

Elimination of Ansul 1.5 Gallon Increments

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Background:

Ansul R-102 and Piranha systems are produced with 1.5 and 3.0 gallon tank systems. The 1.5 gallon systems are utilized to bridge the gap between flow points for smaller systems. 1.5 gallon systems are typically designed closer to their maximum number of flow points, offering less flexibility in the field and lower flow margins for a fire system activation. The 1.5 gallon tanks also increase the number of unique components required for a typical system.

CaptiveAire Product Update:

In an effort to reduce the number of unique components required, reduce R-102 system complexity, as well as increase the ANSULEX flow point margins in the typical design, CaptiveAire is implementing a companywide elimination of the 1.5 gallon tank sizes.

Details:

The following R-102 and Piranha Fire System sizes are being eliminated for all new quotes as supplied from CaptiveAire:

- 1.5 gallon
- 4.5 gallon
- 7.5 gallon
- 10.5 gallon
- 13.5 gallon
- 16.5 gallon
- Piranha 7, 7/7, and 7/10

Note that CaptiveAire Sales and Engineering design teams will still have the ability to design in 1.5 gallon increments, however all 1.5gallon tanks and related components must be supplied by the Ansul distributor as our factories will no longer maintain sufficient inventory of these parts to support production.

Fire System distributors are encouraged to price labor for installations based on the total number of flow points for a given system.

Questions:

All questions regarding this change should be directed to your local CaptiveAire Sales and Engineering office.