

AQUAPAL® The highly flexible hose for potable water



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The ideal drinking water hose for use in the food and beverage industry, in the broad area of camping and RV vehicle needs, for filling drinking water tanks, in canteen kitchens, for municipal emergency supply lines, open-air events, and many other areas. The special transparent, plastomer, and plasticizer-free inner lining of the hose is homogeneous, smooth and absolutely neutral to taste and odour. **AQUAPAL®** meets all the German recommendations and regulations for the transport of potable water.

- Special transparent inner lining, free of plasticisers
- Reinforcements: synthetic fibres
- Blue, fabric patterned NBR-cover, resistant to ozone, weather, UV, oils, fats and abrasion
- Working pressure up to 20 bar / 290 psi
- Temperature resistance from -30°C to +90°C / -22°F to +194°F
- Can be steamed up to +130°C / +266°F (max. 30 minutes)
- Absolutely neutral to taste and odour
- Highly flexible, can be overrun (except construction with steel wire helix)
- Meets the KTW-Leitlinie "Rohre", DVGW W270, DVGW VP 549 and WRAS
- Meets the requirements of EG 1935/2004, EG 2023/2006 and EU 10/2011
- Meets FDA (21 CFR 177.2600)
- 3 years guaranty



Technical Data

nominal width zoll / inch	Inner-Ø mm	wall thickness mm	length m	spiral hose	working pressure		min. burst pressure		min. bending radius	weight
					bar	psi	bar	psi	aprx. mm	aprx. g/m
1/6	4	2,5	40		20	290	60	870	25	75
1/3	8	3,0	40		20	290	60	870	50	140
3/8	10	3,6	40		20	290	60	870	60	210
1/2	13	3,6	40		20	290	60	870	75	250
5/8	16	3,6	40		20	290	60	870	95	300
3/4	19	4,2	40		20	290	60	870	110	420
3/4	19	6,0	40	*	20	290	60	870	90	780
7/8	22	4,5	40		20	290	60	870	130	510
1	25	4,5	40		20	290	60	870	145	570
1	25	6,0	40	*	20	290	60	870	115	965
1 1/4	32	5,5	40		20	290	60	870	280	870
1 1/4	32	6,0	40	*	20	290	60	870	160	1150
1 1/2	38	6,5	40		20	290	60	870	330	1200
2	50	7,5	40		20	290	60	870	435	1790
2	50	7,5	40	*	20	290	60	870	250	2290
3	75	7,5	40	*	20	290	60	870	375	3300
4	100	8,0	40	*	20	290	60	870	500	4715

Pressure based on room temperature / High pressure and/or temperature lead to reduced component durability / Warranty refers to faulty material and manufacture provided that couplings have been fitted by experts, that the recommended working conditions have been respected and that the hose has been used properly

Recommended cleaning

when using ContiTech hoses for the food and beverage industry

Cleaning before first use

Elastomer hoses may have a slight odor of their own, which is technologically unavoidable and can be eliminated by proper cleaning.

We therefore recommend the following cleaning procedure before first use:

- Fill the hose with hot water
- Store in the hose for at least 10 hours
- Empty the hose

We then recommend one of the following cleaning processes:

Cleaning agents	Temperature and duration
Water	+ 90°C max. 20 minutes
Steam	2x + 130°C max. 20 minutes
Chemicals	Temperature and duration
Caustic Soda (NaOH)	2 % at room temperature max. 30 minutes
Hydrogen peroxid (H_2O_2)	0,15 % at room temperature max. 30 minutes
Nitric acid (HNO ₃)	0,5 % at room temperature max. 30 minutes

In all cases the hose must be rinsed with tap water!

If the hose still unexpectedly gives off an odor, several cleaning processes should be conducted consecutively.



Standard cleaning

After use or at regular intervals, the hose must be treated with an ordinary cleaning and sanitizing agent. For detailed information and to choose a suitable cleaning and sanitizing agent, please refer to our complete resistance list.

Please observe our recommendations on storing and maintaining hoses.

Special features of extended disinfection cycles

In the case of extended disinfection cycles – such as those at the weekend or on public holidays – notwithstanding the concentration specifications of the disinfection manufacturer, the concentrations are to be reduced by at least 50%.

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Market segment Industrial Hoses

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ContiTech industrial hose program

Together with the technical trade,



Hoses for the food and beverage industry



we are developing further hose solutions for your specific application.

Hoses for milk collecting vehicles

Multipurpose hoses for the food, pharmaceutical and cosmetic industry



industry

Hoses for the brewing, beverage and liquor



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