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# MODEL VFDC/VFDCI VIBRO-SORB<sup>TM</sup> FLEXIBLE DUCT CONNECTOR

All HVAC ducts are conected to either a fan or blower that can generate vibration and noise. Flexible duct connectors are used to isolate that vibration and noise and prevent it's transmission into the metal duct. VIMCO's VIBRO-SORB<sup>™</sup> range of flexible ducts is available in a wide variety of fabrics / connector widths and metal thicknesses to suit almost all applications, and are designed to meet the 2021 NFPA 90A/90B requirements.



## 2021 NFPA 90A/90B COMPLIANT

VIMCO's range of VIBRO-SORB<sup>TM</sup> flexible connectors are 2021 NFPA 90A/90B compliant.

#### 2021 NFPA 90A 4.3.2.2 summ.

Vibration isolation connectors in duct systems shall be made of materials having a maximum flame spread index of 25 and a maximum smoke developed index of 50.

#### 2021 NFPA 90B 4.1.1.1.3.1~2 summ.

Vibration isolation connectors shall be made of approved fabric meeting the flame propagation performance criteria contained in NFPA 701 and shall not exceed 10" inch length in the direction of airflow. The connector shall consist of sleeve joints with packing of approved material exhibiting a maximum flame spread index of 25 and a maximum smoke developed index of 450.

## TYPICAL APPLICATIONS:





# HOW TO SPECIFY:

At the inlet and outlet of all motor-driven air handling equipment furnish and install vibration isolation connectors. Vibration isolation connectors shall be a coated woven fabric named \_\_\_\_\_\_. Fabric shall have a weight of not less than \_\_\_\_\_, tensile strength not less than \_\_\_\_\_, tear strength not less than \_\_\_\_\_, and a continuous temperature range of \_\_\_\_\_\_. Vibration isolation connectors shall be preassembled fabric attached to sheet metal on both sides. Vibration Management Corporation (VIMCO).

Local Representative :

Due to our policy of continual product development and improvement, all information is subject to change without prior notice. Please consult your local rep. for updates. Catalog no.

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	CAN-SORB™	NEO-SORB™	SILI-SORB™	POLY-SORB™
DESCRIPTION	or support combustion and will only char when exposed to a flame. Air leakage is virtually eliminated by its close weave		Heavy glass fabric, coated on both sides with silicon. Silver in color, flame proof, it has excellent resistance to many chemicals and weathering. Designed for high temperature applications.	PVC / Nylon fabric with a heavinyl coating on both sides an extremely tough connector material. Dark gray in color, th coating is flame retardant. POLY-SORB™ is airtight, weather resistant and chemic resistant.
TECHNICAL DATA	WEIGHT 14.75 oz/sq.yd. (500 g/sq.mtr)	<b>WEIGHT</b> 23.6 oz/sq.yd. (800 g/sq.mtr)	<b>WEIGHT</b> 20.65 oz/sq.yd. (700 g/sq.mtr)	<b>WEIGHT</b> 18-18.5 oz/sq.yd. (600-630 g/sq.mtr)
	TENSILE STRENGTH 584x269 lbs (2600x1200 N)	<b>TENSILE STRENGTH</b> 562x415 lbs (2500x1850 N)	<b>TENSILE STRENGTH</b> 550x415 lbs (2450x1850 N)	TENSILE STRENGTH 674x469 lbs (3000x2090 N)
	FLAMMABILITY	FLAMMABILITY	FLAMMABILITY	FLAMMABILITY
	Self extinguishing per US Code of Federal regulations 14CFR23.853 (report ID HW-309006)	Self extinguishing per US Code of Federal regulations 14CFR23.853 (report ID HW-309004) ASTME-84 (UL 723) 25/50 compliant FSI: 10, SDI: 5 (UL report ID SV32259, NTN08222404)	Flame resistant and self extinguishing per US Code of Federal regulations 14CFR23.853 (report ID HW-309007) ASTME-84 (UL 723) 25/50 compliant FSI: 0, SDI: 30 (UL report ID SV32259, NTN08222403)	Self extinguishing per US Co of Federal regulations 14CFR23.853 (report ID HW-309005)
	TEMPERATURE	TEMPERATURE	TEMPERATURE	TEMPERATURE
	248° F (120° C)	302° F (150° C)	500° F (260° C)	248° F (120° C)
	TEAR STRENGTH 11.2x12.3 lbs (50x55 N)	<b>TEAR STRENGTH</b> 30.3x20.6 lbs (135x92 N)	<b>TEAR STRENGTH</b> 62.9x33.7 lbs (280x150 N)	<b>TEAR STRENGTH</b> 64.7x55.3 lbs (288x246 N)
	WEATHERPROOF QUALITIES Water resistant. Treated for fire, water, weather and mildew resistance.	WEATHERPROOF QUALITIES Water and humidity resistant. Resistant to acids, alkali, gasoline and grease.	WEATHERPROOF QUALITIES Water and humidity resistant. Resistant to acids and alkalis.	WEATHERPROOF QUALITIES Water and humidity resistant. Resistant to weathering, oil a many other chemicals.
SPECIFICATIONS	Designed to meet NFPA 90A & 90B specifications. Meets NFPA 701 requirements. Galvanized steel meets ASTM-A-653-94-G60 and ASTM-A-653-94-Z180.			
SUGGESTED USES		NEO-SORB <sup>™</sup> can be used in practically every type of installation, and most engineers specify it regardless of the type of system. Because	SILI-SORB <sup>™</sup> can be used in practically every type of installation, especially in high temperature systems and where an airtight connector is required. SILI-SORB <sup>™</sup> is the logical substitute for asbestos products or where high temperatures are of concern. Often used generic term is "SILICON DUCT CONNECTOR".	POLY-SORB <sup>™</sup> can be used practically every type of installation within its temperature range. Low in co easy to fabricate and extreme high abrasion and cut resistan fabric. Often used generic terms are "POLY VINYL CHLORIDE (PVC) DUCT CONNECTOR" or "VINYL DUCT CONNECTOR".