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Rollbar tube thickness Posted by michaelreich - 12 Oct 2012 07:07
When I read the specs, I see that 1.5" x 0.095" is legal. Is there any reason why I cannot use this spec for my car?
Re: Rollbar tube thickness Posted by RacerX - 12 Oct 2012 10:32
Yes it's the min and can be used. Personally I have 1.500 X .120 wall tubing. It doesn't weigh that much more for the added safety.
Re: Rollbar tube thickness Posted by michaelreich - 12 Oct 2012 12:54
Not that this focus of my question, but .120 is 25% heavier per foot.
Re: Rollbar tube thickness Posted by Sterling Doc - 12 Oct 2012 15:47
1.75" .095 is lighter than the 1.5" .120, and more stiff, but also more \$\$, and harder to work with. Having used my rollcage, overbuilt suits me just fine!