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WELCOME

# Demand-Controlled Fan Coils Williams

Managing fan and pump horsepower

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# ONDemand

Fractional horsepower

blower motors

Circulators

- NO control valves
- NO terminal balancing valves

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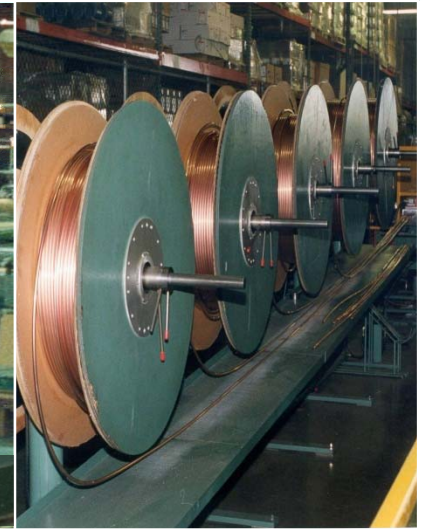
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## VERTICALLY INTEGRATED MANUFACTURING





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- **Flexible Coil Design Capabilities**
  - **Coil Construction Standards & Options**
    - **½" Copper Tubes**
    - **Aluminum or Copper Fins**
    - **Galvanized or Stainless Steel Coil Casings**
    - **Phenolic Coated**
  - **Hot Water, Chilled Water, DX or Low Pressure Steam, Freeze Proof Coils**

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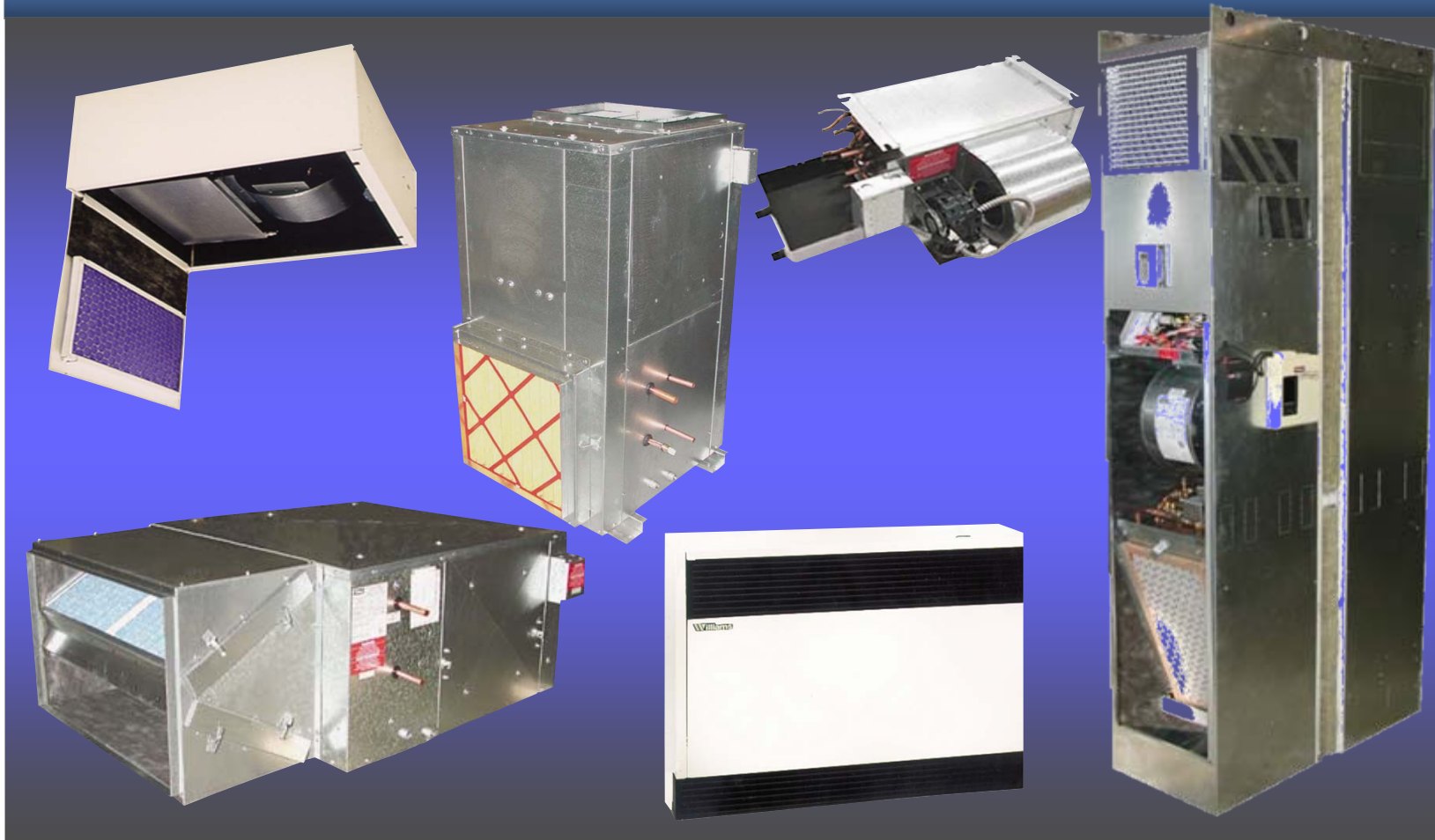


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RE-ENGINEERING COMFORT FOR THE 21ST CENTURY

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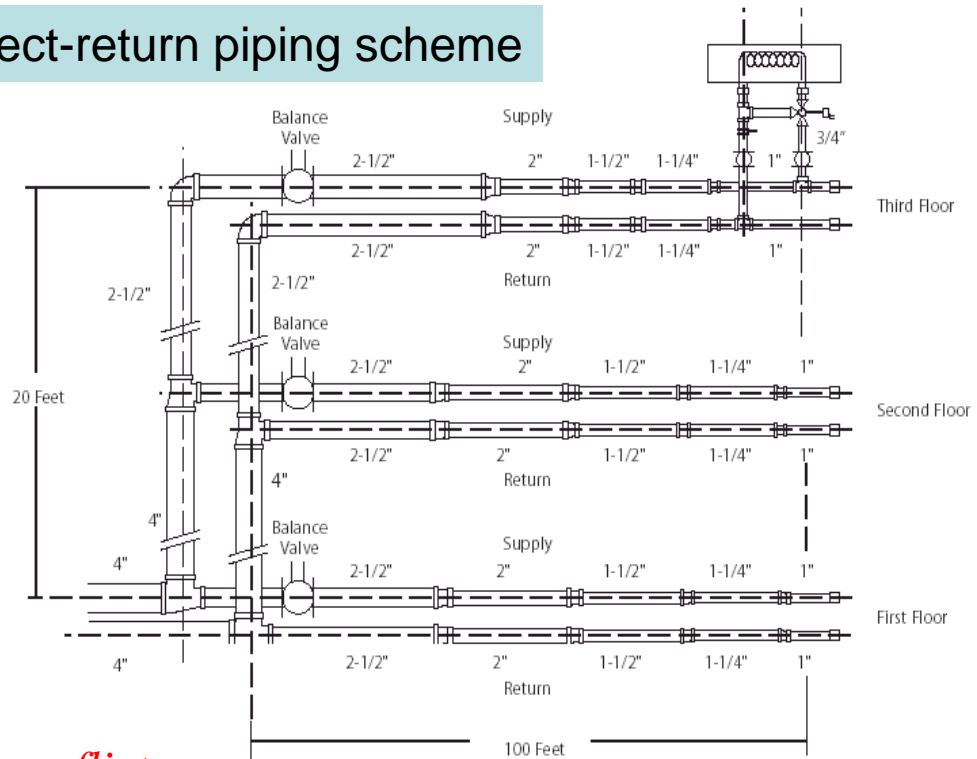
**BROADEST RANGE OF FAN COIL AND BLOWER COIL AIR-HANDLER UNITS OFFERED IN THE UNITED STATES**



Conventional Pipe Sizing Exercise

Direct-return piping scheme

1. Define zones
2. Select equipment
3. Record GPM
4. Size Pipe
5. Manage Flow Pressure
6. Size Pump(s)



*Creates pressure and flow conflicts*

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### Conventional Design Process

## Parallel Piping Systems

- *Reverse Return*



- *Direct-return*






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### Pump logic

- **Parallel pumps**
- **Ride the curve**
- **VFD**
  - **Where to sense pressure**
  - **Pressure by-pass, does it work?**
  - **50% flow reduction, 75%?, 90%????**
- **Where does that water go?**
  - **2-way control valves – off? Pressure Builds**
  - **3-way valves?**
  - **Circuit setters?**
  - **Automatic Flow Limiting Devices?**

**Control valve  
Differential  
Pressure ??**

***Resolution of pressure and flow conflicts***



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How is ONDemand – Simpler?

Typical zones – select a package with a constant speed circulator

Critical performance

Package with variable speed circulator

Engineered selection with variable speed

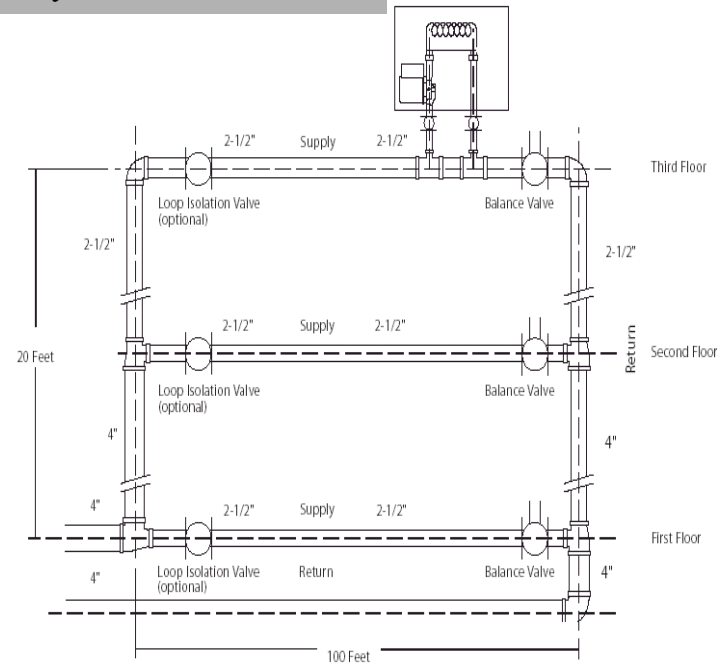
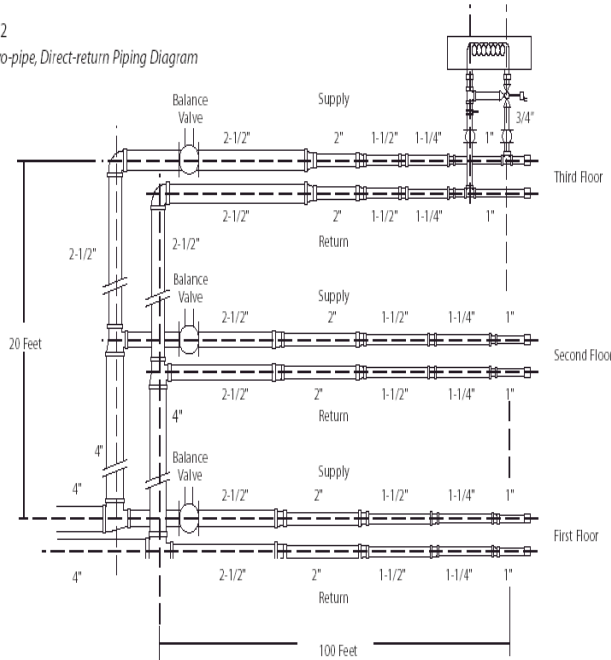
Parallel pipe; if constant EWT required

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which BOM do you want to manage?

## *Flexible hydronic solution*

Figure 12  
Basic Two-pipe, Direct-return Piping Diagram



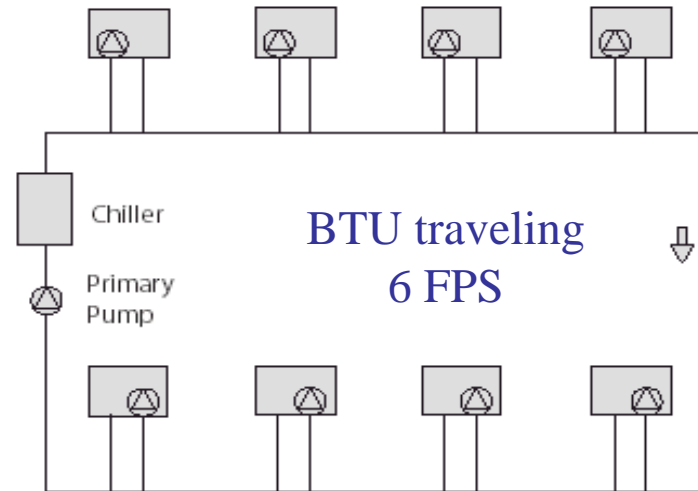
**Compare design, installation, operation and FLEXIBILITY**

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### Terminal System Diversity – Capacity vs. actual

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- *Run Time*
  - Actual operation
  - 30% annually
  - 20 minutes per hour
  - Unit unloading – 40%
  - Fan speed – 50%



**Simultaneous operation?**




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### What is ONDemand? The System

LoadMatched™ pumping initial development  
Prior to 1991

Goal Simplify hydronic systems:

Primary concern was high head caused by adding automatic flow controls to every unit to balance system – manually it was just difficult.



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### Goals

- **Self-Balancing**
- **Reduce pressure drop**
- **Simplify**

### Results

- **Self-Balancing & Reduced pressure drop**
- **Lower installed cost**
- **Lower operating cost**


### **BONUS**

- **A simple flexible hydronic system**



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- ONDemand System Details



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- ASHRAE describes as:

Series flow diverting with load pumps

A block of zones are served by a single pipe for heating and a single pipe for cooling.

A 4-pipe system with 2x4-pipe distribution

The mechanical room and mains are 4-pipe

The units are 4-pipe units

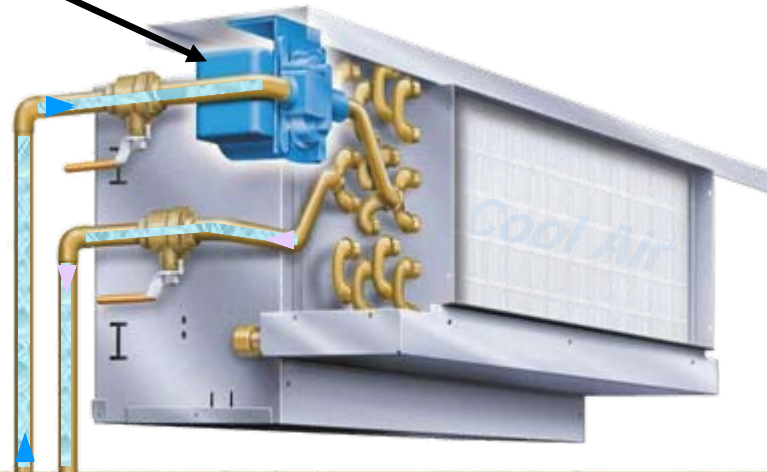


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- What is ONDemand? The Fan Coil Unit
  - Fractional horsepower fan motor
  - Fractional horsepower circulator
  - Heating coil
  - Cooling coil
- Eliminate valve package
  - Control valves, close off pressure, Cv selections
  - Flow controls
  - Test ports, strainers
    - » REDUCES SYSTEM HEAD PRESSURE

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**Integrated Circulator  
Creates Specific Flow  
On Demand**

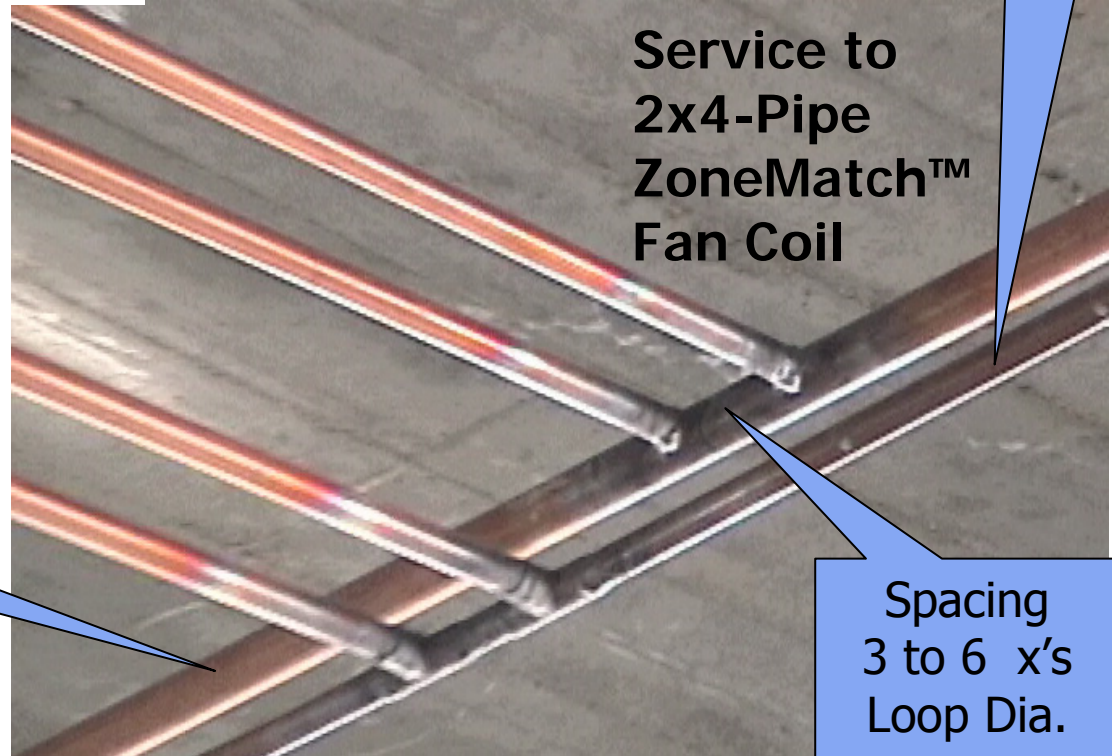


**Primary Circuit  
Water Flow**

***BTU Flow @ 4-8 FPS***

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$$\text{GPM} = \frac{\text{Capacity}}{500 \times \text{Delta T}}$$



Hot water Loop

Service to  
2x4-Pipe  
ZoneMatch™  
Fan Coil

Chilled  
Water Loop

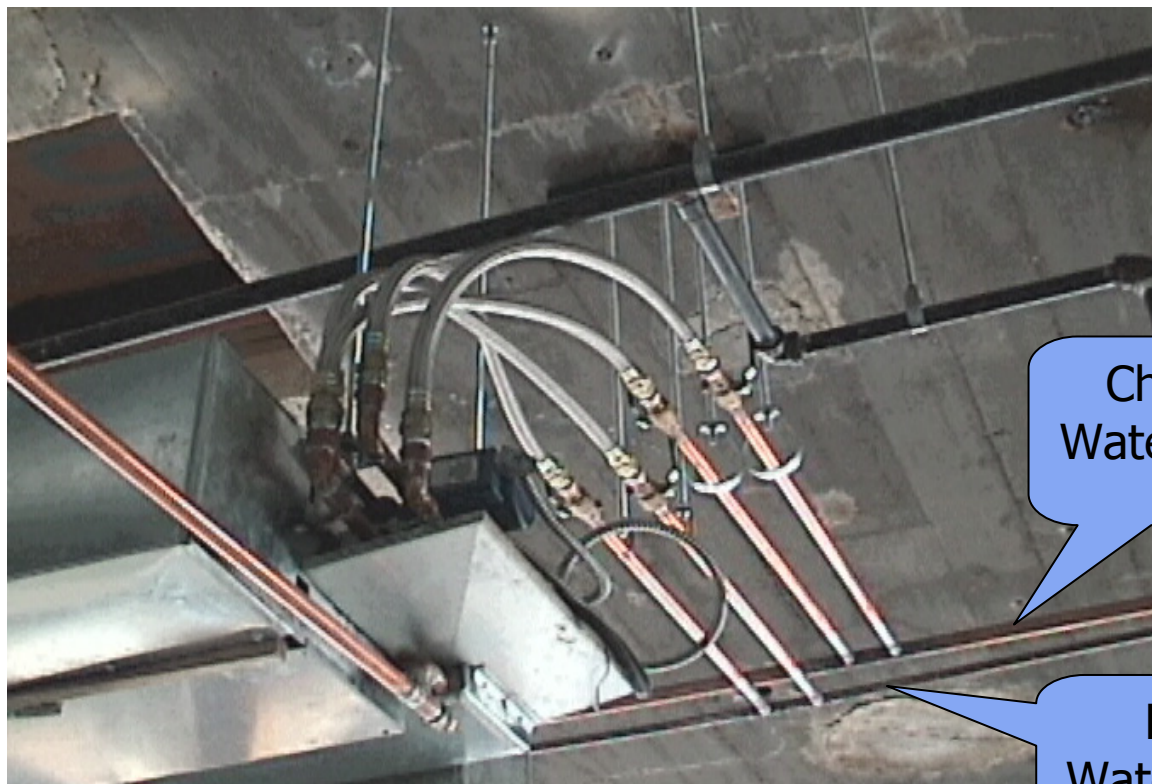
Spacing  
3 to 6 x's  
Loop Dia.



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2x4-Pipe ONDemand

*A flexible hydronic solution*



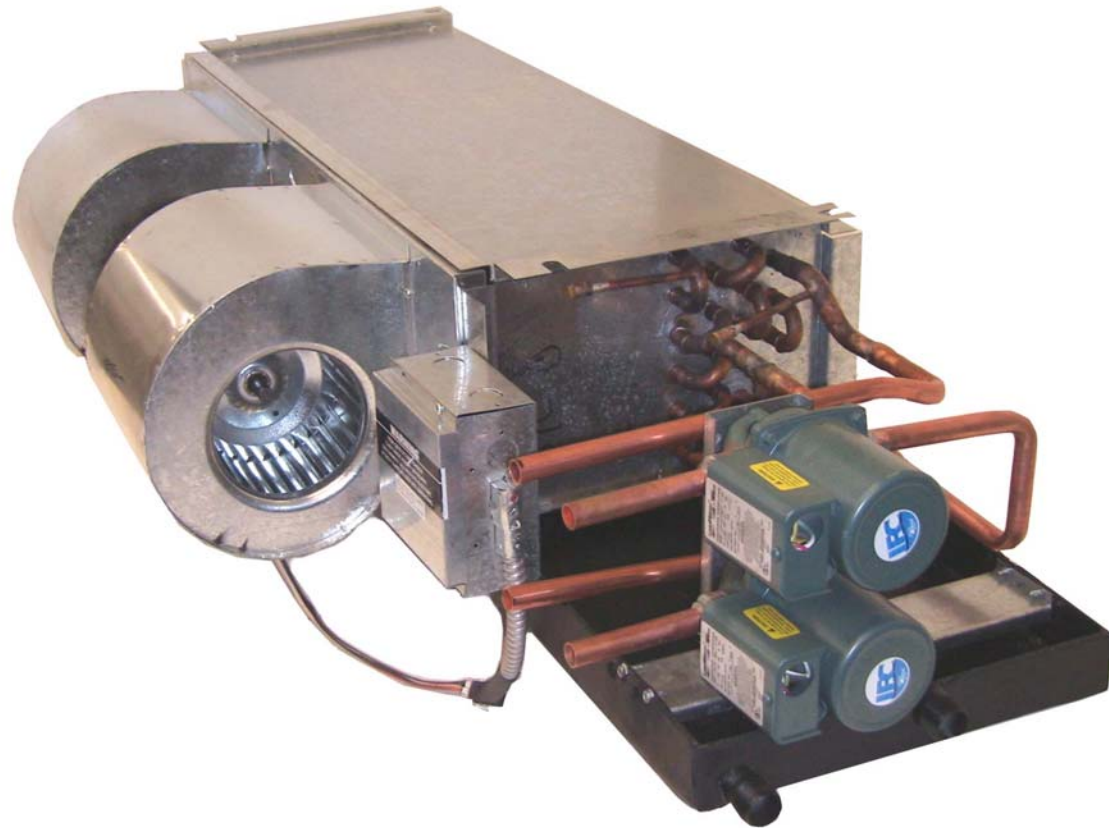
Before  
Insulation  
applied

Chilled  
Water loop

Hot  
Water loop

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## ONDemand - LH



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# Wet Rotor Circulator

## LoadMatch™ Series





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- **Features**

- Based on "00" water lubricated wet rotor circulator w/ 3 year cartridge warranty.
- **Integral flow check.**
  - **Eliminates gravity and circulator off cycle circulation.**
- **Integral condensate baffle.**
  - **Eliminates condensation on motor housing down to 38F chilled water**
- 200 psi standard pressure rating.
- UL label.



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- **Circulator Start-up**
  - No Balancing
  - Performance matched by Williams
  - Installation allowance 20 feet of connecting pipe
  
- **Air Removal – you must prime the circulator**
  - open supply valve
  - vent air through coil
  - open return valve

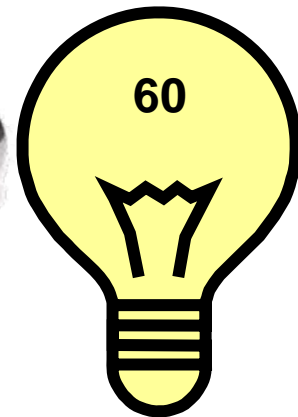
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### ZoneMatch Circulator - 1/40 HP

- **25 Years In Production**
- **Millions In Use**
- **Quiet Operation**
- **Chilled Water CERTIFIED**



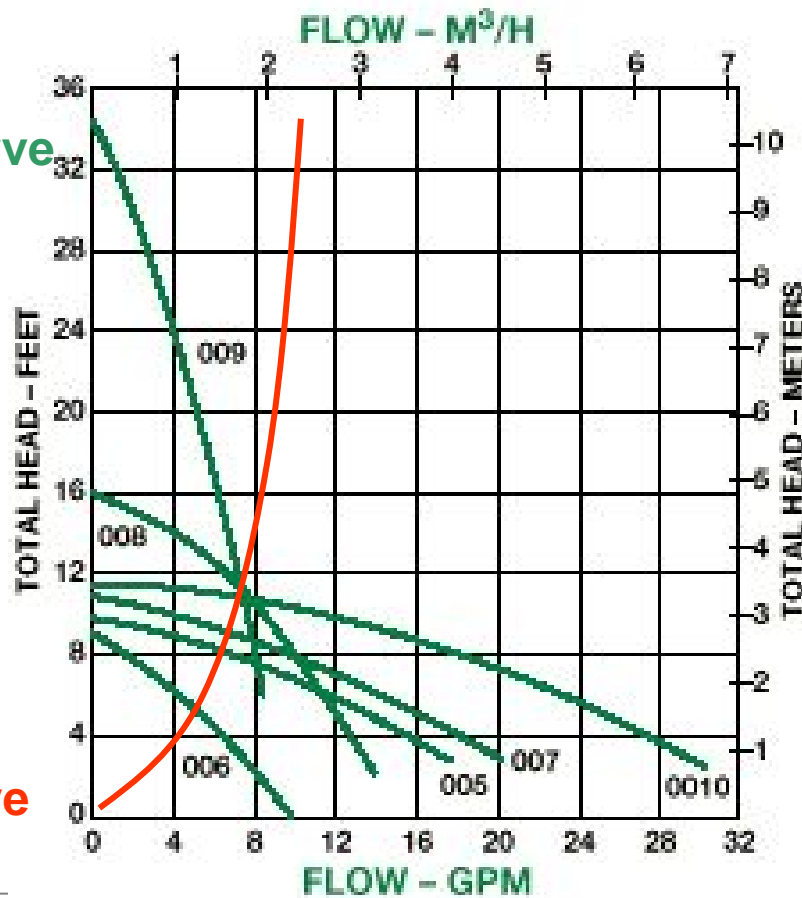
0.52 amps



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Circulator curve

Coil Curve

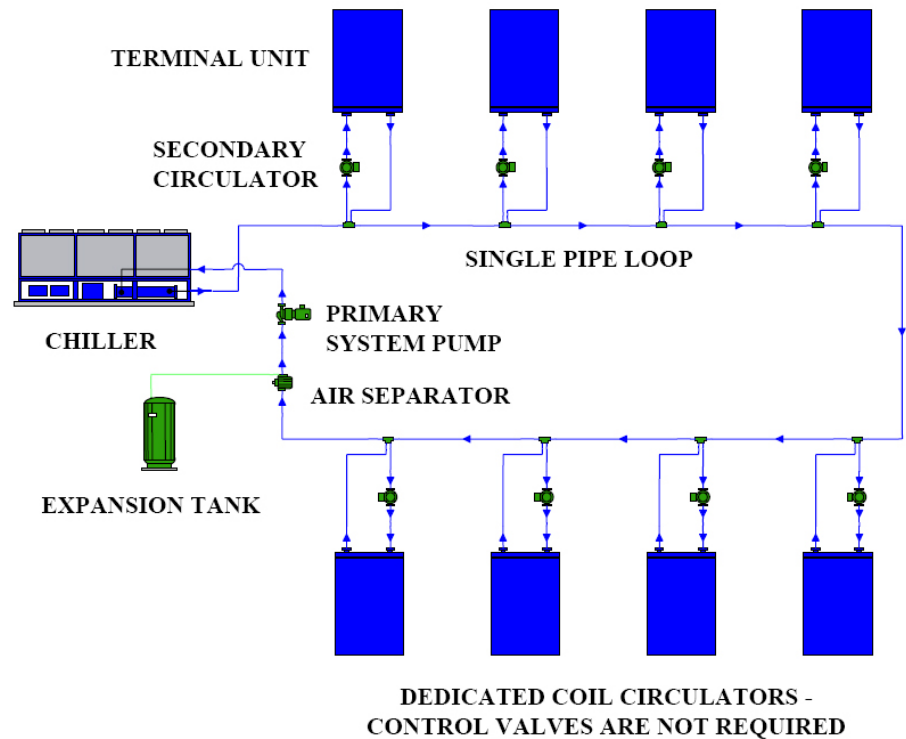


“X”  
Marks the  
Capacity

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Superior Comfort

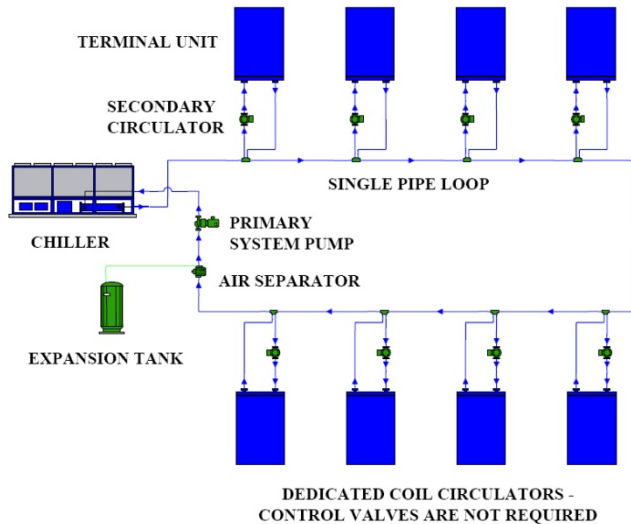
- **Self Balancing (Balance by Design)**
  - Insure required flow to all terminal units at all times.
  - Eliminate “tweaking” of water balance and “call backs”.
- **System is Forgiving**
  - Diversity available to all terminal units.
  - Secondary circulator always delivers the required or greater flow.



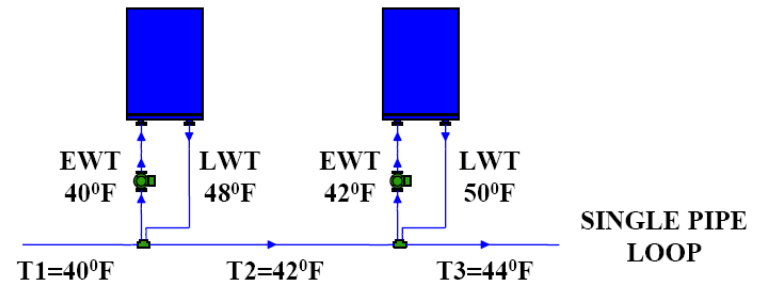
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## Primary Loop Piping

- **Single Pipe Primary Loop**
  - Simplified layout and design.
- **Self Balancing System**
  - Eliminate almost all balancing.
  - Control energy flow, not fluid flow.



LOADS - 24 MBH EA., 6 GPM @ 8°F ΔT  
 PRIMARY LOOP - 25 GPM @ 10°F ΔT



MIXED WATER TEMPERATURE


THERE IS A NEW MIXED WATER TEMPERATURE AFTER EACH LOAD

- **Utilize System Diversity**
  - Diversity available to all units without variable speed drives.
  - Design for operating temperature differences with diversity.



## Applied Products Group

- Why consider ONDemand?
  - Simple system
  - Lowers installed cost
  - Reduces operating cost
- Increased value of the property
  - Reducing “relevant operating cost” increases “Net Operating Income”
  - Reducing installed cost meets the budget



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- Installed cost reductions
  - Easier to manage
    - Simplified BOM
    - Reduces complexity of system
    - Increased flexibility
  - Reduces installed feet of pipe
    - Less labor
    - Fewer hangers, fittings, valves; less insulation

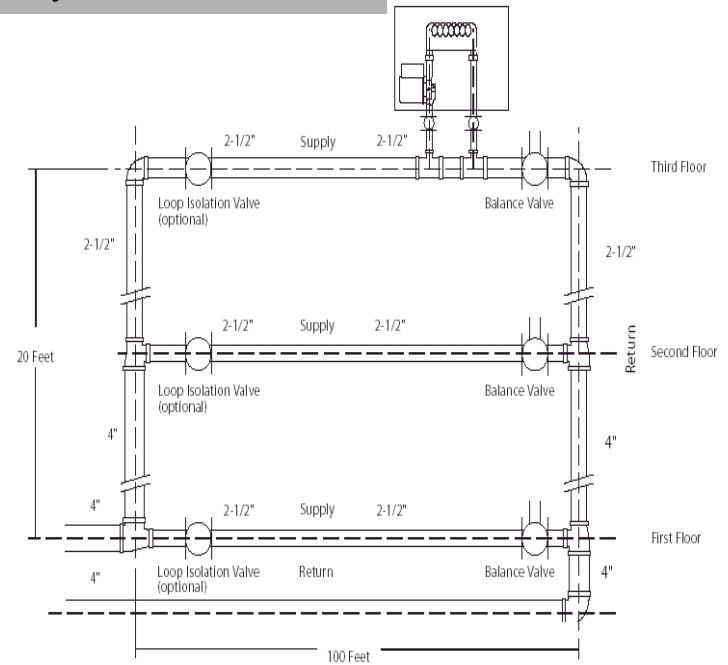
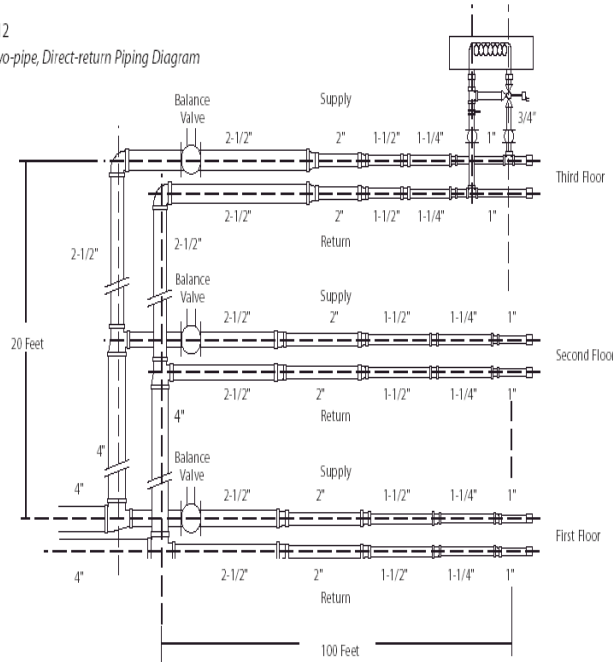
***Self-Balancing reduces commissioning cost***

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- **Operating Cost Reductions**
  - System Pump horsepower reduced by 50%
    - Decouple terminal unit from central system
    - Eliminate valve package pressure drop
    - Replace Valve Package with fractional HP Circulators
    - Reduce number of transitions and fittings

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2-Pipe Direct Return – Head loss

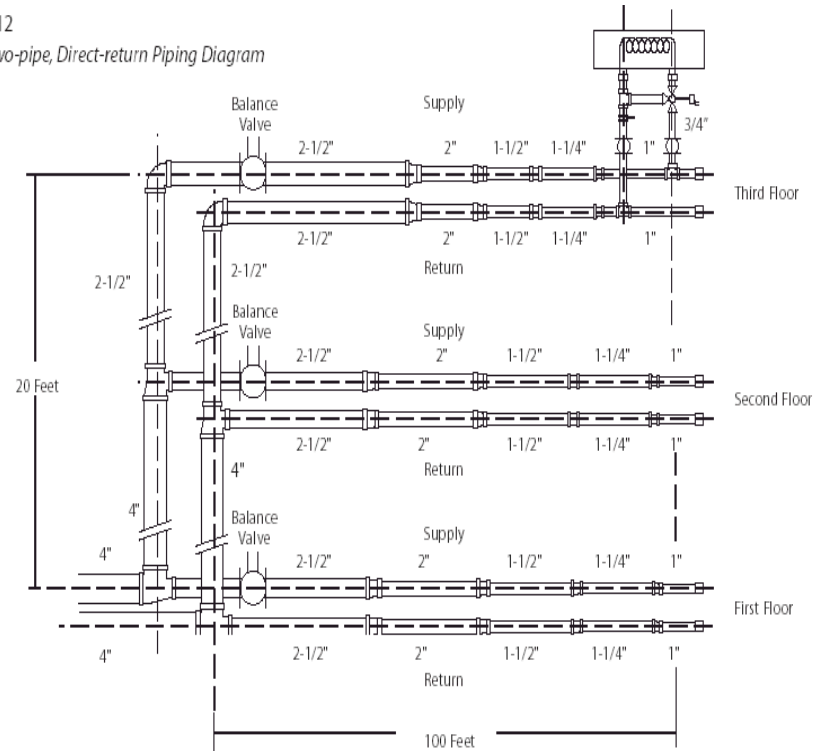
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**15% Safety – 6.2**  
**Total = 48 feet TDH**

**240 GPM**

10 degree delta T

ADD automatic flow control  
 & Pressure goes up!

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**640 linear feet of pipe**

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## 1x2-Pipe, ZoneMatch – head loss

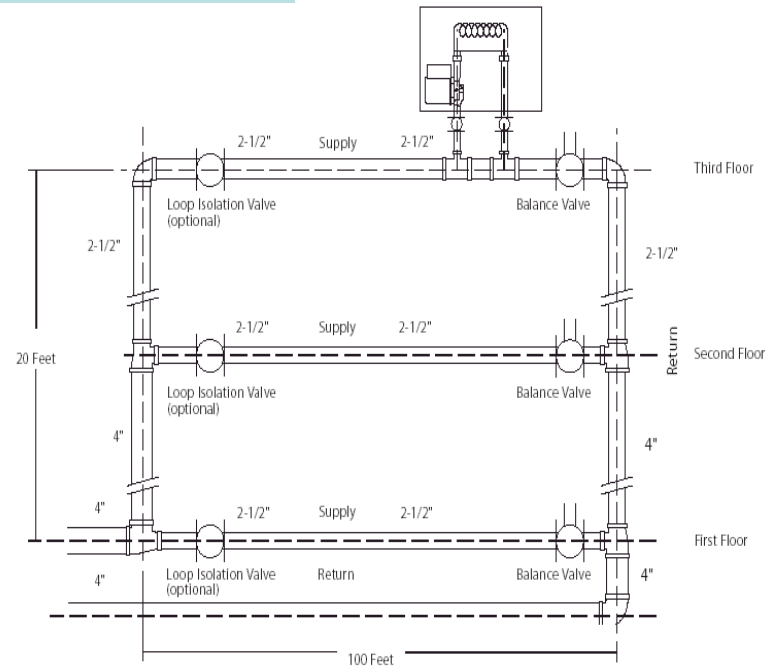
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**15% Safety – 3.3**  
**Total = 26 feet TDH**

**240 GPM**  
**10 degree delta T**

**50% less Horsepower**

### Flexibility



**440 linear feet of pipe; 200 feet less; 24 less fittings**



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### Operating Horsepower Savings -- de-coupled Fan Coil

- **Horsepower = Head x GPM  
3960 x Efficiency**


**Constant GPM but reduced head = reduced Horsepower**

**Main Pump Head reduced by 1/2 = HP reduced by 1/2**

**1/40 hp circulators = 40 zones per 1 horsepower**

**Only consume power when "ON"**

**Demand Controlled Pump Horsepower**



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**Direct Return****vs.****ONDemand**

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**½ the head on the main pump = 50% less Horsepower**

**640 linear feet vs. 440 linear feet; 24 less fittings**



## Applied Products Group

- Increase Flexibility at lower Cost
- Opportunity
  - Identify “Typical” spaces.
  - Determine “Critical” spaces
    - Unusual load or location
    - Dedicated performance – special
      - Variable speed circulator
      - Parallel piped



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### Increased flexibility

- **Flexibility**
  - Piping is sized for Block load
    - Actually “block peak load”
    - The number of zones is unlimited
      - Practical limits
        - » Total tonnage and pipe size relationship.
- Total Tons and Zones of control is what we provide – to the owner it is the basis of cost.

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**Why does ONDemand™ work so well  
with Fan Coils?**

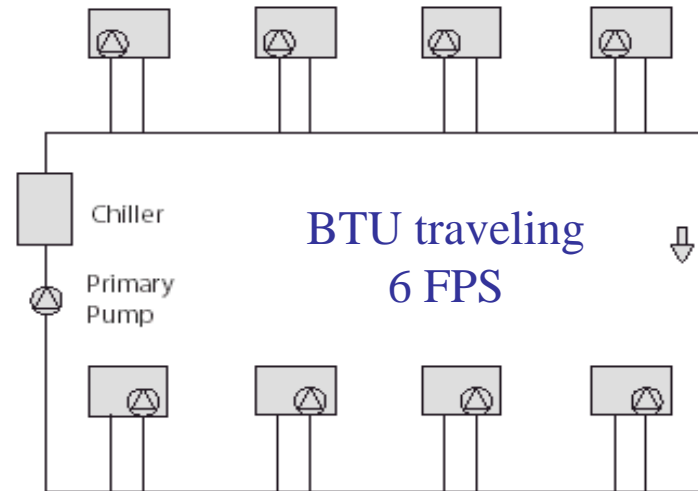
***Multiple Diversity Factors***

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## Methods to Achieve Dehumidification

- You can **dehumidify with 50F** entering **water** temperature.

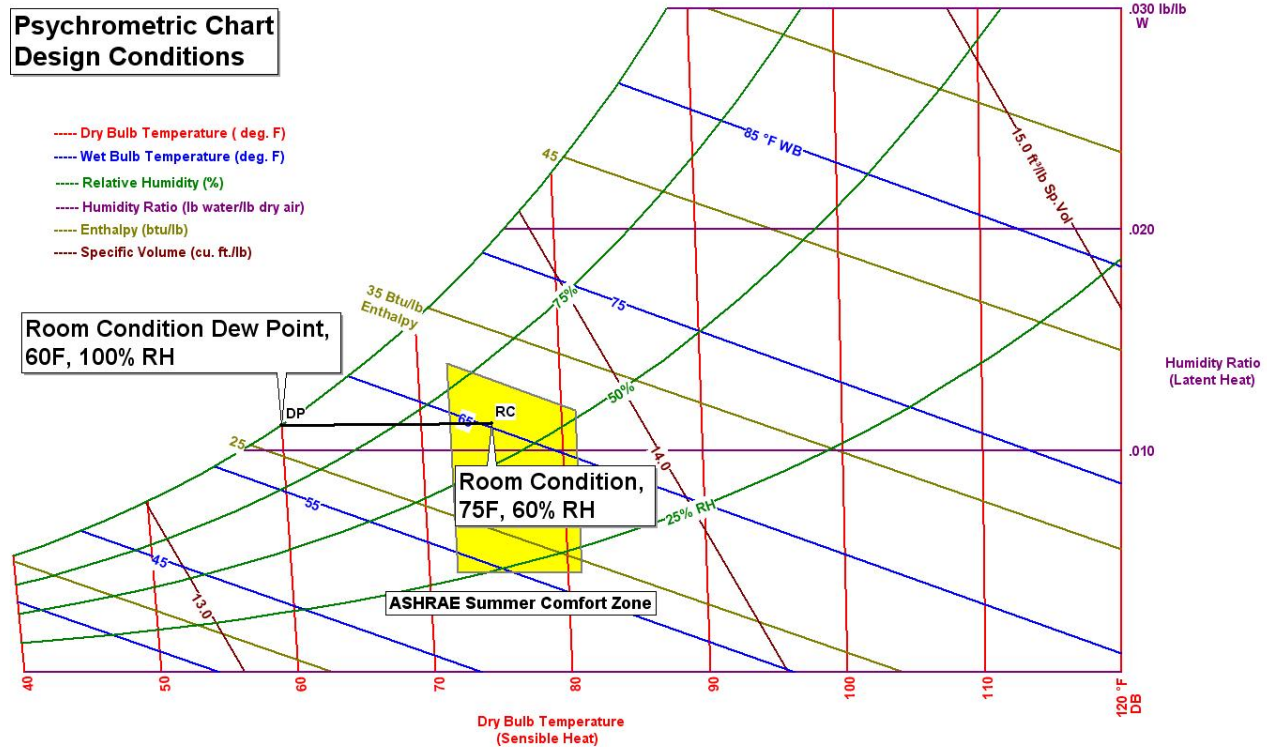
**Psychrometric Chart  
Design Conditions**

- Dry Bulb Temperature (deg. F)
- Wet Bulb Temperature (deg. F)
- Relative Humidity (%)
- Humidity Ratio (lb water/lb dry air)
- Enthalpy (btu/lb)
- Specific Volume (cu. ft./lb)

Room Condition Dew Point,  
60F, 100% RH

Room Condition,  
75F, 60% RH

ASHRAE Summer Comfort Zone






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### Cycling in a conditioned space.

- At design conditions the capacity of a fan coil is 100% as selected.
- In a conditioned space – with reduced moisture and EAT the capacity (BTU's pulled from the loop) is reduced to about 70% at High speed.
- At Low speed the capacity can be 50%.



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- Fan Coil Capability - MBH


- 1 ton package            high            med            low
  - 80/72 – 60% - 19.6/10.0 – 18.2/9.0 – 16.0/7.8
  - 80/67 – 51% - 15.7/11.5 – 14.4/10.2 – 12.5/8.6
  - 78/67 – 57% - 15.5/10.5 – 14.2/9.4 – 12.5/8.0
  - 76/64 – 52% - 13.4/10.5 – 12.2/9.3 – 10.6/7.8
  - 72/60 – 50% - 10.7/9.8 – 9.7/8.6 – 8.3/7.1

Wide Range – three speeds – responds to load



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- Run time
  - Unit circulator “ON”
  - At 1 CFM/sq foot – air turnover = 60/space height
  - LAT in 50’s mixes with room air in 70’s
    - 20 degree difference
    - % mixed = 1/ceiling height = 1/8 = .125
    - $[0.125 \times 55 = 6.875] + [0.875 \times 75 = 65.625]$
    - New mixed air temperature = 72.5 in room  
After first minute; plus heat gain.




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- Unit is “OFF” longer than “ON”
- Typical on for 3 minutes off for 8-11 minutes
  - 20 units – 42 EWT cools space in 3 minutes
    - 44 take 3.6 minutes
    - 46 takes 4.3 minutes
  - 3 minutes expires?
    - ??????????????????



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- 3 Minutes is up
  - 20 units on a 10 degree delta T loop design
  - Each unit affects loop  $\frac{1}{2}$  of a degree – at full load!
  - 4 units on before it takes EWT to 44
  - Units 1,2,3,4 off in three minutes
    - How much longer will 5,6,7,8 run? They were scheduled for 3.6 minutes..
  - All units will be off before any units come back on!



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- Experience
  - 3 degrees to maximum of 5 degrees
  - Rarely can even 50% be on at one time.
  - Why to VFD's work?
    - Calculation versus operation




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- What if loads are simultaneous? [a school]

*Variable speed circulators  
with  
LAT control*

*Units early in loop take less GPM to deliver design LAT*



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- The ONDemand Loop – **the formula**
  - Selected with a 10 degree delta T
  - The load served requires knowledge
    - Decisions based on diversity.
  - The cooling loop is selected at 42°F to 52°F
  - Calculate Load carrying capacity of water
    - $\text{Load}/(500 \times \Delta T) = \text{GPM}$ , select FPS and size pipe
  - Select ONDemand package unit
    - Size at 45°F EWT; 76/64°F EAT


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Develop your own Guide – I chose 6FPS not to exceed 10'/100'

### 10 Degree Delta T


Pipe size	GPM	Tons
– 1"	12	5.0
– 1 ¼"	22	9.2
– 1 ½"	34	14.2
– 2"	58	24.2
– 2 ½"	90	37.5






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- The purpose is to identify where the opportunity exists in a building to apply the alternate piping scheme to:
  - Reduce installed cost
  - Reduce operating cost
  - Increase flexibility
- Hydronic systems reduce cost because we move more BTU's in water than air for less horsepower



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- What is the foot print of the building?
- How long are the loops
- 100 feet in 17 seconds
  
- The effect of “Run Time” makes it almost impossible for more than 50% of the units to be “ON” at the same time




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- However – all projects are different

You must “know” your loads

A school wing with all classrooms may in fact have instantaneous loads when the bell rings.

Solution: All the loads are similar – size the units for the worst case and apply variable speed circulators controlling to a constant leaving air temperature and size the loop for the load.



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- Not Knowing your LOADS

The advantage of the ONDemand concept is that the loop is sized for the Block load.

Whether it is a building or a block the total tonnage required may not vary, but where the tonnage is concentrated will. The loop is sized for the worst case existing; even FUTURE load and equipment is selected later.



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### **Where to use Williams' ONDemand System**

- **Multiple zones of individual control**
- **Multiple stories, but it could be one**
- **Loop the Thermal Zone and save pipe**
- **When you need increased flexibility**  
*zoning unknown or subject to change*
- **Building Interface Cost reductions**  
*move more BTU economically in pipe*
- **Speed is of the essence and change is a given**
- **A solution to a portion of a building**  
*an area with multiple small zones*  
*the usage is undefined or subject to change*

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22 Stories  
Luxury Condominium  
Advertised as  
“raising the bar”  
Includes central gas heat  
and chilled water A/C

2x4 pipe Load Matched

*“It is simple and installs at a lower cost.”  
Says Mickey Woo, P.E.  
McDonald Miller, Facility Solutions*

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Control of humidity is toughest at reduced loads

- \* **New Orleans Monaco Hotel**  
**250 Units**  
**Historic 1926 Masonic**  
**Temple**  
**Lodge Conversion to a 4-Star**  
**Luxury Hotel**

“It is hardest to control humidity  
At low loads – it where you shine!”



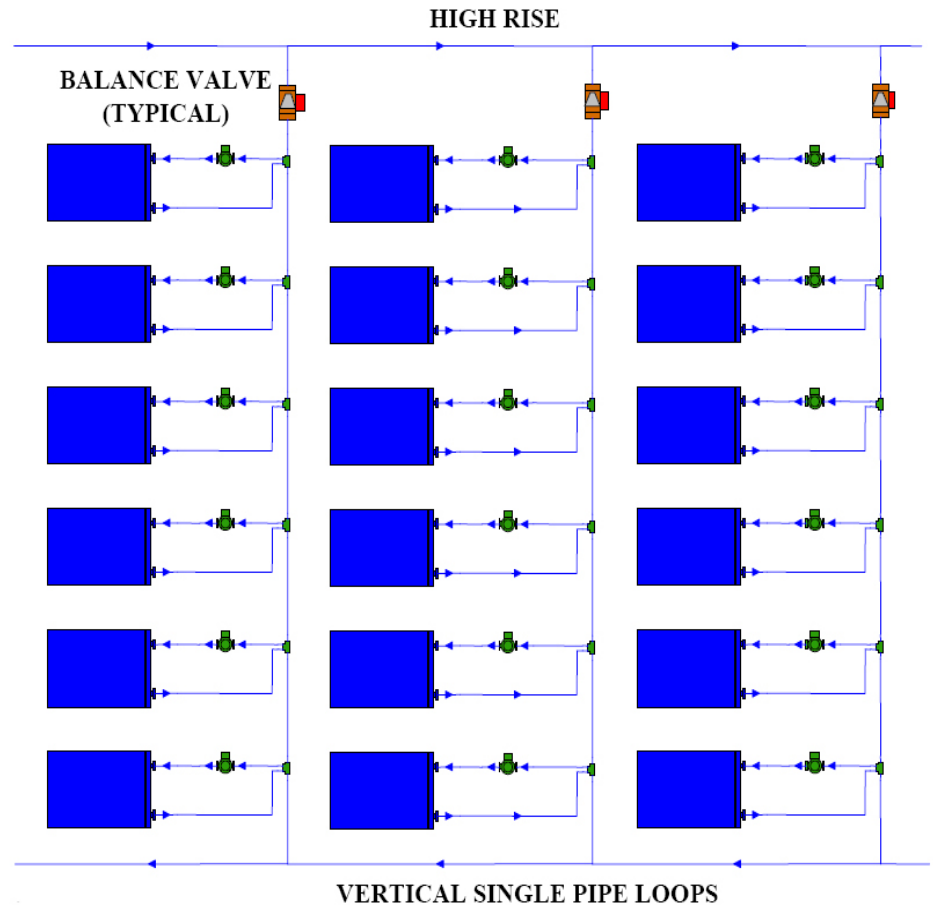
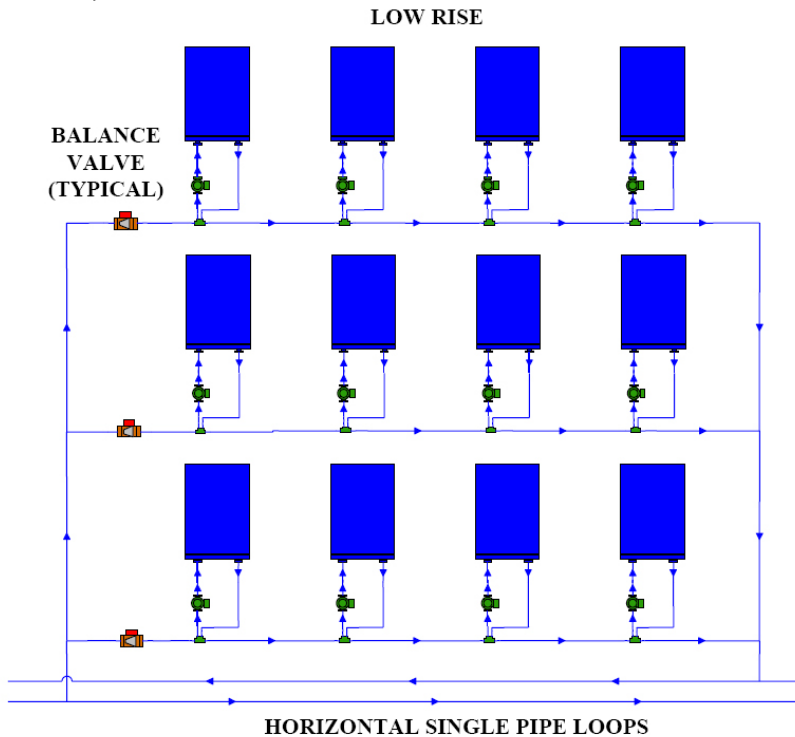
**Humidity Control  
in New Orleans**

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## Design Flexibility

- Utilize Two Pipe and Single Pipe Configurations Where Best Suited

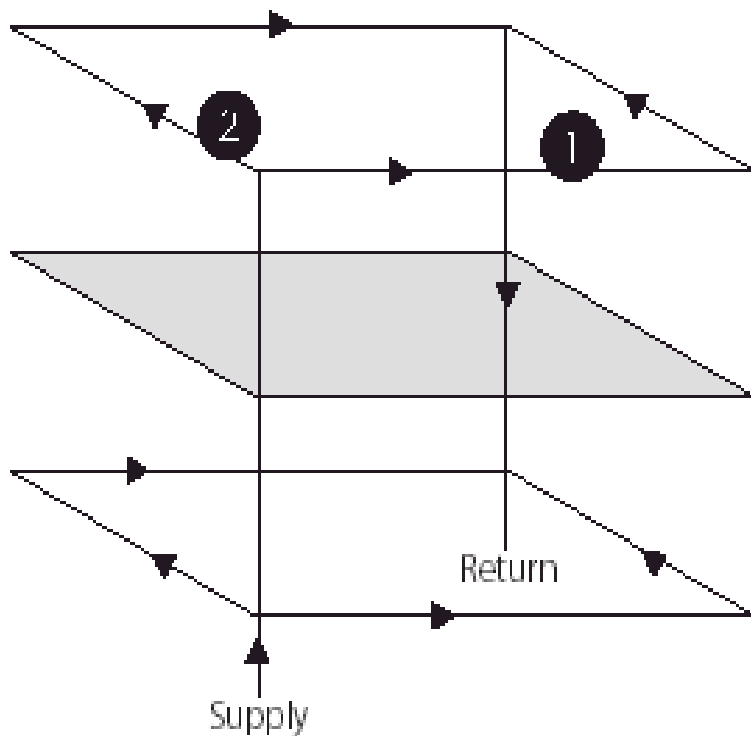
“Call it 2x4-Pipe”



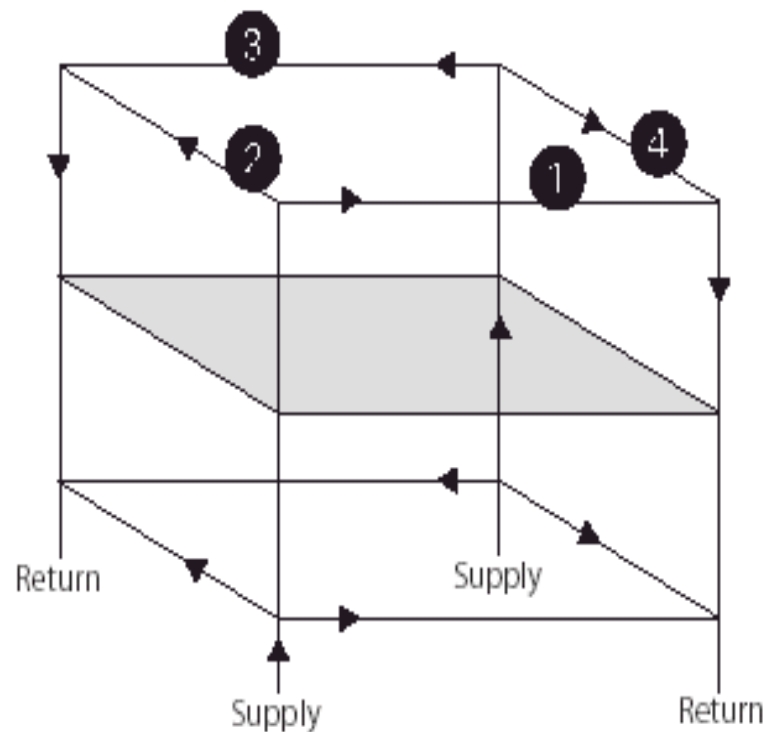


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### Multiple Loops per Floor



**2 Loops per Floor**




**4 Loops per Floor**



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- Simple procedure to size a Block Loop
  - Known:
    - Loop is 10 degree delta T
    - 42 to 52°F after the last unit



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### **BTU Flow vs. GPM Flow**

- *Load carrying capacity of water*

**500 x Delta T x GPM = Capacity**

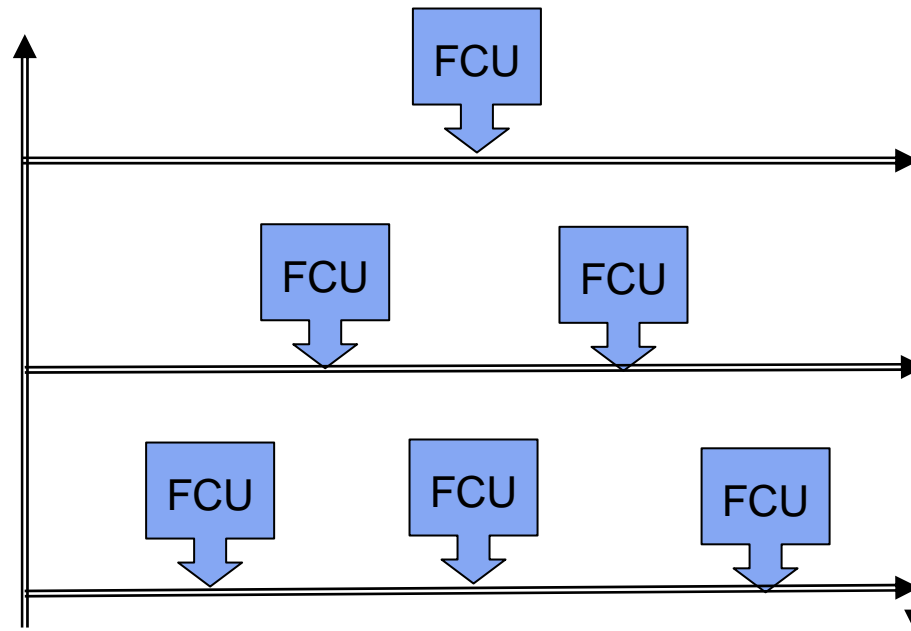
- *Select velocity*
- *Choose pipe size*
- *Make an economical selection?*


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ONDemand Advantage - solves problems

**The Loop is sized for the connected Load; not unit capacity**

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### Building a Budget

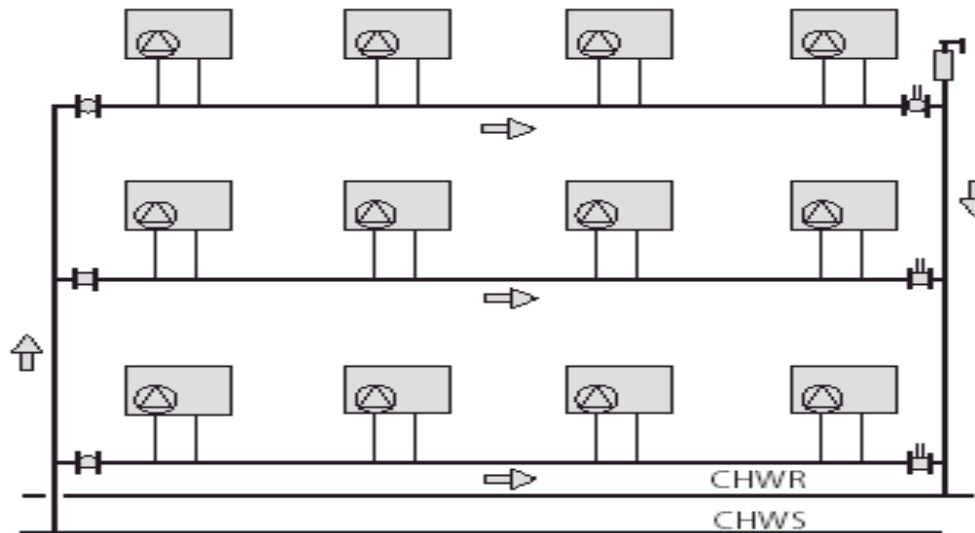
1. Tons/Floor
2. Total Tons per Building
  - ✓ 10 degree delta T = 2.4 GPM/ton
  - ✓ 8 degree delta T = 3.0 GPM/ton
3. Size risers and determine quantity
4. Layout building scheme
5. Schematic of ZoneMatched loops
6. Price the units
7. Budget

**It may not be the final design, but it would work**

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## ONDemand™

*Vertical Risers with Horizontal Distribution*




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**10 tons/floor**

**30 tons total**

10 tons x 2.4 GPM/ton = 24 GPM; 1 1/2" Loop on each floor.

Riser sized for 24 tons x 3 = 72 GPM; 2 1/2" stepped riser



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- Installation Cost Savings
  - Least expensive – constant flow circulator
  - OPTION
    - Variable speed circulators with LAT control
    - Parallel pipe to dedicated units

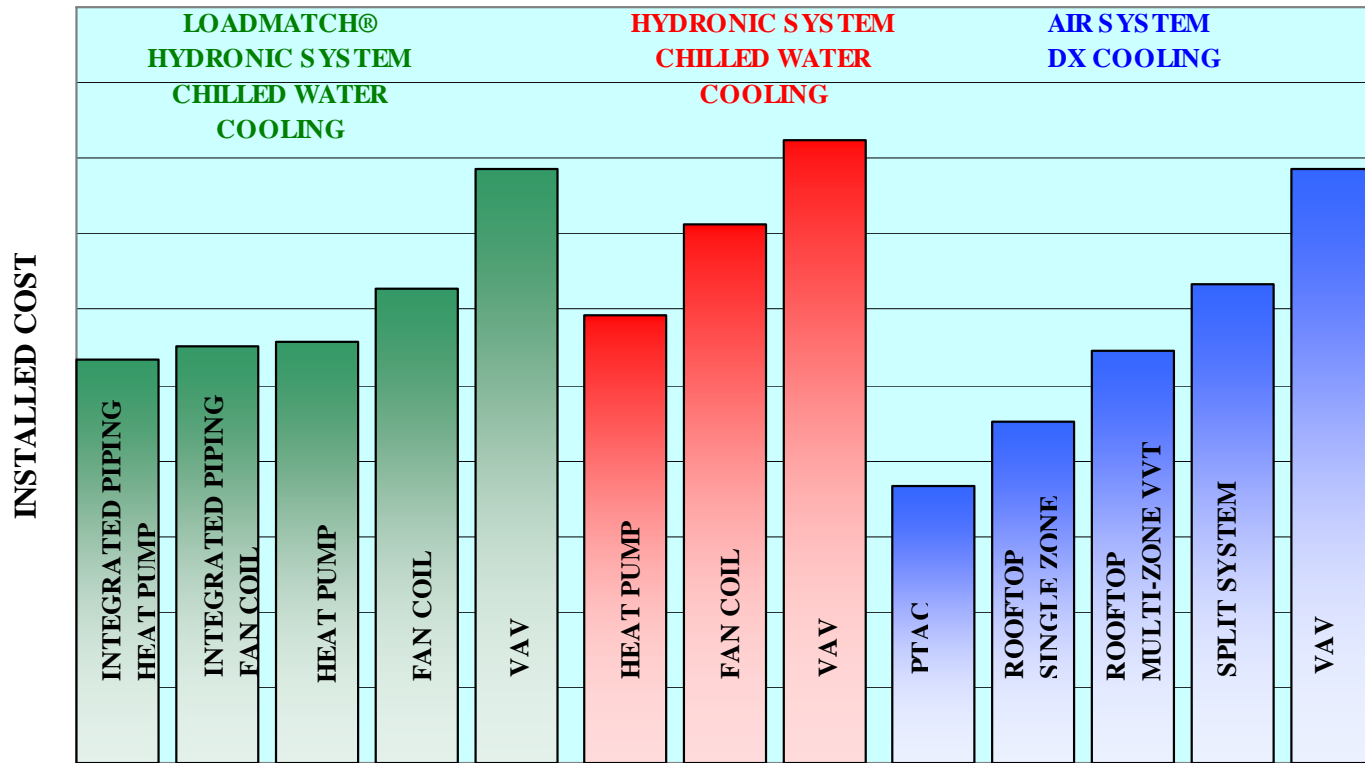
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- Taco Energy Analysis program
  - Building profile
  - Location
  - System Analysis
    - Default systems
    - Edit capability
    - Energy use breakouts
  - Annual energy consumption profile



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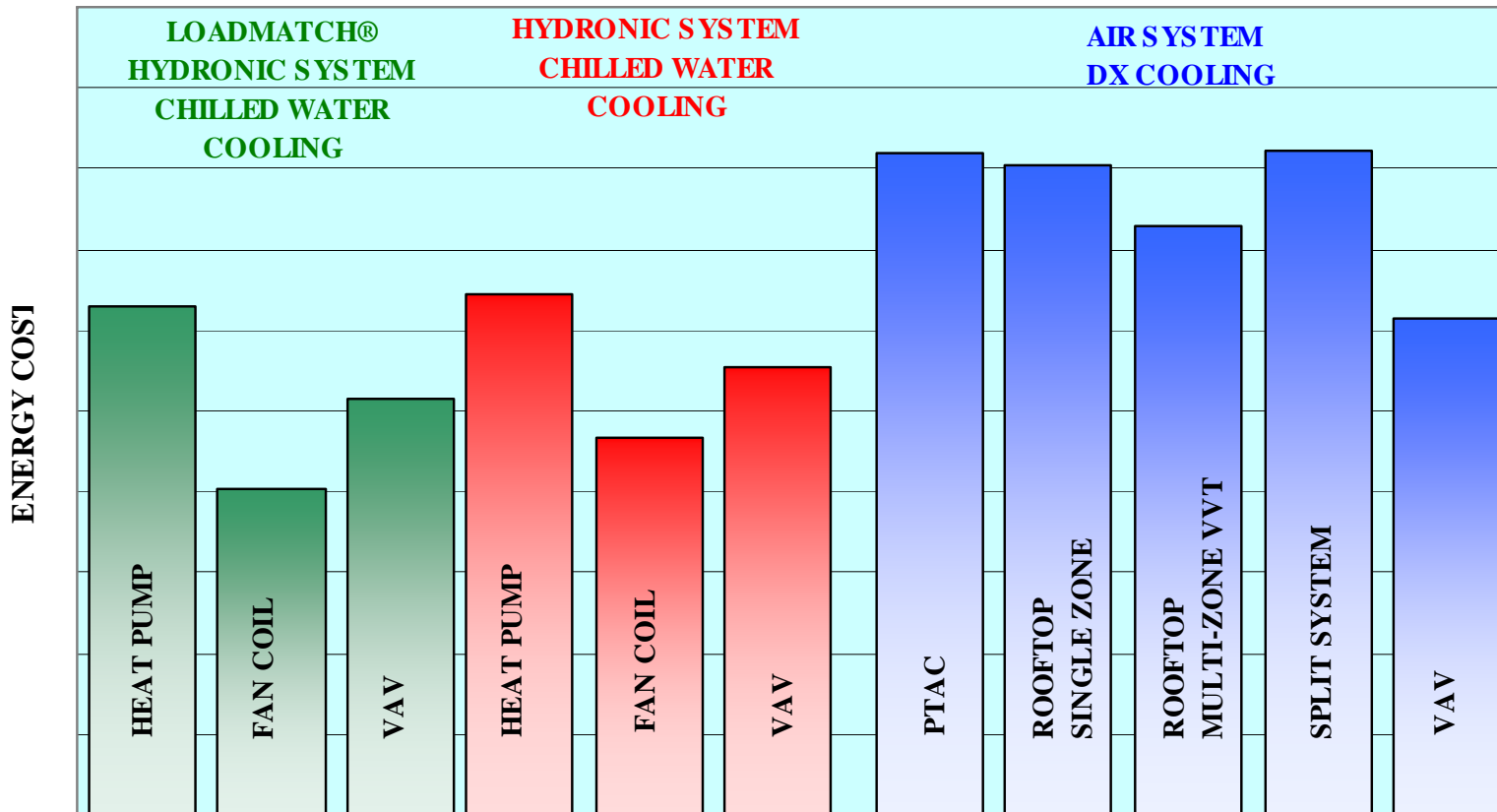
## HVAC SYSTEMS INSTALLED COSTS



COSTS BASED ON SUM OF MECHANICAL SYSTEM COSTS AND ELECTRICAL SYSTEM COSTS ASSOCIATED WITH MECHANICAL SYSTEMS

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**HVAC SYSTEMS ENERGY COSTS**

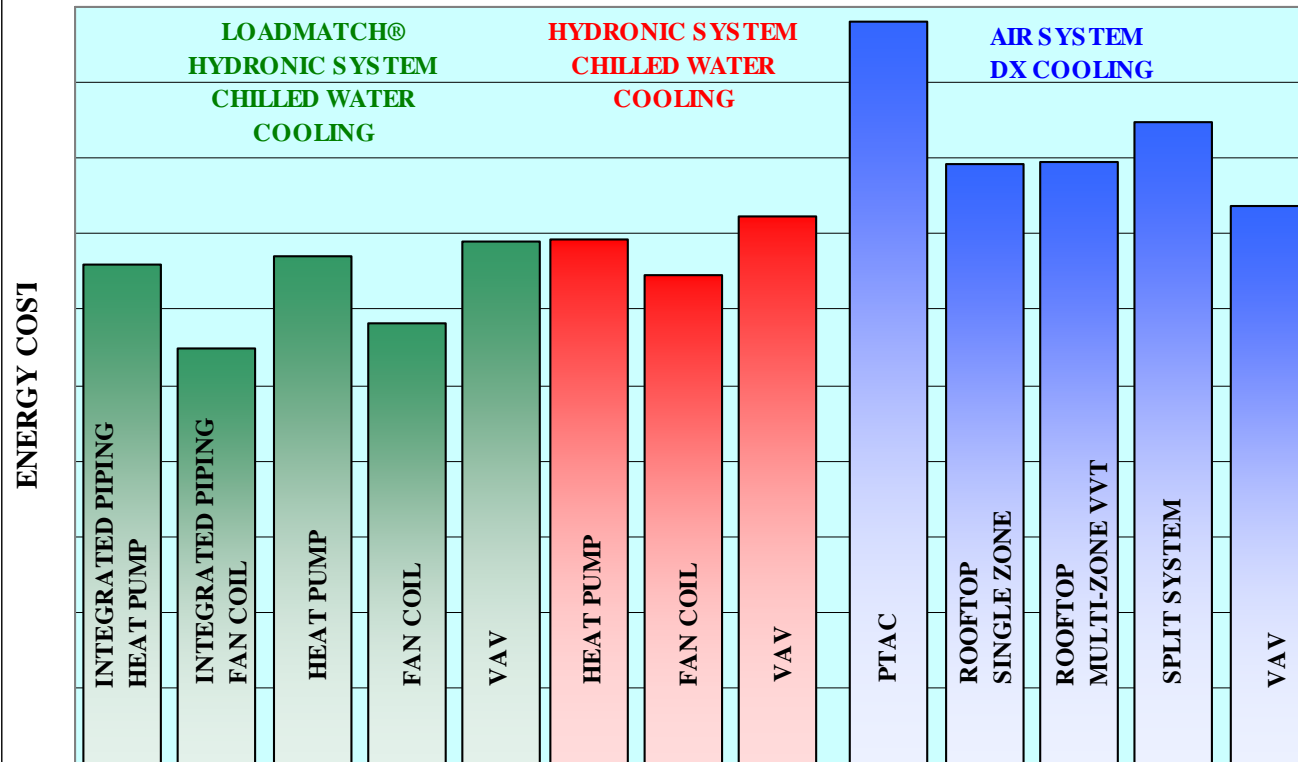


COSTS BASED ON AVERAGE UTILITY RATES FROM APPA AND AGA AND AVERAGE US CLIMATIC CONDITIONS

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**HVAC System Life Cycle (Sustainable) Costs**

**HVAC SYSTEMS LIFE CYCLE COSTS**



COSTS BASED ON 20 YEAR LIFE CYCLE, 8% RATE OF RETURN, 4% INFLATION RATE, AND HVAC CONSTRUCTION AND MAINTENANCE COST SURVEY OF MAINTENANCE COSTS



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### System Installation Savings

- More than just pipe is eliminated: **up to 40%**
  - Sizing takes design time and coordination
  - Reducers, one size pipe, field coordination
  - Fittings
  - Hangers
  - Hydronic specialties
  - Valves
  - Insulation

**Avoid System Problems**

**Reduce field labor**

**Increased Flexibility of the System**

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Thank you

