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FORM, BEHAVIOR, AND DESIGN

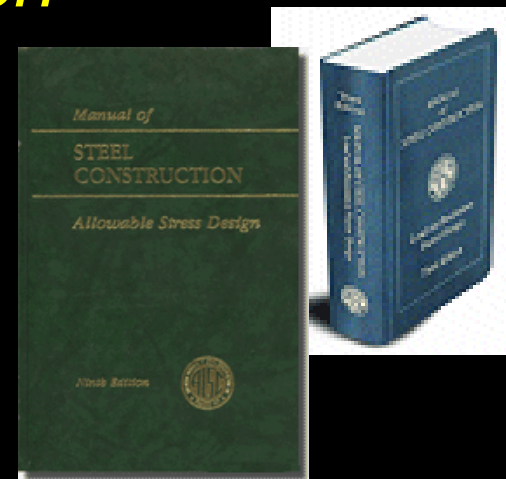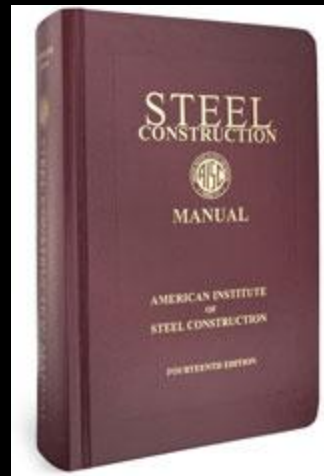ARCH 614

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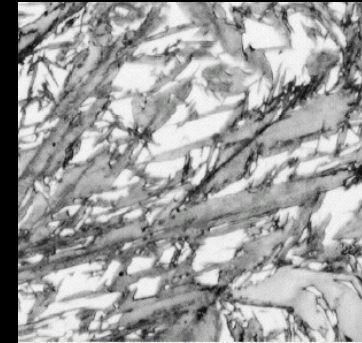# steel construction:
materials & beams

Steel Beam Design

- *American Institute of Steel Construction*
  - *Manual of Steel Construction*
 - *ASD & LRFD*
  - *combined in 2005*

Steel Materials

- *steel grades*
  - *ASTM A36 – carbon*
    - *plates, angles*
    - $F_y = 36$ ksi & $F_u = 58$ ksi
  - *ASTM A572 – high strength low-alloy*
    - *some beams*
    - $F_y = 60$ ksi & $F_u = 75$ ksi
  - *ASTM A992 – for building framing*
    - *most beams*
    - $F_y = 50$ ksi & $F_u = 65$ ksi

Steel Properties

- *high strength to weight ratio*

- *elastic limit – yield (F_y)*

- *inelastic – plastic*

- *ultimate strength (F_u)*

- *ductile*

- *strength sensitive to temperature*

- *can corrode*

- *fatigue*

strain hardening

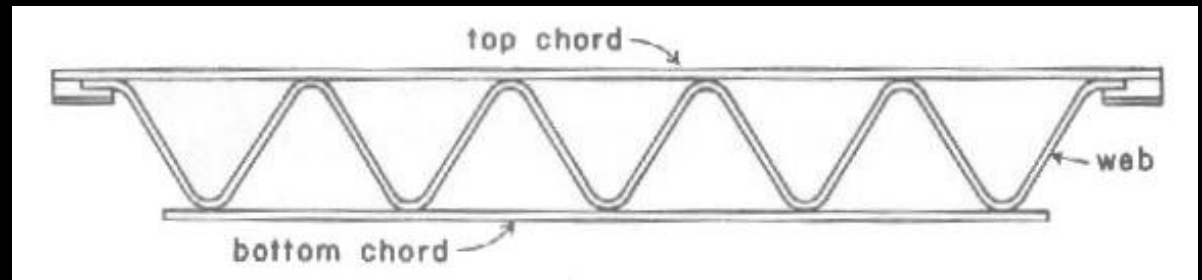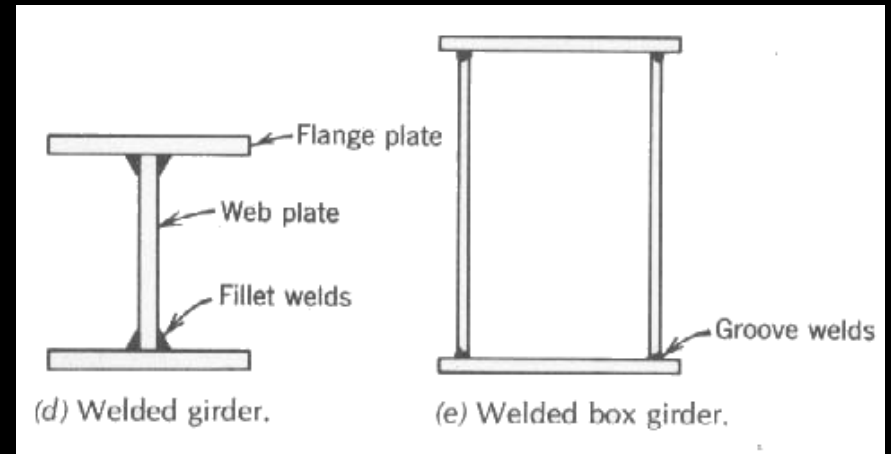*Winnepeg DOT*
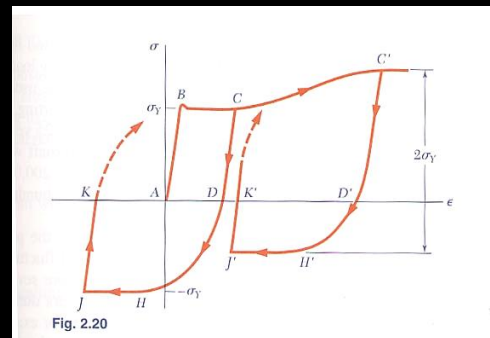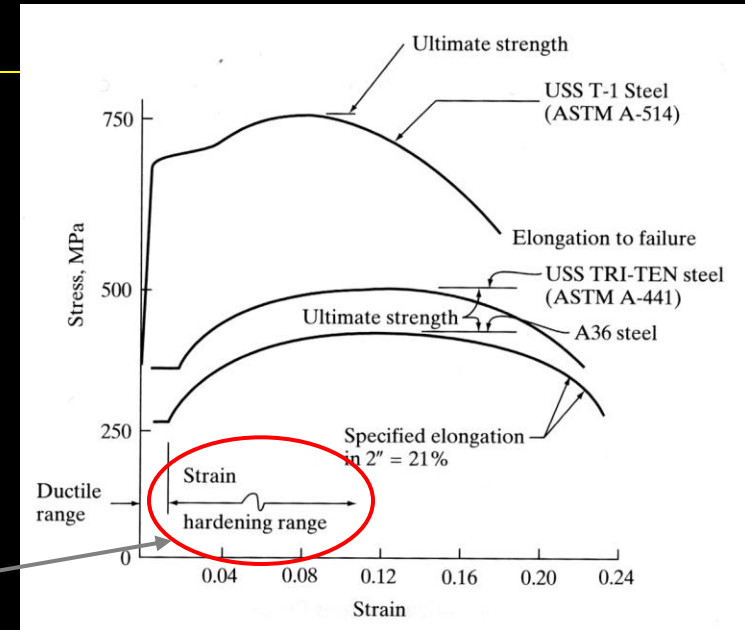
Structural Steel

- *standard rolled shapes (W, C, L, T)*
- *open web joists*
- *plate girders*
- *decking*
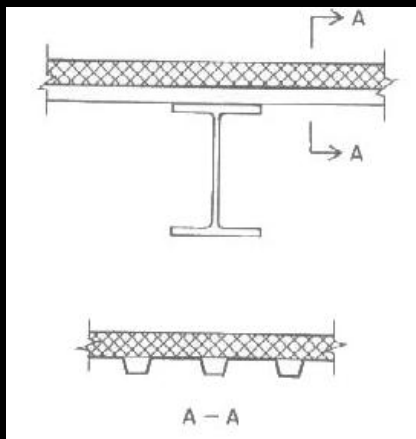
Steel Construction

- *welding*

- *bolts*

connection at web only (flanges not connected)

flanges connected (bolted web connection to facilitate erection only)

SHEAR CONNECTION

MOMENT CONNECTION
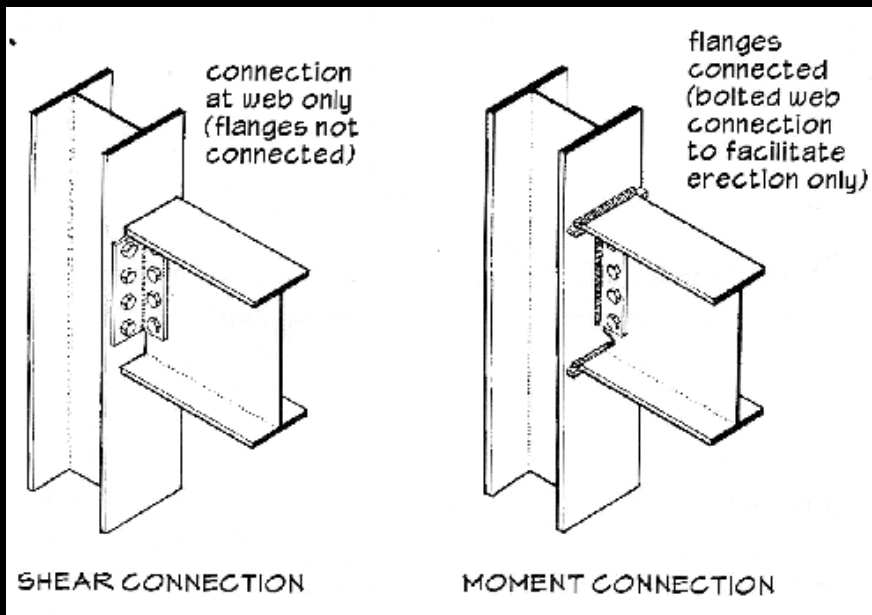
Unified Steel Design

- *ASD*

$$R_a \leq {R_n}\big/{\Omega}$$

- bending (braced) $\Omega = 1.67$
- bending (unbraced*) $\Omega = 1.67$
- shear $\Omega = 1.5$ or 1.67
- shear (bolts & welds) $\Omega = 2.00$
- shear (welds) $\Omega = 2.00$

* flanges in compression can buckle

Unified Steel Design

- *braced vs. unbraced*
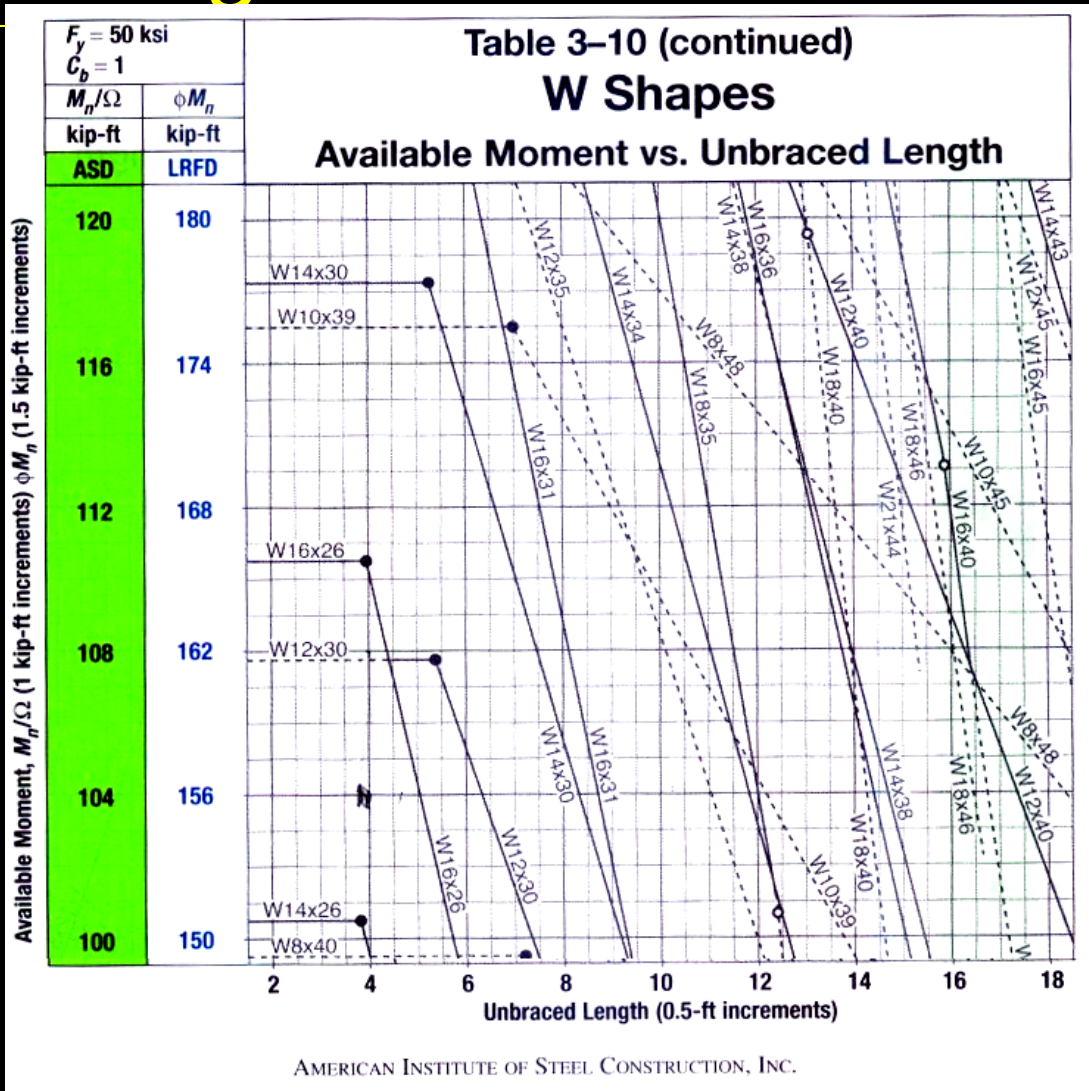
LRFD

- *loads on structures are*
  - *not constant*
  - *can be more influential on failure*
  - *happen more or less often*
  - *UNCERTAINTY*
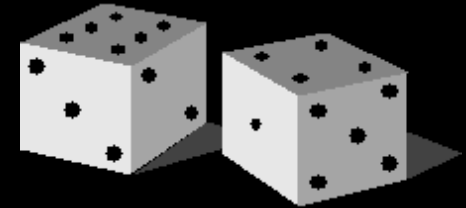
$$R_u = \gamma_D R_D + \gamma_L R_L \leq \phi R_n$$

ϕ - resistance factor

γ - load factor for (D)ead & (L)ive load

LRFD Steel Beam Design

- *limit state is yielding <u>all across section</u>*

- *outside elastic range*

- *load factors & resistance factors*
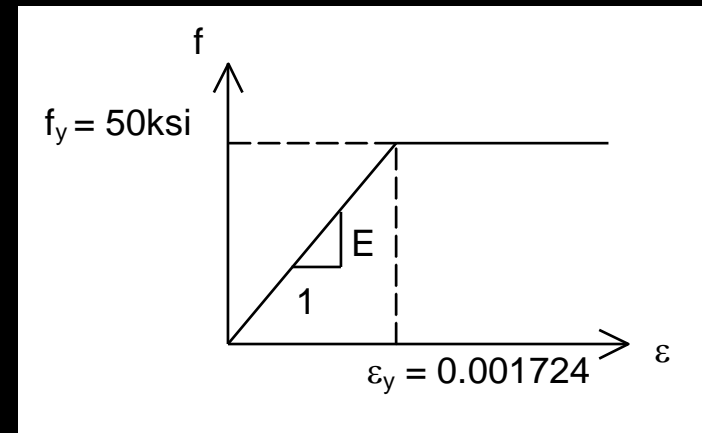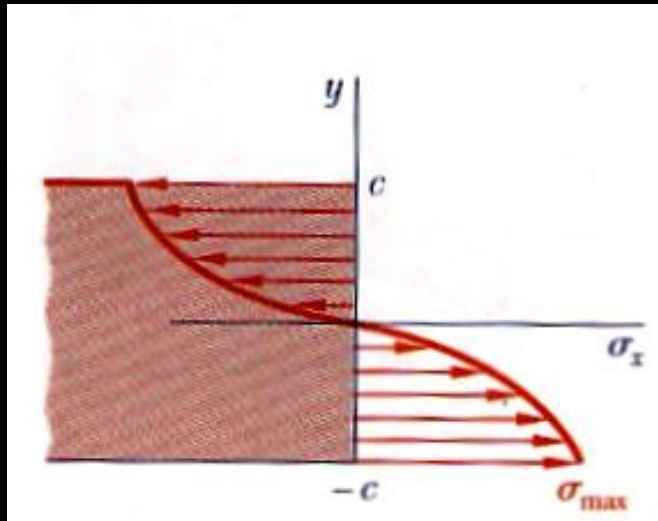
LRFD Load Combinations

- $1.4D$
- $1.2D + 1.6L + 0.5(L_r \text{ or } S \text{ or } R)$
- $1.2D + 1.6(L_r \text{ or } S \text{ or } R) + (L \text{ or } 0.5W)$
- $1.2D + 1.0W + L + 0.5(L_r \text{ or } S \text{ or } R)$
- $1.2D + 1.0E + L + 0.2S$
- $0.9D + 1.0W$
- $0.9D + 1.0E$
    - *F has same factor as D in 1-5 and 7*
    - *H adds with 1.6 and resists with 0.9 (permanent)*

Beam Design Criteria (revisited)

- *strength design*
  - *bending stresses predominate*
  - *shear stresses occur*
- *serviceability*
  - *limit deflection*
  - *stability*
- *superpositioning*
  - *use of beam charts*
  - *elastic range only!*
  - *"add" moment diagrams*
  - *"add" deflection CURVES (not maximums)*
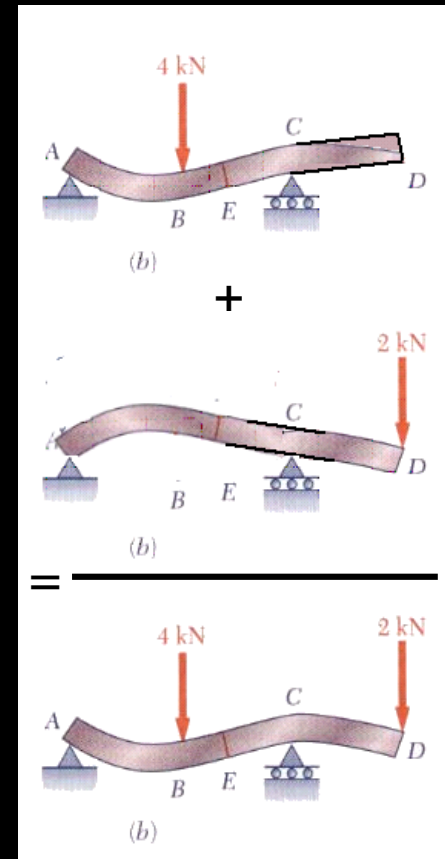
Steel Beams

- *lateral stability - bracing*

- *local buckling – stiffen, or bigger I_y*

Compression flange forms waves

Compression flange has vertical displacement alternating side-to-side

Local buckling of compression flange.
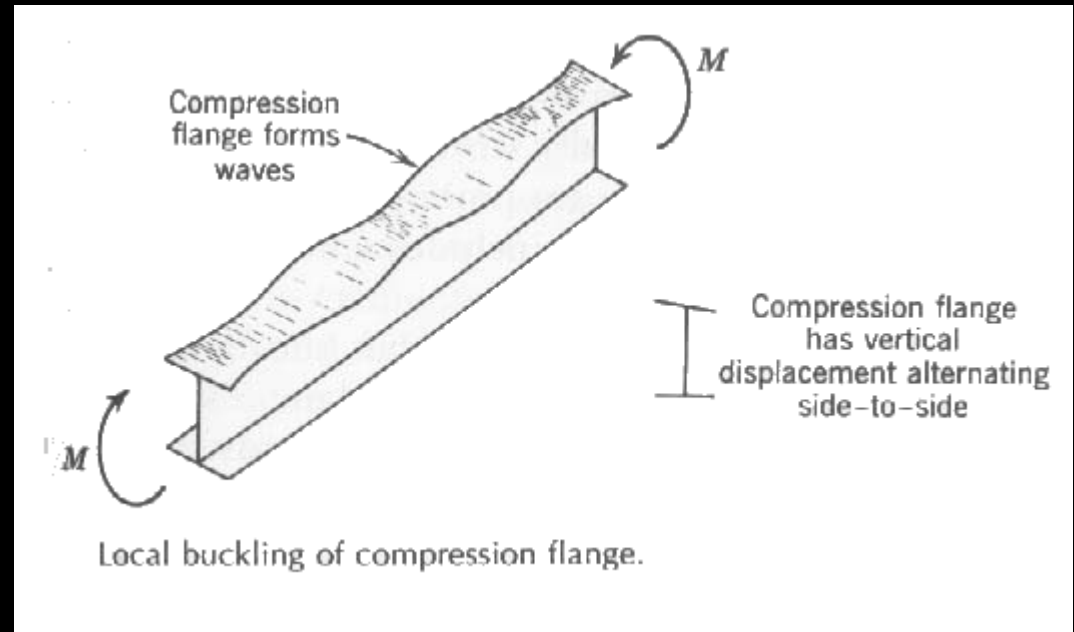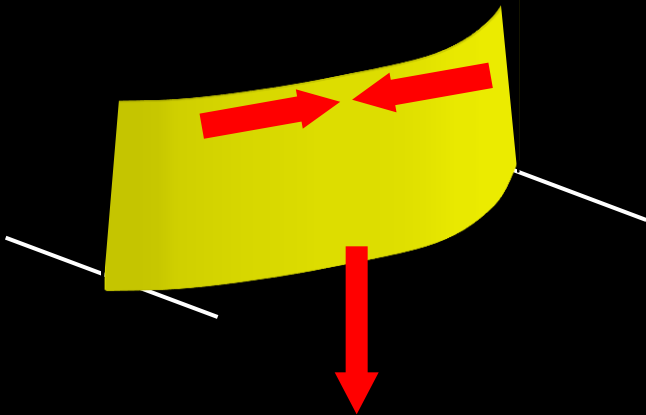
Local Buckling

- *steel I beams*

- *flange*
  - *buckle in direction of smaller radius of gyration*

- *web*
  - *force*
  - *"crippling"*
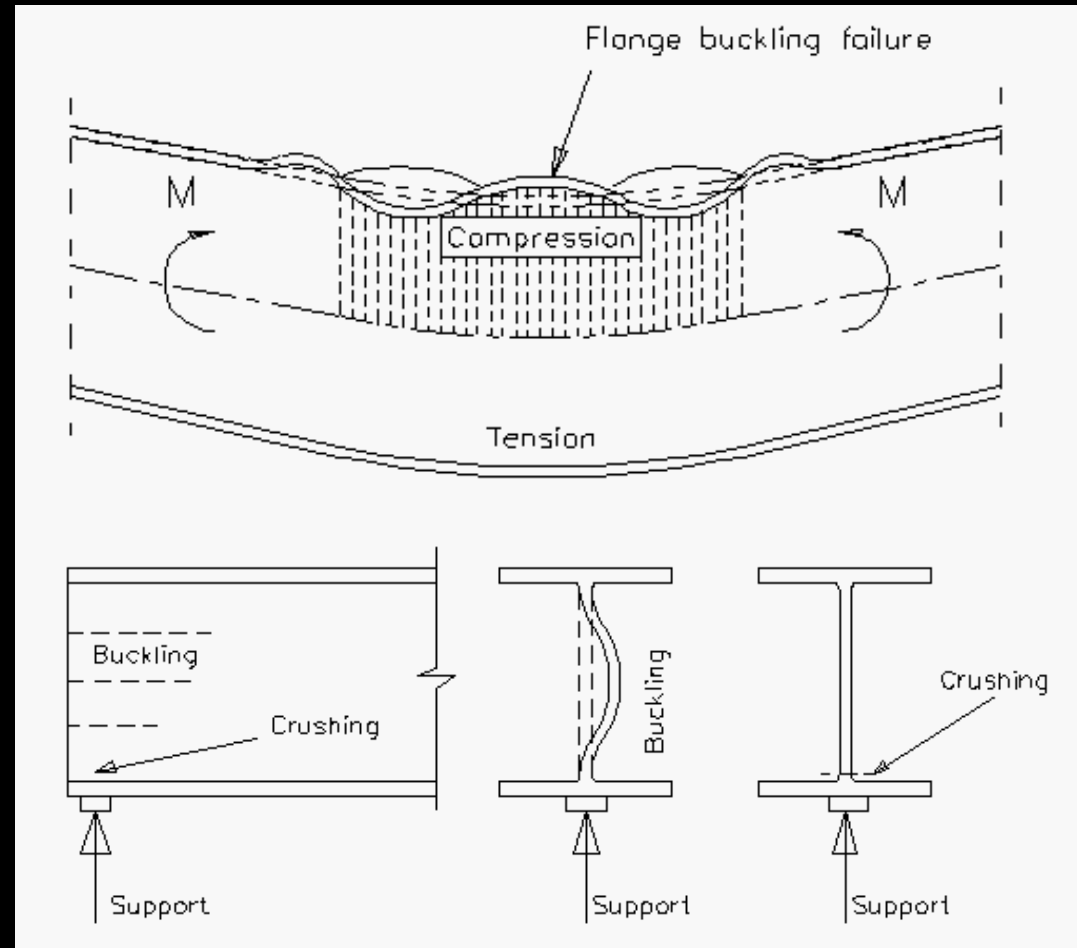
Local Buckling

- *flange*

- *web*
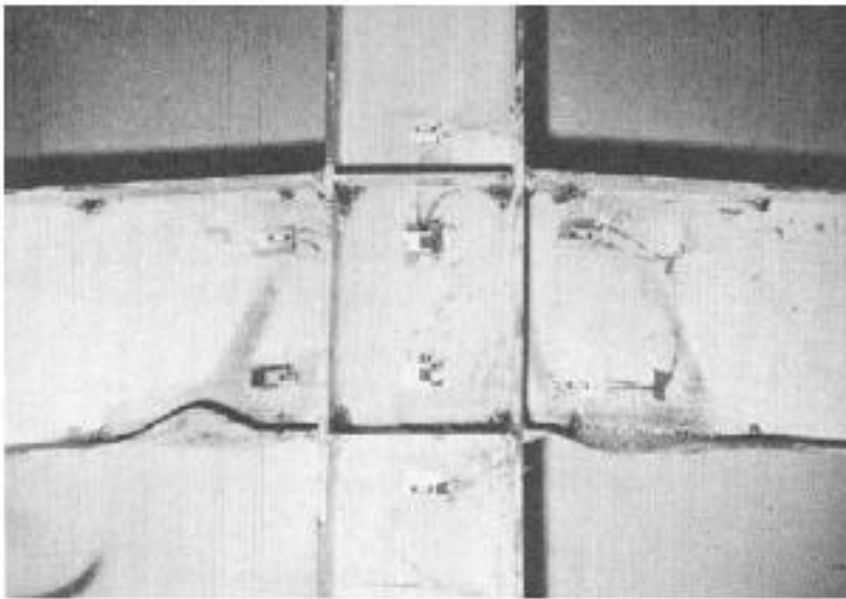
Figure 2-5. Flange Local Bending Limit State
(Beedle, L.S., Christopher, R., 1964)

Figure 2-7. Web Local Buckling Limit State
(SAC Project)

Shear in Web

- *panels in plate girders or webs with large shear*

- *buckling in compression direction*

- *add stiffeners*

stiffeners to prevent lateral buckling

(a) Shear Failure
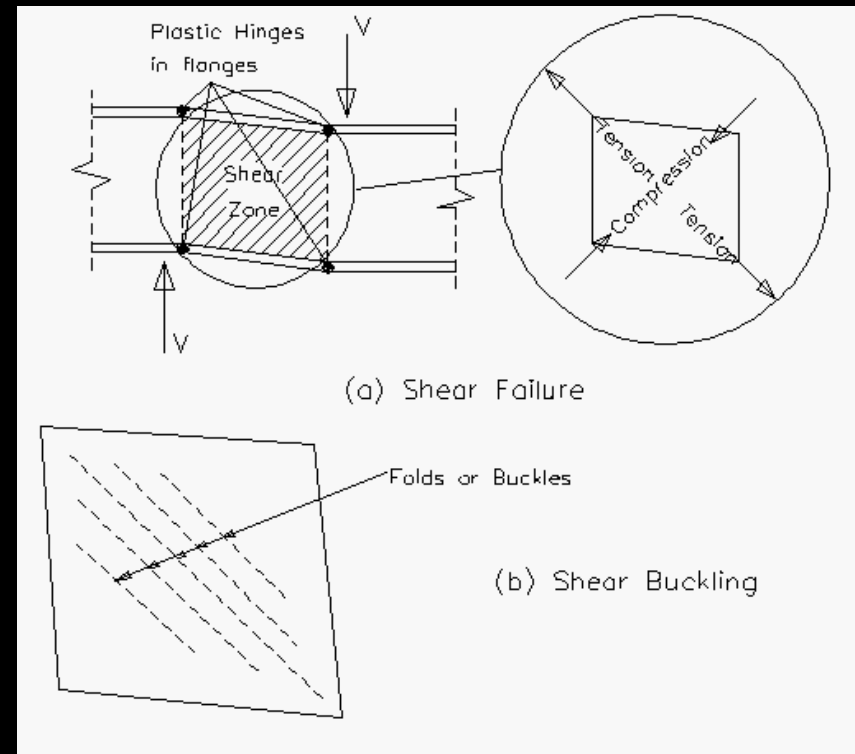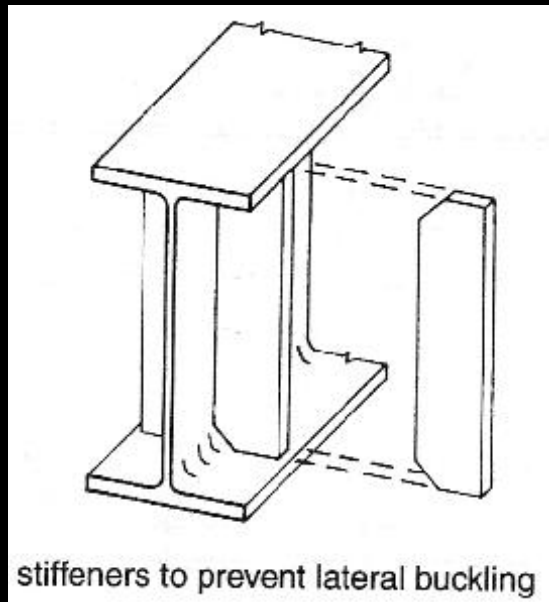
(b) Shear Buckling

Shear in Web

- *plate girders and stiffeners*

Steel Beams

- *bearing*
  - *provide adequate area*
  - *prevent local yield of flange and web*
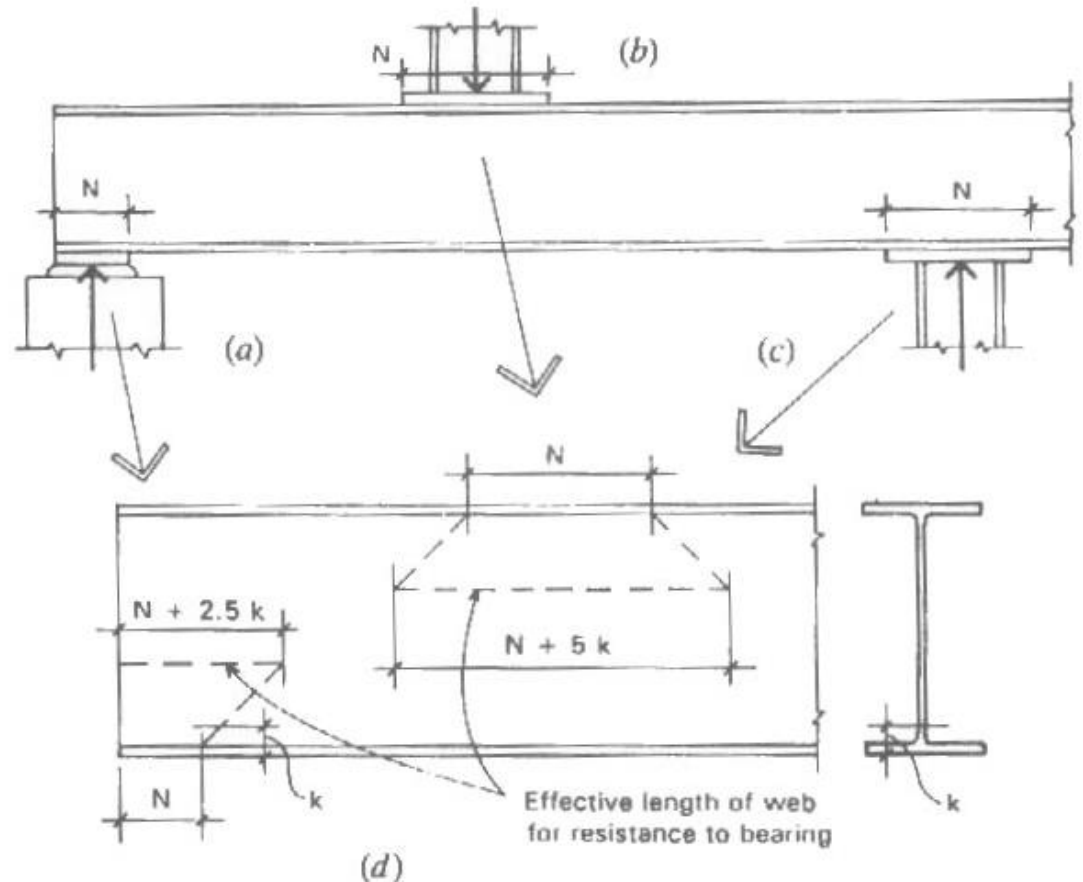
Figure 9.10 Considerations for bearing in beams with thin webs, as related to web crippling (buckling of the thin web in compression).

LRFD - Flexure

$$\Sigma \gamma_i R_i = M_u \leq \phi_b M_n = 0.9 F_y Z$$

M_u - maximum moment

ϕ_b - resistance factor for bending = 0.9

M_n - nominal moment (ultimate capacity)

F_y - yield strength of the steel

Z - plastic section modulus*

Internal Moments - at yield

- *material hasn't failed*

$$M_y = \frac{I}{c} f_y = \frac{bh^2}{6} f_y$$

$$= \frac{b(2c)^2}{6} f_y = \frac{2bc^2}{3} f_y$$
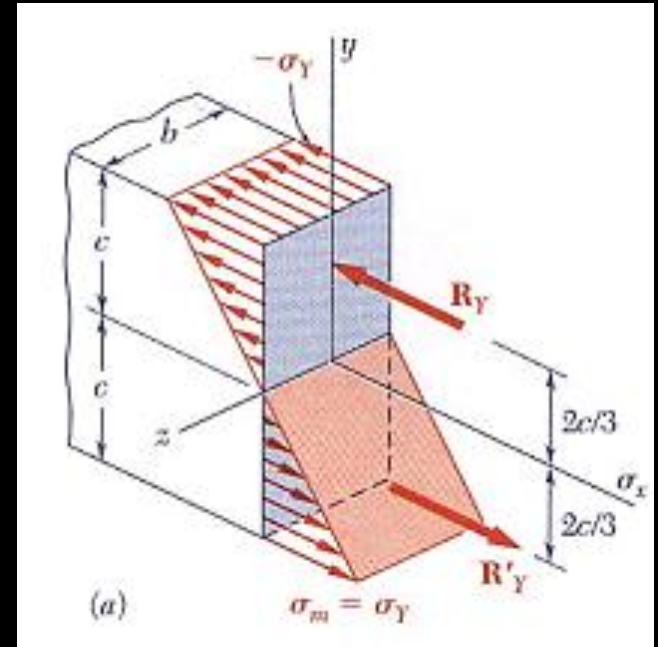
Internal Moments - ALL at yield

- *all parts reach yield*

- *plastic hinge forms*

- *ultimate moment*

- $A_{tension} = A_{compression}$
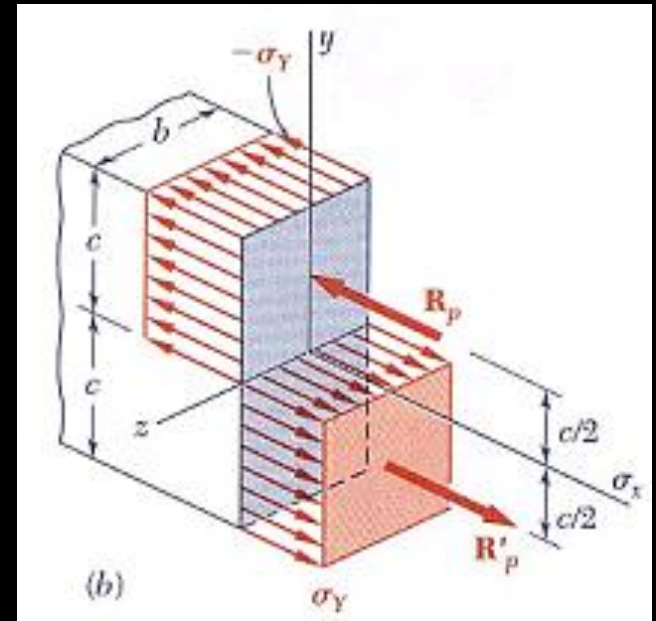
$$M_p = bc^2 f_y = \frac{3}{2} M_y$$
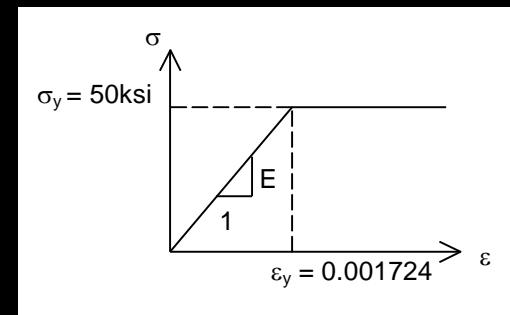
n.a. of Section at Plastic Hinge

- *cannot guarantee at centroid*

- $f_y.A_1 = f_y.A_2$

- *moment found from yield stress times* <u>*moment area*</u>
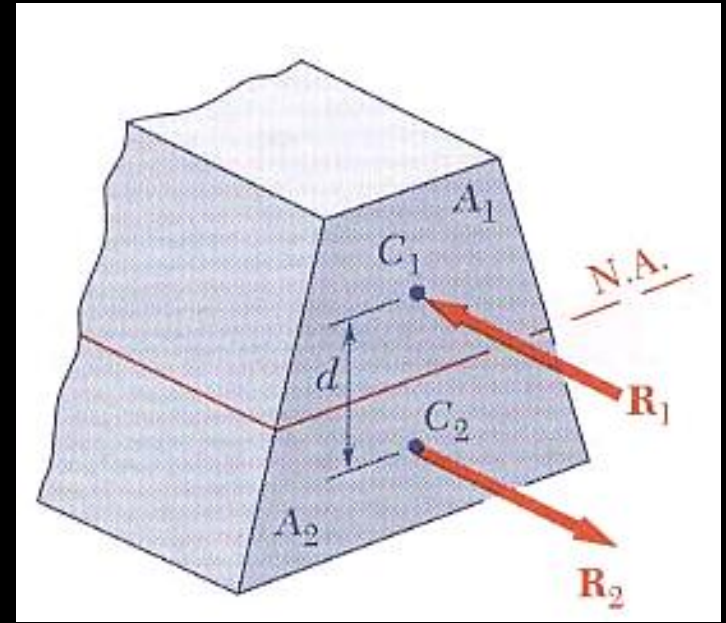
$$M_p = f_y A_1 d = f_y \sum_{n.a} A_i d_i$$

Plastic Hinge Development
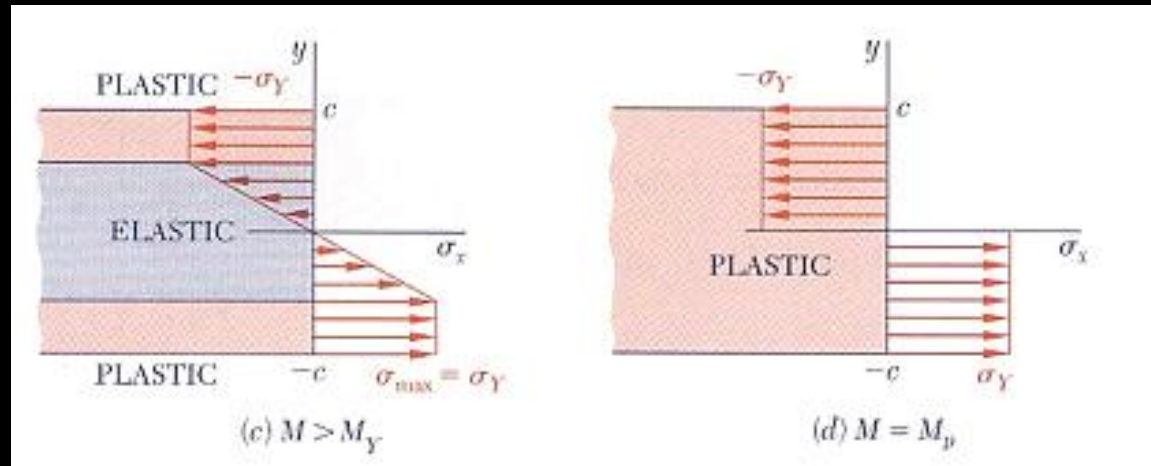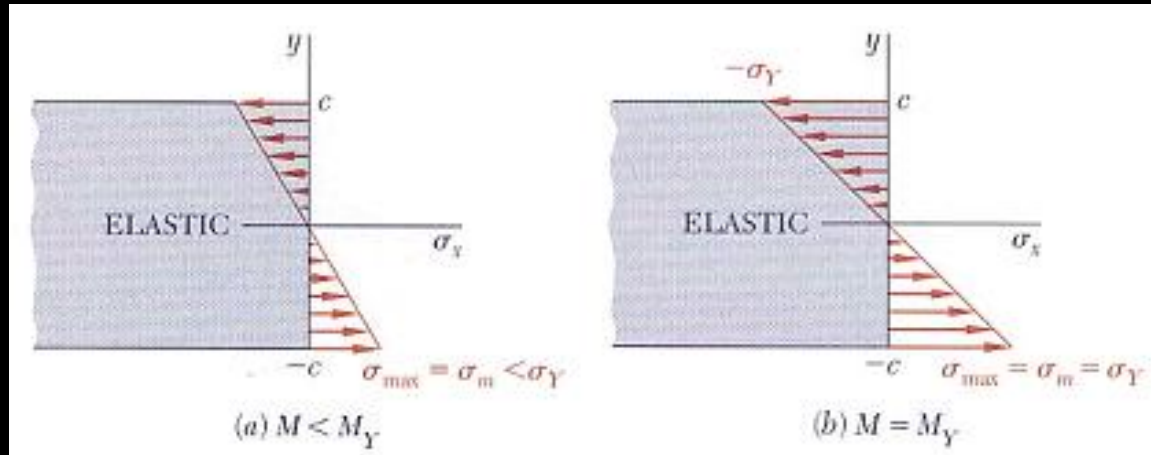
Plastic Hinge Examples

- *stability can be effected*
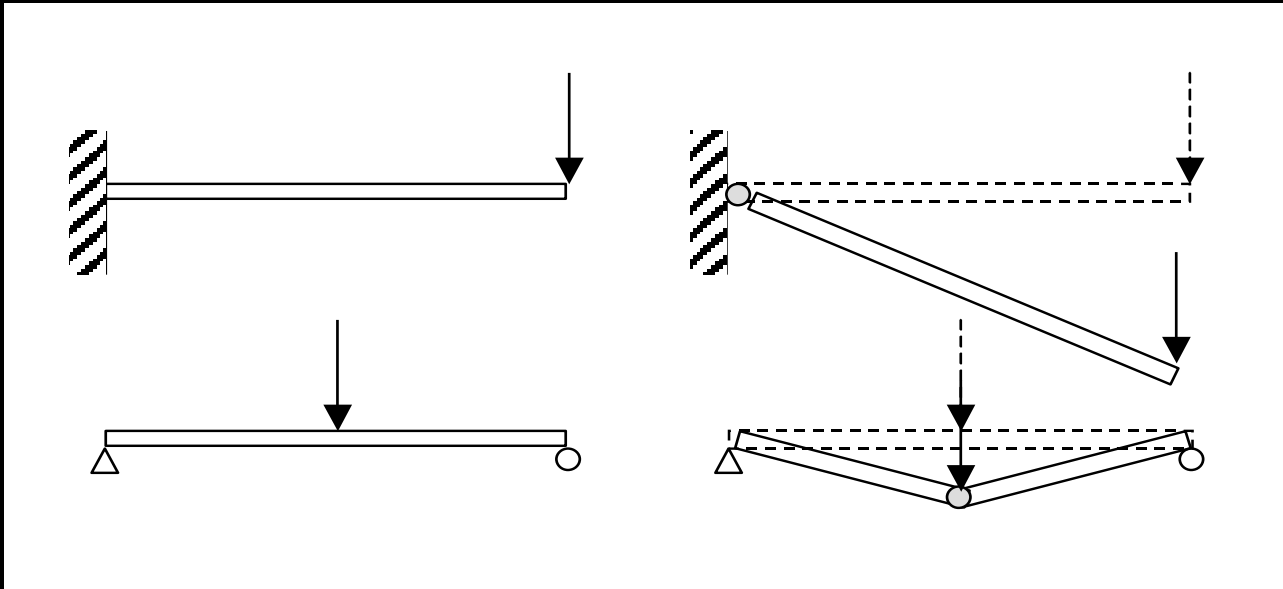
Plastic Section Modulus

- *shape factor, k*

$$k = M_p \Big/ M_y$$

  = 3⁄2 for a rectangle

  ≈ 1.1 for an I

$$k = Z \Big/ S$$

- *plastic modulus, Z*

$$Z = \frac{M_p}{f_y}$$

LRFD - Shear

$$\Sigma \gamma_i R_i = V_u \leq \phi_v V_n = 1.0(0.6 F_{yw} A_w)$$

V_u - maximum shear

ϕ_v - resistance factor for shear = 1.0

V_n - nominal shear

F_{yw} - yield strength of the steel in the web

A_w - area of the web = $t_w d$

LRFD - Flexure Design

- limit states for beam failure
    1. yielding
    2. lateral-torsional buckling*
    3. flange local buckling
    4. web local buckling

$$L_p = 1.76 r_y \sqrt{\frac{F_y}{E}}$$

- minimum M_n governs

$$\Sigma \gamma_i R_i = M_u \leq \phi_b M_n$$

Compact Sections

- *plastic moment can form before any buckling*

- *criteria*

  - $$\frac{b_f}{2t_f} \leq 0.38\sqrt{\frac{E}{F_y}}$$

  - *and* $$\frac{h_c}{t_w} \leq 3.76\sqrt{\frac{E}{F_y}}$$

TABLE A.3   Properties of W Shapes
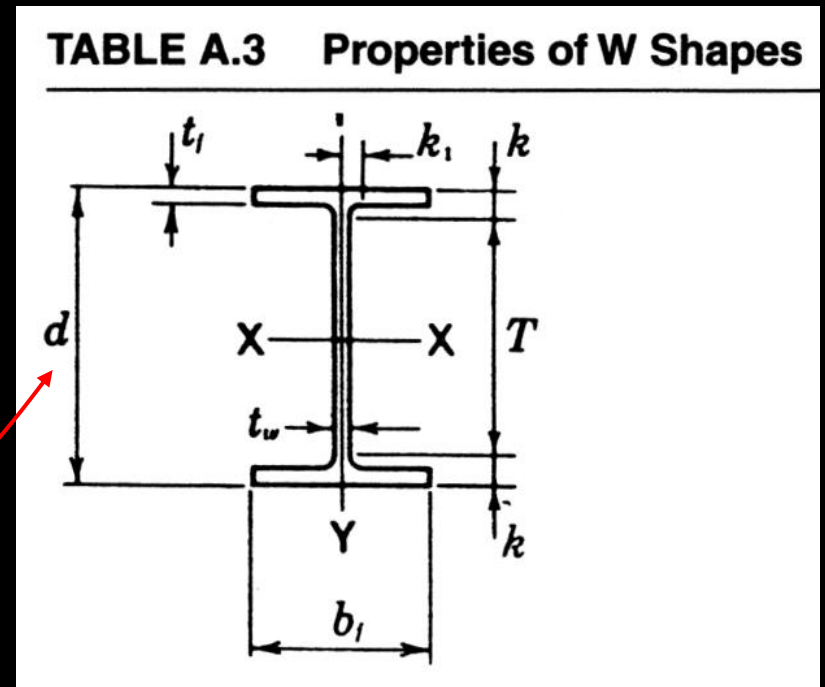
Lateral Torsional Buckling

$$M_n = C_b \left[\begin{array}{c} \textit{moment based on} \\ \textit{lateral buckling} \end{array} \right] \le M_p$$

$$C_b = \frac{12.5 M_{max}}{2.5 M_{max} + 3 M_A + 4 M_B + 3 M_C}$$

C_b = modification factor

M_{max} - |max moment|, unbraced segment

M_A - |moment|, 1/4 point

M_B = |moment|, center point

M_C = |moment|, 3/4 point
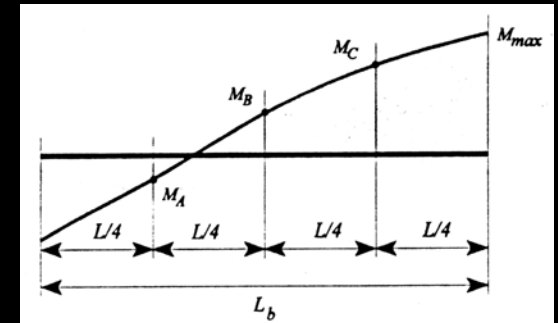
Beam Design Charts
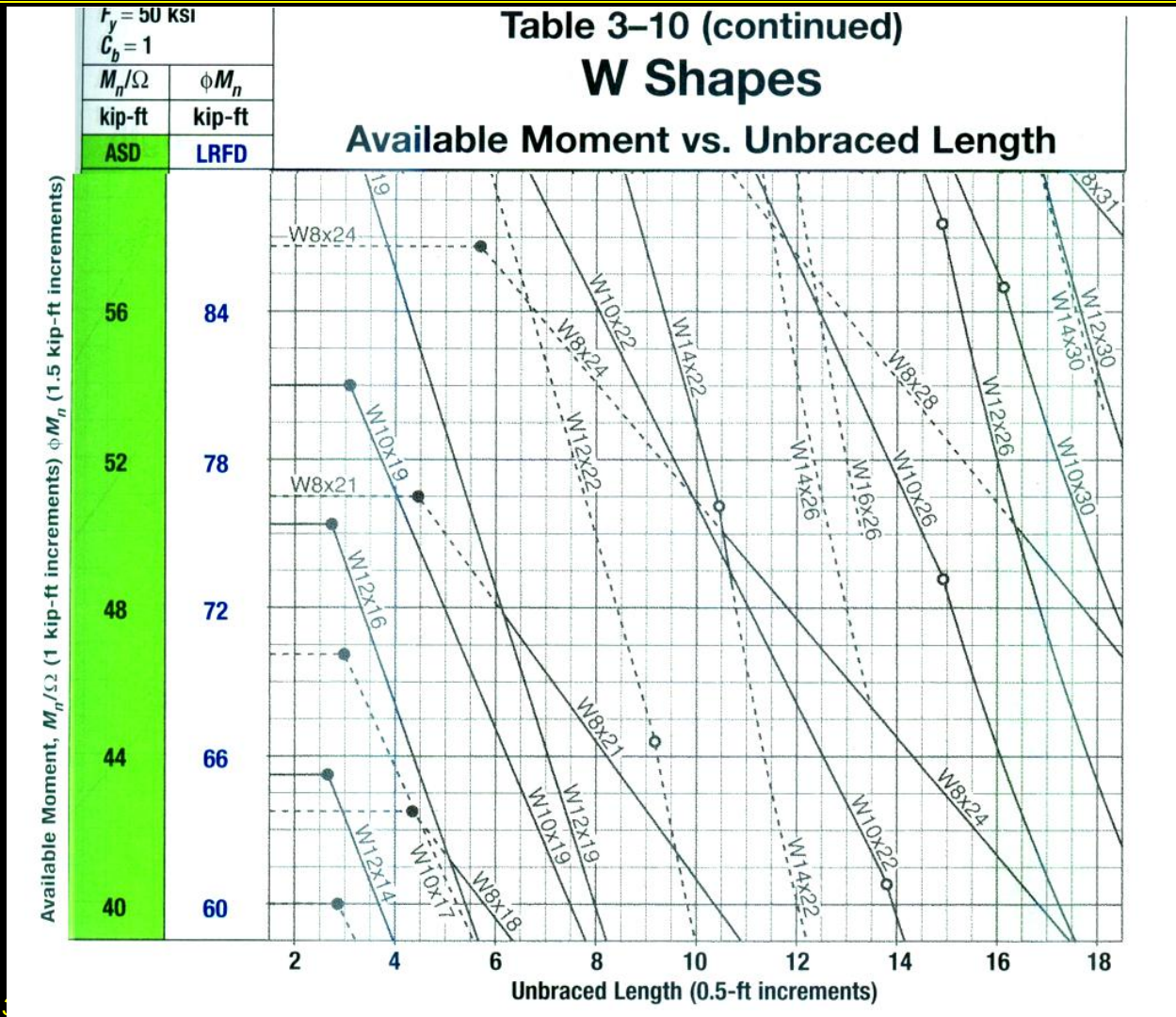
Charts & Deflections

- *beam charts*
  - *solid line is most economical*
  - *dashed indicates there is another more economical section*
  - *self weight is NOT included in M_n*
- *deflections*
  - *<u>no factors</u> are applied to the loads*
  - *often governs the design*

Design Procedure (revisited)

1. Know unbraced length, material, design method (Ω, ϕ)

2. Draw V & M, finding M_{max}

3. Calculate $Z_{req'd}$ $(M_a \leq M_n/\Omega)$

$$(M_u \leq \phi_b M_n)$$

4. <u>Choose (economical) section from section or beam capacity charts</u>

Beam Charts by Z_x (pg. 250)

TABLE 9.1 Load Factor Resistance Design Selection for Shapes Used as Beams

		$F_y = 36$ ksi				$F_y = 50$ ksi								
Designation	Z_x in.^{3}	L_p ft	L_r ft	M_p kip-ft	M_r kip-ft	L_p ft	L_r ft	M_p kip-ft	M_r kip-ft	r_y in.	$b_f/2t_f$	h/t_w	X_1 ksi	$X_2 \times 10^6$ (1/ksi)^2
W 33 × 141	**514**	**10.1**	**30.1**	**1,542**	**971**	**8.59**	**23.1**	**2,142**	**1,493**	**2.43**	**6.01**	**49.6**	**1,800**	**17,800**
W 30 × 148	500	9.50	30.6	1,500	945	8.06	22.8	2,083	1,453	2.28	4.44	41.6	2,310	6,270
W 24 × 162	468	12.7	45.2	1,404	897	10.8	32.4	1,950	1,380	3.05	5.31	30.6	2,870	2,260
W 24 × 146	418	12.5	42.0	1,254	804	10.6	30.6	1,742	1,237	3.01	5.92	33.2	2,590	3,420
W 33 × 118	**415**	**9.67**	**27.8**	**1,245**	**778**	**8.20**	**21.7**	**1,729**	**1,197**	**2.32**	**7.76**	**54.5**	**1,510**	**37,700**
W 30 × 124	408	9.29	28.2	1,224	769	7.88	21.5	1,700	1,183	2.23	5.65	46.2	1,930	13,500
W 21 × 147	373	12.3	46.4	1,119	713	10.4	32.8	1,554	1,097	2.95	5.44	26.1	3,140	1,590
W 24 × 131	370	12.4	39.3	1,110	713	10.5	29.1	1,542	1,097	2.97	6.70	35.6	2,330	5,290
W 18 × 158	356	11.4	56.5	1,068	672	9.69	38.0	1,483	1,033	2.74	3.92	19.8	4,410	403
W 30 × 108	**346**	**8.96**	**26.3**	**1,038**	**648**	**7.60**	**20.3**	**1,442**	**997**	**2.15**	**6.89**	**49.6**	**1,680**	**24,200**
W 27 × 114	343	9.08	28.2	1,029	648	7.71	21.3	1,429	997	2.18	5.41	42.5	2,100	9,220
W 24 × 117	327	12.3	37.1	981	631	10.4	27.9	1,363	970	2.94	7.53	39.2	2,090	8,190
W 21 × 122	307	12.2	41.0	921	592	10.3	29.8	1,279	910	2.92	6.45	31.3	2,630	3,160
W 18 × 130	290	11.3	47.7	870	555	9.55	32.8	1,208	853	2.7	4.65	23.9	3,680	810
W 30 × 90	**283**	**8.71**	**24.8**	**849**	**531**	**7.39**	**19.4**	**1,179**	**817**	**2.09**	**8.52**	**57.5**	**1,410**	**49,600**
W 24 × 103	280	8.29	27.0	840	531	7.04	20.0	1,167	817	1.99	4.59	39.2	2,390	5,310
W 27 × 94	278	8.83	25.9	834	527	7.50	19.9	1,158	810	2.12	6.70	49.5	1,740	19,900
W 14 × 145	260	16.6	81.6	780	503	14.1	54.7	1,083	773	3.98	7.11	16.8	4,400	348
W 24 × 94	254	8.25	25.9	762	481	7.00	19.4	1,058	740	1.98	5.18	41.9	2,180	7,800

Beam Design (revisited)

4*. Include self weight for M_{max}

  – and repeat 3 & 4
    if necessary

W 18 x 50
  — Weight per linear foot
  — Nominal depth
  — Wide Flange

C 9 x 15
  — Weight per linear foot
  — Nominal depth
  — Channel

L 6 x 4 x 1/2
  — Thickness
  — Leg lengths
  — Angle

5. Consider lateral stability

Unbraced roof trusses were blown down in 1999 at this project in Moscow, Idaho.

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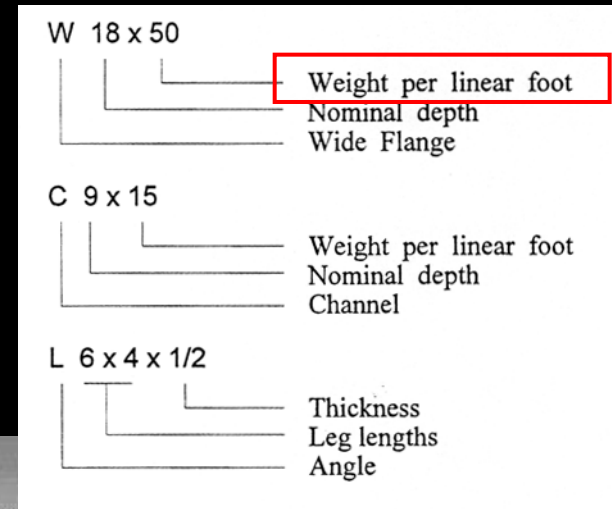
Beam Design (revisited)

6. Evaluate shear stresses - horizontal

- $\left(V_a \leq V_n / \Omega\right)$ or $\left(V_u \leq \phi_v V_n\right)$

- *W and rectangles* $f_{v-\max} = \dfrac{3V}{2A} \approx \dfrac{V}{A_{web}}$

$$V_n = 0.6\, F_{yw} A_w$$

- *general* $f_{v-\max} = \dfrac{VQ}{Ib}$

Beam Design (revisited)

7. Provide adequate bearing area at supports

$$(P_a \leq P_n/\Omega)$$
$$(P_u \leq \phi P_n)$$
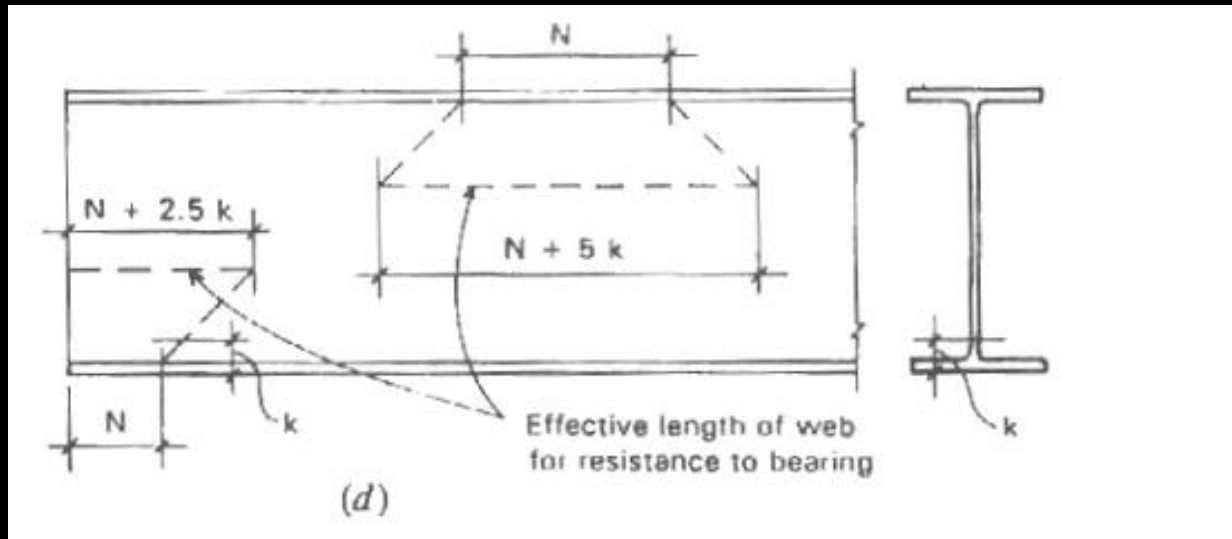
Beam Design (revisited)

8. Evaluate torsion

$$\left(f_v \le F_v \right)$$

- *circular cross section*

$$f_v = \frac{T\rho}{J}$$

- *rectangular*

$$f_v = \frac{T}{c_1 a b^2}$$

EDGE OF SPANDREL BEAM

FLOOR BEAM

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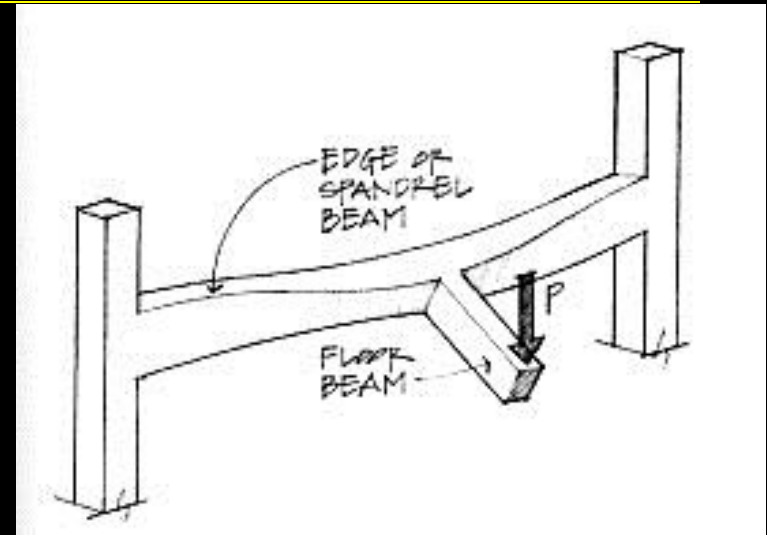
TABLE 3.1. Coefficients for Rectangular Bars in Torsion

a/b	c_1	c_2
1.0	0.208	0.1406
1.2	0.219	0.1661
1.5	0.231	0.1958
2.0	0.246	0.229
2.5	0.258	0.249
3.0	0.267	0.263
4.0	0.282	0.281
5.0	0.291	0.291
10.0	0.312	0.312
∞	0.333	0.333

Beam Design (revisited)

9. Evaluate deflections – NO LOAD FACTORS
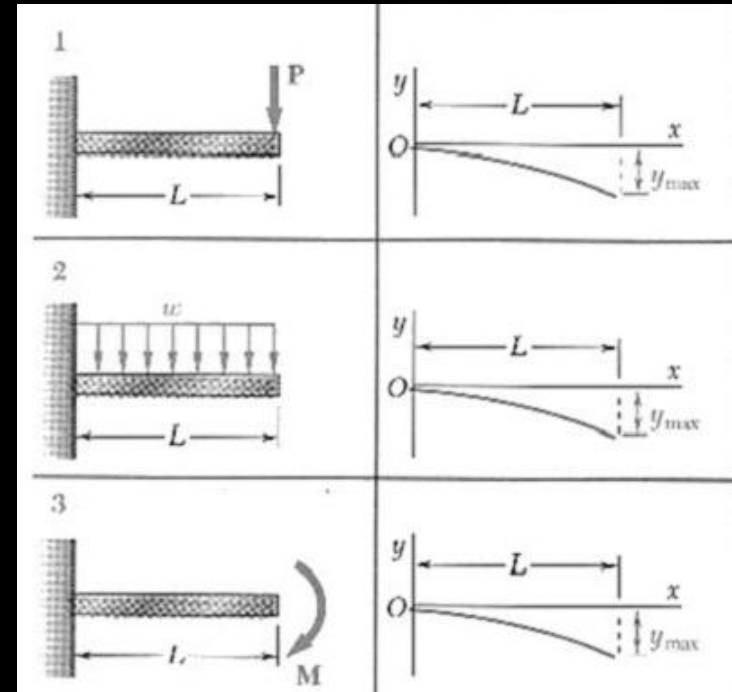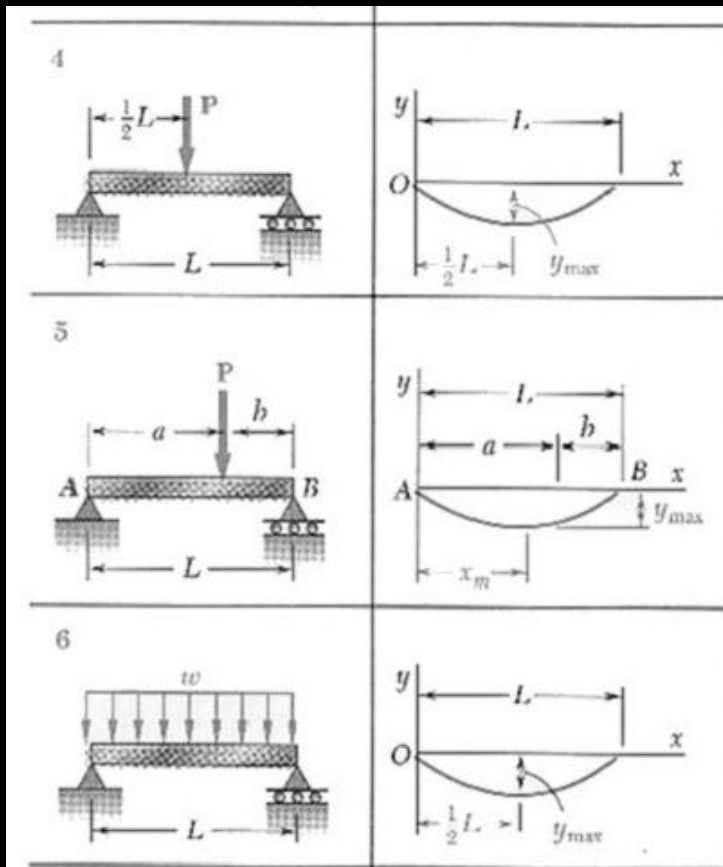
$$y_{max}(x) = \Delta_{actual} \leq \Delta_{allowable}$$

Load Tables & Equivalent Load

- *uniformly distributed loads*
- *equivalent "w"*

$$M_{max} = \frac{w_{equivalent}L^2}{8}$$

LRFD

STANDARD LOAD TABLE FOR OPEN WEB STEEL JOISTS, K-SERIES
Based on a 50 ksi Maximum Yield Strength - Loads Shown in Pounds per Linear Foot (plf)

load for live load deflection limit in RED, total in BLACK

| Joist Designation	8K1	10K1	12K1	12K3	12K5	14K1	14K3	14K4	14K6	16K2	16K3	16K4	16K5	16K6	16K7	16K9
Depth (in.)	8	10	12	12	12	14	14	14	14	16	16	16	16	16	16	16
Approx. Wt (lbs./ft.)	5.1	5.0	5.0	5.7	7.1	5.2	6.0	6.7	7.7	5.5	6.3	7.0	7.5	8.1	8.6	10.0
Span (ft.)																
8	825 550															
9	825 550															
10	825 480	825 550														
11	798 377	825 542														
12	666 288	825 550	825 550	825 550	825 550											
13	565 225	718 363	825 510	825 510	825 510											
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Steel Arches and Frames

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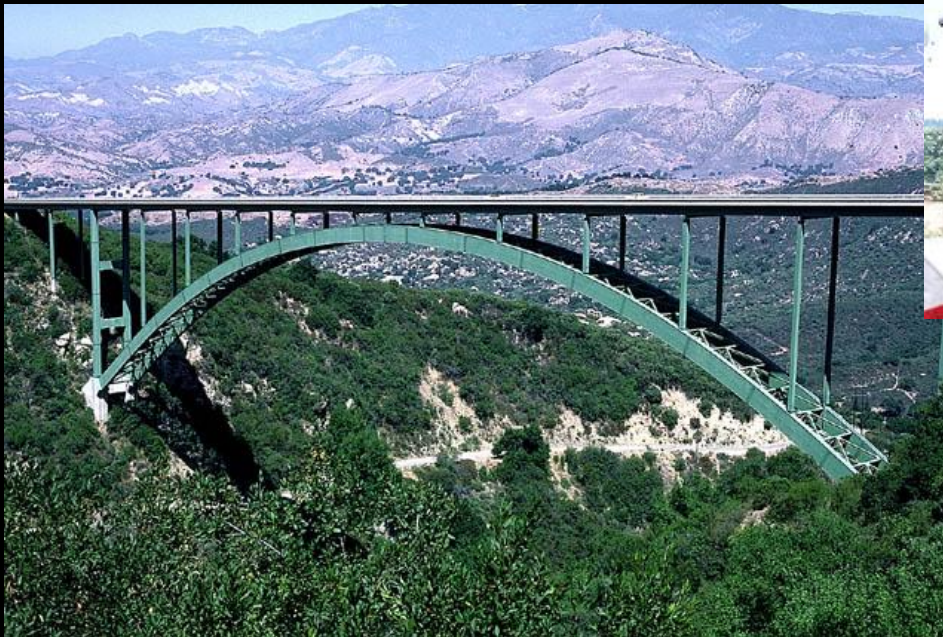
Steel Shell and Cable Structures

Approximate Depths