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## **FOREWORD**

This Wood Frame Construction Manual Workbook (WFCM Workbook) provides a design example, typical checklist, and background information related to design of a wood-frame structure in accordance with AF&PA's Wood Frame Construction Manual (WFCM) for One- and Two-Family Dwellings, 2001 Edition. The design example uses plans from a 2-story residence designed to resist wind, seismic and snow loads. Typically, these load conditions do not all apply to the same structure (e.g., usually only 2 of these conditions are evaluated depending on the geographic location and local building code requirements). However, all three load conditions are evaluated in this example to show the broader range of applicability of the WFCM. The authority having jurisdiction should be consulted for applicable load conditions.

The design example is based primarily on

prescriptive provisions found in Chapter 3 of the *WFCM*. References to page numbers, tables and section numbers are for those found in the 2001 *WFCM*, unless noted otherwise. Additional engineering provisions or alternate solutions are provided where necessary. See the American Wood Council website (www.awc.org) for an in-depth overview of the *WFCM*.

While building codes (and the *WFCM*) are organized based on the construction sequence (foundation to roof), this design example is organized based on the typical design sequence (roof to foundation).

The Association invites and welcomes comments, inquiries and suggestions relative to the provisions of this document.

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The design example herein is based on AWC's Colonial Homes Idea House in Williamsburg, VA designed by nationally acclaimed architect William E. Poole. The house was opened to the public in June 1995, and was featured in the October 1995 issue of Colonial Homes magazine.

The 47,000 square foot colonial style mansion featured both traditional and modern wood applications. The façade replicates a historical home in Connecticut. Clad in southern pine siding, the house had glulam door headers, oak floors, and antiqued wood kitchen cabinets. But what caught visitors' attention most were the intricate wood moldings throughout the house and the inlaid wood design bordering the foyer floor.



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**Option 1:** Design as Separate Structures





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## LOADS ON THE BUILDING

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Structural systems in the WFCM 2001Edition have been sized using dead, live, snow, seismic and wind loads in accordance with the 2000 International Building Code.

#### **Lateral Loads:**

#### Wind:

3-second gust wind speed in Exposure Category B	= <u>120 mph</u>
Seismic:	
Seismic Design Category (SDC)	= <u>D1</u>
Short period design spectral response acceleration $(S_{DS})$	= <u>0.83</u>
One second period design spectral response acceleration $(S_{D1})$	= 0.48
Seismic response coefficient ( $C_s$ )	= <u>0.1383</u>

#### **Gravity Loads:**

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Roc	<u>of:</u>			<u>Floors:</u>		
Roc	of Dead Load	=	<u>10 psf</u>	First Floor Live Load	=	<u>40 psf</u>
Roc	of Snow Load			Second Floor Live Load	=	<u>30 psf</u>
	Ground Snow Load, $\mathrm{P}_{\mathrm{g}}$	=	<u>30 psf</u>	Attic Floor Live Load	=	<u>20 psf</u>
	Flat Roof Snow Load (cal- 98 – see WFCM Commented = $1.5(0.7)P_g C_e C_t I$	culated fi <i>iry</i> Table	rom <i>ASCE 7-</i> 2.14B)	Floor Dead Load	=	<u>10 psf</u>
	= (1.5)(0.7)(30)(1.0)(1.) = 34.65 psf	1)(1.0)		Walls:		
	= 35  psf			Wall Dead Load	=	<u>11 psf</u>

#### **Displacements:**

Roof Rafters with Ceiling Attached	$L/\Delta = 240$
Roof Rafters with no Ceiling Attached	$L/\Delta = 180$
Floor Joists	$L/\Delta = 360$

## WFCM APPLICABILITY LIMITATIONS (p. 2)

The following table is used to determine whether the building geometry is within the applicability limitations of the *WFCM*. Conditions not complying with the limitations shall be designed in accordance with accepted engineer practice (see *WFCM* 1.1.3).

Attribute		Limitation	Design Case	<b>√</b>
	BUILDING DI	MENSIONS		
Number of Stories	maximum	3	31	1
Roof Slone	minimum	Flat	12:12	1
	maximum	12:12	12:12	1
Mean Roof Height (MRH)	maximum	33'	29'	~
Building Dimension (L. or W)	minimum		16' <sup>2</sup>	1
Dunuing Dimension (E or W)	maximum	80'	32' <sup>2</sup>	1
Building Aspect Ratio (L/W)	minimum	1:4	1:2	1
	maximum	4:1	2:1	1

<sup>1</sup>Building designed as a 3-story structure since the roof slope exceeds 6:12 (see WFCM 3.1.3.1).

<sup>2</sup>Building dimensions based on design as separate structures (Option 1).

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## **PRESCRIPTIVE DESIGN LIMITATIONS (p. 106)**

The following table is used to determine whether the building geometry is within the applicability limitations of the *WFCM* Chapter 3 prescriptive provisions. Conditions not complying with the limitations shall be designed in accordance with *WFCM* Chapter 2 (see *WFCM* 3.1.3).

Element	Attribute	Limitation	Design Case	
	FLOOR SYSTEMS			
Lumber	Joist Span	26' maximum	16'	
Joists	Joist Spacing	24" maximum	16"	<b>/</b>
	Cantilevers/Setback - Supporting loadbearing walls	d <sup>1</sup> maximum	N/A	
	or shearwalls			
	Cantilevers - Supporting non-loadbearing wall non-	L/4 maximum	N/A	
	shearwall			
Floor	Vertical Floor Offset	d <sub>f</sub> maximum	N/A	<b>/</b>
Diaphragms	Floor Diaphragm Aspect Ratio	3:1 maximum	2:1	<b>/</b>
	Floor Diaphragm Openings	Lesser of 12' or 50% of	12'	
		Diaphragm Dimension		
	WALL SYSTEMS	1		-
Wall Studs	Loadbearing Wall Height	10' maximum	10'	
	Non-Loadbearing Wall Height	20' maximum	16'	
	Wall Stud Spacing	24" maximum	16"	
Shearwalls	Shearwall Line Offset	4' maximum	3'	
	Shearwall Story Offset	d maximum	0	1
	Shearwall Segment Aspect Ratio	3 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> :1 maximum <sup>2</sup>	3:1	<b>/</b>
	ROOF SYSTEMS	1		
Lumber	Rafter Span (Horizontal Projection)	26' <sup>3</sup> maximum	16'	
Rafters	Rafter Spacing	24" maximum	16"	1
	Eave Overhang Length	Lesser of 2' or rafter length/	3 2'	
	Rake Overhang Length	Lesser of 2' or purlin span/2	24"	<b>/</b>
	Roof Slope	12:12 maximum	12:12	
Roof	Roof Diaphragm Aspect Ratio	3:1 maximum	2:1	
Diaphragms				

<sup>1</sup> Exception: For roof live loads and ground snow loads less than or equal to 20 psf and 30 psf, respectively, lumber floor joist cantilevers supporting load-bearing walls shall not exceed one-eighth of the backspan when supporting only a roof load where the roof clear span does not exceed 28 feet.

<sup>2</sup>Shear wall segments aspect ratios are limited to a maximum of 2:1 for seismic loads (Table 3.17D Footnote 3). 2003 International Building Code (IBC) Table 2305.3.3 footnote a., permits a 2w/h reduction for shear walls not meeting maximum shear wall aspect ratio of 2:1 for seismic loads.

<sup>3</sup> For roof snow loads, tabulated spans are limited to 20 ft, to account for unbalanced snow loading in the table.

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## LOAD PATHS

A continuous load path shall be provided to transfer all lateral and vertical loads from the roof, wall, and floor systems to the foundation.

Continuous Load Path: The interconnection of framing elements of the lateral and vertical force resisting systems, which transfer *lateral* and *vertical* forces to the foundation.

See 2001 WFCM Figures 2.2a-c



## **CHECKLIST**

The following checklist is used to assist with the evaluation of a structure in accordance with *WFCM* Chapter 3 prescriptive provisions. Items are keyed to sections of the *WFCM* Chapter 3 to allow a systematic evaluation of the structure. Blank checklists are reproduced in the Appendix of the workbook.

## WFCM 3.2 CONNECTIONS CHECKLIST

## **3.2.1 Lateral Framing and Shear Connections**

3.2.1.1 Roof Assembly	Ok? 🗸
3.2.1.2 Roof Assembly to Wall Assembly	Ok? 🗸
3.2.1.3 Wall Assembly	Ok? 🗸
3.2.1.4 Wall Assembly to Floor Assembly	Ok? 🗸
3.2.1.5 Floor Assembly	Ok? 🗸
3.2.1.6 Floor Assembly to Wall Assembly or Sill Plate	Ok? 🗸
3.2.1.7 Wall Assembly or Sill Plate to Foundation	Ok? 🗸

#### **3.2.2 Uplift Connections**

3.2.2.1 Roof Assembly to Wall Assembly	Ok? 🗸
3.2.2.2 Wall Assembly to Wall Assembly	Ok? 🗸
3.2.2.3 Wall Assembly to Foundation	Ok? 🗸

#### **3.2.3 Overturning Resistance**

3.2.3.1 HolddownsOk? 🗸
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#### **3.2.4 Sheathing and Cladding Attachment**

3.2.4.1 Roof Sheathing	Ok? 🗸
3.2.4.2 Wall Sheathing	Ok? 🗸
3.2.4.3 Floor Sheathing	Ok? 🗸
3.2.4.4 Roof Cladding	Ok? 🗸
3.2.4.5 Wall Cladding	Ok? 🗸

#### **3.2.5 Special Connections**

3.2.5.1 Ridge Straps	Ok? 🗸
3.2.5.2 Jack Rafters	Ok? 🗸
3.2.5.3 Non-Loadbearing Wall Assemblies	Ok? 🗸
3.2.5.4 Connections around Wall Openings	Ok? 🗸

3.3.5 Floor Diaphragm Bracing

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#### Job: WFCM Workbook Description: General Information WFCM 3.3 FLOOR SYSTEMS CHECKLIST

#### 3.3.1 Wood Joist Systems

3.3.1.1	Floor Joists	Ok? 🗸
	3.3.1.1.1 Notching and Boring	Ok? 🗸
3.3.1.2	Bearing	Ok? 🗸
3.3.1.3	End Restraint	Ok? 🗸
3.3.1.4	Lateral Stability	Ok? 🗸
3.3.1.5	Single or Continuous Floor Joists	
	3.3.1.5.1 Supporting Loadbearing Walls	Ok? 🗸
	3.3.1.5.2 Supporting Non-Loadbearing Walls	Ok? 🗸
	3.3.1.5.3 Supporting Concentrated Loads	Ok? 🗸
3.3.1.6	Cantilevered Floor Joists	
	3.3.1.6.1 Supporting Loadbearing Walls	Ok? 🗸
	3.3.1.6.2 Supporting Non-Loadbearing Walls	Ok? 🗸
3.3.1.7	Floor Diaphragm Openings	Ok? 🗸
3.3.2 Woo	od I-Joist Systems	Ok? 🗸
2 2 2 W/a	d Elean Truca Systema	
3.3.3 WOO	JU FIVUT ITUSS JYSTEMIS	Ok? <b>√</b>

## **3.3.4 Floor Sheathing**

3.3.4.1 Sheathing Spans	Ok? 🗸
3.3.4.2 Sheathing Edge Support	Ok? 🗸

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## **WFCM 3.4 WALL SYSTEMS CHECKLIST**

#### 3.4.1 Exterior Walls

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3.4.1.1	Wood Studs	Ok? 🗸
	3.4.1.1.1 Notching and Boring	Ok? 🗸
	3.4.1.1.2 Stud Continuity	Ok? 🗸
	3.4.1.1.3 Corners	Ok? 🗸
3.4.1.2	Top Plates	Ok? 🗸
3.4.1.3	Bottom Plates	Ok? 🗸
3.4.1.4	Wall Openings	
	3.4.1.4.1 Headers	Ok? 🗸
	3.4.1.4.2 Full Height Studs	Ok? 🗸
	3.4.1.4.3 Jack Studs	Ok? 🗸
	3.4.1.4.4 Window Sill Plates	Ok? 🗸

## **3.4.2 Interior Loadbearing Partitions**

3.4.2.1	Wood Studs	Ok? 🗸
	3.4.2.1.1 Notching and Boring	Ok? 🗸
	3.4.2.1.2 Stud Continuity	Ok? 🗸
3.4.2.2	Top Plates	Ok? 🗸
3.4.2.3	Bottom Plates	Ok? 🗸
3.4.2.4	Wall Openings	
	3.4.2.4.1 Headers	Ok? 🗸
	3.4.2.4.2 Studs Supporting Header Beams	Ok? 🗸

#### **3.4.3 Interior Non-Loadbearing Partitions**

3.4.3.1	Wood Studs	Ok? 🗸
	3.4.3.1.1 Notching and Boring	Ok? 🗸
3.4.3.2	Top Plates	Ok? 🗸
3.4.3.3	Bottom Plates	Ok? 🗸

#### **3.4.4 Wall Sheathing**

3.4.4.1	Sheathing and Cladding	Ok? 🗸
3.4.4.2	Exterior Shearwalls	Ok? 🖌
	3.4.4.2.1 Sheathing Type Adjustments	Ok? 🗸
	3.4.4.2.2 Perforated Shearwall Adjustments	Ok? 🗸
	3.4.4.2.3 Holddowns	Ok? 🖌

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#### 3.5.1 Wood Rafter Systems

Ok? 🗸	.1 Rafters			
Ok? 🗸	3.5.1.1.1 Jack Rafters			
Ok? 🗸	3.5.1.1.2 Rafter Overhangs			
Ok? 🗸	3.5.1.1.3 Rake Overhangs			
Ok? 🗸	3.5.1.1.4 Notching and Boring			
Ok? 🗸	2 Bearing	3.5.1.2		
Ok? 🗸	End Restraint	3.5.1.3		
Ok? 🗸	Ridge Beams	3.5.1.4		
Ok? 🗸	Hip and Valley Beams	3.5.1.5		
Ok? 🗸	6 Ceiling Joists	3.5.1.6		
Ok? 🗸	Open Ceilings	3.5.1.7		
Ok? 🗸	Roof Openings	3.5.1.8		

3.5.2	Wood I	-Joist	Roof S	Systems	<b>b</b> O	)k? 🗸
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3.5.3 Wood Roof Truss Systems	Ok? 🗸
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#### **3.5.4 Roof Sheathing**

3.5.4.1 Sheathing	Ok? 🗸
3.5.4.2 Sheathing Edge Support	Ok? 🗸

3.5.5 Roof Dia	aphragm	Bracing	Ok?	1
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## **Roof and Ceiling Framing Details**

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## **Roof Framing**

#### **Rafters** (WFCM 3.5.1.1)(page 115)

#### Assuming ceiling attached to rafters, choose rafters from Table 3.26B and 3.26D (pp. 201 and 203)

Ground Snow Load:	30	psf
Live Load:	20	psf
Dead Load:	10	psf
Three second gust windspeed:	120	mph Exp. B
Rafter Vertical Displacement $L/\Delta$ :	240	-
Required Span (Horizontal Projection):	16	ft.

Thrust Factor (Footnote 1):	1.0 (1)
Wind Factor (Footnote 2):	0.71 (2)
Sloped Roof Adjustment (Footnote 3):	1.17 (3) ASCE LIVE LOAD REPUCTION

Selection of Species, Grade, Size, and Spacing: (Table 3.26B & C)

**Species Douglas Fir-Larch** Hem-Fir Southern Pine Spruce-Pine-Fir 16" 16" 16" Spacing 16" #2 #2 #2 #2 Grade (4)2x6 14'-1" 2x8 17'-3" 2x6 14'-1" 2x8 17'-9" Table 3.26B Span Live Load Span 14.1(1.0)(1.17) =17.3(1.0)(1.17) =14.1(1.0)(1.17) =17.75(1.0)(1.17) = $(4) \times (1) \times (3)$ ERROR 20'-2" ok 20'-9" ok 16'-6" ok 16'-6" ok 5 Table 3.26B Span 2x10 22'-6" 2x10 21'-11" 2x10 23'-2" 2x10 22'-3" Wind Load Span 22.5(0.71)(1.17) =21.9(0.71)(1.17) =23.17(0.71)(1.17) =22.25(0.71)(1.17)= RIAL 5x2x318'-8" ok 18'-2" ok 19'-3" ok 18'-6" ok Table 3.26D Span **2x10** 17'-9" 2x10 17'-3" **2x10** 18'-3" 2x10 17'-6" 6 Snow Load Span 17.75(1.0) =17.25(1.0) =18.25(1.0) =17.5(1.0) =TRIAL AND  $(6) \times (1)$ <mark>17'-9'' ok</mark> 17'-3'' ok 18'-3" ok 17'-6" ok Note: as an energy consideration, 2x10 rafters might be a minimum requirement for batt insulation.

#### **Ridge Beams** (WFCM 3.5.1.4)

Since thrust is accounted for in rafter selection, per 3.5.1.4 exception use: Alternatively, use 3/4"x14" plywood or OSB. 1x14 Ridge Board

\* Alternatively, a Ridge Beam could be designed per Table 2.16 (p. 103) since the span exceeds values shown in Table 3.29A and B (pp. 211-212). Additional columns at beam ends would be required to establish load path to the foundation. Also, fasteners will need to be designed to resist uplift from the rafters at each end of the ridge beam.

Ground Snow Load:	30 psf		
Live Load:	<u>20</u> psf		
Dead Load:	<u>10</u> psf		
Required Span:	<u>40</u> ft.		
Building Width:	<u>32</u> ft.		
Tabulated Load:	<u>530</u> plf interpolated		
From the 2001 ASD Manual Glulam Supplement Table 7.2 choose:			
5-1/2" x 25-1/2" Western Glulam or 5-1/2"x24-3/4" Southern Pine Glulam			

1/2 x 25-1/2 Western Grunam of 5-1/2 x24-5/4 Southern The

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## **Ceiling Framing**

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#### Floor Joists (WFCM 3.3.1.1)

For habitable attics use residential sleeping area with 30psf live load, choose floor joists from Table 3.18A (p. 177):

Live Load:	30	psf
Dead Load:	10	psf
Joist Vertical Displacement $L/\Delta$ :	360	-

Required Span: <u>16</u> ft.

Specie	Douglas Fir-Larch	Hem-Fir	Southern Pine	Spruce-Pine-Fir
Spacing	16	16	16	16
Grade	#2	#2	#2	#2
Size	2x10	2x10	2x10	2x10
Maximum Span	17'-5"	16'-10"	18'-0"	17'-2"

Selection of Specie, Grade, Size, and Spacing: (Table 3.18A)

#### Floor Sheathing (WFCM 3.3.4.1)

#### Choose floor sheathing from Table 3.14 (p. 164):

Floor Joist Spacing:	16	in.
Sheathing Type (Wood Structural Panel or Board Sheathing):	WSP	
Span Rating or Grade:	24/1	6

Tabulated Minimum Panel Thickness:	7/16	in.
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## **Roof and Ceiling Sheathing**

#### Sheathing (WFCM 3.5.4.1)

#### Choose Roof Sheathing from Tables 3.12A and 3.12B (p. 162)

Ground Snow Load Live Load Dead Load Three second gust windspeed:	30 20 10 120	_ psf _ psf _ psf _ mph Exp. <u>B</u>
Rafter/Truss Spacing: Sheathing Type:	16 WSP	_ in.
Tabulated Minimum Panel Thickness: From Table 3.12A: From Table 3.12B:	3/8 3/8	_ in. _ in.

#### **Roof Diaphragm Bracing** (WFCM 3.5.5)

Blocking in first two rafter bays per Figure 3.7b (p. 127) and Table 3.1 (p. 139) fastener schedule. 



#### <u>OR</u>

#### Bracing Gable Endwall with Attic Floor/Ceiling Sheathing Length from Table 3.15 (p. 165) (assumes windward and leeward loads and sheathing length from gable end to gable end)

Three second gust windspeed: Roof Pitch:	120 12:12 32	mph Exp. <u>B</u>
Sheathing Type:	WSP	
Tabulated Minimum Length of Attic Floor/Ceiling Diaphragm: Bracing One Gable End Adjustment (Table 3.15 Footnote 1):	<u>10.67</u> 1.0	ft. interpolated
Wall Height Adjustment (Table 3.15 Footnote 3): Ceiling Framing Spacing Adjustment (Table 3.15 Footnote 5):	1.125 1.0	WSP_USEP. <u>NOT</u> GYPSUM
Required Minimum Length of Attic Floor/Ceiling Diaphragm: Tabulated Minimum Length x Applicable Adjustment Factors: Tabulated minimum length ≥ 1/3 distance between bracing endwalls (per Table 3.15 Footnote 1)	<mark>12.00</mark> 10.67	Min sheathing length ft.

Use Table 3.1 (p.139) fastener schedule for floor sheathing.

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## **Connections**

#### Lateral Framing and Shear Connections (WFCM 3.2.1)

Roof Assembly to Wall Assembly (WFCM 3.2.1.2)

#### Choose Rafter/Ceiling Joist to Top Plate Lateral and Shear Connection from Table 3.4A (p. 150)

Rafter/Ceiling Joist Spacing	16	in
Wall Height:	9	ft.

#### Required number of 8d Common Nails



#### **Uplift Connections (WFCM 3.2.2)**

Roof Assembly to Wall Assembly (WFCM 3.2.2.1)

#### Choose Roof to Wall Uplift Strap Connection from Table 3.4B (p. 151)

B	uilding Wall Elevation	North	South	East	West
	Three second gust wind speed	120 mph Exp. B		120 mph Exp. B	
	Framing Spacing	16 in.		16 in.	
W i	Roof Span	32	ft.	32	ft.
n d	Minimum tabulated number of 8d Common Nails required in each end of 1-1/4" x 20 gage strap every rafter / stud	2	1	4	1
ũ	No Ceiling Assembly nail increase (Footnote 3)	(	)		
	Minimum required number of <b>8d Common Nails in each end of strap</b> every rafter / stud = Tabulated number of nails - Reductions + Increases	4	*	4	*

<sup>1</sup> calculated using 416 lbs uplift (below) divided by 127 lb/nail per WECM Supplement Table 6A.



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## **Connections (cont'd)**

\*Alternatively, use proprietary connectors every rafter with the following minimum capacities from Table 3.4 (pp. 148-149)



	<b>Loadbearing Walls</b> - Tabulated minimum uplift connection capacity (Table 3.4, page 149)	441 lbs	
	Interior framing adjustment (Footnote 1)	1.0	
	Roof dead load reduction (Table 3.4, Footnote 3) = $[0.60(20 \text{ psf} - 15 \text{ psf}) \times 8' \times 16'' / 12'' / ' = 32 \text{ lbs}]$	-32 lbs	
W i	<b>Non-Loadbearing Walls</b> - Tabulated minimum uplift connection capacity (Table 3.4C, page 152)		496 lbs
n	Overhang Multiplier (Table 3.4C, Footnote 2) $[(2' + OH) / 4']^2$ OH ='	1.0	1.0
a	Zone 2 Multiplier (Table 3.4C, Footnote 3)		1.0
	Required Minimum <b>Uplift</b> Capacity of proprietary connector = Tabulated minimum capacity x Adjustments - Reduction	409 lbs	<b>496 lbs</b>
	Required Minimum Lateral Capacity	<b>210 lbs</b>	<b>210 lbs</b>
	Required Minimum Shear Parallel to Ridge Capacity	74 lbs	74 lbs
	Required Minimum Shear Perpendicular to Ridge Capacity	116 lbs	116 lbs



## **Connections (cont'd)**

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#### **Sheathing and Cladding Attachment** (WFCM 3.2.4)

Roof Sheathing (WFCM 3.2.4.1)

#### Choose Roof Sheathing Nail Spacing from Table 3.10 (p. 160)

Three second gust windspeed: \_\_\_\_\_ 120 mph Exp. B

	Nail Spacing 8d Common Nails		
Location	Edges Field		
4' Perimeter Edge Zone	6 6		
Interior Zones	6 12		
Gable Endwall Rake with Overhang	4*	4*	

\* see 2001 WFCM Figure 2.1 p. 34 for nailing details. Perimeter edge zone nailing of 6" permitted for edges and field per Figure 2.1g.

#### **Special Connections** (WFCM 3.2.5)

Ridge Straps (WFCM 3.2.5.1)

For a clean finished ceiling line, rather than using collar ties to resist upward ridge separation, choose Ridge Tension Strap Connection from Table 3.6A (p. 156)

Three second gust windspeed:	120	mph Ex	кр. В
Roof Pitch: Roof Span:	<u>12:12</u> <u>32</u>	ft.	
Tabulated number of 8d Common Nails required in each end of 1-1/4" x 20 gage strap:	<u>3</u> 1.33		
Required number of <b>8d Common Nails in each end of 1-1/4'' x 20 gage strap</b> : Tabulated number of nails x Applicable adjustment factors:	4	<mark>*</mark>	
Ridge Ridge			

Job:



#### \* Alternatively, use proprietary connectors with the following minimum capacity from Table 3.6 (p. 155)

Tabulated minimum connection capacity:	324	
Ridge Strap Spacing Adjustment (Footnote 4):	1.33	
Required minimum capacity of proprietary connector:		
Tabulated minimum capacity x Applicable adjustment factors:	<u>431</u>	lbs

#### Table 3.1 Nailing Schedule

Choose Ceiling Joist to Parallel Rafter and Ceiling Joist Lap Connection from Table 3.9A (p. 159)

Ground Snow Load:	$\begin{array}{c} \dots & \underline{30} & \text{psf} \\ \dots & \underline{32} & \text{ft.} \\ \dots & \underline{12:12} \\ \dots & \underline{16} & \text{in.} \end{array}$
Tabulated number of <b>16d Common Nails</b> required per heel joint splice:	<u>4</u>
Clinched Nails Adjustment (Footnote 1):	<u>1.0</u>

#### Required number of 16d Common Nails per heel joint splice:





#### \*Alternatively, use proprietary connectors with the following minimum capacity from Table 3.9 (p. 158)

Tabulated minimum connection capacity:	353	_interpolated
Ceiling Height/Roof Ridge Height Adjustment (Footnote 5):	1.0	

Blocking to Rafter Connection from Table 3.1 (p. 139): ...... 2-8d common nails toe-nailed at each end

#### <u>OR</u>

Rim Board to Rafter Connection from Table 3.1 (p. 139): . 2-16d common nails end-nailed at each end



Description: West Wing

## Rafters (WFCM 3.5.1.1)

Design same as Main House rafters. See WFCM Workbook p.15.

#### Ridge Beams (WFCM 3.5.1.4)

The ridge beam could be designed per Tables 3.29A and 3.29B (pp. 211 & 212). Additional columns and/or framing would be required to establish load path to the foundation. Fasteners to resist uplift at ridge beam ends will also need to be designed.

Ground Snow Load:	30	psf
Live Load:	20	psf
Dead Load:	10	psf
Beam Vertical Displacement $L/\Delta$ :	240	1
1		
Required Span:	16	ft.
1 1		
Building Width:	32	ft.
6		
Per Table 3.29A (interpolated):	3x12-3/8	8 Glulam
Per Table 3.29B (interpolated):	3x13-3/4	4 Glulam (controls)

## **Ceiling Framing**

#### Ceiling Joists (WFCM 3.5.1.6)

For attics used as residential sleeping areas, choose floor joists from Table 3.18A (p. 177)

Live Load:	30	psf
Dead Load:	10	psf
Joist Vertical Displacement $L/\Delta$ :	360	_

Required Span: ......<u>18(max)</u> ft.

Selection	of Si	necie.	Grade.	Size.	and S	Spacing:
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Specie	Douglas Fir-Larch	Hem-Fir	Southern Pine	Spruce-Pine-Fir
Spacing	16	16	16	16
Grade	#1	SS	#2	#2
Size	2x10	2x10	2x10	2x12
Tabulated Spans	18'-5"	18'-0"	18'-0"	19'-11"

Rafter	
Ridge Beam	

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Description: West Wing



## **Roof/Ceiling Sheathing and Connections**

#### Sheathing (WFCM 3.5.4.1)

Roof sheathing design same as main house roof sheathing. See *WFCM* Workbook p.17.

#### **Roof Diaphragm Bracing** (WFCM 3.5.5)



<u>OR</u>

#### Bracing Gable Endwall with Attic Floor/Ceiling Sheathing Length from Table 3.15 (p. 165)

Three second gust windspeed:	120	mph	Exp.B
	12:12		
Diaphragm Span:	32	ft.	
Building Length:	16	ft.	
Sheathing Type (wood structural panels or gypsum):	WSP		GYP
Tabulated Minimum Length of Attic Floor/Ceiling Diaphragm (interpolated):	10.7	ft.	<u>30.7</u> ft.
Bracing One Gable End Adjustment (Footnote 1):	0.84		0.84
Wall Height Adjustment (Footnote 3): (9'/8')	1.125		1.125
Ceiling Framing Spacing Adjustment (Footnote 5):	1.0		0.78
Required Minimum Length of Attic Floor/Ceiling Diaphragm:			
Tabulated Minimum Length x Applicable Adjustment Factors:	10.1	ft.	<u>22.6</u> ft.

Structural sheathing is required for the ceiling diaphragm, since 22.6' required length of gypsum diaphragm is greater than the 16' length of ceiling on the west wing. If full height studs to the roof planes are used, a ceiling diaphragm will not be needed.



## Connections

All connections are designed the same as the main house elements. See WFCM Workbook pp.17-21.



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Description: East Wing



## **Roof Framing**

**Rafters** (WFCM 3.5.1.1)

Assuming a finished ceiling attached to rafters (on lower rafter tails) and ceiling joists raised ¼ of the ridge height from the top plate, choose rafters from Table 3.26B and 3.26C (pp. 201 and 202)



Selection of Species, Grade, Size, and Spacing: (Table 3.26B & C)

	<u> </u>	Í		, v	<b>`</b>					
	Species	Dougl La	as Fir- Irch	Hem	-Fir	Southe	rn Pine	Spruce-	Pine-Fir	
	Spacing	1	16''		5"	16	5''	16	5''	
	Grade	#2		#2		#2		#	2	
4	Table 3.26B Span	2x8	18'-5"	2x10	21'-11"	2x8	18'-6"	2x10	22'-3"	
	Live Load Span	18.4(0.76)(1.17)=		21.9(0.76	5)(1.17)=	18.5(0.76)(1.17)=		22.25(0.76)(1.17)=		
	$4\times0\times3$	16'	4" ok	19'-5	o" ok	16'-5	5" ok	19'-9	)" ok	
5	Table 3.26B Span	2x10	22'-6"	2x10	21'-11"	2x10	23'-2"	2x10	22'-3"	
	Wind Load Span	22.5(0.71)(1.17)=		21.9(0.71)(1.17)=		23.2(0.71)(1.17)=		22.25(0.71)(1.17)=		
	⑤×②×③ 18'-8" ok		8" ok	18'-2" ok		19'-3" ok		18'-6" ok		
6	WoodWorks® Span*	2x12 #1	21'-6"	2x12 SS	23'-4"	2x12 #2	21'-4"	2x12 SS	22'-10"	
orks*	Snow Load Span	21.5(0.76)=		w Load Span 21.5(0.76)= 23.33(0.76)=		0.76)=	21.33(0.76)=		22.8(0.76)=	
	$G \times \mathbb{O}$	<mark>16'-</mark>	<mark>4'' ok</mark>	<mark>17'-9</mark>	<mark>'' ok</mark>	<mark>16'-2</mark>	<mark>.'' ok</mark>	<mark>17'-4</mark>	<mark>'' ok</mark>	



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\*Spans from WoodWorks Sizer since tabulated values are not given in the WFCM for spans greater than 20 feet. Note: as an energy consideration, 2x10 rafters might be a minimum requirement for batt insulation.

#### **Ridge Boards** (WFCM 3.5.1.4)

 $15^{3}/_{4}$ " deep Ridge Board Since thrust is accounted for in rafter selection, per 3.5.1.4 exception use: Use a 15.75" deep engineered wood product like glulam or LVL, or <sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>" thick plywood.

Some building codes require that ridge boards be of continuous length. Long lengths are possible with engineered wood products, or one could be built up using two layers of <sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>" wood structural panel material ripped to depth and end joints offset.



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Description: East Wing

## **Ceiling Framing**

#### **Ceiling Joists** (WFCM 2.5.1.6)

For uninhabitable attics without storage, choose ceiling joists from Table 2.12A (p. 88), as an alternative solution process.

Live Load:	10	psf
Dead Load:	5	psf
Joist Vertical Displacement L/A:	240	

Required Span: <u>24</u> ft.

Required E and F<sub>b</sub> at 16"o.c. joist spacing for 24' span from Table 2.12A:

Size	2x8	2x10	
Required E	1,800,000	900,000	psi
Required F <sub>b</sub>	1,344	847	psi

Select Grade from *WFCM* Table 4A and 4B based on required E and F<sub>b</sub> above:

	Specie	Douglas Fir-Larch	Hem-Fir	Southern Pine	Spruce-Pine-Fir
	Size & Grade	2x8 No.1&Btr.*	2x10 #2	2x8 No.1 Dense*	2x10 #2
$\mathbb{D}$	Tabulated E, psi	1,800,000	1,300,000	1,800,000	1,400,000
$\square$	Tabulated F <sub>b</sub> , psi	1200	850	1650	875
	Size Factor, C <sub>F</sub>	1.2	1.1	1.0	1.1
	Load Duration Factor, $C_D$	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0
	Repetitive Member Factor, C <sub>r</sub>	1.15	1.15	1.15	1.15
	Allowable F <sub>b</sub> , psi	1200(1.2)(1.0)(1.15)=	850(1.1)(1.0)(1.15)=	1650(1.0)(1.0)(1.15)=	875(1.1)(1.0)(1.15)=
		1,656 psi OK	1,075 psi OK	1,900 psi OK	1,110 psi OK

\* 2x10 #2 will also work for Douglas-Fir Larch and Southern Pine

Adjustment factors for Table 4A are found on *WFCM* p. 279-280. Adjustment factors for Table 4B are found on *WFCM* p. 286-287.



Description: East Wing

## **Roof and Ceiling Sheathing**

#### **Sheathing** (WFCM 3.5.4.1)

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Roof sheathing design same as main house roof sheathing. See WFCM Workbook p.17.

#### **Roof Diaphragm Bracing** (WFCM 3.5.5)

Blocking in first two rafter bays with full height studs on end wall framing.



#### <u>OR</u>

Bracing Gable Endwall with Attic Floor/Ceiling Sheathing Length from Table 3.15 (p. 165) with Gable Brace Figure 3.7a.

Three second gust windspeed:	120	mph	Exp.B
Roof Pitch:	12:12		-
Diaphragm Span:	24	ft.	
Building Length:	16	ft.	
Sheathing Type (wood structural panels or gypsum):	WSP		GYP
Tabulated Minimum Length of Attic Floor/Ceiling Diaphragm (interpolated):	8	ft.	<u>20</u> ft.
Bracing One Gable End Adjustment (Footnote 1):	0.84		0.84
Wall Height Adjustment (Footnote 3): (13'/8')	1.625		1.625
Ceiling Framing Spacing Adjustment (Footnote 5):	1.0		0.78
Required Minimum Length of Attic Floor/Ceiling Diaphragm:			
Tabulated Minimum Length x Applicable Adjustment Factors:	10.9	ft.	<u>21.3</u> ft.

Structural sheathing is required for the ceiling diaphragm, since 21.3' required length of gypsum diaphragm is greater than the 16' length of ceiling on the east wing.



## Connections

All connections are designed the same as the main house elements. See WFCM Workbook pp.17-21.

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# Wall Framing

### Wall Studs (WFCM 3.4.1.1)

.....Loadbearing

#### Choose Studs from Table 3.20A or 3.20B and Footnotes (pp. 182-184)

Three second gust wind speed:	120	mph Exp. B
Wall Height:	9	ft.
Studs supporting (Roof, Ceiling, Floor):	Roof,	Ceiling and 1 Floor
Sheathing Type (wood structural panel or minimum sheathing):	WS	<u>p</u>

Selection of Specie, Grade, Size, and Spacing: (Table 3.20A and 3.20B and Footnotes)

Specie	Douglas Fir-Larch	Hem-Fir	Southern Pine	Spruce-Pine-Fir
Spacing, in. o.c.	16	16	16	16
Grade	Stud	Stud	Stud	Stud
Size	2x4	2x4	2x4	2x4
Maximum Length (Wind)	10'-5" *	10'-2" *	10'-10" *	10'-2" *
Maximum Length (Dead and Live Loads)	10'-0"	10'-0"	10'-0"	10'-0"

\* Footnote "a" would require that stud spacing shall be multiplied by 0.85 for framing within 4 ft. of the corners. Since Table 3.20A shows spans of 9'-0" and 9'-5" for Douglas Fir-Larch and Southern Pine studs, no spacing adjustment is required for those species.

......Non-Loadbearing

#### Choose Studs from Table 3.20A or 3.20B and Footnotes (pp. 182-183)

Same as West Wing Design, except h = 9'. (see *WFCM* Workbook p.55)

### Top Plates (WFCM 3.4.1.2)

#### Choose Building End Wall Double Top Plate Lap Splice Length from Table 3.21 (p. 185) (all other cases)

Upper top pl continuous top plate	uter law Building Dimension:	32	<u>ft</u> .
	Tabulated Minimum Splice Length:	6	ft.
	Connection: top plate – to – top plate:	2-16d	_nails per ft.

#### Choose Building Side wall Double Top Plate Lap Splice Length from Table 3.21 (p. 185) (all other cases)

Ĩ	Building Dimension:	40	ft.
	Tabulated Minimum Splice Length:	8	ft.
	Connection: top plate – to – top plate:	2-16d	nails per ft.



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Typical bedroom sill plates: <u>1-Southern Pine #2 2x4 (flat)</u>

North bathroom sill plates: <u>1-Southern Pine</u> #2

Using identical procedures:

<mark>4'-11"</mark>>4' OK

2x4 (flat)



# **Wall Sheathing**

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# **Sheathing and Cladding** (WFCM 3.4.4.1)

### Choose Exterior Wall Sheathing or Cladding from Tables 3.13A and 3.13B, respectively (p. 163)

Three second gust wind speed: \_\_\_\_\_ 120 mph Exp. B

Sheathing Type (wood structural panels, fiberboard, board, hardboard):	WSP	_
Direction Across Studs (Short or Long):	Short	_
Stud Spacing:	16	in.
Minimum Panel Thickness:	3/8	in.
Shear wall minimum panel thickness (WFCM 3.4.4.2):	7/16	in.









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# Wall Sheathing (cont'd)

## **Exterior Segmented (Type I) Shear Walls (WFCM 3.4.4.2)**

### Choose Exterior Segmented (Type I) Shear Wall Length from Table 3.17A-D (pp. 169-174)

Wall Height:	9 2	_ft.
Three second gust wind speed:	120	mph Exp. B
Maximum shear wall aspect ratio for wind (Table 3.17D):	3.5:1	-
Minimum shear wall segment length (Wall height/aspect ratio):	2.6	<u>ft.</u>
	DI	
Seismic Design Category:	DI	-
Maximum shear wall aspect ratio for seismic (Table 3.17D Footnote 3):	2:1	_
Minimum shear wall segment length (Wall height/aspect ratio):	4.5	<u>ft.</u>
Minimum WSP sheathing thickness (per WFCM 3.4.4.2):	7/16	in.
Minimum gypsum thickness (per WFCM 3.4.4.2):	1/2	in.



WFCM 3.4.4.2 "Standard" Shear Wall

# Wall Sheathing (cont'd)

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## **Exterior Segmented (Type I) Shear Walls (WFCM 3.4.4.2)**

		Load H to R	Parallel idge	Load Perp to R	oendicular idge	
Bu	ilding Wall Elevation	North	South	East	West	
Lei	ngth of Main Building	40'	40'	32'	32'	
S	Effective Length of Full Height Sheathing for Seismic (L <sub>FHS</sub> )	20' <sup>1</sup>	18' <sup>1</sup>	32'	29'	HAV
e i	Tabulated Minimum Length Full Height Sheathing for Seismic Loads perTable 3.17C $(L_s)$ $C_1 = \underline{57}$ $C_2 = \underline{15}$ $L_{max} = \underline{40'}$ $L_{min} = \underline{32'}$	19.5' <sup>2</sup>	19.5' <sup>2</sup>	19.5' <sup>2</sup>	19.5' <sup>2</sup>	
m	WSP Perimeter Edge Nail Spacing – <b>Seismic</b> (WFCM 3.4.4.2 + 3.4.4.2.1)	4"	4"	6"	6"	PICK
i	Shear wall Adjustment per Table 3.17D (C <sub>swa</sub> )	0.69	0.69	1.0	1.0	
c	Min. Length Full Ht. Sheathing–Segmented <b>Seismic</b> $(L_{Typel-S} = L_s(C_{swa}))$	13.5'	13.5'	19.5'	19.5'	NEE
L <sub>Ty</sub>	pel-S < L <sub>FHS</sub>	Ok?✔	Ok?✔	Ok?✔	Ok?✔	
	Effective Length of Full Height Sheathing (L <sub>FH</sub> )	24'	22'	32'	29'	HAVE
W i	Tabulated Minimum Length Full Height Sheathing for Wind Loads per Table 3.17B and 3.17A $(L_w)$	10.6'	10.6'	17.5'	17.5'	
n d	WSP Perimeter Edge Nail Spacing – Wind (WFCM 3.4.4.2)	6"	6"	6"	6"	PICK
u	Shear wall Adjustment per Table 3.17D (C <sub>swa</sub> )	1.3 <sup>3</sup>	1.3 <sup>3</sup>	1.3 <sup>3</sup>	1.3 <sup>3</sup>	
ĺ	Wall Height Adjustment (Table 3.17A&B Footnote 2) (C <sub>WH</sub> =9'/8')	1.125	1.125	1.125	1.125	
	Min. Length Full Ht. Sheathing–Segmented <b>Wind</b> $(L_{TypeI-W}=L_w(C_{WH})(C_{swa})$	15.5'	15.5'	25.6'	25.6'	NEE
L <sub>Ty</sub>	$_{\rm peI-W} < L_{\rm FH}$	Ok?✔	Ok?✔	Ok?✔	Ok?✔	

<sup>1</sup>Includes a 2w/h reduction for exceeding 2:1 aspect ratio for seismic.

There are four 3' segments in the south wall, so 12' (0.67) = 8' of additional full height sheathing ( $L_{FHS}$ ) can be added for shear wall capacity for the south wall ( $L_{FHS}$  = 18'). Similarly, an additional 8' can be added to the North wall ( $L_{FHS}$  = 20'). <sup>2</sup>From Table 3.17C: C<sub>1</sub>=57, C<sub>2</sub>=15,  $L_{max}$ =40',  $L_{min}$ =32' so req'd sheathing = [57+(0.25)15]32/100=19.5' on a 6:12 perimeter:field nailing pattern. See Table 3.17C Footnote 5 for other assemblies and nail spacings.

<sup>3</sup>Assumes 7/16" WSP exterior sheathing and non-rated interior sheathing (i.e., doesn't include gypsum as shear element).

#### North and south walls are seismic controlled (4" nail spacing). East and west walls are wind controlled.

Note: Since the North and South walls have shear wall segments with aspect ratios greater than the required 2:1 for seismic loads (Table 3.17D Footnote 3), use 2003 International Building Code (IBC) Table 2305.3.3 footnote a., which allows a 2w/h reduction for shear walls not meeting maximum shear wall aspect ratio of 2:1. Therefore, the 3' segments are added to the south wall as follows: 2w/h = 2(3)/9 = 0.67

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### **Exterior Perforated (Type II) Shear Walls (WFCM 3.4.4.2)**

Choose Exterior Perforated (Type II) Shear Wall Length from Table 3.17E (p. 175)

			Para to R	allel idge	Perpen to R	dicular idge
	Bı	nilding Wall Elevation	North	South	East	West
	W	all Height	9'	9'	9'	9'
	М	ax. Unrestrained Opening Height	6'-0"	4'-6"	0	7'-6"
	A	ctual Length of Full Height Sheathing (L <sub>FH</sub> )	24'	22'	32'	29'
HAVE	G	Effective Length of Full Height Sheathing for <b>Seismic</b> ( $L_{FHS}$ )	16' <sup>1</sup>	14.7' <sup>1</sup>	32'	29'
	S e	Length of Wall (L <sub>Wall</sub> )	40'	40'	32'	32'
	i s	Percent Full Height Sheathing (L <sub>FH</sub> / L <sub>Wall</sub> )	60%	55%	100%	91%
	m	Tabulated Min. Length Full Ht. Sheathing - Segmented Seismic ( $L_{TypeI-S}$ )	13.5'	13.5'	19.5'	19.5'
	c	Perforated (Type II) Length Increase Factor from Table 3.17E ( $C_L$ )	1.25	1.18	1.00	1.06
NEED		Min. Length Full Ht. Sheathing - Perforated Seismic ( $L_{TypeII-S} = L_{TypeI-S} (C_L)$ )	16.9'	15.9'	19.5'	20.7'
	L	$_{\rm ype~II} < L_{\rm FHS}$	NG	NG	Ok?✔	Ok?✔
HAVE		Actual Length of Full Height Sheathing (L <sub>FH</sub> )	24'	22'	32'	29'
	W	Length of Wall (L <sub>Wall</sub> )	40'	40'	32'	32'
	n	Percent Full Height Sheathing (L <sub>FH</sub> / L <sub>Wall</sub> )	60%	55%	100%	91%
	d	Tabulated Min. Length Full Height Sheathing - Segmented Wind $(L_{\mbox{Typel-W}})$	15.5'	15.5'	25.6'	25.6'
		Perforated (Type II) Length Increase Factor from Table 3.17E ( $C_L$ )	1.25	1.18	1.00	1.06
NEED		Min. Length Full Ht. Sheathing - Perforated Wind $(L_{TypelI-W} = L_{Typel-W} (C_L))$	19.4'	18.3'	25.6	27.1'
	L	$_{\rm ypeII-W} < L_{\rm FH}$	Ok?✔	Ok?✔	Ok?✔	Ok?✔

<sup>1</sup>Includes a 2w/h reduction for exceeding 2:1 aspect ratio for seismic applied to the entire length of full height sheathing. See Top Story Segmented (Type I) wall sheathing design for explanation.

East and West walls are wind controlled. Since North and South walls do not have enough capacity, they can either be designed as two Segmented (Type I) walls with hold downs around interior wall openings, or sheathing edge nail spacing on the Perforated Type II wall can be reduced to 3" o.c. In the latter case, the respective shear wall adjustment factor from Table 3.17D is 0.53 (seismic controlling). Multiplying each of the North and South seismic wall lengths by 0.53 / 0.69 gives 12.98 ft and 12.2 ft respectively, each satisfactorily below the effective length of full height sheathing  $L_{FHS}$  for each wall. The 3" spacing will be chosen here.

**Top Story Main House Shear Wall Details Summary** 

Building Elevation	North	South	East	West
Shear Wall Type	Perf	Perf	Perf	Perf
WSP Perimeter Nail Spacing	3"	3"	6"	6"
Governing Load	Seismic	Seismic	Wind	Wind
Shear wall Adjustment per Table 3.17D ( $C_{swa}$ )	0.53	0.53	1.3	1.3

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# **Floor Framing**

### Floor Joists (WFCM 3.3.1.1)

#### Choose Floor Joists from Tables 3.18A-B (pp. 177-178)

Live Load:	30	psf
Dead Load:	10	psf
Joist Vertical Displacement $L/\Delta$ :	360	-
Required Span:	16	ft.

Selection of Specie, Grade, Size, and Spacing: (Table 3.18A)

Specie	Douglas Fir-Larch	Hem-Fir	Southern Pine	Spruce-Pine-Fir
Spacing	16	16	16	16
Grade	#2	#2	#2	#2
Size	2x10	2x10	<b>2x10</b>	2x10
Maximum Span	17'-5"	16'-10"	18'-0"	17'-2"



# **Floor Sheathing**

### Sheathing Spans (WFCM 3.3.4.1)

#### **Choose Floor Sheathing from Table 3.14 (p. 164)**

Floor Joist Spacing:	16	in.
Sheathing Type:	WSP	_
Span Rating	24/16	_
Tabulated Minimum Panel Thickness:	7/16	in.

# **Connections**

### Lateral Framing and Shear Connections (WFCM 3.2.1)

### Wall Assembly (WFCM 3.2.1.3)

Top Plate to Top Plate Connection from Table 3.1 (p. 139): (6" na	il spacing on East / West Walls)
Table 3.1 Footnote 1 for wall sheathing perimeter nailing spacings <	6" (North / South walls)
(4" nail spacing: 1.67 x 2 nails)	
(3" nail spacing: 2.0 x 2 nails)	
Top Plate Intersection Connection from Table 3.1:	
Stud to Stud Connection from Table 3.1:	
Header to Header Connection from Table 3.1:	
Choose Top or Bottom Plate to Stud Connection from Table 3.1 &	<b>&amp; 3.5A:</b> 2-16d Commons per 2x4 stud
	<u>3-16d Commons per 2x6 stud</u>
	<u>4-16d Commons per 2x8 stud</u>
Wall Assembly to Floor Assembly (WFCM 3.2.1.4)	

#### Bottom Plate to Floor Joist, Bandjoist,

Endjoist or Blocking Connection from Table 3.1: (6" nail spacing)	2-16d Commons per foot
Table 3.1 Footnote 1 for wall sheathing perimeter nailing spacings < 6"	
(4" nail spacing: 1.67 x 2 nails)	4-16d Commons per foot
(3" nail spacing: 2.0 x 2 nails)	4-16d Commons per foot

### Floor Assembly (WFCM 3.2.1.5)

Bridging to Floor Joist Connection from Table 3.1:	2-8d Commons each end
Blocking to Floor Joist Connection from Table 3.1:	2-8d Commons each end
Band Joist to Floor Joist Connection from Table 3.1:	3-16d Commons per joist

### Floor Assembly to Wall Assembly (WFCM 3.2.1.6)

Floor Joist to Top Plate Connection from Table 3.1:	<mark>4-8d Commons j</mark>	<mark>per joist</mark>
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Band Joist to Sill or Top Plate Connection from Table 3.1: (6" nail spacing)	2-16d Commons per foot
Table 3.1 Footnote 1 for wall sheathing perimeter nailing spacings < 6"	
(4" nail spacing: 1.67 x 2 nails)	4-16d Commons per foot
(3" nail spacing: 2.0 x 2 nails)	4-16d Commons per foot

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### **Uplift Connections (WFCM 3.2.2)**





### Choose Wall to Wall Uplift Strap Connection from Table 3.4B (p. 151)

B	uilding Wall Elevation	North	South	East	West
	Three second gust wind speed	120 mph Exp. B		120 mph Exp. B	
	Framing Spacing	16	in.	16	in.
W i	Roof Span	32	ft.	32	ft.
n d	Minimum tabulated number of 8d Common Nails required in each end of 1-1/4" x 20 gage strap <i>every stud</i>	2	1	4	1
u	No Ceiling Assembly nail increase (Footnote 3)	(	)		
	Minimum required number of 8d Common Nails in each end of strap <i>every</i> stud = Tabulated number of nails - Reductions + Increases	4	*	4	*

<sup>1</sup> calculated using 416 lbs uplift (below) divided by 127 lb/nail per WFCM Supplement Table 6A.

#### \*Alternatively, use proprietary connectors every stud with the following minimum capacities

	Loadbearing Walls - Tabulated minimum uplift connection capacity (Table		
	3.4, page 149)	441 105	
	Interior framing adjustment (Footnote 1)	1.0	
	Roof dead load reduction (Table 3.4, Footnote 3)		
W	$= [0.60(20 \text{ psf} - 15 \text{ psf}) \times 8' \times 16''/12''/ = 32 \text{ lbs}]$	-32 lbs	
ĺ	Wall-to-Wall and Wall-to-Foundation reduction (Table 3.4, Footnote 4)		
n	= [60  plf  x (16'' / 12'' / ') = 80  lbs]	-80 lbs	
a	Non-Loadbearing Walls - Tabulated minimum uplift connection capacity		
	(Table 3.4C, page 152)		496 lbs
	Wall-to-Wall and Wall-to-Foundation reduction (WFCM 3.2.5.3)		
	= $[60 \text{ plf } x (16'' / 12'' / ') = 80 \text{ lbs}]$		-80 lbs
	Required minimum capacity of proprietary connector		
	= Tabulated minimum capacity x Adjustments - Reduction	<b>329 lbs</b>	<b>416 lbs</b>

#### Check Perforated Shearwall plate anchorage between wall ends

The assumption is that the wall plate nailing to the floor frame (*WFCM* 3.2.1.6 Table 3.1, see previous page), in addition to the wind uplift straps (determined above), are sufficient to resist uplift requirements on the plate using the Perforated Shearwall Method.

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# **Connections (cont'd)**

### **Overturning Resistance** (WFCM 3.2.3)

Hold downs (WFCM 3.2.3.1)

### Choose Hold downs from Table 3.17F for Type I &II Wall (p. 176)

Bı	uilding Wall Elevation	North	South	East	West
W	all Height	9	9	9	9
	WSP Perimeter Edge Nail Spacing - wind	6"	6"	6"	6"
W	Tabulated hold down connection capacity required – wind $(T_w)$	3924 lbs	3924 lbs	3924 lbs	3924 lbs
n	Hold down adjustment per Table 3.17F Footnotes (Table 3.17D) ( $C_{swa}$ )	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3
d	Adjusted hold down capacity $(T_{aw} = (T_w) / (C_{swa}))$	3019 lbs	3019 lbs	<b>3019 lbs</b>	<b>3019 lbs</b>
S	WSP Perimeter Edge Nail Spacing - seismic	3"	3"	6"	6"
e i	Tabulated hold down connection capacity required – <b>seismic</b> $(T_s)$	2160 lbs	2160 lbs	2160 lbs	2160 lbs
s m	Hold down adjustment per Table 3.17F footnotes (Table 3.17D) ( $C_{swa}$ )	0.53	0.53	1.0	1.0
i c	Adjusted hold down capacity $(T_{as} = (T_s) / (C_{swa}))$	<b>4075 lbs<sup>1</sup></b>	4075 lbs <sup>1</sup>	2160 lbs	2160 lbs

<sup>1</sup>Three inch nail spacing controls.









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Connecti	ons (co	nt'd)				
Sheathing a	nd Claddin	g Attachment	(WFCM 3	.2.4)		
Wall Sheathing	(WFCM 3.2.	4.2)				
Choose V	Vall Sheathing	Nail Spacing from Ta	able 3.11 (p. 16	1)		
Three sec	ond gust wind s	peed:			<u>120</u>	mph Exp. B
Stud Spac Sheathing	cing: g Type:				<u>16</u> <u>WSP</u>	in.
		Location	Edges	Field		
		4' Edge Zone	6	12		
		Interior Zones	6	12		
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### Wall Studs (WFCM 3.4.1.1)

### Choose Studs from Table 3.20A or 3.20B and Footnotes (pp. 182-184)

Three second gust wind speed:	120	mph Exp. B
Wall Height:	9	ft.
Sheathing Type (wood structural panel or minimum sheathing):	WSP	_
Studs supporting (Roof, Ceiling, Floors):	Roof, Co	eiling, 2 Floors

Selection of Specie, Grade, Size, and Spacing: (Table 3.20B and Footnotes)

Specie	Douglas Fir-Larch	Hem-Fir	Southern Pine	Spruce-Pine-Fir
Spacing	16	16	16	16
Grade	Stud	Stud	Stud	Stud
Size	<b>2x6</b>	2x6	2x6	2x6
Maximum Length (Wind)	14'-10"	14'-5"	15'-7"	14'-5"
Maximum Length (Dead and Live Loads)	10'-0"	10'-0"	10'-0"	10'-0"

### Top Plates (WFCM 3.4.1.2)

### Choose Building End Wall Double Top Plate Lap Splice Length from Table 3.21 (p. 185)

Building Dimension:	32	ft.
Tabulated Minimum Splice Length:	6	ft.
Connection: top plate – to – top plate:	2-16d	nails per ft.

### Choose Building Side Wall Double Top Plate Lap Splice Length from Table 3.21 (p. 185)

Building Dimension:	40	_ ft.	
Tabulated Minimum Splice Length:	8	ft.	

Connection: top plate – to – top plate:.....2-16d nails per ft.





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### Choose Window Sill Plates from Table 3.23B (p. 193)

Three second gust wind speed:	<u>120</u> mph Exp. B
Required Span:	<u>3</u> ft.
Selection of Window Sill Plate Specie, Grade, and Size: <u>1-Sout</u>	hern Pine <u>#2 2x6 (flat)</u> (to match wall stud size)
Tabulated Window Sill Plate Span:	
Wall Height Adjustment (Footnote $3 - (H/10)^{1/2}$ ):	
Adjusted Maximum Sill Plate Length:	
Tabulated maximum sill plate Length ÷ wall Height Adju	ıstment:
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# Living Room Door Interior Loadbearing Wall Headers (WFCM 3.4.2.4.1) Choose Headers for Interior Loadbearing Walls from Tables 3.24A-C (pp. 195-197) Building Width: 32 ft. Required Span: 6 ft.

Required Span:	6
Table 3.24B (p.196)	

Selection of Header Specie, Grade, and Size:	3-Southern Pine	#2	2x12	<u>''s</u>
Maximum Header/Girder Span (interpolated):			6'-1"	<mark>ft.</mark> >6' OK
Number of Jack Studs Required (Table 3.24C):		·····	3	

# Interior Loadbearing Wall Headers (WFCM 3.4.2.4.1)

Choose Headers for Interior Loadbearing Walls from Tables 3.24A-C (pp. 195-197)

Building Width:	32	_ft.
Required Span:	4	ft.

### Table 3.24B (p.196)

Selection of Header Specie, Grade, and Size:	2-Southern Pine	#2	2x1	<mark>0's</mark>	
Maximum Header/Girder Span (interpolated):			4'-2"	ft.	>4' OK
Number of Jack Studs Required (Table 3.24C):			3		_

### <u>Ends of Hallway</u> Interior Non-Loadbearing Wall Headers (WFCM 3.4.1.4.1)

The 2000 International Residential Code (IRC) section R602.7.2 allows a single flat 2x4 for interior nonloadbearing walls up to 8' spans.

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Sheathing and Cladding (WFCM 3.4.4.1) Choose Exterior Wall Sheathing or Cladding from Tables 3.13A and 3.13B respectively (p. 163) Sheathing Type (wood structural panels, fiberboard, board, hardboard): ..... WSP Stud Spacing: <u>16</u> in. Minimum Panel Thickness: 3/8 in. Shearwall minimum panel thickness (WFCM 3.4.4.2): 7/16 in. = 25 ft. long =  $L_{FH}$ 16' 3' 3' 3' **North Elevation** = 22 ft. long =  $L_{FH}$ 3' 3' 3' 3' 5' 5' **South Elevation** = 25 ft. long =  $L_{FH}$ 12' **East Elevation** = 28 ft. long =  $L_{FH}$ 

West Elevation

16' -

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### **Exterior Segmented (Type I) Shear Walls (WFCM 3.4.4.2)**

Choose Exterior Segmented (Type I) Shear Wall Length from Table 3.17A-D (pp. 169-174)

Wall Height:	9	_ ft.
Number of Stoffes Braced (per 5.1.5.1).		-
I hree second gust wind speed: Maximum shear wall aspect ratio for wind (Table 3.17D):	3.5:1	_ mph Exp. B
Minimum shear wall segment length (Wall height/aspect ratio):	2.6	<u>ft.</u>
Seismic Design Category:	D1	
Maximum shear wall aspect ratio for seismic (Table 3.17D Footnote 3):	2:1	_
Minimum shear wall segment length (Wall height/aspect ratio):	4.5	<u>ft.</u>
Minimum WSP sheathing thickness (per WFCM 3.4.4.2):	7/16	in.
Minimum gypsum thickness (per WFCM 3.4.4.2):	1/2	in.

Note: The main house is designed as a three story structure and the wings are designed as 2 story structures. Therefore, shear walls will be designed as 3 separate structures.

		Load I to R	Parallel Lidge	Load Perp to Ri	endicular idge	
Bu	ilding Wall Elevation	North	South	East	West	
Ac	tual Length of Wall – Main House	40'	40'	32'	32'	
S	Effective Length of Full Height Sheathing for Seismic (L <sub>FHS</sub> )	22' <sup>1</sup>	18' <sup>1</sup>	25'	28'	HAVE
e i	Tabulated Minimum Length Full Height Sheathing for <b>Seismic</b> Loads per Table 3.17C (L <sub>s</sub> ) $C_1 = \underline{87}$ $C_2 = \underline{22}$ $L_{max} = \underline{40'}$ $L_{min} = \underline{32'}$	29.6'	29.6'	29.6'	29.6'	
s m	WSP Perimeter Edge Nail Spacing – <b>Seismic</b> (WFCM 3.4.4.2 + 3.4.4.2.1)	3"	3"	4"	4"	PICK
i	Shear wall Adjustment per Table 3.17D (C <sub>swa</sub> )	0.53	0.53	0.69	0.69	
C	Min. Length Full Ht. Sheathing - Segmented <b>Seismic</b> ( $L_{TypeI-S} = L_s \times C_{swa}$ )	15.7'	15.7'	20.4'	20.4'	NEEC
L	$_{\rm ypel-S} < L_{\rm FHS}$	Ok?✔	Ok?✔	Ok?✔	Ok?✔	
	Effective Length of Full Height Sheathing ( $L_{FH}$ )	25'	22'	25'	28'	HAVE
W	Tabulated Minimum Length Full Height Sheathing for <b>Wind</b> Loads per Table 3.17B and 3.17A $(L_w)$	16' <sup>2</sup>	16' <sup>2</sup>	27.6'	27.6'	
i n	WSP Perimeter Edge Nail Spacing- Wind (WFCM 3.4.4.2)	6"	4"	3"	4"	PICK
d	Shear wall Adjustment per Table 3.17D (C <sub>swa</sub> )	1.0	0.74	0.60	0.74	
	Wall Height Adjustment (Table 3.17A&B Footnote 2) (C <sub>WH</sub> =9'/8')	1.125	1.125	1.125	1.125	
	Min. Length Full Ht. Sheathing - Segmented <b>Wind</b> $(L_{Typel-W}=L_w(C_{WH})(C_{swa})$	18'	13.3'	18.6'	23'	NEEC
L <sub>T</sub>	$_{ m ypeI-W}$ $<$ $L_{ m FH}$	Ok?✔	Ok?✔	Ok?✔	Ok?✔	

<sup>1</sup>Includes a 2w/h reduction for exceeding 2:1 aspect ratio for seismic. See Top Story wall design for explanation. <sup>2</sup>This is a conservative based on design as separate structures (see note on East Wing Segmented shear walls

regarding inscribed method). Shielding from the wings is not accounted for in selection of tabulated values.

North and south walls are seismic controlled (3" nail spacing). East and west walls are wind controlled (3" nail spacing for the east wall and required length for the west wall).

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# Wall Sheathing (cont'd)

### **Exterior Perforated (Type II) Shear Walls (WFCM 3.4.4.2)**

Choose Exterior Perforated (Type II) Shear Wall Length from Table 3.17E (p. 175)

		Load I to R	Parallel Lidge	Load Perp to R	oendicular idge
Bı	uilding Wall Elevation	North	South	East	West
W	all Height	9'	9'	9'	9'
М	ax. Unrestrained Opening Height	7'-6"	7'-6"	7'-6"	7'-6"
A	ctual Length of Full Height Sheathing (L <sub>FH</sub> )	25'	22'	25'	28'
	Effective Length of Full Height Sheathing for <b>Seismic</b> $(L_{FHS})$	16.7' <sup>1</sup>	14.7' <sup>1</sup>	25'	28'
S	Length of Wall (L <sub>Wall</sub> )	40'	40'	32'	32'
i	Percent Full Height Sheathing (L <sub>FH</sub> / L <sub>Wall</sub> )	63%	55%	78%	88%
s	Minimum Length Full Ht. Sheathing - Segmented Seismic $(L_{TypeI-S})$	15.7'	15.7'	20.4'	20.4'
i i	Perforated (Type II) Length Increase Factor from Table $3.17E(C_L)$	1.29	1.37	1.16	1.08
c	Min. Length Full Ht. Sheathing-Perforated <b>Seismic</b> $(L_{TypeII-S}=L_{TypeI-S}(C_L))$	20.3'	21.3'	23.7'	22'
Lī	TypeII-S < L <sub>FHS</sub>	NG	NG	Ok?✔	Ok?✔
	Actual Length of Full Height Sheathing (L <sub>FH</sub> )	25'	22'	25'	28'
	Length of Wall (L <sub>Wall</sub> )	40'	40'	32'	32'
w	Percent Full Height Sheathing ( $L_{FH} / L_{Wall}$ )	63%	55%	78%	88%
ı n d	Tabulated Min. Length Full Height Sheathing - Segmented Wind $(L_{TypeI-W})$	18'	13.3'	18.6'	23'
	Perforated (Type II) Length Increase Factor from Table 3.17E (CL)	1.29	1.37	1.16	1.08
	Min. Length Full Ht. Sheathing - Perforated Wind $(L_{TypeII-W} = L_{TypeI-W} (C_L))$	23.2'	18.2'	21.6'	24.8'
L	Type ILW < LEH	Ok?✓	Ok?✓	Ok?✓	Ok?✔

<sup>1</sup>Includes a 2w/h reduction for exceeding 2:1 aspect ratio for seismic. See Segmented (Type I) shear wall calculations.

North and South walls require design as Segmented (Type I) shear walls. Wind controls for east wall because of 3" nail spacing requirement.

Shear wall requirements for the building wings will be added to the requirements here for the main building for shared walls (see East and West wing wall sheathing sections).

#### Bottom Story Main House Shear Wall Details Summary

Building Elevation	North	South	East	West
Shear Wall Type	Segmented	Segmented	Perf	Perf
WSP Perimeter Nail Spacing	3"	3"	3"	4"
Governing Load	Seismic	Seismic	Wind	Wind
Shear wall Adjustment per Table 3.17D (C <sub>swa</sub> )	0.53	0.53	0.60	0.74

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# **Floor Framing**

Floor Joists (WFCM 3.3.1.1)

### Choose Floor Joists from Tables 3.18A-B (pp. 177-178)

Live Load:	40	psf
Dead Load:	10	psf
Joist Vertical Displacement $L/\Delta$ :	360	
Required Span:	16	ft.

Selection of Specie, Grade, Size, and Spacing: (Table 3.18B)

Specie	Douglas Fir-Larch	Hem-Fir	Southern Pine	Spruce-Pine-Fir
Spacing	16	16	16	16
Grade	#1	#1	#2	SS
Size	2x10	2x10	<b>2x10</b>	<b>2x10</b>
Maximum Span	16'-5"	16'-0"	16'-1"	16'-0"



# **Floor Sheathing**

Sheathing Spans (WFCM 3.3.4.1)

**Choose Floor Sheathing from Table 3.14 (p. 164)** 

Floor Joist Spacing:	16	in.
Sheathing Type (wood structural panels or boards):	WSP	_
Span Rating	24/16	_
Tabulated Minimum Panel Thickness:	7/16	in.

# **Connections**

### Lateral Framing and Shear Connections (WFCM 3.2.1)

Wall Assembly (WFCM 3.2.1.3)

Top Plate to Top Plate Connection from Table 3.1 (p. 139): (6" n	ail spacing on East / West Walls)
Table 3.1 Footnote 1 for wall sheathing perimeter nailing spacings	< 6" (North / South walls)
(4" nail spacing: 1.67 x 2 nails)	
(3" nail spacing: 2.0 x 2 nails)	4-16d Commons per foot
Top Plate Intersection Connection from Table 3.1:	
Stud to Stud Connection from Table 3.1:	
Header to Header Connection from Table 3.1:	
Choose Top or Bottom Plate to Stud Connection from Table 3.1	& 3.5A: 2-16d Commons per 2x4 stud
	3-16d Commons per 2x6 stud
	4-16d Commons per 2x8 stud
Vall Assembly to Floor Assembly (WFCM 3.2.1.4)	

#### Bottom Plate to Floor Joist, Bandjoist,

Endjoist or Blocking Connection from Table 3.1: (6" nail spacing)	2-16d Commons per foot
Table 3.1 Footnote 1 for wall sheathing perimeter nailing spacings $< 6^{\circ}$	
(4" nail spacing: 1.67 x 2 nails)	4-16d Commons per foot
(3" nail spacing: 2.0 x 2 nails)	4-16d Commons per foot

### Floor Assembly (WFCM 3.2.1.5)

Bridging to Floor Joist Connection from Table 3.1:	2-8d Commons each end
Blocking to Floor Joist Connection from Table 3.1:	2-8d Commons each end
Band Joist to Floor Joist Connection from Table 3.1:	3-16d Commons per joist

### Floor Assembly to Wall Assembly (WFCM 3.2.1.6)

Floor Joist to Top Plate Connection from Table 3.1:	
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Band Joist to Sill or Top Plate Connection from Table 3.1: (6" nail spacing	)2-16d Commons per foot
Table 3.1 Footnote 1 for wall sheathing perimeter nailing spacings < 6"	
(4" nail spacing: 1.67 x 2 nails)	4-16d Commons per foot
(3" nail spacing: 2.0 x 2 nails)	4-16d Commons per foot

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Lateral, Shear, and Uplift Connections (WFCM 3.2.1 and 3.2.2)

Wall Assembly to Foundation (WFCM 3.2.1.7 and 3.2.2.3)



Choose Sill Plate to Foundation Connection Requirements for Anchor Bolts Resisting Lateral, Shear, and Uplift Loads from Table 3.2A & B (pp. 142-144)

Three second gust wind speed:	120	mph Exp. B
Stories supported by Foundation:	3	
Anchor Bolt Diameter:	5/8	in.

#### Assuming Crawl Space or Basement, determine maximum Anchor Bolt Spacing:

Bı	nilding Wall Elevation	North	South	East	West
Sł	ear wall line dimension (L <sub>sw</sub> )	40'	40'	32'	32'
Вι	uilding dimension perpendicular to shear wall line (Table 3.2A)	32'	32'	40'	40'
	Number of stories receiving <b>wind</b> load (Table 3.2A)	3	3	3	3
W i	Tabulated number of bolts to resist shear loads from wind (Table 3.2A)	9	9	12	12
n d	Bolt spacing for wind <b>shear</b> loads $s_{ws} = (L_{sw}-2) / (\#bolts-1)$	57"	57"	32"	32"
	Max. bolt spacing to resist wind <b>uplift</b> loads ( $s_{wu}$ ) (Table 3.2C & 3.4C)	33"	33"	72" <sup>1, 2</sup>	72" <sup>1, 2</sup>
s	Tabulated anchor bolt spacing to resist <b>seismic</b> loads $(s_s)$ (Table 3.3A)	47"	47"	47"	47"
e i	WSP Perimeter Edge Nail Spacing - Seismic	3"	3"	4"	4"
s m	Bolt spacing adjustment per Table 3.3A Footnotes (Table 3.17D) ( $C_{swa}$ )	0.53	0.53	0.69	0.69
i c	Adjusted bolt spacing for seismic loads $s_{sa} = (s_s)(C_{swa})$	24"	24"	32"	32"
М	ax. anchor bolt spacing (lesser of $s_{ws}$ , $s_{wu}$ , and $s_{sa}$ )	24''	24''	<b>32''</b> <sup>3</sup>	<b>32''</b> <sup>3</sup>

<sup>1</sup>Calculated from *WFCM* Table 3.4C based on 16" o.c. outlooker spacing (horizontal projection) with 2 wall dead loads

subtracted (0.6x99plf) and anchor bolt capacity of 1488 lbs from WFCM Commentary Table 3.2B.

Table 3.4C = 496 lbs x 12''/ 16'' - 120 plf (walls) = 372 plf - 120 plf = 252 plf

252 plf (32 ft) / 1488 lbs = 5.4 bolts, so spacing = 72" maximum.

<sup>2</sup>Anchor bolt spacing shall not exceed 6' (72") on center per Table 3.2A Footnote 2.

<sup>3</sup>These will be added to anchor bolts required by West and East wing common walls respectively.

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# Connections (cont'd)

Alternatively, use proprietary connectors with the following minimum capacities from Table 3.2 (pp. 140-141), Table 3.3 (pp. 145-146) and Table 3.4C (p. 152).

Three second gust wind speed:	120	mph Exp. B
Stories supported by Foundation:	3	

Assuming Crawl Space or Basement, determine required loads for proprietary connectors:

Bı	uilding Wall Elevation	North	South	East	West
Вι	uilding dimension W or L	40'	40'	32'	32'
R=	=L/W or W/L for Table 3.2	0.8	0.8	1.25	1.25
	Number of stories receiving lateral wind load (Table 3.2A)	3	3	3	3
	Wind uplift (Table 3.4C)			496 lbs	496lbs
	Uplift force Spacing			16"	16"
	Wind uplift plf basis			372 plf	372 plf
w	Overhang Reduction (Table 3.4C Footnote 2) $[(2' - OH / 4')^2]$			1.0	1.0
n	Wall Dead Load Reduction <sup>1</sup> ( $\underline{2}$ walls (0.6)(99plf))			-119	-119
d	Adjusted Wind uplift (Table 3.4C)			253 plf	253 plf
	Wind uplift (Table 3.2(U))	151 plf	151 plf		
	Wind lateral load (Table 3.2(L))	*	*	*	*
	Wind shear load (Table 3.2(S)) 411 R	329 plf	329 plf	514 plf	514 plf
	Seismic shear load (Table 3.3) <sup>2</sup> $C_1 = 208$ $C_2 = 53$ $L_{max} = 40'$ $L_{min} = 32'$ or, $\Box$ slab on grade	7080 lbs	7080 lbs	7080 lbs	7080 lbs
G	Wall Dead Load $w_w$	11 psf	11 psf	11 psf	11 psf
e i	Footnote 4 Wall Dead Load Reduction $R_w = (w_w + 70.65) / 85.65$	0.95	0.95	0.95	0.95
s m i c	Footnote 5 Sheathing Adjustment Factor for wall (Table 3.17D) $(C_{swa})$	0.53	0.53	0.69	0.69
	Adjusted seismic shear load = seismic shear load x $R_w / C_{swa}$	12690 lbs	12690 lbs	9748 lbs	9748 lbs
	Wall length	40'	40'	32'	32'
	Seismic shear load = adjusted seismic shear load / wall length	317 plf	317 plf	305 plf	305 plf

<sup>1</sup>Refer to WFCM Commentary 1.1.2.

\*Table 3.2 Footnote: Determine anchorage for Lateral Loads in foundation design per Section 1.1.4 <sup>2</sup>See top story main segmented shearwall design for example seismic calculation using C<sub>1</sub> and C<sub>2</sub>.





# **Connections (cont'd)**

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### **Uplift Connections** (WFCM 3.2.2)

Wall Assembly to Wall Assembly or Wall Assembly to Foundation (WFCM 3.2.2.2 and 3.2.2.3)

### Choose Wall to Wall Uplift Strap Connection from Table 3.4B (p. 151)

Bı	uilding Wall Elevation	North	South	East	West
	Three second gust wind speed	120 mpl	n Exp. B	120 mph	Exp. B
	Framing Spacing	16	in.	16	in.
W i	Roof Span	32	ft.	32	ft.
n d	Tabulated number of 8d Common Nails required in each end of 1-1/4" x 20 gage strap <i>every stud</i>	2	1	3	1
ŭ	No Ceiling Assembly nail increase (Footnote 3)	(	)		
1	Required number of <b>8d Common Nails in each end of strap</b> <i>every stud</i> = Tabulated number of nails - Reductions + Increases	4	*	3	*

<sup>1</sup> calculated using 336 lbs uplift (below) divided by 127 lb/nail per WFCM Supplement Table 6A.

#### \*Alternatively, use proprietary connectors with the following minimum capacities

	Loadbearing Walls - Tabulated minimum uplift connection capacity (Table		
	3.4, page 149)	441 lbs	
	Interior framing adjustment (Footnote 1)	1.0	
	Roof dead load reduction (Table 3.4, Footnote 3)		
W	= [0.60(20 psf - 15 psf) x 8'-0" x 16"/12"/ ' = 32 lbs]	-32 lbs	
ì	Wall-to-Wall and Wall-to-Foundation reduction (Table 3.4, Footnote 4)		
n	= [60  plf x  2  walls  (16'' / 12'' / ') = 160  lbs]	-160 lbs	
a	Non-Loadbearing Walls - Tabulated minimum uplift connection capacity		
	(Table 3.4C, page 152)		496 lbs
	Wall-to-Wall and Wall-to-Foundation reduction (WFCM 3.2.5.3)		
	= [60  plf x  2  walls  (16'' / 12''/') = 160  lbs]		-160 lbs
	Required minimum capacity of proprietary connector		
	= Tabulated minimum capacity x Adjustments - Reduction	<b>249 lbs</b>	<b>336 lbs</b>





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Holddown

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connected to transfer shear

2-16d Common nails at 6" o.c.

Endwall Corner stud



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### **Overturning Resistance** (WFCM 3.2.3)

Hold downs (WFCM 3.2.3.1)

Choose Hold downs from Table 3.17F for Segmented (Type I) and Perforated (Type II) Walls (p. 176)

B	nilding Wall Elevation	North	South	East	West
W	all Height	9'	9'	9'	9'
	Tabulated hold down connection capacity required – wind $(T_w)$	3924 lbs	3924 lbs	3924 lbs	3924 lbs
	WSP Perimeter Edge Nail Spacing - wind	3"	3"	3"	4"
W	Hold down adjustment per Table 3.17F Footnotes (Table 3.17D) ( $C_{swa}$ )	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.74
í n	Adjusted hold down capacity $(T_{wa} = (T_w) / (C_{swa}))$ - wind	6540 lbs	6540 lbs	6540 lbs	5303 lbs
d	Additional story hold down requirements - wind (see Workbook p.39)	3019 lbs	3019 lbs	3019 lbs	3019 lbs
	Total hold down requirement for floor to foundation – wind ( $\Sigma T_{wa}$ )	9559 lbs	<mark>9559 lbs</mark>	<mark>9559 lbs</mark>	8322 lbs
	Tabulated hold down connection capacity required – seismic $(T_s)$	2160 lbs	2160 lbs	2160 lbs	2160 lbs
S	WSP Perimeter Edge Nail Spacing - seismic	3"	3"	3"	4"
i	Hold down adjustment per Table 3.17F Footnotes (Table 3.17D) ( $C_{swa}$ )	0.53	0.53	0.53	0.69
s	Adjusted hold down capacity $(T_{sa} = (T_s) / (C_{swa}))$ - seismic	4075 lbs	4075 lbs	4075 lbs	3130 lbs
m i	Additional story hold down req'ments – <b>seismic</b> (see Workbook p.39)	4075 lbs	4075 lbs	2160 lbs	2160 lbs
c	Total hold down requirement for floor to foundation ( $\Sigma T_{sa}$ ) - seismic	8150 lbs	8150 lbs	6235 lbs	5290 lbs

### **Sheathing and Cladding Attachment** (WFCM 3.2.4)

Wall Sheathing (WFCM 3.2.4.2)

### Choose Wall Sheathing Nail Spacing from Table 3.11 (p. 161)

Sheathing Type (wood structural panels, board or lap siding): ...... WSP

Location	Edges	Field
4' Edge Zone	6	12
Interior Zones	6	12

Shear wall sheathing nail spacing requirements control.

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### **Special Connections** (WFCM 3.2.5)

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**Bottom Plate** 

Description: Main House

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**Bottom Story Design** 

Job: WFCM Workbook	Description:	West Wing	
Wall Framing			
Wall Studs (WFCM 3.4.1	.1)		

..... Loadbearing

#### Choose Studs from Table 3.20A or 3.20B and Footnotes (pp. 180-184)

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Three second gust wind speed:	120	_mph Exp. B
Wall Height:	10	ft.
Sheathing Type (wood structural panel or minimum sheathing):	WSP	_
Studs supporting:	Roof, C	eiling, 1 Floor

Selection of Specie, Grade, Size, and Spacing: (Table 3.20B and Footnotes)

Specie	Douglas Fir-Larch	Hem-Fir	Southern Pine	Spruce-Pine-Fir
Spacing	16	16	16	16
Grade	Stud	Stud	Stud	Stud
Size	2x4 <sup>1</sup>	2x4 <sup>1</sup>	2x4 <sup>1</sup>	2x4 <sup>1</sup>
Maximum Length (Wind)	10'-5"	10'-2"	10'-10"	10'-2"
Maximum Length (Dead and Live Loads)	10'-0"	10'-0"	10'-0"	10'-0"

<sup>1</sup>While 2x4s will work, **2x6s will frame consistently with end walls and main building.** 

..... Non-Loadbearing

#### Choose Studs from Table 3.20A or 3.20B and Footnotes (pp. 180-184)

Three second gust wind speed:	120	mph Exp. B
Wall Height:	16 (max)	<u>)</u> ft.
Sheathing Type (wood structural panel or minimum sheathing):	WSP	

Selection of Specie, Grade, Size, and Spacing: (Table 3.20B and Footnotes)

Specie	Douglas Fir-Larch	Hem-Fir	Southern Pine	Spruce-Pine-Fir
Spacing	16	16	16	16
Grade	#2	#2	#2	#2
Size	2x6	2x6	2x6	2x6
Maximum Length (Wind)	18'-7"	17'-4"	18'-7"	17'-9"
Maximum Length (Dead and Live Loads)	20'-0"	20'-0"	20'-0"	20'-0"

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### **Top Plates** (WFCM 3.4.1.2)

Choose Building End Wall Double Top Plate Lap Splice Length from Table 3.21 (p.	185)	
Building Dimension:	. 32	ft.
Tabulated Minimum Splice Length:	. <u>6</u>	ft.
Connection: top plate – to – top plate:	. <u>2-16d</u>	_ nails per ft.
Choose Building Side wall Double Top Plate Lap Splice Length from Table 3.21 (p.	185)	
Building Dimension:	. 16	ft.
Tabulated Minimum Splice Length:	3	ft.
Connection: top plate – to – top plate:	. <u>2-16d</u>	nails per ft.





# Wall Framing (cont'd)

Exterior Loadbearing Wall Headers (WFCM 3.4.1.4.1)
Choose Headers in Loadbearing Walls from Tables 3.22A-E and Table 3.22F (pp. 186-193)
Building Width: 32 ft.
Required Span (Fover Window):
Ground Snow Load:
Three second gust wind speed:
Header supporting roof calling and attic floor use Table 3 22R (p. 187)
Drolimingry Header Selection (Gravity Loads): 2 Southern Ding #2 2x12's
Premimilary freater selection (Gravity Loads). <u>5-Southern Fille</u> <u>#2</u> <u>2X12.5</u>
Maximum Header/Girder Span (interpolated):
Tabulated Number of Jack Study (Table 3.22F):
Roof Span Adjustment (Footnote 1 – (W+12)/48): 0.92
Adjusted number of jack studs required = tabulated x roof span adjustment: $2$
Table 2 224 (m. 102)
Table 5.25A (p. 192)
Preliminary Header Selection (wind Loads): <u>3-Southern Pine</u> #2 2x8 s
Maximum Header/Girder Span
Tabulated Number of Full Height (King) Studs (Table 3.23C):
(same species / grade as Loadbearing Studs, WFCM Workbook p. 55 (WFCM 3.4.1.4.2))
Final Selection of Header Specie, Grade, and Size:
Gravity loads control: <b>3-Southern Pine</b> #2 2x12's
Number of Jack Studs Required (gravity controlled):
Number of <b>Full Height (King) Studs</b> Required (wind controlled):
(same species / grade as Loadbearing Studs, <i>WFCM</i> Workbook p. 55 (WFCM 3.4.1.4.2))
Using identical procedures: Turical hadroom hadres (2)) $2$ Southern Directory (2) $226$ $226$ $210$
Typical bedroom headers (5). <u>2-500 dillem Fille #2 2x0 s</u>
Number of Full Height (King) Stude Dequired:
(same species / grade as Loadbearing Studs WECM Workbook p. 55 (WECM 3.4.1.4.2))
*Note: WFCM 3.4.1.4.3 allows Jack Studs to be replaced with an equivalent number of Full
Height (King) Studs of same species / grade as Loadbearing Studs on WFCM Workbook p.
55 (WFCM 3.4.1.4.2) if adequate gravity connections are provided.
Exterior Loadbearing Wall Window Sill Plates (WFCM 3.4.1.4.4)
Choose Window Sill Plates from Table 3.23B (p. 193)
Three second gust wind speed: 120 mph Exp. B
Required Snan (Fover Sill Plate):
Selection of Window Sill Plate Specie, Grade, and Size: <u>1-Southern Pine #2 2x6 (flat)</u> (to match wall stud size)
Tabulated Window Sill Plate Span:
Wall Height Adjustment (Footnote $3 - (H/10)^{1/2}$ ):
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Adjusted Maximum Sill Plate Length:
Tabulated maximum sill plate Length ÷ wall Height Adjustment:

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# **Exterior Non-Loadbearing Wall Headers** (WFCM 3.4.1.4.1)

### Choose Headers in Non-Loadbearing Walls from Table 3.23B and 3.23C (p. 193)

Three second gust wind speed:..... 120 mph Exp. B

Required Span:	6	ft.	
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Selection of Header Specie, Grade, and Size:	1-Southern Pine	#2	2x6	(flat)
Tabulated Header Span:			7'-6"	
Wall Height Adjustment (Footnote $3 - (H/10)^{1/2}$ ):			1.0	_
Adjusted Header Span:			7'-8"	
Number of Full Height (King) Studs Required:			3	
(same species / grade as Non-Loadbearing Studs on WFCM)	Workbook p. 55 (WF	CM 3.4	4.1.4.2))	)

### **Exterior Non-Loadbearing Wall Window Sill Plates (WFCM 3.4.1.4.3)**

### Choose Window Sill Plates from Table 3.23B (p. 193)

Three second gust wind speed:	120	_ mph Exp. B
Required Span:	6	_ ft.
Selection of Window Sill Plate Specie, Grade, and Size: <u>1-Southern Pine</u> <u>#2</u> Tabulated Window Sill Plate Span:	2x6 7'-6"	<u>(flat)</u>
Wall Height Adjustment (Footnote $3 - (H/10)^{1/2}$ ):	1.0	<u> </u>
Adjusted Header Span:	7'-8	<mark>"</mark>
Number of Full Height (King) Studs Required:	3	
(same species / grade as Non-Loadbearing Studs on WFCM Workbook p. 55 (WFCM 3	3.4.1.4.2)	))

# Interior Loadbearing Wall Headers (WFCM 3.4.2.4.1)

### Choose Header Table 3.24A (p. 195)

Building Width:		······ <u> </u>	32	_ft.
Required Span:			3	_ft.
Selection of Header Specie, Grade, and Size:	2-Southern Pine	#2	2x6	5's
Maximum Header/Girder Span:			3'-11"	ft.
Number of Jack Studs Required:			1	





# **Wall Sheathing**

### **Sheathing and Cladding** (WFCM 3.4.4.1)

Choose Exterior Wall Sheathing or Cladding from Tables 3.13A and 3.13B respectively (p. 163)

Three second gust wind speed:	120	_ mph Exp. B
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Sheathing Type (wood structural panels, fiberboard, board, hardboard):	WSP	_
Direction Across Studs (Short or Long):	Short	_
Stud Spacing:	16	in.
Minimum Panel Thickness:	3/8	in.
Shear wall minimum panel thickness (WFCM 3.4.4.2):	7/16	in.





**North Elevation** 



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# Exterior Segmented (Type I) Shear walls (WFCM 3.4.4.2)

### Choose Exterior Segmented (Type I) Shear Wall Length from Table 3.17A-D (pp. 169-174)

Wall Height:	10	ft.
Number of Stories Braced (per 3.1.3.1):	2	-
Three second gust wind speed: Maximum shear wall aspect ratio for wind (Table 3.17D):	<u>120</u> 3.5:1	_mph Exp. B
Minimum shear wall segment length (Wall height/aspect ratio):	2.9	ft.
Seismic Design Category: Maximum shear wall aspect ratio for seismic (Table 3.17D Footnote 3):	D1 2:1	-
Minimum shear wall segment length (Wall height/aspect ratio):	5.0	ft.
Minimum WSP sheathing thickness (per WFCM 3.4.4.2):	7/16	_ in.
Minimum gypsum thickness (per WFCM 3.4.4.2):	1/2	1n.

Note: Since the main house is designed as a three story structure and the wings are designed as 2 story structures, the shear walls will be designed as 3 separate structures (see 3.1.3.3c Exception).

		Load P to R	Load Parallel to Ridge		Load Perpendicular to Ridge	
Bu	ilding Wall Elevation	North	South	East (h = 9')	West	
Lei	ngth of Wall – West Wing	16'	16'	32'	32'	HAVE
S	Effective Length of Full Height Sheathing for <b>Seismic</b> $(L_{FHS})$	6.4' <sup>1</sup>	6.7' <sup>1</sup>	28'	26'	
e i s	Tabulated Minimum Length Full Height Sheathing for Seismic Loads perTable 3.17C $(L_s)$ $C_1 = \underline{51}$ $C_2 = \underline{15}$ $L_{max} = \underline{32'}$ $L_{min} = \underline{16'}$	10.6'	10.6'	10.6'	10.6'	PICK
m i	WSP Perimeter Edge Nail Spacing – <b>Seismic</b> (WFCM 3.4.4.2 + 3.4.4.2.1)	3"	3"	6"	6"	riun
c	Shear wall Adjustment per Table 3.17D (Cswa)	0.53	0.53	1.0	1.0	NEEC
	Min. Length Full Ht. Sheathing - Segmented Seismic ( $L_{TypeI-S} = L_s \ge C_{swa}$ )	5.6'	5.6'	10.6'	10.6'	
L <sub>Ty</sub>	/peI-S < L <sub>FHS</sub>	Ok?✔	Ok?✔	Ok?✔	Ok?✔	
	Effective Length of Full Height Sheathing (L <sub>FH</sub> )	8'	10'	28'	26'	HAVE
w	Tabulated Minimum Length Full Height Sheathing for Wind Loads per Table 3.17B and 3.17A $(L_w)$	10.6' <sup>2</sup>	10.6' <sup>2</sup>	7.1' <sup>3</sup>	7.1' <sup>3</sup>	PICK
i	WSP Perimeter Edge Nail Spacing – Wind (WFCM 3.4.4.2)	3"	4"	6"	6"	NEED
n d	Shear wall Adjustment per Table 3.17D (C <sub>swa</sub> )	0.6	0.74	1.0	1.0	
	Wall Height Adjustment (Table 3.17A&B Footnote 2) ( $C_{WH} = 10^{1/8}$ )	1.25	1.25	1.125	1.25	
	Min. Length Full Ht. Sheathing - Segmented Wind $(L_{Typel-W}=L_w(C_{WH})(C_{swa})$	7.9'	9.8'	8.0'	8.9'	
L <sub>Ty</sub>	$\nu_{\rm peI-W} < L_{\rm FH}$	Ok?✔	Ok?✔	Ok?✔	Ok?✔	

<sup>1</sup>Includes a 2w/h reduction for exceeding 2:1 aspect ratio for seismic. See shear wall calculations for bottom story main structure, except h = 10' for North, South & West walls. (w = 4' North) (w = 3'-4'' South).

<sup>2</sup>This is conservative based on design as separate structures (see note on East Wing Segmented shear walls regarding inscribed method). Shielding from the main building is not accounted for in selection of tabulated values. <sup>3</sup>Extrapolated from Table 3.17A

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North wall is wind controlled. East and west walls are seismic controlled (required length), while the south wall is seismic controlled due to the 3" perimeter edge nail spacing.

### **Exterior Perforated (Type II) Shear Walls (WFCM 3.4.4.2)**

Choose Exterior Perforated (Type II) Shear Wall Length from Table 3.17E (p. 175)

			Load F to R	Parallel idge	Load Perpendicular to Ridge	
	Bı	uilding Wall Elevation	North	South	East	West
HAVE	W	all Height	10'	10'	9'	10'
	Μ	ax. Unrestrained Opening Height	8'-4"	4'-6"	7'-6"	4'-6"
	A	ctual Length of Full Height Sheathing (L <sub>FH</sub> )	8'	10'	28'	26'
	a	Effective Length of Full Height Sheathing for <b>Seismic</b> $(L_{FHS})$	6.4' <sup>1</sup>	6.7' <sup>1</sup>	28'	26'
	S e	Length of Wall (L <sub>Wall</sub> )	16'	16'	32'	32'
	i s	Percent Full Height Sheathing ( $L_{FH} / L_{Wall}$ )	50%	63%	88%	81%
	m	Tabulated Min. Length Full Ht. Sheathing-Segmented Seismic $(L_{TypeI-S})$	5.6'	5.6'	10.6'	10.6'
	1 C	Perforated (Type II) Length Increase Factor from Table 3.17E ( $C_L$ )	1.43	1.11	1.08	1.05
NEED		Min. Length Full Ht. Sheathing-Perforated <b>Seismic</b> $(L_{TypeII-S}=L_{TypeI-S}(C_L))$	8.0'	6.2'	11.4'	11.1'
	L	TypeII-S < L <sub>FHS</sub>	Ok?✔	Ok?✔	Ok?✔	Ok?✔
HAVE		Actual Length of Full Height Sheathing (L <sub>FH</sub> )	8'	10'	28'	26'
		Length of Wall (L <sub>Wall</sub> )	16'	16'	32'	32'
	w	Percent Full Height Sheathing ( $L_{FH} / L_{Wall}$ )	50%	63%	88%	81%
	ı n	Tabulated Min. Length Full Ht. Sheathing-Segmented Wind $(L_{TypeI-W})$	7.9'	9.8'	8'	8.9'
	d	Perforated (Type II) Length Increase Factor from Table 3.17E ( $C_L$ )	1.43	1.11	1.08	1.05
NEED		Min. Length Full Ht. Sheathing-Perforated <b>Wind</b> $(L_{TypeII-W} = L_{TypeI-W} (C_L))$	11.3'	10.9'	8.6'	9.4'
	L	TypeII-W < L <sub>FH</sub>	NG	NG	Ok?✔	Ok?✔

<sup>1</sup>Includes a 2w/h reduction for exceeding 2:1 aspect ratio for seismic. See shear wall calculations for bottom story main structure.

North and South walls require design as Segmented (Type I) wall with hold downs around the interior opening. Alternatively, use Table 3.17D (p.174) to increase capacity by changing the *interior* sheathing from gypsum to 7/16" wood structural panels with an edge nail spacing of 3" o.c. giving a length adjustment factor, C<sub>swa</sub>, of 0.35 for wind loads. Since an adjustment factor was used in the Segmented (Type I) shear wall calculations, it will be divided out: North wall (wind controlled): 11.3' / (0.6)\*(0.35) = 6.6' < 8' OK; South wall (wind controlled): 10.9' / (0.74)\*(0.35) = 5.2' < 10' OK

#### **Bottom Story West Wing Shear Wall Details Summary**

Building Elevation	North	South	East	West
Shear Wall Type	Perf	Perf	Perf	Perf
WSP Perimeter Nail Spacing (North wall WSP on both sides)	3"	3"	6"	6"
Governing Load	Wind	Seismic	Seismic	Seismic

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# WFCM Workbook Wall Sheathing (cont'd)

## **Combine Shear Wall Requirements for Main Building and West Wing**

	Adjust Shear Wall Requirements to Common Nailing Pattern		
	Building Wall Elevation	Wind	Seismic
	Segmented (Type I) Shear Wall Requirements – Sheathing Thickness	7/16"	7/16"
REQ'D FROM	Main Building – West Elevation (WSP perimeter edge nail spacing) $(L_{FH1})$	23.0'(4")	20.4'(4")
	Length adjustment factor, C <sub>swal</sub> (Table 3.17D)	0.74	0.69
	Revised Length Adjustment Factor (C <sub>swalrevised</sub> ) (Table 3.17D)	no change	no change
	Length adjustment factor ratio $C_{swal ratio} = C_{swal revised} / C_{swal}$	no change	no change
	Adjusted Shared wall length = $L_{FH1} * C_{swa1 ratio} = L_{FHadj1}$	23.0'(4")	20.4'(4")
REQ'D FROM	West Wing – East Elevation (WSP perimeter edge nail spacing) (L <sub>FH2</sub> )	8.9'(6")	10.6'(6")
CHANGE	Length adjustment factor, C <sub>swa2</sub> (Table 3.17D)	1.0	1.0
REVISED	Revised Length Adjustment Factor (C <sub>swa2revised</sub> ) (Table 3.17D)	0.74	0.69
	Length adjustment factor ratio $C_{swa2 ratio} = C_{swa2 revised} / C_{swa2}$	0.74	0.69
	Adjusted Shared wall length = $L_{FH2} * C_{swa2 ratio} = L_{FHadj2}$	6.6'(4'')	7.9'(4'')
NEED	Adjusted Shared Wall – Total Requirement ( $L_{TypeIadjusted}$ ) = $L_{FHadj1} + L_{FHadj2}$	29.6'	27.7'
HAVE	Actual Length of Full Height Sheathing (L <sub>FH</sub> )	31.0' <sup>1</sup>	31.0' <sup>1</sup>
	$L_{TypeIadjusted} < L_{FH}$	Ok? 🖌	Ok? 🖌
	Perforated (Type II) Shear Wall Requirements		
	Perforated (Type II) Length Increase Factor from Table 3.17E (C <sub>L</sub> )	1.08	1.08
NEED	Min. Length Full Ht. Sheathing-Perforated	31.9'	29.9'
HAVE	(CTypeHadjusted – CTypeIadjusted (CL)) Actual Length of Full Height Sheathing (Leu)	31.0'1	31.0'1
	$L_{\text{TypeIIadjusted}} < L_{\text{FH}}$	Ok? ~	Ok? ✓

Use Table 3.17D (p.174) to increase sheathing capacity. Changing the WSP sheathing edge nail spacing to 4"o.c. on West Wing – East Elevation, gives a length adjustment factor, C<sub>swa</sub>, of 0.74 for wind loads and 0.69 for seismic (previous value of C<sub>swa</sub> for 6"o.c. nail spacing was 1.0 for wind and seismic). (29.6' OK based on conservatism due to progressive rounding. - see Footnote 2 on p.60.)

<sup>1</sup>Actual length including the 3' offset of the wings.

Decreased nail spacing should be considered first to increase Perforated (Type II) shear wall capacity, otherwise try increasing WSP thickness.

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# Wall Sheathing (cont'd)

### **Combine Shear Wall Requirements for Main Building and West Wing**

Bottom Story West Wing Shear Wall Details Summary - Final

Building Elevation	North	South	East	West
Shear Wall Type	Perf	Perf	Perf	Perf
WSP Perimeter Nail Spacing (North wall WSP on both sides)	3"	3"	4"	6"
Governing Load	Wind	Seismic	Wind	Seismic
Shear wall Adjustment per Table 3.17D (C <sub>swa</sub> )	0.35	0.53	0.74	1.0

# **Floor Framing**

Floor Joists (WFCM 3.3.1.1)

Slab on Grade - not applicable

# **Floor Sheathing**

Sheathing Spans (WFCM 3.3.4.1)

Slab on Grade - not applicable

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# Connections

### Lateral Framing and Shear Connections (WFCM 3.2.1)

See Top Story design for wall and roof assembly connection requirements (Workbook p.37).

### Lateral, Shear, and Uplift Connections (WFCM 3.2.1 and 3.2.2)

Wall Assembly to Foundation (WFCM 3.2.1.7 and 3.2.2.3)

Choose Sill or Bottom Plate to Foundation Connection Requirements for Anchor Bolts Resisting Lateral, Shear, and Uplift Loads from Table 3.2A & B (pp. 142-144) and Table 3.3A (p. 147).

Three second gust wind speed:	120	mph Exp. B
Stories supported by Foundation:	2	_
Anchor Bolt Diameter:	5/8	in.

#### Assuming <u>Crawl Space or Basement</u>, determine maximum Anchor Bolt Spacing for common wall portion :

Building Wall Elevation			South	East	West
Shear wall line dimension (L <sub>sw</sub> )				32'	
Building dimension perpendicular to shear wall line (Table 3.2A)				16'	
W i n d	Number of stories receiving <b>wind</b> load (Table 3.2A)			2	
	Tabulated number of bolts to resist shear loads from wind (Table 3.2A)			5	
	Bolt spacing for wind <b>shear</b> loads $s_{ws} = (L_{sw}-2) / (number of bolts-1)$			<b>72''</b> <sup>1, 2, 3</sup>	
	Max. bolt spacing to resist wind <b>uplift</b> loads ( $s_{wu}$ ) (Table 3.2C & 3.4C)			$N/A^4$	

<sup>1</sup>Calculated per *WFCM Commentary* for Table 3.2A

<sup>2</sup>Anchor bolt spacing shall not exceed 6' on center per Table 3.2A Footnote 2.

<sup>3</sup>These anchor bolts will be added to anchor bolt requirements for Main house west wall.

<sup>4</sup>WFCM 3.2.5.3 provision for walls that do not support the roof assembly and are attached according to 3.2.1 need no additional uplift connections.


# Connections (cont'd)

Assuming <u>Slab on Grade</u> ,	determine maximum	Anchor Bolt Spacing	for non-common wall portions:
		· · ·	<b>.</b>

Building Wall Elevation			South	East	West
Sł	ear wall line dimension (L <sub>sw</sub> )	16'	16'	36'	32'
	Number of stories receiving <b>wind</b> load (Table 3.2B)	2	2	2	2
W i	Bolt spacing for wind lateral and shear loads (Table 3.2B)	45"	45"	45"	45"
n d	Wall sheathing type adjustment factor per Table 3.17D (Table 3.2B Footnote 3) (assumes perforated shear wall capacities) $C_{swa}$		0.74	0.74	1.0
	Adjusted bolt spacing for wind <b>lateral</b> and <b>shear</b> loads $(s_{ws})$		33"	33"	45"
	Max. anchor bolt spacing to resist wind <b>uplift</b> loads ( $s_{wu}$ ) (Table 3.2C)		60" <sup>1</sup>	33"	33"
S	Tabulated anchor bolt spacing to resist <b>seismic</b> loads $(s_s)$ (Table 3.3A)	72"	72"	72"	72"
e i s m i c	WSP Perimeter Edge Nail Spacing - Seismic		3"	4"	6"
	Bolt spacing adjustment per Table 3.3A Footnotes (Table 3.17D) ( $C_{swa}$ )		0.53	0.69	1.0
	Adjusted bolt spacing for seismic loads $s_{sa} = (s_s)(C_{swa})$		38"	49"	72" <sup>2</sup>
М	ax. anchor bolt spacing (lesser of $s_{ws}$ , $s_{wu}$ , and $s_{sa}$ )	15"	33"	33''	33"

<sup>1</sup>Calculated from *WFCM* Table 3.4C based on 16" o.c. (horizontal projection) outlooker spacing with 1 wall dead load subtracted (0.6x99plf) and anchor bolt capacity of 1488 lbs from *WFCM Commentary* Table 3.2B.

Table 3.4C 496 lbs x 12"/' / 16" = 372 plf

(372 plf - 60 plf)(32ft) / 1488lbs = 6.7 bolts, so spacing =60" maximum

<sup>2</sup>Anchor bolt spacing shall not exceed 6' on center per Table 3.3A Footnote 5.



## **Connections (cont'd)**

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Alternatively, use proprietary connectors with the following minimum capacities from Table 3.2 (pp. 140-141) and Table 3.3 (pp. 145-146)

 Three second gust wind speed:
 120 mph Exp. B

 Stories supported by Foundation:
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Assuming Slab on Grade, determine required loads for proprietary connectors:

Bı	nilding Wall Elevation	North	South	East	West
Building dimension W or L		16'	16'	32'	32'
R	=L/W or W/L for Table 3.2	0.5	0.5	2	2
	Number of stories receiving lateral wind load (Table 3.2A)		2	2	2
	Wind uplift (Table 3.4C)			496 lbs	496lbs
	Uplift force Spacing			16"	16"
	Wind uplift plf basis			372 plf	372 plf
W	Overhang Reduction (Table 3.4C Footnote 2) $[(2' - OH / 4']^2]$			1.0	1.0
n	Wall Dead Load Reduction <sup>1</sup> ( <u>1</u> walls (0.6)(99plf))			-60	-60
d	Adjusted Wind uplift (Table 3.4C)			312 plf	312 plf
	Wind uplift (Table 3.2(U))	211 plf	211 plf		
	Wind lateral load (Table 3.2(L))	157 plf	157 plf	157 plf	157 plf
	Wind shear load (Table 3.2(S)) <u>411 R</u>	329 plf	329 plf	514 plf	514 plf
	Seismic shear load (Table 3.3) <sup>2</sup> $C_1 = $ $C_2 =$				
	$L_{max} = $ $L_{min} = $ or, $\checkmark$ slab on grade	240 plf	240 plf	240 plf	240 plf
S	Wall Dead Load $w_w$	11 psf	11 psf	11 psf	11 psf
e i	Footnote 4 Wall Dead Load Reduction $R_w = (w_w + 70.65) / 85.65$	0.95	0.95	0.95	0.95
s m i	Footnote 5 Sheathing Adjustment Factor for wall (Table 3.17D) $(C_{swa})$	0.53	0.53	0.69	1.0
c	Adjusted seismic shear load = seismic shear load x $R_w / C_{swa}$	430 plf	430 plf	330 plf	228 plf
	Wall length		16'	32'	32'
	<b>Seismic shear load</b> = adjusted seismic shear load / wall length	<b>430 plf</b>	430 plf	330 plf	228 plf

<sup>1</sup>Refer to *WFCM Commentary* 1.1.2.

<sup>2</sup>See top story main segmented shearwall design for example seismic calculation using  $C_1$  and  $C_2$ . Here, the determination is based on slab-on-grade condition. Note that Table 3.3 limits spacing of exterior shear wall lines to 20 - 80 feet for two stories.

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## **Connections (cont'd)**

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**Uplift Connections** (WFCM 3.2.2)

Wall Assembly to Wall Assembly or Wall Assembly to Foundation (WFCM 3.2.2.2 and 3.2.2.3)

#### West **Building Wall Elevation** North South East Three second gust wind speed 120 mph Exp. B 120 mph Exp. B 16 in. Framing Spacing 16 in. W Roof Span 32 ft. 32 ft. i Tabulated number of 8d Common Nails required in each end of n $4^1$ 4 1-1/4" x 20 gage strap every stud d No Ceiling Assembly nail increase (Footnote 3) 0 Required number of 8d Common Nails in each end of strap every stud 4 \* 3 \* = Tabulated number of nails - Reductions + Increases

<sup>1</sup> calculated using 416 lbs uplift (below) divided by 127 lb/nail per WFCM Supplement Table 6A.

#### \*Alternatively, use proprietary connectors with the following minimum capacities

	<b>Loadbearing Walls</b> - Tabulated minimum uplift connection capacity (Table 3.4, page 149)	441 lbs	
	Interior framing adjustment (Footnote 1)	1.0	
W i n d	Roof dead load reduction (Table 3.4, Footnote 3) = [0.60(20 psf - 15 psf) x 8'-0" x 16"/12"/' = 32 lbs]	-32 lbs	
	Wall-to-Wall and Wall-to-Foundation reduction (Table 3.4, Footnote 4) = $[60 \text{ plf x 1 walls } (16'' / 12'') = 80 \text{ lbs}]$	-80 lbs	
	<b>Non-Loadbearing Walls</b> - Tabulated minimum uplift connection capacity (Table 3.4C, page 152)		496 lbs
	Wall-to-Wall and Wall-to-Foundation reduction (WFCM 3.2.5.3) = $[60 \text{ plf x 1 walls } (16" / 12"/") = 160 \text{ lbs}]$		-80 lbs
	Required minimum capacity of proprietary connector = Tabulated minimum capacity x Adjustments - Reduction	<b>361 lbs</b>	<b>416 lbs</b>



### Choose Wall to Wall Uplift Strap Connection from Table 3.4B (p. 151)



# **Connections (cont'd)**

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### **Overturning Resistance** (WFCM 3.2.3)

#### Hold downs (WFCM 3.2.3.1)

Choose Hold downs from Table 3.17F for Segmented (Type I) and Perforated (Type II) Walls (p. 176)

Building Wall Elevation		North	South	East	West
W	all Height	10'	10'	10'	10'
	WSP Perimeter Edge Nail Spacing - wind	3"	3"	4"	6"
W i	Tabulated hold down connection capacity required – wind $(T_w)$	4360 lbs	4360 lbs	4360 lbs	4360 lbs
n d	Hold down adj. per Table 3.17F Footnotes (Table 3.17D) (C <sub>swa</sub> )		0.60	0.74	1.0
	Adjusted hold down capacity $(T_{wa} = (T_w) / (C_{swa}))$	7267 lbs	7267 lbs	5892 lbs	<b>4360 lbs</b>
S	WSP Perimeter Edge Nail Spacing - seismic	3"	3"	4"	6"
e i	Tabulated hold down connection capacity required – <b>seismic</b> $(T_s)$		2400 lbs	2400 lbs	2400 lbs
s m	Hold down adjustment per Table 3.17F Footnotes (Table 3.17D) ( $C_{swa}$ )		0.53	0.69	1.0
i c	Adjusted hold down capacity $(T_{sa} = (T_s) / (C_{swa}))$	4528 lbs	4528 lbs	3478 lbs	2400 lbs

Since there are 3' offsets at the junction of the main building to the wings, hold down requirements for the building wings will not be added to the requirements for the main building for shared walls.



### **East Wall Elevation**

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## **Connections (cont'd)**

### **Sheathing and Cladding Attachment** (WFCM 3.2.4)

Wall Sheathing (WFCM 3.2.4.2)

#### Choose Wall Sheathing Nail Spacing from Table 3.11 (p. 161)

Three second gust wind speed:..... <u>120</u> mph Exp. B

 Stud Spacing:
 16 in.

 Sheathing Type:
 WSP

Location	Edges	Field
4' Edge Zone	6	12
Interior Zones	6	12

Shear wall sheathing nail spacing requirements control.

### **Special Connections** (WFCM 3.2.5)

Connections around Wall Openings (WFCM 3.2.5.4)	
	Tunical

### .....<u>Typical Window</u>

#### Choose Header/Girder Connections based on loads from Table 3.7 (p. 157)

Three second gust wind speed:	120	_mph Exp. B

Roof Span:	32	ft.	
Header Span (Typical Window):	3	ft.	

#### **Required Connection Capacity at Each End of Header:**

#### Choose Window Sill Plate Connections based on loads from Table 3.8 (p. 157)

Three second gust wind speed:	120	_ mph Exp. B
Window Sill Plate Span:	3	_ ft.

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Description: East Wing

## Wall Framing

### Wall Studs (WFCM 3.4.1.1)

..... Loadbearing

Choose Studs from Table 3.20A or 3.20B and Footnotes (pp. 180-184)

Three second gust wind speed:	120	mph Exp. B
Wall Height:	10	ft.
Sheathing Type:	WSP	_
Studs supporting:	Roof &	Ceiling Only

Selection of Specie, Grade, Size, and Spacing: (Table 3.20B and Footnotes)

Specie	Douglas Fir-Larch	Hem-Fir	Southern Pine	Spruce-Pine-Fir
Spacing	16	16	16	16
Grade	Stud	Stud	Stud	Stud
Size	2x4 <sup>1</sup>	2x4 <sup>1</sup>	2x4 <sup>1</sup>	2x4 <sup>1</sup>
Maximum Length (Wind)	10'-5"	10'-2"	10'-10"	10'-2"
Maximum Length (Dead and Live Loads)	10'-0"	10'-0"	10'-0"	10'-0"

<sup>1</sup>While 2x4s will work, **2x6s will frame consistently with end walls and main building.** 

..... Non-Loadbearing

#### Choose Studs from Table 3.20A or 3.20B and Footnotes (pp. 180-184)

Same as West Wing Design (see *WFCM* Workbook p.55) except wall will balloon to raised ceiling to avoid formation of hinges.



### Top Plates (WFCM 3.4.1.2)

Same as West Wing Design (see Workbook p.56).

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	WFCM Workbook	Description:	East Wing	
W	all Framing (cont'd)			
			oor/Window Ty	<u>pical</u>
Ex	terior Loadbearing Wall Header	rs (WFCM 3.4.1.4.1)		
Cho	oose Headers in Loadbearing Walls from Tabl	les 3.22A-E and Table 3.22F (J	pp. 186-193)	
	Building Width: Required Span (Typical Door/Window): Ground Snow Load:		<u>32</u> ft. <u>3</u> ft. <u>30</u> psf	
	Three second gust wind speed:		<u>120</u> mph 1	Exp. B
Hea	<ul> <li>ader supporting roof and ceiling – use Table 3.</li> <li>Preliminary Header Selection (Gravity Loa</li> <li>Maximum Header/Girder Span (interpolate Tabulated Number of Jack Studs (Table 3.2</li> <li>Roof Span Adjustment (Footnote 1 – (W+1 Adjusted number of jack studs required = ta</li> </ul>	.22a (p. 186)         ds):       2-Southern Pine         d):	<u>#2</u> 2x6's <u>4'-1"</u> <u>2</u> <u>5tud</u> <u>5tud</u> <u>5tud</u> <u>5tud</u>	Double Top Piete Ight Jack Stud
140	Preliminary Header Selection (Wind Loads Maximum Header/Girder Span Tabulated Number of Full Height (King) St (same species / grade as Loadbearing Studs, p.	): <u>2-Southern Pine</u> tuds (Table 3.23C): 68 (WFCM 3.4.1.4.2))		
	Final Selection of Header Specie, Grade, Gravity loads control: Number of Jack Studs Required ( Number of Full Height (King) St (same species / grade as Loadbearing *Note: WFCM 3.4.1.4.3 allows J of Full Height (King) studs of sam Workbook p. 68 (WFCM 3.4.1.4	and Size: <u>2-Southern Pine</u> gravity controlled): uds Required (wind controlled) g Studs, p. 68 (WFCM 3.4.1.4.2)) ack Studs to be replaced with an eq me species / grade as Loadbearing S .2) if adequate gravity connections	<b><u>#2</u>2x6's</b> <b>2*</b> <b>2*</b> <b>2</b> uivalent number Studs on <i>WFCM</i> are provided.	

#### Choose Window Sill Plates from Table 3.23B (p. 193)

Three second gust wind speed: Required Span (Typical Window):	<u> </u>	120 mph 3 ft.	Exp. B
Selection of <b>Window Sill Plate</b> Specie, Grade, and Size: <u>1-Southern Pine</u> Tabulated Window Sill Plate Span: Wall Height Adjustment (Footnote $3 - (H/10)^{1/2}$ ):	#2 	<mark>2x6 (flat)</mark> 7'-6'' 1.0	(to match wall stud size)
Adjusted Maximum Sill Plate Length: Tabulated maximum sill plate Length ÷ wall Height Adjustment:	<u> </u>	<mark>7'-6''</mark> >3'	<u>OK</u>

Job:	WFCM Workbook	Description:	East Wing

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## Wall Framing (cont'd)

.....<u>Master Bath</u>

## Exterior Non-Loadbearing Wall Headers (WFCM 3.4.1.4.1)

Same as West Wing Design (see *WFCM* Workbook p.58)

## **Exterior Non-Loadbearing Wall Window Sill Plates (WFCM 3.4.1.4.3)**

Same as West Wing Design (see *WFCM* Workbook p.58)





## **Wall Sheathing**

### Sheathing and Cladding (WFCM 3.4.4.1)

Choose Exterior Wall Sheathing or Cladding from Tables 3.13A and 3.13B respectively (p. 163)

Three second gust wind speed:	120	_ mph Exp. B
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Sheathing Type (wood structural panels, fiberboard, board, hardboard):	WSP	_
Direction Across Studs (Short or Long):	Short	_
Stud Spacing:	16	in.
Minimum Panel Thickness:	3/8	in.
Shear wall minimum panel thickness (WFCM 3.4.4.2):	7/16	in.





## WFCM Workbook Wall Sheathing (cont'd)

## Exterior Segmented (Type I) Shear Walls (WFCM 3.4.4.2)

#### Choose Exterior Segmented (Type I) Shear Wall Length from Table 3.17A-D (pp. 169-174)

Wall Height:	10	ft.	* Although the
Number of Stories Braced (per 3.1.3.1):	2 *		kitchen ceiling is
			considered an
Three second gust wind speed:	120	mph Exp. B	Attic,
Maximum shear wall aspect ratio for wind (Table 3.17D):	3.5:1		Uninhabitable
Minimum shear wall segment length (Wall height/aspect ratio):	2.9	ft.	(see definition
			WFCM p. 6), the
Seismic Design Category:	D1	_	number of stories
Maximum shear wall aspect ratio for seismic (Table 3.17D Footnote 3):	2:1		can be driven by
Minimum shear wall segment length (Wall height/aspect ratio):	5.0	ft.	the roof slope exceeding 6:12
			(see WFCM
Minimum WSP sheathing thickness (per WFCM 3.4.4.2):	7/16	in.	3.1.3.1 and
Minimum gypsum thickness (per WFCM 3.4.4.2):	1/2	in.	Figure 3.1a), as
		-	in this case.

Note: Since the main house is designed as a three story structure and the wings are designed as 2 story structures, the shear walls will be designed as 3 separate structures (see 3.1.3.3c Exception).

		Load P to R	arallel idge	Load Perp to R	endicular idge	
Bu	Building Wall Elevation		South	East	West (h = 9')	
Le	ngth of Wall – East Wing	16'	16'	32'	32'	HAVE
S	Effective Length of Full Height Sheathing for <b>Seismic</b> $(L_{FHS})$	12.6' <sup>1</sup>	6.7' <sup>1</sup>	19.2' <sup>1</sup>	24.6' <sup>1,2</sup>	
e i s	Tabulated Minimum Length Full Height Sheathing for <b>Seismic</b> Loads per Table 3.17C (L <sub>s</sub> ) $C_1 = \underline{51}$ $C_2 = \underline{15}$ $L_{max} = \underline{32'}$ $L_{min} = \underline{16'}$	10.6'	10.6'	10.6'	10.6'	PICK
m i	WSP Perimeter Edge Nail Spacing – Seismic (WFCM 3.4.4.2)	6"	3"	6"	6"	r iun
c	Shear wall Adjustment per Table 3.17D (Cswa)	1.0	0.53	1.0	1.0	NEEC
	Min. Length Full Ht. Sheathing - Segmented <b>Seismic</b> ( $L_{TypeI-S} = L_s \ge C_{swa}$ )	10.6'	5.6'	10.6'	10.6'	
L	<sub>ypeI-S</sub> < L <sub>FHS</sub>	Ok?✔	Ok?✔	Ok?✔	Ok?✔	
	Effective Length of Full Height Sheathing (L <sub>FH</sub> )	13'	10'	20'	25'	HAVE
w	Tabulated Minimum Length Full Height Sheathing for Wind Loads per Table 3.17B and 3.17A $(L_w)$	10.6' <sup>3</sup>	10.6' <sup>3</sup>	7.1'4	7.1'4	
i n d	WSP Perimeter Edge Nail Spacing – Wind (WFCM 3.4.4.2)	4"	3"	6"	6"	
	Shear wall Adjustment per Table 3.17D (C <sub>swa</sub> )	0.74	0.6	1.0	1.0	
	Wall Height Adjustment (Table 3.17A&B Footnote 2) ( $C_{WH} = 10' / 8'$ )	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.125	
	Min. Length Full Ht. Sheathing-Segmented <b>Wind</b> $(L_{TypeI-W}=L_w(C_{WH})(C_{swa})$	9.8'	8.0'	8.9'	8.0'	NEEC
L	ypeI-W < L <sub>FH</sub>	Ok?✔	Ok?✔	Ok?✔	Ok?✔	

<sup>1</sup>Includes a 2w/h reduction for exceeding 2:1 aspect ratio for seismic. See shear wall calculations for bottom story west wing, where w's are as follows: 4'-6" North, 3'-4" South, 4'-0" East, 4'-0" West.

<sup>2</sup>The segment at the wall offset is part of a longer wall segment. Since the design is based on separate structures, it is considered a 4' segment for design of this wing. This is a conservative assumption and may be relaxed based on engineering judgment.

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## WFCM Workbook Wall Sheathing (cont'd)

#### Description: East Wing

<sup>3</sup>This is a conservative based on design as separate structures. The total length (building and 2 wings) of the North and South walls assuming an inscribed 3-story structure would be 17'-6" with 6" perimeter edge nail spacing. <sup>4</sup>Extrapolated from Table 3.17A.

North and south walls are wind controlled. East and West walls are seismic controlled.

## **Exterior Perforated (Type II) Shear Walls** (WFCM 3.4.4.2)

Choose Exterior Perforated (Type II) Shear Wall Length from Table 3.17E (p. 175)

			Load F to R	Parallel idge	Load Perp to Ri	endicular dge
	Bı	nilding Wall Elevation	North	South	East	West
	W	all Height	10'	10'	10'	9'
	Μ	ax. Unrestrained Opening Height	8'-4"	4'-6"	8'-4"	7'-6"
HAVE	A	ctual Length of Full Height Sheathing (L <sub>FH</sub> )	13'	10'	20'	25'
	a	Effective Length of Full Height Sheathing for <b>Seismic</b> $(L_{FHS})$	12.6' <sup>1</sup>	6.7' <sup>1</sup>	19.2' <sup>1</sup>	24.6' <sup>1,2</sup>
	S e	Length of Wall (L <sub>Wall</sub> )	16'	16'	32'	32'
	i s	Percent Full Height Sheathing ( $L_{FH} / L_{Wall}$ )	81%	63%	63%	78%
	m	Minimum Length Full Height Sheathing - Segmented <b>Seismic</b> $(L_{TypeI-S})$	10.6'	5.6'	10.6'	10.6'
	c	Perforated (Type II) Length Increase Factor from Table 3.17E ( $C_L$ )	1.13	1.11	1.29	1.15
NEED		Min. Length Full Ht. Sheathing-Perforated <b>Seismic</b> $(L_{TypeII-S}=L_{TypeI-S}(C_L))$	12.0'	6.2'	13.7'	12.2'
	L	ypeII-S < L <sub>FHS</sub>	Ok?✔	Ok?✔	Ok?✔	Ok?✔
HAVE	A	ctual Length of Full Height Sheathing (L <sub>FH</sub> )	13'	10'	20'	25'
	Length of Wall (L <sub>Wall</sub> )		16'	16'	32'	32'
	Pe	rcent Full Height Sheathing ( $L_{FH} / L_{Wall}$ )	81%	63%	63%	78%
	w	Minimum Length Full Height Sheathing - Segmented Wind $(L_{TypeI-W})$	9.8'	8.0'	8.9'	8.0'
	i n	Perforated (Type II) Length Increase Factor from Table 3.17E ( $C_L$ )	1.13	1.11	1.29	1.15
NEED	d	Min. Length Full Ht. Sheathing-Perforated Wind $(L_{TypeII-W} = L_{TypeI-W} (C_L))$	11.1'	8.9'	11.5'	9.2'
	L	$_{\rm ypeII-W} < L_{\rm FH}$	Ok?✔	Ok?✔	Ok?✔	Ok?✔

<sup>1</sup>Includes a 2w/h reduction for exceeding 2:1 aspect ratio for seismic. See shear wall calculations for bottom story main structure. <sup>2</sup>The segment at the wall offset is part of a longer wall segment. Since the design is based on separate structures, it is considered a 4' segment for design of this wing. This is a conservative assumption and may be relaxed based on engineering judgment. **East and West walls are seismic controlled. North and south walls are wind controlled (north wall due to 4'' perimeter edge nail spacing).** 

#### Bottom Story East Wing Shear Wall Details Summary

Building Elevation	North	South	East	West
Shear Wall Type	Perf	Perf	Perf	Perf
WSP Perimeter Nail Spacing	4"	3"	6"	6"
Governing Load	Wind	Wind	Seismic	Seismic

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## WFCM Workbook Wall Sheathing (cont'd)

**Combine Shear Wall Requirements for Main Building and East Wing** 

	Adjust Shear Wall Requirements to Common Nailing Pattern			-
	Building Wall Elevation	Wind	Seismic	
	Segmented (Type I) Shear Wall Requirements – Sheathing Thickness	7/16"	7/16"	
REQ'D FROM	Main Building – East Elevation (WSP perimeter edge nail spacing) $(L_{FH1})$	18.6'(3")	20.4'(4")	
	Length adjustment factor, C <sub>swal</sub> (Table 3.17D)	0.60	0.69	
	Revised Length Adjustment Factor (C <sub>swalrevised</sub> ) (Table 3.17D)	no change	0.53	H
	Length adjustment factor ratio $C_{swal ratio} = C_{swal revised} / C_{swal}$	no change	0.77	
	Adjusted Shared wall length = $L_{FH1} * C_{swa1 ratio} = L_{FHadj1}$	18.6'(3")	15.7'(3'')	-
REQ'D FROM	East Wing – West Elevation (WSP perimeter edge nail spacing) $(L_{FH2})$	8.0'(6")	10.6'(6")	
CHANGE	Length adjustment factor, C <sub>swa2</sub> (Table 3.17D)	1.0	1.0	
REVISED	Revised Length Adjustment Factor (C <sub>swa2revised</sub> ) (Table 3.17D)	0.60	0.53	þ
	Length adjustment factor ratio $C_{swa2 ratio} = C_{swa2revised} / C_{swa2}$	0.60	0.53	
	Adjusted Shared wall length = $L_{FH2} * C_{swa2 ratio} = L_{FHadj2}$	4.8'(3'')	5.6'(3'')	-
NEED	Adjusted Shared Wall – Total Requirement ( $L_{TypeIadjusted}$ ) = $L_{FHadj1} + L_{FHadj2}$	23.4'	21.3'	
HAVE	Actual Length of Full Height Sheathing (L <sub>FH</sub> )	28.0' <sup>1</sup>	28.0' <sup>1</sup>	]
	$L_{TypeIadjusted} < L_{FH}$	Ok? 🖌	Ok? 🖌	
	Perforated (Type II) Shear Wall Requirements		·	]
	Perforated (Type II) Length Increase Factor from Table 3.17E (C <sub>L</sub> )	1.15	1.15	1
NEED	Min. Length Full Ht. Sheathing-Perforated	26.9'	24.5'	1
HAVE	$\frac{(L_{TypeIIadjusted} = L_{TypeIadjusted}(C_L))}{Actual Length of Full Height Sheathing (L_{TT})}$	28 0'1	28 0' <sup>1</sup>	1
	$L_{\text{TypeIIadjusted}} < L_{\text{FH}}$	Ok? ✓	Ok? ✓	

Use Table 3.17D p.174) to increase heathing capacity for Main Building and East Wing wall elevations. Changing the WSP heathing edge nail pacing to 3"o.c., gives a length djustment factor, C<sub>swa</sub>, of 0.53 for eismic loads and 0.60 for wind loads. the previous values of C<sub>swa</sub> was 1.0 for " nail spacing for wind and seismic oads, and 0.69 for eismic load for 4" nail spacing).

<sup>1</sup>Actual length including the 3' offset of the wings.

Decreased nail spacing should be considered first to increase Perforated (Type II) shear wall capacity, otherwise try increasing WSP thickness.

This shared wall is wind controlled.

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## Wall Sheathing (cont'd)

### **Combine Shear Wall Requirements for Main Building and East Wing**

Bottom Story East Wing Shear Wall Details Summary - Final

Building Elevation	North	South	East	West
Shear Wall Type	Perf	Perf	Perf	Perf
WSP Perimeter Nail Spacing	4"	3"	6"	3"
Governing Load	Wind	Wind	Seismic	Wind
Shear wall Adjustment per Table 3.17D (C <sub>swa</sub> )	0.74	0.6	1.0	0.60

## **Floor Framing**

Floor Joists (WFCM 3.3.1.1)

Slab on Grade – not applicable

## **Floor Sheathing**

Sheathing Spans (WFCM 3.3.4.1)

Slab on Grade – not applicable

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## Connections

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## Lateral Framing and Shear Connections (WFCM 3.2.1)

See Top Story design for wall and roof assembly connection requirements (Workbook p.37).

### Lateral, Shear, and Uplift Connections (WFCM 3.2.1 and 3.2.2)

Wall Assembly to Foundation (WFCM 3.2.1.7 and 3.2.2.3)

Choose Sill or Bottom Plate to Foundation Connection Requirements for Anchor Bolts Resisting Lateral, Shear, and Uplift Loads from Table 3.2A & B (pp. 142-144) and Table 3.3A (p. 147).

Three second gust wind speed:	120	mph Exp. B
Stories supported by Foundation:	2	
Anchor Bolt Diameter:	5/8	in.

Assuming Crawl Space or Basement, determine maximum Anchor Bolt Spacing for common wall portion :

Bı	nilding Wall Elevation	North	South	East	West
Sł	ear wall line dimension (L <sub>sw</sub> )				32'
Building dimension perpendicular to shear wall line (Table 3.2A)					16'
W i n d	Number of stories receiving <b>wind</b> load (Table 3.2A)				2
	Tabulated number of bolts to resist shear loads from wind (Table 3.2A)				5
	Bolt spacing for wind <b>shear</b> loads $s_{ws} = (L_{sw}-2) / (number of bolts-1)$				<b>72''</b> <sup>1, 2, 3</sup>
	Max. bolt spacing to resist wind <b>uplift</b> loads $(s_{wu})$ (Table 3.2C & 3.4C)				N/A <sup>4</sup>

<sup>1</sup>Calculated per WFCM Commentary for Table 3.2A

<sup>2</sup>Anchor bolt spacing shall not exceed 6' on center per Table 3.2A Footnote 2.

<sup>3</sup>These anchor bolts will be added to anchor bolt requirements for Main house west wall.

<sup>4</sup>WFCM 3.2.5.3 provision for walls that do not support the roof assembly and are attached according to 3.2.1 need no additional uplift connections.



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## **Connections (cont'd)**

Assuming <u>Slab on Grade</u> , determine maximum	Anchor Bolt Spacing for non-common w	all portions:
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Bı	Building Wall Elevation		South	East	West
Sł	ear wall line dimension (L <sub>sw</sub> )	16'	16'	32'	36'
	Number of stories receiving <b>wind</b> load (Table 3.2B)	2	2	2	2
W i	Bolt spacing for wind <b>lateral</b> and <b>shear</b> loads (Table 3.2B)	45"	45"	45"	45"
n d	Wall sheathing type adjustment factor per Table 3.17D (Table 3.2B Footnote 3) (assumes perforated shear wall capacities) $C_{swa}$	0.74	0.60	1.0	0.60
	Adjusted bolt spacing for wind <b>lateral</b> and <b>shear</b> loads $(s_{ws})$	33"	27"	45"	27"
	Max. anchor bolt spacing to resist wind <b>uplift</b> loads $(s_{wu})$ (Table 3.2C)	60" <sup>1</sup>	60" <sup>1</sup>	33"	33"
S	Tabulated anchor bolt spacing to resist <b>seismic</b> loads $(s_s)$ (Table 3.3A)	72"	72"	72"	72"
e i s m i c	WSP Perimeter Edge Nail Spacing - Seismic	4"	3"	6"	3"
	Bolt spacing adjustment per Table 3.3A Footnotes (Table 3.17D) ( $C_{swa}$ )	0.69	0.53	1.0	0.53
	Adjusted bolt spacing for seismic loads $s_{sa} = (s_s)(C_{swa})$	49"	38"	72" <sup>2</sup>	38"
Μ	ax. anchor bolt spacing (lesser of $s_{ws}$ , $s_{wu}$ , and $s_{sa}$ )	33"	27''	33''	27''

<sup>1</sup>Calculated from WFCM Table 3.4C based on 16" o.c. (horizontal projection) outlooker spacing with 1 wall dead load subtracted (0.6x99plf) and anchor bolt capacity of 1488 lbs from WFCM Commentary Table 3.2B.

Table 3.4C 496 lbs x 12"/ / 16" = 372 plf (372 plf - 60 plf)(32ft) / 1488lbs = 6.7 bolts, so spacing =60" maximum

<sup>2</sup>Anchor bolt spacing shall not exceed 6' on center per Table 3.3A Footnote 5.



## **Connections (cont'd)**

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Alternatively, use proprietary connectors with the following minimum capacities from Table 3.2 (pp. 140-141) and Table 3.3 (pp. 145-146)

 Three second gust wind speed:
 120 mph Exp. B

 Stories supported by Foundation:
 2

Assuming Slab on Grade, determine required loads for proprietary connectors:

Bı	nilding Wall Elevation	North	South	East	West
Вι	Building dimension W or L		16'	32'	32'
R	=L/W or W/L for Table 3.2	0.5	0.5	2	2
	Number of stories receiving lateral wind load (Table 3.2A)	2	2	2	2
	Wind uplift (Table 3.4C)			496 lbs	4961bs
	Uplift force Spacing			16"	16"
	Wind uplift plf basis			372 plf	372 plf
W	Overhang Reduction (Table 3.4C Footnote 2) $[(2' - OH / 4']^2]$			1.0	1.0
n	Wall Dead Load Reduction <sup>1</sup> ( <u>1</u> walls (0.6)(99plf))			-60	-60
d	Adjusted Wind uplift (Table 3.4C)			312 plf	312 plf
	Wind uplift (Table 3.2(U))	211 plf	211 plf		
	Wind lateral load (Table 3.2(L))	157 plf	157 plf	157 plf	157 plf
	Wind shear load (Table 3.2(S)) <u>411 R</u>	329 plf	329 plf	514 plf	514 plf
	Seismic shear load (Table 3.3) <sup>2</sup> $C_1 = \_ C_2 =$				
	$L_{max} = $ $L_{min} = $ or, $\checkmark$ slab on grade	240 plf	240 plf	240 plf	240 plf
S	Wall Dead Load $w_w$	11 psf	11 psf	11 psf	11 psf
e i	Footnote 4 Wall Dead Load Reduction $R_w = (w_w + 70.65) / 85.65$	0.95	0.95	0.95	0.95
s m i	Footnote 5 Sheathing Adjustment Factor for wall (Table 3.17D) $(C_{swa})$	0.69	0.53	1.0	0.53
c	Adjusted seismic shear load = seismic shear load x $R_w / C_{swa}$	330 plf	430 plf	228 plf	430 plf
	Wall length	16'	16'	32'	32'
	Seismic shear load = adjusted seismic shear load / wall length	330 plf	430 plf	228 plf	430 plf

<sup>1</sup>Refer to *WFCM Commentary* 1.1.2.

<sup>2</sup>See top story main segmented shearwall design for example seismic calculation using  $C_1$  and  $C_2$ . Here, the determination is based on slab-on-grade condition. Note that Table 3.3 limits spacing of exterior shear wall lines to 20 - 80 feet for two stories.

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# **Connections (cont'd)**

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### **Uplift Connections** (WFCM 3.2.2)

Wall Assembly to Wall Assembly or Wall Assembly to Foundation (WFCM 3.2.2.2 and 3.2.2.3)

#### Choose Wall to Wall Uplift Strap Connection from Table 3.4B (p. 151) **Building Wall Elevation** North South East West Three second gust wind speed 120 mph Exp. B 120 mph Exp. B Framing Spacing 16 in. 16 in. W Roof Span 32 ft. 32 ft. i Tabulated number of 8d Common Nails required in each end of n $4^1$ 4 1-1/4" x 20 gage strap every stud d No Ceiling Assembly nail increase (Footnote 3) 0 Required number of 8d Common Nails in each end of strap every stud 4 \* 3 \* = Tabulated number of nails - Reductions + Increases

calculated using 416 lbs uplift (below) divided by 127 lb/nail per WFCM Supplement Table 6A.

#### \*Alternatively, use proprietary connectors with the following minimum capacities

	<b>Loadbearing Walls</b> - Tabulated minimum uplift connection capacity (Table 3.4, page 149)	441 lbs	
	Interior framing adjustment (Footnote 1)	1.0	
w	Roof dead load reduction (Table 3.4, Footnote 3) = [0.60(20 psf - 15 psf) x 8'-0" x 16"/12"/' = 32 lbs]	-32 lbs	
i n	Wall-to-Wall and Wall-to-Foundation reduction (Table 3.4, Footnote 4) = $[60 \text{ plf x 1 walls } (16'' / 12'') = 80 \text{ lbs}]$	-80 lbs	
d	<b>Non-Loadbearing Walls</b> - Tabulated minimum uplift connection capacity (Table 3.4C, page 152)		496 lbs
	Wall-to-Wall and Wall-to-Foundation reduction (WFCM 3.2.5.3) = $[60 \text{ plf x 1 walls } (16" / 12"/") = 160 \text{ lbs}]$		-80 lbs
	Required minimum capacity of proprietary connector = Tabulated minimum capacity x Adjustments - Reduction	<b>361 lbs</b>	<b>416 lbs</b>





# **Connections (cont'd)**

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### **Overturning Resistance** (WFCM 3.2.3)

Hold downs (WFCM 3.2.3.1)

Choose Hold downs from Table 3.17F for Segmented (Type I) and Perforated (Type II) Walls (p. 176)

B	Building Wall Elevation		South	East	West
W	Wall Height		10'	10'	10'
WSP Perimeter Edge Nail Spacing - wind		4"	3"	6"	3"
W i	Tabulated hold down connection capacity required – wind $(T_w)$	4360 lbs	4360 lbs	4360 lbs	4360 lbs
n d	Hold down adj. per Table 3.17F Footnotes (Table 3.17D) (C <sub>swa</sub> )	0.74	0.60	1.0	0.60
	Adjusted hold down capacity $(T_{wa} = (T_w) / (C_{swa}))$	5892 lbs	7267 lbs	<b>4360 lbs</b>	7267 lbs
S	WSP Perimeter Edge Nail Spacing - seismic	4"	3"	6"	3"
e i	Tabulated hold down connection capacity required – seismic $(T_s)$	2400 lbs	2400 lbs	2400 lbs	2400 lbs
s m	Hold down adjustment per Table 3.17F Footnotes (Table 3.17D) ( $C_{swa}$ )	0.69	0.53	1.0	0.53
i c	Adjusted hold down capacity $(T_{sa} = (T_s) / (C_{swa}))$	3478 lbs	4528 lbs	2400 lbs	4528 lbs

Since there are 3' offsets at the junction of the main building to the wings, hold down requirements for the building wings will not be added to the requirements for the main building for shared walls.



**West Wall Elevation** 

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Description: East Wing

## **Connections (cont'd)**

## **Sheathing and Cladding Attachment** (WFCM 3.2.4)

Wall Sheathing (WFCM 3.2.4.2)

Same as West Wing design (see Workbook p.69).

## **Special Connections** (WFCM 3.2.5)

Connections around Wall Openings (WFCM 3.2.5.4)

Same as West Wing design (see Workbook p.69).

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Description: East Wing

Notes

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# **BUILDING DESCRIPTION**

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## **BUILDING DESCRIPTION**

**Bottom Floor Plan** 



### **Openings**

Windows Typical Master Bath Foyer Kitchen North Bath

Doors Typical Master Bedroom Foyer Family Room

#### **Top Floor Plan**

First Floor Wall Height	=	Roof Pitch	=			
Second Floor Wall Height	=	House Mean Roof Height	=			
Finished Grade to Foundation Top	=					
Floor Assembly Height	=	Wing Mean Roof Height	=			
Overall Building Dimension	=					
Foundation Type	=	Roof Overhang Distance	=			
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# LOADS ON THE BUILDING

Structural systems in the WFCM 2001Edition have been sized using dead, live, snow, seismic and wind loads in accordance with the 2000 International Building Code.

#### Lateral Loads:

#### Wind:

3-second gust wind speed in Exposure Category	=
Seismic:	
Seismic Design Category (SDC)	=
Short period design spectral response acceleration (S <sub>DS</sub> )	=
One second period design spectral response acceleration $(S_{D1})$	=
Seismic response coefficient (C <sub>s</sub> )	=

### **Gravity Loads:**

#### Roof:

Roof Dead Load	:	=		_psf
Roof Snow Load				
Ground Snow Load,	P <sub>g</sub> =	=		_psf
Flat Roof Snow Load (calculated from ASCE 7-98 – s WFCM Commentary Table 2.14B) = $1.5(0.7)P_g C_e C_t I$				
= (1.5)(0.7)(		Д	)	

#### <u>Floors:</u>

First Floor Live Load	=	psf
Second Floor Live Load	=	psf
Attic Floor Live Load	=	psf
Floor Dead Load	=	psf

#### Walls:

Wall Dead Load = \_\_\_\_psf

#### **Displacements:**

Roof Rafters with Ceiling Attached	$L/\Delta =$
Roof Rafters with no Ceiling Attached	$L/\Delta =$
Floor Joists	$L/\Delta =$

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# WFCM APPLICABILITY LIMITATIONS (p. 2)

The following table is used to determine whether the building geometry is within the applicability limitations of the *WFCM*. Conditions not complying with the limitations shall be designed in accordance with accepted engineer practice (see *WFCM* 1.1.3).

Attribute		Limitation	Design Case	✓
	BUILDING DIME	NSIONS	-	-
Number of Stories	maximum	3		
Roof Slope	minimum	Flat		
	maximum	12:12		
Mean Roof Height (MRH)	maximum	33'		
Building Dimension (L or W)	minimum			
	maximum	80'		
Building Aspect Ratio (L/W)	minimum	1:4		
	maximum	4:1		

Description:

## **PRESCRIPTIVE DESIGN LIMITATIONS (p. 106)**

The following table is used to determine whether the building geometry is within the applicability limitations of the *WFCM* Chapter 3 prescriptive provisions. Conditions not complying with the limitations shall be designed in accordance with *WFCM* Chapter 2 (see *WFCM* 3.1.3).

Element	Attribute	Limitation	Design Ca	se 🗸	
	FLOOR SYSTEMS				
Lumber	Joist Span	26' maximum			
Joists	Joist Spacing	24" maximum			
	Cantilevers/Setback - Supporting loadbearing walls	d <sup>1</sup> maximum			
	or shearwalls				
	Cantilevers - Supporting non-loadbearing wall non-	L/4 maximum			
	shearwall				
Floor	Vertical Floor Offset	d <sub>f</sub> maximum			
Diaphragms	Floor Diaphragm Aspect Ratio	3:1 maximum			
	Floor Diaphragm Openings	Lesser of 12' or 50% of Dia	ì.		
		Dimension			
	WALL SYSTEMS				
Wall Studs	Loadbearing Wall Height	10' maximum			
	Non-Loadbearing Wall Height	20' maximum			
	Wall Stud Spacing	24" maximum			
Shearwalls	Shearwall Line Offset	4' maximum			
	Shearwall Story Offset	d maximum			
	Shearwall Segment Aspect Ratio	3 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> :1 maximum <sup>2</sup>			
	ROOF SYSTEMS				
Lumber	Rafter Span (Horizontal Projection)	26 <sup>2</sup> maximum			
Rafters	Rafter Spacing	24" maximum			
	Eave Overhang Length	Lesser of 2' or rafter length	/3		
	Rake Overhang Length	Lesser of 2' or purlin span/2	2		
	Roof Slope	12:12 maximum			
Roof	Roof Diaphragm Aspect Ratio	3:1 maximum			
Diaphragms					

<sup>1</sup> Exception: For roof live loads and ground snow loads less than or equal to 20 psf and 30 psf, respectively, lumber floor joist cantilevers supporting load-bearing walls shall not exceed one-eighth of the backspan when supporting only a roof load where the roof clear span does not exceed 28 feet.

<sup>2</sup>Shear wall segment aspect ratios are limited to 2:1 for seismic loads (Table 3.17D Footnote 3). 2003 International Building Code (IBC) Table 2305.3.3 footnote a., permits a 2w/h reduction for shear walls not meeting maximum shear wall aspect ratio of 2:1 for seismic loads.

<sup>3</sup> For roof snow loads, tabulated spans are limited to 20 ft. to account for unbalanced snow loading in the table.

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## **WFCM 3.2 CONNECTIONS CHECKLIST**

## **3.2.1 LATERAL FRAMING AND SHEAR CONNECTIONS**

3.2.1.1 Roof Assembly	Ok? 🗖
3.2.1.2 Roof Assembly to Wall Assembly	Ok? 🗖
3.2.1.3 Wall Assembly	Ok? 🗖
3.2.1.4 Wall Assembly to Floor Assembly	Ok? 🗖
3.2.1.5 Floor Assembly	Ok? 🗖
3.2.1.6 Floor Assembly to Wall Assembly or Sill Plate	Ok? 🗖
3.2.1.7 Wall Assembly or Sill Plate to Foundation	Ok? 🗖

## **3.2.2 UPLIFT CONNECTIONS**

3.2.2.1 Roof Assembly to Wall Assembly	Ok? 🗖
3.2.2.2 Wall Assembly to Wall Assembly	Ok? 🗖
3.2.2.3 Wall Assembly to Foundation	Ok? 🗖

## **3.2.3 OVERTURNING RESISTANCE**

3.2.3.1 HolddownsOk?
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## **3.2.4 SHEATHING AND CLADDING ATTACHMENT**

3.2.4.1 Roof Sheathing	Ok? 🗖
3.2.4.2 Wall Sheathing	Ok? 🗖
3.2.4.3 Floor Sheathing	Ok? 🗖
3.2.4.4 Roof Cladding	Ok? 🗖
3.2.4.5 Wall Cladding	Ok? 🗖

## **3.2.5 SPECIAL CONNECTIONS**

3.2.5.1 Ridge Straps	Ok? 🗖
3.2.5.2 Jack Rafters	Ok? 🗖
3.2.5.3 Non-Loadbearing Wall Assemblies	Ok? 🗖
3.2.5.4 Connections around Wall Openings	Ok? 🗖

# WFCM 3.3 FLOOR SYSTEMS CHECKLIST

## 3.3.1 WOOD JOIST SYSTEMS

3.3.1.1	Floor Joists	Ok? 🗖		
	3.3.1.1.1 Notching and Boring	Ok? 🗖		
3.3.1.2	Bearing	Ok? 🗖		
3.3.1.3	End Restraint	Ok? 🗖		
3.3.1.4	Lateral Stability	Ok? 🗖		
3.3.1.5	Single or Continuous Floor Joists			
	3.3.1.5.1 Supporting Loadbearing Walls	Ok? 🗖		
	3.3.1.5.2 Supporting Non-Loadbearing Walls	Ok? 🗖		
	3.3.1.5.3 Supporting Concentrated Loads	Ok? 🗖		
3.3.1.6	Cantilevered Floor Joists			
	3.3.1.6.1 Supporting Loadbearing Walls	Ok? 🗖		
	3.3.1.6.2 Supporting Non-Loadbearing Walls	Ok? 🗖		
3.3.1.7	Floor Diaphragm Openings	Ok? 🗖		
3.3.2 WOOD I-JOIST SYSTEMS				
3.3.3 WOO	D FLOOR TRUSS SYSTEMS	Ok? 🗖		

### **3.3.4 FLOOR SHEATHING**

3.3.4.1 Sheathing Spans		Ok? 🗖
3.3.4.2 Sheathing Edge Suppo	ort	Ok? 🗖

## 3.3.5 FLOOR DIAPHRAGM BRACING

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# **WFCM 3.4 WALL SYSTEMS CHECKLIST**

## **3.4.1 EXTERIOR WALLS**

3.4.1.1	Wood Studs	. Ok? 🗖
	3.4.1.1.1 Notching and Boring	. Ok? 🗖
	3.4.1.1.2 Stud Continuity	. Ok? 🗖
	3.4.1.1.3 Corners	. Ok? 🗖
3.4.1.2	Top Plates	. Ok? 🗖
3.4.1.3	Bottom Plates	. Ok? 🗖
3.4.1.4	Wall Openings	
	3.4.1.4.1 Headers	. Ok? 🗖
	3.4.1.4.2 Full Height Studs	. Ok? 🗖
	3.4.1.4.3 Jack Studs	. Ok? 🗖
	3.4.1.4.4 Window Sill Plates	. Ok? 🗖

## **3.4.2 INTERIOR LOADBEARING PARTITIONS**

3.4.2.1	Wood Studs	Ok? 🗖
	3.4.2.1.1 Notching and Boring	Ok? 🗖
	3.4.2.1.2 Stud Continuity	Ok? 🗖
3.4.2.2	Top Plates	Ok? 🗖
3.4.2.3	Bottom Plates	Ok? 🗖
3.4.2.4	Wall Openings	
	3.4.2.4.1 Headers	Ok? 🗖
	3.4.2.4.2 Studs Supporting Header Beams	Ok? 🗖

## **3.4.3 INTERIOR NON-LOADBEARING PARTITIONS**

3.4.3.1	Wood Studs	Ok? 🗖
	3.4.3.1.1 Notching and Boring	Ok? 🗖
3.4.3.2	Top Plates	Ok? 🗖
3.4.3.3	Bottom Plates	Ok? 🗖

## **3.4.4 WALL SHEATHING**

3.4.4.1	Sheathing and Cladding	. Ok? 🗖
3.4.4.2	Exterior Shearwalls	. Ok? 🗖
	3.4.4.2.1 Sheathing Type Adjustments	. Ok? 🗖
	3.4.4.2.2 Perforated Shearwall Adjustments	. Ok? 🗖
	3.4.4.2.3 Holddowns	. Ok? 🗖

# WFCM 3.5 ROOF SYSTEMS CHECKLIST

### 3.5.1 Wood Rafter Systems

	3.5.1.1	Rafters	Ok? 🗖
		3.5.1.1.1 Jack Rafters	Ok? 🗖
		3.5.1.1.2 Rafter Overhangs	Ok? 🗖
		3.5.1.1.3 Rake Overhangs	Ok? 🗖
		3.5.1.1.4 Notching and Boring	Ok? 🗖
	3.5.1.2	Bearing	Ok? 🗖
	3.5.1.3	End Restraint	Ok? 🗖
	3.5.1.4	Ridge Beams	Ok? 🗖
	3.5.1.5	Hip and Valley Beams	Ok? 🗖
	3.5.1.6	Ceiling Joists	Ok? 🗖
	3.5.1.7	Open Ceilings	Ok? 🗖
	3.5.1.8	Roof Openings	Ok? 🗖
3.5.2	Wood	l I-Joist Roof Systems	Ok? 🗖
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<b>3.5.3 Wood Roof Truss</b>	Systems	 	Ok? 🗖

### 3.5.4 Roof Sheathing

3.5.4.	1 Sheathing	Ok? 🗖
3.5.4.	2 Sheathing Edge Support	Ok? 🗖

3.5.5 Roof Diaphragm Bracing	k? 🗖
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# **Roof and Ceiling Framing Details**

**Cross Section** 

**Roof Framing** 

**Ceiling Framing** 

# **Roof Framing**

### **Rafters** (WFCM 3.5.1.1)

#### Assuming ceiling not attached to rafters, choose rafters from Table 3.26A and 3.26C (pp. 200 and 202)

Ground Snow Load:	psf psf psf mph Exp
Rafter Vertical Displacement $L/\Delta$ :	
Required Span (Horizontal Projection):	ft.
Thrust Factor (Footnote 1):	$\bigcirc$
Wind Factor (Footnote 2):	(2)
Sloped Roof Adjustment (Footnote 3):	_ 3

## Selection of Species, Grade, Size, and Spacing: (Table 3.26A & C)

	Species				
	Spacing				
	Grade				
(4)	Table 3.26A Span				
	<b>Live</b> Load Span $(4) \times (1) \times (3)$				
5	Table 3.26A Span				
	Wind Load Span $(5) \times (2) \times (3)$				
6	Table 3.26C Span				
	Snow Load Span				

Job:\_

Description:

## **Roof Framing - Ridge Members**

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### Ridge Beams (WFCM 3.5.1.4)

Since thrust is accounted for in rafter selection, per 3.5.1.4 exception use: \_\_\_\_\_\_Ridge Board \_\_\_\_\_\_\_Ridge Board \_\_\_\_\_\_\_Ridge Board \_\_\_\_\_\_Ridge Board \_\_\_\_

#### <u>OR</u>

A **ridge beam** could be designed per Tables 3.29A and B (pp. 211-212). Additional columns would be required to establish load path to the foundation.

Ground Snow Load:	psf	
Live Load:	psf	
Dead Load:	psf	
Required Span:	ft.	
Building Width:	ft.	
Per Table 3.29A (interpolated):		Glulam
Per Table 3.29B (interpolated):		Glulam

#### <u>OR</u>

A **ridge beam** could be designed per Table 2.16 (p. 103) since the span exceeds values shown in Table 3.29A and B (pp. 211-212). Additional columns would be required to establish load path to the foundation.

Ground Snow Load:	psf
Live Load:	psf
Dead Load:	psf
Required Span:	 ft.
Building Width:	ft.
Tabulated Load:	 plf

From the 2001 ASD Manual Glulam Supplement Table 7.2 choose:

Description:

## **Ceiling Framing**

### Ceiling Joists (WFCM 3.5.1.6)

For <u>uninhabitable attics with limited storage</u> live load, choose ceiling joists from Table 3.25A or B (pp. 198-199):

Live Load:	psf
Dead Load:	psf
Joist Vertical Displacement $L/\Delta$ :	
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Required Span:	f	t.
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Selection of Specie, Grade, Size, and Spacing: (Table 3.25A or B)

Specie		
Spacing		
Grade		
Size		
Maximum Span		

### Floor Joists (WFCM 3.3.1.1)

For <u>habitable attics</u>, use residential sleeping area with 30 psf live load, choose ceiling joists from Table 3.18A (p. 177):

Live Load:	psf
Dead Load:	psf
Joist Vertical Displacement $L/\Lambda$ .	1
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Required Span: \_\_\_\_\_\_ft.

Selection of Specie, Grade, Size, and Spacing: (Table 3.18A)

Specie		
Spacing		
Grade		
Size		
Maximum Span		

Job:

Description:

# **Ceiling Framing**

### Ceiling Joists (WFCM 2.5.1.6)

For <u>uninhabitable attics without storage</u>, choose ceiling joists from Table 2.12A (p. 88), as an alternative solution process.

Live Load:	psf
Dead Load:	psf
Joist Vertical Displacement $L/\Delta$ :	I

Required Span: \_\_\_\_\_\_ft.

Required E and F<sub>b</sub> at \_\_\_\_\_"o.c. joist spacing for \_\_\_\_\_' span from Table 2.12A:

Size		
Required E		psi
Required F <sub>b</sub>		psi

Select Grade from WFCM Table 4A and 4B based on required E and F<sub>b</sub> above:

	Specie		
	Size & Grade		
GTRIAL AND S ERROR	Tabulated E, psi		
	Tabulated F <sub>b</sub> , psi		
	Size Factor, C <sub>F</sub>		
	Load Duration Factor, $C_D$		
	Repetitive Member Factor, C <sub>r</sub>		
	Allowable F <sub>b</sub> , psi		

Adjustment factors for Table 4A are found on *WFCM* p. 279-280. Adjustment factors for Table 4B are found on *WFCM* p. 286-287.

Description:

## **Roof and Ceiling Sheathing**

### Sheathing (WFCM 3.5.4.1)

#### Choose Roof Sheathing from Tables 3.12A and 3.12B (p. 162)

Ground Snow Load Live Load Dead Load Three second gust windspeed:	psf psf psf mph Exp
Rafter/Truss Spacing:     Sheathing Type:	in.
Tabulated Minimum Panel Thickness:      From Table 3.12A:      From Table 3.12B:	_ in. _ in.

### **Roof Diaphragm Bracing** (WFCM 3.5.5)

Blocking in first two rafter bays per Figure 3.7b (p. 127) and Table 3.1 (p. 139) fastener schedule. Blocking to Joist (toenailed):



#### <u>OR</u>

#### Bracing Gable Endwall with Attic Floor/Ceiling Sheathing Length from Table 3.15 (p. 165) (assumes windward and leeward loads and sheathing length from gable end to gable end)

Fastest Mile Windspeed:	mph	Exp
Dianhragm Snan.	ft	
Sheathing Type:		
	0	
Tabulated Minimum Length of Attic Floor/Ceiling Diaphragm:	ft.	
Bracing One Gable End Adjustment (Footnote 1):		
Wall Height Adjustment (Footnote 3):		
Ceiling Framing Spacing Adjustment (Footnote 5):		
	M	lin sheathing length
Required Minimum Length of Attic Floor/Ceiling Diaphragm:		
Tabulated Minimum Length x Applicable Adjustment Factors:	ft.	Her / Solary Based Based Based Based
Tabulated minimum length $\geq 1/3$ distance between bracing endwalls	ft.	
(per Table 3 15 Footnote 1)		
Use Table 3.1 (p.139) fastener schedule for floor sheathing.		J.

Use Table 3.1 (p.139) fastener schedule for floor sheathing.
## **Connections – Roof Lateral, Shear, Uplift**

Lateral Framing and Shear Connections (WFCM 3.2.1)

Roof Assembly to Wall Assembly (WFCM 3.2.1.2)

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### Choose Rafter/Ceiling Joist to Top Plate Lateral and Shear Connection from Table 3.4A (p. 150)

Three second gust windspeed: \_\_\_\_\_ mph Exp. \_\_\_\_



#### Required number of 8d Common Nails



## **Uplift Connections (WFCM 3.2.2)**

Roof Assembly to Wall Assembly (WFCM 3.2.2.1)

### Choose Roof to Wall Uplift Strap Connection from Table 3.4B (p. 151)

B	nilding Wall Elevation	North	South	East	West
	Three second gust wind speed				
	Framing Spacing				
W i	Roof Span				
n d	Minimum tabulated number of 8d Common Nails required in each end of $1-1/4$ " x 20 gage strap every rafter / stud				
u	No Ceiling Assembly nail increase (Footnote 3)				
	Minimum required number of <b>8d Common Nails in each end of strap</b> every rafter / stud = Tabulated number of nails - Reductions + Increases				

<sup>1</sup> calculated using \_\_\_\_\_ lbs uplift (below) divided by \_\_\_\_\_ lb/nail per *WECM Supplement* Table 6A.



## **Connections – Roof Lateral, Shear, Uplift (cont'd)**

Alternatively, use proprietary connectors every rafter with the following minimum capacities from Table 3.4 (pp. 148-149)

	<b>Loadbearing Walls</b> - Tabulated minimum uplift connection capacity (Table 3.4, page 149)	
	Interior framing adjustment (Footnote 1)	
	Roof-to-Wall reduction (Table 3.4, Footnote 3) = $[0.60(\_psf-15 psf) x \' x \' / 12 "/' = \lbs]$	
W i	<b>Non-Loadbearing Walls</b> - Tabulated minimum uplift connection capacity (Table 3.4C, page 152)	
n d	Overhang Multiplier (Table 3.4C, Footnote 2) $[(2' + OH) / 4']^2$ OH ='	
	Zone 2 Multiplier (Table 3.4C, Footnote 3)	
	Required Minimum <b>Uplift</b> Capacity of proprietary connector = Tabulated minimum capacity x Adjustments - Reduction	
	Required Minimum Lateral Capacity	
	Required Minimum Shear Parallel to Ridge Capacity	
	Required Minimum Shear Perpendicular to Ridge Capacity	



## **Connections – Roof Sheathing, Ridge**

### **Sheathing and Cladding Attachment** (WFCM 3.2.4)

Roof Sheathing (WFCM 3.2.4.1)

#### Choose Roof Sheathing Nail Spacing from Table 3.10 (p. 160)

Three second gust windspeed: ...... mph Exp. \_\_\_\_\_ mph Exp. \_\_\_\_\_

 Rafter/Truss Spacing:
 \_\_\_\_\_\_in.

 Sheathing Type:
 \_\_\_\_\_\_in.

	Nail Spacing 8d Common Nails		
Location	Edges Field		
4' Perimeter Edge Zone			
Interior Zones			
Gable Endwall Rake with Lookout Block			

\* see 2001 WFCM Figure 2.1 p. 34 for nailing details. Perimeter edge zone nailing of 6" permitted for edges and field per Figure 2.1g.

### **Special Connections** (WFCM 3.2.5)

Ridge Straps (WFCM 3.2.5.1)

For a clean finished ceiling line, rather than using collar ties to resist upward ridge separation, choose Ridge Tension Strap Connection from Table 3.6A (p. 156)

Three second gust windspeed:	_ mph Exp
Roof Pitch:	ft.
Tabulated number of 8d Common Nails required in each end of 1-1/4" x 20 gage strap: Ridge Strap Spacing Adjustment (Footnote 4):	
Required number of <b>8d Common Nails in each end of 1-1/4'' x 20 gage strap</b> : Tabulated number of nails x Applicable adjustment factors:	*
Ridge Ridge Acceeding 7/12.	

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## **Connections – Roof Heels**

* Alternatively, use proprietary connectors with the following minimum capacity from Tab	ole 3.6 (p. 155)
Tabulated minimum connection capacity:	_
Ridge Strap Spacing Adjustment (Footnote 4):	
Required minimum capacity of proprietary connector:	
Tabulated minimum capacity x Applicable adjustment factors:	lbs

## Table 3.1 Nailing Schedule

Choose Ceiling Joist to Parallel Rafter and Ceiling Joist Lap Connection from Table 3.9A (p. 159)

Ground Snow Load:	psf
Roor Span	II. in.
Tabulated number of 16d Common Nails required per heel joint splice:         Clinched Nails Adjustment (Footnote 1):         Ceiling Height/Roof Ridge Height Adjustment (Footnote 6):	
Required number of <b>16d Common Nails</b> per heel joint splice: Tabulated number of nails x Applicable adjustment factors: Required number of nails at splice (Footnote 4):	*
CEILING JOIST RAATIER	
*Alternatively, use proprietary connectors with the following minimum capacity from Ta	ble 3.9 (p. 158)
Tabulated minimum connection capacity:         Ceiling Height/Roof Ridge Height Adjustment (Footnote 5):	
Required minimum capacity of proprietary connector: Tabulated minimum capacity x Applicable adjustment factors:	lbs
Blocking to Rafter Connection from Table 3.1 (p. 139):	
<u>OR</u>	
Rim Board to Rafter Connection from Table 3.1 (p. 139):	

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## Wall Framing - Studs

### **Wall Studs** (WFCM 3.4.1.1)

Loadbearing

Choose Studs from Table 3.20A or 3.20B and Footnotes (pp. 180-184)

Three second gust wind speed:	mph Exp
Wall Height:	ft.
Sheathing Type (wood structural panel or minimum sheathing):	
Studs supporting:	

Selection of Specie, Grade, Size, and Spacing: (Table 3.20B and Footnotes)

Specie		
Spacing		
Grade		
Size		
Maximum Length (Wind)		
Maximum Length (Dead and Live Loads)		

#### Choose Studs from Table 3.20A or 3.20B and Footnotes (pp. 180-184)

Three second gust wind speed: ...... mph Exp. \_\_\_\_\_ mph Exp. \_\_\_\_\_ Wall Height: \_\_\_\_\_\_ft. Sheathing Type (wood structural panel or minimum sheathing):.....

Selection of Specie, Grade, Size, and Spacing: (Table 3.20B and Footnotes)

Specie		
Spacing		
Grade		
Size		
Maximum Length (Wind)		
Maximum Length (Dead and Live Loads)		

## Wall Framing – Top Plates

### Top Plates (WFCM 3.4.1.2)







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# Wall Framing - Exterior Headers, Sills

## **Exterior Loadbearing Wall Headers (WFCM 3.4.1.4.1)**

Choose Headers in Loadbearing Walls from Tables 3.22A-E and Table 3.22F (pp. 186-193)

Building Width: Required Span (Foyer Window): Ground Snow Load: Three second gust wind speed:	ft. ft. psf mph Exp
Header supporting roof, ceiling and attic floor – use Table 3.22B (p. 187)	Double Top Plate
Preliminary Header Selection (Gravity Loads): Maximum Header/Girder Span (interpolated): Tabulated Number of Jack Studs (Table 3.22F): Boof Span Adjustment (Footnote 1 – (W+12)/48):	Full Height Jack Stud
Adjusted number of jack studs required = tabulated x roof span adjustment: Table 3.23A (n. 192)	Window Sill Plate
Preliminary Header Selection (Wind Loads): Maximum Header/Girder Span Tabulated Number of Full Height (King) Studs (Table 3.23C): Reduced Full Height Stud Requirements (Table 3.23D): (same species / grade as Loadbearing Studs (WFCM 3.4.1.4.2))	Bottom Plate
Final Selection of Header Specie, Grade, and Size:        loads control:        Number of Jack Studs Required (controlled):         Number of Full Height (King) Studs Required (controlled):         (same species / grade as Loadbearing Studs (WFCM 3.4.1.4.2))	

## Exterior Loadbearing Wall Window Sill Plates (WFCM 3.4.1.4.4)

Choose Window Sill Plates from Table 3.23B (p. 193)

Three second gust wind speed:	mph Exp. B ft.
Selection of <b>Window Sill Plate</b> Specie, Grade, and Size:	
Adjusted Maximum Sill Plate Length: Tabulated maximum Sill Plate Length ÷ wall Height Adjustment:	_

Job:\_\_\_\_\_ Description:\_\_\_\_\_

## Wall Framing – Exterior Headers, Sills (cont'd)

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### **Exterior Non-Loadbearing Wall Headers (WFCM 3.4.1.4.1)**

Note: When headers support wall loads only, it is conservative to use the tabulated value for a header supporting a roof and ceiling with a 12' roof span and 20psf live load.

#### Choose Headers in Non-Loadbearing Walls from Table 3.23B and 3.23C (p. 193)

Three second gust wind speed:	mph Exp. B
Required Span:	ft.
Selection of Header Specie, Grade, and Size:	
Tabulated Header Span:	
Wall Height Adjustment (Footnote $3 - (H/10)^{1/2}$ ):	
Adjusted Header Span:	
Number of Full Height (King) Studs Required:	
(same species / grade as Non-Loadbearing Studs (WFCM 3.4.1.4.2))	

### **Exterior Non-Loadbearing Wall Window Sill Plates (WFCM 3.4.1.4.3)**

### **Choose Window Sill Plates from Table 3.23B (p. 193)**

Three second gust wind speed:	_mph Exp. B
Required Span:	_ ft.
Selection of Window Sill Plate Specie, Grade, and Size:	
Tabulated Window Sill Plate Span:	
Wall Height Adjustment (Footnote $3 - (H/10)^{1/2}$ ):	_
Adjusted Header Span:	-
Number of Full Height (King) Studs Required:	_
(same species / grade as Non-Loadbearing Studs (WFCM 3.4.1.4.2))	

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# **Wall Framing – Interior Headers**

Interior Loadbearing Wall Headers (WFCM 3.4.2.4.1)			
Choose Header Table 3.24A (p. 195)			
Building Width:	ft.		
Required Span:	ft.		
Selection of Header Specie, Grade, and Size: Maximum Header/Girder Span: Number of Jack Studs Required:	ft.		

## Sheathing and Cladding (WFCM 3.4.4.1)

Choose Exterior Wall Sheathing or Cladding from Tables 3.13A and 3.13B respectively (p. 163)

Three second gust wind speed:	mph Exp.
Sheathing Type:	
Direction Across Studs (Short or Long):	
Stud Spacing:	in.
Minimum Panel Thickness:	in.
Shear wall minimum panel thickness (WFCM 3.4.4.2):	in.



**North Elevation** 

= \_\_\_\_\_ ft. long = L<sub>FH</sub>

**South Elevation** 



**East Elevation** 

 $\blacksquare$  = \_\_\_\_\_ ft. long = L<sub>FH</sub>

West Elevation

# Wall Sheathing – Segmented Shear Walls

## **Exterior Type I Shear walls (WFCM 3.4.4.2)**

Choose Exterior Type I Shear Wall Length from Table 3.17A-D (pp. 169-174)

Wall Height:	ft.
Three second gust wind speed:	mph Exp
Maximum shear wall aspect ratio for wind (Table 3.17D):	
Minimum shear wall segment length (Wall height/aspect ratio):	ft.
Seismic Design Category:	_
Minimum shear wall segment length (Wall height/aspect ratio):	<u>ft.</u>
Minimum WSP sheathing thickness (per WFCM 3.4.4.2):	in.
Minimum gypsum thickness (per WFCM 3.4.4.2):	in.

			Load I to R	Parallel idge	Load Perj to R	pendicular Lidge
ŝ	Bu	ilding Wall Elevation	North	South	East	West
	Le	ngth of Building				
	S	Effective Length of Full Height Sheathing for Seismic (L <sub>FHS</sub> )				
	e i	Tabulated Minimum Length Full Height Sheathing for Seismic Loads per Table 3.17C ( $L_s$ ) $C_1 = \_$ $C_2 = \_$ $L_{max} = \_$ $L_{min} = \_$				
1	s m	WSP Perimeter Edge Nail Spacing – <b>Seismic</b> (WFCM 3.4.4.2 + 3.4.4.2.1)				
	i	Shear wall Adjustment per Table 3.17D (C <sub>swa</sub> )				
	c	Min. Length Full Ht. Sheathing–Segmented <b>Seismic</b> $(L_{Typel-S} = L_s(C_{swa}))$				
	L <sub>Ty</sub>	pel-S < L <sub>FHS</sub>	Ok?	Ok?	Ok?	Ok?
		Effective Length of Full Height Sheathing (L <sub>FH</sub> )				
	W i	Tabulated Minimum Length Full Height Sheathing for Wind Loads per Table 3.17B and 3.17A $(L_w)$				
	n d	WSP Perimeter Edge Nail Spacing – Wind (WFCM 3.4.4.2)				
	u	Shear wall Adjustment per Table 3.17D (C <sub>swa</sub> )				
		Wall Height Adjustment (Table 3.17A&B Footnote 2) ( $C_{WH} = \{/8'}$ )				
		Min. Length Full Ht. Sheathing–Segmented Wind $(L_{Typel-W}=L_w(C_{WH})(C_{swa})$				
	L <sub>Ty</sub>	$_{pel-W} < L_{FH}$	Ok?	Ok?	Ok?	Ok?

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## Wall Sheathing – Perforated Shear Walls

Exterior Type II Shear Walls (WFCM 3.4.4.2)

Choose Exterior Type II Shear Wall Length from Table 3.17E (p. 175)

			Para to R	allel idge	Perpen to R	dicular idge
	Bı	nilding Wall Elevation	North	South	East	West
	W	all Height				
	М	ax. Unrestrained Opening Height				
	A	ctual Length of Full Height Sheathing (L <sub>FH</sub> )				
HAVE	G	Effective Length of Full Height Sheathing for <b>Seismic</b> ( $L_{FHS}$ )				
	S e	Length of Wall (L <sub>Wall</sub> )				
	i s	Percent Full Height Sheathing (L <sub>FH</sub> / L <sub>Wall</sub> )				
	m	Tabulated Min. Length Full Ht. Sheathing - Segmented Seismic $(L_{TypeI-S})$				
	c	Perforated (Type II) Length Increase Factor from Table 3.17E ( $C_L$ )				
NEED		Min. Length Full Ht. Sheathing - Perforated Seismic $(L_{TypeII-S} = L_{TypeI-S} (C_L))$				
	L	$_{\rm ype~II} < L_{\rm FHS}$	Ok?	Ok?	Ok?	Ok?
HAVE		Actual Length of Full Height Sheathing $(L_{FH})$				
	W	Length of Wall (L <sub>Wall</sub> )				
	ı n	Percent Full Height Sheathing (L <sub>FH</sub> / L <sub>Wall</sub> )				
	d	Tabulated Min. Length Full Height Sheathing - Segmented Wind $(L_{TypeI-W})$				
		Perforated (Type II) Length Increase Factor from Table 3.17E ( $C_L$ )				
NEED		Min. Length Full Ht. Sheathing - Perforated <b>Wind</b> $(L_{TypelI-W} = L_{Typel-W} (C_L))$				
	L	ypeII-W < L <sub>FH</sub>	Ok?	Ok?	Ok?	Ok?

**Remarks:** 

#### Shear Wall Details Summary \_\_\_\_\_

Building Elevation	North	South	East	West
Shear Wall Type				
WSP Perimeter Nail Spacing				
Governing Load				
Shear wall Adjustment per Table 3.17D ( $C_{swa}$ )				

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# Wall Sheathing - Combined Shear Walls

## Combine Shear Wall Requirements at Interface of Two Buildings \_\_\_\_\_

	Building Wall Elevation		Seismic
	Segmented (Type I) Shear Wall Requirements – Sheathing Thickness		
REQ'D FROM	Building 1 – Elevation (WSP perimeter edge nail spacing) (L <sub>FH1</sub> )		
	Length adjustment factor, C <sub>swa1</sub> (Table 3.17D)		
	Revised Length Adjustment Factor (C <sub>swalrevised</sub> ) (Table 3.17D)		
	Length adjustment factor ratio $C_{swal ratio} = C_{swal revised} / C_{swal}$		
	Adjusted Shared wall length = $L_{FH1} * C_{swa1 ratio} = L_{FHadj1}$		
REQ'D FROM	Building 2 – Elevation (WSP perimeter edge nail spacing) (L <sub>FH2</sub> )		
CHANGE	Length adjustment factor, C <sub>swa2</sub> (Table 3.17D)		
REVISED	Revised Length Adjustment Factor (C <sub>swa2revised</sub> ) (Table 3.17D)		
	Length adjustment factor ratio $C_{swa2 ratio} = C_{swa2revised} / C_{swa2}$		
	Adjusted Shared wall length = $L_{FH2} * C_{swa2 ratio} = L_{FHadj2}$		
NEED	Adjusted Shared Wall – Total Requirement $(L_{Typeladjusted}) = L_{FHadj1} + L_{FHadj2}$		
HAVE	Actual Length of Full Height Sheathing (L <sub>FH</sub> )		
	$L_{Typeladjusted} < L_{FH}$	Ok?	Ok?
	Perforated (Type II) Shear Wall Requirements		
	Perforated (Type II) Length Increase Factor from Table 3.17E (C <sub>L</sub> )		
NEED	Min. Length Full Ht. Sheathing-Perforated $(L_{TypeIIadjusted} = L_{TypeIadjusted} (C_L))$		
HAVE	Actual Length of Full Height Sheathing (L <sub>FH</sub> )		
	$L_{TypeIIadjusted} < L_{FH}$	Ok?	Ok?

Decreased nail spacing should be considered first to increase Perforated (Type II) shear wall capacity, otherwise try increasing WSP thickness.

#### **Shear Wall Details Summary - Final**

Building Elevation	North	South	East	West
Shear Wall Type				
WSP Perimeter Nail Spacing				
Governing Load				
Shear wall Adjustment per Table 3.17D (C <sub>swa</sub> )				

## **Floor Framing**

### Floor Joists (WFCM 3.3.1.1)

#### Choose Floor Joists from Tables 3.18A-B (pp. 177-178)

Live Load:	psf
Dead Load:	psf
Joist Vertical Displacement L/A:	1
Required Span:	<u>ft.</u>

Selection of Specie, Grade, Size, and Spacing: (Table 3.18A)

Specie		
Spacing		
Grade		
Size		
Maximum Span		

### **Floor Framing**

## **Floor Sheathing**

### Sheathing Spans (WFCM 3.3.4.1)

### **Choose Floor Sheathing from Table 3.14 (p. 164)**

Floor Joist Spacing:	in.
Sheathing Type:	
Span Rating	
Tabulated Minimum Panel Thickness:	in.

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# **Connections – Wall / Floor Assemblies**

## Lateral Framing and Shear Connections (WFCM 3.2.1)

Wall Assembly (WFCM 3.2.1.3)

Top Plate to Top Plate Connection from Table 3.1 (p. 139):	
Table 3.1 Footnote 1 for wall sheathing perimeter nailing spacings < 6"	
(4" nail spacing: 1.67 x nails)	
(3" nail spacing: 2.0 x nails)	
Top Plate Intersection Connection from Table 3.1:	
Stud to Stud Connection from Table 3.1:	
Header to Header Connection from Table 3.1:	
Choose Top or Bottom Plate to Stud Connection from Table 3.1 & 3.5A:	
······	
Wall Assembly to Floor Assembly (WFCM 3.2.1.4)	
Bottom Plate to Floor Joist, Bandjoist, Endicide on Planking Connecting form Table 2.1. (Clinail anguing)	
<b>Endjoist of Biocking Connection from Table 3.1</b> : (6" nail spacing)	
(4" nail spacing: 1.67 x nails)	
(3" nail spacing: 2.0 x nails)	
Floor Assembly (WFCM 3.2.1.5)	
Bridging to Floor Joist Connection from Table 3.1:	
Blocking to Floor Joist Connection from Table 3.1:	
Band Joist to Floor Joist Connection from Table 3.1:	
Floor Assembly to Wall Assembly (WFCM 3.2.1.6)	
Floor Joist to Top Plate Connection from Table 3.1:	
Blocking to Sill or Top Plate Connection from Table 3.1:	
Band Joist to Sill or Top Plate Connection from Table 3.1:	
Table 3.1 Footnote 1 for wall sheathing perimeter nailing spacings < 6"	
(3" nail spacing: 2.0 x nails)	

## **Connections – Floor / Wall Assemblies (cont'd)**

### Lateral, Shear, and Uplift Connections (WFCM 3.2.1 and 3.2.2)

Wall Assembly to Foundation (WFCM 3.2.1.7 and 3.2.2.3)



Choose Sill Plate to Foundation Connection Requirements for Anchor Bolts Resisting Lateral, Shear, and Uplift Loads from Table 3.2A (pp. 142-143)

Three second gust wind speed:	mph Exp
Stories supported by Foundation:	
Anchor Bolt Diameter:	in.

Assuming Crawl Space or Basement, determine maximum Anchor Bolt Spacing:

Bı	uilding Wall Elevation	North	South	East	West
Sh	ear wall line dimension (L <sub>sw</sub> )				
Вι	ilding dimension perpendicular to shear wall line (Table 3.2A)				
	Number of stories receiving wind load (Table 3.2A)				
W i	Tabulated number of bolts to resist shear loads from wind (Table 3.2A)				
n d	Bolt spacing for wind <b>shear</b> loads $s_{ws} = (L_{sw}-2) / ($ number of bolts-1 $)$				
	Max. bolt spacing to resist wind <b>uplift</b> loads ( $s_{wu}$ ) (Table 3.2C & 3.4C)				
s	Tabulated anchor bolt spacing to resist <b>seismic</b> loads $(s_s)$ (Table 3.3A)				
e i	WSP Perimeter Edge Nail Spacing - Seismic				
s m i c	Bolt spacing adjustment per Table 3.3A Footnotes (Table 3.17D) ( $C_{swa}$ )				
	Adjusted bolt spacing for seismic loads $s_{sa} = (s_s)(C_{swa})$				
М	ax. anchor bolt spacing (lesser of $s_{ws}$ , $s_{wu}$ , and $s_{sa}$ )				

Notes:

Job:

Description:

# **Connections – Floor / Wall Assemblies (cont'd)**

## Lateral, Shear, and Uplift Connections (WFCM 3.2.1 and 3.2.2)

Wall Assembly to Foundation (WFCM 3.2.1.7 and 3.2.2.3)



# Choose Bottom Plate to Foundation Connection Requirements for Anchor Bolts Resisting Lateral, Shear, and Uplift Loads from Table 3.2B (pp. 144) and Table 3.3A (p. 147).

Three second gust wind speed:	mph Exp
Stories supported by Foundation:	
Anchor Bolt Diameter:	in.

#### Assuming <u>Slab on Grade</u>, determine maximum Anchor Bolt Spacing:

Bı	nilding Wall Elevation	North	South	East	West
Sh	ear wall line dimension (L <sub>sw</sub> )				
	Number of stories receiving <b>wind</b> load (Table 3.2B)				
W i	Bolt spacing for wind <b>lateral</b> and <b>shear</b> loads (Table 3.2B)				
n d	Wall sheathing type adjustment factor per Table 3.17D (Table 3.2B Footnote 3) (assumes perforated shear wall capacities) $C_{swa}$				
	Adjusted bolt spacing for wind <b>lateral</b> and <b>shear</b> loads ( $s_{ws}$ )				
	Max. anchor bolt spacing to resist wind <b>uplift</b> loads ( $s_{wu}$ ) (Table 3.2C)				
S	Tabulated anchor bolt spacing to resist <b>seismic</b> loads $(s_s)$ (Table 3.3A)				
e i	WSP Perimeter Edge Nail Spacing - Seismic				
s m	Bolt spacing adjustment per Table 3.3A Footnotes (Table 3.17D) ( $C_{swa}$ )				
i c	Adjusted bolt spacing for seismic loads $s_{sa} = (s_s)(C_{swa})$				
М	ax. anchor bolt spacing (lesser of $s_{ws}$ , $s_{wu}$ , and $s_{sa}$ )				

Notes:

# **Connections – Floor / Wall Assemblies (cont'd)**

Lateral, Shear, and Uplift Connections (WFCM 3.2.1 and 3.2.2)

Wall Assembly to Foundation (WFCM 3.2.1.7 and 3.2.2.3)

Alternatively, use proprietary connectors with the following minimum capacities from Table 3.2 (pp. 140-141), Table 3.3 (pp. 145-146) and Table 3.4C (p. 152).

Three second gust wind speed: \_\_\_\_\_ mph Exp. \_\_\_\_ Stories supported by Foundation: \_\_\_\_\_

#### **Determine required loads for proprietary connectors:**

Bı	uilding Wall Elevation	North	South	East	West
Вι	uilding dimension W or L				
R=	=L/W or W/L for Table 3.2				
	Number of stories receiving lateral wind load (Table 3.2A)				
	Wind uplift (Table 3.4C)				
	Uplift force Spacing				
	Wind uplift plf basis				
W i	Overhang Reduction (Table 3.4C Footnote 2) $[(2' - OH / 4')]^2$				
n	Wall Dead Load Reduction <sup>1</sup> ( walls (0.6) ( plf))				
d	Adjusted Wind uplift (Table 3.4C)				
	Wind uplift (Table 3.2(U))				
	Wind lateral load (Table 3.2(L))				
	Wind shear load (Table 3.2(S))				
	Seismic shear load (Table 3.3) $C_1 = \_C_2 = \_$ $L_{max} = \_L_{min} = \_$ or, $\Box$ slab on grade				
S	Wall Dead Load www				
e i s m i c	Footnote 4 Wall Dead Load Reduction $R_w = (w_w + 70.65) / 85.65$				
	Footnote 5 Sheathing Adjustment Factor for wall (Table 3.17D) $(C_{swa})$				
	Adjusted seismic shear load = seismic shear load x $R_w / C_{swa}$				
	Wall length				
	Seismic shear load = adjusted seismic shear load / wall length				

<sup>1</sup>Refer to *WFCM Commentary* 1.1.2.

\*Table 3.2 Footnote: Determine anchorage for Lateral Loads in foundation design per Section 1.1.4

# **Connections (cont'd)**

## **Uplift Connections** (WFCM 3.2.2)

Wall Assembly to Wall Assembly or Wall Assembly to Foundation (WFCM 3.2.2.2 and 3.2.2.3)

### Choose Wall to Wall Uplift Strap Connection from Table 3.4B (p. 151)

Bı	nilding Wall Elevation	North	South	East	West
	Three second gust wind speed				
	Framing Spacing				
W i	Roof Span				
n	Tabulated number of 8d Common Nails required in each end of				
d	1-1/4" x 20 gage strap every stud				
	No Ceiling Assembly nail increase (Footnote 3)				
	Required number of 8d Common Nails in each end of strap every stud				
	= Tabulated number of nails - Reductions + Increases				
$^{1}$ ca	lculated using lbs uplift (below) divided by lb/nail per WFCM	I Supplem	ent Table (	5A.	

\*Alternatively use proprietary connectors with the following minimum canacities

. ^	ter natively, use proprietary connectors with the following minimum capacity	lucs	
	Loadbearing Walls - Tabulated minimum uplift connection capacity (Table		
	3.4, page 149)		
	Interior framing adjustment (Footnote 1)		
	Roof dead load reduction (Table 3.4, Footnote 3)		
W	$= [0.60(\psf - 15 psf) x \x "/12"/' = \lbs]$		
ì	Wall-to-Wall and Wall-to-Foundation reduction (Table 3.4, Footnote 4)		
n	$= [\plf x \walls (\' / 12"/') = \lbs]$		
a	Non-Loadbearing Walls - Tabulated minimum uplift connection capacity		
	(Table 3.4C, page 152)		
	Wall-to-Wall and Wall-to-Foundation reduction (WFCM 3.2.5.3)		
	$= [\plf x \walls (\' / 12"/') = \lbs]$		
	Required minimum capacity of proprietary connector		
	= Tabulated minimum capacity x Adjustments - Reduction		



#### Check Perforated Shear Wall plate anchorage between wall ends

The assumption is that the wall plate nailing to the floor frame (*WFCM* 3.2.1.6 Table 3.1) in addition to the wind uplift straps are sufficient to resist uplift requirements on the plate using the Perforated Shear Wall Method.

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# **Connections – Floor Wall Assemblies (cont'd)**

### **Overturning Resistance** (WFCM 3.2.3)

Hold downs (WFCM 3.2.3.1)



Choose Hold downs from Table 3.17F for Type I and Type II Walls (p. 176)

B	uilding Wall Elevation	North	South	East	West
W	all Height				
	Tabulated hold down connection capacity required – wind $(T_w)$				
	WSP Perimeter Edge Nail Spacing - wind				
W	Hold down adjustment per Table 3.17F Footnotes (Table 3.17D) ( $C_{swa}$ )				
i n	Adjusted hold down capacity $(T_{wa} = (T_w) / (C_{swa}))$ - wind				
d	Additional story hold down requirements - wind				
	Total hold down requirement for floor to foundation – wind $(\Sigma T_{wa})$				
	Tabulated hold down connection capacity required – <b>seismic</b> (T <sub>s</sub> )				
S	WSP Perimeter Edge Nail Spacing - seismic				
i	Hold down adjustment per Table 3.17F Footnotes (Table 3.17D) (C <sub>swa</sub> )				
s	Adjusted hold down capacity $(T_{sa} = (T_s) / (C_{swa}))$ - seismic				
m i	Additional story hold down requirements – seismic				
c	Total hold down requirement for floor to foundation ( $\Sigma T_{sa}$ ) - <b>seismic</b>				

### **Sheathing and Cladding Attachment** (WFCM 3.2.4)

Wall Sheathing (WFCM 3.2.4.2)

### Choose Wall Sheathing Nail Spacing from Table 3.11 (p. 161)

Three second gust wind speed:..... mph Exp.

Stud Spacing: ...... in. Sheathing Type (wood structural panels, board or lap siding): .....

Location	Edges	Field
4' Edge Zone		
Interior Zones		

# **Connections – Wall Opening Elements**

### **Special Connections** (WFCM 3.2.5)

#### Choose Header/Girder Connections based on loads from Table 3.7 (p. 157)

Three second gust wind speed:	mph Exp
Roof Span:	ft.
Header Span (Typical Window):	ft.
Required Connection Capacity at Each End of Header:	
Tabulated Uplift Capacity (interpolated):	lbs.
Floor load adjustment (per footnote 4):	lbs.
Adjusted Uplift Capacity	lbs.
Tabulated Lateral Capacity:	lbs.

#### Choose Window Sill Plate Connections based on loads from Table 3.8 (p. 157)

Three second gust wind speed:	mph Exp. B
Window Sill Plate Span:	ft.

Tabulated Lateral Connection Capacity at Each End of Window Sill Plate: ...... lbs.





# APPENDIX B RELATED PAPERS

Perforated Shearwall Design Method Considerations in Wind Design of Wood Structures

# Perforated Shear Wall Design

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#### Introduction

The perforated shear wall (Fig. 1) method is one of several options for the design of wood-frame shear walls in the 2000 International Building Code (IBC). Two other methods include: the segmented approach which utilizes full-height shear wall segments each with full end-restraint against overturning (Fig. 2), and the force transfer approach which utilizes strapping to transfer forces around openings. The perforated shear wall method provides one way to account for strength and stiffness of sheathed walls with openings while providing an alternative to strapping and anchors typically required by other methods.

A perforated shear wall design for a two-story building is described in this paper. The example is similar to one developed for the Commentary to the *Recommended Provisions for Seismic Regulations for New Buildings and Other Structures* (2000 NEHRP) but is modified to address wind loading using an allowable strength design approach.

A separate example is provided to demonstrate one approach for calculating deflection of a perforated shear wall.

#### **Design Provisions**

The perforated shear wall method is included in the 2000 International Building Code (IBC), AF&PA's Wood Frame Construction Manual (WFCM) for One- and Two-Family Dwellings, Standard Building Code (SBC, 1994 revised), and the 2000 NEHRP Recommended Provisions for Seismic Regulations for New Buildings (FEMA, 2000).

The basic method for determining design shear capacity of perforated shear walls is the same in each of these documents. However, application limits as well as requirements for shear and uplift forces between wall ends vary. For example, 2000 NEHRP provisions contain an equation format for determining shear and uplift forces between wall ends. This equation format provides a convenient means for calculating anchorage requirements based on shear forces resisted by perforated shear walls.

#### **Design Equations**

Basic equations for design shear capacity, and calculation of anchorage and chord forces based on story shear forces, are described below.

#### **Design Shear Capacity**

The design shear force must not exceed the design shear capacity of a perforated shear wall,  $V \le V_{wall}$ . The design shear capacity,  $V_{wall}$ , of a perforated shear wall is calculated as:

$$V_{wall} = (\nu C_o) \sum L_i$$
<sup>[1]</sup>

where:

- $V_{wall}$  = design shear capacity of a perforated shear wall, lb.
  - v = design unit shear capacity of a segmented shear wall, plf
  - $C_0$  = shear capacity adjustment factor from Table 1 which accounts for the strength reducing effect of openings on shear wall capacity
- $\sum L_i$  = sum of lengths of perforated shear wall segments. A perforated shear wall segment is a section of shear wall sheathed full height and which meets minimum aspect ratio requirements in the governing building code. In most cases, this ratio is 3-1/2:1 for shear walls resisting wind and low seismic forces, ft.



Figure 1.—Perforated shear wall.



#### Uplift Anchorage Force at Perforated Shear Wall Ends

At each end of a perforated shear wall, end post anchors must be designed for an uplift force, *R*, due to overturning:

$$R = \frac{Vh}{C_o \sum L_i}$$
[2]

where:

R = uplift anchorage force at perforated shear wall ends, lb.

V = shear force in perforated shear wall, lb.

h = shear wall height, ft.

#### Anchorage Force for In-Plane Shear

The unit shear force, v, transmitted into the top of a perforated shear wall, out of the base of the perforated shear wall at full height sheathing, and used to size collectors (drag struts) connecting perforated shear wall segments, is calculated as:

$$v_{max} = \frac{V}{C_o \sum L_i}$$
[3]

where:

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 $v_{max}$  = maximum induced unit shear force, plf

# Uplift Anchorage Force Between Perforated Shear Wall Ends

Perforated shear wall bottom plates at full height sheathing must be anchored for a uniformly distributed uplift force, *t*, equal to the unit shear force,  $v_{max}$ , calculated in Equation 3.

#### **Tension and Compression Chords**

Each end of a perforated shear wall must be designed for a tension force, *T*, and a compression force, *C*, equal to the uplift anchorage force, *R*, calculated in Equation 3. Each end of each perforated shear wall segment must be designed for a compression force, *C*.

#### Load Path

Requirements for shear and uplift anchorage and chord forces are based on story shear forces. Elements resisting forces contributed by multiple stories should be designed for the sum of forces contributed by each story. A continuous load path to the foundation needs to be maintained and include effects of gravity and other forces.

#### **Other Requirements**

In addition to requirements for design shear capacity, anchorage forces, and chord forces, limitations outlined in 2000 NEHRP are also applicable:

- a. A perforated shear wall segment shall be located at each end of a perforated shear wall. Openings shall be permitted to occur beyond the ends of the perforated shear wall. However, the length of such openings shall not be included in the length of the perforated shear wall.
- b. Where out of plane offsets occur, portions of the wall on each side of the offset shall be considered as separate

Table 1.—Shear capacity adjustment factor, C

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Wall	Maximum opening height <sup>a</sup>				
height ( <i>h</i> )	h/3	h/2	2h/3	5h/6	h
8 ft. 0 in.	2 ft. 8 in.	4 ft. 0 in.	5 ft. 4 in.	6 ft. 8 in.	8 ft. 0 in.
10 ft. 0 in.	3 ft. 4 in.	5 ft. 0 in.	6 ft. 8 in.	8 ft. 4 in.	10 ft. 0 in.
Percent full-height sheathing <sup>b</sup>		Shear capa	city adjust	ment facto	r
10%	1.00	0.69	0.53	0.43	0.36
20%	1.00	0.71	0.56	0.45	0.38
30%	1.00	0.74	0.59	0.49	0.42
40%	1.00	0.77	0.63	0.53	0.45
50%	1.00	0.80	0.67	0.57	0.50
60%	1.00	0.83	0.71	0.63	0.56
700%	1 00	0.97	0.77	0.60	0.62

100%	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	
90%	1.00	0.95	0.91	0.87	0.83	
80%	1.00	0.91	0.83	0.77	0.71	
70%	1.00	0.87	0.77	0.69	0.63	

<sup>a</sup> The maximum opening height is taken as the maximum opening clear height in a perforated shear wall. Where areas above and below an opening remain unsheathed, the height of the opening shall be defined as the height of the wall.

<sup>b</sup> The percent of full height sheathing is calculated as the sum of lengths of perforated shear wall segments divided by the total length of the perforated shear wall including openings.



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Figure 3.—In-plane versus offset walls.

perforated shear walls. Offset walls are shown as heavy lines in Figure 3.

- c. Collectors for shear transfer shall be provided through the full length of the perforated shear wall.
- d. A perforated shear wall shall have uniform top of wall and bottom of wall elevations. Perforated shear walls not having uniform elevations shall be designed by other methods. One example of a wall with non-uniform top and bottom elevations is the stepped wall as shown in Figure 4.
- e. Perforated shear wall height, *h*, shall not exceed 20 ft.
- f. The allowable tabulated capacity set forth in the 2000 *IBC* for wood structural panel shear walls should not ex-



**Figure 4.**—Wall with non-uniform top and bottom of wall elevation (stepped wall).

ceed 490 plf. For wind design, the allowable capacity can be taken as 1.4 times 490 plf or 686 plf.

#### Discussion — Maximum Unit Shear

Shear is not distributed uniformly to perforated shear wall segments within the wall. Segments with greater end restraint develop greater shear than segments with less end restraint. Tests of shear wall segments with varying levels of end restraint (Chun and Karacabeyli 2000 and Salenikovich 2000) verify the influence of end restraint on shear capacity. Lower bound strengths are attributed to wall segments without end restraint and upper bound strengths are attributed to wall segments with full end-restraint.

The unit shear force determined by Equation 3 represents maximum unit shear force,  $v_{max}$ , developed in any perforated shear wall segment. The value of  $v_{max}$  is associated with the shear force developed by any perforated shear wall segments having full end-restraint (such as those at the ends of the perforated shear wall). Use of  $v_{max}$  to size shear and uplift anchorage between wall ends and collectors between perforated shear wall segments is required in lieu of a more complicated analysis of the actual distribution of shear within a perforated shear wall. This conservatism ensures that the capacity of each perforated shear wall segment can be developed without being limited by collector element capacity or bottom plate attachment for shear and uplift. One apparent result of the conservatism is that actual anchorage requirements for shear are in excess of the design shear force, *V*, resisted by the perforated shear wall.

Average unit shear in perforated shear wall segments equal to  $V/\sum L_i$  is not used to size shear and uplift anchorage or collector elements because it underestimates forces that may develop in a particular perforated shear wall segment.

#### Discussion — Uplift Between Wall Ends

For perforated shear wall segments between wall ends, a uniform uplift anchorage force is specified for attachment of bottom plates to elements below. Designing dstributed anchorage for  $v_{max}$  provides resistance to overturning of perforated shear wall segments between wall ends. Alternatively, concentrated anchorage for uplift at ends of perforated shear wall segments, to provide equivalent moment resistance, satisfies the intended purpose: to keep the segment from overturning by holding the bottom plate to elements below (Fig. 5).

In tests of long shear walls with openings (Dolan and Johnson 1996), anchor bolts resisting overturning were located within 12 in. from ends of perforated shear wall segments. It is also acceptable to restrain studs by strapping since bottom plates in turn are held down.

The conservatism of the uplift anchorage requirement between wall ends is seen when evaluating longer perforated shear wall segments. In such cases, the concentrated force to restrain the bottom plate (based on moment resistance equivalent to that provided by specified uniformly distributed uplift anchorage force) at ends of the perforated shear wall segment exceeds the force required to develop the maximum induced unit shear force,  $v_{max}$ . Recognizing



**Figure 5.**—Uplift anchorage force between wall ends.



that induced shear will not exceed  $v_{max}$ , it is acceptable to limit the concentrated uplift anchorage force at ends of perforated shear wall segments, due to story shear, to  $v_{max}h$ where *h* is the wall height. This force will match the uplift anchorage force, *R*, from Equation 2.

#### Example — Two-Story Building

A design example involving a simple two-story building (Fig. 6) demonstrates application of the perforated shear wall method. Design shear capacity, shear and uplift between wall ends, and end post forces are calculated. Only lateral loads due to wind are considered. Building dead load and wind uplift forces are not included. Once forces are determined, two detailing options are considered. Configuration A uses a continuous rim joist at the second floor level sized to resist localized uplift and compression forces along the base of the wall due to story shear forces. Configuration B considers a condition where there is blocking between joists (e.g., floor framing runs perpendicular to the perforated shear wall).

#### Second Floor Wall

Design Shear Capacity: Percent full-height sheathing =  $(4 \text{ ft.} + 4 \text{ ft.})/16 \text{ ft.} \times 100 = 50\%$  Maximum opening height ratio = 4 ft./8 ft. = 0.50

Shear capacity adjustment factor,  $C_o$ , from Table 1 = 0.80

$$V_{wall} = (v C_o) \sum L_i$$
  
= (365 plf)(0.80)(8 ft.) = 2,336 lb.  
2,336 lb. > 2,000 lb. OK

Note that v = 365 plf is for 15/32-in. rated sheathing with 8d common nails (0.131 by 2.5 in.) at 6-in. perimeter spacing resisting wind load (365 plf is obtained by multiplying the *IBC* Table 2306.4.1 value by the wind increase factor, or 260 plf × 1.4).

Uplift Anchorage Force at Shear Wall/Ends:

$$R = \frac{Vh}{C_o \sum L_i} = \frac{(2,000 \text{ lb.})(8 \text{ ft.})}{(0.80)(8 \text{ ft.})} = 2,500 \text{ lb.}$$

Anchorage Force for In-Plane Shear:

$$v_{max} = \frac{V}{C_o \sum L_i} = \frac{(2,000 \,\text{lb.})}{(0.80)(8 \,\text{ft.})} = 313 \,\text{plf}$$

Anchorage Force for Uplift, t, Between Wall Ends:

$$t = v_{max} = 313 \text{ plf}$$



**Figure 7.**—Configuration A detail—continuous rim joist.

Tension Chord Force, T, and Compression Chord Force, C, at Each End of a Perforated Shear Wall Segment:

C = T = R = 2,500 lb.

#### **First Floor Wall**

Design Shear Capacity:

Percent full-height sheathing

 $= (4 \text{ ft.} + 4 \text{ ft.})/12 \text{ ft.} \times 100 = 67\%$ 

Maximum opening height ratio

Shear capacity adjustment factor,  $C_o$ , from Table 1

$$= 0.86$$
  
$$V_{wall} = (v C_o) \Sigma L_i$$

= (530 plf)(0.86)(8 ft.) = 3,646 lb.3,646 lb. > 3,500 lb. OK

Note that v = 530 plf is for 15/32-in. rated sheathing with 8d common nails (0.131 by 2.5 in.) at 4-in. perimeter spacing resisting wind load (530 plf is obtained by multiplying the *IBC* Table 2306.4.1 value by the wind increase factor, or 390 plf × 1.4).

Uplift Anchorage Force at Shear Wall/Ends:

$$R = \frac{Vh}{C_o \sum L_i} = \frac{(3,500 \,\mathrm{lb.})(8 \,\mathrm{ft.})}{(0.86)(8 \,\mathrm{ft.})} = 4,070 \,\mathrm{lb.}$$

When Maintaining Load Path from Story Above:

R = R from second floor + R from first floor

= 2,500 lb. + 4,070 lb. = 6,570 lb.

Anchorage Force Force for In-Plane Shear:

$$v_{max} = \frac{V}{C_o \sum L_i} = \frac{(3,500 \,\text{lb.})}{(0.86)(8 \,\text{ft.})} = 509 \,\text{plf}$$

Anchorage Force for Uplift, t, Between Wall Ends:

 $t = v_{max} = 509 \text{ plf}$ 

Uplift, *t*, can be cumulative with 313 lb. from the story above to maintain load path. Whether this occurs depends on detailing for transfer of uplift forces between wall ends.

Tension Chord Force, T, and Compression Chord Force, C, at Each End of a Perforated Shear Wall and Compression Chord Force, C, at Each End of a Perforated Shear Wall Segment:

$$C = T = R = 4,070$$
 lb.

When maintaining load path from story above,

C = 4,070 lb. + 2,500 lb. = 6,570 lb.

#### Load Path - Configuration A Detail

Configuration A detailing (Fig. 7) uses a continuous rim joist at the second floor.

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The rim joist is sized to resist forces from perforated shear wall segments between wall ends. For the second story perforated shear wall shown in Figure 8, a compression force, *C*, and uplift force, *t*, induce moment and shear in the rim joist. Continuity of load path for uplift and compression is maintained by adequate sizing of the rim joist for induced forces and adequate attachment at ends. For this example, dead load and additional compression reactions from wall studs below are ignored to simplify boundary conditions and assumed loading. Nails in the second story wall bottom plate to rim joist connection resist overturning of perforated shear wall segments between wall ends. Nails can be uniformly spaced to meet the specified uplift force (Equation 3) or alternatively, a concentrated nail schedule at ends of segments can be used to provide equivalent moment resistance to the specified uplift force. Other fasteners such as lag screws or bolts are an alternative to nails loaded in withdrawal.

Second story hold-downs at wall ends are sized for the force specified in Equation 2.

Transfer of shear from the second story to the first story is by nails in the wall bottom plate to rim joist connection and toe nails in the rim joist to wall top plate connection. First floor anchor bolts provide for transfer of shear and uplift forces between wall ends to the foundation. Plate washers and anchor bolts are sized to provide adequate bearing area and capacity to resist uplift forces. In this case, uplift between wall ends is not additive with second story uplift between wall ends due to design of the second story rim joist. First floor hold-downs are sized to resist uplift forces and in-



Figure 8.—Uplift and compression forces for rim joist design.

clude uplift forces from the story above, where applicable, to maintain a load path to the foundation. For simplicity, floor platform height is ignored in calculation of load path for overturning.

#### Load Path - Configuration B Detail

Configuration B detailing (Fig. 9) addresses a condition where a continuous rim joist is not provided. In Configuration B, floor framing runs perpendicular to the shear wall with blocking between floor framing members.

Nails in second story wall bottom plate-to-blocking connections and toe-nails in rim joist-to-wall top plate connections transfer in-plane shear forces. Transfer of shear to the foundation is by anchor bolts in the first story wall bottom plate-to-concrete connection. Transfer of uplift forces between wall ends, from the second story to the first story, is



**Figure 9.**—Configuration B detail—blocking between joists.

by metal strapping. Load path for uplift between wall ends is maintained by strapping into the foundation or lapping the strap around the first story bottom plate. When the strap is lapped around the bottom plate, the anchor bolt and plate washer must be sized to resist induced forces. First floor hold-downs are sized to resist uplift and include uplift forces from the story above, where applicable, to maintain a load path to the foundation. For simplicity, floor platform height is ignored in calculation of load path for overturning.

#### **Discussion - Configuration A and B Detail**

In Configuration A and B, fastening for shear and uplift between wall ends is provided over the length of full-height sheathed wall sections. Fastening between full-height segments will be controlled by minimum construction fastening requirements. For bottom plates on wood platforms this would typically require one 16-penny common nail at 16 in. on center. In some cases, it may be preferable for construction convenience to extend a single bottom plate fastening schedule across the entire length of the perforated shear wall rather than require multiple fastening schedules.

Load path for uplift between wall ends is simplified in Configuration A by design of the rim joist to resist induced forces. Detailing for shear and uplift between wall ends can be accomplished with standard connectors between the wall bottom plate and rim joist. In Configuration B, strapping is used to restrain bottom plate uplift between wall ends. Anchor bolts and plate washers sized for accumulated uplift forces maintain load path to the foundation for uplift forces between wall ends.

#### Shear Wall Deflection

One method for calculating deflection of a perforated shear wall is shown in Figure 10. The calculation procedure accounts for the presence of openings within the wall and is comparable to the process used to calculate deflection of a segmented shear wall.

#### Summary

A two-story example demonstrates one application for use of perforated shear walls. Methods for determining perforated shear wall design capacity and bottom plate anchorage requirements, based on story shear forces, are shown. In the example, sufficient strength to resist applied loads is provided by the perforated shear wall without the use of typical strapping and anchors required by other methods. Instead, anchorage requirements for bottom plates in a perforated shear wall provide an option to typical strapping and anchors that may be difficult to install.

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#### **Example—Perforated Shear Wall Deflection**



The deflection of a perforated shear wall can be calculated from standard equations for deflection of wood structural panel shear walls. Using *IBC* Equation 23-2, the deflection of a wood structural panel shear wall can be calculated as:

$$\Delta = \frac{8vh^3}{EAb} + \frac{vh}{Gt} + 0.75he_n + d_a$$

where: A =

- A = Area of boundary element cross section, in.<sup>2</sup>
- b = Wall width, ft.
- $d_a$  = Deflection due to anchorage details, in.
- E = Modulus of Elasticity of boundary element, psi
- $e_n$  = Deformation of mechanically fastened connections, in.
- Gt = Rigidity through the thickness of wood structural panel, lb./in. of panel depth
- h = Wall height, ft.
- v = Maximum unit shear due to design loads at the top of the wall, lb./ft.

For the first floor perforated shear wall in Figure 5, standard inputs for variables of *A*, *d<sub>a</sub>*, *E*, *e<sub>n</sub>*, *Gt*, and *h* apply. Maximum unit shear, *v*, is taken as  $v_{max} = V/[C_o \times \sum L_i] = 509 \ plf$  and wall width, *b*, is taken as  $b = \sum L_i = 8$  ft.

Assuming deflection due to anchorage is 0.125 in. and boundary elements (end posts) consisting of two 2x4 Douglas Fir, No. 2 grade lumber, deflection of the perforated shear wall is calculated as follows:

$$\Delta = \frac{8(509)8^3}{(1,6000,000)(10.5)(8)} + \frac{(509)8}{38,000} + 0.75(8)(0.049) + 0.125$$

 $\Delta = 0.016 + 0.107 + 0.294 + 0.125 = 0.54 in.$ 

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### **CONSIDERATIONS IN WIND DESIGN OF WOOD STRUCTURES**

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Proper design of wood structures to resist high wind loads requires the correct use of wind load provisions and member design properties. A thorough understanding of the interaction between wind loads and material properties is important in the design process.

There are varying wind load provisions in local, state and model building codes currently used in the United States. Most of these provisions are based on wind engineering research conducted over the last 50 years. Proposals to change current code provisions are the result of interpretations of new state-of-the-art wind engineering research.

The wind load provisions of the national load standard *ASCE 7-98 Minimum Design Loads for Buildings and Other Structures* include general wind load provisions which, in turn, are used as the basis for wind load requirements in most U.S. building codes. For the purposes of this paper, the references to wind loads in this article have been limited to the provisions found in *ASCE 7-98*.

#### Wind Load Provisions

Design wind load provisions in *ASCE 7-98* are based on wind speed data collected during severe wind events in the United States. The wind speed contours provided in *ASCE 7-98* are presented in terms of three second gust. Three second gust wind speed is based on the peak wind speed at a given height and exposure averaged over 3 seconds. The three second gust wind speed data has been statistically adjusted to a 50-year recurrence interval with an average annual probability of occurrence of 2 percent. The data has also been adjusted to a reference height of 33 feet and Exposure Category C, which assumes a flat, open terrain with scattered obstructions. The wind load provisions of *ASCE 7-98* provide adjustments for variations from reference conditions, such as increased wind speeds during hurricane events, different exposure conditions, different elevations, and localized peak gusts.

ASCE 7-98 contains separate provisions for the design of major structural elements using "Main Wind Force-Resisting System" (MWFRS) loads and secondary structural elements using "Component & Cladding" (C&C) loads. In building design, MWFRS loads have been developed to represent critical loads on the main structural elements from the two major orthogonal directions. These loads "envelope" the major structural actions induced on a building from various wind directions and for various building geometries, roof heights and roof slopes.

C&C loads have been developed to represent peak gusts which occur over small areas as a result of localized funneling and turbulence. Localized load increases can approach 300% at corners and ridges under certain configurations and require special considerations when designing for these loads. In wood structures, wind damage surveys have indicated that these localized loads can cause failures of connections in small areas which can effect the overall Main Wind Force Resisting System.

When designing a structural wood member, a decision must be made whether a member is a MWFRS element, a C&C element, or an element of both systems. *ASCE 7-98* defines the MWFRS as an assemblage of major structural elements assigned to provide support and stability for the overall structure. The system generally receives wind loading from more than one surface. Components and cladding are defined as elements of the building envelope that do not qualify as part of the MWFRS. Components and cladding are either directly loaded by the wind or receive wind loads originating at relatively close locations, and which transfer these loads to the MWFRS. However, some elements such as roof trusses, load-bearing studs, and structural sheathing have been identified in both systems. One suggested interpretation is to design these elements for the MWFRS loads they would receive as part of the MWFRS and, separately, design these elements for the C&C loads they would receive if they were only a C&C element. In many cases this would require at least two checks; however, differences in the load cases and estimated stresses make it both necessary and beneficial to separately check both cases. Moreover, under certain common conditions, elements can be pre-engineered for C&C loads.

#### Allowable Design Stresses

Once the induced loads on a wood member or connection have been determined, that element can be designed. Structural wood members and connections should be designed using the appropriate provisions of the local building code. For the design of solid-sawn wood members and general connections, the codes normally reference or include provisions from the *National Design Specification® for Wood Construction (NDS®)*. Included in NDS design provisions are various adjustments to design values. Among these adjustments is the duration of load ( $C_D$ ) factor.

Wood strength properties have been observed to exhibit increased capacities under shorter durations of maximum load. This phenomenon has been analyzed extensively in the U.S. and in countries around the world. To account for this phenomenon in design, the U.S. Forest Service, Forest Products Laboratory in Madison, Wisconsin developed the "Madison Curve" which relates the maximum load-carrying capacity to a given load duration.

Most wood member design properties and connection capacities in the NDS are based on 10-minute test values which have been reduced for the effects of defects, stress concentrations, safety and duration of load. The duration of load adjustment reduces a 10-minute design value to a 10-year design value by dividing by a factor of 1.6 based on the "Madison Curve". During a severe wind event, maximum peak wind gusts on a structural member or connection have a cumulative duration of approximately 1-10 seconds. Worst case estimates by wind load experts have indicated that over the life of a structure the cumulative duration of these maximum loads would be less than 1 minute. NDS provisions specify an increase of 1.6 which returns the design capacities of the wood members or connections to the 10-minute test duration values.

While a duration of load increase is allowed for most design properties and connections, there are a few important exceptions. For lumber, a duration of load increase is not permitted for compression perpendicular-to-grain ( $F_{C_{\perp}}$ ), and Modulus of Elasticity (E) design values. These properties are based on deformation and stiffness limits, which are not directly affected by the duration of load phenomenon. For panel product systems, published design capacities in the building codes for shear walls and diaphragms are expressed in terms of the test duration and need only be adjusted for long-term loading. In some codes the shear capacity of wood structural panel shearwalls and diaphragms, resisting wind loads, is permitted to be multiplied by a factor of 1.4. In addition, information on proprietary products and systems should be reviewed to determine if  $C_{\rm D}$  adjustments of design capacities are permitted for those products.

### Design Example

A 36'x60' one-story wood-frame building is to be built on a site located in a 120 mph three second gust wind zone and on terrain representative of Exposure B. The walls will be constructed using 10-foot studs spaced 16 inches on center. The roof will be constructed using trusses spanning 36 feet spaced 24 inches on center and having 2 foot eave overhangs. The mean roof height will be approximately 15 feet and the roof angle will be approximately 20 degrees. The base velocity pressure can be calculated using the following equation:

$$q_h = 0.00256K_zK_{zt}K_dV^2I$$
  
= 21.93 psf

Where:

$q_h$	=	Velocity pressure evaluated at height, h, above the ground, psf (Exposure B)
K <sub>z</sub>	=	Exposure coefficient evaluated at height, h, above the ground (ASCE 7.98 Table 6.5)
	=	0.70 (Exposure B, 15' mean roof height)
K <sub>zt</sub>	=	Topographic factor (ASCE 7-98 Figure 6-2) 1.0
K <sub>d</sub>	= =	Wind directionality factor (ASCE 7-98 Table 6-6) 0.85
Ι	=	Importance factor 1.0 (Category II, ASCE 7-98 Table 6-1)
V	= =	Three second gust wind speed, mph 120 mph

Using the calculated base velocity pressure, MWFRS design loads can be determined using the following equation:

$$p_{3-\text{sec gust}} = q_h(GC_{pf}) - q_h(GC_{pi})$$

Where:

p <sub>3-sec gu</sub>	<sub>st</sub> =	Design wind pressure, psf (MWFRS)
$q_{\rm h}$	=	Velocity pressure, psf (120 mph, Exposure B) 21.93 psf
$\mathrm{GC}_{\mathrm{pf}}$	= = =	External pressure coefficient 0.80 (Edge Zone - Windward Wall) 0.53 (Interior Zone - Windward Wall)
	=	-0.64 (Edge Zone - Leeward Wall) -0.43 (Interior Zone - Leeward Wall)
	=	-0.48 (Edge Zone - Side Walls) -0.45 (Interior Zone - Side Walls)
	=	-1.07 (Edge Zone - Windward Roof, 20° roof angle) -0.69 (Interior Zone - Windward Roof)
	=	-0.69 (Edge Zone - Leeward Roof, 20° roof angle) -0.48 (Interior Zone - Leeward Roof)
GC <sub>pi</sub>	= = =	Internal pressure coefficient 0.18 (internal pressurization) -0.18 (internal suction) 0.68 (underside overhang pressurization)

For C&C design, the "effective" load area of the component must be determined to determine the external pressure coefficients. For rectangular load areas, *ASCE 7-98* allows the area to be calculated as,  $A=L^2/3$ . For this example, the C&C design loads for studs can be calculated using the following equation and inputs:

$$p_{C\&C} = q_h(GC_p)-q_h(GC_{pi})$$

Where;

p <sub>C&amp;C</sub>	=	Design wind pressure, psf (C&C)
$q_{\rm h}$	=	Velocity pressure, psf (120 mph, Exposure B) 21.93psf
GC <sub>p</sub>	= = =	External pressure coefficient 0.91 (windward wall, 33 ft <sup>2</sup> ) -1.22 (leeward wall, 3' edge, 33 ft <sup>2</sup> ) -1.00 (leeward wall, interior, 33 ft <sup>2</sup> )
GC <sub>pi</sub>	= = =	Internal pressure coefficient 0.18 (internal pressurization) -0.18 (internal suction)

Using the equations and values given above, loads for design of the exterior load-bearing studs can be derived. Tabulated below are design loads for the MWFRS and C&C load cases:

	MWFRS Loads		
	Internal Internal		
	Pressurization	Suction	
Windward Walls			
Edge Zone	13.59	21.49	
Interior Zone	7.68	15.57	
Leeward Walls			
Edge Zone	-17.98	-10.09	
Interior Zone	-13.38	-5.48	
Side Walls			
End Zone	-14.47	-6.58	
Interior Zone	-13.82	-5.92	
Wind Perpendicular to Ridge			
Windward Roof			
Edge Zone	-27.41	-19.52	
Interior Zone	-19.08	-11.18	
Windward Roof Overhang			
Edge Zone	-38.38	-38.38	
Interior Zone	-30.04	-30.04	
Leeward Roof			
Edge Zone	-19.08	-11.18	
Interior Zone	-14.47	-6.58	
Leeward Roof Overhang			
Edge Zone	-19.08	-11.18	
Interior Zone	-14.48	-6.58	
	C&C Loads		
	Internal	Internal	
	Pressurization	Suction	
Windward Walls	16.01	23.90	
Leeward Walls (Edge)	-30.70	-22.81	
Leeward Walls (Interior)	-25.88	-17.98	

After determining the design wind loads on the structure, building components and assemblies can be designed. All pertinent load combinations should be considered. In *ASCE* 7-98 the following load combinations should be considered for allowable stress design:

- 1) Dead
- 2)  $Dead + Live_f + Fluid + Earth + Self Straining + (Live_r or Snow or Rain)$
- 3) Dead + Live<sub>f</sub> + (Wind or 0.7\*Seismic) + (Live<sub>r</sub> or Snow or Rain)
- 4) 0.6\* Dead + Wind + Earth
- 5) 0.6\*Dead + 0.7\*Seismic + Earth

When structural effects due to two or more loads in combination with dead load, but excluding earthquake load, are investigated in the load combinations of ASCE 7-98, the combined effects due to the two or more loads multiplied by 0.75 plus effects due to dead loads shall not be less than the effects from the load combination of dead load plus the load producing the largest effects.

Under most design conditions, many of these load combinations can be dismissed. For the design of load-bearing studs in the example case, it is assumed that the building will be located in an area that receives little or no snow, that rain can not pond on the roof, and that roof live loads will not be present during a high-wind event. In addition, the studs only support the roof and ceiling loads, therefore, a special case for floor live loads need not be considered. Given these assumptions, only the following load combinations need to be considered in this example:

- 1) Dead
- 2) Dead + Live<sub>f</sub> + (Wind or 0.7\*Seismic) + (Live<sub>r</sub> or Snow or Rain)
- 3) 0.6\*Dead + Wind + Earth

For this example, live and dead loads in the structure must be determined. Tabulated below are the assumed roof and ceiling live and dead loads.

	Dead Load	Live Load
Roof	10 psf	20 psf
Ceiling	5 psf	10 psf
Wall	11 psf	
The duration of load adjustment and induced loads exerted on the studs for each load case and combination are tabulated below. Note that the loads tabulated below are for End Zone pressures, as they represent the worst case design pressure.

MWFRS		FRS	C&C	
Load Combination	C <sub>D</sub> Adjustment	Axial Load	Lateral Moment	Lateral Moment
1) Dead	0.9	532 lbs. (C)	0 in-lbs.	0 in-lbs.
2) Dead + Live <sub>r</sub>	1.25	1064 lbs. (C)	0 in-lbs.	0 in-lbs.
3) Dead + Wind	1.6			
Wind Perpendicular to Ridge				
Pressurization				
Windward Studs		-464 lbs. (T)	2711 in-lbs.	3194 in-lbs.
Leeward Studs		-324 lbs. (T)	3587 in-lbs.	6125 in-lbs.
Suction				
Windward Studs		-276 lbs. (T)	4287 in-lbs.	4768 in-lbs.
Leeward Studs		- 113 lbs. (T)	2013 in-lbs.	4551 in-lbs.

The final step in design of the stude is to choose a member which has sufficient design capacity to resist the induced loads tabulated above. Stud walls are a hybrid system in wind engineering terminology. Studs should be designed using MWFRS pressures when considering the combined interactions of axial and bending stresses; and designed using C&C pressures when considering axial or bending stresses individually. This interpretation was developed because only MWFRS pressures provide loads which have been temporally and spatially averaged for different surfaces (MWFRS loads are considered to be time-dependent loads). Since C&C loads attempt to address a "worst case" loading on a particular element during the wind event, these loads are not intended for use when considering the interaction of loads from multiple surfaces (C&C loads are not considered to be time-dependent loads) In the above example, stud design is limited by the C&C load case. This is not uncommon and in most cases can be considered the controlling limit in wind design of loadbearing and non-loadbearing exterior studs. However, until sufficient boundary conditions are placed on this simplification, both MWFRS and C&C load cases should be considered. These assumptions were also used in the development of the Wood Frame Construction Manual for One- and Two-Family Dwellings, 1995 High Wind Edition (WFCM-SBC).

For this example, Hem-Fir #2 - 2x4 was chosen. The following tabulated base design values were taken from the NDS Supplement:

F <sub>b</sub>	=	850 psi
F <sub>t</sub>	=	525 psi
F <sub>c</sub>	=	1300 psi
МОЕ	= 1	,300,000 psi

Applying the appropriate adjustments and checking each load combination as follows:

## 1) Dead Loads

	≤	514 psi		V
f <sub>c</sub> 101 pri	≤	F <sub>c</sub> '		/
F <sub>c</sub> '	$= F_{c}^{*}C_{p}$ = 1346*0.233		=	314 psi
$F_c^*$	$= F_{c} * C_{D} * C_{F}$ = 1300*0.9*1.15		=	1346 psi
$f_c$	= C/A = 532/5.25		=	101 psi

$\mathbf{f}_{\mathbf{c}}$	= 1064/5.25		=	203 psi
F <sub>c</sub> *	$= F_{c} C_{D} C_{F}$ = 1300*1.25*1.	15	=	1869 psi
F <sub>c</sub> '	$= F_{c}^{**}C_{p}$ = 1869*0.171		=	320 psi
f <sub>c</sub> 203 psi	≤ ≤	F ' 320 psi		✓

### 3) Dead + Wind Loads (Wind Perpendicular to Ridge - Windward Studs)

#### MWFRS Loads

$\mathbf{f}_{t}$	= T/A = 464/5.25	=	88 psi
F <sub>t</sub> '	$= F_t * C_D * C_F \\= 525 * 1.6 * 1.5$	=	1260 psi
$\mathbf{f}_{\mathbf{b}}$	= M/S = 2711/3.06	=	885 psi
${F_b}^*$	$= F_{b}^{*}C_{D}^{*}C_{F}^{*}C_{r}$ = 850*1.6*1.5*1.5	=	3060 psi
$F_b^{**}$	$= F_{b}^{*}C_{D}^{*}C_{F}^{*}C_{r}$ = 850*1.6*1.5*1.5	=	3060 psi
f <sub>t</sub> /F <sub>t</sub> ' + 88/12	$f_b/F_b^*$ 260 + 885/3060 = 0.36	≤ ≤	1.0 1.0 ✓
$(f_b - f_t)$ (885-	${F_{b}^{**}}$ (7)/ $F_{b}^{**}$ (7)/(3060 = 0.26)	≤ ≤	1.0 1.0 ✓
<u>C&amp;C</u>	Loads		
$\mathbf{f}_{\mathbf{b}}$	= M/S = 3194/3.06	=	1044 psi
F <sub>b</sub> '	$= F_{b} * C_{D} * C_{F} * C_{r}$		

= 85	0*1.6*1.5	5*1.5	=	3060 psi
f <sub>b</sub>	≤	F <sub>b</sub> '		
1044 psi	$\leq$	3060 j	psi	✓

The other cases considered under load combination 3, dead plus wind, can be calculated in a similar manner. Tabulated below are the load/resistance ratios for each load combination and load case.

	MWFRS	C&C
Load Combination	Load/Resistance	Load/Resistance
1) Dend	0.32	
1) Deau 2) Dead $\pm Live$	0.52	
3) Dead + Wind	0.05	
Wind Perpendicular to Ridge		
Pressurization		
Windward Studs	0.36	0.34
Leeward Studs	0.43	0.65
Suction		
Windward Studs	0.50	0.51
Leeward Studs	0.23	0.49

Summary

Determination of wind loads and material resistance must be considered together. Adjustments of reference wind conditions to extreme-value peak gusts require designers to make similar adjustments to design properties to ensure equivalent and economic designs.

Major structural elements should be designed for MWFRS loads and secondary cladding elements should be designed for C&C loads. Components and assemblies which receive loads both directly and as part of the MWFRS should be checked for MWFRS and C&C loads independently.

In cases where components and assemblies must be designed for lateral wind loads the controlling design case often will be wind acting alone. However, each load combination should be considered thoroughly before being dismissed.

As the wind load provisions in *ASCE 7-98* and the Building Codes continue to change, the wood industry must keep abreast of these changes. Efforts must be made to improve engineering knowledge and procedures to ensure adequate design of structures in high wind areas.

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