

# WASHING AND MAINTENANCE OF ZIP-A-DUCT FABRIC DUCTS

As a leading fabric duct manufacturer, we are constantly looking for solutions that benefit contractors, engineers, and end-users and ensure the best possible air distribution without drafts and frequent maintenance.

Since 2010, we have been using laser technology to create both primary and secondary flow models from our fabric ducts. One of the advantages of this technology is that the previously recommended washing intervals are no longer necessary on all jobs.

However, some projects with high hygienic requirements, like in the food or pharmaceutical industry, still require fabric ducts to be washed regularly. We advise you to always observe and follow the hygienic requirements on the individual project.

Ducts with the following flow models do not require regular washing from a technical point of view:

- Zip-a-Duct SonicFlow™
- Zip-a-Duct PerfoFlow™
- Zip-a-Duct OriFlow™
- Zip-a-Duct NozzFlow™
- Zip-a-Duct JetFlow™\*

Ducts using exclusively Zip-a-Duct FabFlow™ should be washed once a year to reduce unnecessary pressure loss. Ducts using exclusively Zip-a-Duct MicroFlow™ may see a slight accumulation of dust particles inside the duct over time. This does not cause a significant pressure loss but may lead to the desire/need to wash them. When using FabFlow or MicroFlow, adequate pre-filtering should be used.

\*The recommendation is to use minimum class F7.