Remco Product Selection Guide

Vikan Tube Brushes

Remco is Vikan’s dedicated North American company.
**Bristle Options**

- **Soft** — Bristles are longer and thinner than other types; good at removing fine particles.
- **Medium** — Suitable for wet and dry applications; suitable for removing larger particles.
- **Stiff** — Bristles are shorter or thicker; perfect for scrubbing stubborn debris and for wet use with cleaning agents.

**Flexible Handles**

- **Stainless Steel** — Provides an FDA compliant, durable solution to mildly curved tube cleaning needs.
- **Nylon** — A highly flexible solution that is safe to use on sensitive internal surfaces, e.g. glass.

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**Tube Brush Heads**

- Tube Brush Heads are comprised of polyester bristles affixed to a twisted stainless steel wire. This provides a hygienic and durable sanitizing option.
- Tube Brush Heads range from 0.4" to 3.5" in diameter to accommodate common tube sizes.
- Individual tube brush heads pair with any Vikan flexible handle listed below.

**Flexible Handle Options**

- **Flexible Handle** — Flexible stainless steel wire attached to polypropylene grip.
- **Extension for Flexible Handle** — Connects to 5351 or can be daisy-chained together for additional length.
- **Long Flexible Handle** — This handle combines the flexible handle (5346) with the extension (5351).
- **Long Flexible Nylon Handle** — This handle is used to avoid damaging sensitive internal surfaces during cleaning.

**Brush Options**

- **One-Piece Bottle Brush** — Hygienic single-piece design removes a common bacteria hiding spot, while extra stiff bristles enable you to clean more quickly and effectively.
- **Tube Brushes** — Clean hard-to-reach short tubes, outlet openings, and slightly curved tubes with the flexible design of the Vikan tube brushes.
- **Tube Brush Heads** — Flexible heads allow for specialized cleaning in tubes and difficult areas. Specialized bristles and narrow heads effectively clean in tight spots. Can use with additional handle segments, greatly extending reach.
- **Pipe Brush Heads** — Thicker pipe brush heads clean large round tank outlets and drains. Fits any Vikan handle, including telescoping models.
- **Valve Brushes** — These pipe brushes have long, flexible handles and stiff bristles to make cleaning drains and narrow spaces easier.
Tube Brushes

- Tube brushes are meant to clean short pipes and hard-to-reach spots on machinery. They have flexible handles to reach difficult spaces and come in different colors to support HACCP color coding programs.

- Brush heads should be large enough that the bristles can reach the edges of the pipe, but small enough to fit in the pipe well without excessive force.

- Standard pipe brushes (5375x and 5376x) with 0.4” and 0.9” diameters are a great choice for common tube sizes.

- The Full Tube Brush (5378x), Wide Tube Brush (5379x), and Maximum Tube Brush (5370x) with diameters ranging from 1.5” to 2.5” are good for use with larger pipes.

- The Drain Cleaning Brush is designed to clean small spaces between machine parts and drainage holes of sinks.

Valve Brushes

- Vikan valve brushes provide effective cleaning performance and are available in a variety of brush widths and lengths.

- Stiff bristle valve brushes are designed to clean narrow tubes/valves and can tackle sticky/stubborn substances.

- Soft bristles gently clean stainless steel surfaces and allow for more water and cleaning solution to stay with the brush, giving surfaces a deeper clean.

- Extended handles provide approximately 23” of additional length over the Long Valve Brushes, allowing access to difficult to reach areas or long pipes.
Pipe Brush Heads

- Designed to clear debris in straight pipes or to clean large round tank outlets and drains.
- The stiff bristles on the end of the pipe brushes makes clearing away stubborn debris easier.
- The medium stiffness bristles on 5380-90-x, 5380-103-x, and 7035x are well suited for wet or dry applications and for sweeping away larger particles.
- The stiff bristles on the 5380-50-x, 5380-63-x, and 5380-77-x make them a great choice for scrubbing away difficult messes or for using with water and cleaning agents.

One-Piece Bottle Brushes

- The bottle brush is used for cleaning large tubes, valves, and bottles. It is often used as a multi-purpose scrub.
- With no joint between the handle and the brush head, the one-piece design solves a common hygiene concern.
- The drop-shaped hanging hole allows water to flow down the brush while drying and is easier to clean.