

# Product and Service Guide



Industrial Tube™  
OUR PEOPLE DELIVER









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# Our Heritage

In 1985, Peter Green founded Industrial Tube Manufacturing Company Limited in Hamilton, New Zealand, motivated by his passion for charity and his discovery of an under-served market. With the purchase of a discarded Yoder Tube Mill imported from Ohio, USA, his small crew resurrected the machine with scrap metal parts and innovative design. The company took a lease on Unit 1, 278 Kahikatea Drive and in October 1985 began manufacturing tube.

The mill initially produced 28 Tube sizes and four gauges, supplying a wide-range of industries, including fencing, play equipment, exhaust systems and agricultural support structures. Additional machinery was necessary as the company grew, and slitting was soon brought in house and cutting services were added.

It took four years of unshakeable belief, hard work, and investment for Industrial Tube to record a profit in 1989. This was a moment to celebrate. The first coil was slit on the new slitter line in July 1990, and at this time, exports to Australia began.

Later in the decade, as a result of the Australian operation growing, a cutting service was added to the distribution centre in Sydney.

In order to accommodate additional machinery, large extensions were necessary and to meet rising demand, a second mill was commissioned in 2001. Expansion in Australia continued with the acquisition of East Coast Tube Mills in Brisbane (2004).

In 2013, Industrial Tube Manufacturing acquired the New Zealand assets and a number of the Australian assets of Stainless Tube Mills. After completing a 2000m<sup>2</sup> extension and the commissioning of four Stainless mills, manufacturing commenced.

In 2021, an annual production record was reached with the slitting of the 1000th coil for the year.



Today, Industrial Tube Manufacturing still operates from the same, expanded premises, and is part of the wider TGF Group of businesses with 110 staff. The business is still owned by the Green family.







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*Our Hamilton Mill in 1985.*

# About Us

Industrial Tube Manufacturing has been producing Precision Steel Tube since 1985 and has been serving the Australian market since 1999. From our purpose built 12,500m<sup>2</sup> plant in New Zealand, we manufacture class-leading Precision Tube, Stainless Steel Tube, and tubular components. With our main Australian distribution and service hub located in Brisbane, we can efficiently serve customers across Queensland and New South Wales. We source steel from premier local and international mills, consistently meeting the evolving needs of our customers throughout Australia, New Zealand, and the South Pacific.



## Quality Assured

At Industrial Tube Manufacturing, our Precision and Stainless Tube meets or exceeds all required industry standards and our robust in-house procedures and technology ensures we provide best-in-class product, every time. We pride ourselves on our customer service and strict adherence to the highest quality control standards. This commitment includes the development, implementation, and continuous review of quality procedures across all aspects of our operations.

## Research & Development

We have a proud history of creative thinking, consistently exceeding expectations when it comes to realising concepts and bringing ideas to life. Our team of experienced engineers excels at creating practical, and cost-effective outcomes. Led by our Engineering Manager, our technical team works closely with our customers to truly understand their needs and design innovative engineering solutions tailored to their specific requirements.

## Our People Deliver

At Industrial Tube Manufacturing, it's not just our people that deliver, it's our products. Monthly rolling programmes, extensive inventory carried in stock and supply flexibility means our product is available on demand. We're strategically placed to maximise our in-house and third-party freight networks, both domestically and internationally. This enables prompt and cost-effective service to our customers.

## Sustainably Made

Being awarded Gold Certification from the Sustainable Steel Council, reflects our focus on sustainability. Our products are 100% recyclable, and our people are passionate about supporting Australian and New Zealand manufacturing, delivering Precision and Stainless Tube with purpose.

## Memberships

We are members of ASSDA and NZSSDA, a global network developed to support and network Fabricators, Manufacturers, Engineers and Architects with Stainless Steel industry standards and information.







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# Precision Steel Tube

Our Precision Tube can enhance your products by making them lighter, stronger, more formable and accurate. Whether you need materials for furniture, medical equipment, tools, or vehicles, Industrial Tube Manufacturing provides a diverse selection of high-quality, high-strength steel tubing. Our Precision Tube delivers exceptional dimensional accuracy and highly consistent base material properties, minimising scrap and production downtime in automated processing. Additionally, it features industry-leading elongation for outstanding formability and design flexibility. Our manufacturing process is tightly controlled, offering customisable weld bead and position options to meet specific customer requirements.

## Cold Rolled Mild Steel Tube

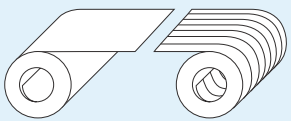
### CR250

Manufactured from Australian made, high grade cold-rolled and batch-annealed steel coil, our CR250 tube provides an exceptional surface finish, superior dimensional accuracy, and a high level of formability across a wide range of thinner walled profiles. As an uncoated product, it is perfect for finishing processes such as powder coating, high-gloss painting, zinc and chrome plating.

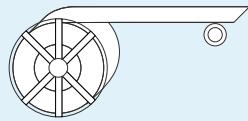
## Hot Rolled, Pickled & Oiled Tube

### HR350

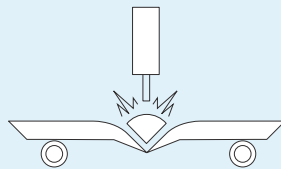
Produced from hot-rolled, pickled, and oiled steel coil, supplied by BlueScope. HR350 has a high-grade finish due to skin-passing and the same OD accuracy as CR250. The higher yield strength is suitable for more physically demanding applications. Formability is reduced and wall thickness tolerances are wider compared to CR250.



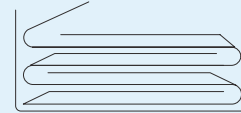
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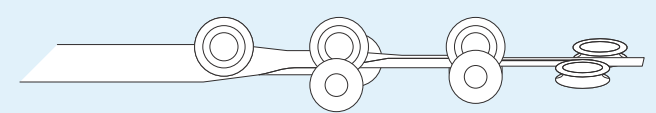
Uncoiling



Cross Welding



Accumulator



Forming



## Pre-Galvanised Steel Tube

### GS300

Manufactured using continuously hot-dipped galvanised G250 steel coil, supplied by BlueScope. GS300 features a Z275 (ZB135/135) coating with external weld seam zinc repair, ensuring coating continuity. The product features a smooth and consistent surface finish, is highly formable and is particularly suitable for outdoor and corrosion prone environments where long term durability is essential.



## Products & Surface Finishes

Products	Base Material (Strip)	Finish	Typical Applications
CR250	Cold-rolled close annealed	Higher-grade, bright, critical finish	Furniture, displays, automotive
HR350	Hot-rolled pickled & oiled	Steel grey, semi-bright finish	Racking, cargo barriers, seat frames
GS300	Continuously hot-dip galvanised	Z275 coating (ZB135/135). Spangle	Outdoor structures, furniture, fencing, conveyors

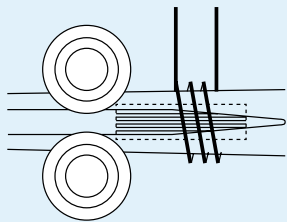
## Coating Suitability

Products	Powder Coating	Paint	Chrome Plating	Electroplating	Hot Dip Galvanising
CR250	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent
HR350	Good	Excellent	Poor	Good	Excellent
GS300	Excellent	Excellent	n/a	n/a	n/a

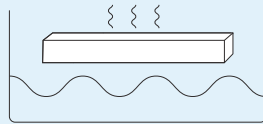
Note: Our pre-galvanised range maintains the zinc coating adhesion during all of our in-house mechanical testing. Higher zinc coating thicknesses are available.

## The Process

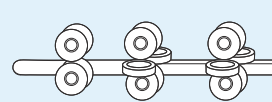
Our in-house precision slitting and edge preparation is the starting point for producing a tube with exceptional weld integrity. Precision Steel Tube is cold-formed and longitudinally welded through a high-frequency induction welding process. The tube is cut with a single-blade shear which produces a small dimple at each end - the nominal mill length is provided exclusive of this distortion (+50mm). Pre-galvanised tube is repaired at the weld zone using a zinc flame spray process. See diagram below.



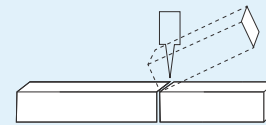
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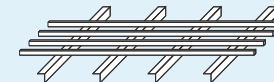
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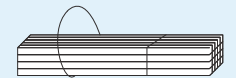
Sizing, Shaping & Straightening




Single Blade Shear



Run Out Table



Packaging



Precision Steel Tube is cold-formed and longitudinally welded through a high frequency induction welding process.



## Standards & Tolerances

Made to AS 1450, EN 10305-3 and ASTM A513-1.

Tolerances	
External Dimensions	±0.13mm <50.8mm ±0.26mm <101.6mm
Wall Thickness	CRCA ±5% (<2.0mm), HRPO ±10% (<2.6mm), GALVSTEEL ±7% (<2.5mm)
Out-of-Roundness (Ovality)	±0.13mm <50.8mm, ±0.26mm <101.6mm
Squareness of sides	90° ±1 degree
Twist (Rectangle/Square)	<3mm over 5.5m
Straightness	<5.5mm over 5.5m

During the manufacturing process, our tube undergoes a series of in-house mechanical tests, measurements and inspections to ensure it consistently meets the desired specifications and standards.

- **Flare test:** Outside diameter increased by up to 25%, dependent on profile or material type, without failure to either the base material or the weld zone.
- **Flattening test:** Capable of being flattened without cracking between two parallel planes with the weld zone located at both 90 and 0 degrees.
- **Surface examination:** Visual inspection for external surface damage. Straightness, twist, weld position and weld bead height are tested to meet internal and external standards and/or customer specifications.

### CRCA Base Material - Typical Mechanical Properties

Yield strength	Tensile strength	EI % on Lo = 50mm
170 MPa	320 MPa	43

## Base Material Standards

- Cold-rolled Close Annealed (CRCA) AS/NZS 1365:1996 (R2016), AS/NZS 1595:1998.
- Hot-Rolled Pickled (HRPO): AS/NZS 1365:1996 (R2016).
- Galvsteel® (GS): AS/NZS 1365:1996 (R2016), AS 1397:2021.

During the tube-forming process, when the steel strip is shaped into tubular profiles, the mechanical properties change. The degree of this change is influenced by the specific dimensions of the tube being manufactured, especially the diameter to thickness ratio (D/T). Typically, during the tube-forming process, the yield strength experiences a significant increase, the tensile strength sees a slight increase, and elongation is reduced. The thickness of a material does not directly influence its yield strength. However, thicker materials can endure higher stresses before deforming, which indirectly impacts the yield strength.

As an example to illustrate how tube forming effects the mechanical properties of the base material, test data of formed profiles from the same slit width are below.



### Formed Tube - Example of Mechanical Properties (CRCA, CR250)

149mm Slit Width	1.6x47.6	1.6x38.1x38.1	1.6x50.8x25.4
YS 193 MPa, TS 313 MPa, EL % 46	YS 260 MPa, TS 326 MPa, EL % 43	YS 286 MPa, TS 340 MPa, EL % 41	YS 276 MPa, TS 335 MPa, EL % 42

Note: Tested to AS/NZS 1391. Rectangle test sample taken from the 50.8 side. The above mechanical properties are from a specific coil batch and mill run/s and are to be treated as such. When full test certificates are required for a specific product, this must be requested at time of order and an additional charge applies.

### HRPO Base Material - Typical Mechanical Properties

Yield strength	Tensile strength	EI % on Lo = 50mm
285 MPa	380 MPa	30

### G250 (GS) Base Material - Typical Mechanical Properties

Yield strength	Tensile strength	EI % on Lo = 50mm
250 MPa	320 MPa	27

# Precision Steel Tube Sizing

## Round Tube

Size (mm)	Product Type & Gauge (mm)			Nom. Linear mass (kg/m)					Lengths per pack
	CR250	GS300	HR350	1.2	1.4	1.6	2.0	2.5	
9.5				0.25	0.28	0.31			100
12.7	1.2, 1.6, 2.0			0.32	0.39	0.44	0.52		100
15.9	1.6, 2.0	1.2, 1.6		0.43	0.50	0.57	0.67		100
19.1	1.6, 2.0	1.6		0.51	0.61	0.68	0.83	1.02	100
22.2	1.2, 1.6, 2.0	1.6		0.61	0.72	0.81	0.98	1.21	100
25.4	1.2, 1.4, 1.6, 2.0	1.2, 1.6	2.5	0.71	0.83	0.93	1.15	1.41	100
28.6	1.2, 1.6, 2.0			0.78	0.94	1.07	1.32	1.69	48
31.8	1.2, 1.6, 2.0	1.6	2.5	0.87	1.04	1.17	1.43	1.80	48
34.9	1.2, 1.6			0.99	1.15	1.30	1.60	2.00	48
38.1	1.2, 1.6	1.6, 2.0	2.5	1.07	1.22	1.36	1.78	2.13	48
41.3	1.2, 1.6			1.15	1.38	1.52	1.89	2.42	48
44.5	1.2, 1.6, 2.0			1.06	1.49	1.65	2.03	2.52	48
47.6	1.2, 1.6, 2.0			1.35	1.57	1.78	2.19	2.78	48
50.8	1.2, 1.6, 2.0	2.0, 2.5		1.42	1.67	1.88	2.35	3.02	48
54.0				1.56	1.82	2.03	2.53	3.14	48
57.2	1.2, 1.6, 2.0	1.6		1.61	1.89	2.14	2.66	3.33	24
60.3				1.72	2.00	2.28	2.80	3.60	24
63.5	1.2, 1.6, 2.0			1.71	2.09	2.39	2.99	3.79	24
69.9					2.35	2.67	3.23	4.16	24
76.2	1.6, 2.0, 3.0	1.6, 2.0			2.56	2.89	3.59	4.57	24
88.9	1.6, 2.0					3.44	4.28	5.33	10
101.6	1.6					3.95	4.91	6.11	10
127.0						4.87	6.04	7.68	8
152.4						5.87	7.57	9.24	8

## Square Tube

Size (mm)	Product Type & Gauge (mm)			Nom. Linear mass (kg/m)					Lengths per pack
	CR250	GS300	HR350	1.2	1.4	1.6	2.0	2.5	
12.7x12.7	1.2, 1.6			0.41	0.48	0.53			100
15.9x15.9	1.6			0.51	0.60	0.66	0.83		100
19.1x19.1	1.2, 1.4, 1.6, 2.0	1.6	2.0	0.64	0.75	0.83	1.00		100
22.2x22.2	1.2, 1.4, 1.6			0.78	0.89	1.03	1.25		100
25.4x25.4	1.2, 1.4, 1.6, 2.0	1.6	2.5	0.89	1.03	1.17	1.42	1.75	100
31.8x31.8	1.2, 1.4, 1.6, 2.0	1.6	2.5	1.11	1.31	1.48	1.79	2.24	50
34.9x34.9	1.2, 1.6			1.22	1.42	1.63	2.01	2.51	49
38.1x38.1	1.6			1.32	1.57	1.78	2.13	2.75	49
40.0x40.0	2.0	1.6		1.43	1.67	1.89	2.26	3.06	49
50.0x50.0	1.6			1.81	2.10	2.40	3.94	3.69	49
65.0x65.0	1.6				2.78	3.08	3.58	4.78	30

*Any products not shown in the stocked (bolded) items are available ex-mill rolling in most wall thicknesses. Kg/m denotes what is possible to manufacture in each wall thickness. Coatings including Z450 or higher strength options such as G450 or 1P are available. MOQ's and lead times apply.*





## Rectangle Tube

Size (mm)	Product Type & Gauge (mm)			Nom. Linear mass (kg/m)					Lengths per pack
	CR250	GS300	HR350	1.2	1.4	1.6	2.0	2.5	
25.4x12.7	1.6	1.6		0.65	0.76	0.84	1.06		50
31.8x15.9	1.6			0.82	1.00	1.13	1.42		50
34.9x19.1	1.6, 2.0			0.95	1.21	1.28	1.58		50
38.1x25.4	1.6			1.13	1.50	1.76	1.79	2.24	49
46.5x21.2	1.6			1.06	1.49	1.65	2.03	2.52	50
50.8x25.4	1.2, 1.6, 2.0			1.35	1.62	1.82	2.25	2.78	50
50.8x31.8	1.6, 2.0			1.49	1.74	1.95	2.45	2.94	50
57.2x34.9				1.61	1.89	2.14	2.66	3.33	50
60.0x30.0	1.6			1.61	1.89	2.14	2.66	3.33	50
63.5x38.1	1.6			1.84	2.09	2.39	2.99	3.26	50
68.0x14.0	1.2			1.43	1.67	1.91	2.39		100
68.0x43.0				1.97	2.35	2.67	3.23	4.16	50
70.0x11.0				1.43	1.67	1.91	2.39		100

## Oval and Flat-Sided Oval Tube

Size (mm)	FSO/Oval	Product Type & Gauge (mm)			Nom. Linear mass (kg/m)					Lengths per pack
		CR250	GS300	HR350	1.2	1.4	1.6	2.0	2.5	
19.0x12.0	OV				0.43	0.50	0.56	0.67		50
25.4x15.9	FSO				0.65	0.75	0.83	1.00		50
31.8x15.9	FSO	1.6			0.71	0.83	0.93	1.15		50
31.8x17.1	OV				0.71	0.83	0.93	1.15		50
32.0x22.0	OV	1.6			0.74	0.89	1.01	1.26		50
34.9x15.9	FSO				0.78	0.94	1.07	1.32		50
50.8x15.9	FSO	1.6			1.07	1.26	1.36	1.78		50
54.0x35.0	FSO				1.35	1.57	1.79	2.19	2.78	49
59.0x30.0	OV				1.35	1.57	1.79	2.19	2.78	49
72.0x45.0	FSO				1.81	2.14	2.42	3.02	3.85	42
97.0x42.0	FSO						2.89	3.59	4.54	24

## Packaging & Storage

- Standard stocked lengths are 6.1m. Custom lengths are available, timed with the mill rolling schedule.
- Our bundled tube is delivered lightly oiled to ensure it is delivered in the best possible condition. During prolonged storage, it is advisable to apply a rust-preventative oil periodically.
- Bundles vary by size. See *product schedules*.

## White Rust

This condition can develop when pre-galvanised tube is transported or stored in damp, poorly ventilated environments. This environment leads to the formation of zinc hydroxide instead of the more common iron oxide, or rust. Generally, this condition is superficial and aesthetic, not typically affecting the integrity of the coating. To mitigate this issue, the tube is provided with a light oil coating. However, if the tube will not be processed immediately, we recommend separating and filleting the bundle to allow for proper ventilation.

## Colour Chart

Carbon Thickness	Colours
1.0mm	Orange
1.2mm	White
1.4mm	Red
1.6mm	Purple
2.0mm	Yellow
2.5mm	Pink

# Stainless Steel Tube

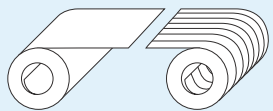
Industrial Tube Manufacturing produces a class-leading stainless steel tube, HygienicTube, primarily used for process lines in dairy factories, breweries, distilleries and other sanitary applications.

## Specification

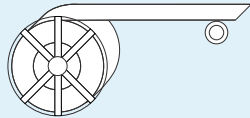
Manufactured to the AS 1528.1 Standard for austenitic Stainless Steel tube for food processing and other hygienic applications.

### Other standards:

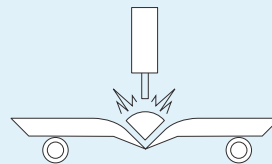
- ASTM A249 - Austenitic Steel Boiler, Superheater, Heat-Exchanger & Condenser.
- ASTM A269 - Welded Austenitic Stainless Steel Tubing for General Service.
- ASTM A554 - Welded Stainless Steel Mechanical Tubing.



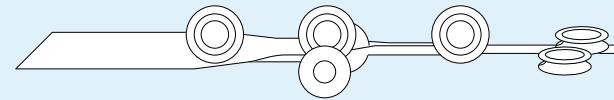
Precision Slitting



Uncoiling



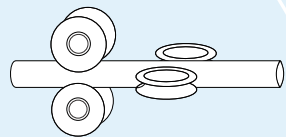
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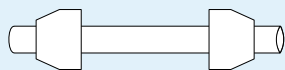
Forming



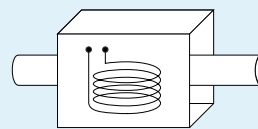
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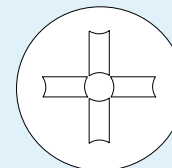
10-2 & 11th Passes



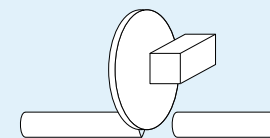
Rotary Head Unit (Sizing)



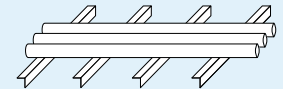
Eddy-current Testing



Turks Head & Ovality Unit



Flying Saw



Run Out Table, QC & Deburring



## Quality Assurance

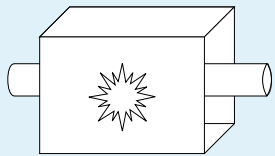
Industrial Tube QA management processes include full traceability, strength testing, dimension and tolerance inspections, weld colour management and buff polishing. Weld integrity tests are: Reverse bend test, flare/cone test and flange test.

## Material

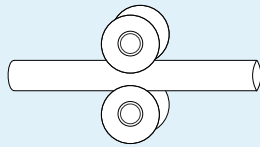
HygienicTube is manufactured from cold-rolled, annealed and skin-passed coil strip (2B) in grades 304L or 316L to ASTM A240/A240M-16a. We source from leading international mills to our exacting specification, with a tight thickness tolerance window.

## Eddy-Current Tested

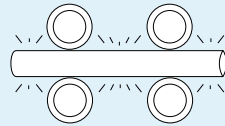
Eddy current testing is a non-destructive testing (NDT) method that uses electromagnetic induction to detect flaws, cracks and other imperfections. All tube is in-line (tangent coil weld inspection) eddy-current tested for integrity, to ASTM A1016M.



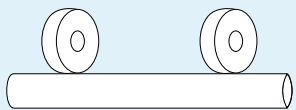
TIG Welding Box



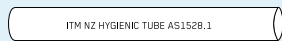
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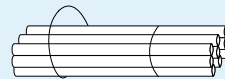
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Polishing



Line Marking



Sleeving & Packing

## Surface Finish

The standard finish of HygienicTube is buff polished to a minimum 320G finish. Other surface finishes are available on request. The internal finish of our tube (excluding the weld zone) is typically  $0.2\mu\text{m}$  to  $0.6\mu\text{m}$   $R_a$ . The internal weld zone roughness allows for a maximum Rt value of  $14.0\mu\text{m}$ . Our results typically range from 2.0 to 6.5 Rt.

## Annealing Treatment

Industrial Tube offer in-house annealing treatment for austenitic stainless tube to standards ASTM A249 or A269. We can accommodate 6.35-76.2mm tube. Annealing is performed to reduce the hardness of the formed tube, increase its ductility and improve the weld zone micro-structure, facilitating further processing.

Our process is through an off-line natural gas oven with hydrogen and nitrogen purge, run at  $1065^\circ$ . A continuous conveyor system takes the tube through the oven and the tube is rapidly cooled as the muffle continues through an aerated water bath. The tube is then put through a further straightening process, is  $360^\circ$  eddy-current tested then line marked with the appropriate information and standard.

## Our Manufacturing Process

HygienicTube is longitudinally welded through an automatic TIG welding process with no addition of filler material. Tube with diameters of 31.8mm and above are internally cold worked with the internal weld bead rolled flat to form a smooth internal surface. Tube with diameters of 25.4mm and below are in an as welded condition and internal weld height is controlled to a minimum height as per AS 1528.1.

Tube is formed in small stages at slower speeds to minimise work hardening, allowing the formed tube to be more easily bent or manipulated. The first stage of polishing is performed on-line. Mill lengths are all end deburred on the run out table and final QC checks are performed at this time.

Polishing is completed off-line before line marking with our identification, the standard, heat and work order numbers. The tube is then sleeved and packed, ready for dispatch to our distribution centres. See diagram on the left.





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## Identification

Industrial Tube's line marking identification is ITMNZ HYGIENIC - TUBE. All Tube is individually line marked with the heat number for identification and batch traceability. CWBP = Cold worked buff polished, AWBP = As welded buff polished. AS 1528.1 base material test certificates are provided with each order as per EN10204 Type 3.1.

## Packing

304L is sleeved in clear plastic, 316L in blue plastic. Bundles are strapped with timber cleats and plywood for the forklift plate. See sizing table for individual bundle sizes.

Tolerances	
External Dimensions (OD)	$\pm 0.13\text{mm} < 31.8$ , $\pm 0.25\text{mm} < 76.2$ , $\pm 0.38\text{mm} < 101.6$ , $\pm 0.50\text{mm} < 203.2$
Wall Thickness	$\pm 5\%$ (<2.0mm) of nominal wall thickness
Out-of-roundness (Ovality)	Refer OD tolerances & Ovality heading
Straightness	<2.0mm over 1000mm
Length	-0,+40mm. Exact length $\pm 1\text{mm}$ by arrangement

Minimum Mechanical Properties (Base Material)		
Yield strength	Tensile strength	EI % on Lo = 50mm
170 MPa	485 MPa	40

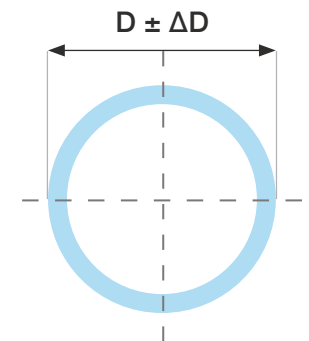
304L Typical Chemical Composition % (Ladle Analysis)								
C	S	P	Mn	Si	Cr	Ni	Mo	N
0.024	0.002	0.028	1.390	0.330	18.200	8.000	0.000	0.070

316L Typical Chemical Composition % (Ladle Analysis)								
C	S	P	Mn	Si	Cr	Ni	Mo	N
0.024	0.001	0.026	1.350	0.270	16.690	10.030	2.030	0.040



## Ovality

Difference between max and minimum diameters at any one cross section to be within OD tolerances, i.e  $\pm 0.13\text{mm} < 31.8\text{mm}$ . Our in-house R&D team have developed industry leading, proprietary in-line processes to control ovality and provide exceptional roundness in our tube.



# Stainless Steel Tube Sizing

## Round Tube

Size (mm)	Product Type & Gauge (mm)		Finish	Nom. Linear Mass (kg/m)				6.0m Lengths per pack
	304L	316L		0.9	1.2	1.6	2.0	
6.35			AWBP	0.13				50
7.95			AWBP	0.16				50
9.5			AWBP	0.19	0.25	0.31		50
12.7		<b>1.6</b>	AWBP	0.27	0.34	0.44		50
15.9		<b>1.6</b>	AWBP	0.33	0.43	0.56		50
19.1		<b>1.6</b>	AWBP	0.41	0.53	0.69	0.88	50
22.2			AWBP	0.47	0.61	0.81	1.04	50
25.4		<b>1.6</b>	AWBP	0.55	0.72	0.94	1.22	50
31.8		<b>1.6</b>	CWBP	0.69	0.92	1.19	1.54	50
38.1		<b>1.6</b>	CWBP	0.83	1.10	1.44	1.87	50
44.5		<b>1.6</b>	CWBP	0.95	1.29	1.69	2.15	50
50.8	<b>1.6</b>	<b>1.6</b>	CWBP	1.14	1.47	1.94	2.41	50
63.5	<b>1.6</b>	<b>1.6</b>	CWBP		1.84	2.44	3.06	28
76.2	<b>1.6</b>	<b>1.6</b>	CWBP		2.17	2.94	3.86	28
101.6	<b>1.6</b>	<b>1.6</b>	CWBP			3.46	4.91	18
127.0	<b>1.6</b>	<b>1.6</b>	CWBP			4.96	6.15	8
152.4		<b>1.6, 2.0</b>	CWBP			5.97	7.46	8
203.2		<b>2.0</b>	CWBP				9.96	5

Custom lengths available. Any products not shown in the stocked (bolded) items are available ex-mill rolling in most wall thicknesses. Kg/m denotes what is possible to manufacture in each wall thickness. 2.5mm, 321 and other austenitic grades can be manufactured. MOQ's apply.







**Industrial Tube QA management processes include full traceability, strength testing, dimension and tolerance inspections, weld colour management and buff polishing.**

# Stainless Steel Tube Fittings

Industrial Tube Manufacturing stocks a range of butt weld fittings to complement our Stainless Hygienic Tube sizing, suitable for process lines in dairy factories, breweries, distilleries and other sanitary and food processing applications.

We partner with suppliers who understand process engineering, ensuring we deliver high-quality sanitary tube fittings that provide a consistent and straightforward fit-up with our tube.

## Specification

Fittings are manufactured to the AS 1528.3 standard.

This Standard specifies dimensional, material and hygienic requirements for butt weld tubular fittings including bends, tees, reducers, y-sections and crosses, for incorporation in tube lines for food processing and hygienic applications.

All bends are manufactured in New Zealand to Universal Standard (UNI) dimensions.

## Surface Finish

For all fittings, the external surface is polished to a 320G finish. The internal surface (excluding weld zone) is under  $0.8\mu\text{m Ra}$  as per the standard. The weld area is under the maximum  $R_t$  value of  $14.0\mu\text{m}$ .



**45° UNI Bend**

Range: 25.4-152.4mm



**90° UNI Bend**

Range: 25.4-152.4mm



**180° UNI Bend**

Range: 38.1-76.2mm



**Con. & Ecc. Reducers**

Range: 25.4-101.6mm



**Equal Tee**

Range: 25.4-101.6mm



**Pulled Tee**

Range: 25.4-101.6mm



**45° Uni Bends / Elbows** (1.5D nominal centreline radius)

	Unit Weight (KG)	Grade	Radius (mm)
45° Uni 1.6x25.4	0.08	316L	37.1
45° Uni 1.6x31.8	0.12	316L	47.6
45° Uni 1.6x38.1	0.12	316L	57.2
45° Uni 1.6x44.5	0.23	316L	79.4
45° Uni 1.6x50.8	0.23	304L, 316L	76.2
45° Uni 1.6x63.5	0.32	304L, 316L	95.3
45° Uni 1.6x76.2	0.43	304L, 316L	114.3
45° Uni 1.6x101.6	0.66	304L, 316L	152.4
45° Uni 1.6x127	1.12	304L, 316L	190.5
45° Uni 2.0x152.4	2.00	316L	228.6

**90° Bends / Elbows** (1.5D centreline radius)

	Unit Weight (KG)	Grade	Radius (mm)
90° Uni 1.6x25.4	0.11	316L	38.1
90° Uni 1.6x31.8	0.15	316L	47.6
90° Uni 1.6x38.1	0.21	316L	57.2
90° NZ 1.6x44.5	0.32	316L	79.4
90° Uni 1.6x50.8	0.34	304L, 316L	76.2
90° Uni 1.6x63.5	0.48	304L, 316L	95.3
90° Uni 1.6x76.2	0.66	304L, 316L	114.3
90° Uni 1.6x101.6	1.12	304L, 316L	152.4
90° Uni 1.6x127	1.85	304L, 316L	190.5
90° Uni 2.0x152.4	3.20	316L	228.6

**180° Bends / Elbows** (1.5D centreline radius)

	Unit Weight (KG)	Grade	Radius (mm)
180° Uni 1.6x38.1	0.32	316L	57.2
180° Uni 1.6x50.8	0.55	316L	76.2

**Tees Equal**

	Unit Weight (KG)	Grade
Tee Equal 1.6x25.4	0.09	316L
Tee Equal 1.6x31.8	0.15	316L
Tee Equal 1.6x38.1	0.21	316L
Tee Equal 1.6x50.8	0.38	316L
Tee Equal 1.6x63.5	0.69	316L
Tee Equal 1.6x76.2	0.89	316L
Tee Equal 1.6x101.6	1.63	316L

Leg length equal to tube diameter. Tee length 3x tube diameter.

**Tees Pulled**

	Unit Weight (KG)	Grade
Tee Pulled 1.6x25.4	0.18	316L
Tee Pulled 1.6x31.8	0.24	316L
Tee Pulled 1.6x38.1	0.37	316L
Tee Pulled 1.6x50.8	0.64	316L
Tee Pulled 1.6x63.5	1.15	316L
Tee Pulled 1.6x76.2	1.50	316L
Tee Pulled 1.6x101.6	2.62	316L

Leg length equal to tube diameter. Tee length 3x tube diameter.



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Concentric Short Reducers		
	Unit Weight (KG)	Grade
Reducer Con 1.6x31.8-25.4	0.04	316L
Reducer Con 1.6x38.1-25.4	0.05	316L
Reducer Con 1.6x38.1-31.8	0.05	316L
Reducer Con 1.6x50.8-25.4	0.08	316L
Reducer Con 1.6x50.8-31.8	0.18	316L
Reducer Con 1.6x50.8-38.1	0.08	316L
Reducer Con 1.6x63.5-25.4	0.13	316L
Reducer Con 1.6x63.5-31.8	0.13	316L
Reducer Con 1.6x63.5-38.1	0.13	316L
Reducer Con 1.6x63.5-50.8	0.13	316L
Reducer Con 1.6x76.2-25.4	0.15	316L
Reducer Con 1.6x76.2-38.1	0.19	316L
Reducer Con 1.6x76.2-50.8	0.18	316L
Reducer Con 1.6x76.2-63.5	0.19	316L
Reducer Con 1.6x101.6-38.1	0.30	316L
Reducer Con 1.6x101.6-50.8	0.33	316L
Reducer Con 1.6x101.6-63.5	0.32	316L
Reducer Con 1.6x101.6-76.2	0.33	316L
Reducer Con 1.6x127-76.2	0.55	316L
Reducer Con 1.6x127-101.6	0.59	316L
Reducer Con 1.6x152.4-50.8	0.66	316L
Reducer Con 1.6x152.4-76.2	0.79	316L
Reducer Con 1.6x152.4-101.6	0.98	316L

Short reducer. Height equal to widest diameter.

Eccentric Short Reducers		
	Unit Weight (KG)	Grade
Reducer Ecc 1.6x38.1-25.4	0.05	316L
Reducer Ecc 1.6x38.1-31.8	0.05	316L
Reducer Ecc 1.6x50.8-25.4	0.09	316L
Reducer Ecc 1.6x50.8-38.1	0.08	316L
Reducer Ecc 1.6x63.5-38.1	0.13	316L
Reducer Ecc 1.6x63.5-50.8	0.13	316L
Reducer Ecc 1.6x76.2-38.1	0.13	316L
Reducer Ecc 1.6x76.2-50.8	0.19	316L
Reducer Ecc 1.6x76.2-63.5	0.18	316L
Reducer Ecc 1.6x101.6-38.1	0.19	316L
Reducer Ecc 1.6x101.6-50.8	0.30	316L
Reducer Ecc 1.6x101.6x63.5	0.32	316L
Reducer Ecc 1.6x101.6x76.2	0.33	316L
Reducer Ecc 1.6x127x101.6	0.59	316L
Reducer Ecc 1.6x152.4-76.2	0.79	316L
Reducer Ecc 1.6x152.4x101.6	0.98	316L

Short reducer. Height equal to widest diameter.

**Other sizes and sanitary fittings, including RJT and BSM unions, ferrules, tri-clamps, valves, caps and custom bends are available on request, in both 304 and 316. Availability is overnight in most cases.**

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# Services

At Industrial Tube Manufacturing, we are committed to supporting Australia's manufacturing sector. We specialise in creating precision tubular components and assemblies, made from the tube we manufacture, to your exact specifications. Managed at our sites, from start to finish, our process provides complete control over quality, timing, and cost. Our partnership approach includes a comprehensive just-in-time service to ensure you receive the product you need, when you need it.

## Stock Management

We offer a full Kanban just-in-time (JIT) manufacturing service to streamline your ordering process. This reduces stock-outs, wait times between mill rolling schedules and scrap. We will manufacture the tube to your exact length and tolerance requirements, precision or laser cut to length and hold a rotating minimum stock-holding with automatic replenishment. Inventory levels match your demand and with our internal and external freight network, we partner with you to provide the product you need, on your schedule.

## Capabilities

- CNC Mandrel Bending
- Tube Laser & Precision Cutting
- CNC Drilling
- Swaging & End Forming
- Robot Welding

## Design and Prototyping

Our advanced in-house capabilities enable us to offer an extensive range of tube fabrication solutions. Utilising our cutting-edge tube processing technologies and our deep engineering expertise, we are well equipped to handle everything from one-off prototype designs to large-scale production runs.

Our in-house design team uses leading CAD/CAM software packages including ArTube and SolidWorks, to evolve your design and provide unrivalled accuracy. The fact that ArTube is software designed specifically for tubes provides a wide range of tube specific options, focused on every detail.

Our software is fully integrated with our cutting machinery and is optimised for our specific Precision Steel tube and Stainless Steel tube weldment profiles; delivering exceptional, precise results, every time.

## The Process

If you're in the product concept stage, reach out to share your project ideas. Whether you prefer an in-person meeting at your location or ours, or a video conference, we'll work to understand your requirements. We'll then offer expert feedback on the best way to bring your vision to life.

We also offer design services for customers without in-house CAD capability.

If you already have the design completed, and require a quote, email both STP (or agreed equivalent) and PDF files of your parts along with required quantities, material type and your project lead time to: [sales@industrialtube.com.au](mailto:sales@industrialtube.com.au)  
In all cases a drawing will be produced for sign-off before initial production and this is item coded and held for repeat ordering.





“Smokai is a precision engineered product, and if the components are even a tenth of a millimetre out, the final product may not fit together. It is obvious when you see the quality and care of their work that they really do take ownership of the part they each play in the production process. We love the work done by Industrial Tube to make our product the success it is.”

Tony Parton - Director of Smokai

## CNC Tube Bending

At Industrial Tube Manufacturing, we offer a specialised CNC Mandrel Tube Bending service that caters to a range of materials including Precision Mild Steel Tube, Stainless Steel Tube, and Aluminium Tube. Our advanced 3-Axis CNC Benders have the capability to handle tube up to 90mm in diameter, delivering exceptionally accurate and complex bends.

Our bending process is supported by precision-engineered tooling, tailored to the exact specifications of the tube we manufacture. This meticulous approach ensures optimal fit and enhanced formability, resulting in minimal deformation and superior quality bends. Each tube is supported internally with a mandrel during bending, which helps maintain structural integrity and achieves a high degree of precision.

In addition to our standard bending services, we offer the flexibility to bend tubes that have been pre-laser cut. Whether your requirements include features such as holes, scallops, or angle cut ends, we can accommodate these specifications in your finished components.

If your bending requirements fall outside the scope of our standard tooling chart, please do not hesitate to reach out to our technical sales team. We are ready to discuss your unique needs and explore how we can provide a tailored solution to meet your specific requirements.

Available Tooling List			
Tube Size (mm)	Centreline Bend Radius (mm)	Wall Thickness (mm)	Minimum Straight between bends (mm)
Ø25.4	64.3	1.6, 2.0	60
Ø31.8	97.6	1.6, 2.0	80
Ø38.1	117.1	1.6, 2.5	95
Ø44.5	77.9, 137.5	1.6, 2.5	110
Ø50.8	88.9, 155.6	1.6, 2.5	125
Ø63.5	97.7	1.6, 2.0, 2.5	140
Ø76.2	115.4	1.6, 2.0, 4.75	170
Ø88.9	133.35	1.6, 2.0	180
25.4x25.4	76.1	1.6, 2.0	80



## Telescoping

Tube telescoping applications are used where additional strength is required, or when there is a requirement for one tube to extend out from another. Common uses for telescoped tube are extension arms, shop-fittings, tables and adjustable legs. The internal tube can be of any nominated wall thickness however the telescoping tube (external) will need to be of 1.2mm or 1.4mm wall thickness in most cases.

Telescoping			
	Outer	Inner	Nominal Clearance
<b>Rectangular</b>	68.0x43.0	63.5x38.1	0.8mm (1.6 Outer wall)
	50.8x25.4	46.5x22.2	0.8mm (1.6 Outer wall)
	38.1x25.4	34.9x19.1	0.5mm (1.2 Outer wall)
	34.9x19.1	31.8x15.9	0.4mm (1.2 Outer wall)
<b>Square</b>	38.1x38.1	34.9x34.9	0.3mm (1.2 Outer wall)
	34.9x34.9	31.8x31.8	0.4mm (1.2 Outer wall)
	25.4x25.4	22.2x22.2	0.3mm (1.2 Outer wall)
	22.2x22.2	19.1x19.1	0.3mm (1.2 Outer wall)
	19.1x19.1	15.9x15.9	0.3mm (1.2 Outer wall)
	15.9x15.9	12.7x12.7	0.4mm (1.2 Outer wall)

Telescoping			
	Outer	Inner	Nominal Clearance
<b>Round</b>	76.2	69.9	1.8mm (2.0 Outer wall)
	63.5	60.3	0.8mm (1.2 Outer wall)
	60.3	57.2	0.4mm (1.2 Outer wall)
	57.2	54.0	0.3mm (1.2 Outer wall)
	54.0	50.8	0.4mm (1.2 Outer wall)
	50.8	47.6	0.5mm (1.2 Outer wall)
	47.6	44.5	0.3mm (1.2 Outer wall)
	44.5	41.3	0.3mm (1.2 Outer wall)
	41.3	38.1	0.3mm (1.2 Outer wall)
	38.1	34.9	0.3mm (1.2 Outer wall)
	34.9	31.8	0.4mm (1.2 Outer wall)
	31.8	28.6	0.5mm (1.2 Outer wall)
	28.6	25.4	0.4mm (1.2 Outer wall)
	25.4	22.2	0.3mm (1.2 Outer wall)
22.2	19.1	0.3mm (1.2 Outer wall)	
19.1	15.9	0.3mm (1.2 Outer wall)	
15.9	12.7	0.4mm (1.2 Outer wall)	
12.7	9.5	0.4mm (1.2 Outer wall)	

Other variations are available and the internal weld bead can be reduced for additional clearance. MOQs apply. For production runs, plug gauges will be used as per customer specification.







Automation and high-speed capabilities significantly boost production efficiency, allowing for quicker turnaround times on projects.



## Tube Laser Cutting

Our BLM LT7 3kw Fibre Tube Laser provides highly accurate and repeatable tube cutting. Automation and high-speed capabilities boost production efficiency, allowing for quicker turnaround times on projects.

Active tilt adds the linear movement of the tube to the oscillating movement of the 5-axis cutting head to significantly increase output, adding unimaginable productivity, especially when cutting light-wall materials.



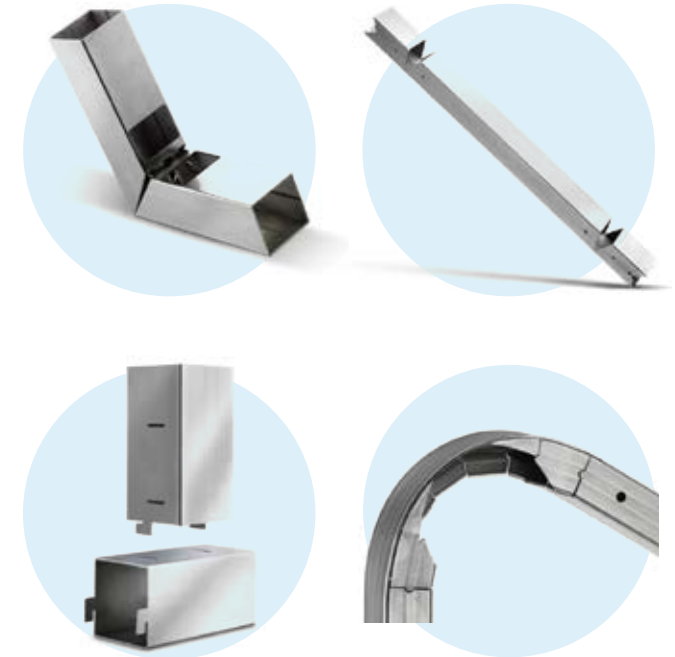
BLM's ArTube CAD/CAM software is specifically for the design of tube components. It allows creation, simulation and optimisation of tube cutting processes, improving efficiency and precision. With advanced AI functionality, 3D files can be imported and ArTube will effortlessly generate the corresponding part program.

Advanced features, including weld seam detection, twist compensation, dynamic waste reduction, and automated splash reduction, ensure unmatched accuracy and efficiency.

The ability to cut a wide range of materials and tube sizes makes the LT7 a versatile tool for various industries and applications. We can process round, square, rectangle, oval and open profiles in Mild Steel, Stainless Steel and Aluminium.

### BLM LT7 Laser Capability

Load length	1900-6500mm
Unload length (Max)	6500mm
Min/Max Cutting dimensions	12 - 152.4mm
Max difference between sides	137mm
Max weight (kg/m)	23
Max cutting thickness (Steel)	6mm

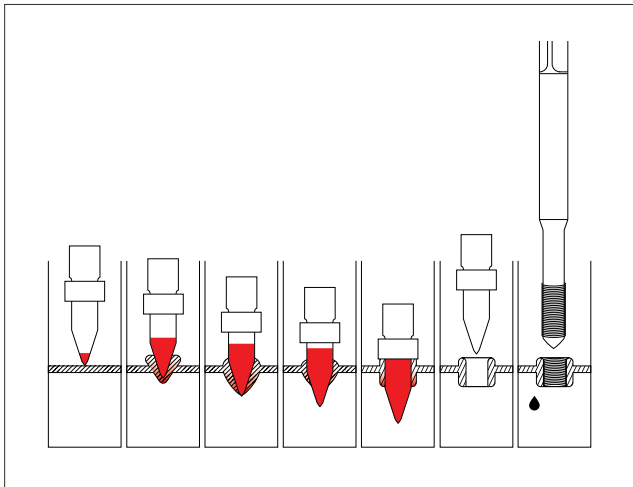




## CNC Drilling

Our CNC drilling machine is the perfect solution for tubular products requiring multiple precision holes, flow drilling and tapping. Flow drilling (or thermal/friction drilling) is often used as an alternative to rivet nuts, creating tapped holes for bolts and screws in product assembly. The thread length is generally 2-3x the wall thickness with the ability to feature a flat, collarless finish.

Equipped with an automatic tool changer that accommodates up to six different drill bit sizes in a single setup, our CNC drilling machine has a large bed size for volume work. This bed allows for multiple parts to be stacked and batch processed without compromising tolerances and quality control.



Flow Drilling & Tapping



## Precision Cutting

Precision cutting produces clean, square and accurate cuts economically. Our BLM Automatic saws can quickly cut diameters from 12-102mm with a +/- 0.5mm cutting tolerance. Tube is bundle loaded, with the workpiece kept in place with adjustable hydraulic clamps to ensure accuracy. A motorised locater with automatic nesting, can cut up to four different parts from the same length to reduce material waste. Cut sizing range: 20-4500mm. Machine specification varies by service centre location.



## Deburring

Brush deburring removes burrs, rough and sharp edges and other imperfections from cut lengths. Deburring is ideal when powder coating or electroplating is required and is essential when assembling parts with plugs or bearings. *Deburring Size Range: 300-4000mm*

### Drilling Capability

Drilling	Tapping	Thermal Drilling	Milling	Length	Bed	Spindle Speed
ø 2mm - ø 40mm	M3 - M24	M5-M10	Linear only	50-6000mm	0.4x4.5m	750-3000 RPM

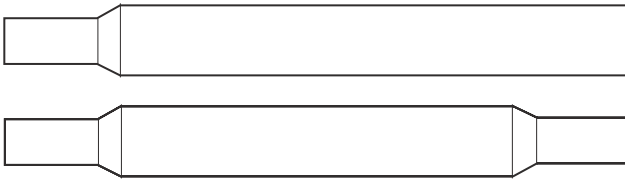


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## Swaging and End Forming

Manipulating tube size and shape is made easy with our swaging process. This involves reducing or increasing the diameter of the tube while increasing or decreasing its length. Common applications are automotive, furniture, medical, sporting equipment or anywhere a temporary sleeved joint or diameter reduction is required. Swaging is available for most of our manufactured sizes from 15.9-63.5mm and the maximum swage length is 90mm. Other sizes available by request, MOQ's apply.



### Swage Tooling List

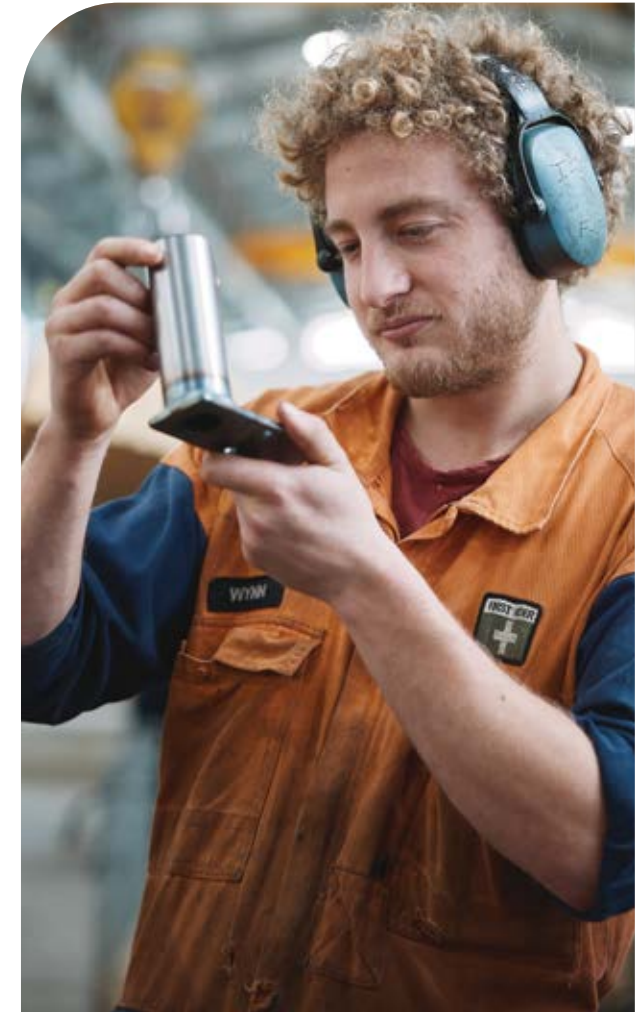
Swage (mm)	Tube Profile (mm)
13.2, 14	15.9
15, 17	19.1
19.5, 20.7, 21.6, 21.8	22.2
22.5, 24	25.4
25.7, 26.8	28.6
28.1, 28.6, 30	31.8
34.4, 35	38.1
40	41.3
42.5	44.5
46.6, 50	50.8
55	57.2
60.15	63.5

## Robot Welding

Robotic welding is the ideal solution where weld quality and repeatability is important. Our Arc Robot Welders are versatile and high-performance welding machines designed to meet the rigorous demands of modern manufacturing. Offering 6 axes of articulation, our Robot Welders offer exceptional arc stability and control, ensuring consistent weld quality across various materials and applications.

### Welder One

This machine is specifically set up with feed bunkers to produce tubular components, fittings, and assemblies with foot-plates in 57mm and 44.5mm, with a maximum length of 120mm. Production runs outside of this scope will require specific jigs and MOQs will apply.



### Welder Two

This machine allows for welding of assemblies of up to 2.1m x 1.2m x 2.8m in cubic volume, with parts as large as 4.8m long. With max welded part weights up to 500kg, precision and consistency is guaranteed. Jigs, setup and MOQ's apply.





Our CNC drill press is the perfect solution for tubular products requiring multiple precision holes, flow drilling and tapping.









# Service Promise

At Industrial Tube, it's not just our people that deliver, it's our products. From Precision Steel Tube to Stainless Steel Tube and a full range of tube processing services, our offering reflects the full scope of our manufacturing expertise.

With extensive experience in tube processing, we offer consultation, design, and quoting services to support your unique projects. Whatever your Precision Steel Tube, Stainless Steel Tube and manufacturing needs may be, reach out to the team at Industrial Tube today.

## Our Customer Service Delivery Goals

- Regular delivery schedules throughout South East Queensland and Northern New South Wales.
- Stock on-hand, when required.
- Delivery on time, in the specification ordered.
- Nationwide delivery partnership ensures prompt shipping of completed orders.



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