

THREE PRODUCTS TO SAVE YOU TIME AND MONEY FOR A SAFER AND EASIER 2019!



HYMAX® 2 (2"-12")

The next generation HYMAX with its no-tear flip gasket easily accommodates different pipe materials and diameters for more efficient installations.



HYMAX2 enables a faster and more efficient installation with the next generation Flip gasket that can be flipped in and out to accommodate different pipe ODs. Only 2-4 bolts to tighten for couplings up to 60”.



Eliminates costly gasket removal mistakes since there is no need to tear out gasket layers to accommodate larger pipe ODs. Dynamic deflection reduces risk of damage and cracking due to ground shifts and temperature changes.



Top-facing 2-bolts mean no under-digging to tighten bolts, and less time in the ditch.



T-handle makes it easy to carry and adjust on the pipe.



HYMAX GRIP® Cut-in Sleeve – COMING SOON!

The first transition coupling that can connect to a mechanical joint while restraining the connecting plain pipe with a HYMAX GRIP connection.



With only one bolt to tighten, the HYMAX GRIP Cut-in Sleeve can replace two products without installing thrust blocks or rodding.



Avoid buying multiple repair products for repairs involving MJ connections and save on reduced labor costs.



Fast installation means less time in the ditch, a key factor to increase worker safety.



The radial closing mechanism holds pipes tightly in place during installation to offer full control over the gap between pipes. With only one bolt to tighten the GRIP connection, installations are simple and uncomplicated.



HYMAX GRIP® SwivelJoint (4"-12")

Connects and restrains two pipes at any angle from 0° to 90°, providing an efficient solution for field situations involving irregular angles between pipes.



Perform the functions of multiple products that would be needed otherwise, saving on installation time.



Save by using the HYMAX GRIP Swiveljoint instead of multiple repair products to do the same job while minimizing labor costs.



Faster installations means less time in the ditch and a safer job for installers.



The solution for every irregular pipe angle - don't get caught unprepared!

Monthly Tip: At night, move carefully and deliberately on the Work Site

By Doug Riseden, HYMAX Technical Support Manager

Many times, workers will want to get the job done quickly and skip some steps. This is understandable but it's important to remind them to slow down, and work more cautiously than they usually do during the day. Even if they are very familiar with performing certain repairs, dark areas and shadows can hinder their perception of risk.

Planning and communication become crucial during night time operations. Before the job starts, supervisors should have a brief meeting to ensure all team members understand what will take place at the work site, what their role is, and where they will be located throughout the night. Plan your work and work your plan!



Make sure everything is done with a focus on safety. This includes wearing reflective clothing in accordance with the law, and using a trench box or shoring to ensure that the trench doesn't collapse while workers are inside. There are many who never use a trench box because it gets in the way of some repairs. At night, the use of trench boxes and shoring is even more critical. Make trench boxes a normal part of every excavation, and never put speed ahead of safety.

EMPLOYEE PROFILE: DOUG RISEDEN



HYMAX Technical Support Manager Doug Riseden has worked in the public utility field for over 25 years. His extensive experience with water and wastewater repairs and operations includes working for municipalities and private contractors, and providing water services to the NATO-led security mission in Afghanistan as part of Operation Enduring Freedom. In his spare time, Doug likes to pier fish in Emerald Isle, North Carolina, plugging for Blues and Spanish Mackerel. He also enjoys shooting various caliber firearms at his local gun range.

UPCOMING EVENTS

3rd Annual Water/Wastewater Product Symposium

February 5-6

Myrtle Beach, SC

Golf Industry Show

February 6-7, 2019

San Diego, CA

Colorado RWA Annual Conference & Exhibition

February 11-14, 2019

Denver, CO

Pacific Water Conference - AWWA Hawaiian Section

February 20-22, 2019

Honolulu, HI

RWA of Utah Annual Conference

February 25 - March 1, 2019

St. George, UT

Kansas RWA Conference

March 26-28, 2019

Wichita, KS