

JM MULTI-FIT ALUMINUM ELBOW COVERS

ALUMINUM METAL JACKETING/CLADDING

DESCRIPTION

JM Multi-Fit Aluminum Elbow Covers are made in two precision formed matching halves to cover and weatherproof insulated 90° pipe elbows. These elbow covers were formerly known as Childers Ribbed Univers-Ells.

Each JM Multi-Fit Aluminum Elbow Cover is designed to fit over 90° insulation elbows with a specific outer diameter regardless of the pipe size, use of long or short radius pipe elbows, or insulation thickness. The thirteen sizes of JM Multi-Fit Aluminum Elbow Covers will fit 111 combinations of NPS and insulation thickness up to a nominal outer insulation diameter of 12.75 inches.

JM aluminum jacketing, together with JM Multi-Fit Aluminum Elbow Covers, are a premier protective outer surface for insulation systems on pipe and elbows. JM Multi-Fit Aluminum Elbow Covers are an excellent performing and critical accessory to complement the aluminum jacketing. Multi-Fit Aluminum Elbow Covers protect the insulation and underlying pipe from physical damage, UV exposure, corrosive atmospheres, and water. They also reduce the time and labor needed to install the metal jacketing system.

GAUGE, COMPOSITION, FINISH, MOISTURE BARRIER, EXTERIOR PAINT, EMITTANCE, FLAMMABILITY, & PACKING

JM Multi-Fit Aluminum Elbow Covers are made from 0.024 inch thick 1100 aluminum alloy with a smooth (mill) surface finish, have a Polyfilm Moisture Barrier (PFMB), have a very low flammability, and are packed with 15 elbow sets (30 elbow halves) per carton. For details on these features, please consult the JM data sheet on standard Aluminum Elbow Covers. The smooth clear coat finish applied to the exterior Multi-Fit Aluminum Elbow Covers allows for an excellent pressing process and protects the elbows during shipping and handling.

FIT, SIZE SELECTION, & INSTALLATION

The table to the right shows the nominal outer insulation diameter each JM Multi-Fit Aluminum Elbow Cover is designed to fit. For detailed information on selecting JM Multi-Fit Aluminum Elbow Covers for various combinations of NPS and insulation thickness, consult the JM Fitting Selection Guide. For details on installation, see the JM data sheet on Aluminum Elbow Sizes and Installation and the diagram on the next page.

JM Multi-Fit Aluminum Elbow Covers are designed to yield a 5/8" overlap at the heel and throat joints when used over insulation that complies with the target diameters in ASTM C585 and C450. If the insulation outer diameter deviates significantly from that specified in these standards, the overlap size may change and the fit may be compromised.



RECOMMENDED USES

JM Multi-Fit Aluminum Elbow Covers are recommended for use when a reduced number of possible elbow sizes are desired and aluminum jacketing is used on the associated straight sections of pipe.

JM MULTI-FIT SIZE CHART

Nominal Outer Insulation Diameter (inches)	JM Multi-Fit Elbow Number
2.875	3
3.5	3-1/2
4.0	4
4.5	4-1/2
5.0	5
5.563	5-1/2
6.625	6
7.625	7
8.625	8
9.625	9
10.75	10
11.75	11
12.75	12

LIMITATIONS ON USE

JM Multi-Fit Aluminum Elbow Covers are not appropriate for the following applications:

- For applications where a maximum resistance to fire is required, JM stainless steel elbow covers should be used
- Where maximum resistance to corrosion is required, JM stainless steel elbow covers should be used

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COMPLIANCE TO STANDARDS

JM Multi-Fit Aluminum Elbow Covers from JM comply with the applicable requirements of ASTM C1729 (Aluminum Jacketing Material Standard), Grade 3, Class A, which includes the strength and chemical composition requirements for compliance to ASTM B209 (Aluminum Alloy Standard).

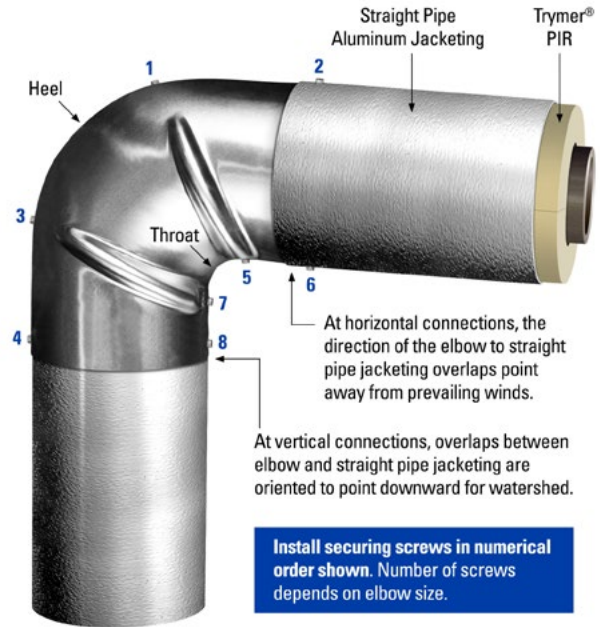
EXTERIOR COLORS

JM Multi-Fit Aluminum Elbow Covers are available via special order with a white or gray painted exterior surface to match the colors of our standard painted aluminum jacketing or other colors.

SEALING OF JOINTS

For best insulation system performance and resistance to water infiltration, JM recommends that all joints in JM Multi-Fit Aluminum Elbow Covers be sealed with an appropriate joint sealant. This should be applied between the overlapping pieces of metal in the joint and not as a caulking bead on the exterior lip of the joint.

INSTALLED JM MULTI-FIT ALUMINUM ELBOW COVER



NPS	Insulation Thickness (in)								
	1	1½	2	2½	3	3½	4	4½	5
½	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
¾	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
1	3½	4½	5½	6	7	8	9	10	11
1¼	3½	5	5½	6	7	8	9	10	11
1½	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
2	4½	5½	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
2½	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	
3	5½	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	
3½	6	7	8	9	10	11	12		
4	6	7	8	9	10	11	12		
4½	7	8	9	10	11	12			
5	7	8	9	10	11	12			
6	8	9	10	11	12				
7	9	10	11	12					
8	10	11	12						
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