

## SPECIALISTS IN FLEXIBLE VENTING SOLUTIONS

**Z-Flex** is the leading manufacturer of specialty venting systems for furnaces, boilers, water heaters, oil heaters, fireplaces, and more.

Z-FLEX has been providing flexible answers to gas, oil, pellet and wood venting applications since 1979.

We have pioneered flexible chimney liner solutions and special gas vent (AL29-4C<sup>®</sup>).

A variety of innovations in materials and construction have led to products that deliver:

- Superior performance and increased efficiency
- Easier handling and faster, simpler installation
- Greater reliability, safety and increased service life

To that we add responsive customer service along with expert technical support.









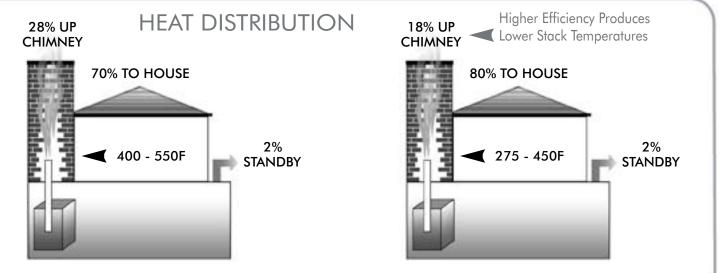
### Advanced Products for maximum performance

- PATENTED TRIPLE-LOCK DESIGN FOR STRENGTH MM.
- COMPRESSED TO LOWER SHIPPING COSTS
- BEST AVAILABLE MATERIALS/ALLOYS

#### Safety Issues

Since the federal government required modern heating equipment to achieve higher efficiencies in 1992, safely venting them has become more of a challenge. Today's more efficient equipment produces lower flue gas temperatures than pre-1992 equipment. The low temperature flue gas provides little natural draft in chimneys and is more likely to condense into an acidic, and corrosive, solution. The result can cause property damage, personal injury, or death. The natural laws of physics that control this phenomenon pertain to all gas and oil fired equipment.

Our three major product lines; chimney liners, special gas vent (AL29-4C® stainless steel), and flexible vent connectors are all designed to **prevent** flue gas condensation or **protect** against its corrosive effects. Most of the products Z-FLEX has developed are now recommended or required by the following national codes and testing agencies:



**LOWER EFFICIENCY -** before 1992



- 20+ YEARS OF MANUFACTURING EXPERIENCE
- "IMMEDIATE" AVAILABILITY (24–72 HR. LEAD TIME)
- LISTED BY UNDERWRITERS
  LABORATORIES

#### **1992 National Fuel Gas Code**

- Venting Tables for sizing Chimney Liners and Vent Connectors when adding or replacing equipment
- Insulated Connectors required in attics and other "cold" spaces

#### 1997 NFPA 31 "Installation of Oil Burning Equipment"

• Venting Tables for sizing Chimney Liners

### International Approval Services (formerly AGA)

- June, 1996 IAS requires all Category III gas boilers and furnaces to use a UL 1738 approved vent system (like our Z-Vent)
- July, 1998 IAS requires all Category III gas residential unit heaters to use a UL 1738 approved vent system (like our Z-Vent)

HIGHER EFFICIENCY - after 1992

## GAS APPLICATION

#### When to Z-FLEX a Chimney (from National Gas Code)

- When a masonry chimney has no liner at all
- When damage to existing chimney lining is evident
- When retrofit appliance has fan-assisted combustion and is vented alone
- When additional or replacement equipment is installed or an appliance is converted to gas from another fuel
- When the existing chimney is oversized relative to heating requirement

### Z-FLEX INSUL-LINER<sup>TM</sup>

#### Pre-insulated Chimney Liner for Category 1 Gas Heating Equipment & Gas Fireplaces

Insul-Liner is another "simple solution" from Z-FLEX. The National Fuel Gas Code (NFPA 54, ANSI Z223.1) recommends, but does not require, that liners be insulated in certain situations.

A good rule of thumb is to use an insulated liner in exterior chimneys or when a brick chimney has no clay liner at all. The insulation will keep the flue gases warm to prevent condensation. Also refer to the equipment manufacturer's instructions for their recommendations.

Insul-Liner can be substituted for B-Vent when relining a masonry chimney.

Insul-Liner is insulated at the factory and protected with an outer aluminum jacket. This eliminates the time needed to insulate on the jobsite and prevents damage to the insulation during installation. Simply remove from the box and install.



#### Insul-Liner Kit Includes:

- Insulated Aluminum Liner
- Chimney Flashina
- Rain Cap Mortar Collar
- 3 Screws
- Part # 2GIAKXX Dia. Lgth. Available in 3"-8" Diameters & 15' Lenaths

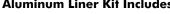


#### **Insul-Liner Gas Fireplace Kit Includes:**

- Insulated Aluminum Liner
- Chimney Flashing Rain Can
- Fireplace Connector
- 3 Screws
- Part # 2GIAFKX Dia. Lgth. Available in 4", 5", 6" Diameters & 15' Lenaths







## ALL FUEL APPLICATION

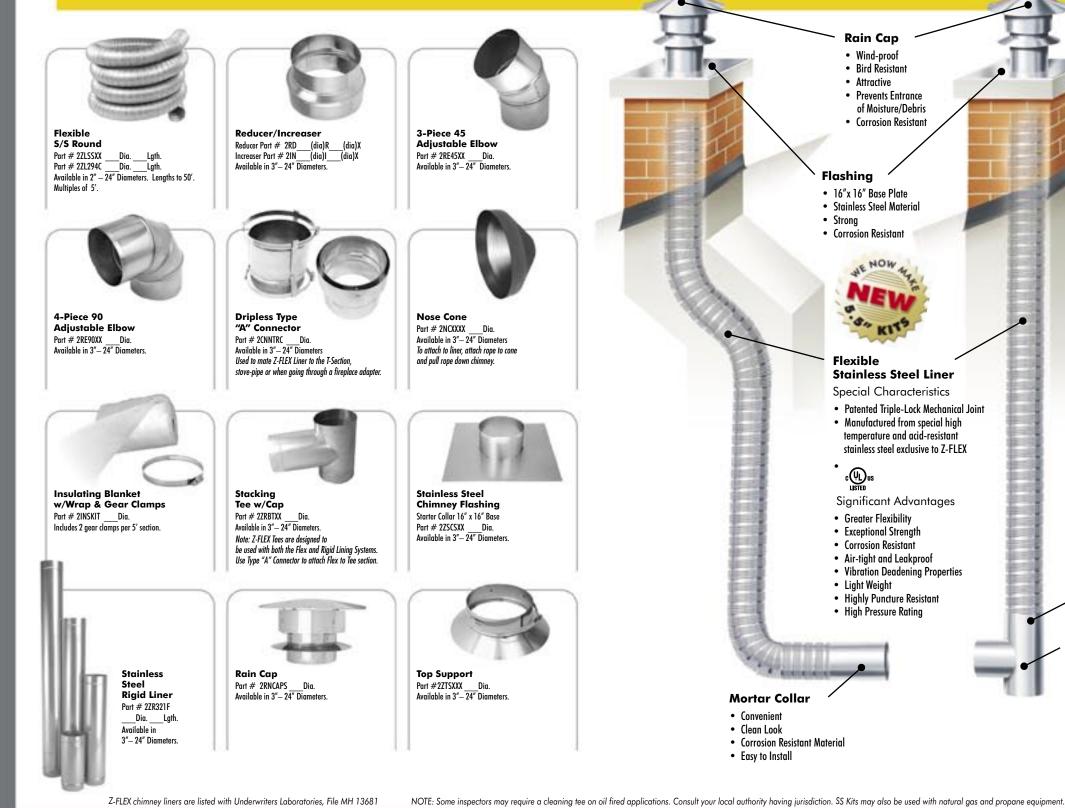
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#### When to Z-FLEX a Chimney

- When a masonry chimney has no liner at all
- When damage to existing chimney lining is evident
- When new burner is installed on existing equipment
- When firing rate of existing burner is reduced
- When a new appliance is connected to an existing chimney
- When the existing chimney is oversized relative to heating equipment
- Z-FLEX Stainless Steel Chimney Liner Kits come complete with everything you need to guickly and easily install a professional venting system. Z-FLEX is engineered to quickly conduct heat, assisting in a natural draft system. It is manufactured from special high temperature and acid resistant stainless steel exclusive to Z-FLEX. Z-FLEX's specially designed 'deep corrugations' provide for greater flexibility and ease of installation. The result is a clearly superior product offering incredible longevity.



### Stainless Steel Chimney OIL + SOLID FUEL LINER KITS





LifeTime

#### Rain Cap

- Wind-proof
- Bird Resistant
- Attractive
- Prevents Entrance
- of Moisture/Debris Corrosion Resistant

#### Flashing

- 16"x 16" Base Plate
- Stainless Steel Material

NOW

- Strong
- Corrosion Resistant

#### Flexible

**Stainless Steel Liner** 

**Special Characteristics** 

- Patented Triple-Lock Mechanical Joint
- Manufactured from special high temperature and acid-resistant stainless steel exclusive to Z-FLEX

Significant Advantages

- Greater Flexibility
- Exceptional Strength
- Corrosion Resistant
- Air-tight and Leakproof
- Vibration Deadening Properties
- Light Weight
- Highly Puncture Resistant
- High Pressure Rating

**Double Wall** Dripless Туре "А" Connector

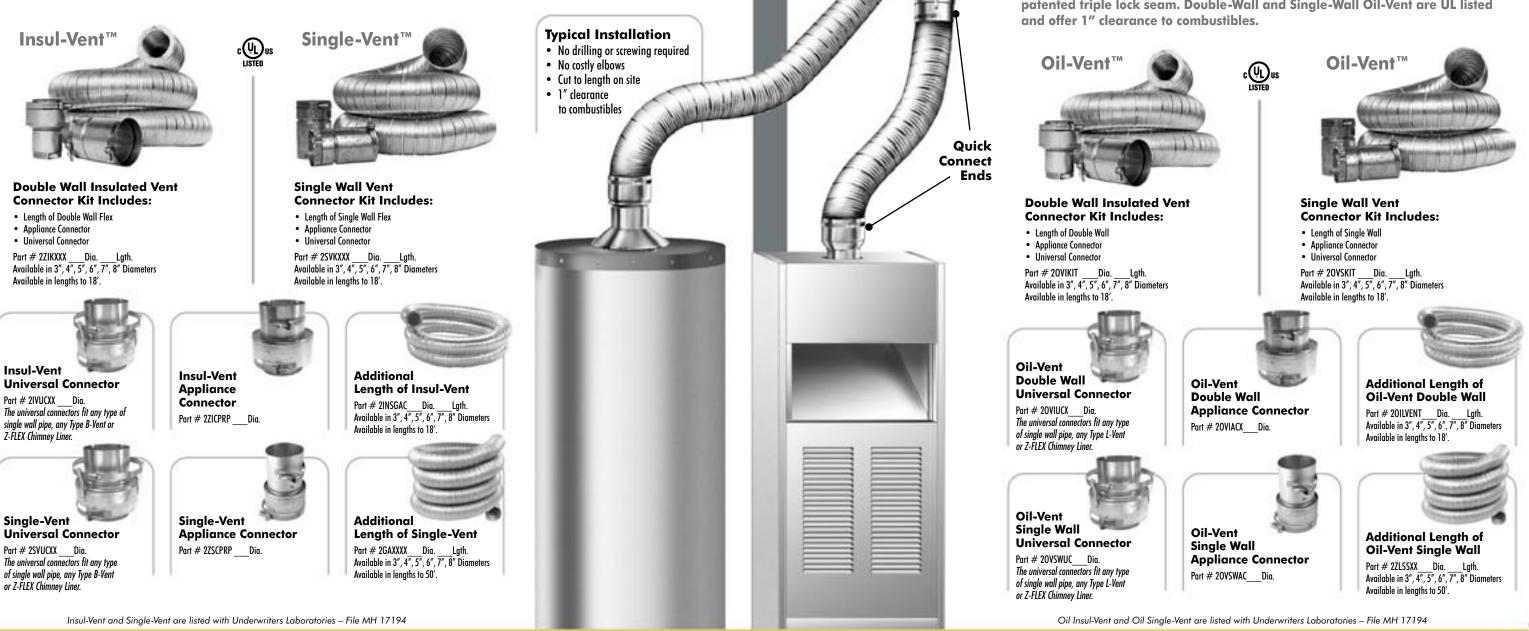
#### **Base Tee** (Cleanout)

- 3pc. with removeable snout and clean out
- All stainless steel
- Fail-safe mechanical connection from snout to body

## GAS APPLICATION

### Flexible Gas Vent CONNECTOR SYSTEM

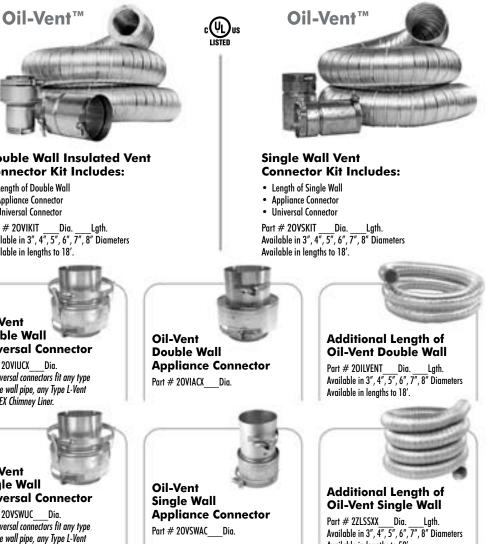
- Insul-Vent<sup>™</sup> is a double-wall insulated vent connector. Insul-Vent is designed to make insulated connections between appliance and common vent (i.e. B-Vent, masonry chimney, or Z-FLEX chimney liner products), easy and economical. Simply cut to desired length and attach quick-connect ends. No drilling or screwing is required. Plus it eliminates costly elbows and accessories.
- Single-Vent™ is a single wall flexible vent connector. Single-Vent, like Insul-Vent, is designed to make difficult installations easy and economical. It replaces rigid single pipe as a vent connector. Both products, like all our other flexible products, are manufactured with our patented triple lock seam. Insul-Vent and Single-Vent are UL listed.



## OLAPPLICATION Z-FLE

Oil-Vent<sup>™</sup> double-wall insulated vent connector is designed to make insulated connections between appliance and common vent (i.e. L-Vent, masonry chimney, or Z-FLEX chimney liner products), easy and economical. Simply cut to desired length and attach quick-connect ends. No drilling or screwing is required. Plus it eliminates costly elbows and accessories. Equivalent to Type L.

Oil-Vent<sup>™</sup> single wall flexible vent connector is designed to make difficult installations easy and economical. It replaces rigid single pipe as a vent connector. Both products, like all our other flexible products, are manufactured with our patented triple lock seam. Double-Wall and Single-Wall Oil-Vent are UL listed







### Flexible Oil Vent CONNECTOR SYSTEM

## Z-VENT



Z-Vent is designed for use with boilers, high EFFICIENCY FURNACES, POOL HEATERS, UNIT HEATERS & WATER HEATERS.

The latest developments in high efficiency heating equipment calls for state-of-the-art venting designs. Z-Vent is specifically designed for today's ANSI category I, II, III, IV condensing and non-condensing, positive and negative pressure systems. cULus listed to standards 1738/BH636, Z-Vent is manufactured in a full range of residential

and commercial sizes from 3" – 24", single and double wall. A full range of engineering services is available to design systems. Visit our website for more information www.z-flex.com info center. Z-Vent is manufactured using AL29-4C® advanced ferritic stainless steel\*\* with unmatched corrosion resistance for use with condensing furnaces and boilers. Z-Vent is manufactured utilizing a fail-safe gasket connection. No sealant is required.

> Now available in sizes 3" - 24"

## Z-Vent SPECIAL GAS VENT FOR CATEGORY II, III, IV HEATING EQUIPMENT

- cut to length on site
- finish and better fit
- where clearances are minimal

**††** Patent Pending







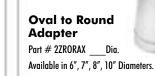
## ALL FUEL APPLICATION

### All Fuel oval liner system



Stainless Steel Single Oval Base/Tee Part # 22RBTOX \_\_\_\_\_ Dia.

Available in 6", 7", 8", 10" Diameters.



Round to Oval Adapter Part # 2ZRROAX \_\_\_\_\_Dia. Available in 6", 7", 8", 10" Diameters.



### THE EASY-TO-APPLY SOLUTION...

# Liner Finders APPLY THE RIGHT LINER EVERY TIME WITH LINER FINDER™ FROM Z-FLEX.

Our Gas and Oil Liner Finders make it fast and easy to match the right Z-FLEX product and size to the liner application. The convenient "slide rule" design is simple to use, portable, and foolproof.

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