

A W21 × 55 with $F_y = 50$ ksi is used for the beam and loads of Fig. 10.4. Check its adequacy in shear,

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Example
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by using table 3-2

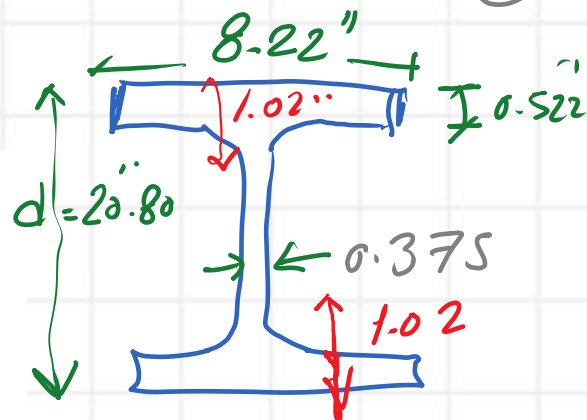
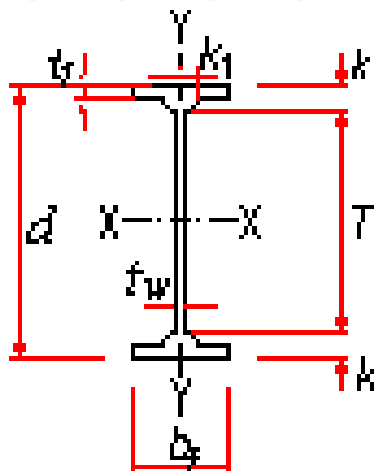
$w_D = 2$ k/ft (includes beam wt)
 $w_L = 4$ k/ft

FIGURE 10.4



Solution

W21 × 55



$$h = 20.80 - 2(1.02) = 18.76"$$

① We need Z_x for W21 × 55

② Table 3-2 Sorted by
 $Z_x \rightarrow$ select W21 × 55

③ check ϕV_n , $\frac{V_n}{2}$

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Table 1-1 (continued)
W-Shapes
Properties



W24-W21

W21 x 55

Nom- inal Wt.	Compact Section Criteria		Axis X-X				Axis Y-Y				r_{ts}	h_o	Torsional Properties	
													J	C_w
	$\frac{b_f}{2t_f}$	$\frac{h}{t_w}$	I in. ⁴	S in. ³	r in.	Z in. ³	I in. ⁴	S in. ³	r in.	Z in. ³			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

$Z_x = 126 \text{ inch}^3$

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$F_y = 50 \text{ ksi}$

Table 3-2 (continued)
W-Shapes
Selection by Z_x

Z_x

Shape	Z_x	M_{px}/Ω_b	$\phi_b M_{px}$	M_{rx}/Ω_b	$\phi_b M_{rx}$	BF/Ω_b	$\phi_b BF$	L_p	L_r	I_x	V_{nx}/Ω_v	$\phi_v V_{nx}$
		kip-ft	kip-ft	kip-ft	kip-ft	kips	kips				kips	kips
	in. ³	ASD	LRFD	ASD	LRFD	ASD	LRFD				ASD	LRFD
W21×55	126	314	473	192	289	10.8	16.3	6.11	17.4	1140	156	234

$$\phi_v V_{nx} = 234 \text{ kips}$$

$$\downarrow \frac{V_{nx}}{\Omega} = 156 \text{ kips}$$

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CHAPTER G DESIGN OF MEMBERS FOR SHEAR

This chapter addresses webs of singly or doubly symmetric members subject to shear in the plane of the web, single angles and *HSS* sections, and shear in the weak direction of singly or doubly symmetric shapes.

The chapter is organized as follows:

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- G1. General Provisions
 - G2. Members with Unstiffened or Stiffened Webs
 - G3. Tension Field Action
 - G4. Single Angles
 - G5. Rectangular *HSS* and Box-Shaped Members
 - G6. Round *HSS*
 - G7. Weak Axis Shear in Doubly Symmetric and Singly Symmetric Shapes
 - G8. Beams and Girders with Web Openings

User Note: For cases not included in this chapter, the following sections apply:

- H3.3 Unsymmetric sections
- J4.2 Shear strength of connecting elements
- I10.6 Web panel zone shear

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G1. GENERAL PROVISIONS

Two methods of calculating shear strength are presented below. The method presented in Section G2 does not utilize the post *buckling strength* of the member (*tension field action*). The method presented in Section G3 utilizes tension field action.

The *design shear strength*, $\phi_v V_n$, and the *allowable shear strength*, V_n/Ω_v , shall be determined as follows:

For all provisions in this chapter except Section G2.1(a):

$$\phi_v = 0.90 \text{ (LRFD)} \quad \Omega_v = 1.67 \text{ (ASD)}$$

C2.1a →

G2. MEMBERS WITH UNSTIFFENED OR STIFFENED WEBS

1. Shear Strength

This section applies to webs of singly or doubly symmetric members and channels subject to shear in the plane of the web.

The *nominal shear strength*, V_n , of unstiffened or stiffened webs according to the *limit states of shear yielding and shear buckling*, is

V_n ↗

$$V_n = 0.6F_y A_w C_v \quad (\text{G2-1})$$

G2.1a

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G2. I-SHAPED MEMBERS AND CHANNELS**1. Shear Strength of Webs without Tension Field Action**

The nominal shear strength, V_n , is:

$$V_n = 0.6F_y A_w C_{v1} \quad (\text{G2-1})$$

where

F_y = specified minimum yield stress of the type of steel being used, ksi (MPa)

A_w = area of web, the overall depth times the web thickness, dt_w , in.² (mm²)

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(a) For webs of rolled I-shaped members with $h/t_w \leq 2.24\sqrt{E/F_y}$

$$\phi_v = 1.00 \text{ (LRFD)} \quad \Omega_v = 1.50 \text{ (ASD)}$$

and

$$C_{v1} = 1.0 \quad (\text{G2-2})$$

where

E = modulus of elasticity of steel = 29,000 ksi (200 000 MPa)

h = clear distance between flanges less the fillet at each flange, in. (mm)

t_w = thickness of web, in. (mm)

User Note: All current ASTM A6 W, S and HP shapes except W44×230, W40×149, W36×135, W33×118, W30×90, W24×55, W16×26 and W12×14 meet the criteria stated in Section G2.1(a) for $F_y = 50$ ksi (345 MPa).

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$$K_v = 5.34$$

(b) For all other I-shaped members and channels

(1) The web shear strength coefficient, C_{v1} , is determined as follows:

(i) When $h/t_w \leq 1.10\sqrt{k_v E / F_y}$

$$C_{v1} = 1.0 \quad (G2-3)$$

where

h = for built-up welded sections, the clear distance between flanges, in. (mm)

= for built-up bolted sections, the distance between fastener lines, in. (mm)

(ii) When $h/t_w > 1.10\sqrt{k_v E / F_y}$

$$C_{v1} = \frac{1.10\sqrt{k_v E / F_y}}{h/t_w} \quad (G2-4)$$

(2) The web plate shear buckling coefficient, k_v , is determined as follows:

(i) For webs without transverse stiffeners

$$k_v = 5.34$$

(ii) For webs with transverse stiffeners

$$k_v = 5 + \frac{5}{(a/h)^2} \quad (G2-5)$$
$$= 5.34 \text{ when } a/h > 3.0$$

where

a = clear distance between transverse stiffeners, in. (mm)

User Note: For all ASTM A6 W, S, M and HP shapes except M12.5×12.4, M12.5×11.6, M12×11.8, M12×10.8, M12×10, M10×8 and M10×7.5, when $F_y = 50$ ksi (345 MPa), $C_{v1} = 1.0$.

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Check $W_{40} \times 149 \Rightarrow I_x = 598 \text{ inch}^4$

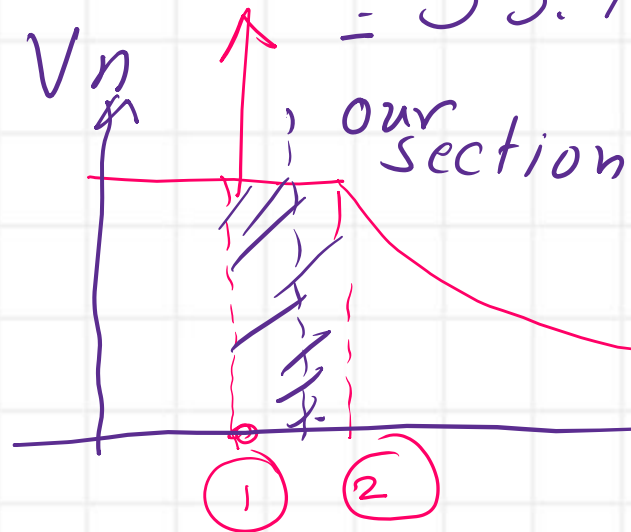
$$\frac{h}{t_w} = 54.3 \Rightarrow F_y = 50 \text{ ksi}; K_v = 5.34$$

$$E = 29000$$

Limiting $2.24 \sqrt{\frac{E}{F_y}}$

Part-2

$$= 53.94 \approx 54.0 \rightarrow \text{Point 1}$$



$$1.10 \sqrt{\frac{K_v E}{F_y}} = 1.10 \sqrt{\frac{(5.34) 29000}{50}}$$

$$= 61.22, C_{v,1}$$

	W40X149	
A =	43.8	in. ²
d =	38.2	in.
t _w =	0.63	in.
b _f =	11.8	in.
t _f =	0.83	in.
k(des) =	2.01	in.
k(det) =	2.125	in.
k ₁ =	1.5	in.
T =	34	in.
gage =	7.5	in.
wt./ft. =	149	plf.
b _f /(2*t _f) =	7.11	
h/t _w =	54.3	
I _x =	9800	in. ⁴
S _x =	513	in. ³
r _x =	15	in.
Z _x =	598	in. ³
I _y =	229	in. ⁴
S _y =	38.8	in. ³
r _y =	2.29	in.
Z _y =	62.2	in. ³
r _{ts} =	2.89	in.

$$d = 38.2" \quad W40 \times 149 \quad \phi_v = 0.90$$

$$t_w = 0.63 \quad F_y = 50 \text{ ksi} \quad U_v = 1.67$$

$$A_w = d t_w = 0.63 (38.2) = 24.07 \text{ inch}^2$$

$$\phi V_n = C_{v1} (0.6 F_y) A_w \phi_v$$

$$\begin{aligned} & (1) \\ & = 1 (0.6) (50) (24.07) (0.90) = 649.89 \\ \frac{V_n}{\phi} & = 1 (0.6) (50) (24.07) \left(\frac{1}{1.67} \right) \approx 650 \text{ K} \\ & = 432.40 \text{ K} \\ & \Rightarrow 432 \text{ K} \end{aligned}$$

	W40X149	
A =	43.8	in. ²
d =	38.2	in.
t _w =	0.63	in.
b _f =	11.8	in.
t _f =	0.83	in.
k(des) =	2.01	in.
k(det) =	2.125	in.
k ₁ =	1.5	in.
T =	34	in.
gage =	7.5	in.
wt./ft. =	149	plf.
b _f /(2*t _f) =	7.11	
h/t _w =	54.3	
I _x =	9800	in. ⁴
S _x =	513	in. ³
r _x =	15	in.
Z _x =	598	in. ³
I _y =	229	in. ⁴
S _y =	38.8	in. ³
r _y =	2.29	in.
Z _y =	62.2	in. ³
r _{ts} =	2.89	in.

W40 X 149 in Part 2

Z_x

Table 3-2 (continued)
W-Shapes
Selection by Z_x

$F_y = 50$ ksi

Shape	Z_x in. ³	M_{px}/Ω_b	$\phi_b M_{px}$	M_{rx}/Ω_b	$\phi_b M_{rx}$	BF/Ω_b	$\phi_b BF$	L_p ft	L_r ft	I_x in. ⁴	V_{nx}/Ω_v	$\phi_v V_{nx}$
		kip-ft	kip-ft	kip-ft	kip-ft	kips	kips				kips	kips
		ASD	LRFD	ASD	LRFD	ASD	LRFD				ASD	LRFD
W40×149 ^v	598	1490	2240	896	1350	38.3	57.4	8.09	23.6	9800	432	650
W36×150	581	1450	2180	880	1320	34.4	51.9	8.72	25.3	9040	449	673

$$\left. \begin{aligned} \phi_v V_n &= 650 \text{ k} \\ \frac{V_n}{\Omega_v} &= 432 \text{ k} \end{aligned} \right\}$$

Matches with
our calculation

G2.1.b

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(b) For all other I-shaped members and channels

(1) The web shear strength coefficient, C_{v1} , is determined as follows:

(i) When $h/t_w \leq 1.10\sqrt{k_v E / F_y}$

$$C_{v1} = 1.0$$

(G2-3)

where

h = for built-up welded sections, the clear distance between flanges, in. (mm)

= for built-up bolted sections, the distance between fastener lines, in. (mm)

(ii) When $h/t_w > 1.10\sqrt{k_v E / F_y}$

$$C_{v1} = \frac{1.10\sqrt{k_v E / F_y}}{h/t_w}$$

(G2-4)

(2) The web plate shear buckling coefficient, k_v , is determined as follows:

(i) For webs without transverse stiffeners

$$k_v = 5.34$$

(ii) For webs with transverse stiffeners

$$k_v = 5 + \frac{5}{(a/h)^2}$$

(G2-5)

$$= 5.34 \text{ when } a/h > 3.0$$

where

a = clear distance between transverse stiffeners, in. (mm)

User Note: For all ASTM A6 W, S, M and HP shapes except M12.5×12.4, M12.5×11.6, M12×11.8, M12×10.8, M12×10, M10×8 and M10×7.5, when $F_y = 50$ ksi (345 MPa), $C_{v1} = 1.0$.

Term is C_{v1}

check why

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M12.5 x 12.4

User Note: For all ASTM A6 W, S, M and HP shapes except M12.5x12.4, M12.5x11.6, M12x11.8, M12x10.8, M12x10, M10x8 and M10x7.5, when $F_y = 50$ ksi (345 MPa), $C_{v1} = 1.0$.

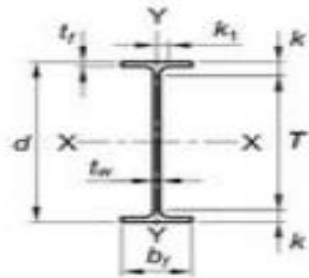


Table 1-2
M-Shapes
Dimensions

Shape	Area, <i>A</i>	Depth, <i>d</i>		Web			Flange				Distance				Workable Gage
				Thickness, <i>t_w</i>		<i>t_w</i> / 2	Width, <i>b_f</i>		Thickness, <i>t_f</i>		<i>k</i>	<i>k</i> ₁	<i>T</i>		
	in. ²	in.	in.	in.	in.	in.	in.	in.	in.	in.	in.	in.	in.	in.	
M12.5×12.4 ^{Cv}	3.63	12.5	12½	0.155	⅛	⅛	3.75	3¾	0.228	¼	9/16	3/8	11⅜	—	
×11.6 ^{Cv}	3.40	12.5	12½	0.155	⅛	⅛	3.50	3½	0.211	3/16	9/16	3/8	11⅜	—	

Nom- inal Wt.	Compact Section Criteria		Axis X-X				Axis Y-Y				r_{ts}	h_o	$\frac{J}{S_x h_o}$	Torsional Properties	
			I	S	r	Z	I	S	r	Z				J	C_w
	$\frac{b_f}{2t_f}$	$\frac{h}{t_w}$													
12.4	8.22	74.8	89.3	14.2	4.96	16.5	2.01	1.07	0.744	1.68	0.933	12.3	0.000283	0.0493	76.0
11.6	8.29	74.8	80.3	12.8	4.86	15.0	1.51	0.864	0.667	1.37	0.852	12.3	0.000263	0.0414	57.1

$\frac{h}{t_w} = 74.80, d = 12.5"$
 $K_v = 5.34, t_w = 0.155"$

$1.10 \sqrt{K_v \frac{E}{F_y}} = 1.1 \sqrt{5.34 \frac{29000}{50}} = 61.22$

$\frac{h}{t_w} > 1.1 \sqrt{K_v \frac{E}{F_y}}$
 $C_{v1} \neq 1$

$A_w = (12.5)(0.155) = 1.9375 \text{ inch}^2$

$$= 53.94 \approx 54$$

$$h/t_w = 1.1 \sqrt{\frac{K_v E}{F_y}}$$

$$\frac{h}{LW} = 1.1 \sqrt{\frac{5.34(29000)}{50}}$$

$$= 61.22$$

$$C_{vi} = \frac{1.10 \sqrt{\frac{K_r E}{F_{yw}}}}{R/t_w}$$

$$\frac{h}{t_w} = 74.80$$

$$C_{V_1} = \frac{1.1 \sqrt{\frac{5.34(29000)}{50}}}{74.80} = 0.818$$

$$V_n = 0.60(50) (12.5)(0.155) 0.818$$

$$= 47.55 \text{ kips}$$

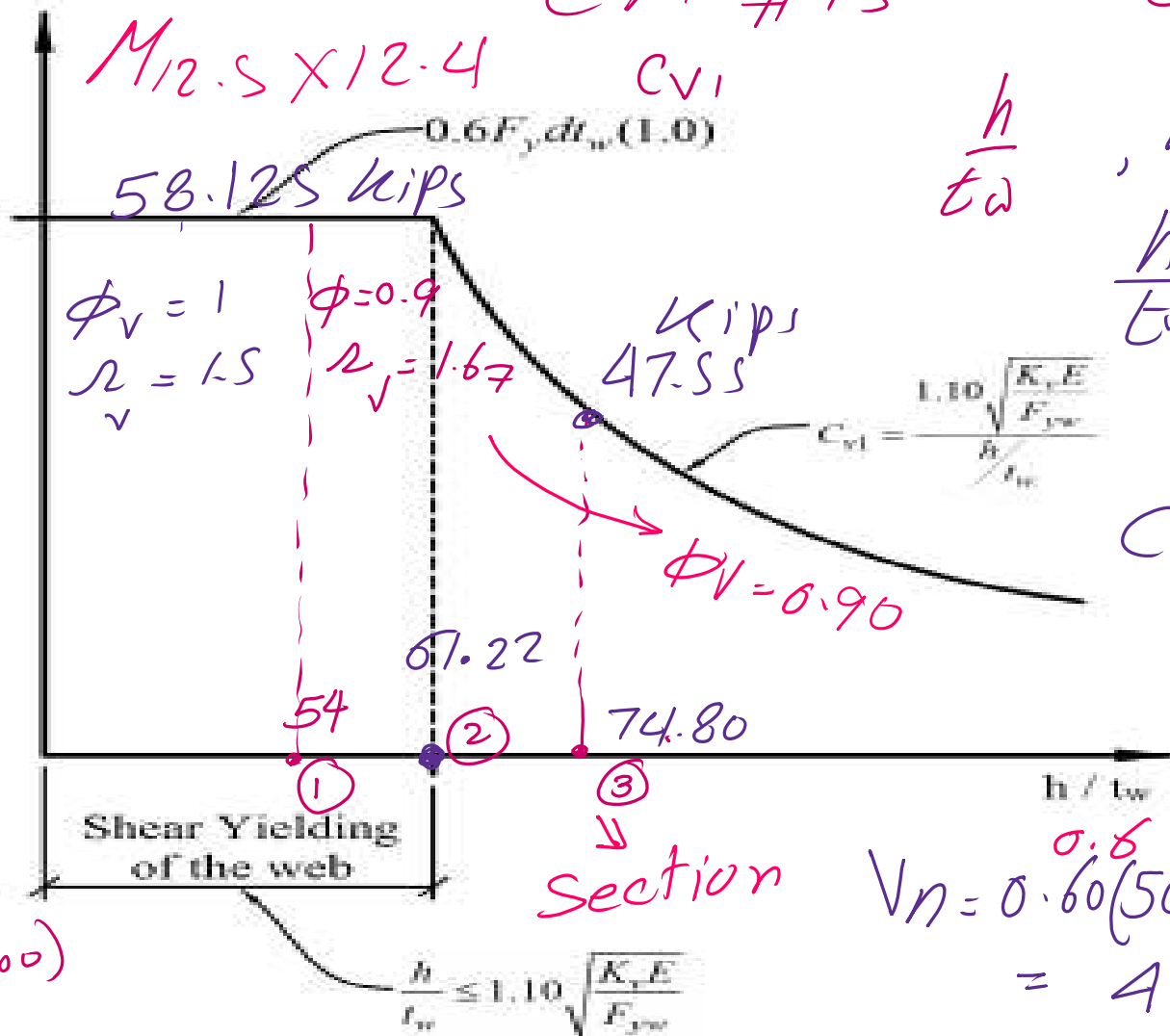


FIGURE 6-7c Shear strength variation in a flexural member

$$\phi_V = 0.90, F_y = 50 \text{ ksi};$$

$$\lambda_V = 1.67,$$

$$M_{12.5} \times 12.4$$

$$43 \text{ k}$$

$$V_n = 47.55 \text{ k} \Rightarrow \phi V_n = 0.90 (47.55) = 42.795 \text{ k}$$

$$\frac{V_n}{\lambda} = \frac{47.55}{1.67} = 28.47 \text{ k}$$

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