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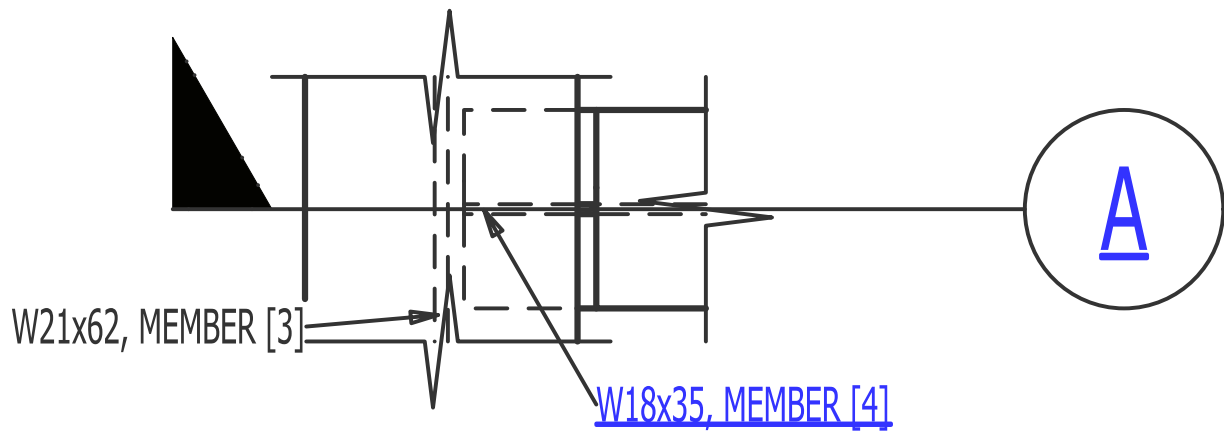
SDS2 Steel Connection Design: Connection Cube Report

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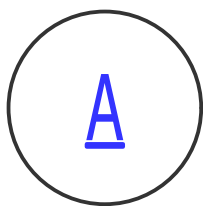
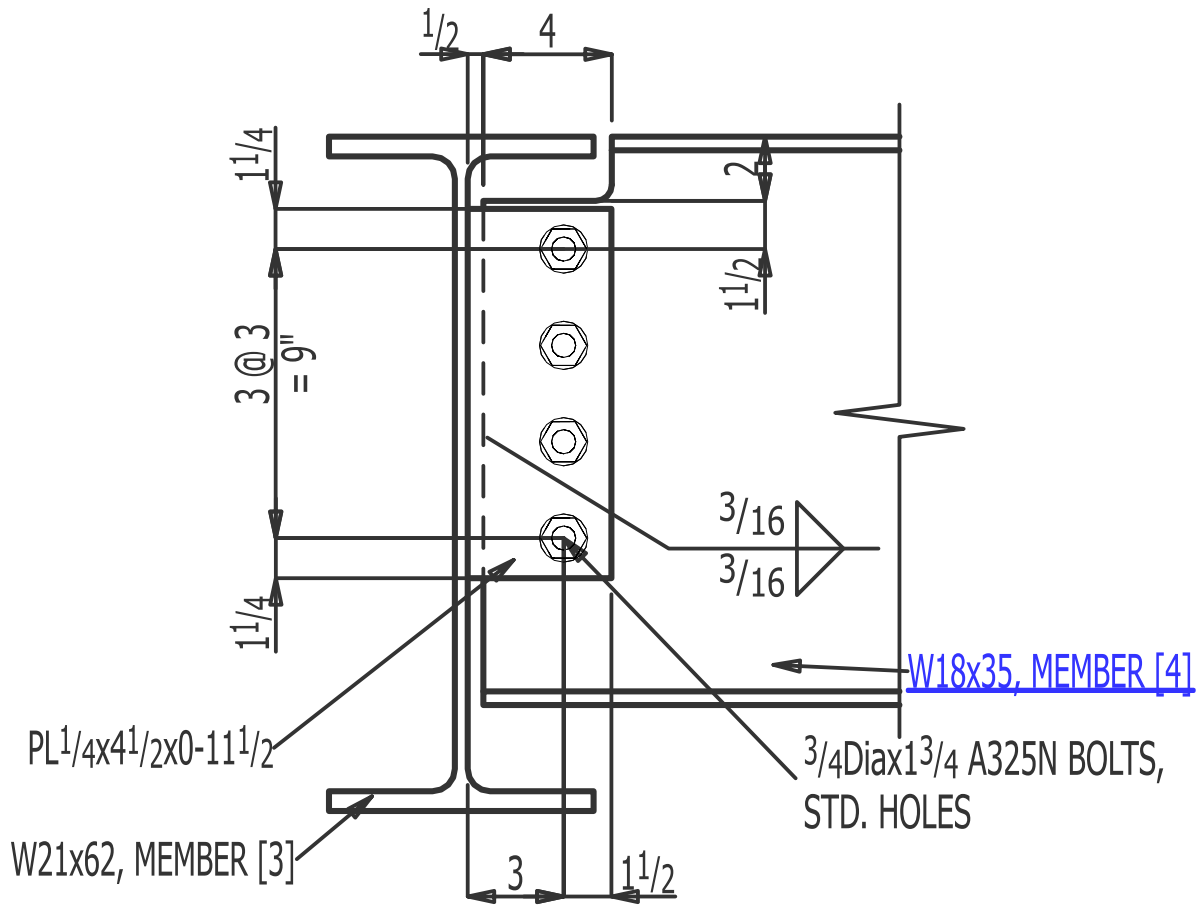
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Ex. II.A-18 [2] at X=25-0, Y=25-0 Elev=-8 7/8



TOP SIDE VIEW



Section A ELEVATION

Beam B_4 [4]

Design method

- AISC Steel Construction Manual, Sixteenth Edition (ASD)
- AISC 360-22

Overview

Section size:	W18x35
Sequence:	1
ABM:	N/Assign
Plan length:	25-0
Camber:	0.00 in
Span length:	25-0
Slope:	0.00 °
Material length:	24-11 5/16
Plan rotation:	0.00 °

Section properties

Material grade:	A992
Yield stress, F_y :	50 ksi
Tensile strength, F_u :	65 ksi
Depth, d :	17.7 in
Web thickness, t_w :	0.3 in
Flange width, b_f :	6 in
Flange thickness, t_f :	0.425 in
Design k distance, k_{des} :	0.827 in
Detail k distance, k_{det} :	1.125 in
Distance between web toes of fillets, T :	15.45 in
Moment of inertia about the major axis, I_x :	510 in ⁴

Design summary

Left end

Connection:	Shear tab
	Plate, Size as required
	No Stiffener Opposite
	Shear plate on NS, Skew holes in beam
	Combine shear plates: Automatic
	One bolt column
	Bevel shear tab: Automatic
	Attach to: Supporting
Elevation:	0
Minus Dim:	0.6875 in
Mtrl Setback:	0.6875 in (AUTO)
Std Detail:	None
Web:	Web vertical
End rotation:	0.00 °
Shear:	26.5 kips
Moment:	0.0 kip·ft (AUTO)
Tension:	0.0 kips
Compress:	0.0 kips
Tying:	0.0 kips (AUTO)

B_4 [4] Connection strength check: LEFT END

Member end summary

Connecting nodes

Node 1

Beam:	B_3 [3]
Section size:	W21x62
End 0 elevation:	0
End 1 elevation:	0
Support intersection elevation:	0
Supporting beam rotation:	0.00 degrees
	(looking toward left end)
Material grade:	A992
Detail k distance, k_{det}:	1.3125 in
Design k distance, k_{des}:	1.12 in
Supporting member thickness, t_{sup}:	0.4 in

Design loads

Shear: 26.5 kips

Design load notes

- Non-composite design
- Reaction has been input
- Design reaction is 49.9 % of the allowable uniform steel beam load.

Connection summary

- SINGLE PLATE SHEAR CONNECTION

Connection details

Plate:	Grade:	A572-50
	Tensile strength, F_u:	65 ksi
	Yield stress, F_y:	50 ksi
	Thickness, t:	0.25 in
	Width, b:	4.475 in
	Depth, d:	11.5 in
	Weld line to bolt group c.g., a:	2.9875 in
Weld:	Weld type:	Double fillet
	Weld leg size, w:	0.1875 in
	Total effective weld throat, t_e:	0.27 in
	Weld metal strength, F_{exx}:	70 ksi
Bolts:	Bolt type:	A325N
	Hole type in connection:	Standard round
	Bolt diameter, d_b:	3/4
	Bolt rows, n:	4
	Bolt row spacing, s:	3 in
	Bolt columns, m:	1
	Web end distance, $L_{e,w}$:	2.5 in
Connection geometry:	Dihedral angle, θ:	90.00 °

Connection design lock summary

Locked Via Member Edit:	16
(at dd) Not Locked:	263

Cope information

Top cope depth, d_{ct} : 2 in

Top cope length, C_i : 4 in

Cope notes

- Cope length dimension is from the end of the beam web.
- At coped section : $S_{net} = 18.20 \text{ in}^3$, $h_o = 15.70 \text{ in}$ AISC Table 9-2
- $L_h = 2.50 \text{ in}$, $L_v = 1.50 \text{ in}$

Expanded design calculation

Shear rupture of plate (21). Reference J4.2

Connection tensile strength, $F_u = 65 \text{ ksi}$

Bolt rows, $n = 4$

Connection thickness, $t_{conn} = 0.25 \text{ in}$

Connection depth, $d_{pl} = 11.5 \text{ in}$

Hole diameter, $d_h = 0.875 \text{ in}$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Net shear area, } A_{nv} &= t_{conn} \cdot (d_{pl} - n \cdot d_h) \\ &= 0.25 \cdot (11.5 - 4 \cdot 0.875) \\ &= 2 \text{ in}^2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\Omega = 2$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Shear capacity, } \frac{V_n}{\Omega} &= \frac{0.6 \cdot F_u \cdot A_{nv}}{\Omega} \\ &= \frac{0.6 \cdot 65 \cdot 2}{2} \\ &= 39 \text{ kips} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Shear capacity} &= \frac{V_n}{\Omega} \\ &= 39 \text{ kips} \end{aligned}$$

Applied member shear, $V_a = 26.5 \text{ kips}$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Unity} &= \frac{V_a}{\text{Shear capacity}} \\ &= \frac{26.5}{39} \\ &= 0.679487 \end{aligned}$$

$$39.0 \text{ kips} \geq 26.5 \text{ kips} \quad (\text{OK})$$

$$0.679 \leq 1 \quad (\text{OK})$$

Bolt shear of web bolts (3). Reference J3.7, J3.9

Number of shear planes, $N_s = 1$

Coefficient, $C = 3.56171$

Bolt area, $A_b = 0.441786 \text{ in}^2$

Allowable shear stress, $F_{nv} = 54 \text{ ksi}$

$$\Omega = 2$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Bolt shear capacity, } \frac{R_{n,v}}{\Omega} &= \frac{F_{nv} \cdot A_b \cdot N_s}{\Omega} \\ &= \frac{54 \cdot 0.441786 \cdot 1}{2} \\ &= 11.9282 \text{ kips} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Shear capacity} &= C \cdot \frac{R_{n,v}}{\Omega} \\ &= 3.56171 \cdot 11.9282 \\ &= 42.485 \text{ kips} \end{aligned}$$

Applied member shear, $V_a = 26.5 \text{ kips}$

Bolt shear of web bolts (3). Reference J3.7, J3.9 (continued)

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Unity} &= \frac{V_a}{\text{Shear capacity}} \\ &= \frac{26.5}{42.5} \\ &= 0.623529 \end{aligned}$$

$$42.5 \text{ kips} \geq 26.5 \text{ kips} \quad (\text{OK})$$

$$0.624 \leq 1 \quad (\text{OK})$$

Block shear rupture of plate (6). Reference J4.3

Plate thickness, $t_{pl} = 0.25 \text{ in}$

Yield stress, $F_y = 50 \text{ ksi}$

Tensile strength, $F_u = 65 \text{ ksi}$

Bolt column spacing, $s_{col} = 0 \text{ in}$

Bolt row spacing, $s = 3 \text{ in}$

Bolt rows, $n = 4$

Column edge distance, $L_{eh} = 1.4875 \text{ in}$

Row edge distance, $L_{ev} = 1.25 \text{ in}$

Bolt columns, $m = 1$

Hole diameter, $d_h = 0.875 \text{ in}$

Hole length, $l_h = 0.875 \text{ in}$

Total length of bolt group, $s_{total} = 9 \text{ in}$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Gross shear area, } A_{gv} &= t_{pl} \cdot (s_{total} + L_{ev}) \\ &= 0.25 \cdot (9 + 1.25) \\ &= 2.5625 \text{ in}^2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Net shear area, } A_{nv} &= t_{pl} \cdot (s_{total} + L_{ev}) - t_{pl} \cdot (n - 0.5) \cdot d_h \\ &= 0.25 \cdot (9 + 1.25) - 0.25 \cdot (4 - 0.5) \cdot 0.875 \\ &= 1.79688 \text{ in}^2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Gross tensile area, } A_{gt} &= t_{pl} \cdot (s_{col} \cdot (m - 1) + L_{eh}) \\ &= 0.25 \cdot (0 \cdot (1 - 1) + 1.4875) \\ &= 0.371875 \text{ in}^2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Net tensile area, } A_{nt} &= t_{pl} \cdot (s_{col} \cdot (m - 1) + L_{eh}) - t_{pl} \cdot (m - 0.5) \cdot l_h \\ &= 0.25 \cdot (0 \cdot (1 - 1) + 1.4875) - 0.25 \cdot (1 - 0.5) \cdot 0.875 \\ &= 0.2625 \text{ in}^2 \end{aligned}$$

Reduction coefficient, $U_{bs} = 1$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Shear yield load, } R_{gv} &= 0.6 \cdot F_y \cdot A_{gv} \\ &= 0.6 \cdot 50 \cdot 2.5625 \\ &= 76.875 \text{ kips} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Shear rupture load, } R_{nv} &= 0.6 \cdot F_u \cdot A_{nv} \\ &= 0.6 \cdot 65 \cdot 1.79688 \\ &= 70.0781 \text{ kips} \end{aligned}$$

Block shear rupture of plate (6). Reference J4.3 (continued)

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Tension load, } R_t &= U_{bs} \cdot F_u \cdot A_{nt} \\ &= 1 \cdot 65 \cdot 0.2625 \\ &= 17.0625 \text{ kips} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Nominal block shear capacity, } R_n &= \min (R_{gv}, R_{nv}) + R_t \\ &= \min (76.875, 70.0781) + 17.0625 \\ &= 87.1406 \text{ kips} \end{aligned}$$

$$\Omega = 2$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Shear capacity} &= \frac{R_n}{\Omega} \\ &= \frac{87.1406}{2} \\ &= 43.5703 \text{ kips} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Applied member shear, } V_a = 26.5 \text{ kips}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Unity} &= \frac{V_a}{\text{Shear capacity}} \\ &= \frac{26.5}{43.6} \\ &= 0.607798 \end{aligned}$$

$$43.6 \text{ kips} \geq 26.5 \text{ kips} \quad (\text{OK})$$

$$0.608 \leq 1 \quad (\text{OK})$$

Bolt bearing on plate (110). Reference J3.11

$$\text{Tensile strength, } F_u = 65 \text{ ksi}$$

$$\text{Plate thickness, } t_{pl} = 0.25 \text{ in}$$

$$\text{Bolt row spacing, } s = 3 \text{ in}$$

$$\text{Row edge distance, } L_{ev} = 1.25 \text{ in}$$

$$\text{Bolt diameter, } d_b = 0.75 \text{ in}$$

$$\text{Number of shear planes, } N_s = 1$$

$$\text{Bolt columns, } m = 1$$

$$\text{Bolt rows, } n = 4$$

$$\text{Total length of bolt group, } s_{total} = 9 \text{ in}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Length of joint, } L &= s_{total} \\ &= 9 \text{ in} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Bolt area, } A_b = 0.441786 \text{ in}^2$$

$$\text{Allowable shear stress, } F_{nv} = 54 \text{ ksi}$$

$$\Omega = 2$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Bolt shear capacity, } \frac{R_{nv}}{\Omega} &= \frac{F_{nv} \cdot A_b \cdot N_s}{\Omega} \\ &= \frac{54 \cdot 0.441786 \cdot 1}{2} \\ &= 11.9282 \text{ kips} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Hole diameter, } d_h = 0.8125 \text{ in}$$

Bolt bearing on plate (110). Reference J3.11 (continued)

$$\Omega = 2$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Bolt bearing capacity, } \frac{R_{n,b}}{\Omega} &= \frac{2.4 \cdot d_b \cdot t_{pl} \cdot F_u}{\Omega} \\ &= \frac{2.4 \cdot 0.75 \cdot 0.25 \cdot 65}{2} \\ &= 14.625 \text{ kips} \end{aligned}$$

Interior bolt capacity

$$\text{Bolt row spacing, } s = 3 \text{ in}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Clear distance from bolt hole to bolt hole, } L_{c,int} &= s - d_h \\ &= 3 - 0.8125 \\ &= 2.1875 \text{ in} \end{aligned}$$

$$\Omega = 2$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Tearout load capacity, } \frac{R_{n,to}}{\Omega} &= \frac{1.2 \cdot L_{c,int} \cdot t_{pl} \cdot F_u}{\Omega} \\ &= \frac{1.2 \cdot 2.1875 \cdot 0.25 \cdot 65}{2} \\ &= 21.3281 \text{ kips} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Controlling bearing/tearout strength of interior bolt, } \frac{R_{n,i}}{\Omega} &= \min \left(\frac{R_{n,to}}{\Omega}, \frac{R_{n,b}}{\Omega}, \frac{R_{n,v}}{\Omega} \right) \\ &= \min (21.3281, 14.625, 11.9282) \\ &= 11.9282 \text{ kips} \end{aligned}$$

Edge bolt capacity

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Clear distance from hole to edge of material, } L_{c,edge} &= L_{ev} - 0.5 \cdot d_h \\ &= 1.25 - 0.5 \cdot 0.8125 \\ &= 0.84375 \text{ in} \end{aligned}$$

$$\Omega = 2$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Tearout load capacity, } \frac{R_{n,to}}{\Omega} &= \frac{1.2 \cdot L_{c,edge} \cdot t_{pl} \cdot F_u}{\Omega} \\ &= \frac{1.2 \cdot 0.84375 \cdot 0.25 \cdot 65}{2} \\ &= 8.22656 \text{ kips} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Controlling bearing/tearout strength of exterior bolt, } \frac{R_{n,e}}{\Omega} &= \min \left(\frac{R_{n,to}}{\Omega}, \frac{R_{n,b}}{\Omega}, \frac{R_{n,v}}{\Omega} \right) \\ &= \min (8.22656, 14.625, 11.9282) \\ &= 8.22656 \text{ kips} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Number of edge bolts, } N_e &= m \\ &= 1 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Number of interior bolts, } N_i &= m \cdot n - N_e \\ &= 1 \cdot 4 - 1 \\ &= 3 \end{aligned}$$

Bolt bearing on plate (110). Reference J3.11 (continued)

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Shear capacity} &= \frac{R_{n,e}}{\Omega} \cdot N_e + \frac{R_{n,i}}{\Omega} \cdot N_i \\ &= 8.22656 \cdot 1 + 11.9282 \cdot 3 \\ &= 44.0113 \text{ kips} \end{aligned}$$

Applied member shear, $V_a = 26.5 \text{ kips}$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Unity} &= \frac{V_a}{\text{Shear capacity}} \\ &= \frac{26.5}{44} \\ &= 0.602273 \end{aligned}$$

44.0 kips \geq 26.5 kips (OK)

0.602 \leq 1 (OK)

Bolt bearing on beam web (110). Reference J3.11

Tensile strength, $F_u = 65 \text{ ksi}$

Plate thickness, $t_{pl} = 0.3 \text{ in}$

Bolt row spacing, $s = 3 \text{ in}$

Row edge distance, $L_{ev} = 1.5 \text{ in}$

Bolt diameter, $d_b = 0.75 \text{ in}$

Number of shear planes, $N_s = 1$

Bolt columns, $m = 1$

Bolt rows, $n = 4$

Total length of bolt group, $s_{total} = 9 \text{ in}$

Length of joint, $L = s_{total}$
 $= 9 \text{ in}$

Bolt area, $A_b = 0.441786 \text{ in}^2$

Allowable shear stress, $F_{nv} = 54 \text{ ksi}$

$\Omega = 2$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Bolt shear capacity, } \frac{R_{n,v}}{\Omega} &= \frac{F_{nv} \cdot A_b \cdot N_s}{\Omega} \\ &= \frac{54 \cdot 0.441786 \cdot 1}{2} \\ &= 11.9282 \text{ kips} \end{aligned}$$

Hole diameter, $d_h = 0.8125 \text{ in}$

$\Omega = 2$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Bolt bearing capacity, } \frac{R_{n,b}}{\Omega} &= \frac{2.4 \cdot d_b \cdot t_{pl} \cdot F_u}{\Omega} \\ &= \frac{2.4 \cdot 0.75 \cdot 0.3 \cdot 65}{2} \\ &= 17.55 \text{ kips} \end{aligned}$$

Interior bolt capacity

Bolt row spacing, $s = 3 \text{ in}$

Clear distance from bolt hole to bolt hole, $L_{c,int} = s - d_h$

$$= 3 - 0.8125$$

$$= 2.1875 \text{ in}$$

$$\Omega = 2$$

Tearout load capacity, $\frac{R_{n,to}}{\Omega} = \frac{1.2 \cdot L_{c,int} \cdot t_{pl} \cdot F_u}{\Omega}$

$$= \frac{1.2 \cdot 2.1875 \cdot 0.3 \cdot 65}{2}$$

$$= 25.5938 \text{ kips}$$

Controlling bearing/tearout strength of interior bolt, $\frac{R_{n,i}}{\Omega} = \min \left(\frac{R_{n,to}}{\Omega}, \frac{R_{n,b}}{\Omega}, \frac{R_{n,v}}{\Omega} \right)$

$$= \min (25.5938, 17.55, 11.9282)$$

$$= 11.9282 \text{ kips}$$

Edge bolt capacity

Clear distance from hole to edge of material, $L_{c,edge} = L_{ev} - 0.5 \cdot d_h$

$$= 1.5 - 0.5 \cdot 0.8125$$

$$= 1.09375 \text{ in}$$

$$\Omega = 2$$

Tearout load capacity, $\frac{R_{n,to}}{\Omega} = \frac{1.2 \cdot L_{c,edge} \cdot t_{pl} \cdot F_u}{\Omega}$

$$= \frac{1.2 \cdot 1.09375 \cdot 0.3 \cdot 65}{2}$$

$$= 12.7969 \text{ kips}$$

Controlling bearing/tearout strength of exterior bolt, $\frac{R_{n,e}}{\Omega} = \min \left(\frac{R_{n,to}}{\Omega}, \frac{R_{n,b}}{\Omega}, \frac{R_{n,v}}{\Omega} \right)$

$$= \min (12.7969, 17.55, 11.9282)$$

$$= 11.9282 \text{ kips}$$

Number of edge bolts, $N_e = m$

$$= 1$$

Number of interior bolts, $N_i = m \cdot n - N_e$

$$= 1 \cdot 4 - 1$$

$$= 3$$

Shear capacity = $\frac{R_{n,e}}{\Omega} \cdot N_e + \frac{R_{n,i}}{\Omega} \cdot N_i$

$$= 11.9282 \cdot 1 + 11.9282 \cdot 3$$

$$= 47.7129 \text{ kips}$$

Applied member shear, $V_a = 26.5 \text{ kips}$

Unity = $\frac{V_a}{\text{Shear capacity}}$

Bolt bearing on beam web (110). Reference J3.11 (continued)

$$= \frac{26.5}{47.7}$$
$$= 0.555556$$

$$47.7 \text{ kips} \geq 26.5 \text{ kips} \quad (\text{OK})$$

$$0.556 \leq 1 \quad (\text{OK})$$

Shear yielding of plate (38). Reference J4.2

Depth, $d = 11.5 \text{ in}$

Plate thickness, $t_{pl} = 0.25 \text{ in}$

Plate yield stress, $F_{y,pl} = 50 \text{ ksi}$

Applied member shear, $V_a = 26.5 \text{ kips}$

Applied tension load, horizontal component, $T_{a,h} = 0 \text{ kips}$

Applied compression load, horizontal component, $C_{a,h} = 0 \text{ kips}$

Gross area, $A_g = d \cdot t_{pl}$

$$= 11.5 \cdot 0.25$$

$$= 2.875 \text{ in}^2$$

$$\Omega = 1.5$$

Plate capacity in pure shear, $\frac{R_v}{\Omega} = \frac{0.6 \cdot F_{y,pl} \cdot A_g}{\Omega}$

$$= \frac{0.6 \cdot 50 \cdot 2.875}{1.5}$$

$$= 57.5 \text{ kips}$$

$$Unity = \frac{V_a}{\frac{R_v}{\Omega}}$$

$$= \frac{26.5}{57.5}$$

$$= 0.46087$$

Shear capacity = $\frac{R_v}{\Omega}$

$$= 57.5 \text{ kips}$$

$$57.5 \text{ kips} \geq 26.5 \text{ kips} \quad (\text{OK})$$

$$0.461 \leq 1 \quad (\text{OK})$$

Block shear of beam web (6). Reference J4.3

Plate thickness, *Web thickness* = 0.3 in

Yield stress, $F_y = 50 \text{ ksi}$

Tensile strength, $F_u = 65 \text{ ksi}$

Bolt column spacing, $s_{col} = 0 \text{ in}$

Bolt row spacing, $s = 3 \text{ in}$

Bolt rows, $n = 4$

Column edge distance, $L_{eh} = 2.5 \text{ in}$

Block shear of beam web (6). Reference J4.3 (continued)

Row edge distance, $L_{ev} = 1.5 \text{ in}$

Bolt columns, $m = 1$

Hole diameter, $d_h = 0.875 \text{ in}$

Hole length, $l_h = 0.875 \text{ in}$

Total length of bolt group, $s_{total} = 9 \text{ in}$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Gross shear area, } A_{gv} &= \text{Web thickness} \cdot (s_{total} + L_{ev}) \\ &= 0.3 \cdot (9 + 1.5) \\ &= 3.15 \text{ in}^2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Net shear area, } A_{nv} &= \text{Web thickness} \cdot (s_{total} + L_{ev}) - \text{Web thickness} \cdot (n - 0.5) \cdot d_h \\ &= 0.3 \cdot (9 + 1.5) - 0.3 \cdot (4 - 0.5) \cdot 0.875 \\ &= 2.23125 \text{ in}^2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Gross tensile area, } A_{gt} &= \text{Web thickness} \cdot (s_{col} \cdot (m - 1) + L_{eh}) \\ &= 0.3 \cdot (0 \cdot (1 - 1) + 2.5) \\ &= 0.75 \text{ in}^2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Net tensile area, } A_{nt} &= \text{Web thickness} \cdot (s_{col} \cdot (m - 1) + L_{eh}) - \text{Web thickness} \cdot (m - 0.5) \cdot l_h \\ &= 0.3 \cdot (0 \cdot (1 - 1) + 2.5) - 0.3 \cdot (1 - 0.5) \cdot 0.875 \\ &= 0.61875 \text{ in}^2 \end{aligned}$$

Reduction coefficient, $U_{bs} = 1$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Shear yield load, } R_{gv} &= 0.6 \cdot F_y \cdot A_{gv} \\ &= 0.6 \cdot 50 \cdot 3.15 \\ &= 94.5 \text{ kips} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Shear rupture load, } R_{nv} &= 0.6 \cdot F_u \cdot A_{nv} \\ &= 0.6 \cdot 65 \cdot 2.23125 \\ &= 87.0187 \text{ kips} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Tension load, } R_t &= U_{bs} \cdot F_u \cdot A_{nt} \\ &= 1 \cdot 65 \cdot 0.61875 \\ &= 40.2188 \text{ kips} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Nominal block shear capacity, } R_n &= \min (R_{gv}, R_{nv}) + R_t \\ &= \min (94.5, 87.0187) + 40.2188 \\ &= 127.237 \text{ kips} \end{aligned}$$

$$\Omega = 2$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Shear capacity} &= \frac{R_n}{\Omega} \\ &= \frac{127.237}{2} \\ &= 63.6187 \text{ kips} \end{aligned}$$

Applied member shear, $V_a = 26.5 \text{ kips}$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Unity} &= \frac{V_a}{\text{Shear capacity}} \\ &= \frac{26.5}{63.6} \end{aligned}$$

Block shear of beam web (6). Reference J4.3 (continued)

$$= 0.416667$$

$$63.6 \text{ kips} \geq 26.5 \text{ kips} \quad (\text{OK})$$

$$0.417 \leq 1 \quad (\text{OK})$$

Shear rupture of beam web (4). Reference J4.2

$$\text{Tensile strength, } F_u = 65 \text{ ksi}$$

$$\text{Bottom cope depth, } d_{cb} = 0 \text{ in}$$

$$\text{Top cope depth, } d_{ct} = 2 \text{ in}$$

$$\text{Bolt rows, } n = 4$$

$$\text{Web thickness, } t_w = 0.3 \text{ in}$$

$$\text{Full section depth, } d = 17.7 \text{ in}$$

$$\text{Gross shear area, } A_g = t_w \cdot (d - d_{ct} - d_{cb})$$

$$= 0.3 \cdot (17.7 - 2 - 0)$$

$$= 4.71 \text{ in}^2$$

$$\text{Hole diameter, } d_h = 0.875 \text{ in}$$

$$\text{Net shear area, } A_n = A_g - n \cdot d_h \cdot t_w$$

$$= 4.71 - 4 \cdot 0.875 \cdot 0.3$$

$$= 3.66 \text{ in}^2$$

$$\Omega = 2$$

$$\text{Shear capacity} = \frac{0.6 \cdot F_u \cdot A_n}{\Omega}$$

$$= \frac{0.6 \cdot 65 \cdot 3.66}{2}$$

$$= 71.37 \text{ kips}$$

$$\text{Applied member shear, } V_a = 26.5 \text{ kips}$$

$$\text{Unity} = \frac{V_a}{\text{Shear capacity}}$$

$$= \frac{26.5}{71.4}$$

$$= 0.371148$$

$$71.4 \text{ kips} \geq 26.5 \text{ kips} \quad (\text{OK})$$

$$0.371 \leq 1 \quad (\text{OK})$$

Shear yielding of beam web (5). Reference G2.1

$$\text{Yield stress, } F_y = 50 \text{ ksi}$$

$$\text{Bottom cope depth, } d_{cb} = 0 \text{ in}$$

$$\text{Top cope depth, } d_{ct} = 2 \text{ in}$$

$$\text{Web thickness, } t_w = 0.3 \text{ in}$$

$$\text{Full section depth, } d = 17.7 \text{ in}$$

$$\text{Gross area, } A_g = t_w \cdot (d - d_{ct} - d_{cb})$$

$$= 0.3 \cdot (17.7 - 2 - 0)$$

$$= 4.71 \text{ in}^2$$

Shear yielding of beam web (5). Reference G2.1 (continued)

$$\Omega = 1.5$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Shear capacity} &= \frac{0.6 \cdot F_y \cdot A_g}{\Omega} \\ &= \frac{0.6 \cdot 50 \cdot 4.71}{1.5} \\ &= 94.2 \text{ kips} \end{aligned}$$

Applied member shear, $V_a = 26.5 \text{ kips}$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Unity} &= \frac{V_a}{\text{Shear capacity}} \\ &= \frac{26.5}{94.2} \\ &= 0.281316 \end{aligned}$$

$$94.2 \text{ kips} \geq 26.5 \text{ kips} \quad (\text{OK})$$

$$0.281 \leq 1 \quad (\text{OK})$$

Flexure of plate (314). Reference Pg 10-51, 12-7

Shear tab yield stress, $F_y = 50 \text{ ksi}$

Eccentricity, $e = 1.49375 \text{ in}$

Shear tab thickness, $t = 0.25 \text{ in}$

Shear tab depth, $d = 11.5 \text{ in}$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Plastic section modulus about the major axis, } Z_x &= \frac{t \cdot d^2}{4} \\ &= \frac{0.25 \cdot 11.5^2}{4} \\ &= 8.26562 \text{ in}^3 \end{aligned}$$

$$\Omega = 1.67$$

$$\text{Shear capacity} = \frac{\left(\frac{F_y \cdot Z_x}{\Omega} \right)}{e}$$

$$= \frac{\left(\frac{50 \cdot 8.26562}{1.67} \right)}{1.49375}$$

$$= 165.673 \text{ kips}$$

Applied member shear, $V_a = 26.5 \text{ kips}$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Unity} &= \frac{V_a}{\text{Shear capacity}} \\ &= \frac{26.5}{165.7} \\ &= 0.159928 \end{aligned}$$

$$165.7 \text{ kips} \geq 26.5 \text{ kips} \quad (\text{OK})$$

$$0.160 \leq 1 \quad (\text{OK})$$

Flexure of coped beam (41). Reference Pg 9-7

Material setback, $m_s = 0.4875$ in

Yield stress, $F_y = 50$ ksi

Bottom cope length, $C_b = 0$ in

Bottom cope depth, $d_{cb} = 0$ in

Top cope length, $C_t = 4$ in

Top cope depth, $d_{ct} = 2$ in

k distance, $k = 0.827$ in

Web thickness, $t_w = 0.3$ in

Beam depth, $d = 17.7$ in

Steel modulus of elasticity, $E = 29000$ ksi

Effective top cope depth, $d_{ct,e} = \max(d_{cb}, 0)$
 $= \max(2, 0)$
 $= 2$ in

Effective top cope length, $c_{t,e} = C_t$
 $= 4$ in

Effective bottom cope depth, $d_{cb,e} = \max(d_{cb}, 0)$
 $= \max(0, 0)$
 $= 0$ in

Effective bottom cope length, $c_{b,e} = C_b$
 $= 0$ in

Top flange is coped.

Depth of coped section, $h_c = d - d_{ct,e} - d_{cb,e}$
 $= 17.7 - 2 - 0$
 $= 15.7$ in

Maximum distance from supporting face to end of cope, $e = c_{t,e} + m_s$
 $= 4 + 0.4875$
 $= 4.4875$ in

Web slenderness, $\lambda = \frac{h_c}{t_w}$
 $= \frac{15.7}{0.3}$
 $= 52.3333$

Cope length, $C = c_{t,e}$
 $= 4$ in

Buckling adjustment factor, $f = \frac{2 \cdot C}{d}$
 $= \frac{2 \cdot 4}{17.7}$
 $= 0.451977$

Plate buckling coefficient, $k = 2.2 \cdot \left(\frac{h_c}{C}\right)^{1.65}$

Flexure of coped beam (41). Reference Pg 9-7 (continued)

$$= 2.2 \cdot \left(\frac{15.7}{4} \right)^{1.65}$$
$$= 21.0019$$

Modified plate buckling coefficient, $k_1 = \max (f \cdot k, 1.61)$

$$= \max (0.451977 \cdot 21.0019, 1.61)$$
$$= 9.49237$$

Limiting slenderness for a compact web, $\lambda_p = 0.475 \cdot \sqrt{\left(\frac{k_1 \cdot E}{F_y} \right)}$

$$= 0.475 \cdot \sqrt{\left(\frac{9.49237 \cdot 29000}{50} \right)}$$
$$= 35.2448$$

Plastic section modulus at the cope, $Z_c = 32.0982 \text{ in}^3$

Plastic bending moment, $M_p = \frac{F_y \cdot Z_c}{12}$

$$= \frac{50 \cdot 32.0982}{12}$$
$$= 133.742 \text{ kip} \cdot \text{ft}$$

Elastic section modulus at the cope, $S_c = 18.2016 \text{ in}^3$

Flexural yield moment, $M_y = \frac{F_y \cdot S_c}{12}$

$$= \frac{50 \cdot 18.2016}{12}$$
$$= 75.8398 \text{ kip} \cdot \text{ft}$$

Flexural strength at the coped section, $M_n = M_p - (M_p - M_y) \cdot \left(\frac{\lambda}{\lambda_p} - 1 \right)$

$$= 133.742 - (133.742 - 75.8398) \cdot \left(\frac{52.3333}{35.2448} - 1 \right)$$
$$= 105.668 \text{ kip} \cdot \text{ft}$$

$$\Omega = 1.67$$

Controlling strength, $R_r = \left(\frac{\left(\frac{M_n}{\Omega} \right)}{e} \right) \cdot 12$

$$= \left(\frac{\left(\frac{105.668}{1.67} \right)}{4.4875} \right) \cdot 12$$
$$= 169.202 \text{ kips}$$

Shear capacity = R_r

$$= 169.202 \text{ kips}$$

Applied member shear, $V_a = 26.5 \text{ kips}$

$$\text{Unity} = \frac{V_a}{\text{Shear capacity}}$$

Flexure of coped beam (41). Reference Pg 9-7 (continued)

$$= \frac{26.5}{169.2}$$
$$= 0.156619$$

$$169.2 \text{ kips} \geq 26.5 \text{ kips} \quad (\text{OK})$$

$$0.157 \leq 1 \quad (\text{OK})$$

Shear of support (36). Reference J4.2

$$\text{Connection depth, } d_{conn} = 11.5 \text{ in}$$

$$\text{Supporting member tensile strength, } F_{u,s} = 65 \text{ ksi}$$

$$\text{Supporting member thickness, } t_{sup} = 0.4 \text{ in}$$

$$\text{Web axial load, horizontal component, } P_{a,w,h} = 0 \text{ kips}$$

$$\text{Applied member shear, } V_a = 26.5 \text{ kips}$$

$$\text{Supporting member yield stress, } F_{y,s} = 50 \text{ ksi}$$

$$\text{Shear area, } A_v = 2 \cdot d_{conn} \cdot t_{sup}$$

$$= 2 \cdot 11.5 \cdot 0.4$$

$$= 9.2 \text{ in}^2$$

$$\Omega = 2$$

$$\Omega = 1.5$$

$$\text{Gross shear capacity of support, } R_v = \min \left(\frac{0.6 \cdot F_{y,s} \cdot A_v}{\Omega}, \frac{0.6 \cdot F_{u,s} \cdot A_v}{\Omega} \right)$$

$$= \min \left(\frac{0.6 \cdot 50 \cdot 9.2}{1.5}, \frac{0.6 \cdot 65 \cdot 9.2}{2} \right)$$

$$= 179.4 \text{ kips}$$

$$\text{Unity} = \frac{V_a}{R_v}$$

$$= \frac{26.5}{179.4}$$

$$= 0.147715$$

$$\text{Shear capacity} = R_v$$

$$= 179.4 \text{ kips}$$

$$179.4 \text{ kips} \geq 26.5 \text{ kips} \quad (\text{OK})$$

$$0.148 \leq 1 \quad (\text{OK})$$

Rupture of weld to supporting member (112). Reference J2, Table J2.5

$$\text{Shear tab thickness, } t_{conn} = 0.25 \text{ in}$$

$$\text{FS Weld leg size, } w_{fs} = 0.1875 \text{ in}$$

$$\text{NS Weld leg size, } w_{ns} = 0.1875 \text{ in}$$

$$\text{Total effective weld throat, } t_{eff} = 0.707 \cdot (w_{ns} + w_{fs})$$

$$= 0.707 \cdot (0.1875 + 0.1875)$$

$$= 0.265125 \text{ in}$$

$$\text{Minimum specified weld size, } w_{min} = 0.625 \cdot t_{conn}$$

$$= 0.625 \cdot 0.25$$

Rupture of weld to supporting member (112). Reference J2, Table J2.5 (continued)

$$= 0.15625 \text{ in}$$

Minimum specified total weld throat thickness, $t_{min} = 2 \cdot 0.707 \cdot w_{min}$

$$= 2 \cdot 0.707 \cdot 0.15625$$

$$= 0.220938 \text{ in}$$

$$(t_{eff} = 0.265125 \text{ in}) \geq (t_{min} = 0.220938 \text{ in})$$

Weld is sized to develop the full strength of the plate.

Results summary

Shear Tab on left end of Beam B_4 [4]

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$$t d_b/2 + 1/16 \text{ in}$$

$$t_w d_b/2 + 1/16 \text{ in}$$

Limit state summary

	Calc. Num.	Unity ratio	Rn/OMEGA	AISC Ref
Shear rupture of plate:	21	0.679	39.0 kips	J4.2
Bolt shear of web bolts:	3	0.624	42.5 kips	J3.7, J3.9
Block shear rupture of plate:	6	0.608	43.6 kips	J4.3
Bolt bearing on plate:	110	0.602	44.0 kips	J3.11
Bolt bearing on beam web:	110	0.556	47.7 kips	J3.11
Shear yielding of plate:	38	0.461	57.5 kips	J4.2
Block shear rupture of beam web:	6	0.417	63.6 kips	J4.3
Shear rupture of beam web:	4	0.371	71.4 kips	J4.2
Shear yielding of beam web:	5	0.281	94.2 kips	G2.1
Flexure of plate:	314	0.160	165.7 kips	Pg 10-51, 12-7
Flexure of coped beam:	41	0.157	169.2 kips	Pg 9-7
Shear of support:	36	0.148	179.4 kips	J4.2

Connection strength

	Value:	Unity ratio:
Shear:	39.0 kips	0.679

Notes and conclusions

- Weld sized to develop the full plate strength.
- See 'Single-plate connection' notes for design criteria applicable to this connection. ⚠
- CONNECTION IS OK
 - Strength equals or exceeds design loads.