Self Drilling Screws

SIZE	SCREW	THREADS	STEEL	TENSION	SHEAR	AVERAGE TORSIONAL	COMMENTS
DIAMETER	DIAMETER	PER INCH	GAUGE	PULLOUT (LBS)	PULLOUT (LBS)	STRENGTH (LBS)	
#6			20 0.033"	299	480		#6 Metal to metal fastening, used in
			18 0.044"	377	789		light-gauge sheet metal applications.
	0.138	8-28	16 0.005"	829	877	34	Recommended drive speed of 2,500 RPMS.
			14 0.069"	855	885		
#7			12 0.099"	724			
		7-19	20 0.033"	269	544	39	
	0.151		18 0.044"	307	625		
			0.055"	596	987		
#8			20 0.033"	304	513		#8 Metal to metal fastening, used in light
			18 0.044"	414	848		sheet metal and light-gauge steel framing.
	0.164		16 0.005"	172	1108	47	Very common in HVAC ductwork assembly.
			14 0.069"	744	1131		Recommended drive speed of 2,500 RPMS.
			12 0.099"	872			
#10		10-16	20 0.033"	324	580		#10 Metal to metal fastening, used in medium
			18 0.044"	397	885		gauge framing. Used by metal framing & HVAC
	0.19	10-24	16 0.005"	671	291	75	contractors/fabricators. Can attach 12-20 gauge
			14 0.069"	753	1576		steel. Recommended drive speed of 2,500 RPMS.
			12 0.099"	1142	1587		
#12			20 0.033"	300	578		#12 Metal to metal fastening, used in sheet metal
			18 0.044"	342	914		to attach purlins & channels. Can attach 12-20
	0.216	12-20	16 0.005"	637	1308	108	gauge steel. Recommended drive speed of
			14 0.069"	760	1836		2,500 RPMS.
			12 0.099"	1212	2267		
#14		14-14	20 0.033"	325	809		#14 Metal to metal fastening, used for heavy
			18 0.044"	354	965		gauge metal attachment. Can attach 8-18 gauge
			14 0.069"	772	1941		metal. Recommended drive speed of 2,500 RPMS.
			12 0.099"	1175	2468		
							High Hat Had 28% more head height, means
							greater tool engagement, no slip out, and
							increased tool life.