



Build with confidence

# GFRP

THE #1 GFRP SOLUTION FOR CONCRETE REINFORCEMENT



A GREENER SOLUTION



LESS THAN 1KG PER BAR

100%

CORROSION RESISTANCE

 MADE IN CANADA

## 10mm Horizontal Bar™ Slab On Ground

10mm Horizontal Bar is the best in class GFRP (Glass Fiber Reinforced Polymer) rebar. Engineered for concrete slab on ground, 10mm Horizontal Bar is manufactured with long-lasting resin and corrosion-resistant glass to reinforce your concrete with a superior grade, reinforcement.



### Quick & Simple Installation

Easy to transport and to move on site.

### 200+ Years Service Life

Engineered to last for generations.

### Reduced Environmental Impact

GFRP rebar is manufactured in Canada using only electric power and achieves a zero emissions standard that is natural to its mode of production.

### Corrosion Resistant

Impervious to corrosive affects due to coastal salt-water spray and full salt-water submersion.

### Nonconductive & Nonferrous

Ideal for projects with electromagnetic sensitivity.



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## Physical & Mechanical Properties

Nominal Bar Dimensions	10 mm Diameter / 5.85 m Length
Nominal Cross-Sectional Area	71 mm <sup>2</sup>
Bar Composition	Vinyl Ester Resin & ECR Glass Fiber
Bar Profile	Integral Rib Design (No Sand-Coating Required)
Guaranteed Tensile Strength	145 ksi (1000 MPa)
Elastic Modulus	6380 ksi (45 GPa)
Transverse Shear Strength	23 ksi (160 MPa)
Guaranteed Pull-Out Capacity	2900 psi (20 MPa)

## GFRP Slab On Ground design for shrinkage.

In this design the following assumptions have been used:

- Soil to have a good compaction
- Bars to be placed properly
- Control joint to be cut properly
- Expansion joint to be considered properly
- Spacing between bars to be accurate



## Design Aid for Slab on Ground with GFRP

SL62	Spacing 500mm C/C	SL82	Spacing 350mm C/C
SL72	Spacing 400mm C/C	SL92	Spacing 300mm C/C

Slab Thickness	Temperature Zone	GFRP Required in each Direction	NOTES: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Sawcut control joints at 4m to 5m spacing maximum, depth of sawcut shall be 25% of slab thickness.</li> <li>• If you wish to use 10mm GFRP bars, you can increase the spacing accordingly based on tensile capacity of the GFRP rebar, capacity between the two is 26%, therefore spacing can be increased by 26%.</li> <li>• Expansion joints shall be at maximum spacing of 15 meters.</li> <li>• Mid-strip is 50% of width of panel between joints</li> <li>• Edge-strip is 25% of width of panel along all joints</li> <li>• All 10mm Horizontal Bar rebars are placed at mid-depth of slab unless otherwise noted</li> <li>• Cover to additional top rebars shall be 30mm to 40mm minimum</li> </ul>
100mm	Subzero to +100° C	Mid-strip: 10mm Horizontal Bar @300mm Edge-strip: 10mm Horizontal Bar @400mm	
150mm	Subzero to +100° C	Mid-strip: 10mm Horizontal Bar @300mm Edge-strip: 10mm Horizontal Bar @400mm	
150mm (12 kPa loads)	Subzero to +100° C	Mid-strip: 10mm Horizontal Bar @200mm Edge-strip: 10mm Horizontal Bar @400mm -Plus 2-Bar @400 Top all along exposed joints	
200mm	Subzero to +100° C	Mid-strip: 10mm Horizontal Bar @300mm -Plus 3-Bar @300 Top all along exposed joints	

### Applications\*

- RESIDENTIAL DRIVEWAYS
- FOOTPATHS & WALKWAYS
- CONCRETE SLABS
- PAVING • DIY

\*Not for vertical installation.

## Handling & Installation



Always wear gloves when handling 10mm Horizontal Bar™. Direct contact to skin can cause irritation.



Use a diamond blade when site-cutting 10mm Horizontal Bar™. Do not shear the bars. If lap-slicing is necessary, use contact lap slices. Lap length should be no less than 400mm.



Tie and chair 10mm Horizontal Bar™ as you would steel rebar. Tie wire, rebar clips, and plastic zipties are acceptable methods of securing the bar. Beware of settlement of floating when using 10mm Horizontal Bar™ with high slump concrete or when vibrating.



Safety glasses and Dust masks recommended when cutting.

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