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Join the Press Revolution

Air Conditioning and Refrigeration



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Benefiting from over 110 years' experience in fittings manufacture and over two decades experience in press system design, >B< MaxiPro is revolutionising pipe jointing in air conditioning and refrigeration applications.

>B< MaxiPro is a robust press system, which is quick and simple to use providing a secure and permanent joint. Compared with traditional techniques it significantly improves productivity through greatly reduced installation time and enhanced working flexibility.

>B< MaxiPro can be used with hard, half hard or annealed copper tube conforming to EN 12735-1*, EN 12735-2* or ASTM-B280*, in both air conditioning and refrigeration applications.



>B< MaxiPro is compatible with the following refrigerants:

R-1234yf**, R-1234ze**, R-125, R-134a, R-290**, R-32**, R-404A, R-407A, R-407C, R-407F, R-407H, R-410A, R-417A, R-421A, R-422B, R-422D, R-427A, R-438A, R-444A**, R-447A**, R-447B**, R-448A, R-449A, R-450A, R-452A, R-452B**, R-452C, R-454A**, R-454B**, R-454C**, R-457A**, R-459A**, R-507A, R-513A, R-513B, R-600A**, R-718 and HYCOOL 20.



* For full details on copper tube compatibility please refer to www.conexbanninger.com/bmaxipro

** When using refrigerants classified A2L (lower flammability), A2 (flammable) and A3 (higher flammability) additional/specific standards, local rules and regulations, codes of practice and by-laws may be applicable.

Note: >B< MaxiPro fittings are NOT suitable for R-717, R-723, R-764, R-744 refrigerants.

Features and benefits:

Flame-free: Flame-free installation avoids the need for a hot work permit and the risk of fire on site.

No nitrogen purge: >B< MaxiPro is a mechanical joint, thus eliminating the need for nitrogen purge during the jointing process.

Lower installed cost: A professional fitting which is quick and simple to install, saving time and money.

Higher productivity, improved flexibility: Work may be completed during working hours / public access, by a single employee.

Site access: Easy access to work sites, no gas bottles required.

Quality designed in: Reliable, repeatable, permanent, tamper-proof connections every time.

3-point press: Three press points, one each side of the bead, and one press compressing the O-ring. This provides a permanent and secure joint.

High quality O-ring: A high quality HNBR O-ring forms a secure leak-free joint when pressed.

Protected O-ring: Lead-in edge design aids tube insertion and helps protect the O-ring from damage or displacement.

Fitting identification: Fittings are marked >B< MaxiPro and identified with a pink mark indicating their suitability for high pressure air conditioning and refrigeration applications.

Electrical continuity: Maintains earth continuity without the need for additional earth continuity straps.

Certification: >B< MaxiPro is UL listed, refrigerant fitting SA44668. >B< MaxiPro is UL listed, approved use for field and factory installations.

Field proven: Press-fit technology, field proven over 20 years and millions of installed fittings worldwide.

Guarantee: When professionally installed by a trained and certified >B< MaxiPro installer, >B< MaxiPro is covered by a five year extended guarantee. For full terms and conditions go to www.conexbanninger.com/bmaxipro

Support: Backed by Conex Bänninger's experienced technical support and customer services teams.

Compact tooling: Light compact tooling provides easy access to tightly spaced tube runs.

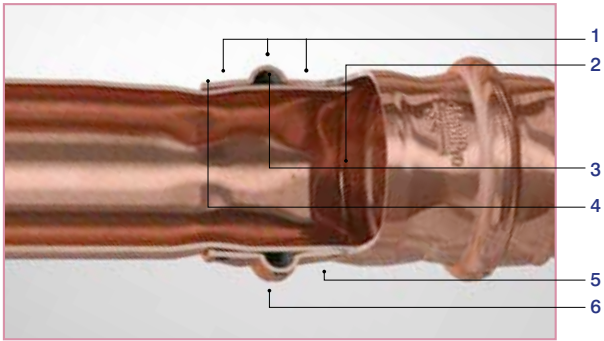
Tooling concept: We recommend using tried and tested ROTHENBERGER tools and jaws.



>B< MaxiPro technology:

3-point press:

>B< MaxiPro benefits from a 3-point press; one each side of the bead, and one press point compressing the O-ring. This provides a permanent and secure joint.



- 1: Three press points, one each side of the bead and one press point compressing the O-ring.
- 2: Tube stop.
- 3: HNBR O-ring.
- 4: Hook.
- 5: Fitting socket.
- 6: Bead.

In tests, press fittings are up to three times faster to install than brazing.



Unpressed



Pressing



Pressed

Range:



Straight Coupler

1/4" to 1.1/8"



Long Coupler

1/4" to 1.1/8"



Long Repair Coupler

1/4" to 1.1/8"



Fitting Reducer

3/8" x 1/4" to 1.1/8" x 7/8"



Reducing Coupler

3/8" x 1/4" to 1.1/8" x 1"



Long Reducing Coupler

3/8" x 1/4" to 1" x 5/8"



Equal Tee

1/4" to 1.1/8"



90° Street Bend

3/8" to 1.1/8"



45° Obtuse Elbow

1/4" to 1.1/8"



90° Bend

1/4" to 1.1/8"



Stop End

1/4" to 1.1/8"



SAE45 Copper Flare - Brass Nut

1/4" x 1/4" to 3/4" x 3/4"



SAE45 Stainless Flare - Brass Nut - Copper Washer

1/4" x 1/4" to 3/4" x 3/4"



SAE45 Stainless Flare - Stainless Nut - Copper Washer

1/4" x 1/4" to 3/4" x 3/4"



Copper Flare Washer

1/4" to 3/4"



P-Trap

5/8" to 1 1/8"

Note: Not UL approved.



Depth Gauge & Pen



Press Fitting Lubricant (100ml)

Technical data

Parameters

Applications

Connections

Approved tube: Copper tube conforming to*

Fitting / tube range (inches)

Fitting material

O-ring

Approved oils

Maximum operating and abnormal pressure

O-ring temperature range

Burst pressure $>3 \times$ maximum operating and abnormal pressure EN 378-2

Leak tightness

Vacuum

UL listing continuous operating temperature

Compatible refrigerants

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Capability

Air conditioning, refrigeration and heat pump (refrigeration side)

Copper to copper

EN 12735-1, EN 12735-2 or ASTM-B280

1/4", 3/8", 1/2", 5/8", 3/4", 7/8", 1", 1 1/8"

Refrigerant grade copper (C12200 min 99.9% pure)

HNBR

POE, PAO, PVE, AB and MO

48 bar / 4800 kPa / 700 psi

-40 °C to 140 °C / -40 °F to 284 °F

>144 bar / >14400 kPa / >2100 psi

Helium $\leq 7.5 \times 10^{-7}$ Pa.m³/s at +20 °C, 10 bar

200 microns

-40 °C to 121 °C / -40 °F to 250 °F

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Installations must be completed in line with all standards, local regulations, by-laws and codes of practice governing the installation. All applicable health and safety practices must be adhered to.

Approvals, standards and test compliance:

- >B< MaxiPro is UL listed, refrigerant fitting SA44668.
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- UL 109 - 7 Pull test, compliant.
- UL 109 - 8 Vibration test, compliant.
- UL 1963 - 79 Tests of Gaskets and Seals used in Refrigerant Systems, compliant.
- ISO 5149-2, EN 378-2,
 - Refrigerating systems and heat pumps
 - Safety and environmental requirements
 - Part 2: Design, construction, testing, marking and documentation, compliant.
- EN 14276-2 - 8.9.4.1.2 Type burst proof test, compliant.
- ISO 14903 - 7.4 Tightness test, compliant.
- ISO 14903 - 7.6 Pressure temperature vibration tests (PTV), compliant.
- ISO 14903 - 7.8 Freezing test, compliant.
- ASTM G85 Salt Spray (Fog) Test, compliant.



Press tools and jaws:

Conex Bänninger recommends the use of ROTHENBERGER press tools and jaws. Only ROTHENBERGER >B< MaxiPro jaws are approved for use with >B< MaxiPro.

Specifications ROMAX Compact TT:



Battery voltage – 18 V

Battery capacity – 2.0 Ah / 4.0 Ah

Rated power consumption – 281 Watts

Max piston force – 19 kN metal fittings

Pressing time – 3 secs (nominal)

Dimensions (L x W x H) – 336 x 143 x 76 mm

Weight (less battery) - ca. 2.1 kg

Working range: 1/4" to 1 1/8"

Note: When using the tool, wear ear and eye protection.



>B< MaxiPro jaws are readily identified by their pink coloured label, logo and jaw size.

Regular care and cleaning of the jaws can be completed by the user. Prior to use check the press jaws are free of damage or deformation and the inner pressing contour is free of dirt or debris.

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The >B< MaxiPro range is brought to you by Conex Bänninger, a specialist in providing high quality, fittings, valves and accessories across the globe. Since 1909, Conex Bänninger has produced over 22 billion fittings and valves, and our innovative approach has led to some landmark achievements in product design.

Conex Bänninger carries a heritage of product knowledge, expertise and excellence that is trusted across residential, commercial, industrial, air conditioning and refrigeration markets worldwide. Conex Bänninger is an ISO 9001 quality assured company, that ensures you receive the very best in quality.

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