

QUADGUARD® SYSTEM (24, 30 OR 36)



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INTENDED USE

The QUADGUARD® System is a member of the QUADGUARD® Family designed to shield narrower hazards. The QUADGUARD® offers impact protection for both light and heavy vehicles. The system is perfect for gore areas, bifurcations and hazards such as bridge piers and tollbooths. It is effective against head-on and angle hits at typical highway speeds.

When hit head-on, a series of cartridges, placed between QuadBeam $^{\text{\tiny TM}}$ diaphragms and surrounded by telescoping fender panels, are crushed. This action absorbs the kinetic energy from the impacting vehicle, bringing the vehicle to a stop. Hit along the side at an angle, the system redirects the vehicle away from the hazard.

Only the cartridges and nose assembly are expended during a design speed crash. Two types of cartridges are required, permitting convenient stocking of these easily replaceable elements. The QUADGUARD® is available for head-on design speeds up to 75 mph [120 km/h], for hazards from 24" [610mm] to 36" [916 mm] in width.

The QUADGUARD® Systems have successfully passed the complete NCHRP 350, TL3 test matrix with both light car and high center-of-gravity pickup truck at speeds up to 62 mph [100 km/h] at angles up to 20 degrees. Higher speed systems are available.

• Non-gating Length = 7' [2.16 m] (1 bay) to

• Redirecting 40.12' [12.23 m] (12 bay)

• Non-pocketing Width = (standard) 24" [610 mm] Min

• Bidirectional or (standard) 36" [916mm] Max

Unidirectional Design Speed = variable up to 75 mph [120 km/h]

• Partially Reusable

APPROVALS: http://safety.fhwa.dot.gov/roadway_dept/road_hardware/barriers/pdf/cc-35b.pdf

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