### **Tamarack Technologies Cape Backdraft Damper**

# Goes with the FLOME

## Cape Backdraft Damper

- Silent
- Economical
- Energy Efficient
- Easy Installation
- Innovative Design
- No Mechanical Parts
- Assembled in the USA
- Rated to 160°F/71°C

The Cape Backdraft Damper is the ultimate one way air flow valve designed to overcome the inefficiencies and limitations of traditional gravity or butterfly dampers.



Tamarack's Cape
Backdraft Damper
features a specially

features a specially formulated fabric sleeve attached to an outer metal sleeve that enables maximum air flow in the desired direction and closes with minimal pressure in the opposite direction.





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# MAXIMUM AIR FLOW!

### **SPECIFICATIONS**

The Tamarack Cape Backdraft
Damper is a non-mechanical
in-line one way air flow valve
that requires minimal pressure
to open or close. Tested to
UL 723 and NFPA 255 standards.
This non-restrictive damper
fits inside the duct.
4", 5", 6", 7" & 8"
sizes available.

Nominal Duct Size (CBD Order Size)	Actual I.D.	Length
4"	3-7/8"	5-1/8"
5"	4-7/8"	6-1/2"
6"	5-7/8"	7-5/8"
7"	6-7/8"	9-1/2"
8"	7-7/8"	11"

The Cape Backdraft Damper was tested against two other dampers at moderate airflow (airflow typical for a residential ventilation application).

The fan ran using open ductwork to set the desired airflow. Each type of damper was then inserted into the air stream. The airflow was measured and the leakage rates at various pressures recorded for comparison in the charts on the right and below.

#### CFM AIRFLOW COMPARISONS

Product	CFM		
6" duct, 4' length	80		
Butterfly Damper	17		
Gravity Damper	30		
Cape Backdraft Damper	77		

### CFM INCHES/WG LEAKAGE

Product	10" w.g.	080" w.g.	052"w.g.	036"w.g.	018"w.g
Butterfly Damper	1.6 CFM	2.0	1.6	1.2	1.0
Gravity Damper	3.0	4.0	5.0	5.0	5.0
Cape Backdraft Damper	0.4	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0























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