

GENERAL INFORMATION

HELI-PIN™

Helical Facade Anchor

PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

The Heli-Pin anchor is a one-piece stainless steel helical wall tie system used for anchoring existing brick veneers to the back-up structural members without exposing hardware. The helical design allows the tie to be driven quickly and easily into a predrilled pilot hole with a Heli-Pin setting tool and a roto-hammer drill (or embedded into mortar joints in new construction) to provide a reliable mechanical connection between a masonry façade and its backup material or between multiple wythes of brick.

Existing façades constructed of various masonry materials can be reattached and reinforced using the Heli-Pin. They are ideal for stabilizing areas with missing or corroded wall ties as well as retrofits to multiple width masonry wall sections. Heli-Pin anchor performs in concrete and masonry as well as wood and steel studs.

GENERAL APPLICATIONS AND USES

- Mechanical connections between a masonry façade and its backup material
- Replace missing or corroded wall ties
- Used in new construction by being embedded into the mortar joint

FEATURES AND BENEFITS

- + Virtually invisible repairs to masonry building facades
- + Ease and speed of installation with a roto-hammer and available setting tool
- + Made of corrosion resistant stainless steel
- + Helical shaped tie is both tension and compression resistant, and provides solid connection with the base material.
- + Variety of lengths and diameters, for a broad range of applications
- + Reinforced central core for high shaft strength

APPROVALS AND LISTINGS

• Tested in accordance with CSA A370

GUIDE SPECIFICATIONS

CSI Divisions: 03 16 00 - Concrete Anchors and 04 05 19.16 - Masonry Anchors. Anchors shall be Heli-Pin as supplied by DEWALT, Towson, MD. Anchors shall be installed in accordance with published instructions and the Authority Having Jurisdiction.

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ANCHOR MATERIALS

• Type 304 Stainless Steel

ANCHOR SIZE RANGE (TYP.)

• 8mm (5/16") x 6" to 12"

SUITABLE BASE MATERIALS

- Normal-weight Concrete
- Grouted Concrete Masonry (CMU)
- Hollow Concrete Masonry (CMU)
- Brick Masonry
- Wood Studs
- Metal Studs
- Natural Stone

INSTALLATION AND MATERIAL SPECIFICATIONS

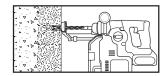
Material Specifications

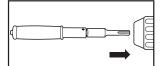
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Anchor Body	Type 304 Stainless Steel	

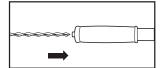
Installation Procedure

Using a proper diameter bit drill a pilot hole through façade material into backup base material to a depth at least ¼" deeper than the embedment required.

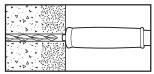
Mount installation tool on a rotary hammer drill. Position the Heli-Pin in the installation tool and insert into the pilot hole.







Drive the pin until it is about ½" below the surface of the façade material (setting tool should be flush with face of base material). Patch hole with appropriate material.





PERFORMANCE DATA

Typical Performance Characteristics for 8mm Heli-Pin¹

Material	Minimum Effective Embedment Depth her in.	Ultimate Tension/Compression lbs.		
Mortar Joint	3	700		
Brick (solid)	3-5/8	700		
Brick (cavity)	3-5/8	1200		
Hollow CMU 6 (normal wt. CMU)	1	800		
Grouted CMU (lightweight block)	2	550		
Concrete	1-1/4	1200		
2x4 Wood Stud	3	520		
2x6 Wood Stud	3	520		
Metal Stud	16 gauge	300		
Granite	1-1/8	500		
Travertine	7/8	500		
Limestone	3	600		
1. The data reflects the results of lab, field and in-house testing and provided as a guideline for the designers. Site testing is suggested for verification of load carrying capacity.				

8mm Heli-Pin Masonry Bit Size

Facade Material	Uali Din			Bac	ck-up Base Mate	rial		
racaue materiai	Heli-Pin	Mortar Joint	Brick	Hollow CMU	Solid CMU	Concrete	Wood Stud	Metal Stud
Mortar Joint	8mm	3/16"	1/4"	3/16"	3/16"	1/4"	3/16"	3/16"
Brick	8mm	1/4"	1/4"	1/4"	1/4"	1/4"	5/16"	1/4"
Hollow CMU	8mm	3/16"	1/4"	3/16"	3/16"	1/4"	3/16"	3/16"
Solid CMU	8mm	3/16"	1/4"	3/16"	3/16"	1/4"	3/16"	3/16"
Precast Concrete	8mm	1/4"	1/4"	1/4"	1/4"	1/4"	1/4"	1/4"

8mm Heli-Pin Length Selection

	Minimum Drilled Hole	Cavity Range		
Nominal length	length Depth CMU in. (Hollow or Solid)		Concrete	
6"	6-5/8	0 to 1"	0 to 1-1/2"	
8"	8-5/8	0 to 3"	1-1/2" to 3-1/2"	
10"	10-5/8	0 to 5"	3-1/2" to 5-1/2"	

ORDERING INFORMATION

Heli-Pin Anchors

Catalog Number	Description	Standard Box	Standard Carton
08341	Heli-Pin Anchor 8mm (5/16") x 6"	100	1000
08342	Heli-Pin Anchor 8mm (5/16") x 8"	100	1000
08343	Heli-Pin Anchor 8mm (5/16") x 10"	100	1000
08344	Heli-Pin Anchor 8mm (5/16") x 12"	50	500

Heli-Pin Setting Tool

Catalog Number	Description	Standard Box	Standard Carton	
08345	Heli-Pin Setting Tool	1	12	
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