

NOMENCLATURE for COMPOSITE FLOORS

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As	Cross- sectional area of steel deck (in ² / ft width)	LL	Specified live load (psf)
a	$\frac{\phi_s A_s F_y}{0.85 \phi_c f'_c b} = \frac{A_s F_y}{6.8 f'_c}$	LLmax	Maximum permissible uniformly distributed superimposed load (psf)
b	Unit width of compression face of composite slab (12 in)	LLd	Permissible uniformly distributed superimposed load based on limiting deflection (psf / ft width)
d	Effective slab depth (distance from extreme concrete compression fiber to centroidal axis of the full cross - section of the steel deck) (in)	LLc	Permissible uniformly distributed superimposed load based on Flexural crushing (psf / ft width)
Ec	Modulus of elasticity of concrete (psi) $E_c = \delta c^{1.5} \times 0.043 \text{ SQRT } (f'_c)$	LLs	Permissible uniformly distributed superimposed load based on shear - bond (psf / ft width)
Es	Modulus of elasticity of steel deck (29.5 x 10 ⁶ psi)	LLy	Permissible uniformly distributed superimposed load based on flexural yielding (psf / ft width)
f'c	Specified compressive strength of concrete (psi)	Mnbc	Maximum moment resulting from NBC 4.1.6.4 concentrated load criteria (lb.ft / ft width)
Fy	Specified yield strength of steel deck (psi)	Mru	Factored moment resistance an under-reinforced composite slab (lb.ft / ft width)
h	Overall thickness of composite slab (in)	P	Specified concentrated construction live load (137 lb / ft width)
hc	Thickness of concrete cover above top of steel deck (in)	R	Load resistance (psf)
Ic	Moment of inertia of composite section based on cracked section and equivalent area of concrete (in ⁴ / ft of slab width)	Sm	Section modulus of steel deck at mid-span (in ³ / ft width)
Iu	Moment of inertia of composite section based on uncracked section and equivalent area of concrete (in ⁴ / ft slab width)	Ss	Section modulus of steel deck at support (in ³ / ft width)
Icd	Average moment of inertia for uncracked and cracked composite section (in ⁴ / ft slab width) (Ic + Iu) / 2	Wc	Dead load of wet concrete slab (psf / ft width)
k	0.85 for concrete strengths f'c <= 4000 psi, and is reduced at a rate of 0.055 for each 1000 psi of concrete strength in excess of 4000 psi	Ws	Dead load of steel deck (psf / ft width)
k'	0.425 for concrete strengths f'c <= 4000 psi, and is reduced at a rate of 0.025 for each 1000 psi of concrete strength in excess of 4000 psi	W1	= Wc + Ws (psf / ft width)
Ku	= Square Root ($p \phi + (p \phi / 2)^2 - p \phi / 2$) where $\phi = \frac{0.003 E_s}{0.85 k f'_c} = \frac{1.041 \times 10^{-5}}{k f'_c}$	W2	Uniformly distributed construction live load (20.9 psf / ft width)
	$p = \frac{A_s}{b d}$	W4	Specified superimposed dead load (psf / ft width)
K5	Shear bond coefficient (slope of line) (lb / in)	Ysb	Distance from bottom of steel deck to centroidal axis of steel deck (in)
K6	Shear bond coefficient (intercept of line) (psi)	αd	Dead load factor 1.25
L	Length of span (ft) lessor of a) center to center distance of supporting members b) clear distance between edges of supports plus the depth of the steel deck	αl	Live load factor 1.50
		Ø	Resistance factor
		Øs	Resistance factor for steel 0.90
		Øc	Density of concrete (pcf)
		Øc	Resistance factor for concrete 0.60
		Øv	Resistance factor for shear-bond 0.70
		Øp	Ponding factor 1.10
		Br	Bearing resistance of deck as a form for a bearing length equal to deck depth

CRITERIA for STEEL DECK as a FORM

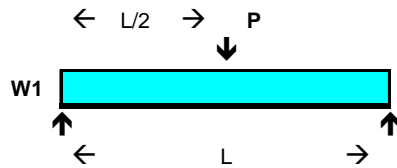
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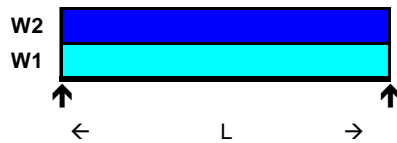
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GOVERNING EXPRESSION

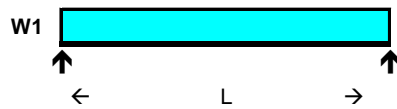
SINGLE SPAN



$$\frac{0.9 F_y S_m \geq 0.125 \alpha_d W_1 L^2 + 0.250 \alpha_l P L}{12}$$



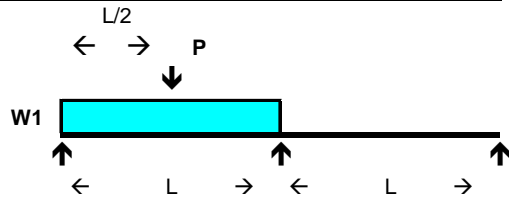
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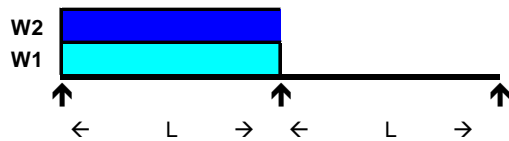
DEFLECTION

$$\frac{25.75 W_1 L^4}{E_s I_d} \leq \frac{12 L}{180} \quad (\text{ or .75 in maximum })$$

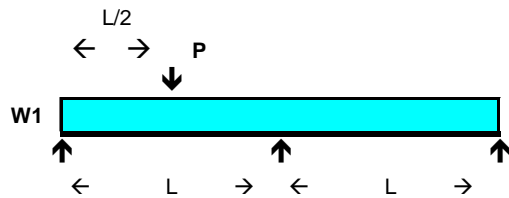
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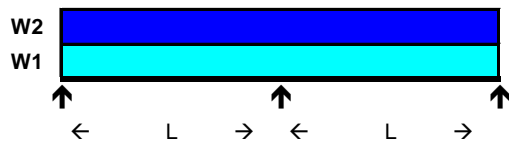
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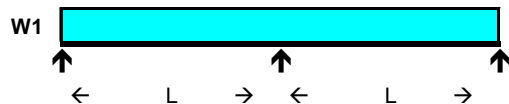
$$\frac{0.9 F_y S_m \geq 0.096 (\alpha_d W_1 + \alpha_l W_2) L^2}{12}$$



$$\frac{0.9 F_y S_s \geq 0.125 \alpha_d W_1 L^2 + 0.094 \alpha_l P L}{12}$$



$$\frac{0.9 F_y S_s \geq 0.125 (\alpha_d W_1 + \alpha_l W_2) L^2}{12}$$



DEFLECTION

$$\frac{10.40 W_1 L^4}{E_s I_d} \leq \frac{12 L}{180} \quad (\text{ or .75 in maximum })$$

CRITERIA for STEEL DECK as a FORM

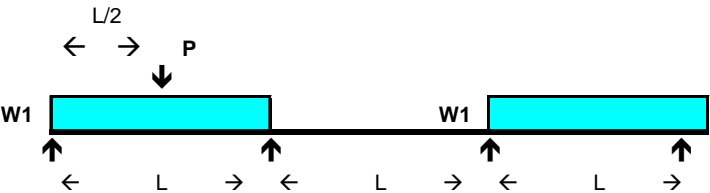
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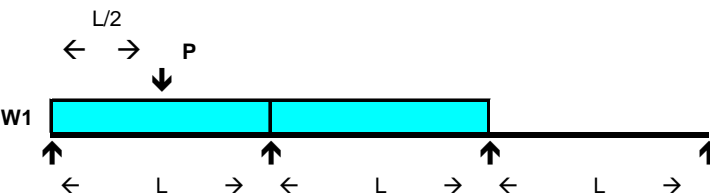
TRIPLE SPAN



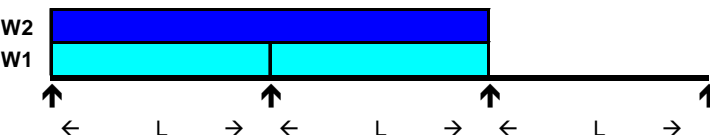
$$\frac{0.9 F_y S_m}{12} \geq 0.101 \alpha d W_1 L^2 + 0.200 \alpha l P L$$



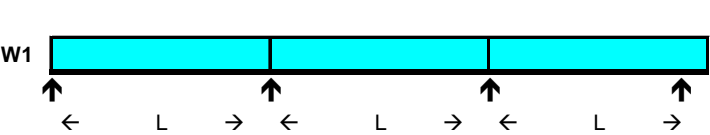
$$\frac{0.9 F_y S_m}{12} \geq 0.101 (\alpha d W_1 + \alpha l W_2) L^2$$



$$\frac{0.9 F_y S_s}{12} \geq 0.117 \alpha d W_1 L^2 + 0.100 \alpha l P L$$



$$\frac{0.9 F_y S_s}{12} \geq 0.117 (\alpha d W_1 + \alpha l W_2) L^2$$



DEFLECTION

$$\frac{13.12 W_1 L^4}{E_s I_{sd}} \leq \frac{12 L}{180} \quad \text{(or .75 in maximum)}$$

COMPOSITE SLAB DESIGN EXPRESSIONS

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Refer to NOMENCLATURE for symbol definitions and factors assumed.
Formulae assume simple span conditions for composite configuration.

BASIS:

$$\phi R = \alpha_d W1 + \alpha_d W4 + \alpha_l LL$$

$$\frac{\phi R}{\alpha_l} - \frac{\alpha_d W1}{\alpha_l} \geq LL + \frac{\alpha_d W4}{\alpha_l}$$

$$LL_{max} \geq LL + 0.833 W4$$

1. SHEAR BOND CONTROLLING

$$LL_s = \frac{11.2 d}{L} \left[\frac{4 K5}{12 L} + K6 \right] - 0.833 W1$$

$$LL_s \geq LL + 0.833 W4$$

2. FLEXURAL YIELDING CONTROLLING FOR UNDER- REINFORCED FLOOR SLAB

$$LL_y = \frac{.40 A_s F_y}{L^2} \left[d - \frac{a}{2} \right] - 0.833 W1$$

$$LL_y \geq LL + 0.833 W4$$

3. FLEXURAL CRUSHING CONTROLLING FOR OVER-REINFORCED FLOOR SLAB

$$LL_c = \frac{2.72 k1 f'c b d^2 K_u}{L^2} \left[1 - K2 K_u \right] - 0.833 W1$$

$$LL_c \geq LL + 0.833 W4$$

4. DEFLECTION CONTROLLING BASED ON L / 360 LIMITATIONS ON COMPOSITE SLAB

$$LL_d = \frac{E_s I_{cd}}{675 n L^3} \quad LL_d \geq LL + W4$$

5. NBC CONCENTRATED LOAD CONTROLLING

$$M_u = \frac{0.9 A_s F_y}{12} \left[d - \frac{a}{2} \right]$$

$$M_{bc} = \frac{1}{8} \left[\frac{3035 (2 L - d / 6) - 7587}{(2.5 + d / 6)} + 1.25 W1 L^2 \right]$$

$$M_u \geq M_{bc}$$