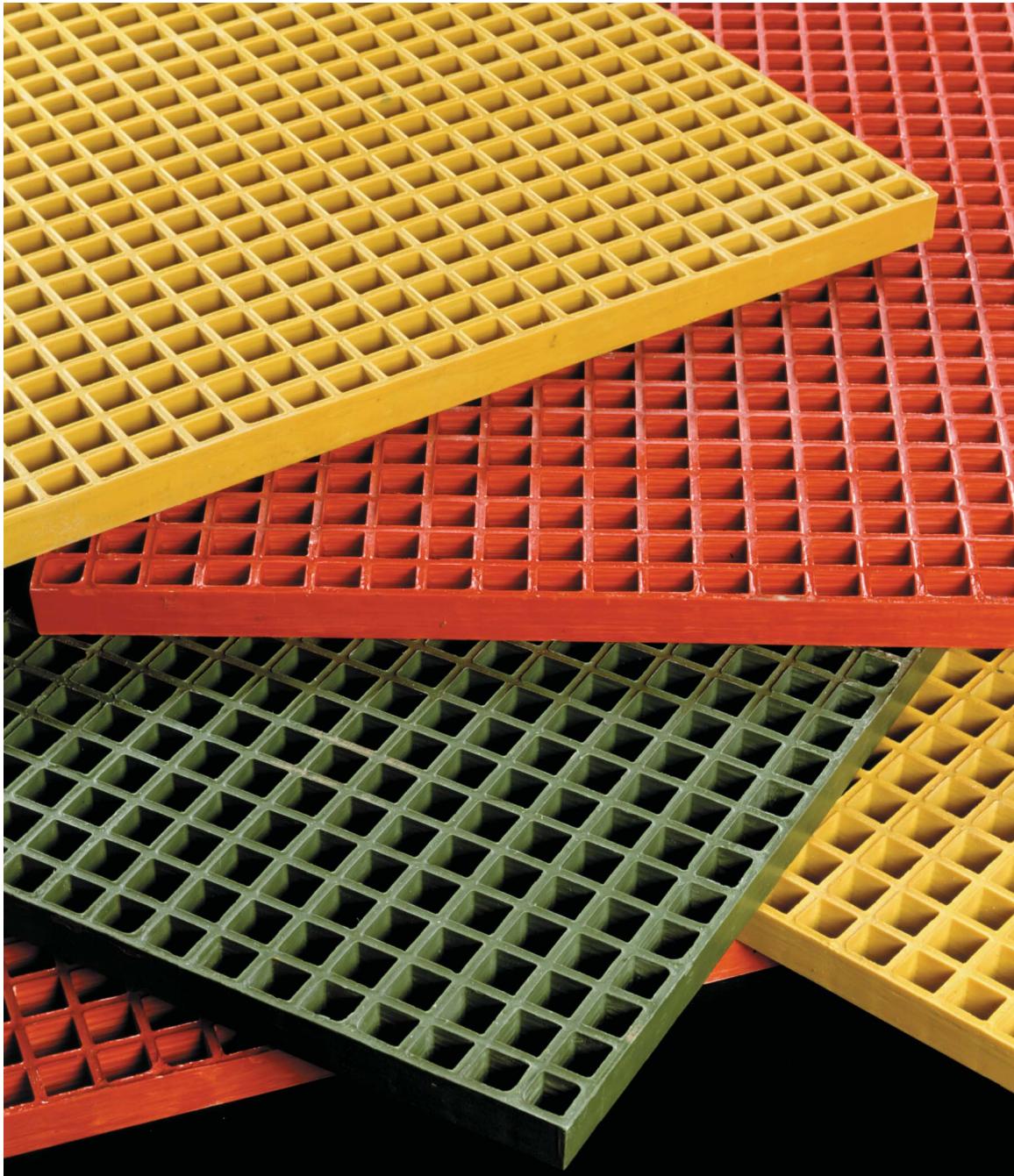
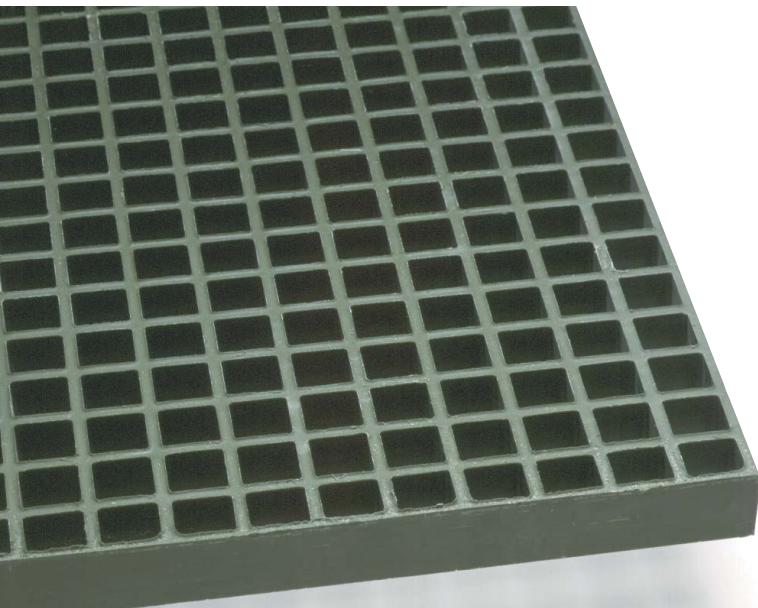


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DURA GRATE®
MOLDED FIBERGLASS GRATING



Molded Fiberglass Grating



Features

DURAGRATE® molded fiberglass grating is a strong mesh grating panel which allows efficient on-site cutting to minimize grating waste. Molded in one piece with a plain concave non-slip walking surface, DURAGRATE® is the chemical resistant flooring choice for many industrial applications. Load bearing bars in both directions allow for use without continuous side support.

Molded fiberglass grating is significantly lighter in weight than metallic gratings. The high resin content (65%) provides long maintenance free performance. A higher safety factor is achieved by designing in a higher glass content at the bottom of the grating for greater tensile strength.

DURAGRATE® molded fiberglass grating has the following inherent features:

- Corrosion Resistant
- Fire Retardant
- Maintenance Free
- Lightweight
- Easy To Install
- Uniform Appearance
- Easy To Fabricate
- Impact Resistant
- Non-Conductive
- Bidirectional Load Bearing
- Cost Effective

Materials of Construction

DURAGRATE® molded fiberglass grating is composed of fiberglass rovings combined with a choice of five thermosetting resin systems.

Standard DURAGRATE® grating has a concave profile on the upper surface for skid resistance. Grit tops are available upon request.

Standard Resin Systems Available

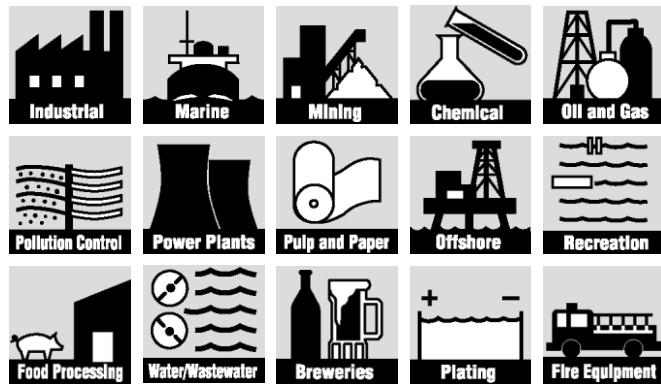
Resin Code	Description	Resin Base	Corrosion Resistance	Standard Color*	Flame Spread Rating**
VE	Chemical Proof Fire Retardant	Vinyl Ester	Excellent	Orange or Dark Gray	Class 1 25 or less
XVE	Chemical Proof Fire Retardant	Vinyl Ester	Excellent	Dark Gray	Class 1 10 or less
PP	Industrial Grade Fire Retardant	Isophthalic	Very Good	Green or Yellow	Class 1 25 or less
GP	Architectural Grade Fire Retardant	Orthophthalic	Good	Green or Dark Gray	Class 1 25 or less
FF	Food Grade Fire Retardant	Isophthalic	Very Good	Light Gray	Class 2 30 or less



The Exide Battery Plant in Manchester, Iowa installed corrosion resistant DURAGRATE® around its tanks of sulfuric acid.

*Custom Colors Available Upon Request.

** Flame Spread Rating per ASTM E-84 Tunnel Test



Technical Data

Shapes, Sizes and Availability

Typical DURAGRATE® Panels

THICKNESS	MESH PATTERN	PANEL SIZES
1"	1-1/2" Square	3' x 10', 4' x 8', 4' x 12'
1"	1" x 4" Rectangular	3' x 10', 4' x 12'
1-1/2"	3/4" x 3/4" Micro Mesh	4' x 12'
1-1/2"	1-1/2" x 6" Rectangular	4' x 12'
1-1/2"	1-1/2" Square	3' x 10', 4' x 8', 4' x 12', 5' x 10'
2"	2" Square	4' x 12'

NOTE: All panel sizes available in VE, XVE, PP, GP or FF resin systems.
Custom panel sizes and resins available upon request.

How to Specify

The molded fiberglass grating shall be DURAGRATE® as supplied by Strongwell. Grating panels shall be (pick one from chart for thickness, mesh pattern, resin code) molded grid pattern. The grating shall be one-piece construction with the tops of the bearing bars and cross bars in the same plane. Color shall be (green) (orange) (yellow) (dark gray) (light gray). Surface shall be (concave top) (gritted).

Stair Treads

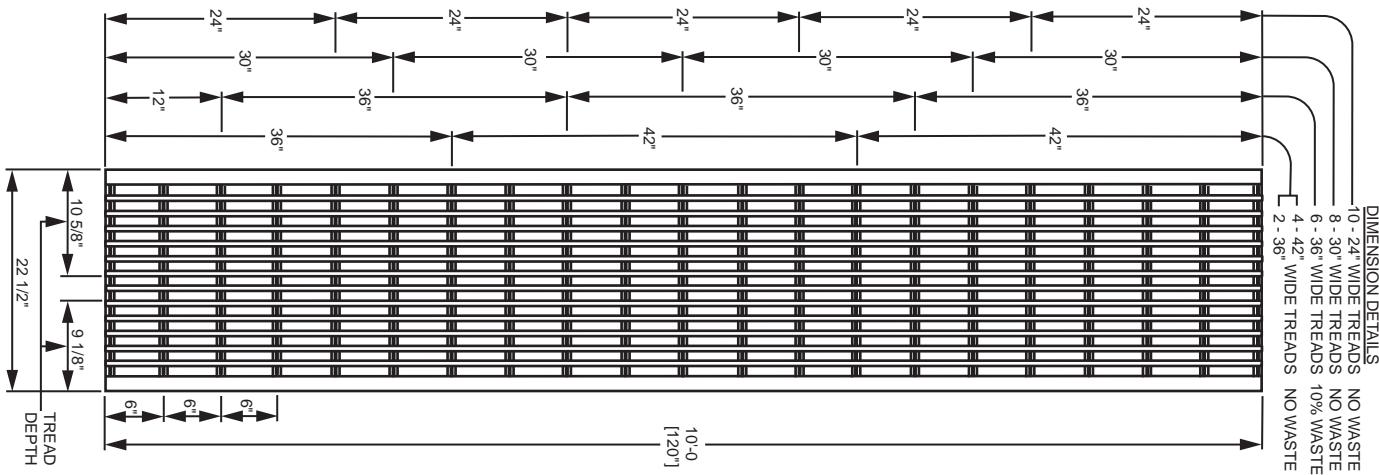
DURAGRATE® molded fiberglass staintreads are available in a 1-1/2" thick 1-1/2" x 6" rectangular mesh pattern. The standard panel size is 22-1/2" x 10'. Staintreads can be produced in any of the standard DURAGRATE® resin systems. The staintread panel comes complete with anti-slip nosing.

Load Table

DURAGRATE® STAIRTREAD

Thickness	Mesh	Panel Size	Maximum Span for 300 lbs. at MidSpan		Panel Weight	Open Area
			1/8" or less deflection	1/4" or less deflection		
1-1/2"	1-1/2" x 6"	22-1/2" x 10'	31"	38"	60 lbs.	67%

Stairtread Panel Cutting Diagram

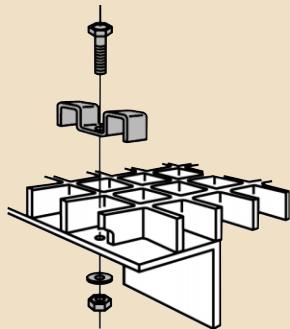


Accessories

Panel Installation

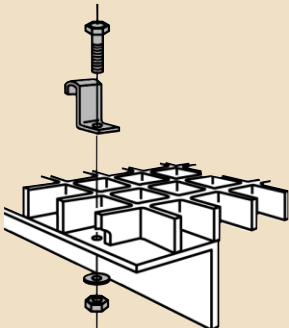
Type M Clips

For attaching grating to supports.



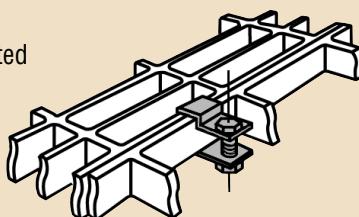
Type J Clips

For attaching grating to supports for moderate loads.



Type C Clips

For joining two unsupported edges if needed.



Sealing Kits

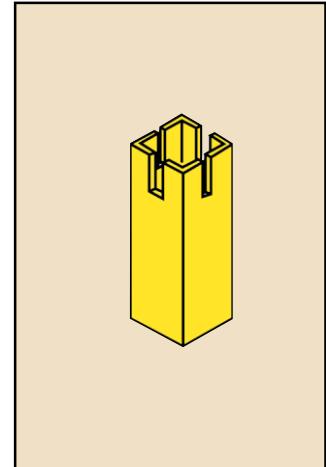
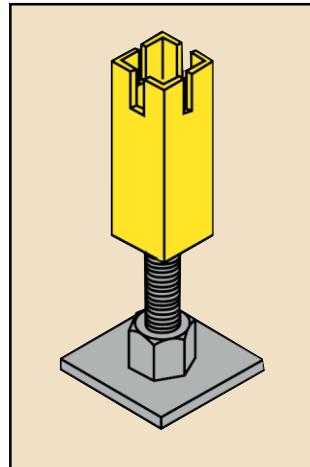
To maintain corrosion resistance and structural integrity, standard resin sealing kits are available to protect the exposed ends of cut panels and other components.

Solid Surface

DURAGRATE® is available with an integral cover bonded to the top surface with a slip resistant grit surface.

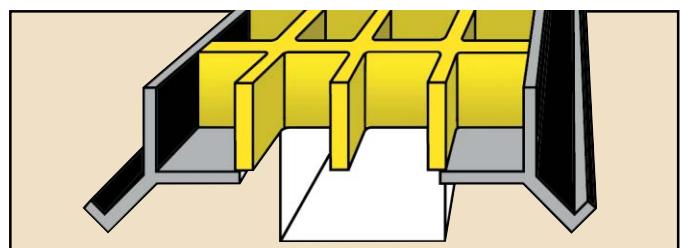
Elevated Floor System

Fixed and adjustable legs for molded grating are available to provide sturdy support for elevated flooring. Contact Strongwell with your exact requirements.



Curb Angle

Fiberglass Curb Angle provides a strong, firm base for bearing bars and is pultruded from the same material and in the same manner as other DURADEX®/DURAGRID® products. Corrosion resistant, low conductivity Curb Angle is available in three sizes, gray, fire retardant vinyl ester.

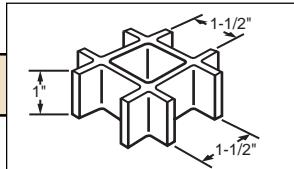


Load Tables

1" THICK 1-1/2" SQUARE MESH DURAGRATE®

$A=1.71 \text{ in.}^2/\text{ft. of width}$ $S=0.29 \text{ in.}^3/\text{ft. of width}$ $I=0.14 \text{ in.}^4/\text{ft. of width}$
 No. Bars per foot = 8 Open Space = 70% Approx. Weight = 2.6 lbs/sq. ft.

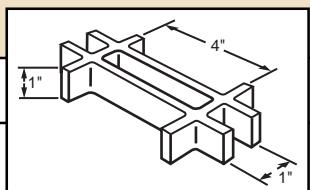
SPAN INCHES	Δu	LOAD								SAFE LOAD 5:1	DEFLECTION	$E \times 10^6$ PSI
		50	100	150	200	250	300	400	500			
12	Δu	<0.010	<0.010	0.013	0.017	0.021	0.025	0.034	0.042	1360	0.115	1.90
	Δc	<0.010	0.014	0.020	0.027	0.034	0.041	0.054	0.068	680	0.092	
18	Δu	0.021	0.041	0.062	0.082	0.103	0.123	0.164	0.205	666	0.274	1.98
	Δc	0.022	0.044	0.066	0.088	0.110	0.131	0.175	0.219	500	0.219	
24	Δu	0.064	0.128	0.192	0.256	0.320	0.384	0.512	0.640	380	0.486	2.01
	Δc	0.051	0.102	0.154	0.205	0.256	0.307	0.409	0.512	380	0.389	
30	Δu	0.155	0.309	0.464	0.619					240	0.742	2.03
	Δc	0.099	0.198	0.297	0.396	0.495	0.594			300	0.594	
36	Δu	0.318	0.635							160	1.016	2.05
	Δc	0.169	0.339	0.508	0.677					240	0.813	



1" THICK 1" x 4" RECTANGULAR MESH DURAGRATE®

$A=2.57 \text{ in.}^2/\text{ft. of width}$ $S=0.43 \text{ in.}^3/\text{ft. of width}$ $I=0.22 \text{ in.}^4/\text{ft. of width}$
 No. Bars per foot = 12 Open Space = 69% Approx. Weight = 2.8 lbs/sq.ft.

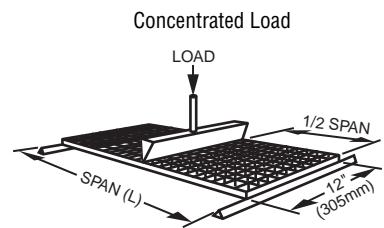
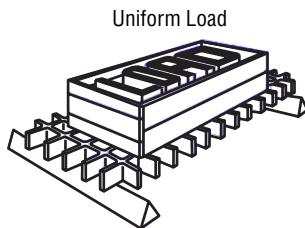
SPAN INCHES	Δu	LOAD								SAFE LOAD 5:1	DEFLECTION	$E \times 10^6$ PSI
		50	100	150	200	250	300	400	500			
12	Δu	<0.010	<0.010	<0.010	0.011	0.014	0.017	0.022	0.028	1960	0.108	1.85
	Δc	<0.010	<0.010	0.013	0.018	0.022	0.027	0.035	0.044	980	0.087	
18	Δu	0.012	0.025	0.037	0.049	0.062	0.074	0.099	0.123	960	0.237	2.10
	Δc	0.013	0.026	0.039	0.053	0.066	0.079	0.105	0.131	720	0.189	
24	Δu	0.037	0.074	0.112	0.149	0.186	0.223	0.298	0.372	560	0.417	2.20
	Δc	0.030	0.060	0.089	0.119	0.149	0.179	0.238	0.298	560	0.333	
30	Δu	0.088	0.176	0.264	0.352	0.440	0.528			336	0.591	2.27
	Δc	0.056	0.113	0.169	0.225	0.282	0.338	0.451	0.563	420	0.473	
36	Δu	0.176	0.353	0.529						240	0.846	2.35
	Δc	0.094	0.188	0.282	0.376	0.470	0.564			360	0.677	
42	Δu	0.316	0.632							183	1.155	2.43
	Δc	0.144	0.289	0.433	0.577					320	0.924	



NOTE: Rectangular grating tables are for loading in the crosswise orientation.

- c IS CONCENTRATED LOAD LBS/FT OF WIDTH
- Δc IS DEFLECTION UNDER CONCENTRATED LOAD
- u IS UNIFORM LOAD LBS/FT²
- Δu IS DEFLECTION UNDER UNIFORM LOAD

NOTE: ALL TABLE VALUES ARE TYPICAL

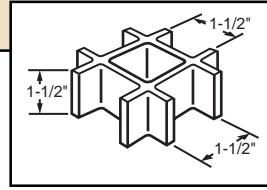


Load Tables

1-1/2" THICK 1-1/2" SQUARE MESH DURAGRATE®

A=2.85 in.²/ft. of width S=0.65 in.³/ft. of width I=0.51 in.⁴/ft. of width
No. Bars per foot = 8 Open Space = 70% Approx. Weight = 3.8 lbs/sq.ft.

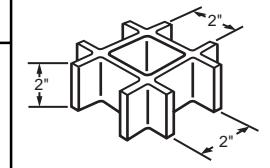
SPAN INCHES	Δu	LOAD								SAFE LOAD 5:1	SAFETY FACTOR	DEFLECTION	$E \times 10^6$ PSI
		50	100	150	200	250	300	400	500				
12	Δu	<0.010	<0.010	<0.010	<0.010	<0.010	0.011	0.014	0.018	3120	0.111	0.089	1.24
	Δc	<0.010	<0.010	<0.010	0.011	0.014	0.017	0.023	0.028	1560			
18	Δu	<0.010	0.014	0.021	0.028	0.036	0.043	0.057	0.071	1386	0.197	0.158	1.57
	Δc	<0.010	0.015	0.023	0.030	0.038	0.046	0.061	0.076	1040			
24	Δu	0.021	0.042	0.063	0.084	0.104	0.125	0.167	0.209	780	0.326	0.261	1.69
	Δc	0.017	0.033	0.050	0.067	0.084	0.100	0.134	0.167	780			
30	Δu	0.047	0.094	0.141	0.188	0.235	0.283	0.377	0.471	496	0.467	0.374	1.83
	Δc	0.030	0.060	0.090	0.121	0.151	0.181	0.241	0.301	620			
36	Δu	0.096	0.192	0.288	0.384	0.480	0.576			347	0.666		1.86
	Δc	0.051	0.102	0.154	0.205	0.256	0.307	0.410	0.512	520	0.533		
42	Δu	0.175	0.350	0.525						251	0.881		1.89
	Δc	0.080	0.160	0.240	0.320	0.400	0.480	0.641	0.801	440	0.705		
48	Δu	0.287	0.573							170	0.975		1.97
	Δc	0.115	0.229	0.344	0.459	0.573	0.688			340	0.780		



2" THICK 2" SQUARE MESH DURAGRATE®

A=2.88 in.²/ft. of width S=0.94 in.³/ft. of width I=0.96 in.⁴/ft. of width
No. Bars per foot = 6 Open Space = 72% Approx. Weight = 4.0 lbs/sq.ft.

SPAN INCHES	Δu	LOAD								SAFE LOAD 5:1	SAFETY FACTOR	DEFLECTION	$E \times 10^6$ PSI
		50	100	150	200	250	300	400	500				
12	Δu	<0.010	<0.010	<0.010	<0.010	<0.010	<0.010	<0.010	0.010	4000	0.081	0.065	1.15
	Δc	<0.010	<0.010	<0.010	<0.010	<0.010	0.010	0.013	0.016	2000			
18	Δu	<0.010	<0.010	0.012	0.016	0.020	0.024	0.032	0.040	1813	0.145	0.116	1.48
	Δc	<0.010	<0.010	0.013	0.017	0.021	0.026	0.034	0.043	1360			
24	Δu	0.010	0.021	0.031	0.042	0.052	0.063	0.083	0.104	960	0.200	0.160	1.80
	Δc	0.010	0.017	0.025	0.033	0.042	0.050	0.067	0.083	960			
30	Δu	0.023	0.046	0.069	0.092	0.114	0.137	0.183	0.229	640	0.293	0.234	2.00
	Δc	0.015	0.029	0.044	0.059	0.073	0.088	0.117	0.146	800			
36	Δu	0.044	0.089	0.133	0.177	0.222	0.266	0.355	0.444	453	0.402		2.14
	Δc	0.024	0.047	0.071	0.095	0.118	0.142	0.189	0.237	680	0.322		
42	Δu	0.082	0.164	0.245	0.327	0.409	0.491	0.654		331	0.542		2.15
	Δc	0.037	0.075	0.112	0.150	0.187	0.224	0.299	0.374	580	0.434		
48	Δu	0.135	0.270	0.405	0.541					260	0.703		2.22
	Δc	0.054	0.108	0.162	0.216	0.270	0.324	0.432	0.541	520	0.562		
54	Δu	0.210	0.420	0.630						204	0.858		2.29
	Δc	0.075	0.149	0.224	0.298	0.373	0.448	0.597		460	0.686		



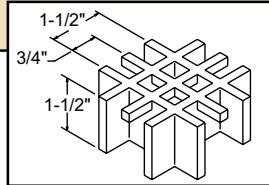
Load Tables

1-1/2" THICK 3/4" SQUARE MESH DURAGRATE®

A=3.62 in.²/ft. of width S=0.90 in.³/ft. of width I=0.73 in.⁴/ft. of width

No. Bars per foot = 8 Open Space = 44% Approx. Weight = 4.4 lbs/sq.ft.

SPAN INCHES	LOAD								SAFE LOAD 5:1	DEFLECTION	E x 10 ⁶ PSI
	50	100	150	200	250	300	400	500			
12	Δu Δc	<0.010 <0.010	<0.010 0.011	0.011 0.014	0.017 0.022	0.021 0.034	0.028 0.045	0.035 0.056	3860 1930	0.270 0.216	0.44
18	Δu Δc	0.013 0.014	0.026 0.028	0.039 0.042	0.052 0.056	0.065 0.070	0.078 0.084	0.104 0.112	1776 1332	0.470 0.376	0.59
24	Δu Δc	0.025 0.020	0.050 0.040	0.075 0.060	0.100 0.080	0.126 0.101	0.151 0.121	0.201 0.161	1052 1052	0.529 0.423	0.98
30	Δu Δc	0.055 0.035	0.110 0.070	0.165 0.105	0.219 0.140	0.274 0.176	0.329 0.211	0.439 0.281	632 790	0.692 0.553	1.10
36	Δu Δc	0.087 0.046	0.173 0.092	0.260 0.139	0.346 0.185	0.433 0.231	0.520 0.277	0.692 0.370	456 684	0.796 0.637	1.43
42	Δu Δc	0.150 0.069	0.300 0.138	0.450 0.207	0.600 0.276				332 582	1.005 0.804	1.53
48	Δu Δc	0.245 0.098	0.490 0.196	0.735 0.294					215 430	1.054 0.843	1.61

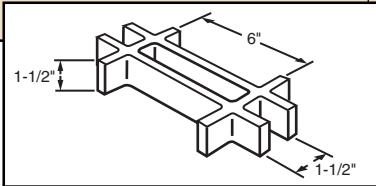


1-1/2" THICK 1-1/2" x 6" RECTANGULAR DURAGRATE®

A=3.785 in.²/ft. of width S=1.500 in.³/ft. of width I=0.56 in.⁴/ft. of width

No. Bars per foot = 8 Open Space = 67% Approx. Weight = 3.5 lbs/sq.ft.

SPAN INCHES	LOAD								SAFE LOAD 5:1	DEFLECTION	E x 10 ⁶ PSI
	50	100	150	200	250	300	400	500			
12	Δu Δc	<0.010 <0.010	<0.010 0.011	<0.010 0.015	0.011 0.018	0.014 0.022	0.018 0.029	0.023 0.037	4272 2136	0.195 0.156	0.88
18	Δu Δc	<0.010 0.010	0.018 0.019	0.027 0.028	0.035 0.038	0.044 0.047	0.053 0.057	0.071 0.076	1712 1284	0.300 0.240	1.16
24	Δu Δc	0.019 0.015	0.038 0.030	0.056 0.045	0.075 0.060	0.094 0.075	0.112 0.090	0.150 0.120	956 956	0.359 0.288	1.71
30	Δu Δc	0.039 0.025	0.078 0.050	0.117 0.075	0.156 0.100	0.195 0.125	0.233 0.150	0.311 0.200	587 734	0.458 0.367	2.01
36	Δu Δc	0.071 0.038	0.143 0.076	0.214 0.114	0.285 0.152	0.357 0.190	0.428 0.228	0.304 0.381	385 578	0.550 0.440	2.28
42	Δu Δc	0.126 0.058	0.252 0.115	0.378 0.173	0.504 0.230	0.630 0.288	0.346 0.461		370 472	0.680 0.544	2.39
48	Δu Δc	0.207 0.083	0.414 0.160	0.621 0.248	0.331 0.331	0.414 0.497			184 368	0.760 0.608	2.49



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