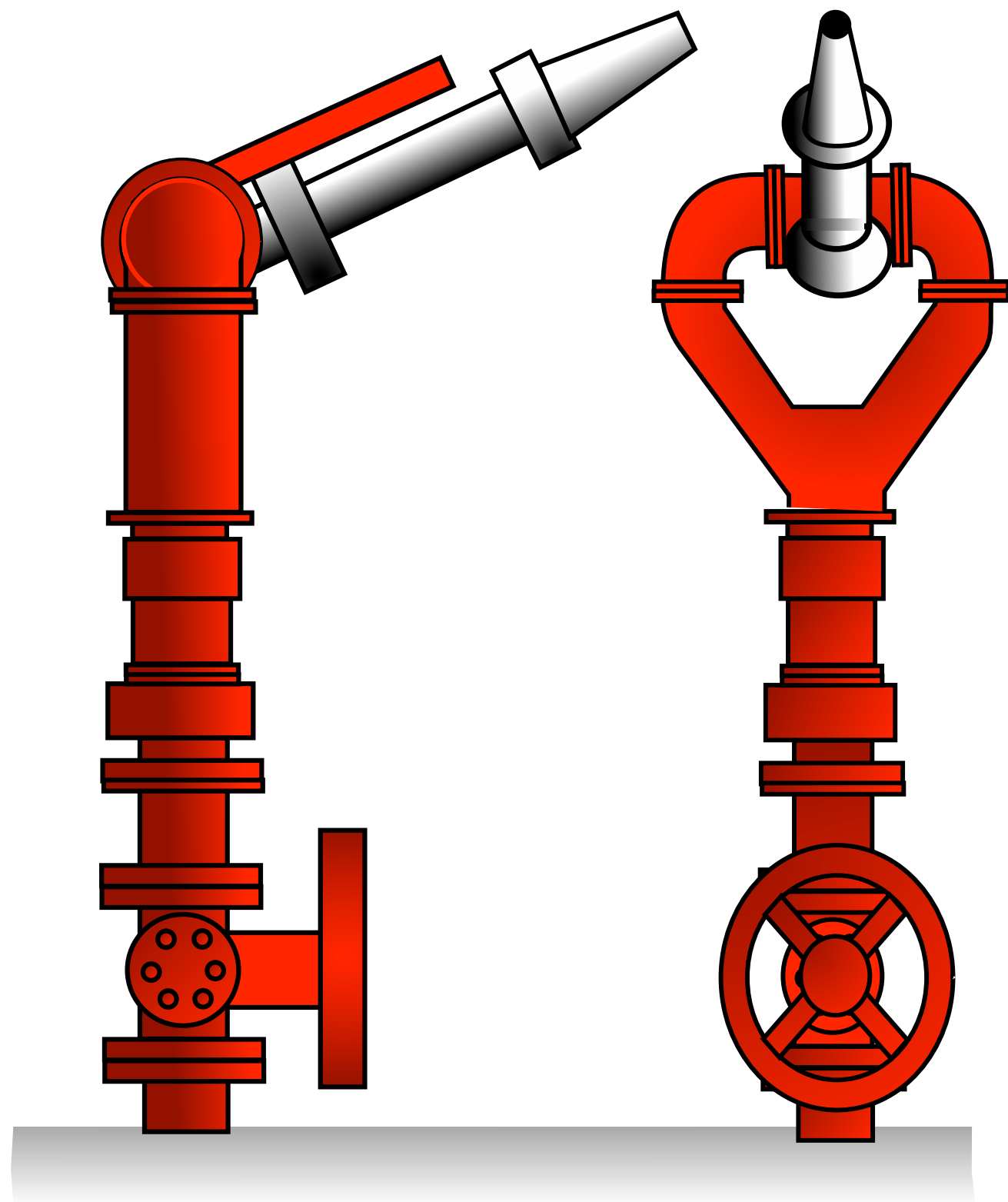


Standard US Navy Fire Monitor WWII Era (Shown Red - Actual Color was US Navy "Haze Gray")



The Iona was originally equipped with twin 250-hp electric pump motors which provided 2,000 gallons per minute of water at 152 psi to four monitors, and to manifolds for 2-3/4- and 1-1/2-inch fire hose on the deck. In the summer of 1948 the vessel's firefighting capacity was increased by the addition of United Iron Works 6-inch two-stage centrifugal pumps. The pumps, which also provided 2,000 gallons per minute at 150 psi, increased the total pumping capacity of the fireboat to 10,000 gpm.