

## National Fire Equipment Ltd.

## **Sway Brace Fittings**



**FUNCTION:** Designed for bracing pipe against sway and seismic disturbance. The

pipe attachment component of a sway brace system used in conjunction with a PHD Manufacturing structural attachment fitting, and joined together with a bracing pipe element forms a complete sway brace assembly. Sway brace assemblies are intended to be installed in accordance with NFPA 13 and the manufacturer's installation

instructions.

SIZE: Pipe size 2-1/2" thru 8".

Pipe size used for bracing 1" or 1-1/4" Schedule 40 IP.

FINISH: Electro-galvanized MATERIAL: Low Carbon Steel

**INSTALL:** Place over the pipe to be braced, adjust brace angle, and insert bracing

pipe through opening leaving a minimum of 1" extending from attachment. Brace pipe can be installed on top or bottom of pipe to be braced but must be a minimum of 6" away from a pipe joint. Tighten two hex head cone point set bolts until heads bottom out on attachment,

ensuring proper torque has been applied.

APPROVALS: Underwriters Laboratories listed for US and Canada (2-1/2" thru 6" only).

Factory Mutual approved.

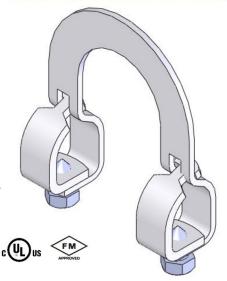
Listed for use with NFPA and PHD sway brace components only

**ORDERING:** Specify figure number, brace pipe size, and sprinkler pipe size

(This product is not compatible with metric pipe.) For metric piping see Fig. 010, Fig. 031, or Fig. 040.

FM Maximum Design Load								
Brace: 1" Thru 2" SCH40 Pipe								
				Weight Ea.				
Pipe Size	Brace Angle			1" Brace Pipe B			1 1/4" Brace Pipe	
SCH 10, 40 & Flow Pipe	From Vertical (Degrees)	lbs.	kN	lbs.	kg	lbs.	kg	
	30°-44°	1020	(4.53)		(0.59)	1.49	(0.68)	
	45°-59°	1440	(6.40)					
2 1/2	60°-74°	1770	(7.87)					
	75°-90°	1970	(8.76)					
3	30°-44°	1080	(4.80)	1.40	(0.64)	1.57	(0.71)	
	45°-59°	1530	(6.80)					
	60°-74°	1870	(8.31)					
	75°-90°	2090	(9.29)					
	30°-44°	1020	(4.53)	1 52	(0.69)	1.70	(0.77)	
	45°-59°	1450	(6.44)					
4	60°-74°	1770	(7.87)	1.53				
	75°-90°	1980	(8.80)					
6	30°-44°	640	(2.84)	1.81	(0.82)	1.98	(0.90)	
	45°-59°	900	(4.00)					
	60°-74°	1110	(4.93)					
	75°-90°	1240	(5.51)					
8	30°-44°	570	(2.53)	2.07	(0.94)	2.24	(1.02)	
	45°-59°	810	(3.60)					
	60°-74°	990	(4.40)	2.01				
	75°-90°	1100	(4.89)					





<b>UL Maximum Design Load</b>					
Pipe Size SCH 10 & 40	lbs.	kN			
2 1/2	1000	(4.45)			
3	1000	(4.45)			
4	1000	(4.45)			
6	1600	(7.12)			

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## FIG. 015 LARGE SWAY BRACE PIPE ATTACHMENT

**Pipe Braced:** 2 1/2", 3", 4", 6", 8"

**Bracing:** 1" Or 1 1/4" SCH40 steel pipe

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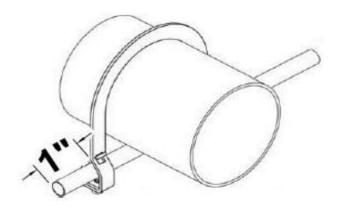
Material: Low Carbon Steel

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bolts until heads bottom out on attachment, ensuring proper torque has been applied.

(This product is not compatible with metric pipe.)



UL Maximum Design Loads					
Pipe		Brace	Brace		
Size	Schedule	Size	Schedule	lbs.	
2 1/2	10 & 40	1 & 1 1/4	40	1000	
3	10 & 40	1 & 1 1/4	40	1000	
4	10 & 40	1 & 1 1/4	40	1000	
6	10 & 40	1 & 1 1/4	40	1600	

FM Approved Loads							
			Allowable Horizontal Capacity				
			Per Installation Angle (lbs.)				
	Pipe	Pipe	Brace Angle From Vertical				
Orientation	Size	Schedule	30°-44°	45°-59°	60°-74°	75°-90°	Brace Member
Lateral	2 1/2	LW, 10, 40	1020	1440	1770	1970	1" or 1 1/4" Schedule 40 Pipe
Lateral	3	LW, 10, 40	1080	1530	1870	2090	1" or 1 1/4" Schedule 40 Pipe
Lateral	4	LW, 10, 40	1020	1450	1770	1980	1" or 1 1/4" Schedule 40 Pipe
Lateral	6	LW, 10, 40	640	900	1110	1240	1" or 1 1/4" Schedule 40 Pipe
Lateral	8	LW, 10, 40	570	810	990	1100	1" or 1 1/4" Schedule 40 Pipe

NOTE: LW above refers to FM Approved Lightwall pipe, commonly referred to as Schedule 7.