

July 23, 2021

Attn: Mr. Pat Hastings
Dynamic Energy
1550 Liberty Ridge Drive, Suite 310
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(484) 318-8802

RE: STAG – Pepe Farms
Roof Framing Analysis
40 Pepes Farm Road
Milford, CT 06460

SEI Project No.: 21355.00

Dear Mr. Hastings,

Structural Enginuity Inc. (SEI) has analyzed the existing building for a new roof solar array using the 2018 Connecticut State Building Code. Based on Dynamic Energy's site observations, the roof framing is understood to consist of a metal deck on 30" deep joists spaced 6'-2" apart and spanning between 36" deep joist girders. The building uses steel columns consisting of wide flange shapes.

The existing roof has been analyzed to support a new solar array system. The building construction can support a new solar PV array with a maximum average load of 6.0 psf. These proposed loads and the analysis of the existing members can be seen in SEI's attached calculations. This weight is typically enough to accommodate a fully ballasted racking system. Therefore, it is SEI's professional opinion that the existing roof framing is structurally adequate to support the proposed solar array system. It should be noted that the proposed loading is assuming that the proposed solar array covers the entirety of the roof and the existing framing may be able to support a higher load for an array that is limited to only a portion of the roof surface. If a higher load is necessary, SEI would need to further analyze the detailed racking layout in order to determine if the framing is acceptable.

Please contact our office, at your convenience, should you have any further questions relating to this matter.

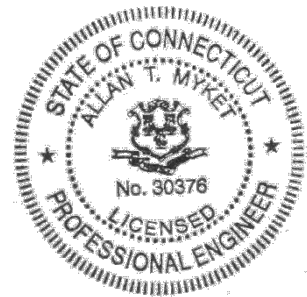
Sincerely,



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Attachments:

- SEI Roof Structural Framing Analysis
- Dynamic Energy Drawings



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Project Name: STAG INDUSTRIAL HOLDINGS

Roof Structural Analysis

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Project Client: Dynamic Energy™

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Client Contact: Pat Hastings

phastings@dynamicenergy.com

Design References: 2018 Connecticut State Building Code

ASCE 7-16

Scope of Work:

Provide structural engineering services required in the preparation of construction contract documents for the installation of solar panels at the address listed above. The racking system and proposed array layout, provided by client, will be used in conformance with the 2018 Connecticut State Building Code to determine if the existing structure has the capacity to support the addition of the array.

Existing Structure:

The storage facility is approximately 642'-5" x 315'-4" with a flat roof. The roof is supported by 30" deep open web steel joists which run to 36" deep joist girders.



Loads



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DEAD LOADS

Building Section: Roof 1
Building Section Description: Solar PV modules to be mounted on roof with a ballasted racking system. The roof consists of a waterproofing membrane over rigid insulation and a metal deck. The deck is supported by open web metal bar joists

Existing Dead Loads

Roof deck with foam insulation	3	psf
Metal Deck	3	psf
Steel Joists	3	psf
MEP & Misc	5	psf
	14	psf

Proposed Dead Loads

Proposed Solar Array	6	psf
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LIVE LOADS

Building Section: Main Roof

Proposed Live Loads

Roofs - Ordinary flat pitched, and curved roofs ¹	20	psf	IBC 2018 Table 1607.1
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Note 1: Per IBC 2018 1607.13.5.1: Roof live loads need not be applied to the area covered by photovoltaic panels where the clear space between the panels and the roof surface is 24 inches or less.



Decking Check



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DECKING:

Assume Vulcraft 1.5B 22 Gauge roof deck
3 span condition
6'-2" ft span

Per inspection, existing metal deck is type 1.5B deck manufactured by Vulcraft.

Allowable loading

87 psf

Vulcraft Deck Catalog

Roof loading

Dead Load	14	psf
Roof Live Load	20	psf
Snow Load	25.2	psf
Proposed Solar Array	6	psf

Load combinations

D	14	psf
D+Lr	34	psf
D+S+Solar	45.20	psf
D+0.75Lr	29	psf
D+0.75S	32.9	psf

CONTROLS

Controlling load combination **45.2 psf** < Allowable load = **87 psf** **OK**

Vulcraft 1.5B 22 Gauge deck OK



Framing Check

GENERAL STANDARD JOIST ANALYSIS

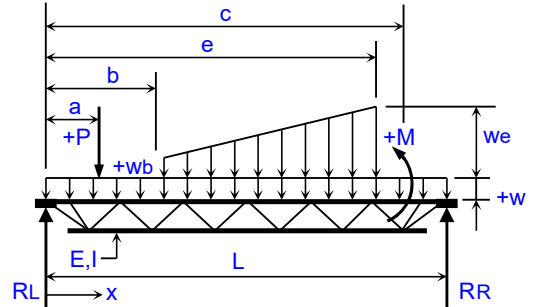
For Steel Joists Considered as Simple-Span Beams
Subjected to Non-Standard Loads

Job Name:	Subject:		Job Number:	Originator:	Checker:
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Input Data:

Joist Data:

Designation = **K-series**
 Span, L = **38.7100** ft.
 Modulus, E = **29000000** psi
 Inertia, Ix = **382.86** in.⁴ W(LL) = **253**



Nomenclature

Original Design or Capacity Loads:

Full Uniform:

w = **336** plf

	Start		End	
Distributed:	b (ft.)	wb (plf)	e (ft.)	We (plf)
#1:				
#2:				
#3:				
#4:				
#5:				
#6:				
#7:				
#8:				

	c (ft.)	M (ft-lbs)
#1:		
#2:		
#3:		
#4:		

	a (ft.)	P (lbs.)
#1:		
#2:		
#3:		
#4:		
#5:		
#6:		
#7:		
#8:		
#9:		
#10:		
#11:		
#12:		
#13:		
#14:		
#15:		

New Design Loads:

Full Uniform:

w = plf

	Start		End	
Distributed:	b (ft.)	wb (plf)	e (ft.)	We (plf)
#1:	0.0000	86.33333	38.7100	86.33333
#2:	0.0000	155.4	38.7100	155.4
#3:	0.0000	37	38.7100	37
#4:				
#5:				
#6:				
#7:				
#8:				

Dead Load
Snow Loac
Solar Load

	c (ft.)	M (ft-lbs)
#1:		
#2:		
#3:		
#4:		

	a (ft.)	P (lbs.)
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Results of Joist Analysis:

Original Design or Capacity Loads:

End Reactions:

RL = lbs. RR = lbs.

Minimum Design Web Member Shear:

$V_w(\min) =$ lbs. (25% of maximum end reaction for K-series and LH-series joists per SJI Spec's.)

Maximum Moments:

+Mx(max) = ft-lbs @ X = ft.
-Mx(max) = ft-lbs @ X = ft.

***Maximum Deflections:**

- $\Delta(\max) =$ in. @ X = ft.
+ $\Delta(\max) =$ in. @ X = ft.
 $\Delta(\text{ratio}) =$

**Note: deflections shown above include a 15% increase above the values calculated using traditional "simple-beam" flexure in order to more closely match actual test results obtained by SJI.*

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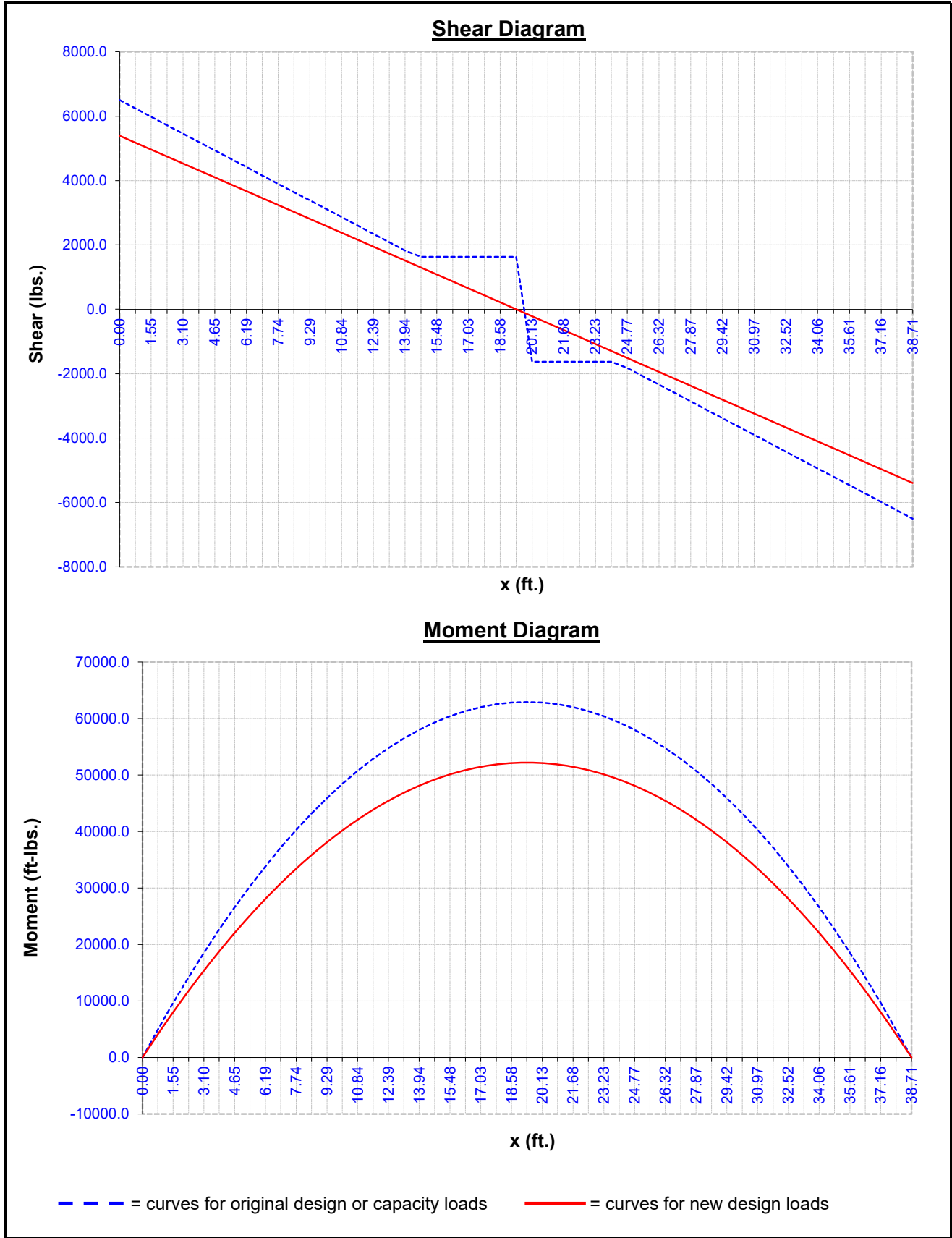
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Maximum Stress Ratios:

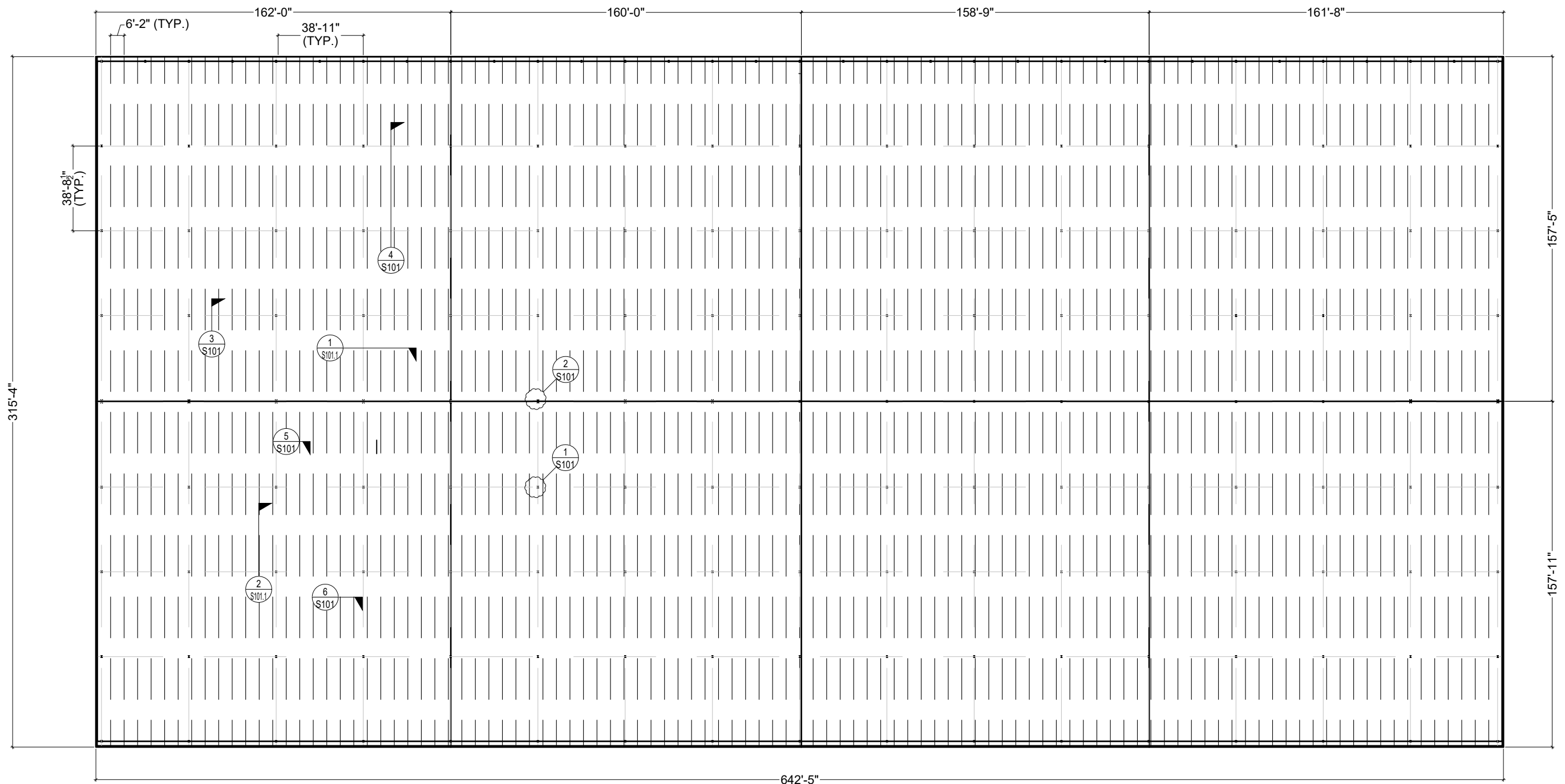
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Comments:



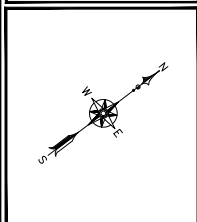


Appendix A: Dynamix Energy Drawings



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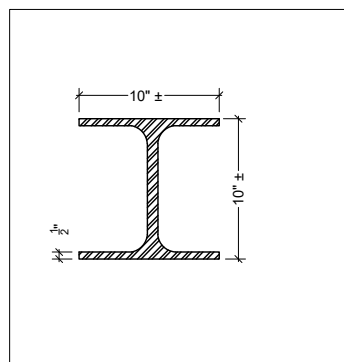


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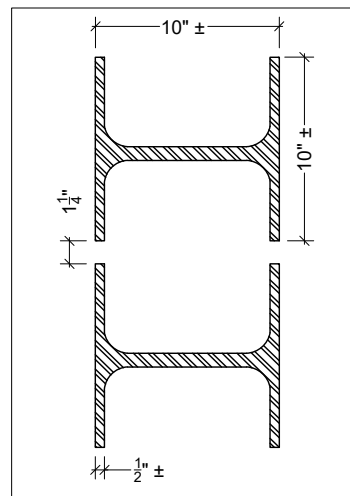
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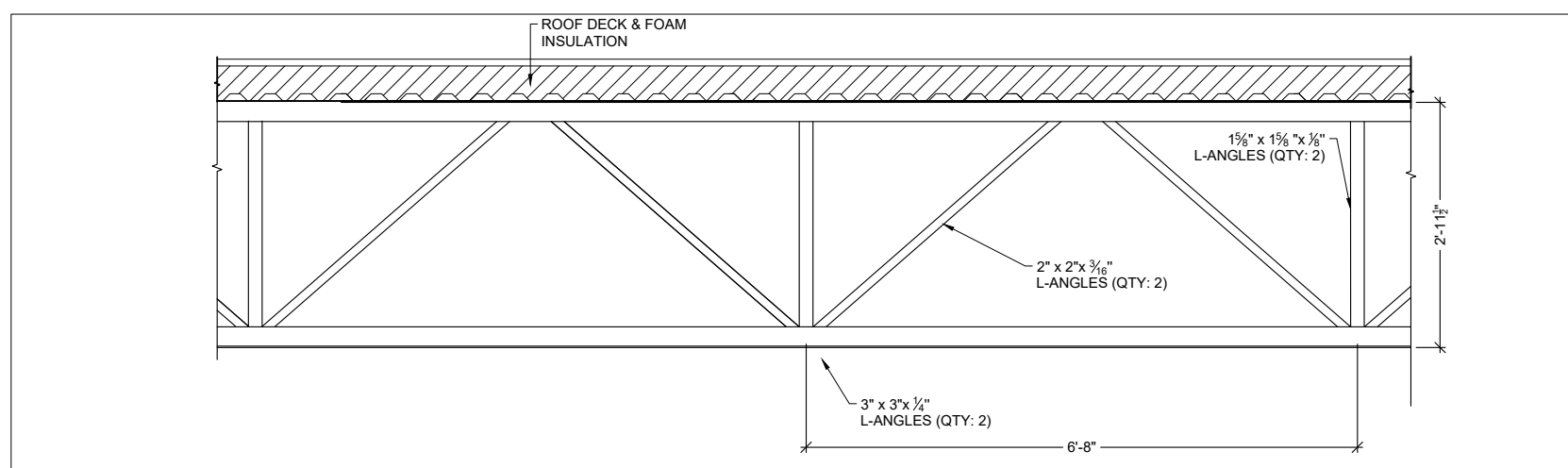
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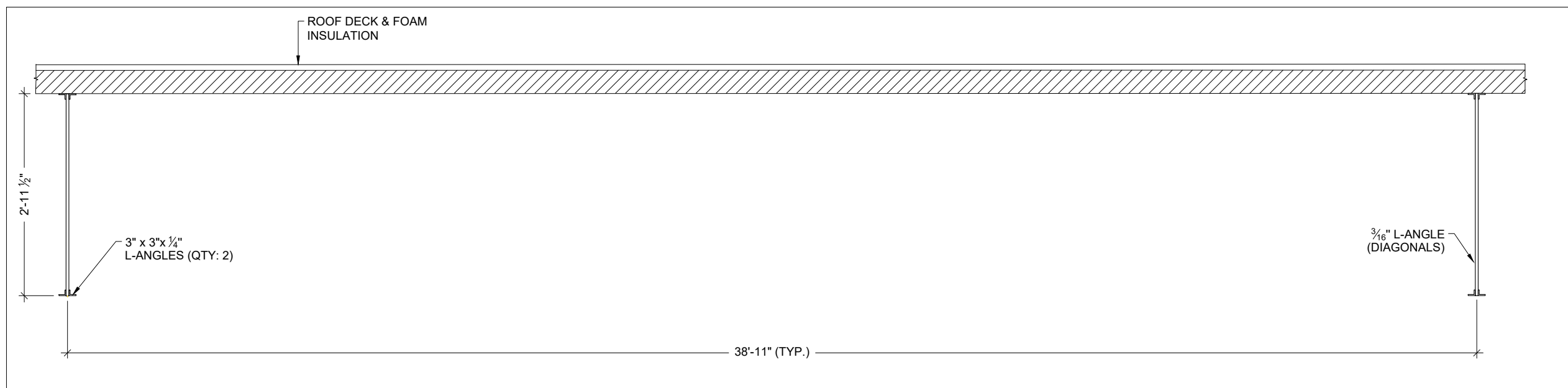
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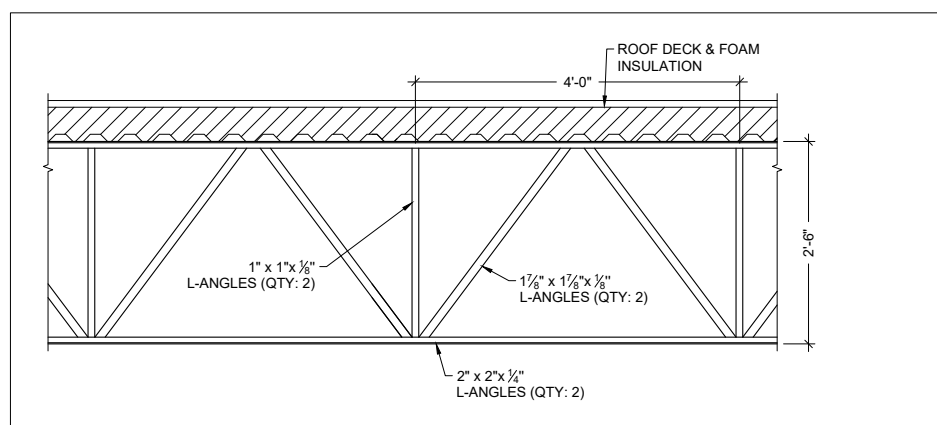
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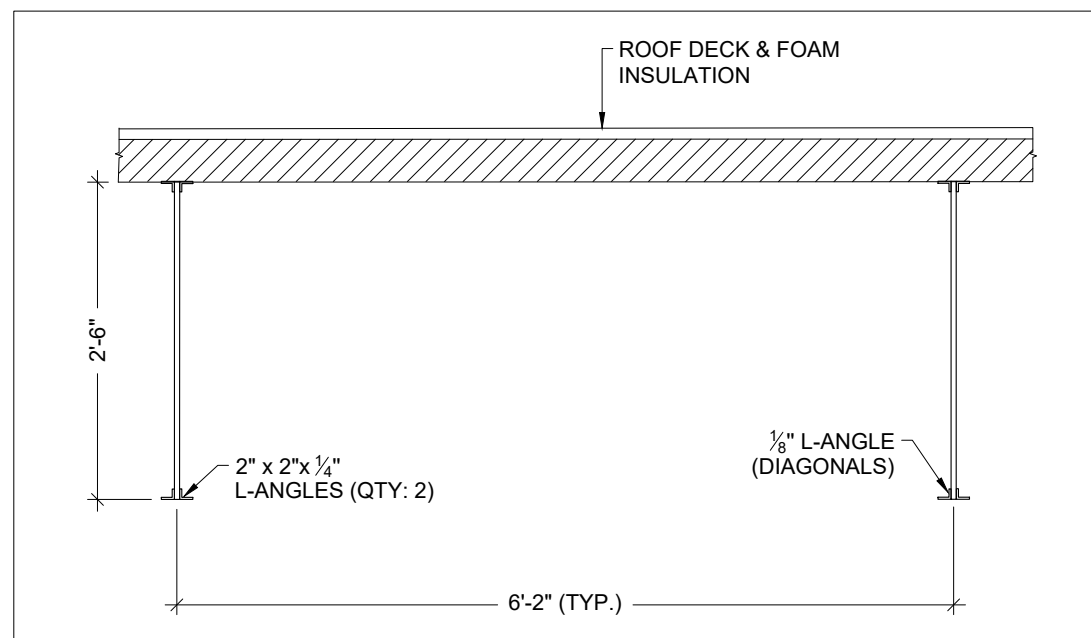
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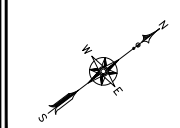
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5 EX STEEL DETAIL
S101 (PURLINS)



6 EX STEEL DETAIL
S101 (SECTION)



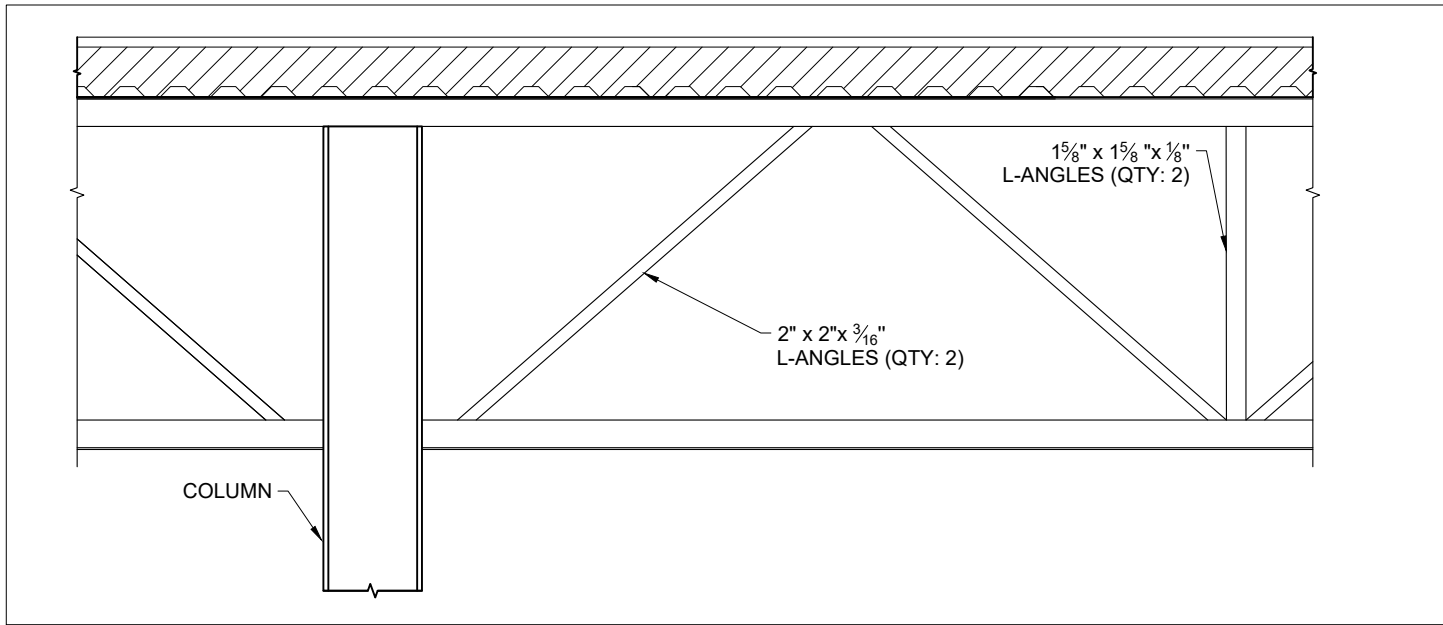
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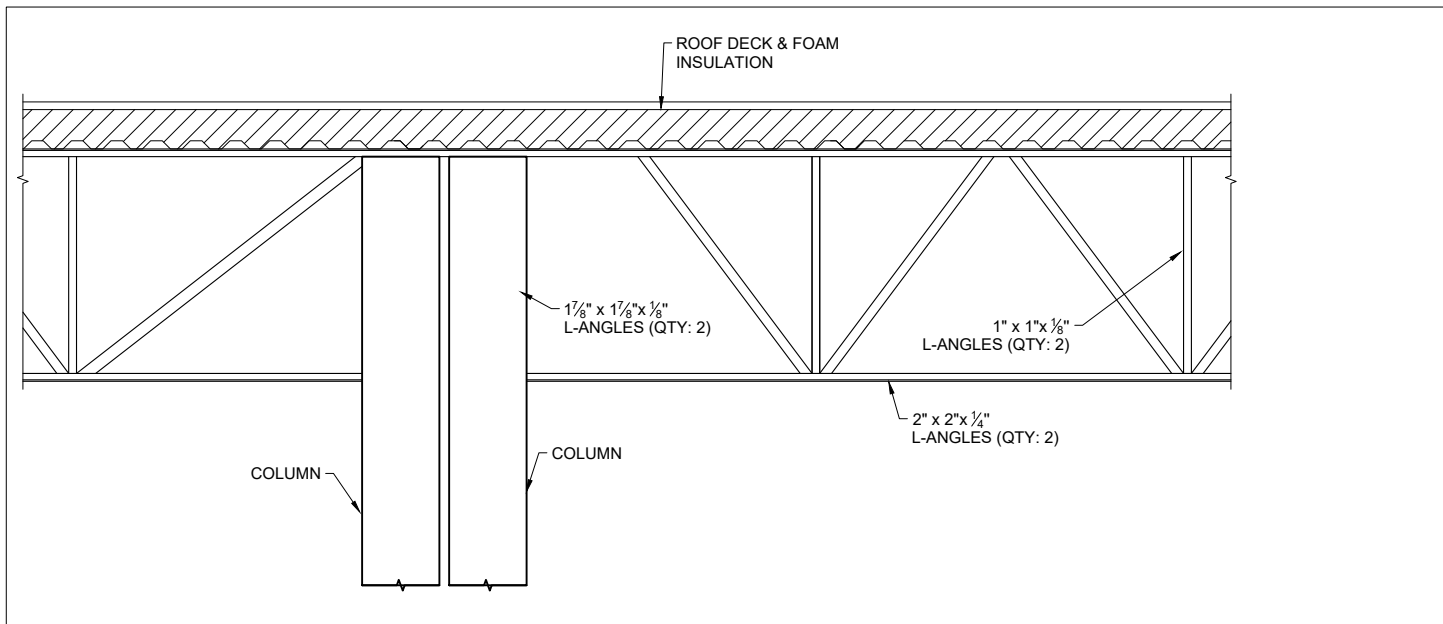
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1 EX STEEL DETAIL
S101.1 (BEAM SECTION)



2 EX STEEL DETAIL
S101.1 (PURLIN SECTION)



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