

## Roughneck WIRE MESH SLINGS

### **Specialty Slings with Particular Properties and Uses**

Widely used in metalworking shops and steel warehouses where loads are abrasive, hot or tend to cut web slings.

### Features, Advantages and Benefits

#### **Promotes Safety**

- Steel construction resists abrasion and cutting
- Each sling permanently stamped with capacity and serial number
- Good flexibility grips load's contours
- Each sling proof tested and certified

### Saves Money

- Grips load firmly without stretching reduces load damage
- Resists abrasion and cutting for greater sling life
- Flexibility and low stretch reduce load damage
- Wide bearing area distributes load to help avoid load damage
- Repairable thus very cost effective
- Alloy steel end fittings plated for long life
- Wire mesh is galvanized resists corrosion

#### Saves Time

- Width of mesh helps control and balance load
- End fittings fit most large crane hooks

### Roughneck Wire Mesh Sling Construction

**Standard Construction:** Alloy steel end fittings, zinc plated. Mesh is galvanized high tensile steel. 10 gage is standard, 12 gage is available upon request

**Optional Construction:** Stainless steel mesh is available for corrosive and hotter environments.

#### Inspection Criteria for Roughneck Wire Mesh Slings

Remove the sling from service if any of the following is visible: (See Page 117)

- A broken weld or brazed joint along the sling edge
- · A broken wire in any part of the mesh
- Reduction in wire diameter of 25% due to abrasion or 15% due to corrosion
- Lack of flexibility due to distortion of the mesh
- Visible distortion or wear of either end fitting
- Cracked end fitting

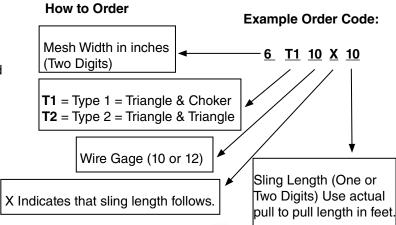


#### **Environmental Considerations**

- Wire mesh slings shall not be used at temperatures above 550°F.
- Store in a clean, dry area to avoid corrosive action

Do not edge load. Full width of mesh must contact load.

### **A** WARNING





Wire Mesh	Rated Capacity (lbs.) *								
Width (in.)	Vertical	Choker	Basket						
10 Gage - Heavy Duty									
2	2,300	2,300	4,600						
3	3,500	3,500	7,000						
4	4,800	4,800	9,600						
6	7,200	7,200	14,400						
8	9,600	9,600	19,200						
10	12,000	12,000	24,000						
12	14,400	14,400	28,800						
14	16,800	16,800	33,600						
16	19,200	19,200	38,400						
18	21,600	21,600	43,200						
20	24,000	24,000	48,000						
	12 Gage - Me	edium Duty							
2	1,600	1,600	3,200						
3	2,400	2,400	4,800						
4	3,200	3,200	6,400						
6	4,800	4,800	9,600						
8	6,400	6,400	12,800						
10	8,000	8,000	16,000						
12	9,600	9,600	19,200						

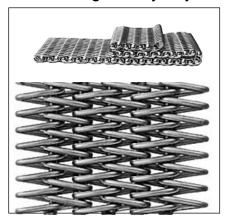
NOTE: The choker fitting must not be positioned against a load edge or directly on the triangle fitting.

Do not exceed rated capacities. Sling capacity decreases as the angle from horizontal decreases. Slings should not be used at angles of less than 30°. Refer to Effect of Angle chart page 12.

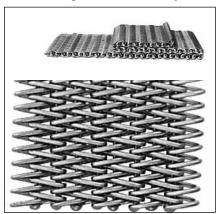


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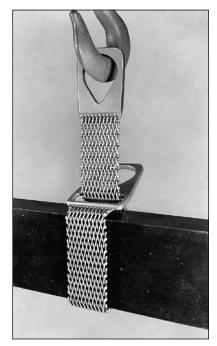
### Select The Proper Mesh 10 Gage - Heavy Duty



### 12 Gage - Medium Duty



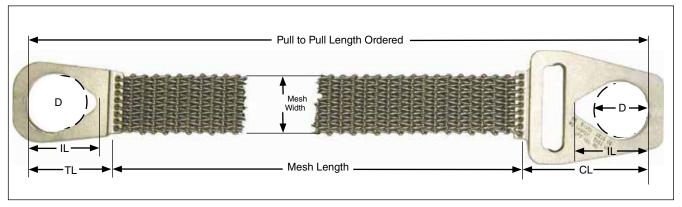
This single 4" wide mesh sling in a choker hitch at load center of gravity provides adequate stability for many structural steel loads.



### **Prompt Shipment or Repair Service by Experts**

Wire mesh slings with normal usage will eventually need repair and parts replaced. This can be done for relatively small cost. *Lift-All* wire mesh slings that are repaired are guaranteed to meet or exceed original specifications. Five *Lift-All* factories are strategically located in the U. S. to insure prompt service. We repair all types and brands of mesh slings.





Nom. Mesh Width (in.)	Terminal Dimensions (in.)				Terminal Thickness (in.)		Approx. Weight (lbs.) of 3 ft. Type 1 Slings		Mesh Weight (Per ft. in lbs.)	
MW	D	IL	TL	CL	10 GA	12 GA	10 GA	12 GA	10 GA	12 GA
2	2	3	3 7/8	5 5/8	1/2	1/2	6	5	1.3	1.1
3	2 1/4	3 3/8	4 3/8	6 1/4	1/2	1/2	8	8	1.9	1.8
4	3	4	5	6 3/4	1/2	1/2	10	10	2.5	2.3
6	3 1/2	4 1/2	5 5/8	7 3/4	1/2	1/2	16	14	3.9	3.4
8	4 1/2	6	7 1/2	9	1/2	1/2	22	21	5.1	4.5
10	4 3/4	6 1/4	8	10 7/8	1/2	1/2	28	26	6.4	5.6
12	5	6 1/2	8 5/8	11 3/8	1/2	1/2	34	32	7.6	6.8
14	5	6 1/2	8 3/4	12 3/4	1/2	1/2	40	37	8.9	7.9
16	5 1/4	7	9 1/8	14 1/4	3/4	1/2	57	38	10	9.0
18	5 1/2	7 1/2	9 3/4	15 3/4	3/4	1/2	67	44	11	10
20	5 3/4	7 3/4	10 1/8	17	3/4	1/2	77	51	13	11



## INSPECTION CRITERIA FOR WIRE MESH SLINGS

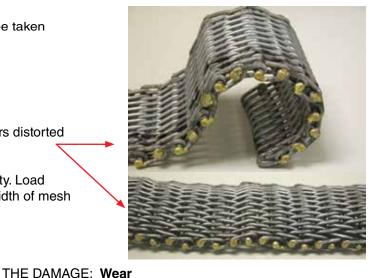
The following photos illustrate some of the common damage that occurs, indicating that the sling must be taken out of service.

For inspection frequency requirements, see page 7.

THE DAMAGE: Overloading / Uneven Loading

WHAT TO LOOK FOR: Mesh does not lie flat, appears distorted and/or will not bend easily.

TO PREVENT: Do not load in excess of rated capacity. Load edges must be straight / flat and in contact with full width of mesh at bearing points.





THE DAMAGE: Corrosion / Heat Damage

WHAT TO LOOK FOR: Areas of discoloration. Remove slings with wire diameter reduction of 15% or more. Slings exposed to temperatures of 550° F or more must be removed from service.

TO PREVENT: Hang slings for storage away from moisture. Do not use mesh slings above 550° F. Consider using stainless steel mesh.





WHAT TO LOOK FOR: A cracked or separation of the wire at the edge or in the body of the mesh.

WHAT TO LOOK FOR: Flat areas on the individual wires. When wires have lost 25% or more of their original diameter,

TO PREVENT: Do not drag sling on the ground and do not

the sling must be taken out of service.

TO PREVENT: Do not side load mesh. Tension on sling must be distributed evenly across the entire width of the mesh.



THE DAMAGE: Distortion or Wear of End Fittings

WHAT TO LOOK FOR: Fittings that do not lie flat or have obvious areas of wear.

TO PREVENT: Never lift with fitting against a load edge or set load directly onto sling. Reduce wear by keeping loads within the rated capacity of the sling.





## Roughneck CHAIN MESH SLINGS

### Specialty Slings for rugged applications.

Widely used in metalworking shops, and stevedoring where abrasive conditions or hot environments damage and destroy synthetic slings.

### Features, Advantages and Benefits

### **Promotes Safety**

- Each sling permanently stamped with capacity and serial number for traceability
- Steel construction resists abrasion and cutting
- Each sling proof tested and certified

#### Saves Time

- Width of mesh helps to balance and control loads
- End fittings fit most large crane hooks

### Saves Money

- Alloy steel end fittings and Grade 100 Alloy chain resists abrasion and cutting for greater sling life
- Repairable thus cost effective
- Low stretch and good flexibility reduces load damage
- Wide bearing area distributes load to help avoid load damage

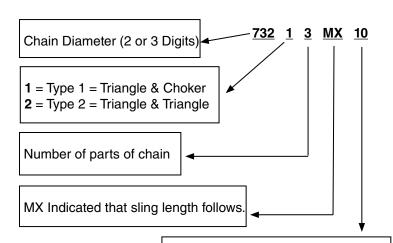
# Inspection Criteria for Roughneck Chain Mesh Slings

Remove sling from service if any of the following are visible:

- Wear, nicks, cracks, breaks, gouges, stretch, bends or weld spatter on chain or attachments
- Discoloration from excessive temperature
- Chain links and attachments won't hinge freely with adjacent links
- Visible distortion of either end fitting out of its plane
- Distortion or any collapse of eye width on either end fitting
- 15% reduction of original cross-sectional area of metal at any point of either end fitting
- Cracked end fitting

#### **How to Order**

### **Example Order Code:**



Sling Length (One or Two Digits)
Use actual pull to pull length in feet.

Chain	Parts	Sling	Rated Capacity (lbs.)*				
Size (in.)	of Chain	Width (in.)	Vertical	Choker	Basket		
	3	1 1/2	5,000	5,000	10,000		
7/32	4	2	6,700	6,700	13,400		
1/32	5	2 1/2	8,400	8,400	16,800		
	6	3	10,000	10,000	20,000		
	3	2 1/8	8,400	8,400	16,800		
9/32	4	2 3/4	11,000	11,000	22,000		
9/32	5	3 3/8	14,000	14,000	28,000		
	6	4	16,800	16,800	33,600		
	3	3 1/4	17,000	N/A	34,000		
3/8	4	4 3/8	22,700	N/A	45,400		
3/0	5	5 3/8	28,400	N/A	56,800		
	6	6 1/2	34,000	N/A	68,000		
	2	3	19,200	N/A	38,400		
1/2	3	4 1/2	28,800	N/A	57,600		
	4	6	38,400	N/A	76,800		

#### A WARNING

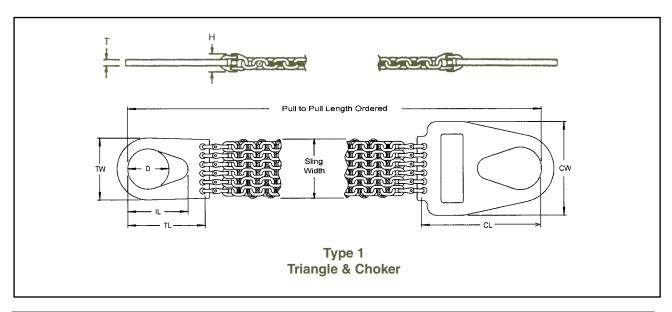
Do not exceed rated capacities. Sling capacity decreases as the angle from horizontal decreases. Slings should not be used at angles of less than 30°. Refer to Effect of Angle chart page 10.

### **Environmental Considerations**

- Rated capacities of chain mesh are reduced at temperatures above 400°F. (See table page 104)
- Store in clean, dry area to avoid corrosive action



## Roughneck CHAIN MESH SLINGS



Chain Size	Parts of	Sling Width	Terminal Dimensions (in.)								5 ft. Type 2 Weight	Weight per ft.
(in.)	Chain	(in.)	D	IL	TL	TW	CL	CW	Т	Н	(lbs.)	(lbs.)
7/32	3	1 1/2	2 3/4	4 1/8	6 3/4	4 3/4	9	7 1/8	3/8	1 1/4	10	1.3
	4	2	3	4 1/2	7 1/8	5	9 3/8	7 1/4	3/8	1 1/4	12	1.8
	5	2 1/2	3 1/2	5 1/4	8	5 1/2	10 1/8	7 3/4	3/8	1 1/4	14	2.2
	6	3	3 3/4	5 5/8	8 1/4	5 3/4	10 5/8	8 1/4	3/8	1 1/4	17	2.7
9/32 -	3	2 1/8	2 3/4	4 1/8	6 3/4	4 3/4	9	7 1/8	1/2	1 3/4	14	2.2
	4	2 3/4	3	4 1/2	7 1/8	5	9 3/8	7 1/4	1/2	1 3/4	18	3.0
	5	3 3/8	3 1/2	5 1/4	8	5 1/2	10 1/8	7 3/4	1/2	1 3/4	22	3.7
	6	4	3 3/4	5 5/8	8 1/4	5 3/4	10 5/8	8 1/4	1/2	1 3/4	26	4.5
3/8	3	3 1/4	3 1/2	5 1/4	6 7/8	5			3/4	2 1/4	30	4.4
	4	4 3/8	4 3/8	6 1/2	8 1/8	6 3/8			3/4	2 1/4	41	5.8
	5	5 3/8	4 3/8	6 1/2	8 3/8	7 3/8			3/4	2 1/4	55	7.3
	6	6 1/2	5 1/4	7 7/8	9 3/4	8 1/4			3/4	2 1/4	59	8.8
1/2	2	3	3 1/2	5 1/4	6 7/8	5			1	3 1/8	33	5.2
	3	4 1/2	4 3/8	6 1/2	8 3/8	6 3/8			1	3 1/8	50	7.7
	4	6	5 1/4	7 7/8	9 3/4	7 3/4			1	3 1/8	62	10

Note: Length tolerance  $\pm$  2 chain links so plane is maintained.