## How to Determine TriClamp Size

- TriClamp Size is determined by the outside diameter of the pipe, NOT the outside diameter of the ferrule.
- The ferrule ( the end piece that makes half of the connection to another TC fitting) is about $1 / 2$ " larger than the TC size. In other words, a 1.5 " TC fitting will have a ferrule whose outside diameter is about 2 ".
- Confusion arises with 1 " TC fittings because they use the same ferrule as 1.5 " TC fittings. [The two ferrules at right in photo below are 1.5 " and 1 " Triclamp.]


A TriClamp connection consists of two Ferrules joined by a Clamp with a Gasket.


| TriClamp <br> Size | Ferrule O.D. <br> "B" in photo above | Pipe I.D. <br> "A" in photo above |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $1 "$ | $1.984 "$ | $0.87 "$ |
| $1.5 "$ | $1.984 "$ | $1.37 "$ |
| $2 "$ | $2.516 "$ | $1.87 "$ |
| $2.5 "$ | $3.047 "$ | $2.37 "$ |
| $3 "$ | $3.579 "$ | $2.87 "$ |
| $4 "$ | $4.682 "$ | $3.834 "$ |
| $6 "$ | $6.570 "$ | $5.782 "$ |
| $8 "$ | $8.570 "$ | $7.782 "$ |



1 " and 1.5 " TriClamp use the same clamp. The 'ferrule' is the same. The difference is the pipe diameter. To demonstrate, a 1 " Tee is attached directly to a 1.5 " Tee.


1 " TC Gasket (left) and 1.5 " TC Gasket (right). They have the same outside diameter. The difference is the throughput.


Hose Barbs.
$2 "$ hose takes $2 "$ hose barb, 3 " hose takes 3 " hose barb.....

