

Steel Beam Analysis Part 2

- Steel Codes: ASD vs. LRFD
- Analysis Methods



Pass/Fail Analysis of Steel Beams – for Zone 1 $L_b < L_p$

Given: yield stress, steel section, loading

Find: pass/fail of section

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2. Determine the design moment M_u .
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3. Insure that $L_b < L_p$ (zone 1)
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4. Determine the nominal moment, M_n
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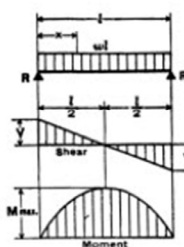
5. Factor the nominal moment
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6. Check that $M_u < \phi M_n$

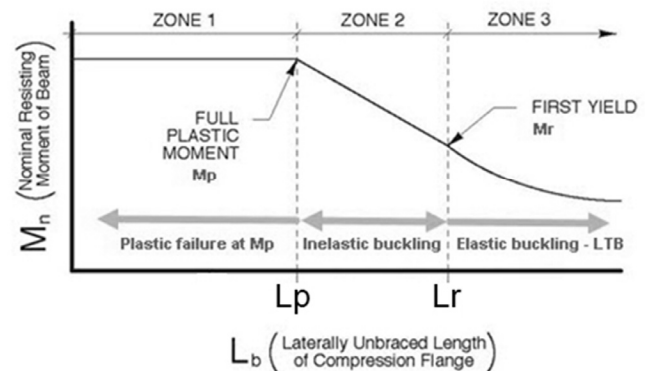
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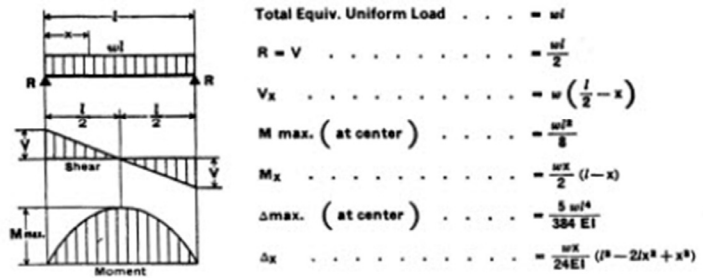
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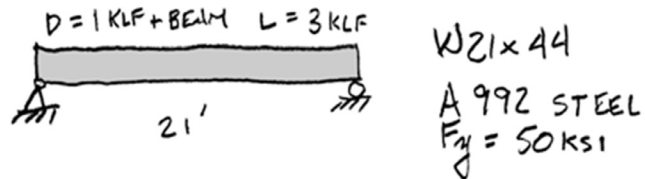
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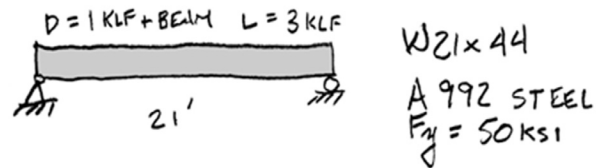
$$L_p = 1.76 (1.26) \sqrt{29000/50}$$

$$L_p = 53.4 \text{ in.} = 4.45 \text{ ft} > 2 \text{ ft} \text{ ok}$$

- Determine the nominal moment, M_n
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- Factor the nominal moment
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- Check that $M_u < \phi M_n$



FROM TABLE 1-1 AISC $Z_x = 95.4 \text{ in}^3$

$$M_n = F_y Z_x = 50 \text{ ksi} \times 95.4 \text{ in}^3 = 4770 \text{ K-in}$$

$$M_n = 4770 \text{ K-in} / 12 = 397.5 \text{ K-ft}$$

$$\phi M_n = 0.9 (397.5) = 357.7 \text{ K-ft}$$

$$M_u = 333.5 \text{ K-ft} < 357.7 \text{ K-ft} = \phi M_n$$

\therefore PASS

Analysis of Steel Beam – $L_b < L_p$

W21x44

CHECK SHEAR:

7. Check shear

FROM AISC TABLE 1-1

$$\frac{h}{t_w} = 53.6 < 59 \text{ (zone 1)}$$

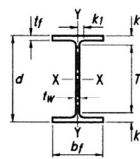



Table 1-1 (continued)
W-Shapes
Dimensions

Shape	Area, A in. ²	Depth, d in.	Web		Flange		Distance				Work-able Gage in.		
			Thickness, t _w in.	t _w /2 in.	Width, b _f in.	Thickness, t _f in.	k		k ₁ in.	T in.			
							k _{des} in.	k _{det} in.					
W21x93	27.3	21.6	2 1/8	5/16	8.42	8 3/8	0.930	1 5/16	1.43	1 5/8	1 5/16	18 3/8	5 1/2
x83°	24.4	21.4	2 1/8	1/2	8.36	8 3/8	0.835	1 3/16	1.34	1 1/2	7/8		
x73°	21.5	21.2	2 1/4	7/16	8.30	8 3/4	0.740	3/4	1.24	1 1/16	7/8		
x68°	20.0	21.1	2 1/8	7/16	8.27	8 3/4	0.685	1 1/16	1.19	1 3/8	7/8		
x62°	18.3	21.0	2 1/8	3/8	8.24	8 3/4	0.615	3/8	1.12	1 3/8	1 3/16		
x55°	16.2	20.8	2 3/8	3/8	8.22	8 3/4	0.522	1/2	1.02	1 3/8	1 3/16		
x48°	14.1	20.6	2 3/8	3/8	8.14	8 3/8	0.430	7/16	0.930	1 1/8	1 3/16		
W21x57°	16.7	21.1	2 1/8	3/8	6.56	6 1/2	0.650	3/8	1.15	1 3/16	1 3/16	18 3/8	3 1/2
x50°	14.7	20.8	2 3/8	3/8	6.53	6 1/2	0.535	3/8	1.04	1 1/4	1 3/16		
x44°	13.0	20.7	2 3/8	3/8	6.50	6 1/2	0.450	7/16	0.950	1 1/8	1 3/16		

Table 1-1 (continued)
W-Shapes
Properties



W21-W18

Nominal wt. lb/ft	Compact Section Criteria		Axis X-X				Axis Y-Y				Torsional Properties			
	b _t	h	I	S	r	Z	I	S	r	Z	r _{ts}	h _o	J	C _w
	2t _w	t _w	in. ⁴	in. ³	in.	in. ³	in. ⁴	in. ³	in.	in. ³	in.	in.	in. ⁴	in. ⁶
93	4.53	32.3	2070	192	8.70	221	92.9	22.1	1.84	34.7	2.24	20.7	6.03	9940
83	5.00	36.4	1830	171	8.67	196	81.4	19.5	1.83	30.5	2.21	20.6	4.34	8630
73	5.60	41.2	1600	151	8.64	172	70.6	17.0	1.81	26.6	2.19	20.5	3.02	7410
68	6.04	43.6	1480	140	8.60	160	64.7	15.7	1.80	24.4	2.17	20.4	2.45	6760
62	6.70	46.9	1330	127	8.54	144	57.5	14.0	1.77	21.7	2.15	20.4	1.83	5960
55	7.87	50.0	1140	110	8.40	126	48.4	11.8	1.73	18.4	2.11	20.3	1.24	4980
48	9.47	53.6	959	93.0	8.24	107	38.7	9.52	1.66	14.9	2.05	20.2	0.803	3950
57	5.04	46.3	1170	111	8.36	129	30.6	9.35	1.35	14.8	1.68	20.5	1.77	3190
50	6.10	49.4	984	94.5	8.18	110	24.9	7.64	1.30	12.2	1.64	20.3	1.14	2570
44	7.21	53.6	843	81.6	8.06	95.4	20.7	6.37	1.26	10.2	1.60	20.3	0.770	2110

Pass/Fail Analysis of Steel Beam – $L_b < L_p$

Example cont.:

7. Check shear

CHECK SHEAR:

$$V_u = \frac{w_u l}{2} = \frac{6.05(21)}{2} = 63.5 \text{ K}$$

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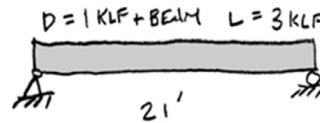
$$V_n = 0.6 F_y A_w = 0.6(50)(20.7 \times 0.35)$$

$$V_n = 217.35 \text{ K}$$

$$\phi V_n = 1.0(217.35) = 217.35 \text{ K}$$

$$V_u = 63.5 \text{ K} < 217.3 \text{ K} = \phi V_n$$

Therefore, pass.



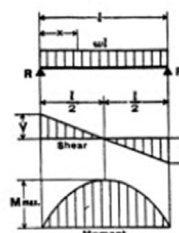
W21x44

A 992 STEEL
F_y = 50 KSI

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R = V = $\frac{wl}{2}$

V_x = $w(\frac{l}{2} - x)$

M max. (at center) = $\frac{wl^2}{8}$

M_x = $\frac{wx}{2}(l-x)$

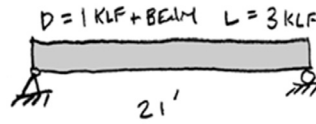
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Δ_x = $\frac{wx}{24EI}(l^3 - 2lx^2 + x^3)$

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Example cont.:

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$$\Delta_{\text{MAX}} = \frac{5 w l^4}{384 EI} = \frac{5(3000) 21^4 (1728)}{384(29000000)(843)} = 0.535''$$

$$\frac{l}{360} = \frac{21(12)}{360} = 0.7''$$

$$\Delta_{\text{ACTUAL}} = 0.535'' < 0.7'' = \Delta_{\text{ALLOWABLE}}$$

TABLE 1604.3 DEFLECTION LIMITS^{a, b, c, h, i}

CONSTRUCTION	L	S or W ^f	D + L ^{d, g}
Roof members: ^e			
Supporting plaster or stucco ceiling	//360	//360	//240
Supporting nonplaster ceiling	//240	//240	//180
Not supporting ceiling	//180	//180	//120
Floor members	//360	—	//240
Exterior walls:			
With plaster or stucco finishes	—	//360	—
With other brittle finishes	—	//240	—
With flexible finishes	—	//120	—
Interior partitions: ^b			
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With flexible finishes	//120	—	—
Farm buildings	—	—	//180
Greenhouses	—	—	//120

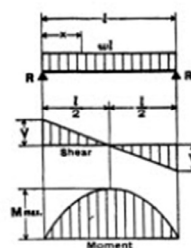
Capacity Analysis of Steel Beam

Given: yield stress, steel section, bracing

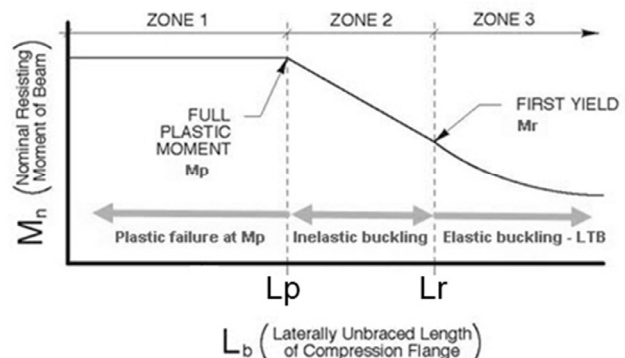
Find: moment or load capacity

- Determine the unbraced length of the compression flange (L_b).
- Find the L_p and L_r values from the AISC properties table 3-6
- Compare L_b to L_p and L_r and determine which equation for M_n or M_{cr} to be used.
- Determine the beam load equation for maximum moment in the beam. Solve for M_n .
- Calculate load based on maximum moment. $M_u = \phi_b M_n$

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Example – Capacity Analysis of Steel Beam

Find applied live load capacity, w_{LL} in KLF

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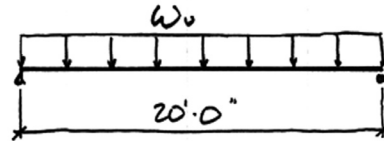
$$w_{DL} = \text{beam} + \text{floor} = 44\text{plf} + 1500\text{plf}$$

$F_y = 50$ ksi, Fully Braced

$$M_y = F_y \cdot S_x = 50 \text{ ksi} \times 81.6 \text{ in}^3 = 4080 \text{ k-in}$$

1. Find the Plastic Modulus (Z_x) and Section Modulus (S_x) for the given section from the AISC table 1-1
2. Determine $1.5 M_y$ (limit of M_p)
3. Determine $M_p = F_y Z_x$
4. Compare M_p and $1.5 M_y$, and choose the lesser of the two for M_n
5. Calculate $M_u = \phi_b M_n$
 $\phi_b = 0.90$

GIVEN: $F_y = 50$ ksi
W21x44
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 $M_n < 1.5 M_y$ (OK)
 $M_u = \phi_b \cdot M_n = 0.9 \cdot 4,770 \text{ k-in}$
 $M_u = 4,293 \text{ k-in} = 357.75 \text{ k-ft}$

Example – Load Analysis cont.

W21x44

6. Using the maximum moment equation, solve for the factored distributed loading, w_u
7. The applied (unfactored) load $w = w_u / (\gamma \text{ factors})$
 $w_u = 1.2w_{DL} + 1.6w_{LL}$

$$M_u = \frac{w_u \cdot l^2}{8} \Rightarrow w_u = \frac{8 M_u}{l^2}$$

$$w_u = \frac{8 \cdot 357.75 \text{ k-ft}}{20 \text{ ft}^2}$$

$$w_u = 7.155 \text{ k-ft}$$

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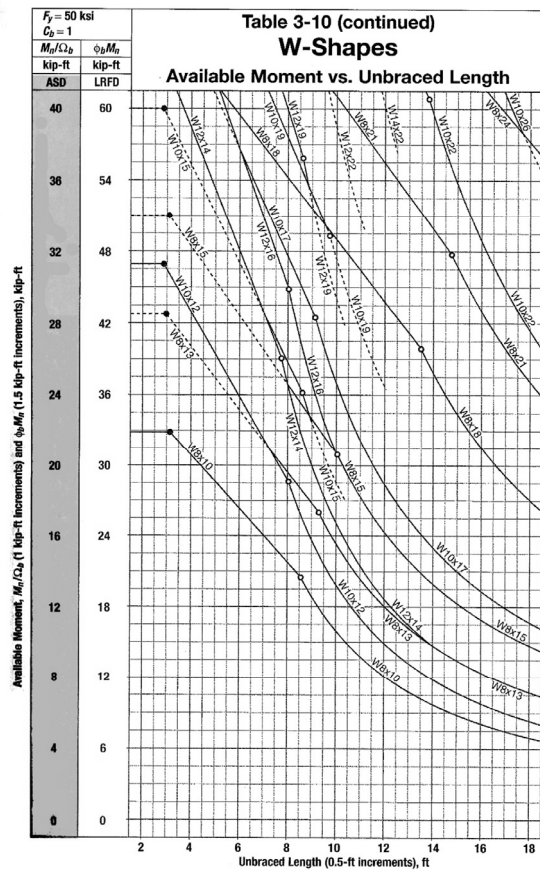
$$w_{LL} = 3.31 \text{ kLF}$$

Steel Beams by LRFD

Moment Capacity Graphs

Analysis for Bending

- Plastic Behavior (zone 1)
 $M_n = M_p$
 Braced against LTB ($L_b < L_p$)
- Inelastic Buckling "Decreased" (zone 2)
 $M_n < M_p$
 $L_p < L_b < L_r$
- Elastic Buckling "Decreased Further" (zone 3)
 $M_n = M_{cr}$
 $L_b > L_r$



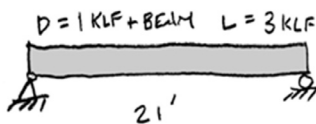
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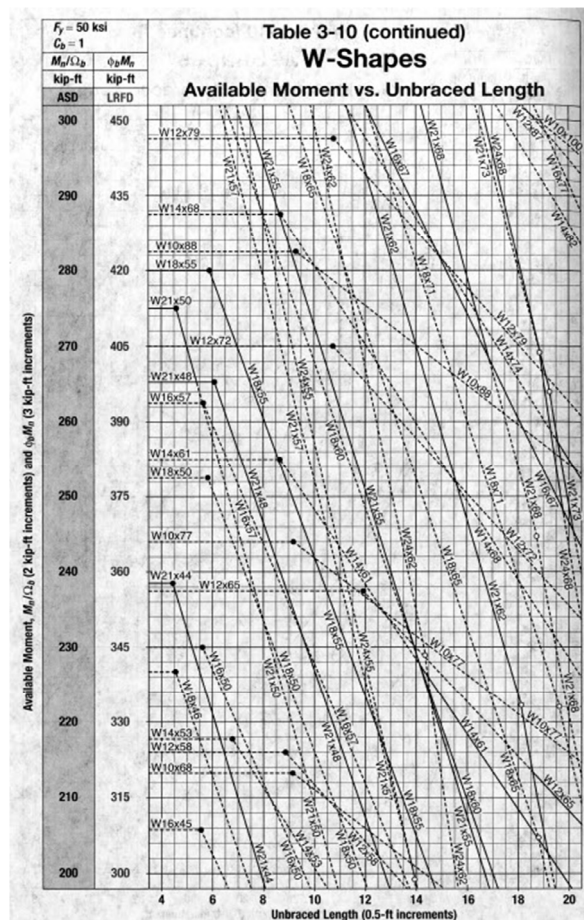


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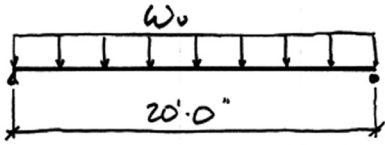
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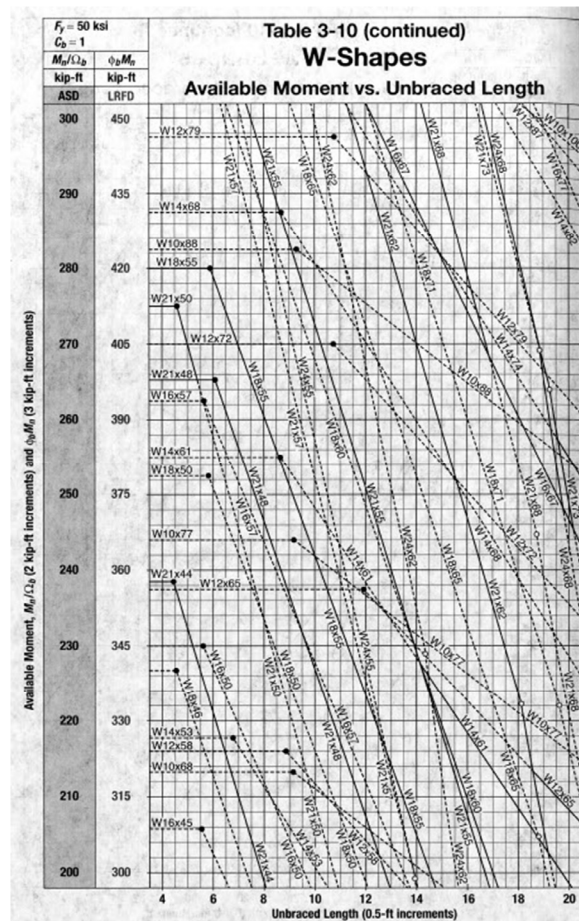
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Modified Sections

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- round, hexagonal, rectangular, sinusoidal
- extendable (added depth)
- cost-efficient
- lightweight

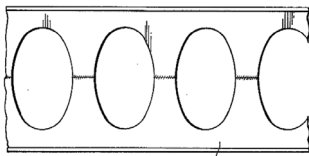
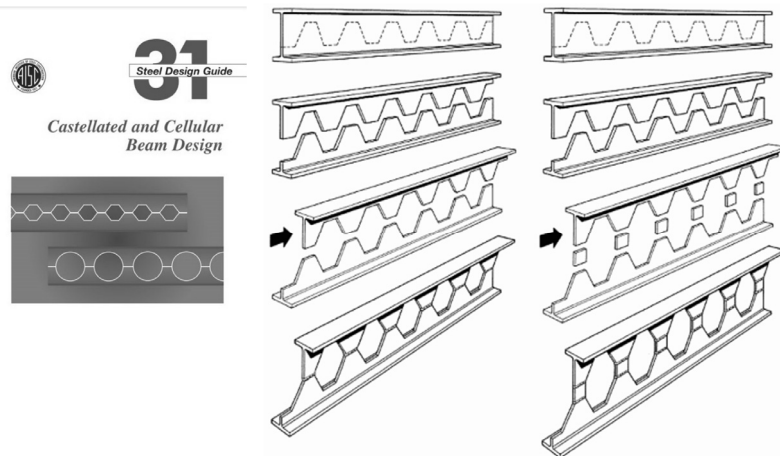


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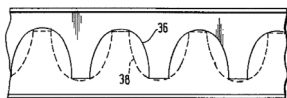


Fig. 2B.

