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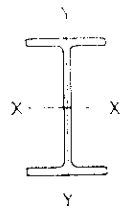
W shapes
Allowable axial loads in kips



Designation		W10											
Wt./ft		60		54		49		45		39		33	
F_y		36	50	36	50	36	50	36	50	36	50	36	50
Effective length in ft KL with respect to least radius of gyration r_y	0	380	528	341	474	311	432	287	399	248	345	210	291
	6	353	482	317	433	289	394	260	351	224	303	189	255
	7	348	472	312	423	284	385	253	340	218	293	184	246
	8	341	461	306	414	279	376	247	328	213	283	179	237
	9	335	450	300	403	273	367	240	316	206	272	173	228
	10	328	437	294	392	268	357	232	303	200	260	167	217
	11	321	425	288	381	262	346	224	289	193	248	161	207
	12	313	412	281	369	256	335	216	274	186	235	155	196
	13	306	398	274	356	249	324	208	259	178	221	149	184
	14	297	383	267	343	242	312	199	243	170	207	142	171
	15	289	368	259	330	235	299	190	227	162	193	135	159
	16	280	353	251	316	228	286	180	209	154	177	127	145
	17	271	337	243	301	221	273	170	191	145	161	120	131
	18	262	320	235	286	213	259	160	172	136	144	112	117
	19	253	303	226	271	205	245	149	154	126	130	103	105
	20	243	285	217	255	197	230	138	139	116	117	95	95
	22	222	248	199	221	180	198	115	115	97	97	78	78
	24	201	209	179	186	161	167	97	97	81	81	66	66
	26	177	178	158	159	142	143	82	82	69	69	56	56
	28	154	154	137	137	123	123	71	71	60	60	48	48
	30	134	134	119	119	107	107	62	62	52	52	42	42
	32	118	118	105	105	94	94	54	54	46	46	37	37
	33	111	111	99	99	88	88	51	51	43	43		
	34	104	104	93	93	83	83						
	36	93	93	83	83	74	74						
Properties													
U		2.55	2.55	2.56	2.56	2.57	2.57	3.25	3.25	3.28	3.28	3.35	3.35
P_{wo} (kips)		99	138	83	116	73	101	79	109	64	89	55	77
P_{wi} (kips/in.)		15	21	13	19	12	17	13	18	11	16	10	15
P_{wb} (kips)		239	282	163	193	127	149	138	163	101	119	79	93
P_{fb} (kips)		104	145	85	118	71	98	86	120	63	88	43	59
L_c (ft)		10.6	9.0	10.6	9.0	10.6	9.0	8.5	7.2	8.4	7.2	8.4	7.1
L_u (ft)		31.1	22.4	28.2	20.3	26.0	18.7	22.8	16.4	19.8	14.2	16.5	11.9
A (in.^{2})		17.6		15.8		14.4		13.3		11.5		9.71	
I_x (in.^{4})		341		303		272		248		209		170	
I_y (in.^{4})		116		103		93.4		53.4		45.0		36.6	
r_y (in.)		2.57		2.56		2.54		2.01		1.98		1.94	
Ratio r_x/r_y		1.71		1.71		1.71		2.15		2.16		2.16	
B_x } Bending		0.264		0.263		0.264		0.271		0.273		0.277	
B_y } factors		0.765		0.767		0.770		1.000		1.018		1.055	
$a_x/10^6$		50.5		45.0		40.6		37.2		31.2		25.4	
$a_y/10^6$		17.3		15.4		13.8		8.0		6.7		5.4	
F'_{ex} $(K_x L_x)^2/10^2$ (kips)		200		198		196		194		189		182	
F'_{ey} $(K_y L_y)^2/10^2$ (kips)		68.5		68.0		66.9		41.9		40.7		39.0	

Note: Heavy line indicates Kl/r of 200.

F_y = 36 ksi
F_y = 50 ksi

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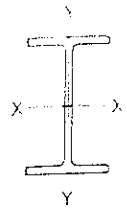

Designation		W8											
Wt./ft		67		58		48		40		35		31	
F_y		36	50	36	50	36	50	36	50	36	50	36	50
Effective length in ft KL with respect to least radius of gyration r_y	0	426	591	369	513	305	423	253	351	222	309	197	274
	6	387	525	336	455	276	375	229	310	201	272	178	241
	7	379	510	328	442	270	363	223	300	197	264	174	234
	8	370	494	320	428	263	352	218	290	191	255	170	226
	9	360	477	312	413	256	339	212	279	186	246	165	217
	10	350	459	303	397	249	326	205	268	180	236	160	208
	11	339	440	293	380	241	312	199	256	174	225	154	199
	12	328	420	283	363	233	297	192	244	168	214	149	189
	13	316	399	273	344	224	282	184	231	162	202	143	179
	14	304	378	263	325	215	266	177	217	155	190	137	168
	15	292	355	251	305	206	249	169	203	148	177	131	156
	16	279	331	240	284	196	232	160	188	141	164	124	145
	17	265	307	228	263	186	214	152	172	133	150	117	132
	18	251	281	216	240	176	195	143	156	125	136	110	119
	19	236	254	203	217	165	175	134	140	117	122	103	107
	20	221	230	190	196	154	158	124	126	109	110	95	97
	22	190	190	162	162	131	131	104	104	91	91	80	80
	24	159	159	136	136	110	110	88	88	76	76	67	67
	26	136	136	116	116	94	94	75	75	65	65	57	57
	28	117	117	100	100	81	81	64	64	56	56	49	49
	30	102	102	87	87	70	70	56	56	49	49	43	43
	32	90	90	76	76	62	62	49	49	43	43	38	38
	33	84	84	72	72	58	58	46	46	40	40	35	35
	34	79	79	68	68	55	55	44	44				
	35	75	75	64	64								
Properties													
U		2.48	2.48	2.50	2.50	2.54	2.54	2.56	2.56	2.59	2.59	2.61	2.61
P_{wo} (kips)		147	205	120	167	86	119	69	96	56	78	48	67
P_{wi} (kips/in.)		21	29	18	26	14	20	13	18	11	16	10	14
P_{wb} (kips)		744	877	533	628	257	303	187	221	120	141	93	110
P_{fb} (kips)		197	273	148	205	106	147	71	98	55	77	43	59
L_c (ft)		8.7	7.4	8.7	7.4	8.6	7.3	8.5	7.2	8.5	7.2	8.4	7.2
L_u (ft)		39.9	28.7	35.3	25.4	30.3	21.8	25.3	18.2	22.6	16.3	20.1	14.5
A (in.^{2})		19.7		17.1		14.1		11.7		10.3		9.13	
I_x (in.^{4})		272		228		184		146		127		110	
I_y (in.^{4})		88.6		75.1		60.9		49.1		42.6		37.1	
r_y (in.)		2.12		2.10		2.08		2.04		2.03		2.02	
Ratio r_x/r_y		1.75		1.74		1.74		1.73		1.73		1.72	
B_x } Bending		0.326		0.329		0.326		0.330		0.330		0.332	
B_y } factors		0.921		0.934		0.940		0.959		0.972		0.985	
$a_x/10^6$		40.6		33.9		27.4		21.7		18.9		16.4	
$a_y/10^6$		13.2		11.2		9.1		7.3		6.3		5.6	
F'_{ex} $(K_x L_x)^2/10^2$ (kips)		144		138		135		129		128		125	
F'_{ey} $(K_y L_y)^2/10^2$ (kips)		46.6		45.7		44.9		43.2		42.7		42.3	

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