

Installation Instructions **IMPORTANT NOTICE - READ CAREFULLY** Lead Mac-Pak Compression Connects (-66, -67, -68)



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- 1. Be sure to start with a square end. Surface should be clean.
- 2. Stab tube or pipe through the nut and into the socket of the valve or fitting until it bottoms out (some fittings may or may not have a stop).
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1/2" size20 ftlbs.	5/8" size	1 1/2" size
1" size40 ftlbs.	1 1/4" size45 ftIbs.	
2" size55 ftIbs.	3/4" size35 ftlbs.	

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1/2" size70-80 inlbs.	5/8" size75-85 inlbs.	1 1/2" size160-180 inIbs.
1" size90-100 inlbs.	1 1/4" size120-140 inIbs.	
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CAUTIONS

- 1. Protect threads. Avoid loose fitting wrenches. Do not drop or impact.
- 2. Use extra care with high water pressures (over 100 PSIG) and pipe or tubing over 1". Consult factory if desired.
- Inspect and test all joints, valves and fittings before backfilling.
- 4. Backfill carefully so as to avoid damage to the service line and connections. Looping of the service lines is recommended to minimize strain.
- 5. DO NOT use Vaseline®, plumber's grease, or any other petroleum based product on seals or o-rings

A.Y. McDonald Mac-Pak Coding System

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- S..... Strong lead pipe - XS Extra strong lead pipe

- XXS Double extra strong lead pipe

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