

GENERAL STRUCTURAL NOTES

44 Quebec Street
Portland, ME
SI Job # 17-0017

DESIGN LIVE LOADS:

	2009 IBC, MUEBC
* Snow	60 psf (Pg)
* Wind	90 mph, exp B, 3 second gust
* Floor	40 psf

FOUNDATION EXISTING:

- * Foundations are designed without an engineer's soil investigation. Foundation design criteria was assumed for purpose of foundation design and shall be confirmed by a soils engineer, at owner's expense, prior to construction. (This procedure may require revisions to foundation design, at additional expense to the owner, if soils engineer determines that such design criteria are inappropriate for this building site.)
- * Footings shall be placed on undisturbed natural soil or compacted fill tested and approved by soils engineer.
- * Allowable bearing pressure = 1,500 psf. Bear on soil approved by the Soils Engineer. -typ

CONCRETE AND REINFORCEMENT:

- * Concrete shall conform to applicable provisions of ACI-301 and 318. Minimum 28 day compressive strength (F'c) as follows:

Footings:	3,000	psi
Piers:	4,000	psi w/4-6% air entrainment
Interior Slabs:	3,500	psi w/fibermesh
Exterior Slabs:	4,000	psi w/4-6% air entrainment and fiber mesh
- * Cement Type: 1/II
- * Deformed reinforcement: ASTM A615 grade 60, except bars specified to be field-bent, stirrups, and ties which shall be grade 40.
- * Fibermesh: 100% virgin polypropylene, fibrillated fibers as manufactured by Fibermesh Co. per ASTM C-1116 type 111 4.1.3 and ASTM C-1116 performance level one, 1.5 lb. per cubic yard.
- * Welded Wire Fabric (WWF): ASTM A185. See also plan.
- * Typical minimum foundation reinforcing: 2 #4 top and bottom, (except as noted) continuous at corners and steps.
- * Reinforcement shall be fabricated and placed per ACI Manual of Standard Practice (ACI-315). At splices, lap bars 50 diameters unless noted otherwise.
- * Minimum 2 #4 around all four sides of all openings, extend min. 2'-0" beyond openings.
- * Concrete cover over reinforcing: 1 1/2" for concrete placed against forms; 3" for concrete placed against earth. See also drawings.
- * In continuous members, splice top bars at mid span and bottom bars over supports.
- * Keep reinforcement clean and free of dirt, oil, and scale. Oil forms prior to placing reinforcement.
- * Expansion Anchors shall be ICC-ES approved, installed in accordance with manufacturers specifications. In concrete: Wedge Type

WOOD FRAMING:

- * Dimension Lumber is designed and shall be supplied using BASE VALUES Design Criteria.
- * SPF #2 and better (Maximum Moisture Content 19%) U.O.N.
- * Plates: Sill plates: Pressure Treated SPF or Southern Pine;
- * "Pressure treated lumber" shall be framing material of the specified species which has been pressure treated with a decay and insect resistant solution, meeting all current standards for wood in contact with concrete, masonry, or in a wet location.
- * Sill plates in contact with masonry or concrete foundations, footings or slabs may be treated Timber Strand LSL (zinc borate treatment). Sodium borate treatment may also be acceptable for sill plate applications when protected from weather.
- * Acceptable treatment mediums for wood in contact with earth or in exterior applications include ACQ-C and ACQ-D (Alkaline Copper Quaternary) and copper azole (CBA-A and CBA-B).
- * DO NOT USE WOODS WHICH HAVE BEEN TREATED WITH AMMONIA BASED CARRIERS.
- * All connectors shall meet the recommendations of the pressure treated wood manufacturer, but shall be not less than Hot Dipped Galvanized meeting requirements of ASTM A653, such as Simpson ZMAX, (G185). All screws, nails and bolts shall match hangers and other connectors, and shall meet ASTM A123 for individual connectors, and ASTM A153 for fasteners.
- * For durability, it is our recommendation that connectors used in exposed conditions with treated lumber be stainless steel.
- * Do not mix galvanized and stainless products.
- * Do not allow aluminum to contact treated wood.
- * Top and Bottom Plates: SPF No 2 and better
- * SPF U.O.N.: 2 x 4 and 2 x 6 to 8'-0" stud grade
- * 2 x 4 over 8'-0": standard and better
- * 2x 6 over 8'-0": No. 2 and better
- * All plywood and oriented strand board (OSB) sheathing shall be engineered grades with APA grade stamp indicating appropriate maximum spacing of supports.
- * Floor sheathing: nominal 3/4", APA Sturd-I-Floor "24" tongue & groove glued and nailed.
- * Wall sheathing panels: 7/16" OSB or Plywood
- * Roof sheathing: 19/32" OSB
- * Nail wall sheathing panels with 8d commons at 4" o.c. at panel edges, and 12" o.c. intermediate framing U.N.O. BLOCK AND NAIL ALL EDGES BETWEEN STUDS. Sheathing shall be continuous from bottom plate to top plate. Cut in "L" and "T" shapes around openings. Lap sheathing over rim joists min. 4" at all floors to tie upper and lower stud walls together. Minimum height of sheathing panels shall be 16" to assure that plates are tied to studs. Use minimum 3-8d per stud and nail plates with edge nail spacing.
- * Sole plate at all perimeter walls and at designated shear walls shall be nailed as for braced panels with 3-16d x 3 1/2" long box nails (coated or deformed shank) per 16". 12d nails are not acceptable.
- * SHEATH ALL EXTERIOR WALLS.
- * Minimum nailing shall comply with IBC Table 2304.9.1 except where more or larger nailing shown on drawings.
- * All roof rafters, joists, beams shall be anchored to supports with metal framing anchors.
- * Double joists under partitions where joists are parallel to partitions.
- * Provide continuous wall studs each side of wall openings equal to one half or greater of number of studs interrupted by openings.
- * All wall studs shall be continuous from floor to floor or from floor to roof.
- * Cross bridge all dimension lumber roof and floor joists at midspan or 8'-0" o.c. max and provide solid blocking or rim joists at all joist supports and joist ends.
- * Metal connectors: Simpson Strong Tie unless otherwise noted, installed with number and type of nails to achieve maximum rated capacity. Note that heavy duty and skewed hangers may require special order.
- * All beams shall be braced against rotation at points of bearing.
- * Drypack grout all steel beam pockets flush after beams are set.
- * Unless otherwise indicated, install two lengths of solid blocking x joist depth x 12 inches long in floor framing under column loads. Columns must have a continuous load path to foundation.
- * Lead holes for lag bolts shall be 60% to 70% of lag shank diameter in compliance with AITC criteria.

FIELD VERIFICATION OF EXISTING CONDITIONS:

- * Contractor shall thoroughly inspect and survey existing structure to verify conditions that affect the work shown on the drawings.
- * Contractor shall report any variations or discrepancies to the Architect before proceeding.

STRUCTURAL ERECTION AND BRACING REQUIREMENTS:

- * The structural drawings illustrate the completed structure with elements in their final positions, properly supported and braced.
- * The contractor, in the proper sequence, shall provide proper shoring and bracing as may be required to achieve the final completed structure.
- * These construction documents contain typical and representative details to assist the contractor.
- * Details shown apply at all similar conditions unless otherwise indicated.
- * Although due diligence has been applied to make the drawings as complete as possible, not every detail is illustrated, nor is every exceptional condition addressed.
- * All proprietary connections shall be installed in accordance with the manufacturers' recommendations.
- * All work shall be accomplished in a workmanlike manner and in accordance with the applicable code and local ordinances.
- * The general contractor is responsible for coordination of all work, including layout and dimension verification, materials coordination, shop drawing review, and the work of subcontractors.
- * Any discrepancies or omissions discovered in the course of the work shall be immediately reported to the architect for resolution.
- * Continuation of work without notification of discrepancies relieves the architect and engineer from all consequences.
- * Unless otherwise specifically indicated, the drawings do not describe methods of construction.
- * The contractor, in the proper sequence, shall perform or supervise all work necessary to achieve the final completed structure, and to protect the structure, workmen, and others during construction.
- * Such work shall include, but not be limited to, bracing, shoring for construction equipment, shoring for excavation, formwork, scaffolding, safety devices and programs of all kinds, support and bracing for cranes and other erection equipment.
- * Do not backfill against basement or retaining walls until supporting slabs and floor framing are in place and securely anchored, unless adequate bracing is provided.
- * Temporary bracing shall remain in place until all floors, walls, roofs and any other supporting elements are in place.
- * The architect and engineer bear no responsibility for the above items, and observation visits to the site do not in any way include inspection of them.

- * These plans have been engineered for construction at one specific building site. Builder assumes ALL responsibility for use of these plans at Any Other building site. Plans shall not be used for construction at any other building site without specific review by the engineer.

- * Observations of foundation reinforcing or framing required by the owner, lender, insurer, building department or any other party will be accomplished by the engineer at the owner's expense. At least 24 hours advance notice is requested.

- * All slabs on grade shall be separated from adjacent structural and finish elements to allow free movement of the slab, unless specifically shown and noted otherwise.

PLANT FABRICATED / PRE-ENGINEERED WOOD FRAMING:

Trussed floor joists and roof joists shall be designed and stamped by a registered engineer to support the full dead loads and the superimposed design loads noted on the drawings.

All pre-engineered trusses shall be designed for the deflection listed:

Floor: Total Load = L/240 or 1" max.	Live Load = L/600
Roof: Total Load = L/240 or 1" max.	Snow Load = L/300

Stresses shall not exceed those listed in the NDS. 15% stress increase may not be used.

Web arrangement and member forces shall be determined by the fabricator.

Manufacture and installation of trusses shall comply with

- ANSI/TPI 1 "National Design Standard for Metal-Plate-Connected Wood Truss Construction",
- TPI H1B "Commentary and Recommendations for Handling Installing and Bracing Metal Plate Connected Wood Trusses",
- TPI DSB "Recommended Design Specification for Temporary Bracing of Metal Plate Connected Wood Trusses".

Calculations and shop drawings, including member sizes, lumber species and grades, and substantiating data for connector capacities, shall be submitted to the Architect and Engineer for review prior to fabrication.

Manufactured "I"-series roof and floor joists shall be by TJI/I-Level, LPI, BCI, NJI, OJ with structural wood flanges and webs, and carry Code approval for the composite section.

Bridging and blocking shall be installed according to the fabricator's requirements.

Shop drawings shall be submitted to the Architect for review prior to fabrication.

Beams noted as LVL on plan shall be 1-3/4" wide Laminated Veneer Lumber beams of the depth noted on plan

Shall be plant-fabricated and manufactured by I Level,

Shall have the following minimum allowable design stresses:

Fb = 2600 psi	Fv = 285 psi	Fc () = 2460 psi	Fc(⊥) = 750 psi	E = 1900 ksi
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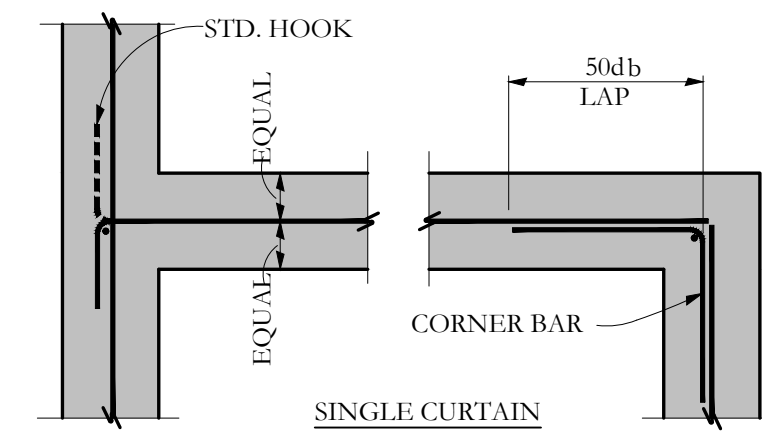
Beams noted as PSL on plan shall be plant-fabricated

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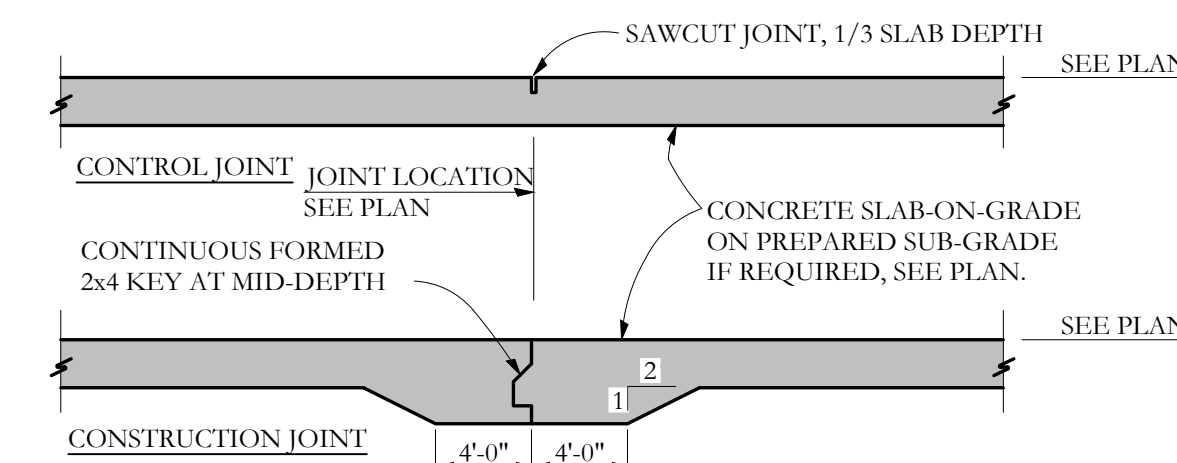
Fb = 2900 psi	Fv = 290 psi	Fc () = 2900 psi	Fc(⊥) = 750 psi	E = 2000 ksi
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ABBREVIATIONS KEY			
AB	Anchor Rod (Bolt)	EF	Each Face
ADDL	Additional	EJ	Expansion Joint
ADJ	Adjustable	ELEV	Elevation
AFF	Above Finished Floor	ELEC	Electric (Electrical)
ALT	Alternate	ENGR	Engineer
AMT	Amount	EQ	Equal
ANCH	Anchor, Anchorage	EQUIP	Equipment
APPROX	Approximate	EQUIV	Equivalent
ARCH	Architect, -ural	FS	Each Side
ATR	All Thread Rod	EST	Estimate
AVG	Average	E-W	East to West
BC	Bottom of Concrete	EXC	Excavate
BL	Brick Ledge	EXP	Expansion
BLK	Block	EXT	Exterior
BLKG	Blocking	FND	Foundation
BM	Beam	FF	Far Face, Finished Floor
BOT	Bottom	F-F	Face to Face
BRG	Bearing	FIG	Figure
BW	Bottom of Wall	FL	Flush
CB	Counterbore	FLG	Flange
CF	Cubic Foot	FLR	Floor
CG	Center of Gravity	FO	Face of
CIP	Cast in Place	FP	Full Penetration
CJ	Construction Joint (Control Joint)	FS	Far Side
CLG	Ceiling	FTG	Footing
CLR	Clear	GA	Gage (Gauge)
CM	Construction Manager (Management)	GALV	Galvanized
CMU	Concrete Masonry Unit	GC	General Contractor
COL	Column	GEN	General
COM	Common	GL	Glue laminated (Glulam)
COMB	Combination	GND	Ground
CONC	Concrete	GR	Grade
CONN	Connection	GT	Girder Truss
CONT	Continue (Continuous)	GYP/BD	Gypsum Board
COORD	Coordinate, -tion	HAS	Headed Anchor Stud
CS	Countersink	HORIZ	Horizontal
CTR	Center	HFT	Height
CY	Cubic Yard	ID	Inside Diameter
DAB	Deformed Anchor Bar	IF	Inside Face
DET	Detail	INT	Interior (Intermediate)
DEV	Develop	JB	Joist Bearing
DIAG	Diagonal	JST	Joist
DIM	Dimension	JT	Joint
DL	Dead Load	K	Kip (1,000 lbs.)
DN	Down	LD	Load
DP	Drilled Pier	LL	Live Load
DT	Double Tee	LLH	Long Leg Horizontal
DWG	Drawing	LLV	Long Leg Vertical
DWL	Dowel	LOC	Location
EA	Each	LSL	Laminated Strand Lumber (generic term)
ECC	Eccentric	LT	Light
E-E	End to End	LVL	Laminated Veneer Lumber (generic term)
EF	Each Face	MACH	Machine
EJ	Expansion Joint	MASY	Masonry
ELEV	Elevation	MATL	Material
ELEC	Electric (Electrical)	MAX	Maximum
ENGR	Engineer	MB	Machine bolt
EQ	Equal	MECH	Mechanical
EQUIP	Equipment	MEZZ	Mezzanine
EQUIV	Equivalent	MFR	Manufacture, -er, -cd
FS	Each Side	MIN	Minimum
EST	Estimate	ML	Microlam (Trus-joist brand LVL)
E-W	East to West	MO	Masonry Opening
EXC	Excavate	MTL	Metal
EXP	Expansion	NF	Near Face
EXT	Exterior	NIC	Not In Contract
FND	Foundation	NS	Near Side
FF	Far Face, Finished Floor	N-S	North to South
F-F	Face to Face	NTS	Not to Scale
FIG	Figure	OCJ	OSHA Column Joist
FL	Flush	OD	Outside Diameter
FLG	Flange	OF	Outside Face
FLR	Floor	OH	Opposite Hand
FO	Face of	OPNG	Opening
FP	Full Penetration	OPP	Opposite
FS	Far Side	OSB	Oriented Strand Board
FTG	Footing	PAF	Powder Actuated Fastener
GA	Gage (Gauge)	PC	Precast
GALV	Galvanized	PCF	Pounds Per Cubic Foot
GC	General Contractor	PEN	Penetration
GEN	General	PERP	Perpendicular
GL	Glue laminated (Glulam)	PL	Property Line
GND	Ground	PLF	Pounds per Linear Foot
GR	Grade	PNL	Panel
GT	Girder Truss	PP	Panel Point
GYP/BD	Gypsum Board	PS	Prestressed
HAS	Headed Anchor Stud	PSF	Pounds per Square Foot
HORIZ	Horizontal	PSI	Pounds per Square Inch
HFT	Height	PSL	Parallel Strand Lumber (generic term)
ID	Inside Diameter	PT (1)	Post Tensioned
IF	Inside Face	PT (2)	Pressure Treated
INT	Interior (Intermediate)	PTN	Partition
JB	Joist Bearing	PWD	Plywood
JST	Joist	QTY	Quantity
JT	Joint	R	Radius
K	Kip (1,000 lbs.)	RE	Reference (refer to)
LD	Load	RECT	Rectangle
LL	Live Load	REIN	Reinforce, -ed, -ing
LLH	Long Leg Horizontal	REQ	Required
LLV	Long Leg Vertical	REQMT	Requirement
LOC	Location	RET	Retaining
LSL	Laminated Strand Lumber (generic term)	RM	Room
LT	Light	RMO	Rough Masonry Opening
LVL	Laminated Veneer Lumber (generic term)	RO	Rough Opening
MACH	Machine	SC	Slip Critical
MASY	Masonry	SCH	Schedule
MATL	Material	SDST	Self Drilling Self Tapping
MAX	Maximum	SECT	Section
MB	Machine bolt	SF	Square Feet
MECH	Mechanical	SHT	Sheet
MEZZ	Mezzanine	SHTG	Sheathing
MFR	Manufacture, -er, -cd	SIM	Similar
MIN	Minimum	SLH	Short Leg Horizontal
ML	Microlam (Trus-joist brand LVL)	SLV	Short Leg Vertical
MO	Masonry Opening	SQG	Slab on Grade
MTL	Metal	SP	Spaces
NF	Near Face	SPEC	Specifications
NIC	Not In Contract	SQ	Square
NS	Near Side	ST	Standard
N-S	North to South	STD	Standard
NTS	Not to Scale	STIFF	Stiffener
OCJ	OSHA Column Joist	STL	Steel
OD	Outside Diameter	STRUCT	Structure, -al
OF	Outside Face	SUPT	Support
OH	Opposite Hand	SY	Square Yard
OPNG	Opening	SYM	Symmetrical
OPP	Opposite	T&B	Top and Bottom
OSB	Oriented Strand Board	T&G	Tongue and Groove
PAF	Powder Actuated Fastener	TB	Top of Beam
PC	Precast	TC	Top of Concrete
PCF	Pounds Per Cubic Foot	TD	Top of Deck
PEN	Penetration	THD	Thread
PERP	Perpendicular	THK	Thick, -ness
PL	Property Line	TJ	Top of Joist
PLF	Pounds per Linear Foot	TL	Total Load
PNL	Panel	TPTG	Topping
PP	Panel Point	TRANS	Transverse
PS	Prestressed	TW	Top of Wall
PSF	Pounds per Square Foot	TYP	Typical
PSI	Pounds per Square Inch	ULT	Ultimate
PSL	Parallel Strand Lumber (generic term)	UNO	Unless Noted Otherwise
PT (1)	Post Tensioned	VERT	Vertical
PT (2)	Pressure Treated	VIF	Verify in Field
PTN	Partition	WA	Wedge Anchor
PWD	Plywood	WP	Work Point
QTY	Quantity	WT	Weight
R	Radius	WWF	Welded Wire Fabric
RE	Reference (refer to)	XS	Extra Strong
RECT	Rectangle	XSECT	Cross-section
REIN	Reinforce, -ed, -ing	XNS	Double Extra Strong
REQ	Required	(E)	Existing
REQMT	Requirement	(N)	New
RET	Retaining	(R)	Remove
RM	Room		
RMO	Rough Masonry Opening		
RO	Rough Opening		

FRAMING PLAN SYMBOLS KEY	
□	WOOD POST
○	STEEL COLUMN
(S)	NUMBER OF WOOD STUDS IN POST BELOW
A	COLUMN ABOVE THIS LEVEL
C	COLUMN CONTINUOUS THROUGH THIS LEVEL
←	JOIST BEARING
→	CONTINUOUS JOIST WITH INTERMEDIATE BEARING
⇄	FLUSH FRAMED JOIST BEARING WITH HANGER
▬	WOOD STUD BEARING WALL BELOW
▬	OVER FRAMING BY OTHERS -TYP
*X*T	NUMBER OF TRIM STUDS UNDER HEADER
*X*K	NUMBER OF KING STUDS ADJACENT TO HEADER



TYPICAL CONCRETE WALL INTERSECTIONS
NO SCALE



TYPICAL JOINTS AT INTERIOR SLAB-ON-GRADE
NO SCALE

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