

W-Shapes | ASTM A992, $F_y = 50$ ksi, $F_u = 65$ ksi

S-Shapes | ASTM A36, $F_y = 36$ ksi, $F_u = 58$ ksi

C- and MC-Shapes | ASTM A36, $F_y = 36$ ksi, $F_u = 58$ ksi

CONDITION		ASD	LRFD	RELATED INFO
Tension		$0.6F_y A_g \leq 0.5F_u A_e$	$0.9F_y A_g \leq 0.75F_u A_e$	For A_e , see Equation D3-1.
Bending	Strong Axis	$L_b \leq L_p$	$0.66F_y S_x$	See Note 1. $L_p = 300 r_y / \sqrt{F_y}$ L_r and strengths when $L_b > L_r$ are given in the AISC Manual.
		$L_p < L_b \leq L_r$	Use linear interpolation between L_p and L_r .	
	$L_b = L_r$	$0.42F_y S_x$	$0.63F_y S_x$	
Weak Axis		$0.9F_y S_y$	$1.35F_y S_y$	
Shear (in strong axis)		$0.4F_y A_w$	$0.6F_y A_w$	See Note 2.
Compression	$Kl/r \leq 800/\sqrt{F_y}$	$0.6F_y A_g \times 0.658^P$	$0.9F_y A_g \times 0.658^P$	$P = F_y (Kl/r)^2 / 286,000$ See Note 3.
	$Kl/r > 800/\sqrt{F_y}$	$150,000 A_g / (Kl/r)^2$	$226,000 A_g / (Kl/r)^2$	

Notes:

- Multiply equations given for $L_b \leq L_p$ by value in parentheses for W14×90 (0.97), W12×65 (0.98), and W6×15 (0.95).
- Multiply equations given by 0.9 for W44×230, W40×149, W36×135, W33×118, W30×90, W24×55, W16×26, W12×14 and all C- and MC-shapes. In weak axis, equations given can be adapted by using $A_w = 1.8b_t f_t$.
- Not applicable to slender shapes. For slender shapes, use QF_y in place of F_y , where $Q = Q_s Q_a$ from Section E7. For C- and MC-shapes, also check Section E4.

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Bolts | ASTM A325, $F_u = 120$ ksi or ASTM A490, $F_u = 150$ ksi

Welds | $F_{EXX} = 70$ ksi

Connected Parts

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CONDITION		ASD	LRFD	RELATED INFO	
Bolts	Tension	$0.38F_u A_b$	$0.56F_u A_b$	--	
	Shear (N bolts, per shear plane)	$0.2F_u A_b$	$0.3F_u A_b$	Multiply by 1.25 for X bolts.	
	Slip Resistance (Class A, STD holes)	$0.14F_u A_b$	$0.21F_u A_b$	Per slip plane. See Note 1.	
	Bearing	$0.6F_u L_c t \leq 1.2F_u d_b t$	$0.9F_u L_c t \leq 1.8F_u d_b t$	See Note 2.	
Welds	Shear (all welds except CJP)	$0.3F_{EXX} A_w$	$0.45F_{EXX} A_w$	See Note 3.	
	PJP Groove Welds	Tension	$0.32F_{EXX} A_w$	$0.48F_{EXX} A_w$	See Section J2.1a.
		Compression	$0.48F_{EXX} A_w \leq 0.6F_y A_{BM}$	$0.72F_{EXX} A_w \leq 0.9F_y A_{BM}$	Joint not finished to bear.
	CJP Groove Welds	Strength equal to base metal.		--	
Connected Parts	Tension	$0.6F_y A_g \leq 0.5F_u A_e$	$0.9F_y A_g \leq 0.75F_u A_e$	For A_e , see Equation D3-1.	
	Shear	$0.4F_y A_g \leq 0.3F_u A_n$	$0.6F_y A_g \leq 0.45F_u A_n$	--	
	Block Shear	$0.3F_u A_{nv} + 0.5U_{bs} F_u A_{nt}$	$0.45F_u A_{nv} + 0.75U_{bs} F_u A_{nt}$	See Note 4.	
	Compression	$Kl/r \leq 25$	$0.6F_y A$	$0.9F_y A$	--
$Kl/r > 25$		Same as for W-shapes with $A_g = A$.			

Notes:

- Slip checked as a serviceability limit state using ASD load combinations for ASD, LRFD load combinations for LRFD. For Class B surfaces, multiply by 1.43. For OVS or SSL holes, multiply by 0.85. For LSL holes, multiply by 0.7.
- For LSL holes parallel to the direction of load, multiply by 0.83.
- For fillet welds, multiply by 1.5 for transverse loading (90-degree load angle). For other load angles, see Section J2.
- For calculation purposes, $F_u A_{nv}$ cannot exceed $F_y A_{gv}$. $U_{bs} = 1$ for a uniform tension stress; 0.5 for non-uniform tension stress.

HSS | ASTM A500 grade B, Rectangular $F_y = 46$ ksi, $F_u = 58$ ksi, Round $F_y = 42$ ksi, $F_u = 58$ ksi
Pipe | ASTM A53 grade B, $F_y = 35$ ksi, $F_u = 60$ ksi

CONDITION		ASD	LRFD	RELATED INFO
Tension		$0.6F_y A_g \leq 0.5F_u A_e$	$0.9F_y A_g \leq 0.75F_u A_e$	For A_e , see Equation D3-1.
Bending	Rectangular HSS	$0.66F_y S$	$0.99F_y S$	See Note 1.
	Round HSS, Pipe	$0.78F_y S$	$1.17F_y S$	See Note 2.
Shear	Rectangular HSS	$0.36F_y A_w$	$0.54F_y A_w$	See Note 3.
	Round HSS, Pipe	$0.18F_y A_g$	$0.27F_y A_g$	See Note 4.
Compression	$Kl/r \leq 800/\sqrt{F_y}$	$0.6F_y A_g \times 0.658^P$	$0.9F_y A_g \times 0.658^P$	See Note 5. $P = F_y (Kl/r)^2 / 286,000$
	$Kl/r > 800/\sqrt{F_y}$	$150,000A_g / (Kl/r)^2$	$226,000A_g / (Kl/r)^2$	

Notes:

1. Not applicable if limit at right is exceeded (see Section F7).
2. Not applicable if $D/t > 2,030/F_y$. (see Section F8).
3. Not applicable if limit at right is exceeded (see Section G5).
4. Not applicable if $L_v/D > 75$ (see Section G6).
5. For rectangular HSS, if limit at right is exceeded, use QF_y in place of F_y , where $Q = Q_a$ from Section E7.2. For round HSS and pipe with $D/t > 3,190/F_y$, use QF_y in place of F_y , where $Q = Q_a$ from Section E7.2.

Size Limits for Rectangular HSS, in.*		Nominal Wall Thickness						
		5/8	1/2	3/8	5/16	1/4	3/16	1/8
Bending	Flange	18	14	10	9	7	5	3 1/2
	Web	20	20	20	18	14	10	7
Shear		20	20	20	18	14	10	7
Compression		20	16	12	10	8	6	4

*Table only covers up to 64-in. periphery limit in ASTM A500.

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Simplified Method (see Note 1)

- Step 1. Perform first-order analysis. Use 0.2% of total story gravity load as minimum lateral load in all load combinations.
- Step 2. Establish the design story drift limit and determine the lateral load required to produce it.
- Step 3. Determine the ratio of the total story gravity load to the lateral load determined in Step 2. For ASD, multiply by 1.6.
- Step 4. Multiply first-order results by the tabular value. $K=1$, except for moment frames when the tabular value is greater than 1.1.

Design Story Drift Limit	Ratio from Step 3 (times 1.6 for ASD, 1.0 for LRFD)										
	0	5	10	20	30	40	50	60	80	100	120
H/100	1	1.1	1.1	1.3	1.4	When ratio exceeds 1.5, simplified method requires a stiffer structure.					
H/200	1	1	1.1	1.1	1.2						
H/300	1	1	1	1.1	1.1	1.2	1.2	1.3	1.4	1.5	
H/400	1	1	1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.2	1.2	1.3	1.3	1.4
H/500	1	1	1	1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.2	1.2	1.3	1.3

Other Elastic Methods (for plastic design, see Appendix 1)	Effective Length	Forces and Moments	Limitations	Reference
First-order analysis method – second-order effects captured from effects of additional lateral load	$K = 1$ for all frames (see Note 2)	From analysis	$\Delta_{2nd}/\Delta_{1st} \leq 1.5$; Axial load limited	Section C2.2b
Effective length method – second-order analysis with 0.2% of total story gravity load as minimum lateral load in all load combinations (see Note 3)	$K = 1$, except for moment frames with $\Delta_{2nd}/\Delta_{1st} > 1.1$	From analysis (see Note 3)	$\Delta_{2nd}/\Delta_{1st} \leq 1.5$	Section C2.2a
Direct analysis method – second-order analysis with notional lateral load and reduced EI and AE (see Note 3)	$K = 1$ for all frames	From analysis (see Note 3)	None	Appendix 7

Notes:

- 1. Derived from the effective length method, using the B_1 - B_2 approximation with B_1 taken equal to B_2 .
- 2. An additional amplification for member curvature effects is required for columns in moment frames.
- 3. The B_1 - B_2 approximation (Section C2.1b) can be used to accomplish a second-order analysis within the limitation that $B_2 \leq 1.5$. Also, B_1 and B_2 can be taken equal to the multiplier tabulated for the simplified method above.
- 4. $\Delta_{2nd}/\Delta_{1st}$ is the ratio of second-order drift to first-order drift, which is also represented by B_2 .