# alkathene

**VARIABLE PRESSURE RATINGS - LDPE PRESSURE PIPE** 

### **Product code: 300 Series**

# Compliance:

Iplex ALKATHENE is an imperial dimension (nominal ID), Low Density polyethylene pressure pipe, manufactured in New Zealand, using a Quality Management System accredited to AS/ISO 9001. The Outside diameter of ALKATHENE™ conforms to NZS 7601

#### Features and Benefits;

- ALKATHENE has higher pressure rating in each size than NZS 7601 (Refer table below)
- ALKATHENE is manufactured from black Pre-Compounded LDPE, for consistant carbon black dispersion in the resin, to maximise ability to resist UV degradation
- ALKATHENE is resistant to bloat remedies, used with in-line, bloat treatment dispensing systems.
- ALKATHENE is approved by Hansen Products (NZ) Ltd for use with LDPE-compatible Hansen mechanical pipe fittings, and by Hydroflo Distributors Ltd, with LDPE-compatible ANKA brand mechanical pipe fittings,
- ALKATHENE has robust wall section, resistant to kinking
- ALKATHENE is safe for use with potable water
- ALKATHENE is available in four different coil lengths (25, 50, 100 and 200 metres) to suit a wide range of applications.

#### **Applications:**

- Farm Water Reticulation and Stock Water Supply
- Agricultural and Horticultural Irrigation

#### **Fittings and Connections:**

Iplex ALKATHENE pipe may be used with LDPE-compatible Hansen Easy Fit Brand mechanical fittings, or ANKA Brand fittings



HANSEN Easyfit Pipe Coupling



Code Explanation ID (mm)

300-40-50

Coil Length (metres)

**Product Code** 

ANKA Pipe Coupling

Iplex ALKATHENE **20mm** (25mmOD) and **25mm** (31mmOD) sizes only, may be used with PLASSON Line 7 (2500 Series) or PLASSON Series 1 (3500 Series) mechanical fittings,



PLASSON Line 7 Pipe Coupling



PLASSON Series 1 Pipe Coupling

### **Design and Installation:**

Iplex ALKATHENE should be installed in accordance with

- AS / NZS 2033 Installation of Polyethylene pipe systems,
- Iplex Pipelines Guideline "How I Install PE Pipes" available on line from the Resources section of the Iplex NZ Website
- Alkathene Pipe Flow Chart -available on line from the Resources section of the Iplex NZ Website

## **Alkathene Product range**

Product Code	Pipe Size OD (mm)	Mean Bore ID (mm)	Pressure Rating*		Standard Coil Sizes (m)				NZS 7601	
			(BAR)	(PSI)	25	50	100	200		Pressure rating
300.15	17	12.8	9.7	141	1	1	1	1		9
300.20	25	19.0	9	131	1	1	1	1		8
300.25	31	25.3	8	116	1	1	1	1		6.5
300.32	38	31.1	7	102	1	1	1	1		5
300.40	44	37.5	6	87	1	1	1	1		4.5
300.50	57	50.0	5	73	1	1	1	1		3.5