

Store undercover, and in dry conditions. Store flat. Handle with care, especially on the edges and corners, which can be damaged if subject to sharp impact. Do not apply excessive pressure, for example by standing or sitting on the product, as permanent damage may be caused.

SNAP ON PIPE INSTALLATION METHODOLOGY

Tools






Specialised tools



1. Make all necessary cuts and / or grooves for valves, suspensions, fittings etc before fitting the pipe section or removing the protective paper from the self-adhesive overlap.
2. Fit the Snap On Pipe Insulation around the pipe.



3. Remove the protective paper from the self adhesive overlap, taking care not to touch the adhesive surface.
4. Lightly press the adhesive surface of the overlap down at intervals along the length of the section, making corrections as necessary. Firmly press along the joint using a good quality spatula or similar.

 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 5. Fix lacing wire or steel bands around the pipe section at pipe supports, hangers, valves etc. 6. Ensure all joints are well butted together.
 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 7. Cover all butt joints and secure all longitudinal overlaps with self-adhesive aluminium foil tape. 8. Where the pipe meets a surface, over tape the insulation edges and return to the pipe surface. 9. Tape the insulation to all supports where the insulation meets the pipe supports.
	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 10. All joints in the vapour barrier should be sealed, either by bonding the overlaps with adhesive or with matching self-adhesive aluminium foil tape.

Large diameter pipes:

Pipe sections with an inner diameter of 89mm or larger are more likely to move. Secure the sections with lacing wire or metal bands using at least 2 bands per section.