



## **New Type of Backing Gate Rope Now Available**

We have been testing the new rope for our backing gates, an 8mm Haul Line with a 8,300kg break load. Over 2 seasons it has performed very well.

After about a season it got quite a flat profile and went a little fluffy but the supplier assures us it still retains good strength while in this condition. We expect this rope to last 2 to 3 times longer than the present 8mm Red Spectraspeed with a 3,100kg break load.

We will continue to offer both options as on some gates the Spectraspeed lasts really well & on other gates it needs replacing a couple of times a season.

We are not 100% sure why the Spectraspeed rope fails but generally the nylon sheath comes apart about 500mm up from where the rope connects to the gate. We think this is damaged by cows rubbing on it. The new Haul Line rope seems to stand up to this rubbing better.

We are recommending to customers to change the Spectraspeed Rope every season & the New Haul Line Rope every third season for Health and Safety reasons.





BGR8 BG - Rope 8mm Red Spectraspeed 3,100kg break load sold & bought per mtr (cut to 8m lengths)

Retail Price \$10.96 per mtr





BGRHL BG - Rope 8mm Haul Line 8,300kg break load bought & sold per mtr (cut to 8m lengths)

Retail price \$ 20.47 per mtr