

## DBDI<sup>®</sup> Standard Product Length

The Dayton Superior DBDI<sup>®</sup> Splicing System is a two-piece, parallel threaded, mechanical splice that uses hot forged rebar in the production of the coupler. The threads on both the male (DI) and female (DB) are upsized during the forging process to create a robust connection that is stronger than the rebar being connected. This makes the DBDI Splicing System the most compatible splicing system in the industry and the only true 2 piece splicing system in the industry.

Currently, customers, when ordering this product, configure their products to virtually any length. This condition means that every order is created from raw material once the order has been placed making DBDI a true “custom” product with extended lead times.

In order to reduce lead times and better meet the customer demands of this product, DBDI will be inventoried by need in standardized lengths based on 6” increments from 12” to 120” in overall length. This applies to all DBDI diameters, #4(13mm) to #11(36mm). These lengths will become the “Standard Length” products and will allow customers to realize the following benefits:

- Reduction in lead time for customer orders
- Additional stocking locations custom fit to individual demand
- Access to pricing and Product Codes (i.e. 78075) via the Dayton Superior Accessories Price Book

These enhancements are in the process of being implemented and will be fully online by February 2013.

Custom length products will continue to be available, as needed, but will carry a cut charge associated with trimming a standard length part down to the specific needed length. Note, this option should only be used when a “Standard Length” product cannot be substituted.

Please contact customer service for availability and pricing at 1.877.977.9600.

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