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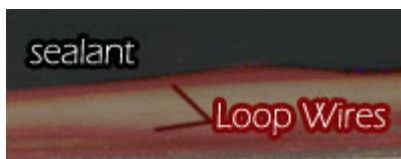


### The importance of 3/16" Blades

Whether your installer is putting in a preformed loop or wrapping his own off a spool of wire a 3/16" blade is a solid investment.

1/8" saw-cut grooves are so narrow that thick sealant isn't able to fully encapsulate the loop wires causing air pockets. Air pockets can cause the loop to short to ground, create false detections, and eventually push the loop wire to the surface if water gets into the air pockets and freezes.

Even manufacturers like Doorking recommend installers use a 3/16" blade for their saw-cut loops.



Air Pockets like the one pictured above can cause false detections or loop failure.

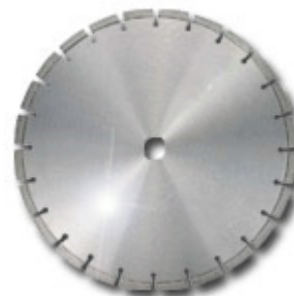
Don't let all your installer's hard work go to waste, recommend they use a 3/16" or larger blade for all of their saw-cut applications.

**BD Loops Groove  
Cleaning Air Wand**

### Pro Concrete Blades

**For use in non abrasive material only.**

Concrete blades have a soft bond and are designed to be used in hard materials such as concrete, concrete with reinforced bar, block, brick, hard brick, pavers, clay pavers and field stones.



**Your Cost: \$190.00**

Using a concrete blade in abrasive surfaces like asphalt will cause the blade to wear quickly.

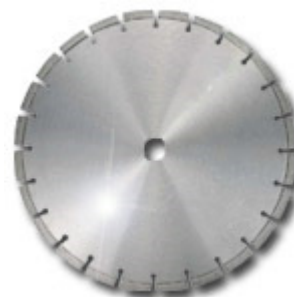
Our Pro Concrete diamond saw blades are intended to withstand hard use. Although a concrete blade provides better speed and longevity, they are designed for cutting a limited variety of materials.

Concrete Blades are 14" in Diameter and can be used with a minimum 8 Horsepower Saw. Operating RPM: 2900

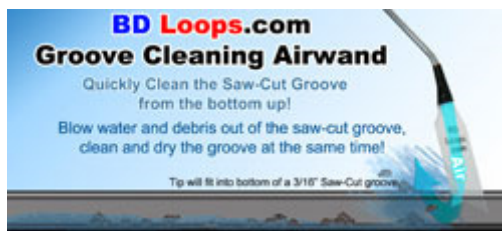
### Pro Asphalt Blades

**For use in abrasive materials.**

Asphalt blades have a hard bond and are designed to be used only in abrasive materials like Asphalt. Using an Asphalt blade in a surface like concrete can cause the blade to crack and possibly damage the saw-cut machine.



**Your Cost: \$210.00**



As of August 1st 2010 every TB-KIT comes packaged with a Groove Cleaning Air Wand. If you have an older TB-KIT with out an air wand please contact us so we can send you one.

With BD Loops Groove Cleaning Airwand installers can blow debris out of the saw-cut groove from the bottom up and lessen the amount of time it takes a saw-cut groove to dry.

Drying the saw-cut groove before installing a saw-cut loop can help prevent the need for early replacement. Air pockets allow space for water to enter the saw-cut groove and saturate the wire which can cause the loop to fail and require replacement.

The new BD Loops Air Wand combined with our preformed saw-cut loop, TB-Kit, and sealant tip will save installers even more time, money, and materials.

## Related Links

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Asphalt Blades are ideal for cutting abrasive materials with maximum performance and longevity.

Asphalt Blades are 14" in Diameter and can be used with a minimum 8 Horsepower Saw. Operating RPM: 2900

## Pro Combo Blades

**For use in abrasive and non abrasive materials.**

Combo and Special Blades are suitable for medium to heavy duty job applications. They are user-friendly and highly functional.



**Your Cost: \$210.00**

Combo blades have a medium bond and can be used in both asphalt and concrete. Combo blades will not cut as quickly as the specialized surface blades will, but if you find yourself cutting into both types of surfaces often they are a worthwhile investment.

Combo Blades are 14" in Diameter and can be used with a minimum 8 Horsepower Saw. Operating RPM: 2900

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