Fitting Size Designation



FITTINGS

Refer to the following standards for additional dimensional details:

- International Mobile Air Conditioning Association (IMACA) Standard 305 (FITTINGS AND TUBING DETAILS FOR MOBILE AIR CONDITIONING SYSTEMS)
- International Mobile Air Conditioning Association (IMACA) Standard 320 (FITTINGS, HOSE AND ASSEMBLIES FOR R134a AIR CONDITIONING SYSTEMS)
- Society of Automotive Engineers (SAE) Standard J512 (AUTOMOTIVE TUBE FITTINGS)
- Society of Automotive Engineers (SAE) Standard 639 (SAFETY AND CONTAINMENT OF REFRIGERANT FOR MECHANICAL VAPOR COMPRESSION SYSTEMS USED FOR MOBILE AIR CONDITIONING SYSTEMS). R12 and R134a charge port dimensions.
- ATCO Engineering Guide EG-1031 (FITTING AND HOSE SIZE GUIDE).

Beadlock fittings are recommended for barrier style and all-rubber hoses using bubble type crimps. Barb style fittings are recommended for all-rubber hose using face style crimps and worm gear clamps.

FITTING TORQUE VALUES

TUBE SIZE	THREAD SIZE		TORQUE VALUE (FT/LB)		
	INCH	METRIC	FLARES	O-RING	METRIC
1/4"	7/16"	M12	10-15	5-10	
3/8"	5/8"	M16, M18	20-25	10-15	5-10
3/8"	11/16"	M20	25-30	10-15	10-20
1/2"	3/4"	M20	35-40		15-25
5/8"	7/8"	M22, M24	50-60	15-20	15-25
3/4"	1 1/16"	M27	70-80	20-30	20-35
SWITCHES	3/8"			25-35	25-40
		M10, M12	5-10	5-10	5-10

The above values are "rule of thumb" and may vary for various applications.

☐ HOSE AND COUPLINGS

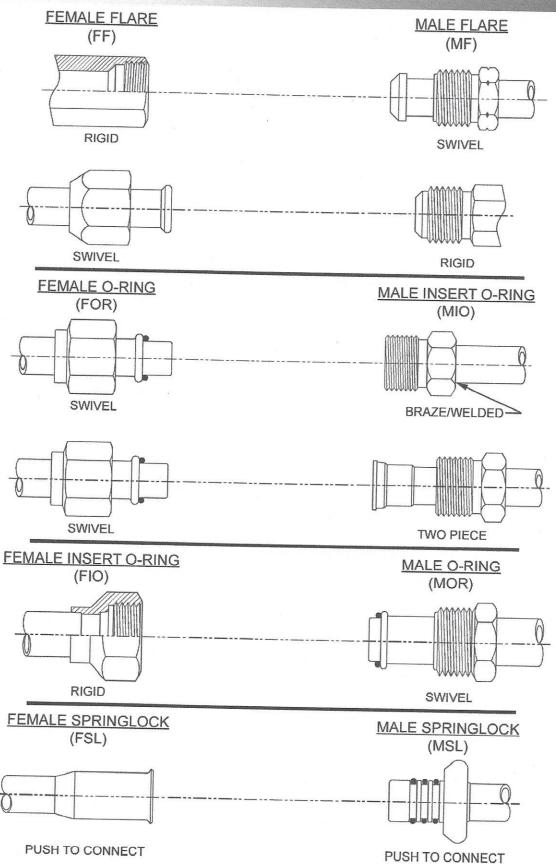
Refer to the following standards for hose and assembly requirements:

- Society of Automotive Engineers (SAE) Standard J2064 (R134a REFRIGERANT AUTOMOTIVE AIR-CONDITIONING HOSE).
- International Mobile Air Conditioning Association (IMACA) Standard 320 (FITTINGS, HOSE AND ASSEMBLIES FOR R134a AIR CONDITIONING SYSTEMS)

SIZE NO.	I.D. DIMENSIONS			O.D. DIMENSIONS	
	FRACTION	DECIMAL	METRIC	2 BRAID	REDUCED'
6	5/16"	.312"	8mm	.750"	
8	13/32"	.406"	10mm	.906"	.580"
10	1/2"	.500"	12mm	1.000"	.680"
12	5/8"	.625"	16mm	1.125"	.765"
14	3/4"	.750"	19mm	N/A	.930" 1.125"

- * REDUCED O.D. DIMENSIONS refer to barrier style hose only.
- ATCO recommends barrier style air conditioning hose to be used with beadlock fittings. Allrubber hose may also be coupled using beadlock style fittings.
- ATCO only recommends the use of barb fittings with all-rubber hose coupled with face style crimp or worm gear clamps. Bubble style crimps are not recommended.
- Approved crimping equipment is located in the HOSE CRIMPERS AND TOOL section of this catalog.





41,45 = FORD FEMALE SPRINGLOCK 43 = FORD MALE SPRINGLOCK 56 = SINGLE PAD STYLE COMP. PORT 58 = BRAZE/WELD ON BARB 61 = HOSE SPLICER 62 = AUXILIARY A/C TEE 63 = SPLICERS

64 = R-12 SERVICE ADAPTERS 65 = R134a ADAPTERS 66 = BRAZE ON BEADLOCK 71 = FEMALE DUAL O-RING - INCH 73 = FEMALE DUAL O-RING - METRIC

83 = METRIC ADAPTERS 93 = FEMALE O-RING - METRIC 94 = MALE INSERT O-RING - METRIC

H = HEATER FITTINGS



BL11014-1 **PREFIX** SUFFIX BL=BEADLOCK -1 = 1/4" R12 SERVICE VALVE (ALUM. TUBE - STEEL FERRULE) -2 = 3/16" R12 SERVICE VALVE SB=STEEL BEADLOCK -3 = R134a QUICK CONNECT -4 = M10 SWITCH PORT (STEEL TUBE - STEEL FERRULE) -5 = M12 SWITCH PORT RB=REDUCED BEADLOCK -9 = R134a HI SIDE S.V.-10 FTG (ALUM. TUBE - STEEL FERRULE) -SD = SHORT DROP SR=STEEL REDUCED BEADLOCK (STEEL TUBE - STEEL FERRULE) FIFTH DIGIT NOT APPLICABLE FOR 4 = 14 HOSEBARB FITTINGS OR EXAMPLE: SR13034 = 10 FTG X 14 HOSE NON-HOSE ENDS WHERE APPLICABLE FIRST TWO DIGITS THIRD DIGIT FOURTH DIGIT FOR **FOURTH DIGIT FOR** 11 = FEMALE FLARE 0 = STRAIGHT **ENGLISH THREADS METRIC THREADS** 12 = MALE FLARE 1 = 45 DEGREE 1 = 6 FTG X 6 HOSE 13 = FEMALE O-RING 1 = 5 FTG X 6 HOSE 2 = 90 DEGREE 2 = 8 FTG X 8 HOSE 14 = MALE O-RING 2 = M16 FTG X 6 HOSE **EXCEPT WHEN** 3 = 10 FTG X 10 HOSE 3 = M18 FTG X 6 HOSE 17 = BULKHEAD STYLE 4TH DIGIT IS 4 = 12 FTG X 12 HOSE 18 = MALE INSERT O-RING 4 = M20 FTG X 6 HOSE A "ZERO" (RARE) 5 = 6 FTG X 8 HOSE 19 = ADAPTERS 5 = M20 FTG X 8 HOSE 6 = 8 FTG X 10 HOSE 20 = COMPRESSOR ADAPTER FITTINGS 6 = M22 FTG X 10 HOSE 7 = 10 FTG X 12 HOSE 21 = TUBE-O & ROTALOK 7 = M24 FTG X 10 HOSE 22 = VIR CONVERSION FITTING 8 = 8 FTG X 6 HOSE 8 = M27 FTG X 12 HOSE 9 = 10 FTG X 8 HOSE 23 = COMPRESSOR BLOCKS 0 = 12 FTG X 10 HOSE* 25 = GASKETS 26 = MISC. ADAPTERS & ORIFICE TUBE 28 = COMPRESSION ADAPTERS *WHEN 4TH DIGIT IS 29 = COMPRESSION FITTING - INCH A "ZERO" (RARF) 30 = COMPRESSION FITTING - METRIC THEN 3RD DIGIT MEANS: 33,35,36,37 = CRIMPERS & TOOLS 1 = STRAIGHT 2 = 45 DEGREE 39 = FLUSH KITS AND FITTINGS 40 = SEALS, O-RINGS, 3 = 90 DEGREE & SERVICE VALVE CORES & CAPS

NOTE: PLAIN 5-DIGIT NUMBERS BEGINNING WITH "71" OR "75" ARE CRIMPER COMPONENTS / REPLACEMENT PARTS.