix the components for twenty seconds. In temperatures above 70 degrees mix for 12 -15 seconds. See figure 1.3. The cream time is shown on the graph below. Spin the mixing bit clean in an empty cup or box. If foam build up occurs it can be cleaned off with a utility knife or similar tool after it has cured. If pouring in cold conditions, steel carrier pipe must be heated before you pour or foam will not yield.
- 5) Pour the mixed foam into the mold which you are insulating. See figure 1.4.





Note: Quantities shown are for standard Rovanco Hard Shell Fitting Cover Kits. Adjust amounts as required to fill joints. Larger joints may require two or three pours. For best results, store and maintain A & B components as close to 70 degrees (f) as possible. In temperatures below 70 (f), for best performance, pre-heat pipe and molds. Read M.S.D.S thoroughly, you are using chemicals which could present a hazard if used improperly.

The next page illustrates the proper mixing quantities for Parts A & B of the Mid-Temp Foam Kit. Please use this chart in mixing your quantities of foam.

	Cross Section	Straight Joint		Elbow		Tee	
Carrier	Jacket	Cup "A"	Cup "B"	Cup "A"	Cup "B"	Cup "A"	Cup "B"
1"	4	1/2	1/4	1/2	1/4	3/4	3/8
	6	1	1/2	1 1/4	2/3	2	1
	8	2	1	2 1/2	1 1/4	3 1/2	1 3/4
1 1/4"	4	1/2	1/4	1/2	1/4	3/4	3/8
	6	1	1/2	1 1/4	2/3	2	1
	8	2	1	2 1/2	1 1/4	3 1/2	1 3/4
1 1/2"	4	1/2	1/4	1/2	1/4	2/3	1/3
	6	1	1/2	1 1/4	2/3	1 3/4	7/8
	8	2	1	2 1/2	1 1/4	3 1/2	1 3/4
2"	6	1	1/2	1 1/8	2/3	1 3/4	7/8
	8	2	1	2 1/2	1 1/4	3 1/2	1 3/4
	10	3 1/2	1 3/4	3 1/2	1 3/4	5 1/3	2 2/3
2 1/2"	6	1	1/2	1	1/2	1 5/8	3/4
	8	2	1	2	1	3 1/2	1 3/4
	10	3	1 1/2	3 1/2	1 3/4	5 1/3	2 2/3
3"	6	1	1/2	1	1/2	1 3/8	2/3
	8	2	1	2	1	3	1 1/2
	10	3	1 1/2	3 1/2	1 3/4	5 1/4	2 2/3
4"	8	1 1/2	3/4	2	1	2 3/4	1 1/3
	10	2 3/4	1 1/4	3 1/3	1 3/4	5	2 1/2
	12	4	2	5 1/3	2 2/3	7 2/3	3 3/4
5"	10	2 3/8	1 1/4	3	1 1/2	4 1/2	2 1/4
	12	4	2	4 7/8	2 1/2	7 1/3	3 3/4
6"	10	2	1	2 1/2	1 1/4	3 1/2	1 3/4
	12	3 1/2	1 3/4	4 1/2	2 1/4	6 2/3	3 1/3
8"	12	2 3/8	1 1/4	3 1/2	1 3/4	5	2 1/2
	14	4	2	6	3	9	4 1/2
10"	14	2 3/4	1 1/4	4	2	6	3
	16	5	2 1/2	7 1/2	3 3/4	11	5 1/2
12"	16	3 1/2	1 3/4	5 1/3	2 2/3	7 1/2	3 3/4
	18	5 1/2	2 3/4	9	4 1/2	13 1/3	6 2/3
	20	8	4	13 1/8	6 2/3	20	10
14"	18	4 3/8	2 1/4	7 1/2	3 3/4	11	5 1/2
	20	7	3 1/2	12	6	18	9
16"	20	5	2 1/2	8 3/4	4 1/2	13	6 1/2
	22	8	4	14	7	20 3/4	10 3/8
18"	22	5 1/2	2 3/4	10 1/4	5 1/4	15 1/2	7 3/4
	24	8 1/2	4 1/4	16	8	24 1/4	12 1/8
20"	24	6	3	12	6	18	9
	26	9 3/8	4 3/4	18 1/2	9 1/4	28	14
22"	26	6 1/2	3 1/4	13 5/8	6 3/4	20 1/3	10 1/4
	28	10 1/4	5 1/8	21 1/4	10 2/3	32	16
24"	28	7	3 1/2	15 1/2	7 3/4	23 1/8	11 3/4
	30	11	5 1/2	24	12	36	18

Measuring Chart for Mid-Temp Foam Insulation

Correct Mixture Ratio = 2 Parts "A" to 1 Part "B" w Cup = 8 ounces Double amount for Insul800