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New Product Announcement



SharkBite® now offers Flexible Water Heater Connectors for fast and easy installation in copper, CPVC or PEX pipe plumbing systems.

Attached is a copy of the SharkBite® Water Heater Connector Spec Sheet. The connectors must be purchased in cartons of twelve (12). The new part numbers and list prices are:

SharkBite® Flexible Water Heater Connectors

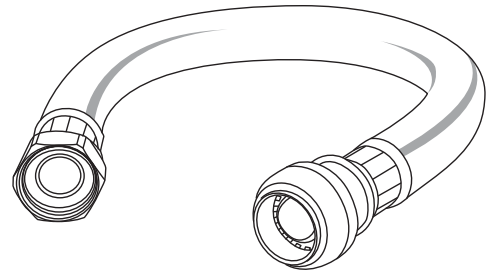
P/N	Size	Description	Qty / carton	Weight per carton (lbs)	List Price Each
U3088FLEX12	3/4"	12" Stainless Steel Braided SharkBite Water Heater Connector	12	6.795	12.11
U3088FLEX15	3/4"	15" Stainless Steel Braided SharkBite Water Heater Connector	12	7.645	12.90
U3088FLEX18	3/4"	18" Stainless Steel Braided SharkBite Water Heater Connector	12	8.545	13.58
U3088FLEX24	3/4"	24" Stainless Steel Braided SharkBite Water Heater Connector	12	10.250	15.04

“SharkBite®” the original name you can trust.

SharkBite® Flexible Braided Stainless Steel Water Heater Supply Connectors

DESCRIPTION

The SharkBite® Water Heater Connectors are used in residential and commercial applications to connect the hot and cold supply lines to the water heater. The connectors are EPDM knitted with braided stainless steel. The connectors are available in 12", 15", 18" and 24" lengths. The connections on the connectors are 3/4" FIP X 3/4" SharkBite®. The SharkBite® connection allows the installer to connect to copper, PEX and CPVC tubing eliminating the need for an additional transition fitting.



FEATURES AND BENEFITS

SharkBite Connection:

*Eliminates the need for additional transition fittings,
Connects to OD controlled copper, PEX, and CPVC tubing.*

Ease of use:

No soldering or glue.

Available in 12", 15", 18", 24" lengths:

No cutting pipe.

Design certified and agency listed:

Inspector friendly, peace of mind.

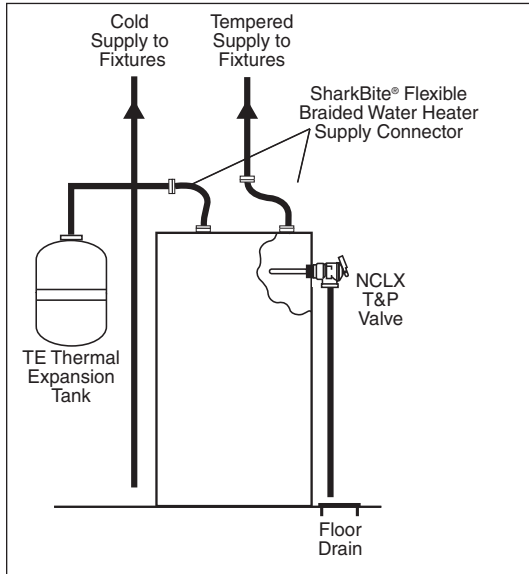
SPECIFICATION

The SharkBite® Water Heater Connectors shall be used with residential and commercial water heaters. The SharkBite® Connection shall be connected to copper (ASTM B88), PEX (ASTM F876) and CPVC (ASTM D2846). The SharkBite® Water Heater Connectors shall be used with water in accessible locations only.



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TYPICAL INSTALLATION



(Please consult with local plumbing codes concerning specific water heater piping requirements.)

SPECIFICATION DATA

Performance:

Maximum pressure 200 psi
 Maximum temperature 200°F
 Service Potable water

Materials:

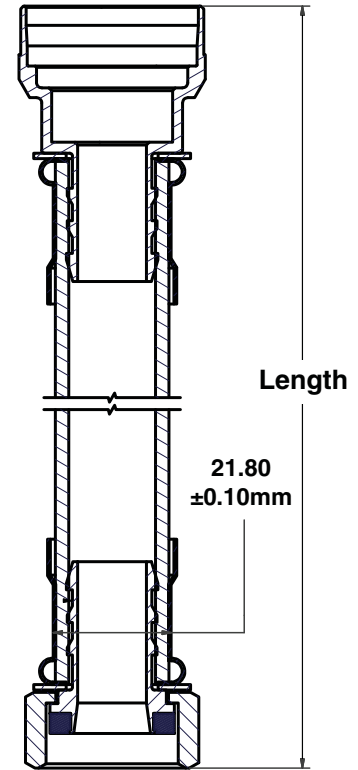
3/4" FIP Nut DZR Brass
 3/4" FIP Washer EPDM
 SharkBite® Connector DZR Brass
 Hose EPDM Knitted with Stainless steel

CONNECTIONS

U3088FLEX12 – 12" Flex hose 3/4" FIP X 3/4" SharkBite
 U3088FLEX15 – 15" Flex hose 3/4" FIP X 3/4" SharkBite
 U3088FLEX18 – 18" Flex hose 3/4" FIP X 3/4" SharkBite
 U3088FLEX24 – 24" Flex hose 3/4" FIP X 3/4" SharkBite

CERTIFICATIONS

The SharkBite® Water Heater Connectors are tested and listed to the ASME A112.16.6 standards.



SharkBite® Water Heater Kit Dimensions

Part Number	Length	Description
U3088FLEX12	12"	12" 3/4" SS FLEX HOSE FIP x SharkBite
U3088FLEX15	15"	15" 3/4" SS FLEX HOSE FIP x SharkBite
U3088FLEX18	18"	18" 3/4" SS FLEX HOSE FIP x SharkBite
U3088FLEX24	24"	24" 3/4" SS FLEX HOSE FIP x SharkBite