Curving Runtal Radiators

One of the most useful design features of Runtal is the ability to curve the radiators to match the curved walls of today's modern building designs. Runtal radiators can be field-curved, or factory-curved, depending on the model chosen and the jobsite conditions.

Field Curving

Field curving is the preferred option, since it is the least expensive, and the most flexible choice. Model types “R” and “RF” in lengths over 15'-0" can be field-curved, as long as the curving radius is over 15'-0" as well.

The longer the radiator, and the larger the curving radius, the easier it is to field-curve.

Long sweeping expanses of glass walls can be effectively and economically heated with field-curved R or RF radiators, creating a custom look heating design at a price only slightly higher than straight wall design.

Factory Curving

Factory curving is the option of choice if the radiator, or the radius, are either less than 15'-0"; or Runtal models R2F or RS2 are required. Factory curving is a more expensive and more inflexible option, with the radiators being hand-built to a specific radius.

Radiator length and curving radius limitations apply, so consultation with a Runtal Representative is highly recommended prior to specifying factory-curved radiators.