Constructing a **MINILink**® Hose Assembly

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**Assembly Using 90.320.6 HAC (Contact DADCO for Assembly Using the 90.320.9)**

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**90.700 (Y-700) Permanent Fitting Installation / 90.705 (Y-705) Permanent Fitting Installation**

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DADCO’s Mini-Crimp

Mini-Crimp 90.710.8

For use with a hydraulic or pneumatic crimp machine.
No Die Ring Required.

The following steps are also applicable to the previous model, 90.710.1, Mini-Crimp.

Operation

Please follow the guidelines below for proper operation:

1. Place the Mini-Crimp 90.710.8 into the crimping machine. No die ring is required.

2. Insert the hose assembly from below through the center of the Mini-Crimp (F.1). For instructions on constructing a MINILink® Hose Assembly see the reverse side of this bulletin.

3. Activate the hydraulic or pneumatic crimping machine to permanently crimp the fitting to the hose.

4. As the Mini-Crimp begins to close, position the fitting to ensure the entire length of the ferrule is crimped (F.2).

5. Remove the completed hose assembly from the Mini-Crimp.

6. Measure the crimped ferrule diameter across the flats to verify it is within the crimp dimension range (F.3).

NOTE: 90.700 (Y-700) / 90.705 (Y-705) hose assemblies with 90° hose adapters on each end must be crimped at the factory.