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Management
System
Certification



FRP Ladder
Certification ANSI
ASC A14.5-2017



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de Innovación



UL-568 Cable
Tray Certification



ANSI A10.8-2019
Dielectric
Scaffold
Certification

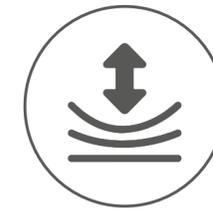




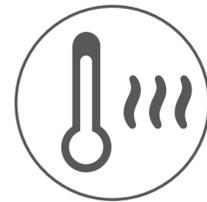
Benefits of FRP products



Corrosion
Resistance



High
Strength



Thermal
Insulation



High environmental
resistance



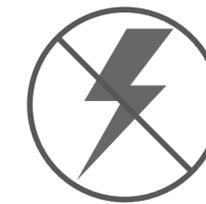
Flame-retardant



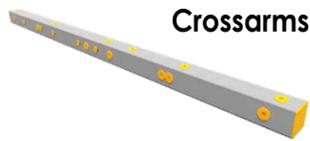
Lightweight



Cost-Effectiveness



Electrical
Insulation

PRODUCT	Product reference standard	ASTM D149 <small>(Dielectric strength)</small>	ASTM D570 <small>(Water absorption)</small>	ASTM D790 <small>(Flexural strength)</small>	ASTM G154 <small>(Accelerated aging)</small>	ASTM D5025 <small>(Combustibility)</small>	ASTM E84 <small>(Flame spread)</small>	ASTMD 543 <small>(Chemical resistance)</small>	NTC 5283 <small>(Flammability)</small>	ASTM D648 <small>(Thermal deformation)</small>	ASCE 104 <small>(Bolt torsion and tightening torque)</small>	ASTM D4923 <small>(Bending under load and torsion)</small>
 Crossarms	NTC 6183 (ET403 ENEL)	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	—	—	—	—
 Cable tray	UL568 - RETIE	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
 Modular scaffolding	ANSI+ASSP+A10.8-2019 - NTC 1641 - NTC 1642	X	X	X	X	X	—	X	—	—	—	—
 Cable hook ladder	ANSI ASC A14.5	X	X	X	X	X	—	X	—	—	—	—
 Portable fiberglass ladders	ANSI ASC A14.5	X	X	X	X	X	—	X	—	—	—	—
 Pole ladder	ANSI ASC A14.5	X	X	X	X	X	—	X	—	—	—	—
 Poles	ANSI C136.20-2008- RETILAP D 883 - RETIE	X	X	X	X	X	—	X	—	—	X	X
 Customized FRP structures	NSR10 - Manuals Fiberline - Creative Pultrusion - EUROCOMP	X	X	X	X	X	optional	X	—	—	—	—

Products

We develop, produce, and promote products and tools made from fiberglass reinforced plastic (FRP), which are highly suitable for hostile environments, exposure to chemicals, corrosive agents, and settings with electrical hazards.



Crossarms



Poles



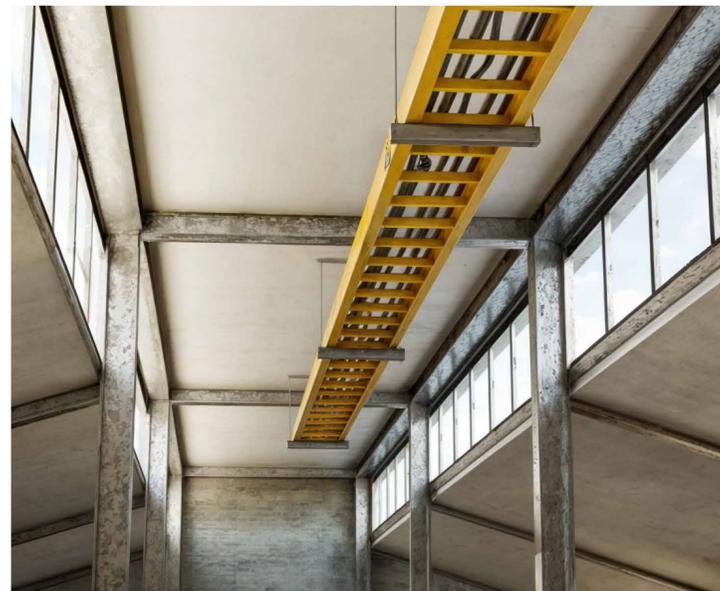
FRP enclosures



Customized FRP structures



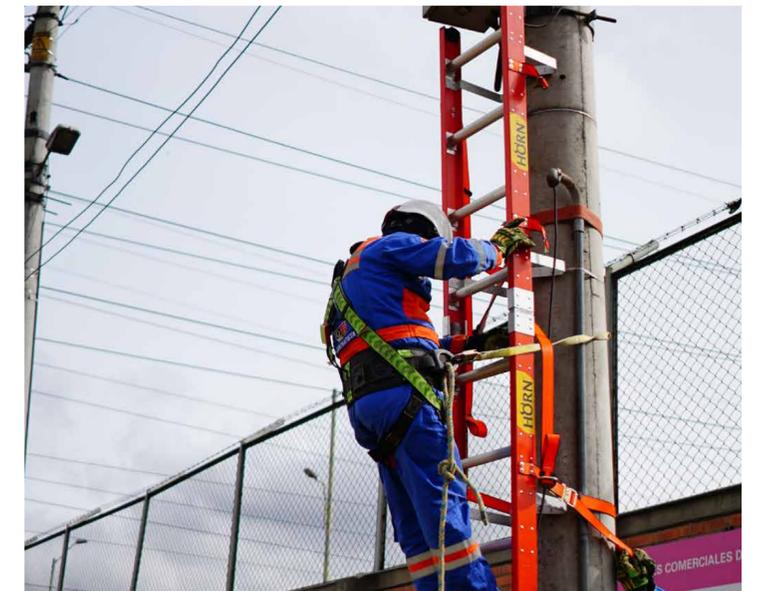
Roof walkways



Cable tray



Modular scaffolding



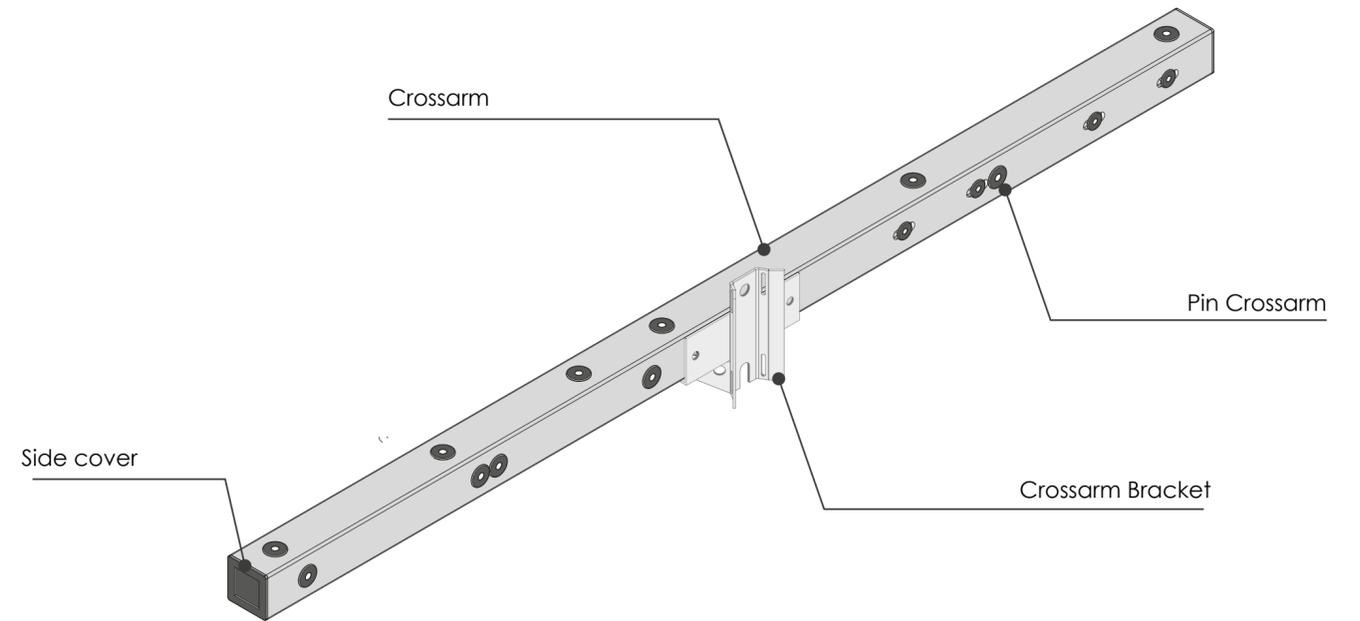
Portable fiberglass ladders



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 Acreditación ONAC 21-CPR-002
 ISO/IEC 17065:2012

FRP Crossarms

FRP crossarms to manage transmission and distribution systems, designed for strength and resilience, these components are essential in supporting overhead electrical lines while providing a lightweight and durable alternative. Crossarms are engineered to withstand harsh environmental conditions, including extreme temperatures, humidity, and corrosive elements; offers excellent resistance to degradation, ensuring a longer lifespan. This durability translates into reduced maintenance costs and fewer replacements over time, making FRP crossarms a cost-effective solution for utility companies.



Geometries

Square



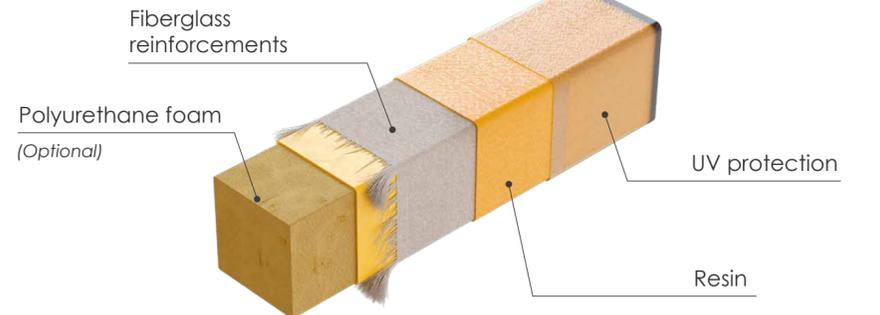
4"

Rectangula



4" x 2"

Profile structure

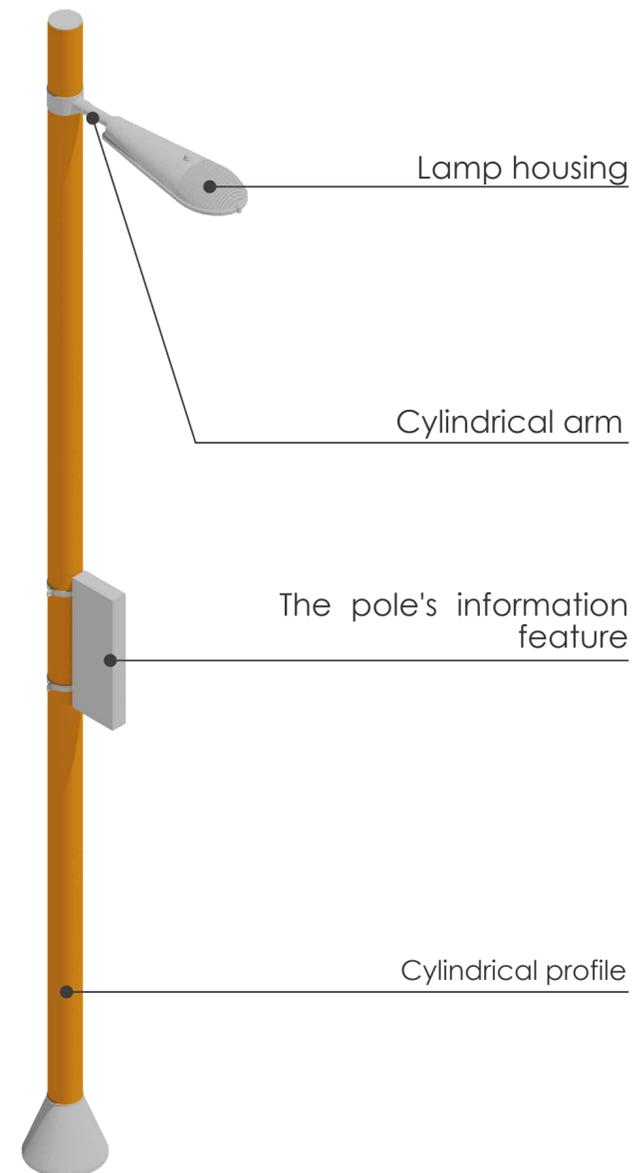




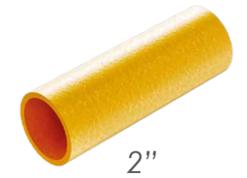
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Poles

Ornamental and light poles made from fiberglass reinforced plastic (FRP) combine visual attractiveness with outstanding durability. Suitable for various uses, these poles beautify urban environments, parks, and commercial areas with their stylish designs while delivering dependable lighting solutions. FRP poles are resistant to degradation from harsh environmental factors, making them an excellent option for outdoor use. This durability minimizes maintenance expenses and guarantees that the poles stay both aesthetically pleasing and functional for years.



Conical pole



2"



4"



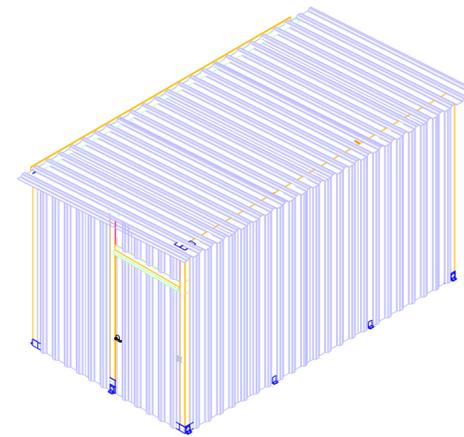
6"



FRP enclosures

HORN® FRP enclosures are engineered for spaces where safety and efficiency are paramount. The composite material delivers a range of advantages that optimize product performance and area protection, including zero electrical conductivity, lightweight construction, resistance to harsh environments with minimal maintenance costs, plus outstanding versatility and customization.

Design and measurement



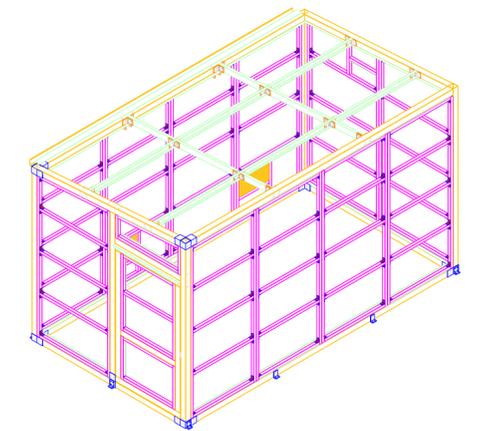
All our products are custom-made, taking into account the specific needs of the client and the characteristics of the space where they will be used.

visualization



Through photorealistic images, we provide a more accurate visualization of projects and products before their realization.

Structural analysis



We use specialized software to create calculation reports and validate the performance of each structure, ensuring strength and stability



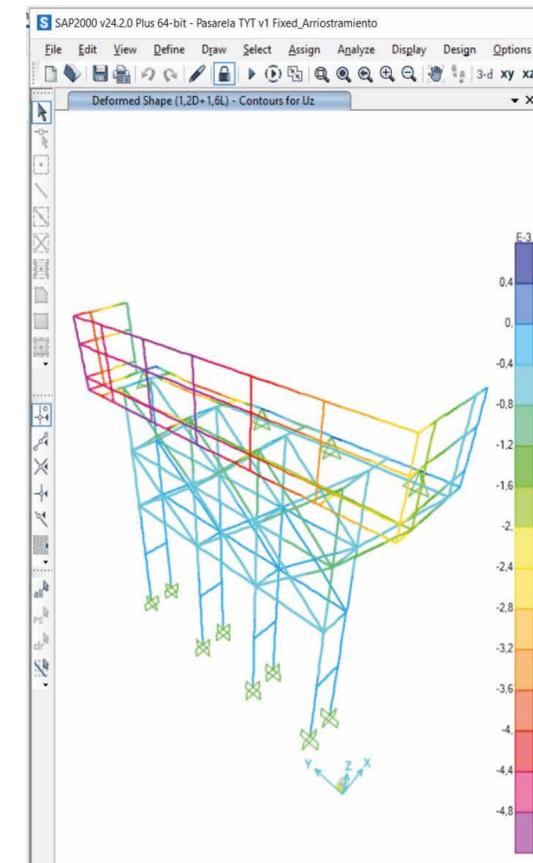
Customized FRP structures

Fiber Reinforced Polymer (FRP) structures that are customized to meet specific project requirements offer unparalleled versatility and performance. With the ability to design elements that meet unique dimensions, load requirements, and environmental challenges, these structures provide solutions that traditional materials often cannot. Their lightweight nature facilitates easier transportation and installation, while their inherent corrosion resistance ensures durability in harsh conditions.



Conceptualizing and designing

Custom designs will be tailored to the client's needs and the location where they will be installed.



Structural analysis design

Analysis of the structures that ensures their safety and strength against the loads and stresses to which they are subjected.



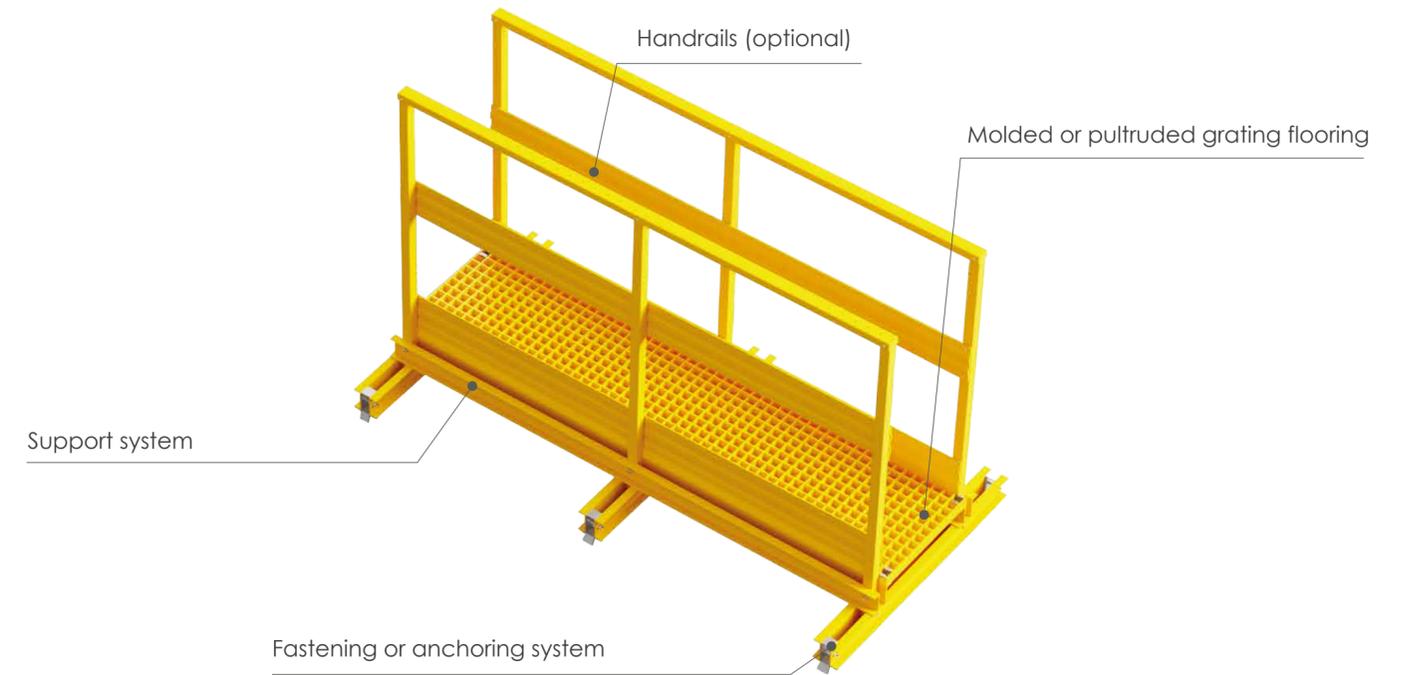
Modular construction

Manufacturing of structures as modular systems for easy installation and transport.

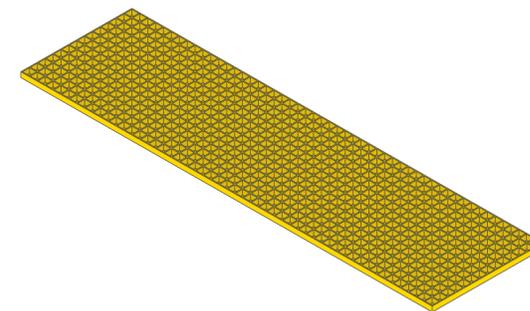


Roof walkways

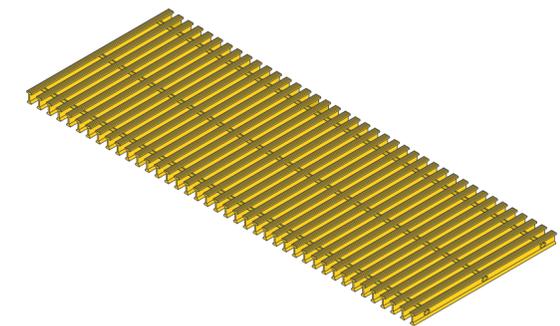
Engineered for rooftop work, these walkways deliver secure, clearly marked access routes for inspections and maintenance while simultaneously shielding the roof from potential damage or impact.



FRP Grating Molded Surface

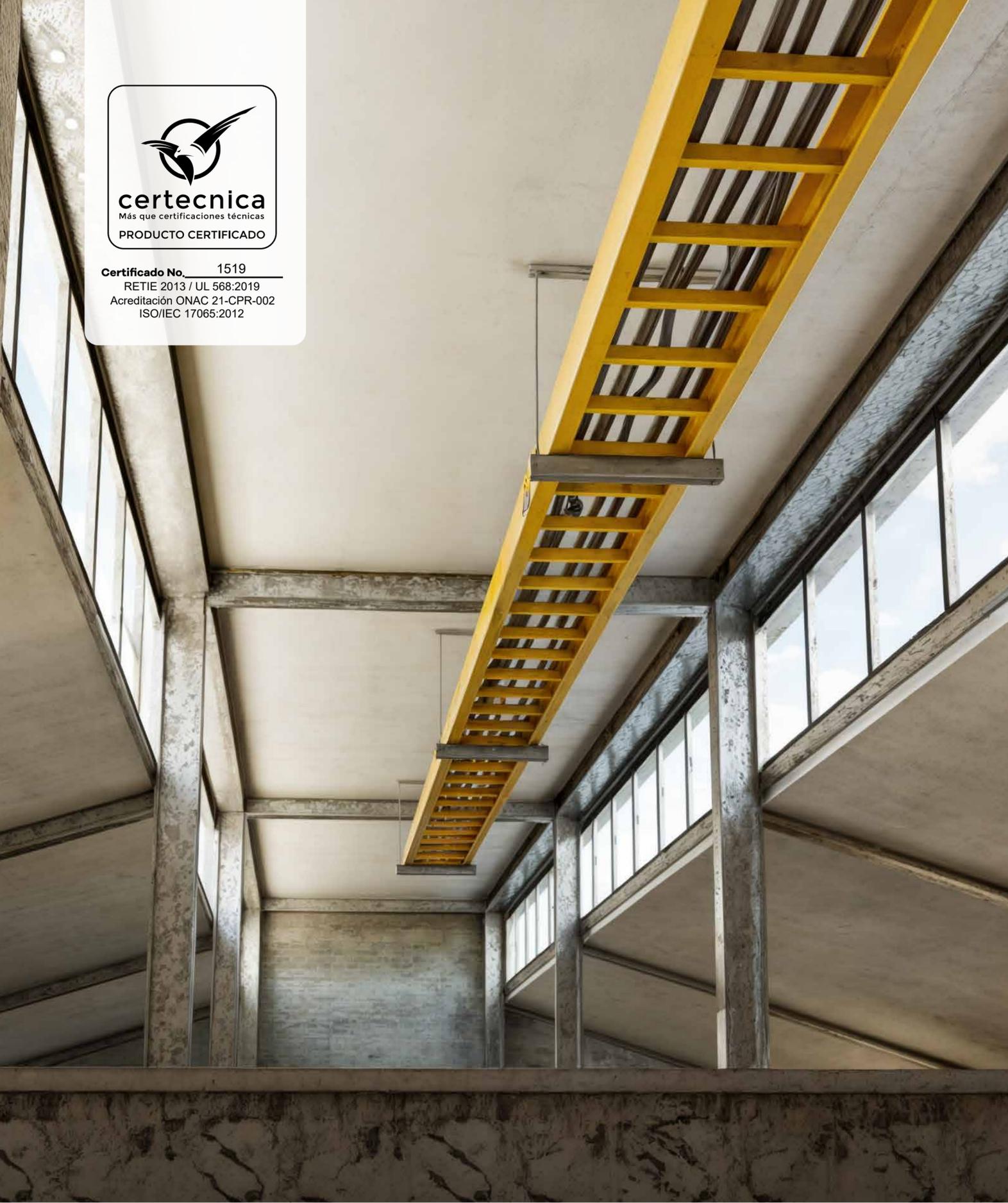


FRP Grating Pultruded Surface



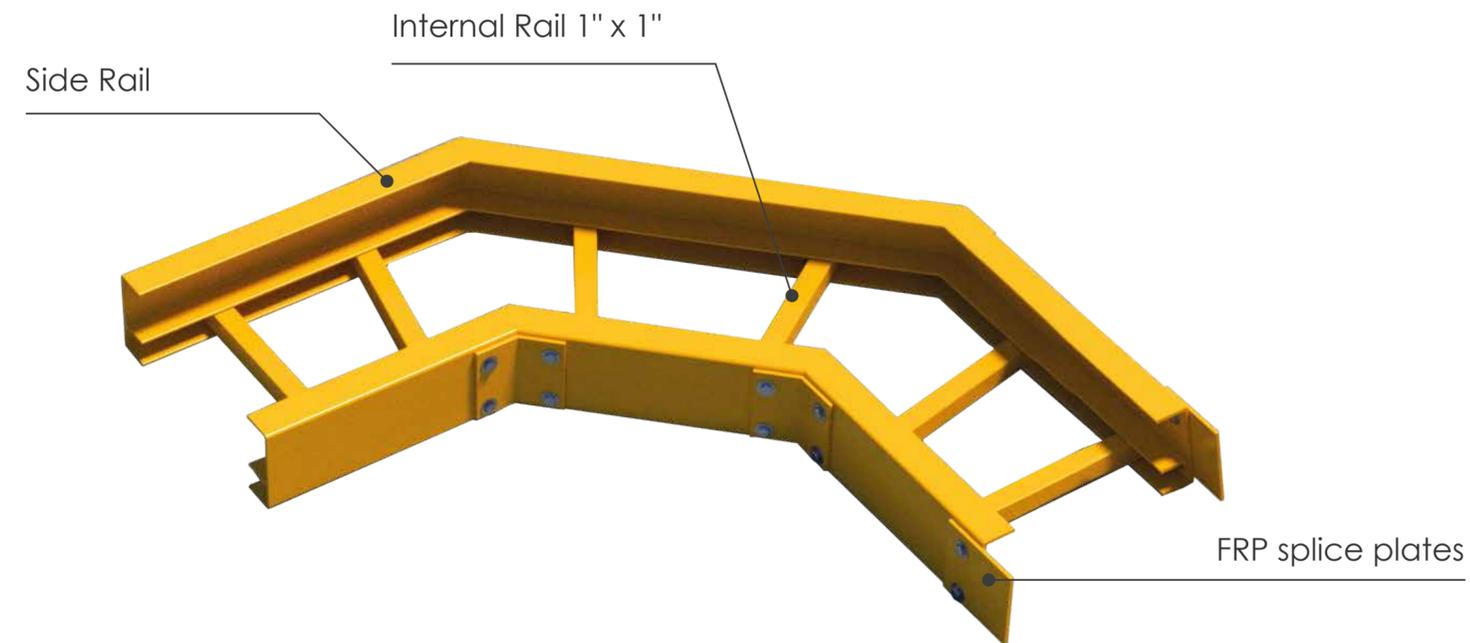


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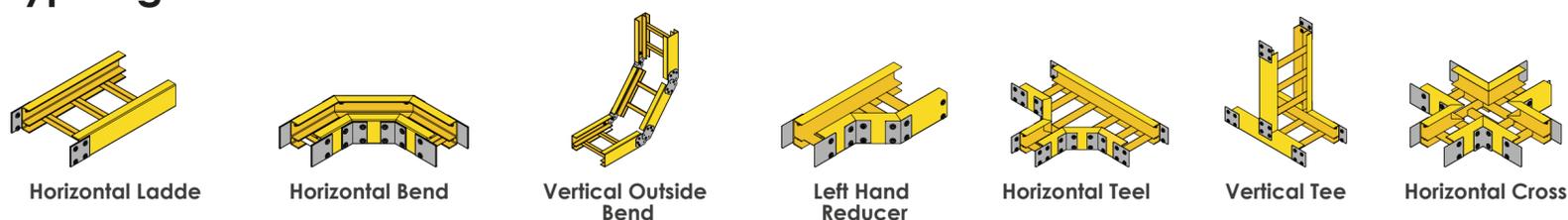


Cable tray

Fiberglass cable trays are engineered to meet internationally recognized standards and specific project requirements. They come in different kinds of resin and shapes to handle tough environments. Lightweight yet durable, fiberglass trays offer numerous advantages over galvanized or stainless steel, including corrosion resistance. These trays are the best choice for tough and corrosive environments because they meet very high quality standards and have experts in composites.



Typologies





Modular scaffolding

Modular scaffolding is ideal for working at heights, where versatility is as important as safety. They are made of Fiber Reinforced Plastic (FRP), a composite material with multiple advantages: it is non-conductive, lightweight, has high mechanical strength, and is not affected by corrosion.



Load capacity
500lb
(227kg)

Working height
5m
(2 sections)

A limit of
1
People

Dielectric system
50kv
Dielectric strength



Load capacity
500lb
(227kg)

Working height
15m
(10 sections)

A limit of
2
People

Dielectric system
50kv
Dielectric strength

Certified by





Portable fiberglass ladders

Portable ladders made of fiberglass are designed according to the American standard ANSI A14.5, they are intended to be used in industrial and commercial environments where electrical safety is required with a light and resistant ladder that can withstand adverse environmental conditions. Dielectric product, easy to handle. Ladders from 2 steps to 54 steps.



Extension ladder



Pole ladder



Cable hook ladder



Applied tests

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Dielectric

Fiberglass composite is inherently non-conductive, delivering greater safety across the work area.

Propiedades eléctricas	
Dielectric strength	Greater than 50 kV
Leakage current	Less than 90 μ A

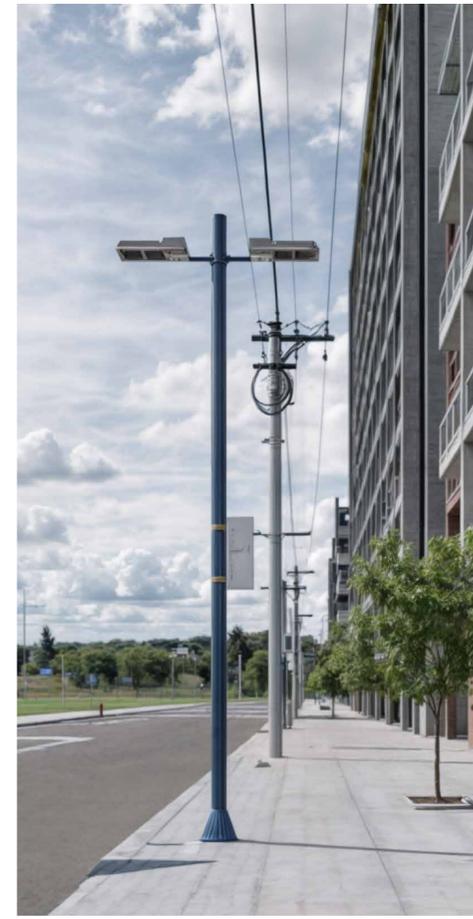
ASTM	NOMBRE	DESCRIPCIÓN
D149 - 20	Standard test method for dielectric breakdown voltage and dielectric strength of solid electrical insulating materials at commercial power frequencies	Dielectric test method



Electromagnetic transparency

Fiberglass composite is transparent to electromagnetic waves—radio, microwave, and other frequency bands alike. All HORN®-designed and manufactured products share this property, making them widely adopted in telecommunications applications.

HORN® therefore offers dedicated product lines for the sector, including lightweight poles and masts, plus both natural and geometric camouflage systems for next-generation antennas.





Lightweight

Thanks to their composition, FRP profiles are significantly lighter than materials such as steel, delivering substantial savings in transportation and installation.

Characteristic	Value	Unit
Density	2,124	g/cm ³

Density samples for profiles; tests were performed in accordance with ANSI ASC A14.5-2017, clause 7.9.1, and supplementary standard ASTM D792-2013, section 12.

Test piece	Dry weight (g)	Wet weight (g)	Density (g/cm ³)
10103-13-01	13,89	7,38	2,128
10103-13-02	13,95	7,34	2,105
10103-13-03	13,82	7,35	2,131
10103-13-04	13,86	7,37	2,130
Average			2,124



Mechanical strength

The profiles are manufactured with a high glass-fiber content in their structural components, delivering exceptional strength-to-weight performance and outstanding longitudinal stiffness.

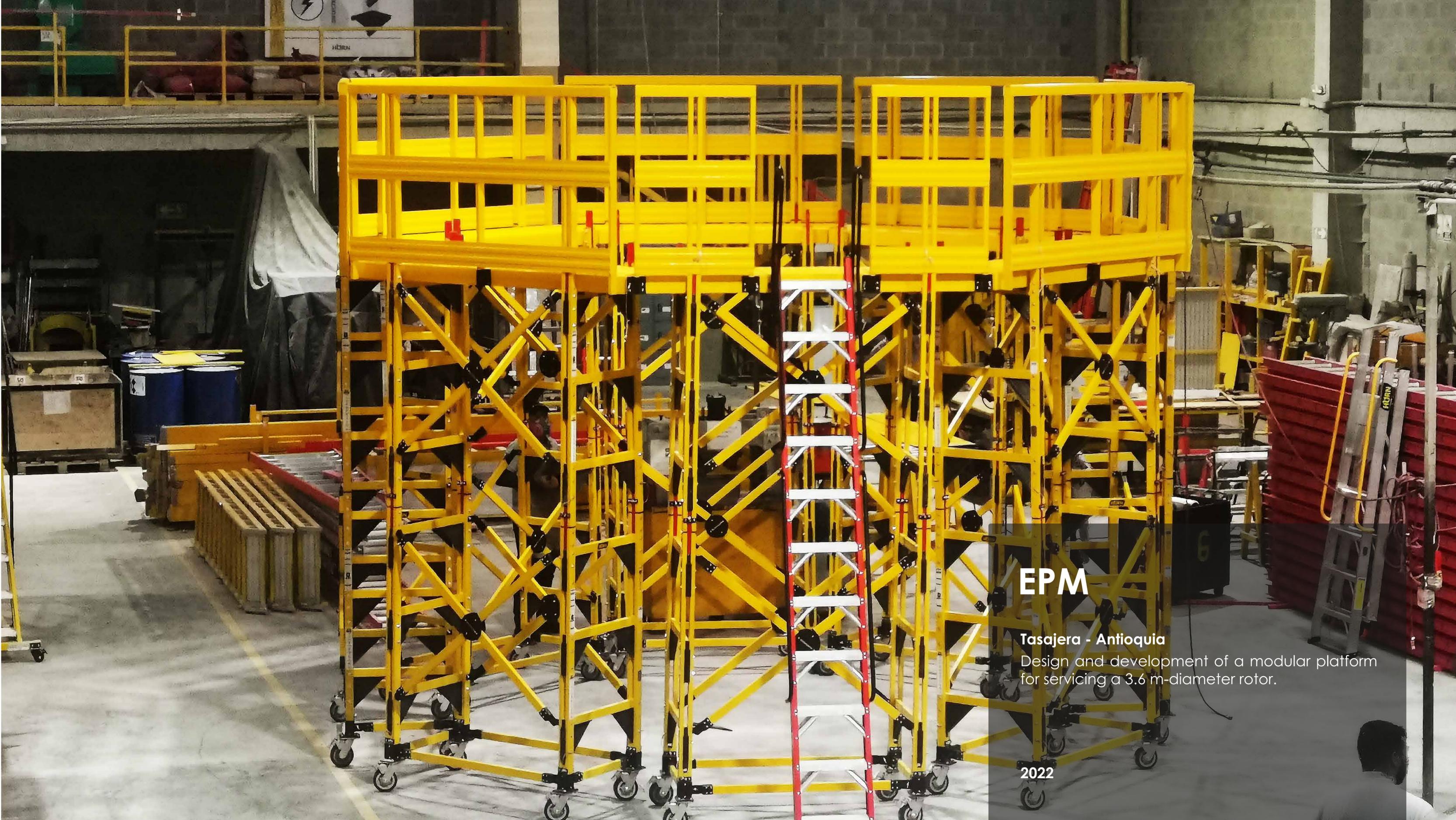
Their flexural and compressive strength is twice that of a comparable steel profile.

Flexural strength (Dry)	Maximum force (N)	Maximum stress (MPa)	Flexural modulus (GPa)
Web lengthwise	900,5767488	523,05	17,81
Flange lengthwise	407,01604	481,62	17,30
Web crosswise	594,98262	149,93	7,55
Tensile strength (Dry)	Maximum force (N)	Maximum stress (MPa)	Flexural modulus (GPa)
Web lengthwise	24,056	517,23	33,02
Flange lengthwise	24,060	512,21	32,65
Compressive strength (Dry)	Maximum force (N)	Maximum stress (MPa)	Flexural modulus (GPa)
Web lengthwise	7,65282	168,69	8,74
Flange lengthwise	9,60017	208,58	9,53
Web crosswise	3,22614	70,45	2,60
Flexural strength (Wet)	Maximum force (N)	Maximum stress (MPa)	Flexural modulus (GPa)
Web lengthwise	784,56915	456,45	17,55
Tensile strength (Wet)	Maximum force (N)	Maximum stress (MPa)	Flexural modulus (GPa)
Web lengthwise	26,838	551,09	29,66
Compressive strength (Wet)	Maximum force (N)	Maximum stress (MPa)	Flexural modulus (GPa)
Web lengthwise	7,94575	7,94575	167,36



Our experience

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EPM

Tasajera - Antioquia

Design and development of a modular platform for servicing a 3.6 m-diameter rotor.

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LUZ DEL SUR

San Bartolo - Perú

Design, fabrication, and installation of a shelter-type enclosure for 22.9 kV switchgear cells within Luz del Sur's San Bartolo substation.



PUERTO BRAVO

Ilo - Perú

Design and fabrication of multiple structural systems—walkways, caged ladders, fixed ladders, guardrail assemblies, and more—for maintenance of the thermoelectric power plant.

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INMEL

Bogotá - Colombia

Training on the use of interlocking ladders for pole work in an electrical substation.

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