

- Increase Productivity
- Add Flexibility
- Minimize Risk
- Reduce Cost





## **Advantages of Single-use Systems**

#### **Increase Productivity**

The reliability of single-use systems results in increased productivity through the reduction of system downtime associated with cleaning and cleaning validation. Reducing downtime of key processes allows manufacturers to increase output while also decreasing time to market.

#### **Add Flexibility**

Flexibility is critical as processors strive to develop and introduce multiple drugs. Single-use systems enable fast, flexible facility changeovers that minimize cross-contamination risks and support multi-drug manufacturing.

Implementing single-use technologies enables manufacturers to leverage existing equipment and increase production capacity without costly facility expansion.

#### Minimize Risk

Reducing risks continues to be a fundamental concern in the bioprocessing industry. Media contamination can lead to product quality issues. Subsequently, expensive reprocessing activities are often required to prevent the loss of a valuable batch of media. Contamination risk becomes an even larger concern as companies are now conducting more multi-product manufacturing. In addition to having a negative effect on operational efficiency, cross-contamination can negatively impact a company's reputation. The integration of single-use systems can help minimize this possibility.

#### **Reduce Cost**

Cost savings include the reduced chemical and utility expenses of cleaning and labor. Capital savings on new construction can be attributed to single-use systems because upfront capital requirements are reduced due to lower equipment and floor space needs. Finally, existing facilities can reduce WFI requirements associated with traditional hard-plumbed systems.

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your most critical fluid handling applications. Choose from a full line of connectors and configurations, including pressure sealing caps and plugs, in sizes to fit 1/4" and 3/8" tubing. MPC couplings offer optional locking sleeves to further guard against accidental disconnects. In addition, coupling halves can be rotated when connected to reduce tube kinks.

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Ergonomic thumb latch

**USP Class VI materials** 

Sterilizable by autoclave, Et0, e-beam, or gamma

Parting line-free hose barb

#### **Benefits**

Easy to operate – even with gloved hands

Meets biocompatibility requirements

Reusable, yet economical enough to allow disposability

Eliminates potential leak path

## **Specifications**

#### **Pressure:**

Vacuum to 60 psi, 4.14 bar

#### **Temperature:**

**Polysulfone:** -40° F to 300° F (-40° C to 149° C) Polycarbonate: -40° F to 250° F (-40° C to 121° C)

**ABS:** -40° F to 160° F (-40° C to 71° C)

#### **Materials:**

#### Main components:

Polycarbonate (purple tint), USP Class VI Polysulfone (amber tint), USP Class VI ABS (white), USP Class VI

#### Locking sleeves:

Polysulfone (white), (not applicable for ABS)

O-rings: Silicone (clear), platinum-cured, USP Class VI and Buna-N (black), USP Class V

#### Sterilization:

Gamma: Up to 50 kGy irradiation

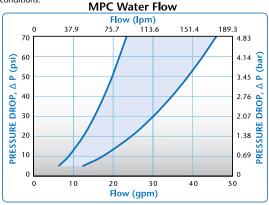
Polycarbonate: 250°F (121°C), 30 minutes, up to

10 repetitions. Sterilize uncoupled only.

Polysulfone: Up to 270°F (132°C) for 60 minutes, up to 25 repetitions. Sterilize uncoupled only.

#### **Tubing Sizes:** 1/4" to 3/8" ID, 6.4mm to 9.5mm ID

WARNING: Pressure, temperature, chemicals, and operating environment can affect the performance of couplings. It is the customer's responsibility to test the suitability of Colder's products in their own application conditions



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## **Liquid Flow Rates**

## **Liquid Flow Rate Information for Couplings**

The chart below shows the flow rate for Colder couplings. Each coupling was tested with water at 70° F (21° C). To determine flow rates for specific coupling configurations use the formula below.

$$Q = C_V \sqrt{\frac{\Delta F}{S}}$$

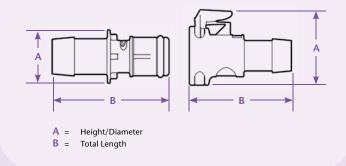
Q=Flow rate in gallons per minute  $C_v$ =Average constant of various rates (see chart)  $\Delta P$ =Pressure drop across coupling (psi)

S=Specific gravity of liquid

#### C<sub>v</sub> Values for MPC Couplings

MPC 22004T	MPC 22006T
2.8	2.8
2.8	5.5
	2.8

## **Product Dimensions**



## **Coupling Bodies**



TERMINATION	TUBING	METRIC EQ.	FLOW	STRAIGHT THRU	Α	В
IN-LINE	1/4" ID	6.4mm ID	.210"	MPC17004T	.93 (23.6)	1.30 (33.0)
HOSE BARB	3/8" ID	9.5mm ID	.290"	MPC17006T	.93 (23.6)	1.30 (33.0)



## **POLYCARBONATE**

TERMINATION	TUBING	METRIC EQ.	FLOW	STRAIGHT THRU	A	B
IN-LINE	1/4" ID	6.4mm ID	.210"	MPC17004T03	.93 (23.6)	1.30 (33.0)
HOSE BARB	3/8" ID	9.5mm ID	.290"	MPC17006T03	.93 (23.6)	1.30 (33.0)
TERMINATION IN-LINE HOSE BARB WITH LOCK	TUBING 1/4" ID 3/8" ID	METRIC EQ. 6.4mm ID 9.5mm ID	FLOW .210" .290"	STRAIGHT THRU MPCK17004T03 MPCK17006T03	A .99 (25.2) .99 (25.2)	B 1.30 (33.0) 1.30 (33.0)



## **POLYSULFONE**

TERMINATION IN-LINE HOSE BARB	TUBING 1/4" ID 3/8" ID	METRIC EQ. 6.4mm ID 9.5mm ID	.210" .290"	MPC17004T39 MPC17006T39	A .93 (23.6) .93 (23.6)	1.30 (33.0) 1.30 (33.0)
TERMINATION IN-LINE HOSE BARB WITH LOCK	TUBING 1/4" ID 3/8" ID	METRIC EQ. 6.4mm ID 9.5mm ID	FLOW .210" .290"	STRAIGHT THRU MPCK17004T39 MPCK17006T39	A .99 (25.2) .99 (25.2)	B 1.30 (33.0) 1.30 (33.0)

All measurements are in inches (millimeters) unless otherwise noted. Tubing must meet stated inside and outside diameters.

#### **Accessories**



#### DESCRIPTION

Leash plug for MPC body

Leash cap for MPC insert

**MATERIALS** Soft, flexible, medical-grade PVC PART NO. MPC30L

Soft, flexible, medical-grade PVC

MPC32L

Note: For validation quantities of MPC and MPX, contact Colder for 25 piece bag quantities

# **DID YOU KNOW ...**

Colder's products for Life Sciences applications are manufactured in our ISO Class 7 certified cleanroom. The SMC, MPC, MPX, MPU, Sanitary, HFC39 and Steam-Thru® product lines are all molded from medical-grade materials and are packaged in double bags with material certifications.



## **DID YOU KNOW ...**

Many of Colder's connectors are made from Animal-Free materials thereby reducing the amount of BSE-related documentation. Contact Customer Service at 1-800-444-2474 or 651-645-0091 for further information about Colder's Animal-Free material offering.

#### **Coupling Inserts** ADC

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TERMINATION IN-LINE HOSE BARB	TUBING 1/4" ID 3/8" ID	METRIC EQ. 6.4mm ID 9.5mm ID	FLOW .210" .290"	STRAIGHT THRU MPC22004TM MPC22006TM	O-RING Silicone Seal USP Class VI Silicone Seal USP Class VI	A .60 (15.2) .60 (15.2)	B 1.30 (33.0) 1.30 (33.0)	
TERMINATION IN-LINE HOSE BARB	TUBING 1/4" ID 3/8" ID	METRIC EQ. 6.4mm ID 9.5mm ID	FLOW .210" .290"	STRAIGHT THRU MPC22004T MPC22006T	O-RING Buna-N Seal USP Class V Buna-N Seal USP Class V	` ,	B 1.30 (33.0) 1.30 (33.0)	



# **POLYCARBONATE**

TERMINATION IN-LINE HOSE BARB	1/4" ID 3/8" ID	METRIC EQ. 6.4mm ID 9.5mm ID	FLOW .210" .290"	STRAIGHT THRU MPC22004T03M MPC22006T03M	O-RING Silicone Seal USP Class VI Silicone Seal USP Class VI	` '	B 1.30 (33.0) 1.30 (33.0)
TERMINATION	TUBING	METRIC EQ.	FLOW	STRAIGHT THRU	O-RING	, ,	B
IN-LINE	1/4" ID	6.4mm ID	.210"	MPC22004T03	Buna-N Seal USP Class V		1.30 (33.0)
HOSE BARB	3/8" ID	9.5mm ID	.290"	MPC22006T03	Buna-N Seal USP Class V		1.30 (33.0)





## **POLYSULFONE**

TERMINATION		METRIC EQ.		STRAIGHT THRU		A (0. (15. 2))	B
IN-LINE	1/4" ID	6.4mm ID	.210"	MPC22004139M	Silicone Seal USP Class VI	.60 (15.2)	1.30 (33.0)
HOSE BARB	3/8" ID	9.5mm ID	.290"	MPC22006T39M	Silicone Seal USP Class VI	.60 (15.2)	1.30 (33.0)



SEALING CAP	SEALING CAP W/LOCK	MATERIAL	A	B
MPC32003	MPCK32003	Polycarbonate	.93 (23.6)	1.30 (33.0)
MPC32039	MPCK32039	Polysulfone	.99 (25.2)	





SEALING PLUG MPC30003M	O-RING Silicone Seal USP Class VI	MATERIAL Polycarbonate	A .75 (19.1)	B 1.24 (31.5)	Accessories
SEALING PLUG MPC30039M	O-RING Silicone Seal USP Class VI	MATERIAL Polysulfone	A .75 (19.1)	B 1.24 (31.5)	

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# MPX Series couplings add ease of use and security to your most critical fluid handling applications. Choose from a full line of connectors and configurations, including pressure sealing caps and plugs in sizes to fit 3/8" and 1/2" tubing. MPX couplings offer optional locking sleeves to further guard against accidental disconnects. In addition, coupling halves can be rotated when connected reducing tube kinks.

## **MPX Specifications**

Pressure: Vacuum to 60 psi, 4.14 bar

#### Temperature:

Polysulfone:

-40° F to 300° F (-40° C to 149° C)

Polycarbonate:

-40° F to 250° F (-40° C to 121° C)

#### **Materials:**

#### Main components:

Polysulfone (amber tint), USP Class VI; Polycarbonate (purple tint), USP Class VI

Locking sleeves: Polysulfone (white)

O-rings:

Silicone (clear), platinum-cured, USP Class VI

#### Sterilization:

Gamma: Up to 50 kGy irradiation

**Autoclave** 

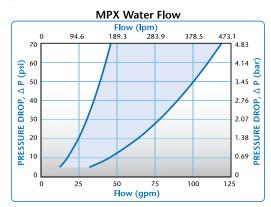
**Polycarbonate:** Up to 250°F (121°C), 30 minutes, up to 10 repetitions. Sterilize uncoupled only.

**Polysulfone:** Up to 270°F (132°C) for 60 minutes, up to 25 repetitions. Sterilize uncoupled only.

#### **Tubing Sizes:**

3/8" to 1/2" ID, 9.5mm to 12.7mm ID

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## **Features**

Ergonomic thumb latch
USP Class VI materials
Sterilizable by autoclave, Et0,
e-beam, or gamma
Parting line-free hose barb

#### **Benefits**

Easy to operate – even with gloved hands Meets biocompatibility requirements Reusable, yet economical enough to allow disposability Eliminates potential leak path Note: MPC Series

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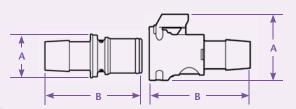
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A = Height/Diameter B = Total Length

## **Coupling Bodies**

# **POLYCARBONATE**

TERMINATION IN-LINE HOSE BARB	TUBING SIZE 1/2" ID	METRIC EQ. 12.7mm ID	FLOW .500"	STRAIGHT THRU MPX17803	A 1.28 (32.5)	B 1.96 (49.8)
TERMINATION IN-LINE HOSE BARB WITH	TUBING SIZE	METRIC EQ.	FLOW	STRAIGHT THRU	A	B
	1/2" ID	12.7mm ID	.500"	MPXK17803	1.28 (32.5)	1.96 (49.8)





TERMINATION IN-LINE HOSE BARB	TUBING SIZE 1/2" ID	METRIC EQ. 12.7mm ID	FLOW .500"	STRAIGHT THRU MPX17839	A 1.28 (32.5)	B 1.96 (49.8)
TERMINATION IN-LINE HOSE BARB WITH LOCK	TUBING SIZE 1/2" ID	METRIC EQ. 12.7mm ID	FLOW .500"	STRAIGHT THRU MPXK17839	A 1.28 (32.5)	B 1.96 (49.8)





## **Coupling Inserts**

# **POLYCARBONATE**

TERMINATION IN-LINE	TUBING SIZE 3/8" ID	METRIC EQ. 9.5mm ID		STRAIGHT THRU MPX22603M	O-RING Silicone Seal USP Class VI	A 85 (21.6)	B 1 00 (48 3)
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HOSE BARB	1/2" ID	12.7mm ID	.500"	MPX22803M	Silicone Seal USP Class VI	.85 (21.6)	1.90 (48.3)



## **POLYSULFONE**

TERMINATION IN-LINE	TUBING SIZE 3/8" ID			STRAIGHT THRU MPX22639M	O-RING Silicone Seal USP Class VI	A .85 (21.6)	B 1.90 (48.3)
HOSE BARB	1/2" ID	12.7mm ID	.500"	MPX22839M	Silicone Seal USP Class VI	.85 (21.6)	1.90 (48.3)



SEALING CAP	SEALING CAP W/LOCK	A	B
MPX32003	MPXK32003	1.28 (32.5)	1.67 (42.4)
SEALING CAP	SEALING CAP W/LOCK	A	B
MPX32039	MPXK32039	1.28 (32.5)	1.67 (42.4)



**Accessories** 

SEALING PLUG	O-RING	Α	В
MPX30003M	Silicone Seal USP Class VI	1.10 (27.9)	1.66 (42.2)

**SEALING PLUG** O-RING MPX30039M Silicone Seal USP Class VI 1.10 (27.9) 1.66 (42.2)



All measurements are in inches (millimeters) unless otherwise noted. Tubing must meet stated inside and outside diameters.





## **Specifications**

**Pressure:** 

Vacuum to 60 psi, 4.14 bar

Temperature:

-40° F to 300° F (-40° C to 149° C)

**Materials:** 

Main component: 316L stainless steel

O-rings: Silicone (clear), platinum-cured, USP Class VI

**Sterilization:** Autoclave

Colder's SaniQuik<sup>TM</sup> connection answers the question of how to integrate single-use components with your existing stainless processing equipment. This integral sanitary termination attaches to hard-plumbed systems with tri-clover clamps. Once attached it permits quick and easy connection to single-use bag systems, manifolds or tube sets which incorporate Colder single-use couplings. SaniQuik connections reduce sanitary gasket replacement, enabling cost-effective media transfer solutions for feeding, harvesting or sampling applications.

#### **Features**

3/4" and 1-1/2" sanitary standard terminations

Compatible with MPC & MPX Series

Integral coupling adaptor

#### **Benefits**

Connect to hard plumbed systems with sanitary gasket and tri-clover clamps

Quick and easy connections to industry standard plastic couplings on single-use bag and tube sets

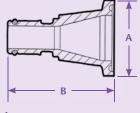
Disconnecting coupling reduces sanitary gasket replacement

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A = Height/Diameter

B = Total Length

## **Connections**

## 316L STAINLESS



DESCRIPTION SILICONE SEAL USP CLASS VI

MATING **SANITARY SANITARY** PART NO. COUPLING SI7F BORE 1.39" (35.3) SQCC221212M MPC Series 3/4" 3/4" .89" (22.6) 1.98" (50.3) 1.50" (38.1) SQCC222424M MPC Series 1-1/2" 1-1/2" SOCX221212M MPX Series 3/4" 3/4" .89" (22.6) 1.54" (39.1) 1-1/2" SQCX222416M MPX Series 1.98" (50.3) 1.50" (38.1) SQCX222424M MPX Series 1.98" (50.3) 1.50" (38.1) 1-1/2"

# Accessories SILICONE (CLEAR)



DESCRIPTION
PLATINUM-CURED
USP CLASS VI
REPLACEMENT
SEALS

PART NO. 2260100 2260200

MATING SANIQUIK SQCC221212M, SQCC222424M

SQCX221212M, SQCX222416M, SQCX222424M

All measurements are in inches (millimeters) unless otherwise noted. Tubing must meet stated inside and outside diameters.

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## **Specifications**

#### Pressure:

Vacuum to 60 psi, 4.14 bar

#### **Temperature:**

-40° F to 300° F (-40° C to 149° C)

#### **Materials:**

#### Main components:

Polysulfone (amber tint)

O-rings (mating insert): Silicone (clear),

platinum-cured, USP Class VI

#### **Sterilization:**

Gamma: Up to 50 kGy irradiation

#### Autoclave:

Up to 270°F (132°C) for 60 minutes, up to 25

repetitions. Sterilize uncoupled only.

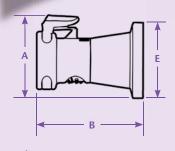
#### **Termination Size:**

3/4" and 1"

Sanitary couplings attach directly to popular 3/4" mini and 1" maxi size sanitary connections, eliminating the need for cumbersome adapters or tubing assemblies. Direct attachment allows faster connection to and disconnection from installed, rigid and flexible piping systems.

Features	Benefits
Ergonomic thumb latch	Easy to operate – even with gloved
	hands
3/4" and 1" sanitary terminations	Install with standard gaskets and
	clamps
Compatible with MPC and MPX	Easy conversion to industry standard
Series couplings	connections or single-use systems

Notes: Mates with MPC polycarbonate and polysulfone inserts and sealing plugs (pages 4-5) and MPX polycarbonate and polysulfone bodies and gealing conference of the polysulfone



Height/Diameter **Total Length** Outside Diameter





PART NO.	SIZE	Α	В	E
MPC3301239	3/4"	.98 (24.9)	1.40 (35.6)	1.0 (25.4mm)
MPC3301639	1"	1.50 (38.1)	1.40 (35.6)	1.5 (38.1mm)
MPX3301239	3/4"	1.28 (32.5)	1.70 (43.2)	1.0 (25.4mm)

All measurements are in inches (millimeters) unless otherwise noted. Tubing must meet stated inside and outside diameters. NOTE: QD sanitary couplings are compatible with both stainless steel and plastic clamps. Clamps and gaskets are referenced for illustration and are not available through Colder.





## **Specifications**

#### Pressure:

Vacuum to 125 psi, 8.62 bar

#### **Temperature:**

-40° F to 280° F (-40° C to 138° C)

#### **Materials:**

#### Main components:

Polysulfone (amber tint), USP Class VI

O-rings: Silicone (clear), platinum-cured,

**USP Class VI** 

Springs: 316 stainless steel

#### **Sterilization:**

Gamma: Up to 50 kGy gamma irradiation. Sterilize

coupled or uncoupled.

Autoclave: At 270°F (132°C) for 60 minutes, up to

25 repetitions. Sterilize uncoupled only.

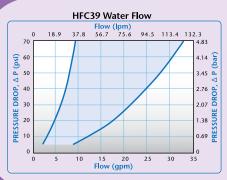
#### **Tubing Sizes:**

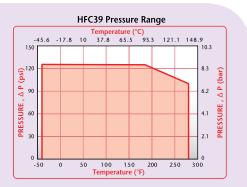
1/4", 3/8" and 1/2" ID

6.4mm, 9.5mm and 12.7mm ID

## **HFC39 Series couplings**

**provide** aseptic disconnect functionality. Automatic shutoff valves close off the flow path at disconnection, protecting valuable media while also eliminating the need for pinch clamps and tube welders. An easy-to-use thumb latch design provides a secure, leak-free connection as well as enabling one-handed disconnects.





#### **Features**

Automatic shutoff valves

Audible "click"

Lightweight

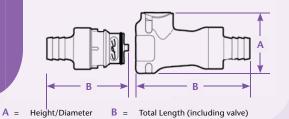
#### **Benefits**

Stops flow and eliminates need for pinch clamps

Provides confidence of a secure connection

Easy integration with single-use assemblies

#### **Product Dimensions**



## **Coupling Bodies**



## POLYSULFONE

TERMINATION IN-LINE HOSE BARB

 TUBING SIZE
 METRIC EQ.

 1/4" ID
 6.4mm ID

 3/8" ID
 9.5mm ID

 1/2" ID
 12.5mm ID

EQ. FLOW D 1/4" D 3/8" ID 3/8" 
 SHUTOFF
 A
 B

 HFCD17439M
 1.44 (36.6)
 2.82 (71.6)

 HFCD17639M
 1.44 (36.6)
 2.82 (71.6)

 HFCD17839M
 1.44 (36.6)
 2.82 (71.6)

## **Coupling Inserts**



# **POLYSULFONE**

TERMINATION	TUBING SIZE	METRIC EQ.	FLOW	STRAIGHT THRU	SHUTOFF	Α	В
IN-LINE	1/4" ID	6.4mm ID	1/4"	HFC22439M	HFCD22439M	1.00 (25.4)	2.02 (51.3)
HOSE BARB	3/8" ID	9.5mm ID	3/8"	HFC22639M	HFCD22639M	1.00 (25.4)	2.02 (51.3)
	1/2" ID	12.5mm ID	3/8"	HFC22839M	HFCD22839M	1.00 (25.4)	2.02 (51.3)

All measurements are in inches (millimeters) unless otherwise noted. Tubing must meet stated inside and outside diameters. Couplings are pictured with valves unless otherwise noted.

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## **Specifications**

Pressure: Vacuum to 35 psi, 2.41 bar

#### **Temperature:**

-40° F to 300° F (-40° C to 149° C)

#### **Materials:**

#### Main components:

Polysulfone (amber tint), USP Class VI

O-rings: Silicone (clear), platinum-cured, USP Class VI

#### **Sterilization:**

Gamma: Up to 50 kGy irradiation

Autoclave: At 270°F (132°C) for 60 minutes, up to

25 repetitions. Sterilize uncoupled only.

Tubing Sizes: 3/4" ID, 19mm ID

#### The MPU's twist-to-connect

design features an easy-to-use locking mechanism that guards against accidental disconnects and provides a reliable, secure connection. A 3/4" hose barb provides smooth, rapid media transfer.

#### **Features**

3/4" hose barb

Locking feature

Sharp barb end

Shrouded, leak-free seal & smooth, internal flow path

Lightweight

## **Benefits**

Facilitates rapid fill and empty of bioprocessing bags

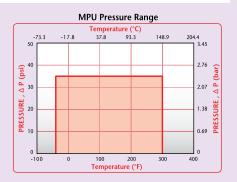
Guards against accidental disconnect

Minimizes fluid turbulence and dead space

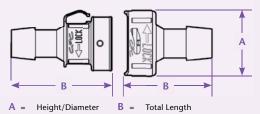
Protect valuable fluids and eliminate potential to contaminate

Removes extra weight from assemblies

#### MPU Water Flow <u>s</u> 60 4.14 50 3.45 2.76 DROP, 2.07 30 PRESSURE PRESSURE 69.0 20 10 120 160 200



## **Product Dimensions**



## **Coupling Bodies**



**TERMINATION** IN-I INF **HOSE BARB** 

TUBING METRIC EQ. 3/4" ID

19mm ID

**FLOW** .710"

**STRAIGHT THRU** MPU171239

1.75 (44.5) 2.37 (60.2)



## **Coupling Inserts**

TERMINATION IN-LINE HOSE BARB

TUBING METRIC EQ. 3/4" ID 19mm ID

**FLOW** .710"

STRAIGHT THRU MPU221239M

O-RING

Silicone Seal 1.56 (39.6) 2.88 (73.2) USP Class VI

Accessories



**SEALING CAP** MPU32039

**SEALING PLUG** MPU30039M

O-RING Silicone Seal USP Class VI

Polysulfone **MATERIAL** Polysulfone

MATERIAL

1.56 (39.6)

1.75 (44.5)

1.38 (35.1)

.79 (20.1)

All measurements are in inches (millimeters) unless otherwise noted. Tubing must meet stated inside and outside diameters. Couplings are pictured with valves





## **Specifications**

#### **Pressure:**

#### Steam position:

Up to 30 psi, 2.07 bar (Steam-Thru) 35 psi, 2.41 bar (Steam-Thru II)

Flow position: Vacuum to 20 psi, 1.38 bar

#### **Temperature:**

#### Steam position:

Up to 266° F (130° C) for 60 minutes (Steam-Thru) Up to 275° F (135° C) for 60 minutes (Steam-Thru II)

Flow position: 39° F to 104° F (4° C to 40° C)

#### **Materials:**

**Connection:** (amber tint) Polysulfone, USP Class VI **O-rings:** Silicone (clear), platinum-cured, USP Class VI **Tear-away sleeve:** Polyethylene or polycarbonate

(Steam-Thru only)

#### **Typical Flow Rate:**

 $C_v = 4.2 - 4.6$  (Steam-Thru)  $C_v = 5.2 - 8.0$  (Steam-Thru II)

#### **Sterilization:**

Gamma: 50 kGy gamma irradiation

**Autoclave:** 265° F (129° C) for 30 minutes, up to two cycles (applies only to part numbers

STC1700500-STC1700800)

#### SIP process:

266° F (130° C) for 60 minutes (Steam-Thru) 275° F (135° C) for 60 minutes (Steam-Thru II)

#### **Tubing sizes:**

3/8" to 1/2" ID, 9.5mm to 12.7mm ID (Steam-Thru)

1/2" ID, 12.7mm ID (Steam-Thru II)

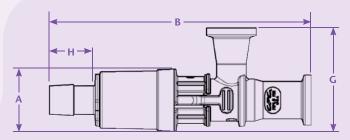
## Steam-Thru® Connections allow a quick

and easy sterile connection between biopharmaceutical processing equipment and single-use bag and tube assemblies. The single-use design saves time and money by eliminating unnecessary cleaning procedures and reducing validation burden associated with reusable components.

Features	Benefits		
Innovative three-port design	Allows a true steam-through SIP process which eliminates "dead legs" and the need for laminar flow hoods		
Patented valve design	Allows sterile connection and disconnection and permits high media flow rate		
Thumb latch/ tear-away sleeve	Provides visual indicator of process stage and secures valve position		
Industry standard terminations	Speed connection to the process equipment and connect to popular sizes of flexible tubing		
Single-use design	Eliminates unnecessary cleaning procedures and validation issues		

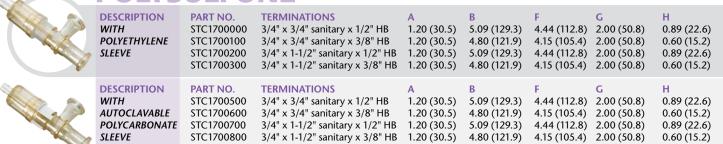
## Steam-Thru® Configurations

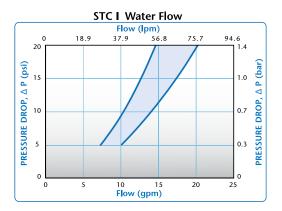
Steam-Thru® Connection's patented three-port design allows steam to pass directly through the lower ports to "steam on" to stainless equipment. After the SIP cycle is completed, the connector's valve is actuated, creating a sterile flow path to single-use systems.

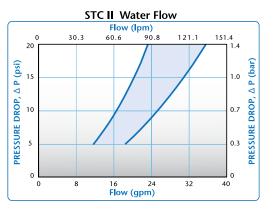


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## **POLYSULFONE**





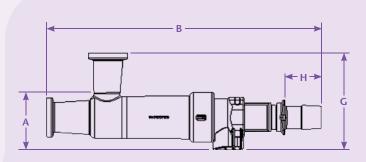


These graphs are intended to give you a general idea of the performance capabilities of each product line. The shaded area of each graph represents the operating range of the product family, i.e., upper and lower values are shown. Therefore, depending on the exact coupling configurations selected, you can reasonably expect values to fall within the shaded area

## Steam-Thru II **Configurations**

Steam-Thru II Connections offer the flexibility of "steam on" and "steam off" functionality. The patented design allows the valve to be returned to the steam position enabling a second SIP cycle following

media transfer. The "steam off" disconnection of single-use systems minimizes cross-contamination



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risks associated with reusable components.



All measurements are in inches (millimeters) unless otherwise noted. Tubing must meet stated inside and outside diameters.

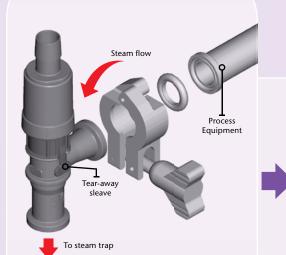


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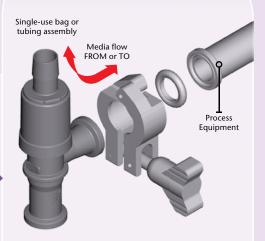
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#### **STEAM POSITION**



Steam flows from the process equipment through the Steam-Thru to sterilize the connection. With the tear-away sleeve in place, the transfer of fluid to or from the bioreactor is prevented.

#### **FLOW POSITION**



When the tear-away sleeve is removed, the Steam-Thru is actuated, the connection to the steam trap is disabled and a sterile flow path is established between the process equipment and the single-use system.

DID YOU KNOW ... there are many advantages of single-use systems?

Increase Productivity

The reliability of single-use systems results in increased productivity through the reduction of system downtime associated with cleaning and cleaning validation.

- Add Flexibility Single-use systems can be easily modified for alternative media handling.
- Minimize Risk

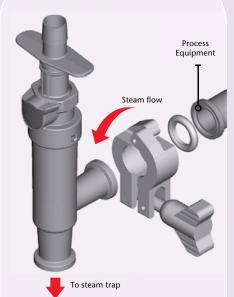
The integration of single-use systems can help minimize the risk of media contamination in multi-product manufacturing.

**Reduce Cost** Cost savings include the reduced chemical and utility expenses of cleaning and labor.

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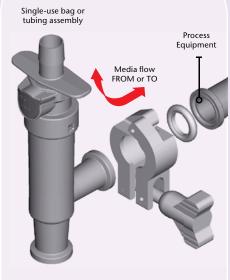
## **Steam-Thru II Process:** An audible "click" and the visual indicator of the raised thumb latch provide assurance that the valve is locked in the flow or steam position.

#### STEAM ON POSITION



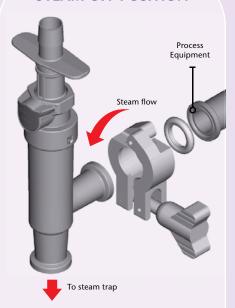
Steam flows from the process equipment through the Steam-Thru II creating a "steam on" sterile connection.

#### **FLOW POSITION**



Once the valve is locked in the flow position a sterile flow path has been created allowing media transfer.

#### STEAM OFF POSITION



Once the valve is locked in the steam position, complete a second SIP cycle to "steam off" the connection.

#### **TRANSITION TO FLOW**

Once the "steam on" cycle is complete and the steam trap has been closed, simply press the thumb latch to allow the valve to be moved down to

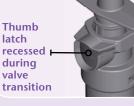
the flow position.

**Thumb** latch recessed during valve transition

#### **TRANSITION TO STEAM**

Once media transfer is complete, simply press the thumb latch to allow the valve to be moved back up to the steam position.

**Thumb** latch recessed during valve



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Single-use systems minimize cross-contamination risks associated with reusable components. The reliability of singleuse components results in increased productivity through the reduction of system downtime associated with cleaning and cleaning validation. Reducing downtime of key processes allows manufacturers to increase output while also decreasing time to market. They also minimize CIP validation, reduce WFI demand and lower operational costs.

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