

Drawing not to scale.

Direct Burial Application

For installation in concrete pours, gravel roads, dirt roads, under pavers, or underneath asphalt. If you plan to cut in these loops please go back and select "Saw-Cut Application" to view the proper diagrams.

Loop Sizes Needed:

Reverse/ Exit Loops:	36' Perimeter Loop		
BD Loops Part#:	EL 36-60 or EL 36-100		
Description:	6' x 12' Loop with 60' or 100' of lead-in		
This Loop will have approximately 48 " of detection height.			

Shadow Loop:	44' Perimeter Loop	
BD Loops Part#:	RL 44-40	
Description:	10' x 12' Loop with 40' of lead-in	
This Loop will have approximately 64" of detection height.		

These are standard size loops. Standard size loops can ship same day from our Placentia, CA location. Contact your BD Loops Distributor for more information.

Notes about Swing Gates:

Swing gates require a minimum of 3 loops to properly protect the gate path as pictured in red above:

- An Inside Reverse Loop or Exit Loop
- A Shadow Loop
- An Outside Reverse Loop

Reverse Loops will hold the gate open, or reverse a closing gate if a vehicle enters or stops within the gate path. The inside reverse loop can be connected to the exit loop function if you desire. An Exit Loop will do everything a reverse loop does and will also open the gate automatically when a car drives over it. A Shadow Loop will check before the gate closes to see if a vehicle is present. When the gate is in motion the shadow loop will not respond to any detection, which is why reverse/exit functions are required on each side of the gate.

Have a long approach on the secure side? An additional exit loop further down the driveway will make the system more convenient for users. They will not have to wait for the gate to open when exiting.

BD Loops Saw-Cut Loops Are Available!

- Save Time Quick and Easy Installation
- Save on Materials Loop Sealant, Backer Rod
- Don't Have to Cut a Perfect Size Groove!
- Extra Protection: Durable Thick Outer Jacket -Holds up in cracked up surfaces



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BD Loops

Direct Burial Loop Sizes

The standard size loops listed in the chart to the right are available for same day shipping if BD Loops receives a PO from a distributor by 3:30 pm PST.

Need a bigger loop or longer lead-in lengths?

Custom size loops are available and can ship same day if the PO is received by 12:00 pm PST.

Need to Test Loops?



The **BD-Megger** is an essential testing device that checks for the most common loop issue: a nick in the wire allowing current to leak to ground.



The E-Z Detector Checker quickly checks components upstream from the loop including the detector module, harness wiring, and circuit board loop connections.

BD Loops Preformed Direct Burial Loop Size Chart **Residential Vehicle Commercial Vehicle** Lead-In **BD** Loops Loop Size Application Application Length Part Number 40' RL 14-40 14 Foot Loop Drive Thru Lane / N/A 60' EL 14-60 Parking 3x4ft RL 16-40 40' 16 Foot Loop 0 10ft

How to Read BD Loops RL 24 - 40 Lead-in Length (ft)					
How to Road			200		
6x20ft		24ft Driveway Width	100'	EL 52-100	
52 Foot Loop			40 60'	EL 52-60	
			40'	RL 52-40	
6x16ft		20ft Driveway Width	60' 100'	EL 44-60 EL 44-100	
44 Foot Loop			40'	RL 44-40	
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6x14ft		18ft Driveway Width	60′	EL 40-60	
40 Foot Loop					
6x12ft			100′	EL 36-100	
		16ft Driveway Width	60'	EL 36-60	
36 Foot Loop			40′	RL 36-40	
4x12ft or 6x10ft	16ft Driveway Width	14ft Driveway Width	100'	EL 32-100	
32 Foot Loop	4x12ft loop pattern	6x10ft loop pattern	60'	EL 32-60	
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4x10ft or 6x8ft 14	14ft Driveway Width	12ft Driveway Width	60' 100'	EL 28-60 EL 28-100	
28 Foot Loop	4x10ft loop pattern	6x8ft loop pattern	<u> </u>	FL 28 CO	
4x8ft or 6x6ft			100′	EL 24-100	
	12ft Driveway Width	10ft Driveway Width	60′	EL 24-60	
24 Foot Loop	4x8ft loop pattern	6x6ft loop pattern	40′	RL 24-40	
3x7ft or 4x6ft	Driveway Width				
20 Foot Loop	10-11ft	N/A	40 60'	EL 20-60	
			40'	RL 20-40	
3x6ft or 4x5ft	Driveway Width	N/A	60'	EL 18-60	
18 Foot Loop	9-10ft	N /A	40'	RL 18-40	
3x5ft or 4x4ft			101		
	Driveway Width	N/A	60'	EL 16-60	
16 Foot Loop	8-10ft		40	NE 10-40	

Part Numbers:

Type of Loop

Loop Size Perimeter (ft) In this example 24' (4x8' or 6x6').

RL or EL = Direct Burial SC = Saw-Cut