



SPECIFICATIONS

General Specifications

Furnish and install where shown on all plans/drawings, Sterling Standard "Wiped Edge" Classic Finned Tube Assemblies as described in the Specifications below or approved equal quality and capacity. AHRI approved ratings must be indicated on submittal.

ENCLOSURE AND ACCESSORIES

Classic standard "Wiped Edge" style finned tube enclosures (both ends are bent 90°) are to be of style and size as shown on plans. Material will be 16 or optional 14 gauge cold rolled steel finished with baked powder coated polyester paint. The enclosure assembly will include of 14 gauge internal support gussets spot welded to the inside of the sheet metal enclosure. The internal gussets are required to support and secure the extruded air discharge aluminum grille. The air slots are to be "pencil proof". All bends (lateral) on enclosure are to be formed on bottoming dies to ensure continuity of all adjoining enclosures. All accessories are to be "Underlapping style" where the installed enclosure will overlap the accessories. This feature allows the enclosures to be individually removed when required. Accessories shall fit between wall and back plate at top and extend back to wall at bottom for securing with fastener by others.

ACCESS DOORS

When indicated, access doors will be provided at mixer shut-off or flow control valves. Doors will be 6" x 9" (or 5" x 6") and hinged at top. Access doors will be located in accessories or enclosure as noted on plans. Door latch head shall require tool for opening.

DAMPERS

Dampers will be provided when indicated on plans. Damper blades will have formed edges for rigidity. Damper blades and operators will be shipped with the enclosures for field installation. The damper actuation will be a dial type or optional tamper resistant concealed operator. The 5-5/16", "B", offset Classic enclosures are available with an optional "Slide Damper".

BACK PLATE

All optional full back plates will be one piece construction, 20 gauge galvanized steel (18 gauge optional) with a die-formed mounting channel into which the enclosure shall self-locate and secure. Self-adhesive sponge air seal gasket to be provided when noted. All standard partial back plates are to be machine roll formed, pre-painted, 20 gauge steel with formed mounting channel into which the enclosure shall self-locate and secure. 18 gauge partial back plates will be provided with baked primer finish. Sponge air seal gasket is to be provided when specified.

BRACKETS/HANGERS

All brackets and hangers are to be die-formed 14 gauge galvanized steel with channel type wiped edge construction for rigidity. Nickel chromium plated ball bearings inserted into a nylon isolator insert are to be used in conjunction with an 18 gauge galvanized die-formed element support cradle to provide friction free lateral movement during expansion and contraction. Brackets are to have pre-formed contour at the top allowing the bracket to interlock with the back plate channel. Brackets are to be self-locating in the vertical (height) position.

Hangers are to provide for vertical element adjustment when pitch is required (steam). Water jobs will not require adjustable hangers. Full engagement enclosure locks are to be supplied with each bracket.

HEATING ELEMENTS

All copper/aluminum heating elements shall be manufactured with seamless copper tubing mechanically expanded into the diameter of the equally spaced aluminum fins. The ends of the copper tube shall be of finished O.D. (male) and finished I.D. (female, swaged) as to allow the use of standard domestic copper fittings. All steel heating elements shall be manufactured with steel pressure tubing mechanically expanded into the diameter of the equally spaced steel (.024, .032) fins. The ends of the steel tube shall be threaded to accept all domestic NPT threaded fittings or cut square and chamfered for welding in field. All steel element fins shall be painted black enamel finish.

ENCLOSURES "CLASSIC AR" WIPED EDGE

- Styles:** Flat Top, Top Outlet.
Lengths: 2' thru 8' in 6" increments.
Materials: Cold rolled steel, aluminum or galvanized steel
- Gauges:** 16, 14 Gauge C.R.S., Optional 14, 12 Gauge Aluminum
- Finish:** Baked powder polyester colored finish. All electrostatic applied.
- Back Plates:**
Types: Partial standard, full height optional.
Lengths: Partial 8', Full 2' thru 8', in 6" increments.
Material: Partial 20 gauge, pre-painted standard. 18 gauge thick C.R.S. baked prime finish optional. Full 20 gauge galvanized, 18 gauge thick C.R.S. optional.
- Brackets:** Ball bearing with slide cradle with enclosure securing posi-lock clips.
- Hangers:** Bracket Mounted with vertical adjustment for pitch for steam applications. Wall Mounted, fixed position for hot water applications. 14 gauge, die-formed channel type galvanized steel construction.
- Elements:** Mechanically expanded.
Types: Copper tube with aluminum fins, Steel tube with steel fins.
Lengths: 3/4" Cu tube = 2'-0" thru 8'-0"
 1", 1-1/4" Cu tube = 2'-0" thru 12'-6"
 1", 1-1/4" & 2" Steel pipe = 2'-0" thru 12'-0"
 All are available in 1" increments.
 RØ1 thru RØ5 = 2' thru 8' in 1'-0" increments.
- Tube ends:** CU/AL - swaged (flared) one end. Swaged (flared) both ends optional.
 Steel Pipe - NPT threads standard.
 Chamfered ends for field welding optional.
- Dampers:** Optional, fully modulating damper blades with stiffening bends on leading edge. The damper blade is operated by dial or optional hex head security typed driver. Optional slide type damper available on "B" depth enclosures.
- Accessories:** All die-formed with flange at top to engage behind back plate. Bottom return bend provides vertical flange with mounting holes for securing to wall. Telescope internally inside enclosure.
- Air Seal:** Optional air seal, factory or field installed, on back of back plate. Material is 1/8" x 3/8" closed cell with adhesive back.