

PVC PIPE FITTINGS



Unlike belled end pipe, this pipe maintains a consistent diameter throughout its entire length. PSI (Pounds per Square Inch) refers to a unit of pressure used to specify the maximum recommended pressure for pipes, fittings, or valves. PVC (Polyvinyl Chloride) is a rigid thermoplastic material known for its corrosion and chemical resistance.

PVC cement creates a seal through a chemical reaction that bonds the plastic of one part to another. For a reliable seal on a slip fitting, both PVC primer and PVC cement are necessary. The primer softens the inside of the fitting to facilitate bonding, while the cement ensures a secure, tight connection between the two pieces.

If you prefer to determine the outside diameter (OD) of PVC pipe:

Measure your OD and refer to the second or third column (Actual OD) in the tables provided below.

Once you identify your pipe OD, refer to the leftmost column (Pipe Size). This column indicates the nominal pipe size, or the size of fittings you should order.