RIBtype® Characters Per Inch Estimator

The following character counts per inch for capital letters and numbers in standard RIBtype type styles are provided for estimation purposes only. They are based on averages for custom made logos. No guarantees express or implied are given.

Some things to keep in mind:

- Large characters such as "M" and "W" and "4" take up more space than characters such as "I" and "1".

- Individual sorts take up more space than the same characters produced as logos or mats.

AVERAGE NUMBER OF CHARACTERS PER INCH:

RIBTYPE STYLE	CHAR. PER INCH	RIBTYPE STYLE	CHAR. PER INCH
A7	18.7	U70	13.3
A8	14.1	U71	11.4
A9	11.3	U72	8.9
A10	9.4	U73	6.7
A11	8.1	U74	5.4
A12	6.3	U75	4.5
A13	4.7	U75-1/2	3.9
A14	3.8	U76	3.4
A15	3.2	U77	2.6
A15-1/2	2.7	U78	2.1
A16	2.4	U79	1.8
A17	1.8	G73	9.0
A18	1.5	G74	7.2
B10	13.0	G75	6.0
B11	11.3	G76	4.5
B12	8.8	G77	3.4
B13	6.7	G78	2.8
B14	5.3	G79	2.4
B15	4.5		
B16	3.4		
B17	2.5		
B18	2.1		

NORMAL NUMBER OF RIBS FOR VERTICAL RIBtype:

A7	2 ribs	B10	2 ribs	U70	2 ribs	G73	2 ribs
A8	2 ribs	B11	2 ribs	U71	2 ribs	G74	2 ribs
A9	2 ribs	B12	2 ribs	U72	2 ribs	G75	2 ribs
A10	2 ribs	B13	2 ribs	U73	2 ribs	G76	2 ribs
A11	2 ribs	B14	2 ribs	U74	2 ribs	G77	3 ribs
A12	2 ribs	B15	3 ribs	U75	2 ribs	G78	4 ribs
A13	2 ribs	B16	3 ribs	U75-1/2	3 ribs	G79	4 ribs
A14	2 ribs	B17	3 ribs	U76	3 ribs		
A15	3 ribs	B18	4 ribs	U77	4 ribs		
A15-1/2	3 ribs			U78	4 ribs		
A16	4 ribs			U79	5 ribs		
A17	4 ribs						
A18	5 ribs						

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