PVC Industrial Pipe: Schedule 80



Application:

Corrosion resistant pressure pipe, IPS sizes ¹/₈" through 24", for use at temperatures up to and including 140°F. Pressure rating (210 psi to 1230 psi) varies with schedule, pipe size, and temperature as stated in Georg Fischer Harvel Engineering & Installation Guide (Product Bulletin 112/401). Generally resistant to most acids, bases, salts, aliphatic solutions, oxidants, and halogens. Chemical resistance data is available and should be referenced for proper material selection. Pipe exhibits excellent physical properties and flammability characteristics (independently tested flame and smoke characteristics-ULC). Typical applications include: chemical processing, plating, high purity applications, potable water systems, water and wastewater treatment, irrigation, agricultural, and other industrial applications involving corrosive fluid transfer.

Scope:

This specification outlines minimum manufacturing requirements for Polyvinyl Chloride (PVC) Schedule 80 iron pipe size (IPS) pressure pipe. This pipe is intended for use in applications where the fluid conveyed does not exceed 140°F. This pipe meets and or exceeds the industry standards and requirements as set forth by the American Society for Testing and Materials (ASTM) and the National Sanitation Foundation (NSF International).

PVC Materials:

The material used in the manufacture of the pipe shall be domestically produced rigid polyvinyl chloride (PVC) compound, Type I Grade I, with a Cell Classification of 12454 as defined in ASTM D1784, trade name designation H707 PVC. This compound shall be gray in color as specified, and shall be approved by NSF International for use with potable water (NSF Std 61).

Dimensions:

PVC Schedule 80 pipe shall be manufactured in strict accordance to the requirements of ASTM D1785 for physical dimensions and tolerances. Each production run of pipe manufactured in compliance to this standard, shall also meet or exceed the test requirements for materials, workmanship, burst pressure, flattening, and extrusion quality defined in ASTM D1785. All belled-end pipe shall have tapered sockets to create an interference-type fit, which meet or exceed the dimensional requirements and the minimum socket length for pressure-type sockets as defined in ASTM D2672. All PVC Schedule 80 pipe must also meet the requirements of NSF Standard 14 and CSA Standard B137.3 rigid PVC pipe for pressure applications, and shall bear the mark of these Listing agencies. This pipe shall have a flame spread rating of 0-25 when tested for surface burning characteristics in accordance with CAN/ULC-S102-2-M88 or equivalent.

Marking:

Product marking shall meet the requirements of ASTM D1785 and shall include: the manufacturer's name (or the manufacturer's trademark when privately labeled); the nominal pipe size; the material designation code; the pipe schedule and pressure rating in psi for water @ 73°F; the ASTM designation D1785; the independent laboratory's seal of approval for potable water usage; and the date and time of manufacture.

Sample Specification:

All PVC Schedule 80 pipe shall be manufactured from a Type I, Grade I Polyvinyl Chloride (PVC) compound with a Cell Classification of 12454 per ASTM D1784. The pipe shall be manufactured in strict compliance to ASTM D1785, consistently meeting and/or exceeding the Quality Assurance test requirements of this standard with regard to material, workmanship, burst pressure, flattening, and extrusion quality. The pipe shall be manufactured in the USA, using domestic materials, by an ISO 9001 certified manufacturer. Standard lengths of pipe sizes 6" and larger shall be beveled each end by the pipe manufacturer. This pipe shall carry the National Sanitation Foundation (NSF) seal of approval for potable water applications. All pipe shall be manufactured by Georg Fischer Piping Systems.





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Nom. Pipe		Average I.D.	Min. Wall	Nom. Wt./Ft.	Max. W.P.
Size (in.)	O.D.				
1/8	0.405	0.195	0.095	0.063	1230
1/4	0.540	0.282	0.119	0.105	1130
3/8	0.675	0.403	0.126	0.146	920
1/2	0.840	0.526	0.147	0.213	850
3/4	1.050	0.722	0.154	0.289	690
I	1.315	0.936	0.179	0.424	630
1-1/4	1.660	1.255	0.191	0.586	520
1-1/2	1.900	1.476	0.200	0.711	470
2	2.375	1.913	0.218	0.984	400
2-1/2	2.875	2.290	0.276	1.500	420
3	3.500	2.864	0.300	2.010	370
3-1/2	4.000	3.326	0.318	2.452	350
4	4.500	3.786	0.337	2.938	320
5	5.563	4.768	0.375	4.078	290
6	6.625	5.709	0.432	5.610	280
8	8.625	7.565	0.500	8.522	250
10	10.750	9.493	0.593	12.635	230
12	12.750	11.294	0.687	17.384	230
14	14.000	12.410	0.750	20.852	220
16	16.000	14.213	0.843	26.810	220
18	18.000	16.014	0.937	33.544	220
20	20.000	17.814	1.031	41.047	220
24	24.000	21.418	1.218	58.233	210

The pressure ratings given are for water, non-shock, @ 73°F. The following temperature de-rating factors are to be applied to the working pressure ratings (WP) listed when operating at elevated temperatures.

Multiply the working pressure rating of the selected pipe at 73°F, by the appropriate de-rating factor to determine the maximum working pressure rating of the pipe at the elevated temperature chosen.

EX: 10" PVC SCH 80 @ 120°F = ? 230 psi x 0.40 = 92 psi max. @ 120°F

De-Rating Factor				
Operating Temp (°F)	De-Rating Factor			
73	1.00			
80	0.88			
90	0.75			
100	0.62			
110	0.51			
120	0.40			
130	0.31			
140	0.22			

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THE MAXIMUM SERVICE TEMPERATURE FOR PVC IS 140°F.

Solvent-cemented joints should be utilized when working at or near maximum temperatures. Harvel Plastics does not recommend the use of PVC for threaded connections at temperatures above 110°F; use flanged joints, unions, or roll grooved couplings where disassembly is necessary at elevated temperatures.

Thread only Schedule 80 or heavier walls. *Threading requires a 50% reduction in pressure rating stated for plain end pipe @73°F.* Threading of Schedule 40 PVC pipe is not a recommended practice due to insufficient wall thickness.

Chemical resistance data should be referenced for proper material selection and possible de-rating when working with fluids other than water. Refer to Harvel Plastics 112/401 Product Bulletin for chemical resistance, installation data, and additional information.

ASTM STANDARD D1784 MATERIAL EQUIVALENTS:

Cell Classification 12454 = PVC Type I Grade I = PVC1120 Pipe sizes shown are manufactured in strict compliance with ASTM D1785.