

# Aerotech CP Evaporative Cooling System with Center Tank

EC1609 & EC1640

## USER'S MANUAL and INSTALLATION GUIDE

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## THANK YOU

Thank you for purchasing an Aerotech, A Munters Company Evaporative Cooling System. Aerotech equipment is designed to be the highest performing, highest quality equipment you can buy. With the proper installation and maintenance it will provide many years of service.

## **PLEASE NOTE**

To achieve maximum performance and insure long life from your Evaporative Cooling System it is essential that it be <u>installed and maintained properly</u>. Please read all instructions carefully before beginning installation.

## **TOOLS REQUIRED FOR INSTALLATION**

Caulk Gun
5/16" Socket or Nut Driver
3/8" Socket or Nut Driver
9/16" Socket or Nut Driver
7/16" Wrench

Hand Saw Clean Rags Sharp Utility Knife Tape Measure Hack Saw 1<sup>3</sup>/<sub>8</sub>" dia. hole saw Electric or Cordless Drill Phillips Screwdriver

#### **UNPACKING COOLING SYSTEM**

Aerotech Evaporative Cooling Systems come in lengths from 5'L.to 80'L., sold in multiples of 5'L. and 10'L. modular sections. The ending kits, pumps, tank kits and plumbing kits will be packaged separately.

A CP10, CP20, CP30....CP70 and CP80 will arrive as multiples of 10'L. packages for the cooling frame and Ending Kit.

Example: CP60 Cooling System 6 - CN10, 10'L. Cooling Frame 1 - EC4110, Ending Kit

1 - Sealant box

A CP5, CP15, CP25....CP65 and CP75 will arrive as multiples of 10'L. packages and one 5'L. package and Ending Kit.

Example: CP65 Cooling System
6 - CN10, 10'L. Cooling Frame
1 - CN05, 5'L. Cooling Frame
1 - EC4110, Ending Kit

1 - Sealant box

If optional add on kits are ordered one or more extra box(s) marked CN02 or CN04 will be included.

Before beginning installation, check the overall condition of the equipment. Remove packing materials, and examine all components for signs of shipping damage. Any shipping damage is the customer's responsibility and should be reported immediately to the freight carrier.

## **Each CP System includes:**

8" Pipe, PVC Drip Collector, PVC Distribution Cap, PVC Pad Retainer, PVC 11/2" Pipe with holes, PVC

11/2" Slip Cap, PVC

2 - End Panels, left / right, Plastic

Pipe Support Brackets - supplied for 4' O.C. (see Chart A)

1 - Hardware Package

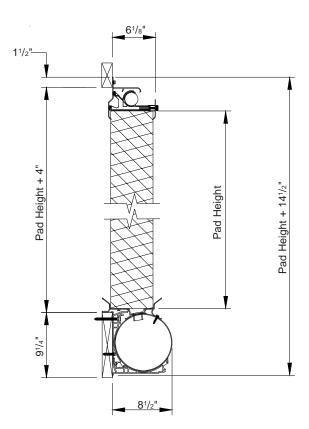
2 - Flush Out Kit (EC1507), purchased separately

NOTE: Tank Kits must be purchased with each 'CP' Cooling

System.

Submersible pumps 15" Tank: EC1609

Black Poly Tank: EC1640

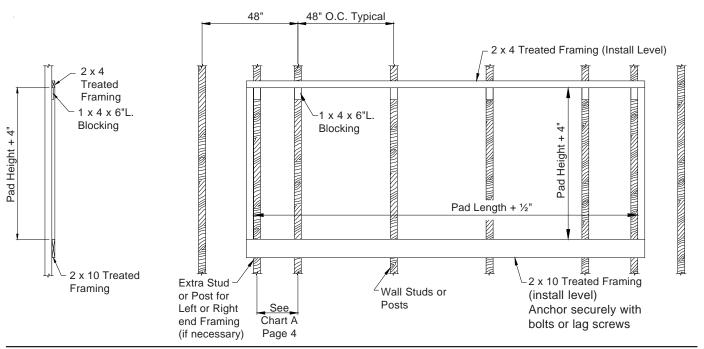


## INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS

Construct a wall opening according to your cooling system size, with studs 2' O.C. or post 4' O.C. (max 5' O.C.). See Figure 1. (For example a CP36 with EC1115 would have an opening of 36' 1/2" L. x 64" H.).

Catalog No.	Pad Height	Wall Opening Height
EC1101	24"H	28"H
EC1102	36"H	40"H
EC1103	48"H	52"H
EC1115	60"H	64"H
EC1104	72"H	76"H

Figure 1



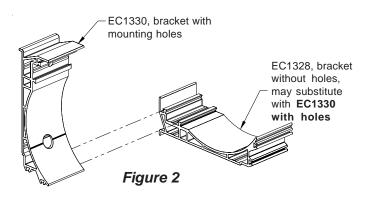
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- Some brackets are in the ending kit and some in the cooling kit. Find 2 halves of the pipe bracket, EC1330 and EC1328, and slide them together.
   See Figure 2.
- 3) For proper pipe support bracket spacing refer to *Chart A, Figures 3A and 3B.*

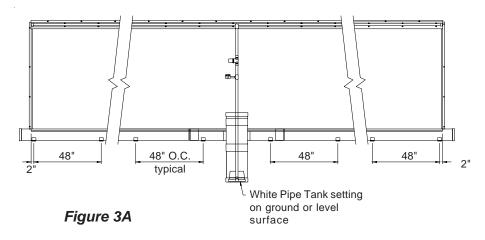
## Chart A

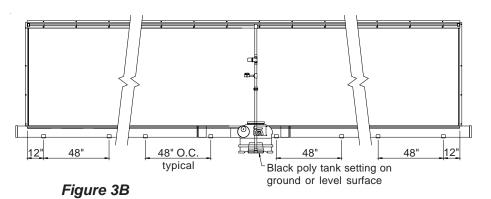
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Length of	No of	Placement
Cooling	Brackets	of
System	Needed	Brackets*
4'	2	2"
5'	2	12"
6'	2	12"
8'	3	2"
10'	3	12"
12'	4	2"
14'	4	12"
15'	5	2"
16'	5	2"
18'	5	12"
20'	6	2"
22'	6	12"
24'	7	2"
25'	7	12"
26'	7	12"
28'	8	2"
30'	8	12"
32'	9	2"
34'	9	12"
35'	10	2"
36'	10	2"
38'	10	12"
40'	11	2"
42'	11	12"
44'	12	2"
45'	12	12"
46'	12	12"
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50'	13	12"
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58'	15	12"
60'	16	2"
62'	16	12"
64'	17	2"
65'	17	12"
66'	17	12"
68'	18	2"
70'	18	12"
72'	19	2"
74'	19	12"
75'	20	2"
76'	20	2"
78'	20	12"
80'	21	2"
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## **IMPORTANT!**

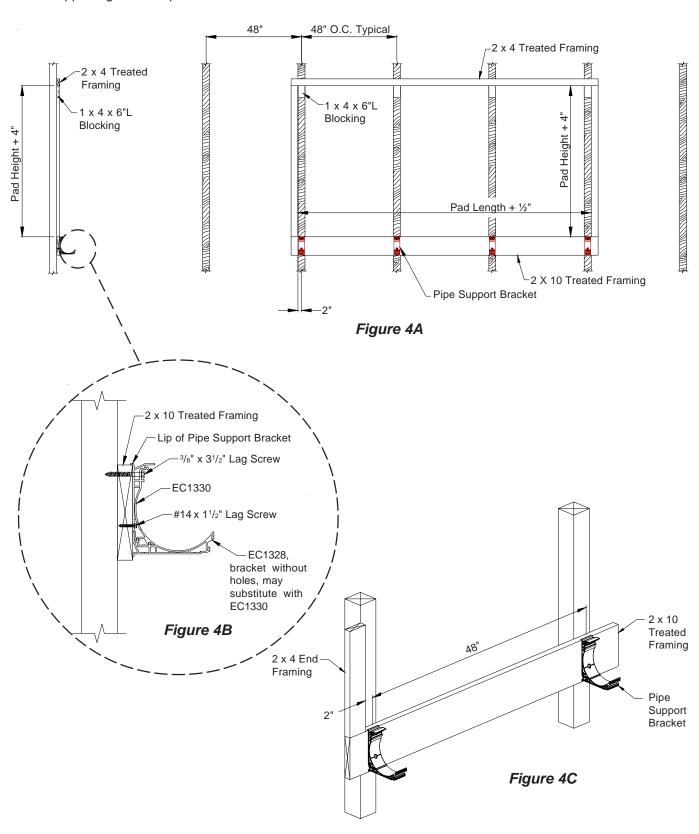
The tee and cap must be setting evenly on the ground or supported securely on a level surface.



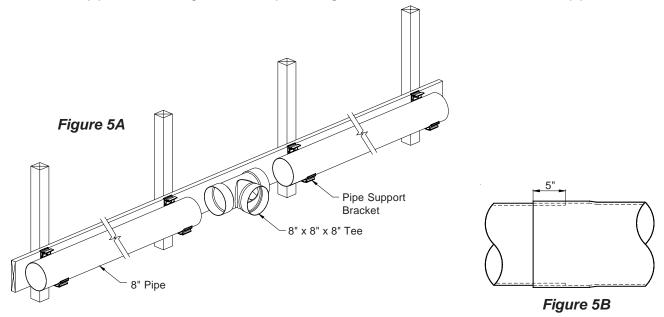


<sup>\*</sup>Placement inches from each end

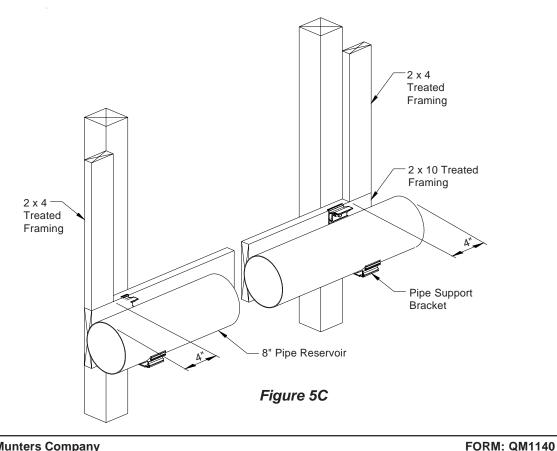
4) At the bottom framing fasten the pipe support bracket to the 2 x 10 at each post (stud) according to the proper spacing on *Chart A*. Make sure the lip of the pipe support bracket hangs on the top of the 2 x 10. The top hole of the pipe support bracket should be secured with a <sup>3</sup>/<sub>8</sub>" x 3<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>" Lag screw (provided). Pre-drill framing for <sup>3</sup>/<sub>8</sub>" Lag screws using <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>" drill bit. The bottom hole should be fastened with a #14 x 1<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>" Lag screw (provided). *See Figure 4A, 4B and 4C*. If framing does not match Figure 4A, framing must be capable of supporting 300 lbs. per bracket.



- 5) Find the center of the cooling system and lay the 8" x 8" x 8" tee on the ground between 2 pipe support brackets. Place 2 full sections of 8" pipe in pipe support brackets, one on each side of the 8" tee. **See Figure 5A.**Prepare the pipe with PVC Pipe Primer, following directions of use and drying. After priming, use heavy duty, heavy bodied PVC cement for pipe 8" diameter or larger, in accordance to the PVC cement directions.
- 6) Apply a generous amount of PVC cement to the inside of the belled end of tee, and the outside of the male end of the pipe, and slide together, 5" deep. **See Figure 5B.** Continue for all sections of 8" pipe.



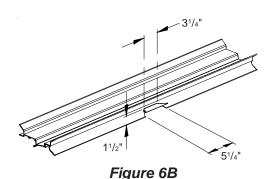
7) On each end of the cooling system extend the 8" pipe 4" past the edge of the framed opening. **See** *Figure 5C.* If needed use the pipe cut off from one end to extend the other end far enough.

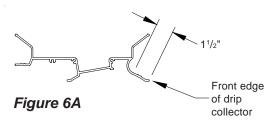


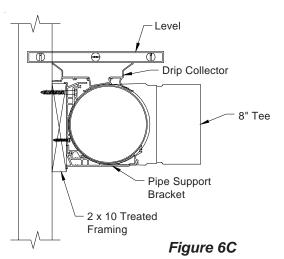
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- 8) Starting with a 12'L. drip collector find the center of it and make 2 cuts in the front edge as shown in *Figure 6A & 6B*. Set this drip collector on the 8" pipe with the notch over the 8" tee. Place a level across the drip collector flanges and level drip collector front to back. Also be sure to keep 8" tee level. *See Figure 6C*.
- 9) Carefully lift end of drip collector off 8" pipe. Prime and PVC cement a 3" wide area on 8" pipe, at both ends of collector. Replace drip collector on the 8" pipe, keeping it level. Fasten each end of collector to 8" pipe using (1) #10 x 1<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>" TEK screw located 4" from each end. **See Figure 6D and 6E.**







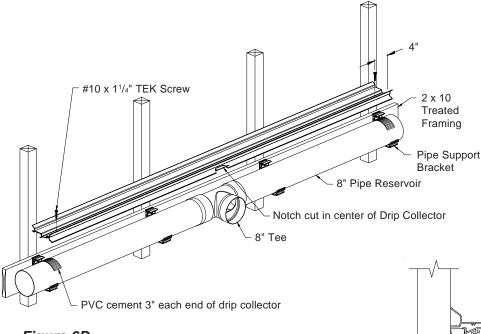


Figure 6D

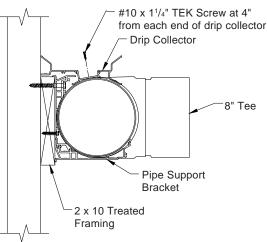
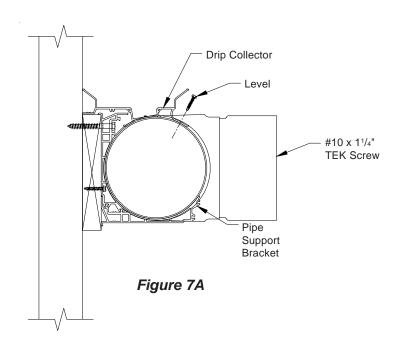
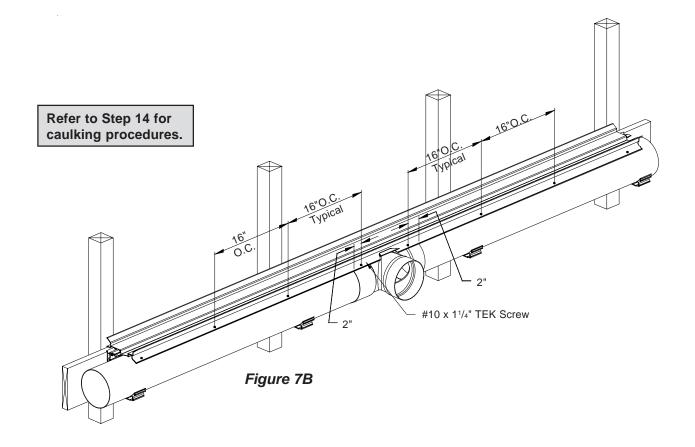


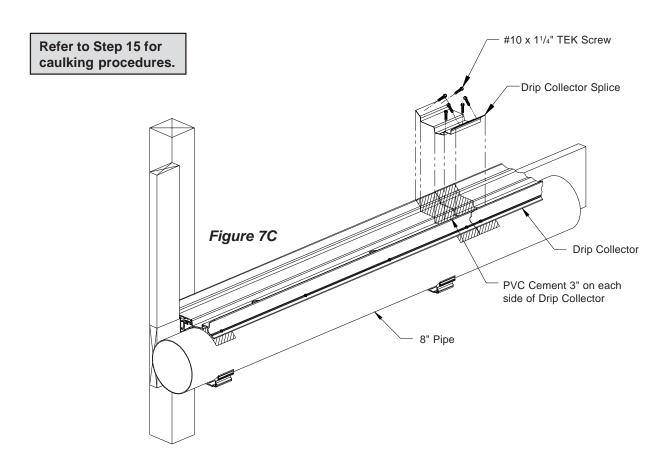
Figure 6E

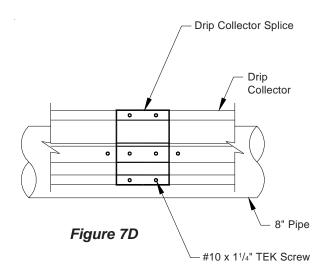
10a) Starting 2" from each end of the 8" tee, keeping drip collector level, fasten front edge of drip collector to 8" pipe using #10 x 1¹/₄" TEK screw (provided). Continue fastening drip collector to 8" pipe using #10 x 1¹/₄" TEK screws at 16"O.C., use the V-groove as a guide. See Figures 7A and 7B.



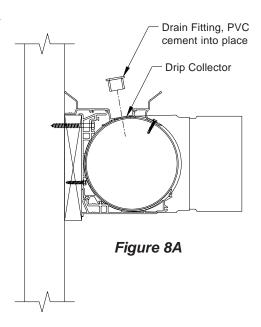


- 10b) Continue placing drip collectors down length of pipe by leveling, priming, cementing and fastening drip collectors to 8" pipe. Be sure to push drip collectors tight together. **See Figure 7C.** Leave an <sup>1</sup>/<sub>8</sub>" gap between edge of framed opening and drip collector on each end.
- 10c) Prime and PVC cement drip collector 3" on each side of joint. Center splice over joint in drip collector and fasten in place using (6) #10 x 1<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>" TEK screws. Locate (2) in bottom of splice and (2) on each flange. **See Figures 7C and 7D.**



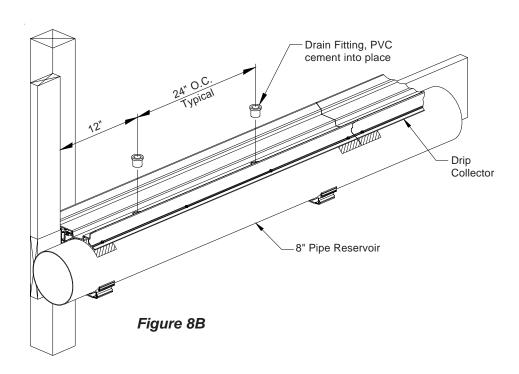


11) Starting 12" from left end of drip collector, use a 13/8" dia. hole saw and drill a hole through the drip collector and 8" pipe every 24"O.C. Make sure not to leave plugs from drilling hole in the pipe. PVC cement drain fitting, into hole. **See Figures 8A and 8B.** 





drip collector.



## For Black Poly Tank proceed to Step 12a. For White Pipe Tank proceed to Step 13a.

## Black Poly Tank:

12a) Prepare the black poly tank for attachment to the 8" pipe by removing the flat interior surface of the 8" pipe area, cut the flat end leaving a minimum of 1/4" lip around the edge, **See Figure 9A. DO NOT CUT** the outer surface of the 8" pipe area, cutting the round surface will weaken the tank structure. **See Figure 9A.** 

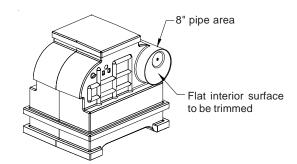
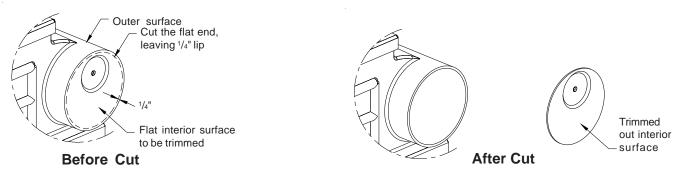


Figure 9A



12b) Slide the rubber bellow connector over the 8" pipe and the other end over the black poly tank. Be sure the drip collector remains on top of the 8" pipe. Secure in place with hose clamps positioned in the grooves of the rubber bellow connector. Install the 8" rubber cap on the 8" pipe end opposite the tank. **See Figures 9B** 

through 9D.

NOTE: In some installations it may be necessary to bury or elevate the black poly tank for proper alignments with the 8" pipe; in either case the ground or other support must be capable of supporting 300 lbs. If using the optional 'EC1630, Cooling Tank Drain Kit-below grade' install at this time following the instructions provided with the kit.

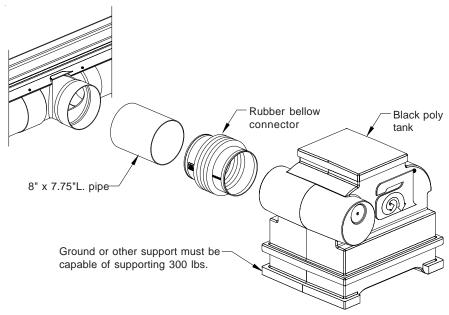
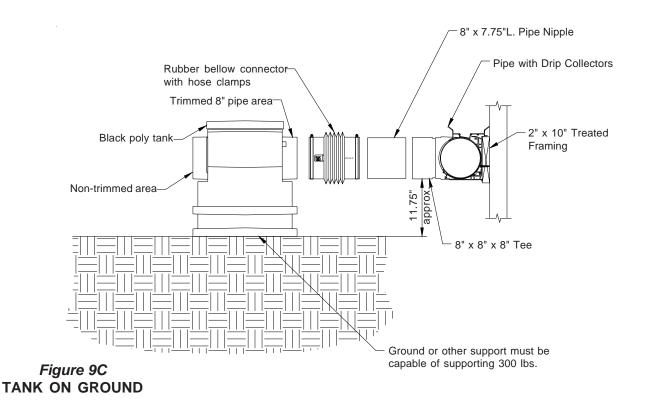
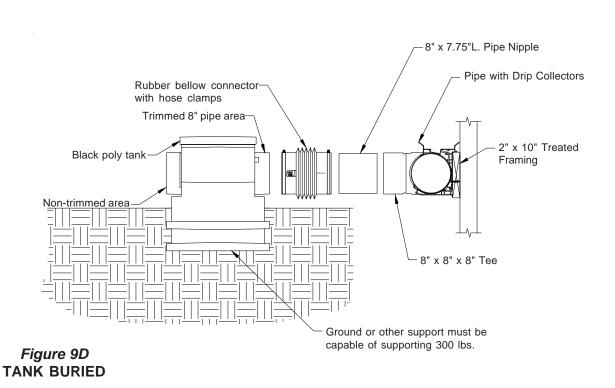


Figure 9B

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## White Pipe Tank:

13a) Prepare the tee, pipe nipples and pipe cap in accordance to PVC primer and cement directions and assemble the (2) pipe nipples, tee and pipe cap. **See Figure 10A.** For completed assembly, **See Figure 10B.** 

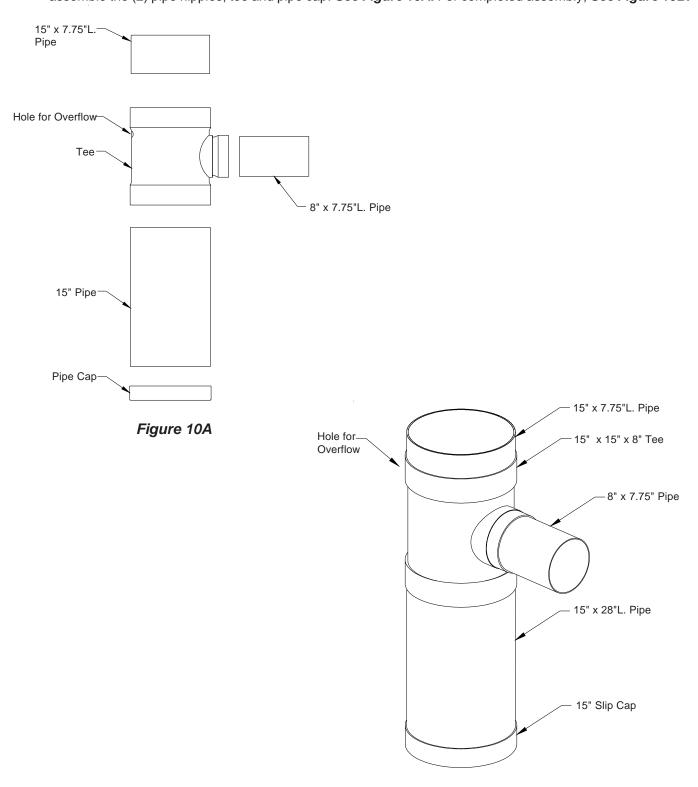
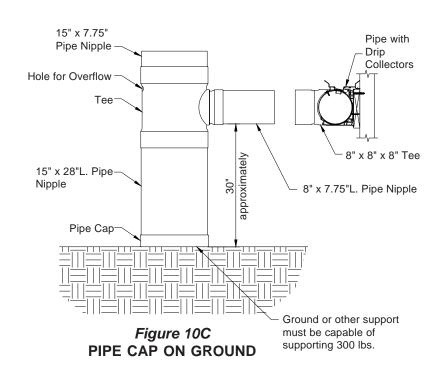
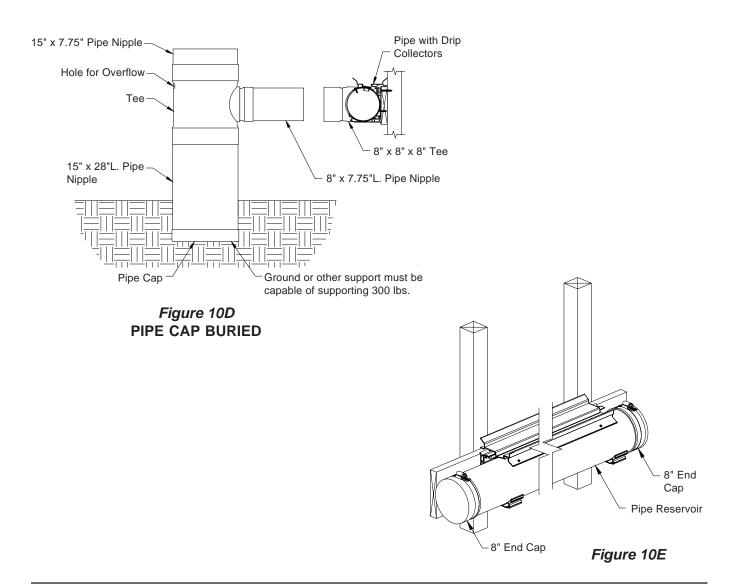


Figure 10B EC1609, 15" TANK KIT (COMPLETED)

13b) Once the PVC cement has dried use primer and cement and assemble the tee fully onto pipe. Be sure the drip collectors remain on top and the tee is straight up and down. When tee is completely installed the 28" pipe nipple with cap may be buried so that when together it rests on the ground or another support. See Figures 10C and 10D. Install 8" cap on each end of cooling system. See Figure 10E.



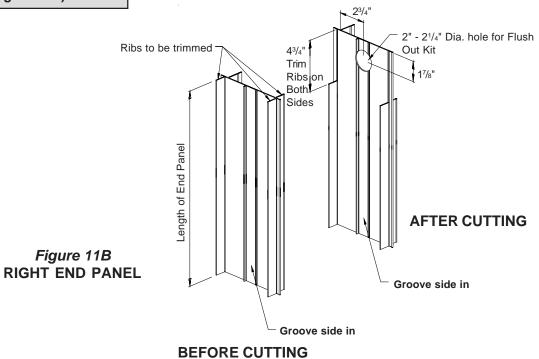


14a) Determine the height of your cooling system and cut the end panels down to the correct length according to *Chart B*. Trim the end panels as indicated below. If 2 EC1507 Flush-Out Kits are purchased, then drill a 2" - 21/4" dia. hole in each end panel also. *See Figure 11A and 11B*.

Pad Height	Length of End Panel		2 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub> "
24"H	271/4"		
36"H	391/4"	Ribs to be trimmed	4 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub> ", Trim Ribs on Both Sides
48"H	51 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub> "	<i>f</i> \\	On Both Sides
60"H	631/4"		
72"H	75 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub> "		1
Ch	art B Figure LEFT END		Smooth side out
			AFTER CUTTING
			Smooth side out

**BEFORE CUTTING** 

NOTE: Smooth side of end panel is the outside of system (Figure 11A). Grooved side of end panel is facing the pad (Figure 11B).



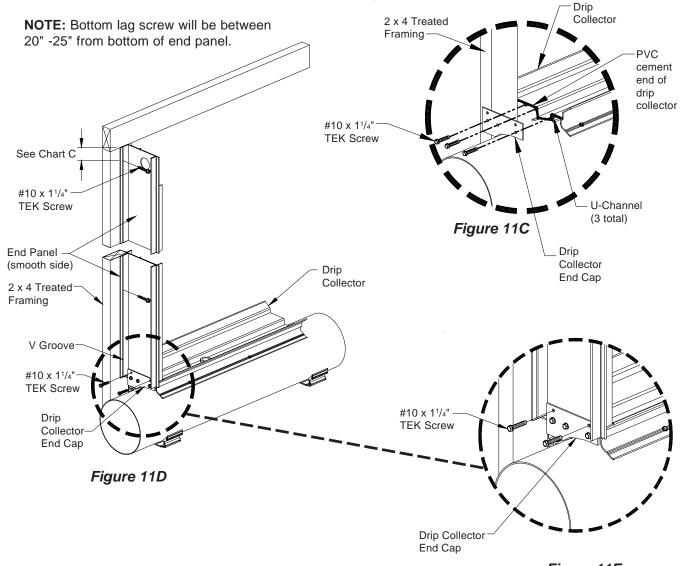
- 14b) Apply PVC cement to left end of drip collector. On left side of system line up the 3 holes in the drip collector end cap to the 'U' Channels in the drip collector, fasten using (3) #10 x 1<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>" TEK screws (provided). **See Figure 11C.**
- 14c) Slide left end panel into framing and into drip collector on left end. End panel should fit snug, make sure ribs sit down tight into the drip collector. Fasten the last 2 screws into the drip collector end cap using (2) #10 x 1<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>" TEK screws. **See Figure 11E.**
- 14d) Hold the end panel tightly against the framing and attach end panel to framing using #10 x 1<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>" TEK screws (provided), **See Figure 11D. See Chart C** for spacing and number of Lag screws provided.

Pad Height	No. of Screws	Spacing	Spacing top to first screw
24"H	1	24"O.C.	2"
36"H	2	18"O.C.	2"
48"H	2	24"O.C.	2"
60"H	3	20"O.C.	2"
72"H	3	24"O.C.	2"

## **▲** WARNING

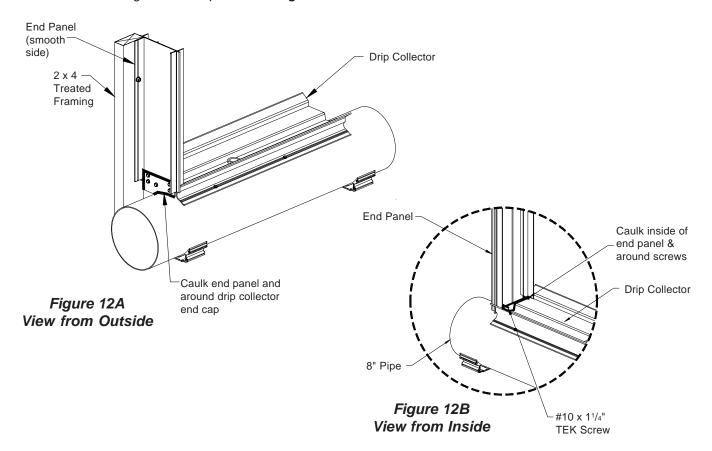
PVC cement must be completely dried before filling system with water. Failure to do so may result in pipe and tee sections coming apart.

#### Chart C

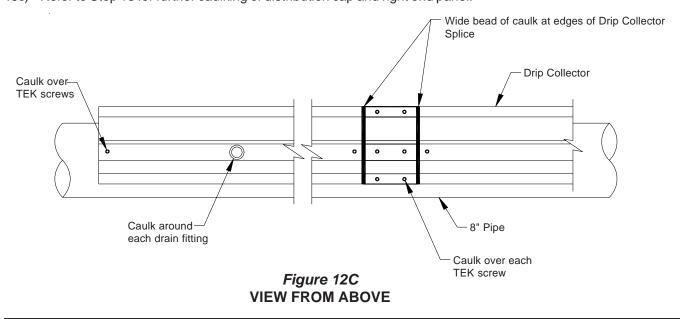


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15a) Using caulk provided, start at left end and caulk inside and outside of end panel and drip collector end cap where they meet drip collector and 8" pipe. Also caulk the screw head in bottom of drip collector and screws coming in thru end panel. **See Figure 12A & 12B.** 

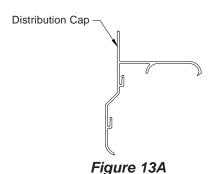


- 15b) Working down the length of the cooling, apply a wide bead of caulk at each edge of drip collector splices. Be sure to form caulk around all surfaces and over TEK screws. Caulk over TEK screws should be at least 3/4" diameter in size. Apply a bead of caulk around each drain fitting in drip collector. **See** *Figure 12C.*
- 15c) Refer to Step 18 for further caulking of distribution cap and right end panel.



16) Attach distribution cap to left end of framed opening using #14 x 1½" Lag screws and bushings. **DO NOT** tighten Lag screw against distribution cap. Distribution cap should be able to slide back and forth along slot to

allow for contraction and expansion. Be sure to hold distribution cap tight against framing and that the Lag screws go in square so as not to tip cap upward. **See Figures 13B and 13C.** Repeat Step 16, leaving a 1/4" gap between sections, until you have installed all distribution caps. **See Figure 13A.** 



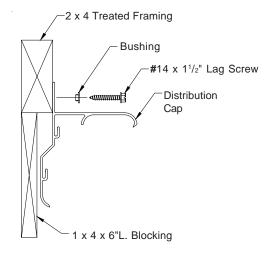
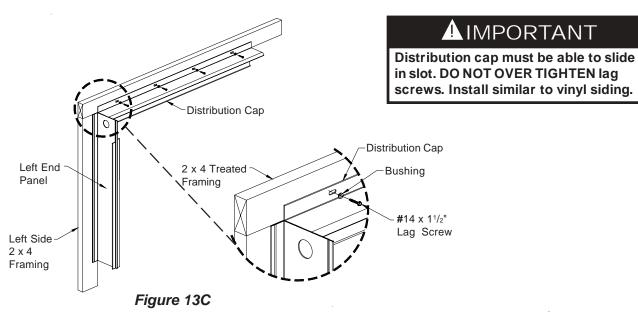
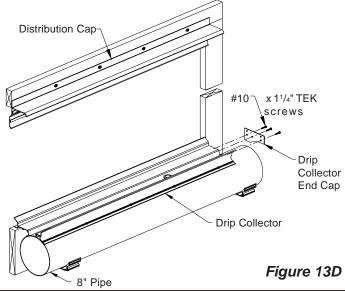


Figure 13B



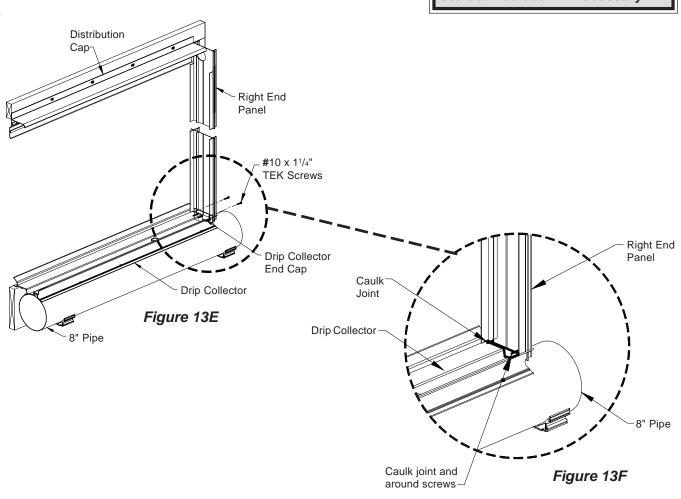
17a) On right side of system apply PVC cement to end of drip collector and line up the 3 holes in the drip collector end cap to the 'U' Channels in the drip collector, fasten using (3) #10 x 1<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>" TEK screws (provided). **See Figure 13D.** 



- 17b) Slide right end panel into framing and into drip collector on right end. End panel should fit snug, make sure ribs sit down tight into the drip collector. Fasten the last 2 screws into the drip collector end cap using (2) 10 x 1<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>" TEK screws. **See Figure 13E.**
- 17c) Hold the end panel tightly against the framing and attach end panel to framing using #10 x 1<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>" TEK screws (provided), **See Figure 13E. See Chart C, page 14** for spacing and number of Lag screws provided.
- 18) Apply a bead of caulk around inside and outside of end panel and drip collector end cap where the end panel meets the drip collector and 8" pipe. **See Figure 13E and 13F.** Also caulk the screw head in bottom of drip collector and screws coming in thru end panel.

## **IMPORTANT!**

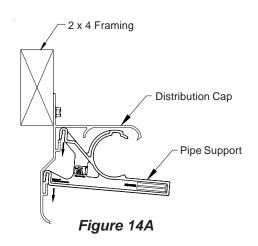
Recheck all caulk joints, before proceeding, to insure everything is sealed. Add caulk if necessary.



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- 18) Pipe support snaps onto distribution cap, start 12" from end and space every 24". **See Figure 14A.** Five (5) supports per 10' section of distribution cap. Pipe supports can be slid back and forth for proper alignment.
- 20) Find the 1¹/2" Slip Tee, it will be mounted directly above the 8" x 8" x 8" Tee (centered), then working each way from the 1¹/2" Tee, slide pipe supports in distribution cap, to align. **See Figure 14A & 14B.** The section of pipe with the slip cap will go on one end of the system and the slip cap found in the EC1609 Tank Kit will go on the other end. For systems longer than 12', connect sections of pipe together keeping holes aligned. **See Figure 14B.** Position pipe on pipe supports. Rotate pipe so that holes are straight upward (12 o'clock). **See Figure 14C.**
- 21) Make sure caulk is dry and begin putting cooling pad in place, taking care to position pieces tight together. If your pad has Directional Arrows, position arrows to point upward and to the inside of the building. **See Figure 15.** Continue this pattern, stopping at the next to the last piece of pad.



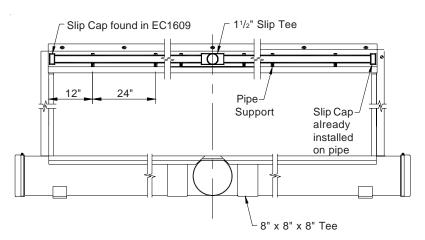
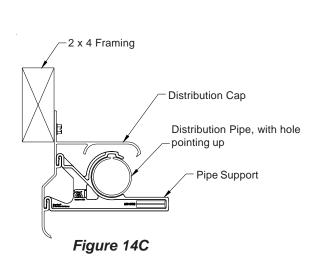
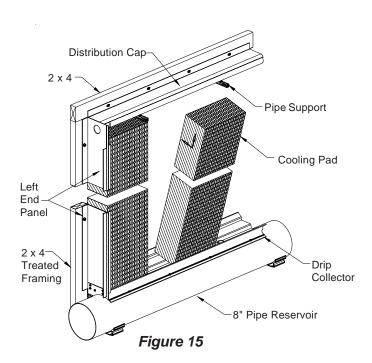


Figure 14B





- 22) Slide the next to the last piece of pad into the end panel. Measure the opening that is left for the last piece of pad at the top and bottom of the opening. If the opening is smaller than the width of the last piece of pad, then using a hand saw, trim the last piece of cooling pad to fit the opening. Put the last piece in place. **See Figure 16.**
- 23) Slide 10"L. pipe nipple into the 11/2" Tee in the distribution pipe. Make sure that the holes in the distribution pipe are pointing straight up.
- 24) Slide pad retainer onto pipe supports and fasten in place with bolt and thumb knob. See Figure 17A. Slide pipe supports for alignment with pad retainer. Over tightening the pad retainer bolts will cause the pad retainer to tilt inward.

NOTE: pad retainer will need to be notched, so it can be installed under supply pipe near center of system, See Figures 17B & C.

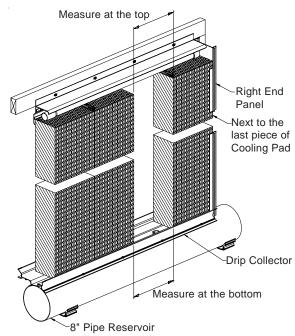


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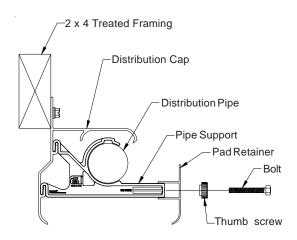


Figure 17A

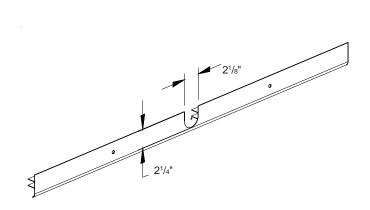
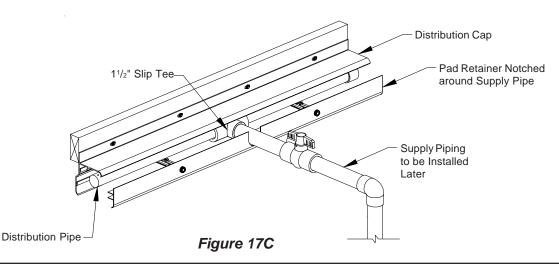
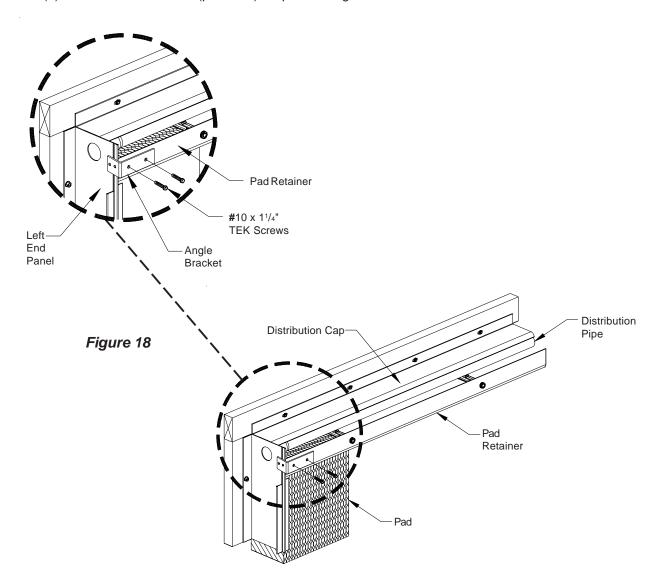


Figure 17B



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FORM: QM1140 Rev. 2, July 2006 Page 21 of 36 25) Holding the left end panel tight to distribution cap, place the long side of the Angle Bracket on the pad retainer and the short side over end panel. **See Figure 18.** Attach the angle bracket to the pad retainer using (2) #10 x 1<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>" TEK screws (provided). Repeat for Right End Panel.



26) Installation of cooling frame is now complete. Installation should resemble that of *Figure 19A and 19B*. Proceed to next section for plumbing instructions.

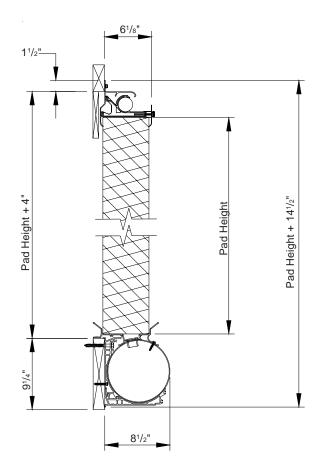


Figure 19A SIDE VIEW COMPLETED ASSEMBLY

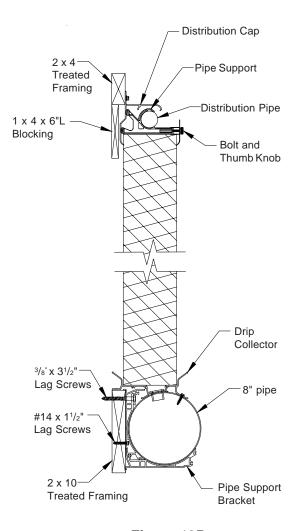
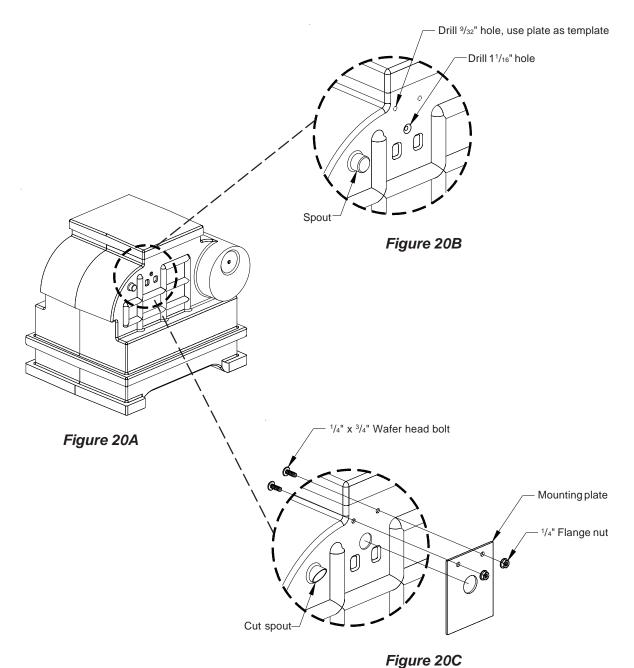


Figure 19B
SIDE VIEW
COMPLETED ASSEMBLY

## PLUMBING - Black Poly Tank proceed to Step 1. White Pipe Tank proceed to Step 8.

## Black Poly Tank:

- 1) Cut overflow spout at an angle as shown in Figure 20A and 20C.
- 2) Using mounting plate as a template, drill two (2) 9/32" diameter holes and attach mounting plate to tank using 1/4" x 3/4" wafer head bolts and flange nuts. **See Figure 20B and 20C.**
- 3) Drill a 11/16" hole for float valve through the hole in the mounting plate. See Figure 20C.



- 4) Remove wing nut and bolt from float assembly and use it to attach the float assembly to the valve assembly. **See Figure 20D.**
- 5) Attach the float valve assembly to the tank using washer, nut and garden hose adapter. **See Figure 20E.** The ball of the float valve may need some adjustment to attain proper water level in tank. Proper water level should be approximately 2" below the top of the 8" pipe or level wit the opening in the overflow spout.

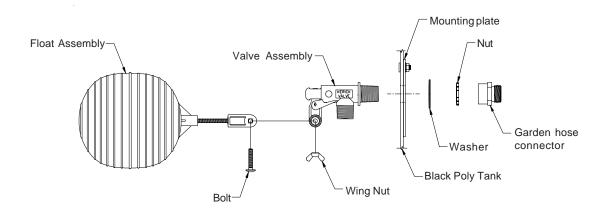
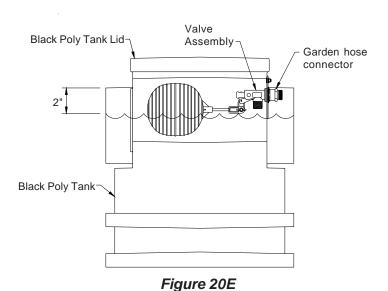
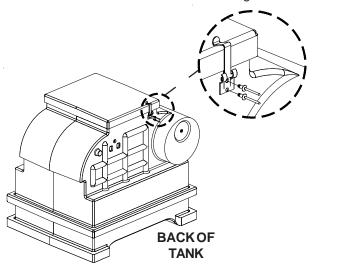


Figure 20D



6) Drill (4) <sup>3</sup>/<sub>16</sub>" holes to install snap fasteners using the supplied pop rivets at locations shown in *Figure 20F*. Place the lid on the tank before drilling holes. Use the snap fastener for hole patterns.



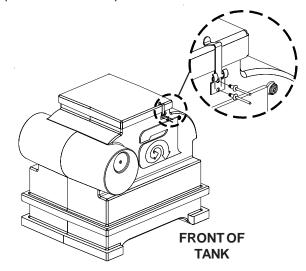
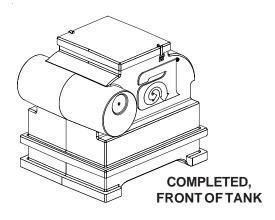
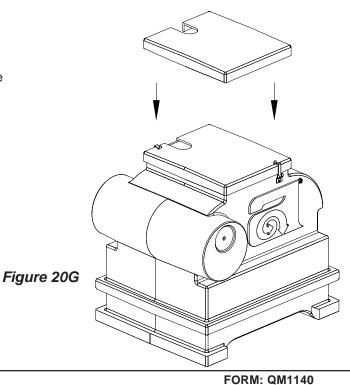


Figure 20F



7) Cut tank lid to fit around the 11/2" water supply line connected to the pump. Make the cut to match the location of the pump. **See Figure 20G.** 



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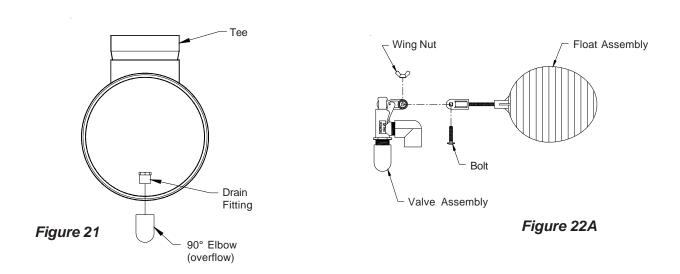
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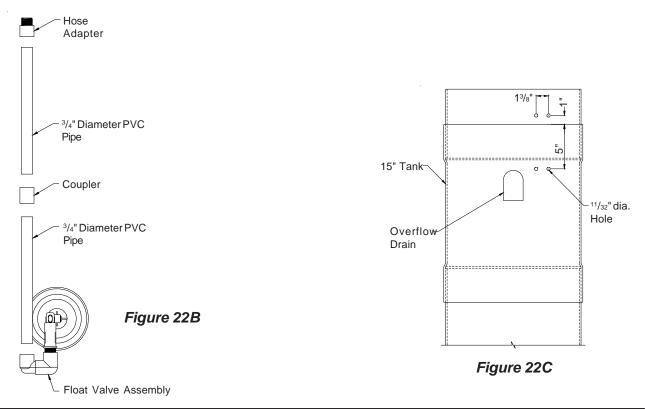
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#### White Pipe Tank Plumbing:

- 8) PVC glue the drain fitting and slide into hole in tee from inside-out. Prime and PVC cement drain fitting and 90° Elbow (overflow) and slide elbow over drain fitting, elbow should turn down. **See Figure 21.**
- 9) Remove wing nut and bolt from float assembly and use it to attach the float assembly to the valve assembly. **See Figure 22A.**



- 10) Prepare the float valve assembly, pipe, coupler and hose adapter in accordance to PVC primer and cement directions and assemble the float valve assembly, pipe, coupler and hose adapter. **See Figure 22B.**
- 11) On the cooling system tank kit drill (4) 11/32" dia. holes as shown in *Figure 22C*. The holes should be located on the side of the tank kit that is away from the building, and so that the float assembly can swing freely and is not obstructed by anything.



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- 5) Slide the float valve assembly into the tank kit tee approximately 18<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>" for the 15" tank. Fasten in place using (2) U-bolts and (4) nylon wing nuts. **See Figures 22D & 22E.** 
  - Position of float valve is approximate, some adjustment may be required to attain proper water level in tank. Proper water level should be approximately 2" below the top of the 8" pipe.
- 6) Installation complete. If a higher water level is needed, loosen wing nuts and raise float assembly and retighten wing nuts. If lower level is needed, lower assembly. **See Figure 22E** for completed assembly.

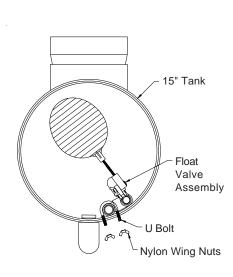


Figure 22D

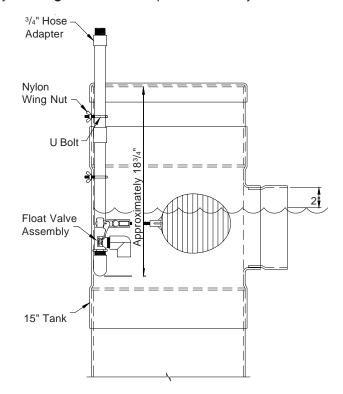


Figure 22E
COMPLETED ASSEMBLY

## FLUSH OUT KIT (2 -EC1507) purchased separately

1) If Flush Out Kit (EC1507) was purchased, refer to page 13, Step 13a for instructions on drilling hole in end panels. Remove the TEK screw and pipe cap from the ends of distribution pipe. Assemble Flush Out Kit piping as shown in *Figure 23*. Installation of the 90° elbow and (1) 1½" x 10" pipe is optional, depending on the desired direction for water flow.

# NOTE: with the EC1609 Center Tee Kit, 2 Flush Out Kits are required.

2) Replace pad retainer and tighten bolts.

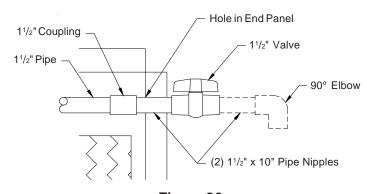
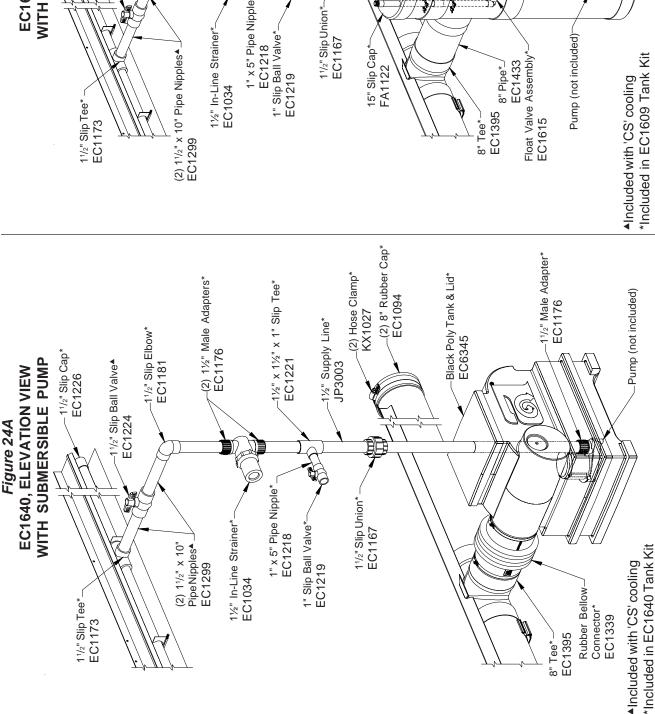


Figure 23



(2) 8" Rubber Cap\* EC1094 (2) Hose Clamp\* KX1027 (2) 1½" Male Adapters\* EC1176 1½" x 1½" x 1" Slip Tee\* EC1217 & EC1148 90° Overflow Elbow\* 11/2" Male Adapter\* 15" x 7.75"L. Pipe\* -15" x 28"L. Pipe\* EC1421 WITH SUBMERSIBLE PUMP -15" Slip Cap\* FA1122 11/2" Supply Line\* EC1609, ELEVATION VIEW 1/2" Slip Elbow\* EC1176 EC1422 EC1481 - 11/2" Slip Cap\* EC1226 15" Tee\* EC1221 -11/2" Slip Ball Valve▲ EC1224 EC1181 JP3003 1" x 5" Pipe Nipple\* \*Included in EC1609 Tank Kit

Figure 24B

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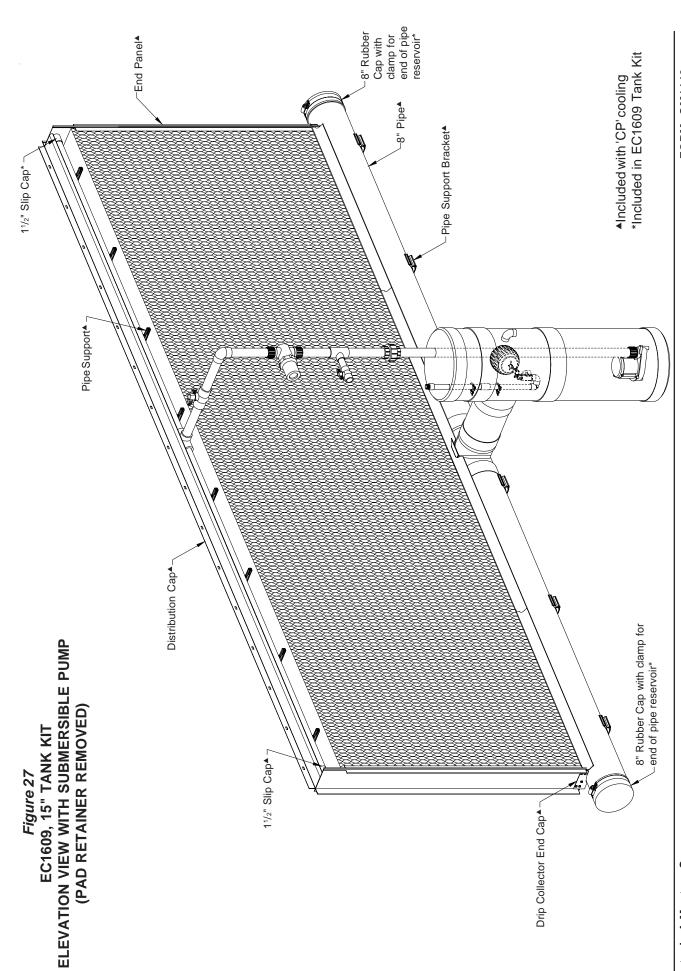
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## SYSTEM START-UP

- 1) Prime pump with water.
- 2) Turn on the electrical power and fresh water supplies.
- 3) Activate the pump by setting the cooling thermostat below room temperature.
- 4) Open the flow control valve at each cooling panel enough to completely saturate the pad material.
- 5) Adjust the bleed-off valve to discharge water from the cooling system at a rate of 1 gallon per hour per lineal foot of cooling system. For example: The bleed-off rate for a CP40 system (40'L.) would be 40 gallons per hour. NOTE: <u>DO NOT</u> route the bleed-off back into the tank.

## SYSTEM OPERATION AND ADJUSTMENT

- Set the cooling setpoint on the temperature controller as shown on your Aerotech, A Munters Company ventilation system drawing. If this is not available contact your Aerotech field representative for proper settings.
- 2) Adjust the flow control valve at each cooling panel to give the pad material a "shiny wet" surface. Pad material performs best when as much water as possible is used, but the flow should not be so great that water falls from the material.
- 3) If the pad material remains dry on one side (with fans running), even at full water flow, adjust the distribution pipe so that the distribution holes are pointing straight upward.
- 4) If water drips from the cooling panel's upper edge, the pad material may be loose in its frame. Correct this by tightening the thumb knobs on the front cover to press it more firmly against the pad material.
- 5) Water bleed-off is necessary to limit mineral deposits and other contaminants on the pad material by assuring the continuous addition of fresh water. The rate of, **1 gallon per hour per lineal foot** of cooling system, should be considered only as a starting point in determining the required amount of bleed-off. Due to differences in water hardness, a trial and error process must be used to determine the correct rate for your location.

After the cooling system has operated for a week or two, the sump water may become discolored or a light mineral coating may develop on the face of the pad material. If this occurs, increase the bleed-off rate slightly and observe the tendency of the coating to increase or stabilize. If after an extended period of time the mineral deposits become more visible, again increase the bleed-off rate.

Through this trial and error process a bleed-off rate will eventually be established at which the formation of new deposits will cease. Slightly increase the rate from this point to compensate for fluctuations in water hardness. The cooling system should now equalize and no more deposits should form.

## **MAINTENANCE**

To maintain your cooling system in top condition, the recommendations given in *Chart D* should be treated as minimums. More frequent maintenance may be required at initial system start-up, in certain climates, and in areas with hard water conditions.

## Chart D MINIMUM MAINTENANCE SCHEDULE

	<u> </u>		
Maintenance Operation	Weekly	SCHEDULE: Monthly	Yearly
Clean the foot valve or the pump filter screen		Х	
Flush in-line strainer	Χ		
Check for dry streaks on pad material	Χ		
Clean debris from face of pad material	Χ		
Clean cooling control and sensor		X	
Clean cooling panel distribution pipe holes		Χ	
Clean cooling panel collection trough			Χ
Drain and clean sump tank		Χ	
Clean/check float valve		Χ	

## MAINTENANCE CHECKLIST



Do not allow fire, sparks, welding or smoking near dry pads.



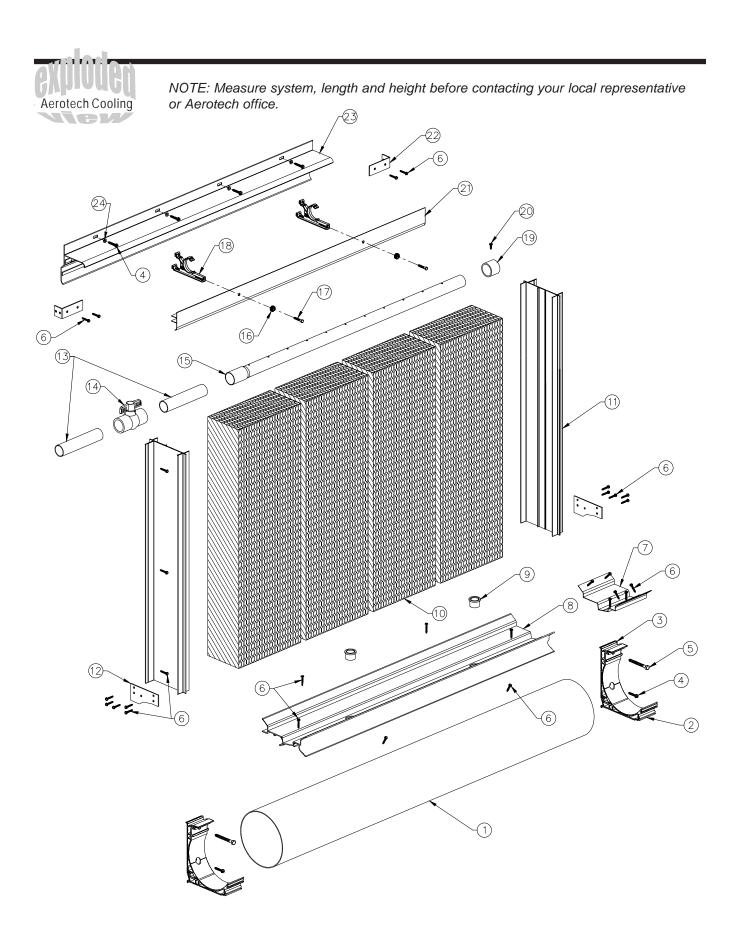
sump or sump water.

Follow the guide lines below to prevent early pad failure and to get the maximum life from your pads.

- 1. Reduce the number of on-off cycles. **Do Not** use 10 minute cycle timers on pumps.
- 2. Shade the pads and sump to minimize algae growth.
- 3. Dry the pads out completely each night to kill algae. A 24 hour timer may be installed to shut pumps off at 10 pm and not allow them to come on until after 9 am.
- 4. Bleed off some water continuously to prevent concentration of minerals and dissolved chemicals in sump. Start with 1 gallon per hour for each linear foot of cooling system and adjust as necessary.
- 5. Drain and disinfect the water distribution system every three months to minimize algae, fungus and mineral build-up.
- 6. Run the recommended quantity of water over the pads. The pump must provide 3/4 gallon/minute for each linear foot of cooling system for 6" thick pad. For 4" pad, provide 1/2 gallon/minute for each linear foot of cooling system.
- 7. Periodically check for leaks in water distribution system.
- 8. Avoid harmful contaminants such as dust, fumes, fertilizers, harsh cleaners and water treatment chemicals.
- 9. Complete the items on the Maintenance Schedule as required.

**WARNING:** DO NOT add unapproved chemicals or commercial water treatments to the sump or supply water. If the above recommendations are followed and problems on the pad are observed such as algae growth, mineral deposits or softening of the pad material, contact Aerotech, A Munters Company for further recommendations.

WARRANTY: See Aerotech, A Munters Company Limited Warranty Statement







Ref. No.	Cat. No.	Description	Qty.
1	JP3018	8" Dia. Air Pipe (PIP 50) White PVC	varies/foot
2	EC1328	Pipe Support Bracket, without holes, Alum.	varies/foot
3	EC1330	Pipe Support Bracket, with holes, Alum.	varies/foot
4	KS2105	Lag Screw, #14 x 11/2", Stainless Steel	varies
5	KS2462	Lag Screw, 3/8" x 31/2", Zinc Plated	varies
6	KS2257	TEK Screw, #10 x 11/4" Hex Washer, Stainless Steel	varies
7	EC1340	Drip Collector Splice, 6"W., White Plastic	varies
8	EC1290	Drip Collector, 2'L., White Plastic	varies
	EC1291	Drip Collector, 4'L., White Plastic	vaires
	EC1296	Drip Collector, 5'L., White Plastic	varies
	EC1294	Drip Collector, 10'L., White Plastic	varies
9	EC1148	Drain Fitting, 1" x 3/4", Schedule 40, Gray Plastic	varies
10	EC1103*	Pad Material (see Price Sheet PCSA or PCSP)	varies
11	EC1046	End Panel, 75.25"H., White Plastic	2
12	EC1310	Drip Collector End Cap, White Plastic	2
13	EC1299	Pipe Nipple 11/2" x 10"L. Schedule SDR21, White PVC	2
14	EC1224	Ball Valve, 11/2" Slip, Schedule 40, White PVC	1
15	EC1298	Distribution Pipe, 11/2" Dia. with 1/8" Dia. holes, 3" O.C.	varies
16	KX1140	Thumb Knob, Black Plastic	varies
17	KS1006	Bolt, 1/4" x 2", Stainless Steel	varies
18	EC1028	Pipe Support, Black Plastic	varies
19	EC1226	Slip Cap, 11/2" Schedule 40 White PVC	1
20	KS2252	TEK Screw, #10 x 3/4", Stainless Steel	1
21	EC1571	Pad Retainer, Open Style, 2' L., White Plastic	varies/foot
	EC1565	Pad Retainer, Open Style, 4' L., White Plastic	varies/foot
	EC1570	Pad Retainer, Open Style, 5' L., White Plastic	varies/foot
	EC1568	Pad Retainer, Open Style, 10' L., White Plastic	varies/foot
22	EC1202	Angle Bracket, 11/2" x 4" x 11/2", Alum.	2
23	EC1578	Distribution Cap, 2' L., White Plastic	varies/foot
	EC1572	Distribution Cap, 4' L., White Plastic	varies/foot
	EC1579	Distribution Cap, 5' L., White Plastic	varies/foot
	EC1576	Distribution Cap, 10' L., White Plastic	varies/foot
24	KX1120	Bushing 5/16" I.D. x 1/2" O.D, 3/16"L, White Plastic	varies