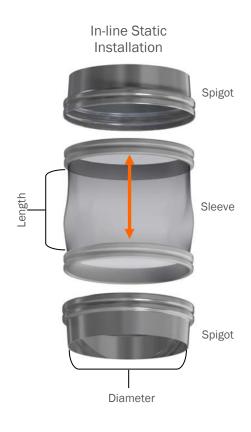
## MEASURING FOR A BFM® FITTING



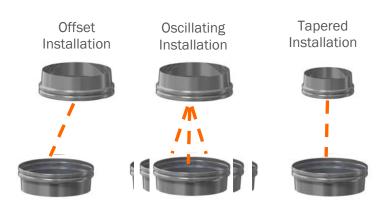
## **BFM fitting Inline Static Equipment**

- 1. Determine the diameter of the inlet and outlet connection points. This will be the <u>diameter</u> for the spigots and sleeves required. Custom connections available. (See note B)
- 2. Determine what the weld points will be. Weld points are where you will weld the spigots to the existing connection points.
- 3. Measure the total distance from the top weld point to the bottom weld point.
- 4. For a standard butt weld, (i.e. spigots untrimmed), take the total distance between the weld points and subtract 6.5", which allows for .5" sleeve compression. This is the <u>length</u> of the sleeve required. (See note C)
- 5. For non-standard lengths, either the tails of the spigots can be shortened or existing connection points can be adjusted. (See note D)
- 6. Contact Powder-Solutions, Inc. with any questions, special requirements, or to place an order.

## **Notes**

- Length and Diameter measurements are in millimeters, converted to the nearest whole inch.
- Diameter: the minimum diameter is 4".
  diameter is available, and beyond that only even values are available, going from 6" to 64". Custom fabrications such as tri-clamp or flanged ends are available.
- Sleeve length: the minimum sleeve length is 80mm (3"), then 100mm (4") and increasing in 50mm (2") increments.
- Standard spigot lengths are 3 1/2" long. You can trim up to 1 1/2" off the tail of each spigot. Trimming any closer to the formed end of the spigot may result in deformation.
- 4", 5", and 6" spigots are 1.5mm thick. 8" and larger are 2mm thick. Tails have a tapered profile.

## **Special Applications**



Several site variables can impact the proper BFM fitting selection for offset, oscillating and tapered applications. Contact sales@powder-solutions.com or call 877-236-3539 for assistance.

