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Round Duct Connection System

Eliminates The Need For Duct Sealant!

- Air-tight, efficient
- Simple self-sealing connection
- Consistent connections
- No additional sealing required
- Can be installed on-site

- Sizes from 8"-72" (203.2mm-1828.8mm) in standard 2" (50.8mm) increments, 1" (25.4mm) increments available
- For sizes larger than 72" (1828.8mm) consult factory
- Available in specialty metals



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The Spiralmate[®] Round Duct Connector was developed to provide a strong and leak free connection without the use of duct sealants.

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The Spiralmate Duct Connector System has been tested by Professional Service Industries, Inc., a division of Pittsburgh Testing Laboratories, with test results as noted. No external sealant was employed and the certified test results reveal virtually no leakage at up to 18" WG (4483.4 Pa) positive pressure or down to 10" WG (2490.8 Pa) negative pressure.

Complete test data is available on request.

Flange Steel:	
Closure Ring Steel:	
Mastic:	
Gasket Neoprene:	

Hot dipped galvanized steel Hot dipped galvanized steel DM5511M Ductmate 440 and Ductmate

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The Spiralmate Small Profile Round Duct Connector is not recommended for applications with spiral duct gauges heavier then 20 GA (0.8mm) or lighter then 28 GA (0.3mm). The Spiralmate Large Profile Round Duct Connector is not recommended for applications with spiral duct gauges heavier then 16 GA (1.3mm) or lighter then 28 GA (0.3mm). Both Spiralmate Profiles will accept 12 GA (2.1mm) longitudinal duct seam. Some duct manufacturers may weld on the seams to keep them from falling apart once the duct is manufactured. These welds may need to be ground down so they can fit the pocket. This will not compromise the duct seam as long as the spiral flanges are attached just after grinding.

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All component parts of the Spiralmate System are guaranteed against defective material.

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The Spiralmate Round Duct Connector system consists of the following components:

- a. Two mating Round Duct Connector Flanges with an integral mastic in the duct receiving pocket.
- b. A Closure Ring roll-formed from hot dipped galvanized steel.



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1. Start duct flange by inserting duct end into flange pocket at the break in the ring.









* Because most spiral duct is not true to size it may be necessary to cut a larger gap in the flange at the break. There **<u>must be</u>** a gap at the break.







8" - 18" duct - 8" on center (203.2mm - 457.2mm duct - 203.2mm on center) 20" - 28" duct - 12" on center (508mm - 711.2mm duct - 304.8mm on center) 30" and larger duct - 18" on center (762mm and larger duct - 457.2mm on center)

2. Seat flange permanently by pressing it so the leading edge of the duct is seated in the pocket of the flange and penetrates the sealant.

> Hold flange in position with visegrip a few inches from the break.

- 3. Begin securing the leg of the flange to the duct section by placing a pop rivet, screw, or spot weld within 1/2" (12.7mm) of the end of the flange break. The fastener should be placed no closer than 3/4" (19.04mm) or further than 1" (25.4mm) from the face of the flange.
- 4. Continue in the same direction around the duct at evenly spaced intervals, as noted below left. Place the last fastener within 1/2" (12.7mm) of the end of the duct flange.

Using the Ductmater or Repeater Pro is optional but can save time and increase product consistency.



- 6. Complete the gasket application by installing Ductmate Neoprene gasket on the face of the flange around the entire circumference of one of the mating flanges.
- 7. The end of the gasket should butt up to the beginning.

8. Slip outer closure ring over end of duct. Align flanges using Spiralmate alignment grips.



9. Slide closure ring over mating flanges and insert bolt.



11. A completed, airtight, round transverse duct joint. Fast, neat and clean.



10. Tighten the bolt on the closure ring until it makes even contact around the circumference of the duct sections. Tap around joint with hammer if necessary to seat flange while tightening.

IMPORTANT: On duct sizes 72" (1828.8mm) and larger consult factory for additional assembly and installation information.





Spiralmate Alignment Grips These modified Alignment Grips help you quickly align your Spiralmate flanges, further reducing your labor time and costs.



Spiralmate Nut Runner The Spiralmate Nut Runner was specifically designed to quickly secure the Spiralmate Ring during installation.

Frequently a contractor installing a high velocity duct system will employ a duct joint with which either he or his work force have no experience. In such a case, it is strongly recommended that the contractor promptly test the initial 100 to 300 feet of duct before installing any more duct. This test will quickly reveal whether or not the workmen can make this joint air-tight in an economical manner.

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