



Standard Practice for Selection and Application of Piping System Materials¹

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1. Scope

1.1 This practice is intended as a guide to shipbuilders, shipowners, and design agents for use in the preparation of piping system material schedules for commercial ship design and construction.

1.2 The materials and limitations listed in Tables 1-28 meet the minimum requirements of the U.S. Coast Guard and the American Bureau of Shipping and, except for titanium, should be considered to be the minimum acceptable materials in regard to material, design, and testing. This document is not intended to limit the selection of material strictly to those listed. Other equal or superior materials may be used provided that they are acceptable to the regulatory bodies and classification societies.

NOTE 1—Titanium has been added as its use in fresh and sea water systems is becoming more common.

2. Referenced Documents

2.1 ASTM Standards:²

- A53/A53M Specification for Pipe, Steel, Black and Hot-Dipped, Zinc-Coated, Welded and Seamless
- A105/A105M Specification for Carbon Steel Forgings for Piping Applications
- A106/A106M Specification for Seamless Carbon Steel Pipe for High-Temperature Service
- A134 Specification for Pipe, Steel, Electric-Fusion (Arc)-Welded (Sizes NPS 16 and Over)
- A139/A139M Specification for Electric-Fusion (Arc)-Welded Steel Pipe (NPS 4 and Over)
- A178/A178M Specification for Electric-Resistance-Welded Carbon Steel and Carbon-Manganese Steel Boiler and Superheater Tubes
- A179/A179M Specification for Seamless Cold-Drawn Low-Carbon Steel Heat-Exchanger and Condenser Tubes
- A181/A181M Specification for Carbon Steel Forgings, for General-Purpose Piping
- A182/A182M Specification for Forged or Rolled Alloy and Stainless Steel Pipe Flanges, Forged Fittings, and Valves and Parts for High-Temperature Service
- A192/A192M Specification for Seamless Carbon Steel Boiler Tubes for High-Pressure Service
- A193/A193M Specification for Alloy-Steel and Stainless Steel Bolting for High Temperature or High Pressure Service and Other Special Purpose Applications
- A194/A194M Specification for Carbon and Alloy Steel Nuts for Bolts for High Pressure or High Temperature Service, or Both
- A213/A213M Specification for Seamless Ferritic and Austenitic Alloy-Steel Boiler, Superheater, and Heat-Exchanger Tubes
- A214/A214M Specification for Electric-Resistance-Welded Carbon Steel Heat-Exchanger and Condenser Tubes
- A216/A216M Specification for Steel Castings, Carbon, Suitable for Fusion Welding, for High-Temperature Service
- A234/A234M Specification for Piping Fittings of Wrought Carbon Steel and Alloy Steel for Moderate and High Temperature Service
- A242/A242M Specification for High-Strength Low-Alloy Structural Steel
- A249/A249M Specification for Welded Austenitic Steel Boiler, Superheater, Heat-Exchanger, and Condenser Tubes
- A283/A283M Specification for Low and Intermediate Tensile Strength Carbon Steel Plates
- A307 Specification for Carbon Steel Bolts and Studs, 60 000 PSI Tensile Strength
- A320/A320M Specification for Alloy-Steel and Stainless Steel Bolting for Low-Temperature Service
- A335/A335M Specification for Seamless Ferritic Alloy-Steel Pipe for High-Temperature Service
- A351/A351M Specification for Castings, Austenitic, for Pressure-Containing Parts
- A387/A387M Specification for Pressure Vessel Plates, Alloy Steel, Chromium-Molybdenum

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² For referenced ASTM standards, visit the ASTM website, www.astm.org, or contact ASTM Customer Service at service@astm.org. For *Annual Book of ASTM Standards* volume information, refer to the standard's Document Summary page on the ASTM website.

- A395/A395M Specification for Ferritic Ductile Iron Pressure-Retaining Castings for Use at Elevated Temperatures
A515/A515M Specification for Pressure Vessel Plates, Carbon Steel, for Intermediate- and Higher-Temperature Service
A536 Specification for Ductile Iron Castings
A563 Specification for Carbon and Alloy Steel Nuts
B61 Specification for Steam or Valve Bronze Castings
B62 Specification for Composition Bronze or Ounce Metal Castings
B88 Specification for Seamless Copper Water Tube
B265 [Specification for Titanium and Titanium Alloy Strip, Sheet, and Plate](#)
B338 [Specification for Seamless and Welded Titanium and Titanium Alloy Tubes for Condensers and Heat Exchangers](#)
B348 [Specification for Titanium and Titanium Alloy Bars and Billets](#)
B363 [Specification for Seamless and Welded Unalloyed Titanium and Titanium Alloy Welding Fittings](#)
B367 [Specification for Titanium and Titanium Alloy Castings](#)
B381 [Specification for Titanium and Titanium Alloy Forgings](#)
B466/B466M Specification for Seamless Copper-Nickel Pipe and Tube
B467 Specification for Welded Copper-Nickel Pipe
B861 [Specification for Titanium and Titanium Alloy Seamless Pipe](#)
B862 [Specification for Titanium and Titanium Alloy Welded Pipe](#)
B863 [Specification for Titanium and Titanium Alloy Wire](#)
B898 [Specification for Reactive and Refractory Metal Clad Plate](#)
D2996 Specification for Filament-Wound Fiberglass'' (Glass-Fiber-Reinforced Thermosetting-Resin) Pipe
D2997 Specification for Centrifugally Cast Fiberglass (Glass-Fiber-Reinforced Thermosetting-Resin) Pipe
D4024 Specification for Machine Made Fiberglass'' (Glass-Fiber-Reinforced Thermosetting Resin) Flanges
F467 [Specification for Nonferrous Nuts for General Use](#)
F468 [Specification for Nonferrous Bolts, Hex Cap Screws, and Studs for General Use](#)
F682 Specification for Wrought Carbon Steel Sleeve-Type Pipe Couplings
F683 Practice for Selection and Application of Thermal Insulation for Piping and Machinery
F704 Practice for Selecting Bolting Lengths for Piping System Flanged Joints
F722 Specification for Welded Joints for Shipboard Piping Systems
F1476 Specification for Performance of Gasketed Mechanical Couplings for Use in Piping Applications
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B31.1 Power Piping
B36.10 Welded and Seamless Wrought Steel Pipe
B36.19 Stainless Steel Pipe
- 2.3 *Manufacturer's Standardization Society of the Valve and Fitting Industry Standards:*⁴
- SP-43 [Wrought Stainless Steel Buttwelding Fittings](#)
SP-44 [Steel Pipeline Flanges](#)
SP-67 Butterfly Valves
SP-72 Ball Valves with Flanged or Butt-Welding Ends for General Service

³ Available from American National Standards Institute (ANSI), 25 W. 43rd St., 4th Floor, New York, NY 10036.

⁴ Available from Manufacturers Standardization Society of the Valve and Fittings Industry (MSS), 127 Park St., NE, Vienna, VA 22180-4602.

SP-80 Bronze Gate, Globe, Angle and Check Valves

~~SP-83 Carbon Steel Pipe Unions, Socket-Welding and Threaded~~ Class 300 Steel Pipe Unions Socket Welding and Threaded

~~SP-97 Integrally Reinforced Forged Branch Outlet Fittings - Socket Welding, Threaded, and Buttwelding Ends~~

SP-119 Factory Made Belled End Socket-Welding Fittings

2.4 *Other Documents:*

ASME Boiler and Pressure Vessel Code, Sections I and VIII⁵

ABS' Rules for Building and Classing Steel Vessels⁶

Title 46, Code of Federal Regulations, Parts 41 to 69⁷

NVIC 11-86; Guidelines Governing the Use of Fiberglass Pipe (FGP) on Coast Guard Inspected Vessels⁷

MIL-F-1183 Fittings, Pipe, Cast Bronze, Silver-Brazing⁷

3. General Requirements

3.1 Shipboard piping systems shall be in accordance with ANSI B31.1 except as modified by 46 CFR Part 56 of the U.S. Coast Guard regulations and Sections 36 and 44 of the ABS' Rules.

3.2 Piping systems shall be classed in accordance with 46 CFR 56.04.

3.3 Valves shall be in accordance with 46 CFR 56.20.

3.4 Valves for Class I systems shall be in accordance with 46 CFR 56.20-9(b) and if larger than 2-in. NPS shall not have socket weld ends.

3.5 Resilient seated valves shall be in accordance with 46 CFR 56.20-15.

3.6 Dimensions of ductile iron gate, globe, angle, and check valves shall be in accordance with ANSI B16.34 and shall use the adjusted pressure temperature ratings of ANSI B31.1, Appendix E.

3.7 Flanges for flanged valves and fittings and their companion flanges shall be in accordance with 46 CFR 56.25 and 56.30-10.

3.8 Bolting shall be in accordance with 46 CFR 56.25-20. Practice F704 shall be used as a guide for determining flange bolting lengths.

3.9 Socket weld joints shall be in accordance with 46 CFR 56.30-5(c) and 56.30-10(b), Method 4, and shall not exceed 3-in. NPS for Class I and II-L service.

3.10 Threaded joints shall be in accordance with 46 CFR 56.30-20 and shall not exceed 2-in. NPS for Class I systems.

3.11 Flared, flareless, and compression tube fittings shall be limited to 2-in. OD or below and shall be in accordance with 46 CFR 56.30-25.3.12

3.12 Brazed socket type joints shall be in accordance with 46 CFR 56.30-30 and 56.75.

3.13 Gasketed mechanical couplings and fittings for use with gasketed mechanical couplings shall be in accordance with 46 CFR 56.30-35.

3.14 Flexible pipe couplings of the compression or slip-on types shall be in accordance with 46 CFR 56.30-40.

3.15 For restrictions on the use of welded tube and pipe, see 46 CFR 56.60-2(b).

3.16 Ferrous pipe used for saltwater service shall be protected against corrosion in accordance with 46 CFR 56.60-3(a).

3.17 All welding of Class I and II piping shall be in accordance with 46 CFR 56.70 and Specification F722.

3.18 Thermal insulation for piping systems shall be in accordance with Practice F683.

3.19 Fiberglass reinforced thermosetting epoxy resin pipe and fittings shall be in accordance with 46 CFR 56.60-25 and U.S. Coast Guard Navigation and Vessel Inspection Circular (NVIC) 11-86.

3.20 Fiberglass pipe shall not be used outboard of skin valves.

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⁵ Available from American Society of Mechanical Engineers (ASME), ASME International Headquarters, Three Park Ave., New York, NY 10016-5990.

⁶ Available from American Bureau of Shipping (ABS), ABS Plaza, 16855 Northchase Dr., Houston, TX 77060.

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TABLE 1 Material Temperature Limitations^A

Material	Material Specifications	Temperature Limit, °F, max	
Corrosion resistant steel	ASTM A194/A194M GR ^B 8, 8C, 8T	1200	
	ASTM A194/A194M GR 8F	800	
	ASME SA312 TP ^C 316L	850	
	ASME SA312 TP 304L	800	
	ASTM A351/A351M GR CF3M	850	
Chrome-molybdenum steel	ASTM A182/A182M GR F6a, F11	1100	
	ASTM A193/A193M GR B16	1100	
	ASTM A193/A193M GR B7	1000	
	ASTM A194/A194M GR 4	900	
	ASME SA217 GR WC6	1100	
	ASTM A234/A234M GR WP11	1100	
	ASTM A335/A335M GR P11	1100	
	ASTM A387/A387M	1000	
	ASTM A53/A53M TY ^D S	800 ^E	
	ASTM A53/A53M TY E	650	
Carbon steel	ASTM A105/A105M	800 ^E	
	ASTM A106/A106M	800 ^E	
	ASTM A134 GR 285C (straight seam)	300	
	ASTM A134 GR 285C (spiral seam)	200	
	ASTM A139/A139M GR B (straight seam)	300	
	ASTM A139/A139M GR B (spiral seam)	200	
	ASTM A181/A181M	800 ^E	
	ASTM A194/A194M GR 2H	800	
	ASTM A216/A216M GR WCB	1000	
	ASTM A234/A234M GR WPB	800	
	ASTM A307	400	
	ASTM A515/A515M GR 70	800	
	ASTM A395/A395M	650	
	A536	450	
	Ductile iron	ASME SB61	550
		ASME SB62	406
	Bronze	ASME SB466 C70600	600
ASME SB467 C70600		600	
Copper nickel alloy	ASTM B88 TY K or L	400	
	ASME SB75	400	
Copper	ASTM D2996 GR 1	225	
	ASTM D2997 GR 1	225	
	ASTM D4024 GR 1	225	
Glass reinforced plastic	ASTM B367 (Castings)	600	
	ASTM B381 (Forgings)	600	
CP Titanium Grades 1, 2, 3, 4, 7, 11, 12	ASTM B861 (Seamless Pipe)	600	
	ASTM B338 (Seamless & Welded Tube)	600	
	ASTM B862 (Welded Pipe)	600	
	ASTM B265 (Strip, Sheet and Plate)	600	
	ASTM B348 (Bar and Billet)	600	

^A Maximum temperature limits per ANSI B31.1 for all material, except glass reinforced plastic, which is per NVIC 11-86 and Specification A536 which is per 46 CFR 56.

^B GR—grade.

^C TP—tubular product.

^D TY—type.

^E Upon prolonged exposure to temperatures above 775°F, the carbide phase or carbon steel may be converted to graphite.

TABLE 2 Steam, Steam Drains, Boiler Blow, Superheater Safety Valve Escape Piping

Item	Type/Style	Material	Material Specification	Design Specification	Maximum Temperature
					1100°F ^A
					Remarks/Limitations
Pipe	Seamless	CrMo ^B steel	ASTM A335/A335M GR ^C P11	ANSI B36.10	...
Takedown joints	Flanges: weld neck or socket weld	CrMo steel	ASTM A182/A182M GR F11	ANSI B16.5	...
		CrMo ^D steel	ASTM A193/A193M GR B16	ANSI B18.2.1	...
Bolting	Bolts/bolt studs	CrMo ^E steel	ASTM A194/A194M GR 4	ANSI B18.2.2	...
		CrMo steel	ASME SA217 GR WC6 or	ANSI B16.5	...
Fittings	Flanged	CrMo steel	ASTM A182/A182M GR F11	ANSI B16.9 or B16.28	...
		CrMo steel	ASTM A234/A234M GR WP11	ANSI B16.11	...
		CrMo steel	ASTM A182/A182M GR F11	ANSI B16.11	...

TABLE 2 Continued

Item	Type/Style	Material	Material Specification	Design Specification	Maximum Temperature 1100°F ^A Remarks/Limitations Trim group 1 ^F
Valves: gate, globe, angle, check	Flanged or butt weld	CrMo steel	ASME SA217 GR WC6 or ASTM A182/A182M GR F11	ANSI B16.34	
	Socket weld	CrMo steel	ASTM A182/A182M GR F6a or GR F11	ANSI B16.34	...

^A Consult applicable material and design specifications, and Table 1 where indicated, to establish pressure/temperature ratings.

^B CrMo—chromium-molybdenum.

^C GR—grade.

^D CrMoV—chromium-molybdenum-vanadium.

^E CMo—carbon-molybdenum.

^F For trim group definition, refer to Table 28.

TABLE 3 Steam, Steam Drains, Feed, Condensate Boiler Blow Sampling and Compounding, Safety Valve Escape Piping

Item	Type/Style	Material	Material Specification	Design Specification	Maximum Temperature 775°F ^A Remarks/Limitations
Pipe	Seamless or electric resistance welded	Carbon steel	ASTM A106/A106M GR ^B B or A53/A53M GR B TY S or E	ANSI B36.10	A53/A53M GR B TY ^C E Limited to a design pressure of 350 psig. See also Table 1.
Takedown joints	Flanges: weld neck, socket weld or slip-on	Carbon steel	ASTM A105/A105M	ANSI B16.5	...
Bolting	Unions: socket weld	Carbon steel	ASTM A105/A105M	MSS-SP-83	...
	Bolts/bolt studs	CrMo ^D steel	ASTM A193/A193M GR B7	ANSI B18.2.1	...
Fittings	Nuts	Carbon steel	ASTM A194/A194M GR 2H	ANSI B18.2.2	...
	Flanged	Carbon steel	ASTM A216/A216M GR WCB or A105/A105M	ANSI B16.5	...
	Butt weld	Carbon steel	ASTM A234/A234M GR WPB	ANSI B16.9 or B16.28	...
Valves: gate, globe, angle, check	Socket weld	Carbon steel	ASTM A234/A234M GR WPB or A105/A105M	ANSI B16.11	...
	Flanged or butt weld	Carbon steel	ASTM A216/A216M GR WCB or A105/A105M	ANSI B16.34	Trim group 2 ^E
	Socket weld	Carbon steel	ASTM A234/A234M GR WPB or A105/A105M	ANSI B16.34	...

^A Consult applicable material and design specifications, and Table 1 where indicated, to establish pressure/temperature ratings.

^B GR—grade.

^C TY—type.

^D CrMo—chromium-molybdenum

^E For trim group definition, refer to Table 28.

TABLE 4 Steam, Steam Drains, Feed, Condensate, Boiler Blow Sampling and Compounding, and Safety Valve Escape Piping

Item	Type	Style	Material Specification ^A	Design Specification	Maximum Temperature 406°F ^B Remarks/Limitations
Pipe	Seamless or electric resistance welded	Carbon steel	ASTM A106/A106M GR ^C B or A53/A53M GR B TY S or E	ANSI B36.10	A53/A53M GR B TY ^D E limited to a design pressure of 350 psig
Takedown joints	Flanges: weld neck, socket weld or slip-on	Carbon steel	ASTM A105/A105M	ANSI B16.5	...
Bolting	Unions: socket weld or threaded	Carbon steel	ASTM A105/A105M	MSS-SP-83	...
	Unions: threaded or brazed	Bronze	ASME SB61 or SB62	MIL-F-1183	...
Fittings	Bolts/bolt studs	Carbon steel	ASTM A307 GR B	ANSI B18.2.1	...
	Nuts	Carbon steel	ASTM A563 GR A	ANSI B18.2.2	...
Valves: gate, globe, angle, check	Flanged	Carbon steel	ASTM A216/A216M GR WCB or ASTM A234/A234M GR WPB	ANSI B16.5	...
	Butt weld	Carbon steel	ASTM A234/A234M GR WPB	ANSI B16.9 or B16.28	...
	Socket weld	Carbon steel	ASTM A234/A234M GR WPB or A105/A105M	ANSI B16.11	...
Valves: gate, globe, angle, check	Sleeve couplings	Carbon steel	ASTM A234/A234M GR WPB	ASTM F682	...
	Threaded or brazed	Bronze	ASME SB61 or SB62	MIL-F-1183	...
	Flanged	Ductile iron	ASTM A395/A395M	ANSI B16.34	Trim group 3 and 4 ^E

TABLE 4 Continued

Item	Type	Style	Material Specification ^A	Design Specification	Maximum Temperature 406°F ^B Remarks/Limitations
	Flanged or butt weld	Carbon steel	ASTM A216/A216M GR WCB or A105/A105M	ANSI B16.34	...
	Socket weld	Carbon steel	ASTM A105/A105M	ANSI B16.34	...
	Threaded or brazed	Bronze	ASME SB61 or SB62	MSS-SP-80 ^F	...

^A When combining dissimilar materials, galvanic corrosion can occur, especially in seawater systems, and should be considered.

^B Consult applicable material and design specifications, and Table 1 where indicated, to establish pressure/temperature ratings.

^C GR—grade.

^D TY—type.

^E For trim group definition, refer to Table 28.

^F MSS-SP-80 valves limited to 75 % of valve design pressure.

TABLE 5 Gas Turbine and Diesel Exhaust Piping

Item	Type/Style	Material	Material Specification	Design Specification	Maximum Temperature 1100°F ^A Remarks/Limitations
Pipe	Seamless	CrMo steel ^B	ASTM A335/A335M GR ^C P11	ANSI B36.10	...
Takedown joints	Plate formed	CrMo steel	ASTM A387/A387M	Commercial ^D	...
	Flanges: weld neck or socket weld	CrMo steel	ASTM A182/A182M GR F11	ANSI B16.5	...
Bolting	Flanges: plate	CrMo steel	ASTM A387/A387M	Commercial ^D	...
	Bolts/bolt studs	CrMoV ^E steel	ASTM A193/A193M GR B16	ANSI B18.2.1	...
	Nuts	CMo ^F steel	ASTM A194/A194M GR 4	ANSI B18.2.2	...

^A Consult applicable material and design specifications, and Table 1 where indicated, to establish pressure/temperature ratings.

^B CrMo—chromium-molybdenum.

^C GR—grade.

^D Specific Coast Guard and ABS approval for design required.

^E CrMoV—chromium-molybdenum-vanadium.

^F CMo—carbon-molybdenum.

TABLE 6 Gas Turbine and Diesel Exhaust Piping

Item	Type/Style	Material	Material Specification	Design Specification	Maximum Temperature 775°F ^A Remarks/Limitations
Pipe	Seamless or electric resistance welded	Carbon steel	ASTM A106/A106M GR ^B B or A53/A53M GR B TY S or E	ANSI B36.10	See Table 1
Takedown joints	Flanges: weld neck, socket weld or slip-on	Carbon steel	ASTM A105/A105M	ANSI B16.5	...
Bolting	Flanges: plate	Carbon steel	ASTM A515/A515M GR 70	Commercial ^C	...
	Bolts/bolt studs	CrMo ^D steel	ASTM A193/A193M GR B7	ANSI B18.2.1	...
Fittings	Nuts	Carbon steel	ASTM A194/A194M GR 2H	ANSI B18.2.2	...
	Flanged	Carbon steel	ASTM A216/A216M GR WCB or A105/A105M	ANSI B16.5	...
	Butt weld	Carbon steel	ASTM A234/A234M GR WPB	ANSI B16.9 or B16.28	...

^A Consult applicable material and design specifications, and Table 1 where indicated, to establish pressure/temperature ratings.

^B GR—grade.

^C Specific Coast Guard and ABS approval required.

^D CrMo—chromium-molybdenum.

TABLE 7 Fresh Water for Auxiliary Machinery and Engine Cooling

Item	Type/Style	Material	Material Specification ^A	Design Specification	Maximum Temperature 240°F ^B Remarks/Limitations
Pipe	Seamless or electric resistance welded	Carbon steel	ASTM A106/A106M GR ^C B or A53/A53M GR B TY ^D S or E	ANSI B36.10	...
Takedown joints		CP Titanium Grade 2	ASTM B861 / ASME SB861 ASTM B862 / ASME SB862		
	Filament wound	FGP ^E	ASTM D2996 GR 1	Commercial ^F	See Table 1 and NVIC
	Centrifugally cast	FGP ^E	ASTM D2997 GR1	Commercial ^F	11-86 ^G
	Flanges: socket weld or slip-on	Carbon steel	ASTM A105/A105M	ANSI B16.5	...
	Unions: socket weld or threaded	Carbon steel	ASTM A105/A105M	MSS-SP-83	...

TABLE 7 Continued

Item	Type/Style	Material	Material Specification ^A	Design Specification	Maximum Temperature 240°F ^B Remarks/Limitations
Bolting	Unions: threaded or brazed	Bronze	ASME SB61 or SB62	MIL-F-1183	...
	Flanges: adhesive bonded	GRP ^H	ASTM D4024 GR 1	ASTM D4024	...
	Gasketed mechanical couplings	Ductile iron	ASTM A536	ASTM F1476	...
	Flanges: Blind, Weld Neck Slip-On, Threaded Pipe Figure 8 Blanks	CP Titanium	ASTM B381/ ASME SB381	ANSI B16.5 (Dimensions only)	
	Spectacle Blinds	CP Titanium		ANSI B16.5 ASME B16.48 (Dimensions only) Pipe Fitters Bluebook (Dimensions only)	
	Bolts/bolt studs	Carbon steel CP Titanium 2, 3, 4, 7, 12	ASTM A307 GR B ASTM B348 / ASME SB348 ASTM B381 / ASME SB381	ANSI B18.2.1	...
	Nuts	CP Titanium 2, 3, 4, 7, 12	ASTM A563 GR A ASTM B348 / ASME SB348 ASTM B381 / ASME SB381	ANSI B18.2.2	...
	Washers	CP Titanium 1, 2, 3, 4, 7, 11, 12	ASTM B265 / ASME SB265		
	Bolt/Bolt Studs	CP Titanium 2, 3, 4, 7, 12	Per Request Only: ASTM F468 (Bolts)		
	Nuts	CP Titanium 2, 3, 4, 7, 12	ASTM F467 (Nuts)		
Fittings	Plain Washers and Lock Washers	CP Titanium 1, 2, 3, 4, 7, 11, 12		ASME B18.21.1 ASME B18.22.1	
	Flanged	Carbon steel	ASTM A216/A216M GR WCB or A105/A105M	ANSI B16.5	...
	Buttweld	Carbon steel	ASTM A234/A234M GR WPB	ANSI B16.9 or B16.28	...
	Socket weld or threaded	Carbon steel	ASTM A234/A234M GR WPB or A105/A105M	ANSI B16.9 or B16.28	...
	Sleeve couplings	Carbon steel	ASTM A234/A234M GR WPB	ASTM F682	...
	Threaded or brazed	Bronze	ASME SB61 or SB62	MIL-F-1183	...
	Adhesive bonded	GRP ^H	Commercial	Commercial ^F	...
	Used with gasketed mechanical couplings	Ductile iron	A536	F1548	...
	Buttweld Elbows, Tees, Caps, & Reducers	CP Titanium 1, 2, 3, 4, 7, 12	ASTM B363 / ASME SB363	ANSI B16.9 MSS SP-43 (Dimensions only)	
	Socket-Welding or Threaded Elbows, Tees, Couplings, Bushings	CP Titanium 1, 2, 3, 4, 7, 12	ASTM B381 / ASME SB381	ANSI B16.11 MSS SP-97 (Dimensions only)	
Plugs	CP Titanium	ASTM B381 / ASME SB381	ANSI B16.11 (Dimensions only) MSS SP-97		
Unions	CP Titanium	ASTM B381 / ASME SB381	MSS SP-83 (Dimensions only)		
Nipples	CP Titanium	ASTM B861 / ASME SB861 ASTM B862 / ASME SB862	MSS SP-83 (Dimensions only)		
Belled End Socket-Welding Elbows, Tees, Couplings, Reducers, Caps	CP Titanium	ASTM B363 / ASME SB363	MSS SP-119 (Dimensions only)		
Threaded, Socket-Welding, and Buttwelding Outlets	CP Titanium	ASTM B381 / ASME SB381	MSS SP-97 (Dimensions only)		
Valves	Butterfly wafer or lug type	Ductile iron	ASTM A395/A395M	MSS-SP-67	Trim group 4 ^I
	Butterfly grooved end	Ductile iron	ASTM A536	...	Trim group 4 ^I
Valves: gate, globe, angle, check	Flanged	Ductile iron	ASTM A395/A395M	ANSI B16.34	Trim group 4 ^I
	Flanged or butt weld	Carbon steel	ASTM A216/A216M GR WCB or A105/A105M	ANSI B16.34	Trim group 3 and 4 ^I
	Socket weld	Carbon steel	ASTM A105/A105M	ANSI B16.34	Trim group 3 and 4 ^I
	Threaded or brazed	Bronze	ASME SB61 or SB62	MSS-SP-80 ^J	Trim group 3 and 4 ^I
	Grooved end	Ductile iron	ASTM A536	...	Trim group 3 and 4 ^I

TABLE 7 Continued

Item	Type/Style	Material	Material Specification ^A	Design Specification	Maximum Temperature 240°F ^B Remarks/Limitations
Valves: ball	Flanged or butt weld	Carbon steel	ASTM A216/A216M GR WCB or A105/A105M or A181/A181M	MSS-SP-72	Trim group 3 and 4 ^I

^A When combining dissimilar materials, galvanic corrosion can occur especially in seawater systems, and should be considered.

^B Consult applicable material and design specifications, and Table 1 where indicated, to establish pressure/temperature ratings.

^C GR—grade.

^D TY—type.

^E FGP—fiberglass pipe.

^F Specific Coast Guard and ABS approval required.

^G For U.S. flag vessels in addition to classification society requirements.

^H GRP—glass reinforced plastic.

^I For trim group definition, refer to Table 28.

^J MSS-SP-80 valves limited to 75 % of valve design pressure.

TABLE 8 Fresh Water, Hot and Cold Domestic, Air Conditioning, Sanitary

Item	Type/Style	Material	Material Specification ^A	Design Specification	Maximum Temperature 240°F ^B Remarks/Limitations
Pipe	Seamless	Copper	ASTM B88 TY ^C K or L	ASTM B88	Hard drawn. Must be annealed for pressures greater than 225 psig. See Table 1 and NVIC 11-86 ^G
	Filament wound	FGP ^D	ASTM D2996 GR ^E 1	Commercial ^F	
	Centrifugally cast	FGP ^D	ASTM D2997 GR 1	Commercial ^F	
Takedown joints	Seamless or electric Resistance welded	CP Titanium Grade 2	ASTM B861 / ASME SB861 ASTM B862 / ASME SB862		
	Flanges: silbrazed	Bronze	ASME SB862	ANSI B16.24	...
	Unions: brazed or threaded	Bronze	ASME SB861 or SB862	MIL-F-1183	...
	Flanges: adhesive bonded	GRP ^H	ASTM D4024 GR 1	ASTM D4024	...
	Gasketed mechanical couplings	Ductile iron ^I	ASTM A536	ASTM F1476	...
	Flanges: Blind, Weld Neck Slip-On, Threaded Pipe Figure 8 Blanks	CP Titanium	ASTM B381 / ASME SB381	ANSI B16.5 (Dimensions only)	
	Spectacle Blinds	CP Titanium		ANSI B16.5 ASME B16.48 (Dimensions only) Pipe Fitters Bluebook (Dimensions only)	
Bolting	Bolts/bolt studs	Carbon steel	ASTM A307 GR B	ANSI B18.2.1	...
	Nuts	Carbon steel	ASTM A563 GR A	ANSI B18.2.2	...
	Bolts/Bolt Studs	CP Titanium 2, 3, 4, 7, 12	ASTM B348 / ASME SB348 ASTM B381 / ASME SB381		
	Nuts	CP Titanium 2, 3, 4, 7, 12	ASTM B348 / ASME SB348 ASTM B381 / ASME SB381		
	Washers	CP Titanium 1, 2, 3, 4, 7, 11, 12	ASTM B265 / ASME SB265		
	Bolts/Bolt Studs	CP Titanium 2, 3, 4, 7, 12	Per Request only: ASTM F468 (Bolts)		
	Nuts	CP Titanium 2, 3, 4, 7, 12	ASTM F467 (Nuts)		
Fittings	Plain Washers & Lock Washers	CP Titanium 1, 2, 3, 4, 7, 12		ASME B18.21.1 ASME B18.22.1	
	Silbrazed	Copper	ASME SB88 TY K or L	ANSI B16.22	...
	Adhesive bonded	GRP ^H	Commercial	Commercial ^F	...
	Used with gasketed mechanical couplings	Bronze	ASTM B61 or B62	ASTM F1476	...
	Butt weld Elbows, Tees, Caps, & Reducers	CP Titanium 1, 2, 3, 4, 7, 12	ASTM B363 / ASME SB363	ANSI B16.9 MSS SP-43 (Dimensions only)	
	Socket-Welding or Threaded Elbows, Tees	CP Titanium 1, 2, 3, 4, 7, 12	ASTM B381 / ASME SB381	ANSI B16.11 MSS SP-97	
	Couplings, Bushings (Dimensions only)				

TABLE 8 Continued

Item	Type/Style	Material	Material Specification ^A	Design Specification	Maximum Temperature 240°F ^B Remarks/Limitations
	Plugs	CP Titanium	ASTM B381 / ASME SB381	ANSI B16.11 MSS SP-97 (Dimensions only)	
	Unions	CP Titanium	ASTM B381 / ASME SB381	MSS SP-83 (Dimensions only)	
	Nipples	CP Titanium	ASTM B861 / ASME SB861 ASTM B862 / ASME SB862	MSS SP-83 (Dimensions only)	
	Belled End Socket-Welding Elbows, Tees, Couplings, Reducers, Caps	CP Titanium	ASTM B363 / ASME SB363	MSS SP-119 (Dimensions only)	
	Threaded, Socket-Welding, and Buttwelding Outlets	CP Titanium	ASTM B381 / ASME SB381	MSS SP-97 (Dimensions only)	
Valves	Butterfly wafer or lug	Ductile iron	ASTM A395/A395M	MSS-SP-67	Trim group 4 ^J
	Butterfly grooved end	Bronze	ASTM B61 or B62	...	Trim group 4 ^J
Valves: gate, globe, angle, check	Flanged or brazed	Bronze	ASME SB61 or SB62	MSS-SP-80 ^K	Trim group 4 ^J
Valves: ball	Flanged	Bronze	ASME SB61 or SB62	MSS-SP-72	Trim group 4 ^J

^A When combining dissimilar materials galvanic corrosion can occur, especially in seawater systems, and should be considered.

^B Consult applicable material and design specifications, and Table 1 where indicated, to establish pressure/temperature ratings.

^C TY—type.

^D FGP—fiberglass pipe.

^E GR—grade.

^F Specific Coast Guard and ABS approval required.

^G For U.S. flag vessels in addition to classification society requirements.

^H GRP—glass reinforced plastic.

^I Acceptable when gasket isolates coupling housings from fluid.

^J For trim group definition, refer to Table 28.

^K MSS-SP-80 valves limited to 75 % of valve design pressure.

TABLE 9 Sea Water Circulating, Wet Firemain, and Distilling Plant Piping

Item	Type/Style	Material	Material Specification ^A	Design Specification	Maximum Temperature 150°F ^B Remarks/Limitations
Pipe	Seamless or welded	CNA ^C 90:10	ASME SB466 or SB467	ASME SB466 or SB467	
	Filament wound	FGP ^D	ASTM D2996 GR ^E 1	Commercial ^F	See NVIC 11-86 ^G
	Centrifugally cast	FGP ^D	ASTM D2997 GR 1	Commercial ^F	See NVIC 11-86 ^G
	Seamless or electric	CP Titanium	ASTM B861 / ASME SB861		
	Resistance welded	Grade 2	ASTM B862 / ASME SB862		
Takedown joints	Flanges: brazed	Bronze	ASME SB62	ANSI B16.24	...
	Unions: brazed	Bronze	ASME SB61 or SB62	MIL-F-1183	...
	Flanges: adhesive bonded	GRP ^H	ASTM D4024 GR 1	ASTM D4024	...
	Gasketed mechanical couplings	Ductile iron ^I	ASTM A536	ASTM F1476	...
	Flanges: Blind, Weld Neck Slip-On, Threaded Pipe	CP Titanium	ASTM B381 / ASME SB381	ANSI B16.5 (Dimensions only)	
	Figure 8 Blanks	CP Titanium		ANSI B16.5 ASME B16.48 (Dimensions only)	
	Spectacle Blinds	CP Titanium		Pipe Fitters Bluebook (Dimensions only)	
Bolting	Bolts/bolt studs	Carbon steel	ASTM A307 GR B	ANSI B18.2.1	...
	Nuts	Carbon steel	ASTM A563 GR A	ANSI B18.2.2	...
	Bolts/Bolt Studs	CP Titanium	ASTM B348 / ASME SB348		
	Nuts	CP Titanium	ASTM B381 / ASME SB381		
	Washers	CP Titanium	ASTM B348 / ASME SB348		
		CP Titanium	ASTM B381 / ASME SB381		
		CP Titanium	ASTM B265 / ASME SB265		
			Per Request only: ASTM F468 (Bolts)		
	Bolts/Bolt Studs	CP Titanium	ASTM F467 (Nuts)		
	Nuts	CP Titanium			
	Plain Washers & Lock Washers	CP Titanium		ASME B18.21.1 ASME B18.22.1	