RIGID STEEL CONDUIT (GRC)



Quality, Long Lasting Steel Conduit

Allied Rigid Steel Conduit is precision manufactured for dependable, long-lasting value and ultimate protection for electrical conductors. Covered by article 344 of the National Electrical Code® (NEC®), rigid steel conduit is highly resistant to damage from impact. It can be installed in all occupancies and locations, including Class I Division 1 hazardous locations.

Rigid steel conduit, is recognized as an equipment grounding conductor in Section 250.118 of the NEC and also provides excellent shielding from electromagnetic fields.

- Hot-dip galvanized to protect against white rust and increase corrosion resistance
- High strength ductile steel for long life and easy bending
- Smooth, continuous raceways for fast wire-pulling
- UL listed to UL 6, manufactured in accordance with ANSI C80.1
- Available in trade sizes 1/2 6



For Faster Installations

Use the Kwik-Couple® Connection

Innovation from the conduit leaders at Allied.

Allied's patented* Kwik-Couple rigid steel conduit reduces threaded conduit installation time and cost significantly. Kwik-Couple has an integrated coupling on the conduit or elbows, exactly where you need it.

Just line up the ends, spin the coupling forward onto the next piece and wrench tighten. It's that easy! Trade sizes 2-1/2 – 5.

* U.S. Patent Numbers 4258936,4547004.

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Specifications

FULL ELECTRICAL SYSTEM PROTECTION

Manufactured from mild steel, Allied's Rigid Steel Conduit is highly resistant to damage from impact per NEC® article 344 yet ductile to facilitate bending. Hot-dip galvanized inside and out to provide galvanic corrosion protection, it is also top-coated with a compatible organic layer to protect against white rust. The inside surface is evenly coated for wire-pulling ease, even through multiple 90® bends.

The 3/4" taper NPT threads (ANSI B1.20.1) are full cut and hot galvanized after cutting. Color-coded end-cap thread protectors keep the threads clean, sharp and also provide instant trade size recognition. Trade sizes are color-coded blue, 1/2 trade sizes black, and 1/4 trade sizes red.

FMI SHIFLDING

Allied RIGID is very effective in reducing electromagnetic field levels for encased power distribution circuits, shielding computers and other sensitive electronic equipment from the effects of electromagnetic interference. Visit www.steelconduit.org/gemi.htm to obtain the GEMI (Grounding and Electro-magnetic Interference) software analysis program.

FULL CODES & STANDARDS COMPLIANCE

Allied RIGID is covered by article 344 of the National Electrical Code. It is listed to Underwriters Laboratories Safety Standard UL 6. and is manufactured to ANSI C80.1, both of which have been adopted as Federal Specifications in lieu of WWC 581. Allied RIGID is recognized as an equipment grounding conductor by NEC Article 250.

Installation of Rigid Metal Conduit shall be in accordance with the National Electrical Code and UL General Information card #DYIX. Master bundles conform to NEMA standard RN2.

SPECIFICATION DATA

Rigid Steel Conduit shall be hot-dip galvanized and manufactured by Allied Tube & Conduit. Threads shall be hot galvanized after cutting. Rigid steel conduit shall be listed to UL Safety Standard 6 by a nationally-recognized testing laboratory with follow-up service. It shall be manufactured in accordance with ANSI C80.1. Kwik-Couple Rigid steel conduit shall be listed to UL 6 and UL 514B and manufactured in accordance with ANSI C80.1.

Note: Federal specification WW-C-581, Class 1, Type A has been superseded by UL Standard 6, which has been adopted by the federal government.

Weights and Dimensions for Galvanized Rigid Steel Conduit

| Trade Size Designator | | Approx. Wt.* Per 100 Ft. (30.5M) | | Outside Diameter¹ | | Nominal Wall Thickness ² | | Quantity In Master Bundle* | |
|--------------------------|--------|-------------------------------------|-------|----------------------|-------|--|------|-------------------------------|-------|
| U.S. | Metric | lb. | kg | in. | mm | in. | mm | ft. | m |
| 1/2 | 16 | 82 | 37.2 | 0.840 | 21.3 | 0.104 | 2.60 | 2500 | 762.5 |
| 3/4 | 21 | 109 | 49.4 | 1.050 | 26.7 | 0.107 | 2.70 | 2000 | 610.0 |
| 1 | 27 | 161 | 73.0 | 1.315 | 33.4 | 0.126 | 3.20 | 1250 | 381.3 |
| 1-1/4 | 35 | 218 | 98.9 | 1.660 | 42.2 | 0.133 | 3.40 | 900 | 274.5 |
| 1-1/2 | 41 | 263 | 119.3 | 1.900 | 48.3 | 0.138 | 3.50 | 800 | 244.0 |
| 2 | 53 | 350 | 158.7 | 2.375 | 60.3 | 0.146 | 3.70 | 600 | 183.0 |
| 2-1/2 | 63 | 559 | 253.5 | 2.875 | 73.0 | 0.193 | 4.90 | 370 | 112.9 |
| 3 | 78 | 727 | 329.7 | 3.500 | 88.9 | 0.205 | 5.20 | 300 | 91.5 |
| 3-1/2 | 91 | 880 | 399.1 | 4.000 | 101.6 | 0.215 | 5.50 | 250 | 76.3 |
| 4 | 103 | 1030 | 467.1 | 4.500 | 114.3 | 0.225 | 5.70 | 200 | 61.0 |
| 5 | 129 | 1400 | 634.9 | 5.563 | 141.3 | 0.245 | 6.20 | 150 | 45.8 |
| 6 | 155 | 1840 | 834.5 | 6.625 | 168.3 | 0.266 | 6.80 | 100 | 30.5 |

- ¹ Tolerances: Trade Size 1/2 to 1-1/2: ±0.015" (0.38mm); Trade Size 2-6: ± 1% Length equals 10 ft. (3.05m) with a tolerance of +/- .25 in. (6.35mm)
- ² For information only. Not a requirement of the UL standard.
- * NEMA RN-3 Standard

Weights and Dimensions for Kwik-Couple® Rigid

| Trade Size Designator | | Approx. Wt. Per 100 Ft. (30.5M) | | Nominal Outside Diameter ¹ | | Nominal Wall Thickness | | Quantity In Master Bundle | |
|--------------------------|--------|------------------------------------|-------|--|-------|------------------------------|------|------------------------------|-------|
| U.S. | Metric | lb. | kg | in. | mm | in. | mm | ft. | m |
| 2-1/2 | 63 | 559 | 253.5 | 2.875 | 73.0 | 0.193 | 4.90 | 400 | 122.0 |
| 3 | 78 | 727 | 329.7 | 3.500 | 88.9 | 0.205 | 5.20 | 300 | 91.5 |
| 3-1/2 | 91 | 880 | 399.1 | 4.000 | 101.6 | 0.215 | 5.50 | 250 | 76.3 |
| 4 | 103 | 1030 | 467.1 | 4.500 | 114.3 | 0.225 | 5.70 | 200 | 61.0 |
| 5 | 129 | 1400 | 634.9 | 5.000 | 141.3 | 0.245 | 6.20 | 150 | 45.8 |

¹Outside diameter tolerances: +/- .025 in. (.64mm) ²For information only; not a spec requirement.

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