## RIM-SC

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## SNOWMELT CONCEALED PANEL SYSTEM FOR CONCEALED ROOF \& GUTTER DE-ICING



## PRODUCT OVERVIEW

nVent RAYCHEM brand Roof Ice Melt (RIM) systems are designed to eliminate icicles and ice dam problems in wide range of applications.

RIM Snow Melt Concealed (RIM-SC) system is designed to mount under the roof surface so that the entire RIM panel is concealed. The system consists of high wattage RAYCHEM IceStop electric heating cable, Aluminum extrusion designed to fit the cable and a base panel for efficient heat transfer. The RIMSC system uses 2 linear runs of heating cable with power output necessary for heavy snow load areas.

RIM systems provide:

- Long term roof deicing solution by mechanically protecting the heating cable
- Aesthetically pleasing solution by concealing the heating cable
- High performance and reliable solution for heavy snow load areas


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Extrusion ( 1 ft per foot of RIM-SC)
Base Panel ( 1 ft per foot of RIM-SC)
IceStop Heating Cable (2 ft per foot of RIM-SC)

MATERIALS OF CONSTRUCTION

| Extrusion | Aluminum |
| :--- | :--- |
| Base Panel | Aluminum |
|  |  |
| ADDITIONAL MATERIALS (AS REQUIRED) |  |
| Power Connection kits (WPCK-R) | Contains a heat shrink power connection and end seal designed for RIM systems |
| Splice/Tee Connection kits (WSTK) | Heat shrink splice or tee kit designed for RIM systems |
| RIM Adhesive/Sealant | Silicone adhesive for RIM systems |
|  | Note: Only approved connection kits and accessories must be used with RIM Systems. |
|  | Refer to RIM design guide (H59561) for proper selection. |

Power Output
Minimum Installation Temperature
Overall Base Dimensions

Overall Extrusion Dimensions
Weight
$24 \mathrm{~W} / \mathrm{ft}$ of RIM-SC (79 W/m of RIM-SC) in snow or ice
$0^{\circ} \mathrm{F}\left(-18^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right)$
Width: $77 / 8$ in ( 200 mm )
Thickness: $3 / 4$ in $(19 \mathrm{~mm})$
Width: $13 / 4$ in ( 44 mm ) Thickness: $5 / 8$ in ( 16 mm )
$1156 \mathrm{lb} / 1000 \mathrm{ft}$ (1720 kg/km)

HEATING CABLE SPECIFICATIONS (NOMINAL)

| Voltage | IceStop GM-1X: 120 Vac |
| :--- | :--- |
|  | IceStop GM-2X: 208-277 Vac |
| Minimum Bend Radius | $5 / 8$ in $(16 \mathrm{~mm})$ |

MAXIMUM CIRCUIT LENGTH IN FEET (METERS)

|  | Start-up temperature |  | Circuit breaker size |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | 15 A |  | 20 A |  | 30 A |  | 40 A |  |
| GM-1X at 120 volts | $32^{\circ} \mathrm{F}$ | $\left(0^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right)$ | 100 | (30) | 135 | (41) | 200 | (61) | - |  |
|  | $20^{\circ} \mathrm{F}$ | $\left(-7^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right)$ | 95 | (29) | 125 | (38) | 185 | (56) | 200 | (61) |
|  | $0^{\circ} \mathrm{F}$ | $\left(-18^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right)$ | 80 | (24) | 100 | (30) | 155 | (47) | 200 | (61) |
| GM-2X at 208 volts | $32^{\circ} \mathrm{F}$ | $\left(0^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right)$ | 190 | (58) | 250 | (76) | 380 | (116) | - |  |
|  | $20^{\circ} \mathrm{F}$ | $\left(-7^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right)$ | 180 | (55) | 235 | (72) | 355 | (108) | 380 | (116) |
|  | $0^{\circ} \mathrm{F}$ | $\left(-18^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right)$ | 145 | (44) | 195 | (59) | 290 | (88) | 380 | (116) |
| GM-2X at 240 volts | $32^{\circ} \mathrm{F}$ | $\left(0^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right)$ | 200 | (61) | 265 | (81) | 400 | (122) | - |  |
|  | $20^{\circ} \mathrm{F}$ | $\left(-7^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right)$ | 190 | (58) | 250 | (76) | 370 | (113) | 400 | (122) |
|  | $0^{\circ} \mathrm{F}$ | $\left(-18^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right)$ | 155 | (47) | 205 | (62) | 305 | (93) | 400 | (122) |
| GM-2X at 277 volts | $32^{\circ} \mathrm{F}$ | $\left(0^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right)$ | 215 | (66) | 290 | (88) | 415 | (126) | - |  |
|  | $20^{\circ} \mathrm{F}$ | $\left(-7^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right)$ | 200 | (61) | 265 | (81) | 400 | (122) | 415 | (126) |
|  | $0^{\circ} \mathrm{F}$ | $\left(-18^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right)$ | 165 | (50) | 225 | (69) | 330 | (101) | 415 | (126) |

## APPROVALS

The IceStop heating cables are UL Listed and CSA Certified only when used with the appropriate agency-approved nVent connection kits and accessories. For approvals information, refer to the IceStop heating cable data sheet H56428.

## GROUND-FAULT PROTECTION

To minimize the danger of fire from sustained electrical arcing if the heating cable is damaged or improperly installed, and to comply with the requirements of nVent, agency certifications, and national electrical codes, ground-fault equipment protection must be used on each heating cable branch circuit. Arcing may not be stopped by conventional circuit protection. Many RAYCHEM control and monitoring systems meet the ground-fault protection requirement.

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