Sizing High Flow Tubes

- Equalize IN and OUT flow areas to maximize flow rates.
- To calculate IN and OUT flow areas:

Area (IN) = Area (OUT) = Channel Diameter x .707

Example:	.437″ dia. channel X .707 = .309″
	.309" is the <i>diameter</i> that splits the 7/16" water line into 2 equal parts

Channel Diameter-

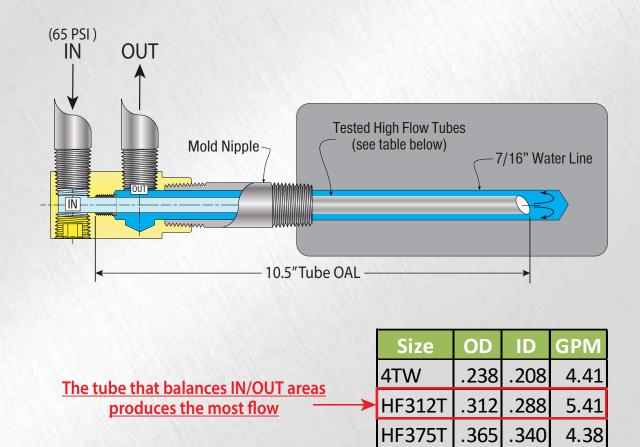
Tube Diameter

Area (OUT

Area (IN)

Test Data

- For a 7/16" water line, the ideal tube OD and ID should be close to .309"
- HF312T tube with OD of .312" and ID of .288" is close.
- Larger or smaller tubes will restrict the inlet/outlet areas and reduce the flow rate (see test data below).



* Tested at 65 PSI inlet pressure



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