



PLASTITE® 48-2 THREAD ROLLING SCREWS REMINC							
Nominal Screw Size and Threads Per Inch	С		D		Minimum Out-Of-Round		
	Diameter of Circumscribing Circle		Measurements Across Center			Recommended Pilot Hole Sizes	
	Max	Min	Max	Min		Soft Ductile Materials	Brittle Materials
2 - 28	.092	.086	.089	.083	.002	.076	.080
3 - 24	.110	.104	.106	.100	.002	.088	.094
4 - 20	.127	.121	.123	.117	.002	.100	.106
5 - 20	.136	.132	.133	.129	.002	-	-
6 - 19	.147	.141	.143	.137	.003	.122	.128
7 - 18	.166	.160	.160	.154	.004	.134	.142
8 - 16	.185	.179	.179	.173	.004	.149	.158
10 - 14	.212	.206	.208	.202	.004	.175	.185
12 - 11	.232	.226	.226	.220	.005	.195	.205
1/4 - 10	.276	.270	.268	.262	.006	.224	.240
Tolerance on Length		Thru 3/4": ±.030"			Over 3/4": ±.050"		

Description	Trilobular thread-rolling screw with extra wide spacing between 480 profile threads; twin lead threads with a 1-2 thread point taper.				
Applications/ Advantages	Thermoplastics, engineering resins and certain thermosets. Sharper thread profile increases holding strength while reducing material displacement.  Drive and strip torques are higher, reducing the need for inserts or reinforcing clips.				
Material	Steel	Stainless			
	AISI 1022 steel	18-8: 18-8 stainless steel 410: 410 austenitic stainless steel			
Heat Treatment	Screws shall be quenched in liquid and then tempered by reheating to 650°F minimum.	410: Screws shall be annealed by heating to 1850°-1950°F, held at least 1/2 hr & rapid air- or oil-quenched; then reheated to 525°F min. for at least 1 hr & air cooled to provide the required mechanical properties.			
Case Hardness	Rockwell C45 minimum	-			
Case Depth	No. 2 thru 6 diameters: .002007 No. 8 thru 10 diameters: .004009 1/4" diameter: .005011	-			
Core Hardness (after tempering)	Rockwell C28-38	18-8: Rockwell B90 - C20 410: Rockwell C34 - 42			
Plating	Various finishes with wax coating (see Appendix-A)	Stainless thread rolling screws are supplied passivated & waxed.			