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PEX Pipe - Manifolds

With PEX systems, plumbers have the flexibility to install their piping systems in a variety of ways. It's possible to use reducing T's to do traditional T and Branch Systems, just as it's been done with metal pipes in the past. PEX systems allow that option. But PEX systems also allow the option of a variety of manifold systems. Sometimes these are what we call pure home run systems with central manifolds and separate 1/2" or 3/8" pipe fittings to every fixture in the house. A lot of plumbers are also using remote manifolds, meaning several smaller manifolds located at various places throughout the home. A combination of these remote manifolds often provides the least amount of material and fittings, while still providing excellent flow and balance pressure to every fixture throughout a home.