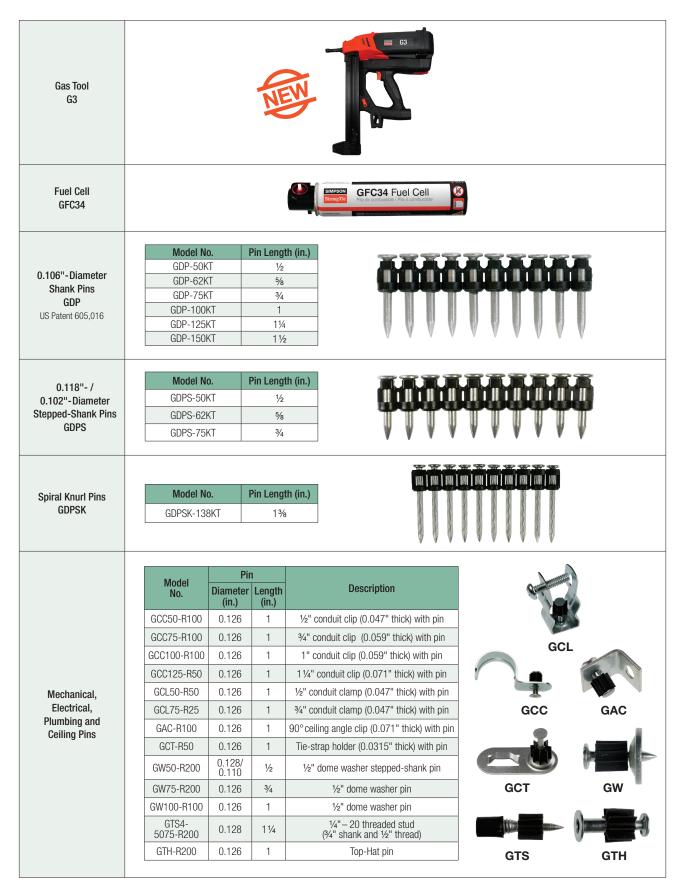
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Powder-Actuated and Gas-Actuated Fasteners — Allowable Tension Loads in Normal-Weight Concrete







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Direct		Shank	Minimum	Minimum Edge	Minimum		Allowable	e Tension Load –	– lb. (kN)	
Direct Fastening Type	Model No.	Diameter in. (mm)	Embedment in. (mm)	Distance in. (mm)	Spacing in. (mm)	f' _c = 2,500 psi (17.2 MPa)	f' _c = 3,000 psi (20.7 MPa)	f' _c = 4,000 psi (27.6 MPa)	f' _c = 5,000 psi (34.5 MPa)	f' _c = 6,000 psi (41.3 MPa)
			3/4 (19)	3½ (89)	5 (127)	110 (0.49)	110 (0.49)	110 (0.49)	_	110 (0.49)
	PDPA	0.157	1 (25)	3½ (89)	5 (127)	210 (0.93)	240 (1.07)	310 (1.38)	_	160 (0.71)
	PDPAT PDPAWL	(4.0)	1 1/4 (32)	3½ (89)	5 (127)	320 (1.42)	340 (1.51)	380 (1.69)	_	365 (1.62)
Powder Actuated			1½ (38)	3½ (89)	5 (127)	375 (1.67)	400 (1.78)	450 (2.00)	_	465 (2.07)
	PINW	0.145 (3.7)	1 (25)	3 (76)	4 (102)	70 (0.31)	100 (0.44)	150 (0.67)	_	150 (0.67)
	PINWP		1 1/4 (32)	3 (76)	4 (102)	195 (0.87)	255 (1.13)	370 (1.65)	_	370 (1.65)
	PSLV3	0.205 (5.2)	1 1/4 (32)	4 (102)	6 (152)	260 (1.16)	_	_	_	_
	GDP	0.106	5/8 (16)	3 (76)	4 (102)	25 (0.11)	30 (0.13)	45 (0.20)	45 (0.20)	_
Gas	GDF	(2.7)	3/4 (19)	3 (76)	4 (102)	30 (0.13)	30 (0.13)	30 (0.13)	30 (0.13)	_
Actuated	GW-75 GW-100	0.126	5/8 (16)	3 (76)	4 (102)	65 (0.29)	70 (0.31)	95 (0.42)	_	_
	GTH	(3.2)	3/4 (19)	3 (76)	4 (102)	95 (0.42)	105 (0.47)	190 (0.85)	_	_

- 1. The fasteners must not be driven until the concrete has reached the designated minimum compressive strength.
- 2. Minimum concrete thickness must be three times the fastener embedment into the concrete.
- 3. The allowable tension values are only for the fastener in the concrete. Members connected to the concrete must be investigated in accordance with accepted design criteria.
- 4. The allowable load values listed are for static load conditions. Refer to ICC-ES ESR-2138 and ESR-2811 code reports for seismic load conditions.
- 5. For fastener installation in concrete with compressive strength outside of the listed range, published allowable loads shall not be extrapolated.

Powder-Actuated and Gas-Actuated Fasteners — Allowable Shear Loads in Normal-Weight Concrete







Direct		Shank	Minimum	Minimum Edge	Minimum	Allowable Shear Load — lb. (kN)					
Fastening Type	Model No.	Diameter in. (mm)	Embedment in. (mm)	Distance Spacing in. (mm)		f' _c = 2,500 psi (17.2 MPa)	f' _c = 3,000 psi (20.7 MPa)	f' _c = 4,000 psi (27.6 MPa)	f' _c = 5,000 psi (34.5 MPa)	f' _c = 6,000 psi (41.3 MPa)	
			3/4 (19)	3½ (89)	5 (127)	120 (0.53)	125 (0.56)	135 (0.60)	_	130 (0.58)	
	PDPA PDPAT	0.157	1 (25)	3½ (89)	5 (127)	285 (1.27)	290 (1.29)	310 (1.38)	_	350 (1.56)	
Powder	PDPAIL	(4.0)	1 1/4 (32)	3½ (89)	5 (127)	360 (1.60)	380 (1.69)	420 (1.87)	_	390 (1.73)	
Actuated			1 ½ (38)	3½ (89)	5 (127)	405 (1.80)	430 (1.91)	485 (2.16)	_	495 (2.20)	
	PINW	0.145 (3.7)	1 (25)	3 (76)	4 (102)	140 (0.62)	165 (0.73)	205 (0.91)	_	205 (0.91)	
	PINWP		1 1/4 (32)	3 (76)	4 (102)	265 (1.18)	265 (1.18)	265 (1.18)	_	265 (1.18)	
	GDP	0.106	5/8 (16)	3 (76)	4 (102)	25 (0.11)	25 (0.11)	25 (0.11)	25 (0.11)	_	
Gas	GDF	(2.7)	3/4 (19)	3 (76)	4 (102)	50 (0.22)	55 (0.24)	75 (0.33)	75 (0.33)	_	
Actuated	GW-75 GW-100	0.126	5/8 (16)	3 (76)	4 (102)	60 (0.27)	65 (0.29)	95 (0.42)	_	_	
	GTH	(3.2)	3/4 (19)	3 (76)	4 (102)	135 (0.60)	145 (0.64)	215 (0.96)	_	_	

- 1. The fasteners must not be driven until the concrete has reached the designated minimum compressive strength.
- 2. Minimum concrete thickness must be three times the fastener embedment into the concrete.
- 3. The allowable shear values are only for the fastener in the concrete. Members connected to the concrete must be investigated in accordance with accepted design criteria.
- 4. The allowable load values listed are for static load conditions. Refer to ICC-ES ESR-2138 and ESR-2811 code reports for seismic load conditions.
- 5. For fastener installation in concrete with compressive strength outside of the listed range, published allowable loads shall not be extrapolated.



Powder-Actuated and Gas-Actuated Assemblies — Allowable Tension Loads in Normal-Weight Concrete







Divoct		Shank	Minimum	Minimum Edge Distance in. (mm)	Minimum Spacing in. (mm)	Allowable Tension Load — lb. (kN)					
Direct Fastening Type	Model No.	Diameter in. (mm)	Embedment in. (mm)			f' _c = 2,500 psi (17.2 MPa)	f' _c = 3,000 psi (20.7 MPa)	f' _c = 4,000 psi (27.6 MPa)	f' _c = 5,000 psi (34.5 MPa)	f' _c = 6,000 psi (41.3 MPa)	
PC			3/4 (19)	3½ (89)	5 (102)	70 (0.31)	_	120 (0.53)		130 (0.58)	
	PCLDPA	0.157 (4.0)	1 (25)	3½ (89)	5 (102)	175 (0.78)	_	180 (0.80)	_	190 (0.85)	
Powder			1 ½ (32)	3½ (89)	5 (102)	210 (0.93)	_	210 (0.93)	_	190 (0.85)	
Actuated	PECLDPA	0.157 (4.0)	7/8 (22)	3½ (89)	5 (102)	90 (0.40)	_	110 (0.49)	_	85 (0.38)	
	FEULDFA		1 (25)	3½ (89)	5 (102)	180 (0.80)	_	155 (0.69)	_	180 (0.80)	
	PTRHA3 PTRHA4	0.157 (4.0)	1 ½ (32)	3½ (89)	5 (102)	185 (0.82)	_	220 (0.98)	_	190 (0.85)	
Gas Actuated	GAC	0.126 (3.2)	3/4 (19)	3 (76)	4 (102)	105 (0.47)	120 (0.53)	150 (0.67)	170 (0.76)	195 (0.87)	

- 1. The fasteners must not be driven until the concrete has reached the designated minimum compressive strength.
- 2. Minimum concrete thickness must be three times the fastener embedment into the concrete.
- 3. The allowable tension values are only for the fastener in the concrete. Members connected to the concrete must be investigated in accordance with accepted design criteria.
- 4. The allowable load values listed are for static load conditions. Refer to ICC-ES ESR-2138 and ESR-2811 code reports for seismic load conditions.
- 5. For fastener installation in concrete with compressive strength outside of the listed range, published allowable loads shall not be extrapolated.

Powder-Actuated and Gas-Actuated Assemblies — Allowable Oblique Loads in Normal-Weight Concrete







Direct		Shank	Minimum	Minimum Edge	Minimum	Allowable Oblique Load — lb. (kN)					
Fastening Type	Model No.	Diameter in. (mm)	Embedment in. (mm)	Distance in. (mm)	Spacing in. (mm)	f' _c = 2,500 psi (17.2 MPa)	f' _c = 3,000 psi (20.7 MPa)	f' _c = 4,000 psi (27.6 MPa)	f' _c = 5,000 psi (34.5 MPa)	f' _c = 6,000 psi (41.3 MPa)	
		3/4 (19)	3½ (89)	5 (102)	115 (0.51)	_	105 (0.47)	_	140 (0.62)		
	PCLDPA	0.157 (4.0)	1 (25)	3½ (89)	5 (102)	255 (1.13)	_	240 (1.07)	_	245 (1.09)	
Powder Actuated			1 1/4 (32)	3½ (89)	5 (102)	250 (1.11)	_	265 (1.18)	_	265 (1.18)	
	DEGI DDA	0.157 (4.0)	7/8 (22)	3½ (89)	5 (102)	135 (0.60)	_	130 (0.58)	_	115 (0.51)	
PECLDPA	PEULDPA		1 (25)	3½ (89)	5 (102)	225 (1.00)	_	230 (1.02)	_	255 (1.13)	
Gas Actuated	GAC	0.126 (3.2)	3/4 (19)	3 (76)	4 (102)	130 (0.58)	135 (0.60)	145 (0.64)	155 (0.69)	175 (0.78)	

- 1. The fasteners must not be driven until the concrete has reached the designated minimum compressive strength.
- 2. Minimum concrete thickness must be three times the fastener embedment into the concrete.
- 3. The allowable oblique values are only for the fastener in the concrete. Members connected to the concrete must be investigated in accordance with accepted design criteria.
- 4. Oblique load direction is 45° from the concrete member surface.
- 5. The allowable load values listed are for static load conditions. Refer to ICC-ES ESR-2138 and ESR-2811 code reports for seismic load conditions.
- 6. For fastener installation in concrete with compressive strength outside of the listed range, published allowable loads shall not be extrapolated.

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Powder-Actuated Fasteners — Allowable Tension and Shear Loads for Attachment of Wood Sill Plates to Normal-Weight Concrete







		Shank	Nominal	Shank	Washer	Washer	f' _c = 2,500 psi (17.2 MPa)		
Direct Fastening Type	Model No.	Length in. (mm)	Head Diameter in. (mm)	Diameter in. (mm)	Thickness in. (mm)	Bearing Area in. ² (mm ²)	Allowable Tension Load lb. (kN)	Allowable Shear Load Ib. (kN)	
Powder Actuated	PDPAWL-287 PDPAWL-287MG	2 % (73)	0.300 (7.6)	0.157 (4.0)	0.070 (1.8)	0.767 (495)	200 (0.89)	205 (0.91)	

- 1. The fasteners must not be driven until the concrete has reached the designated minimum compressive strength.
- 2. Minimum concrete thickness must be three times the fastener embedment into the concrete.
- 3. The allowable tension and shear values are only for the fastener in the concrete. Members connected to the concrete must be investigated in accordance with accepted design criteria.
- 4. Minimum concrete edge distance is 1¾" (44.5 mm).
- 5. Only mechanically galvanized fasteners (with 'MG' in the designation) may be used to attach preservative-treated wood to concrete.
- 6. Minimum spacing shall be 4" (101.6 mm) on center.
- 7. The allowable load values listed are for static load conditions. Refer to ICC-ES ESR-2138 code report for seismic load conditions.

Pin Spacing Requirements of Powder-Actuated Fasteners for Attachment of Wood Sill Plates for Interior Non-Structural Walls to Normal-Weight Concrete





Direct Fastening Type	Model No.	Shank Length in. (mm)	Shank Diameter in. (mm)	Concrete Edge Distance in. (mm)	Maximum Spacing in. (mm)
Powder Actuated	PDPAWL-287 ³ PDPAWL-287MG ³	27/8 (73)	0.157 (4.0)	13/4 (44.5)	48 (1,219)

- Spacings are based upon the attachment of 2" (nominal thickness) wood sill plates, with specific gravity of 0.50 or greater, to concrete floor slabs or footings.
- 2. All walls shall have fasteners placed at 6" (152.4 mm) from ends of sill plates, with maximum spacing as shown in the table.
- 3. Fasteners shall not be driven until the concrete has reached a compressive strength of 2,500 psi.
- 4. The maximum horizontal transverse load on the wall shall be 5 psf (0.239 kPa).
- 5. The maximum wall height shall be 14 feet (4.3 m).

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- 6. For exterior walls and interior structural walls, this table is not applicable and allowable loads must be used.
- 7. Walls shall be laterally supported at the top and the bottom.
- 8. Minimum fastener spacing shall be 4" (101.6 mm) on center.
- 9. Only mechanically galvanized fasteners (with 'MG' in the designation) may be used to attach preservative-treated wood to concrete.



Powder-Actuated and Gas-Actuated Fasteners — Allowable Tension Loads in Sand-Lightweight Concrete over Steel Deck

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			Minimum Embedment in. (mm)	Allowable Tension Load — lb. (kN)							
		Shank Diameter		$f'_c = 3,000$ psi (20.7 MPa) Sand-Light Weight Concrete							
Direct Fastening	Model			Installed in	Installed Through	3" "W" Deck with	Installed Through	Installed Through 1.5" "B" Deck with			
Туре	No.	in. (mm)		Top Side of Concrete⁴	3¼" Concrete Fill ⁵	2¼" Concrete Fill ⁶	2¼" Concrete Fill ⁷	2" Concrete Fill ⁸			
				Figure 1, 2 and 3	Figure 1	Figure 1	Figure 2 and 3	Figure 2			
			3/4 (19)	85 (0.38)	105 (0.47)	_	_	160 (0.71)			
	PDPA PDPAT	0.157 (4.0)	1 (25)	150 (0.67)	145 (0.64)	_	_	210 (0.93)			
Powder	PDPAWL		1 1/4 (32)	320 (1.42)	170 (0.76)	_	_	265 (1.18)			
Actuated			1½ (38)	385 (1.71)	325 (1.45)	_	_	_			
	PINW PINWP	0.145 (3.7)	7/8 (22)	85 (0.38)	40 (0.18)	_	_	_			
	PSLV3	0.205 (5.2)	1 1/4 (32)	_	225 (1.00)	_	_	_			
	GDP	0.106	5% (16)	75 (0.33)	_	60 (0.27)	65 (0.29)	_			
Gas	GDF	(2.7)	3/4 (19)	105 (0.47)	_	60 (0.27)	130 (0.58)	_			
Actuated	GW-75 GW-100	0.126	5% (16)	60 (0.27)	_	35 (0.16)	_	_			
	GTH	(3.2)	3/4 (19)	115 (0.51)	_	55 (0.24)	_				

- The fastener shall not be driven until the concrete has reached the designated compressive strength.
- The allowable tension values are for the fastener only. Members connected to the concrete must be invesigated separately in accordance with accepted design criteria.
- Steel deck must be minimum 20 gauge and have a minimum yield strength of 38,000 psi.
- The minimum fastener spacing is 4". The minimum edge distances are 3½" and 3" for powder-actuated fasteners and gas-actuated fasteners, respectively.
- The fastener shall be installed minimum 1½" from the edge of flute and 4" from the end of the deck. The minimum fastener spacing is 4".
- 6. The fastener shall be installed minimum 1" from the edge of flute and 3" from the end of the deck. The minimum fastener spacing is 4". For GW and GTH fasteners, the fastener must be a minimum of 1%" from the edge of flute.
- 7. The fastener shall be installed minimum %" from the edge of flute. For inverted 1.5" "B" deck configuration, the fastener must be a minimum of 1" from the edge of flute. Fastener must be installed miminim 3" from the end of the deck. The minimum fastener spacing is 4".
- The fastener shall be installed minimum %" from the edge of flute and 4" from the end of the deck. The minimum fastener spacing is 4".
- The allowable load values listed are for static load conditions. Refer to ICC-ES ESR-2138 and ESR-2811 code reports for seismic load conditions.
- 10. See figures on the right for nominal deck dimensions and fastener locations.

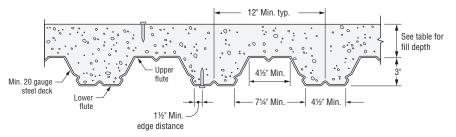


Figure 1. 3" "W" Deck with Concrete Infill

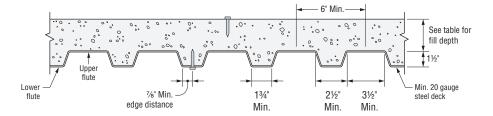


Figure 2. 11/2" "B" Deck with Concrete Infill

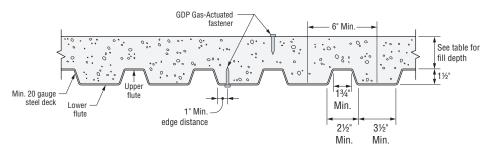


Figure 3. 11/2" Inverted "B" Deck with 21/4" Concrete Infill

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			Minimum Embedment		Allowable Shear Load — lb. (kN)							
		Shank			f'c = 3,000 psi (20.7 MPa) Sand-Light Weight Concrete							
Direct Fastening	Model	Diameter		Installed in	Installed Through	3" "W" Deck with	Installed Through	1.5" "B" Deck with				
Туре	No.	in. (mm)	in. (mm)	Top Side of Concrete ⁹	31/4" Concrete Fill ⁵	2¼" Concrete Fill ⁶	2¼" Concrete Fill ⁷	2" Concrete Fill ⁸				
				Figure 1, 2 and 3 ¹¹	Figure 1 ¹¹	Figure 1 ¹¹	Figure 2 and 3 ¹¹	Figure 2 ¹¹				
			3/4 (19)	105 (0.47)	280 (1.25)	_	_	275 (1.22)				
	PDPA PDPAT PDPAWL	0.157 (4.0)	1 (25)	225 (1.00)	280 (1.25)	_	_	370 (1.65)				
Powder Actuated			1 1/4 (32)	420 (1.87)	320 (1.42)	_	_	460 (2.05)				
			1 ½ (38)	455 (2.02)	520 (2.31)	_	_	_				
	PINW PINWP	0.145 (3.7)	7/8 (22)	250 (1.11)	275 (1.22)	_	_	_				
	GDP	0.106	5% (16)	35 (0.16)	_	180 (0.80)	195 (0.87)	_				
Gas Actuated	GDP	(2.7)	3/4 (19)	140 (0.62)	_	180 (0.80)	270 (1.20)	_				
	GW-75	0.126 (3.2)	5% (16)	110 (0.49)	_	215 (0.96)	_	_				
	GW-100 GTH		3/4 (19)	130 (0.58)	_	235 (1.05)	_	_				

- 1. The fastener shall not be driven until the concrete has reached the designated compressive strength.
- The allowable shear values are for the fastener only. Members connected to the concrete must be investigated separately in accordance with accepted design criteria.
- 3. Steel deck must be minimum 20 gauge and have a minimum yield strength of 38,000 psi.
- 4. Shear values are for loads applied toward edge of flute.
- 5. The fastener shall be installed minimum 11/2" from the edge of flute and 4" from the end of the deck. The minimum fastener spacing is 4".
- 6. The fastener shall be installed minimum 1" from the edge of flute and 3" from the end of the deck. The minimum fastener spacing is 4". For GW and GTH fasteners, the fastener must be a minimum of 11/8" from the edge of flute.
- 7. The fastener shall be installed minimum 1/4" from the edge of flute. For inverted 1.5" "B" deck configuration, the fastener must be a minimum of 1" from the edge of flute. Fastener must be installed miminim 3" from the end of the deck. The minimum fastener spacing is 4".
- 8. The fastener shall be installed minimum 1/s" from the edge of flute and 4" from the end of the deck. The minimum fastener spacing is 4".
- 9. The minimum fastener spacing is 4". The minimum edge distances are 31/2" and 3" for powder-actuated fasteners and gas-actuated fasteners, respectively.
- 10. The allowable load values listed are for static load conditions. Refer to ICC-ES ESR-2138 and ESR-2811 code reports for seismic load conditions.
- 11. See figures on p. 178 for nominal deck dimensions and fastener locations.

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Powder-Actuated and Gas-Actuated Assemblies — Allowable Tension Loads in Sand-Lightweight Concrete over Steel Deck







			Minimum	Allowable Tension Load — lb. (kN)						
Direct		Shank		f'o	= 3,000 psi (20.7 MPa) S	Sand-Lightweight Concre	ete			
Fastening	Model No.	Diameter in.	Embedment in.	Installed Through	3" "W" Deck with	Installed Through 1.5" "B" Deck with				
Туре	140.	(mm)	(mm)	2½" Concrete Fill4	21/4" Concrete Fill ⁵	21/4" Concrete Fill ⁶	2" Concrete Fill ⁷			
				Figure 19	Figure 19	Figure 2 and 39	Figure 29			
	PTRHA3 PTRHA4		1 1/4 (32)	160 (0.71)	_	_	175 (0.78)			
	PCLDPA	0.157 (4.0)	3/4 (19)	115 (0.51)	_	_	60 (0.27)			
Powder			1 (25)	140 (0.62)	_	_	160 (0.71)			
Actuated			1 1/4 (32)	160 (0.71)	_	_	180 (0.80)			
	PECDLPA	0.157	7/8 (22)	80 (0.36)	_	_	95 (0.40)			
	PEUDLPA	(4.0)	1 (25)	120 (0.53)	_	_	135 (0.60)			
Gas Actuated	GAC	0.126 (3.2)	3/4 (19)	_	105 (0.47)	90 (0.40)	_			

- 1. The fastener shall not be driven until the concrete has reached the designated compressive strength.
- The allowable tension values are for the fastener only. Members connected to the concrete must be investigated separately in accordance with accepted design criteria.
- 3. Steel deck must be minimum 20 gauge and have a minimum yield strength of 38,000 psi.
- 4. The fastener shall be installed minimum 11/2" from the edge of flute and 4" from the end of the deck. The minimum fastener spacing is 4".
- 5. The fastener shall be installed minimum 1" from the edge of flute and 3" from the end of the deck. The minimum fastener spacing is 4".
- 6. The fastener shall be installed minimum 1/8" from the edge of flute and 3" from the end of the deck. The minimum fastener spacing is 4".
- 7. The fastener shall be installed minimum 1/4" from the edge of flute and 4" from the end of the deck. The minimum fastener spacing is 4".
- 8. The allowable load values listed are for static load conditions. Refer to ICC-ES ESR-2138 and ESR-2811 code reports for seismic load conditions.
- 9. See figures on p. 178 for nominal deck dimensions and fastener locations.

Powder-Actuated and Gas-Actuated Assemblies — Allowable Oblique Loads in Sand-Lightweight Concrete over Steel Deck







			Minimum	Allowable Oblique Load — lb. (kN)						
Direct		Shank		f'c = 3,000 psi (20.7 MPa) Sand-Lightweight Concrete						
Fastening	Model No.	Diameter in.	Embedment in.	Installed Through	3" "W" Deck with	Installed Through 1.5" "B" Deck with				
Туре		(mm)	(mm)	2½" Concrete Fill4	21/4" Concrete Fill ⁵	21/4" Concrete Fill ⁶	2" Concrete Fill ⁷			
				Figure 1 ¹⁰	Figure 1 ¹⁰	Figure 2 and 3 ¹⁰	Figure 2 ¹⁰			
Powder Actuated	PCLDPA	0.157 (4.0)	3/4 (19)	155 (0.69)	_	_	175 (0.78)			
			1 (25)	175 (0.78)	_	_	240 (1.07)			
			1 1/4 (32)	185 (0.82)	_	_	280 (1.25)			
	PECDLPA	0.157 (4.0)	7/8 110 (22) (0.49)		_	_	110 (0.49)			
			1 (25)	145 (0.64)	_	_	175 (0.78)			
Gas Actuated	GAC	0.126 (3.2)	3/4 (19)	_	120 (0.53)	90 (0.40)	_			

- 1. The fastener shall not be driven until the concrete has reached the designated compressive strength.
- 2. The allowable oblique values are for the fastener only. Members connected to the concrete must be invesigated separately in accordance with accepted design criteria.
- 3. Steel deck must be minimum 20 gauge and have a minimum yield strength of 38,000 psi.
- 4. The fastener shall be installed minimum 11½" from the edge of flute and 4" from the end of the deck. The minimum fastener spacing is 4".
- 5. The fastener shall be installed minimum 1" from the edge of flute and 3" from the end of the deck. The minimum fastener spacing is 4".
- 6. The fastener shall be installed minimum 1/8" from the edge of flute and 3" from the end of the deck. The minimum fastener spacing is 4".
- 7. The fastener shall be installed minimum 7/8" from the edge of flute and 4" from the end of the deck. The minimum fastener spacing is 4".
- 8. Oblique load direction is 45° from the concrete member surface.
- 9. The allowable load values listed are for static load conditions. Refer to ICC-ES ESR-2138 and ESR-2811 code reports for seismic load conditions.
- 10. See figures on p. 178 for nominal deck dimensions and fastener locations.

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Powder-Actuated and Gas-Actuated Fasteners — Allowable Tension and Shear Loads in Hollow and Grout-Filled CMU^{4,5,8}

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Direct		Shank	Minimum	Minimum Edge	8-inch Ho	ollow CMU	8-inch Grout-Filled CMU		
Fastening Type	Model No.	Diameter in. (mm)	Embedment in. (mm)	Distance in. (mm)	Allowable Tension Load lb. (kN)	Allowable Shear Load Ib. (kN)	Allowable Tension Load lb. (kN)	Allowable Shear Load lb. (kN)	
Powder	PDPA PDPAT PDPAWL	0.157 (4.0)	13/4 (44)	3½ (89)	125 ¹ (0.56)	210 ¹ (0.93)	190 ³ (0.85)	245 ³ (1.09)	
Actuated	PINW PINWP	0.145 (3.7)	13/4 (44)	3½ (89)	110 ¹ (0.49)	200 ¹ (0.89)		_	
Gas	GDP	0.106 (2.7)	5 % (16)	3 (76)	35 ¹ (0.16)	60 ¹ (0.27)	-	_	
Actuated	GW-75 GW-100 GTH	0.126 (3.2)	5% (16)	3 (76)	75 ² (0.33)	90 ² (0.40)	_	_	

- 1. Allowable values for fasteners in hollow lightweight concrete masonry units conforming to ASTM C90.
- 2. Allowable values for fasteners in hollow medium-weight concrete masonry units conforming to ASTM C90.
- Allowable values for fasteners in grout-filled lightweight concrete masonry units conforming to ASTM C90 with coarse grout conforming to ASTM C746.
- 4. The minimum allowable nominal size of the CMU must be 8" high by 8" wider by 16" long, with a minimum 11/4"-thick face shell thickness.
- 5. Allowable values are for fasteners installed in the center of a CMU face shell. See Figure 1 for the applicable placement zone. Only one fastener may be installed at each cell.
- 6. Minimum embedment is measured from the outside face of the CMU.
- Allowable values are for the fastener only. Members connected to the CMU must be investigated separately in accordance with accepted design criteria.
- 8. The allowable load values listed are for static load conditions. Refer to ICC-ES ESR-2138 and ESR-2811 code reports for seismic load conditions.

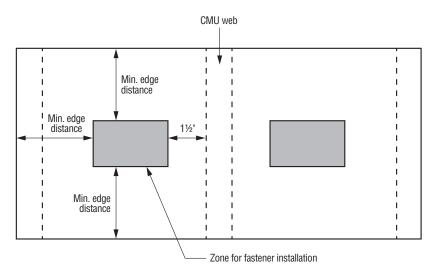


Figure 1. Zone for Fastener Installation in Face Shell of CMU

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Direct		Shank	Minimum	Minimum	Minimum Steel Strength³ ASTM	Allowable Tension Load — lb. (kN)					
Fastening	Model No.	Diameter ¹⁰ in.	Edge Distance in.	Spacing in. (mm)		Steel Thickness					
Туре		(mm)	(mm)			1/8"	3/16"	1/4"	3/8"	1/2"	3/4"
	PDPA PDPAT	0.157	½ (13)	1 (25)	A36	_	260 (1.16)	370 (1.65)	380 ⁷ (1.69)	530 ⁷ (2.36)	195 ⁴ (0.87)
	PDPANL	(4.0)	½ (13)	1 (25)	A572 Gr. 50 or A992	_	305 (1.36)	335 (1.49)	355 ⁷ (1.58)	485 ⁵ (2.16)	170 ⁶ (0.76)
Powder	PINW PINWP	0.145 (3.7)	½ (13)	1 (25)	A36	_	155 (0.69)	_	_	_	_
Actuated	PSLV3 Smooth shank	0.205 (5.2)	1 (25)	1½ (38)	A36	_	270 (1.20)	680 (3.02)	_	_	_
	PSLV3- 12575K Knurled shank	0.205 (5.2)	1 (25)	1½ (38)	A36	_	270 (1.20)	870 (3.87)	_	_	_
Gas Actuated	GDP	0.106 (2.7)	½ (13)	1 (25)	A36	125 (0.56)	210 (0.93)	220 (0.98)	_	_	_
	GDP		½ (13)	1 (25)	A572 Gr. 50 or A992	_	225 (1.00)	185 (0.82)	_	_	_
	GDPS	0.118/0.102 (3.0/2.6)	½ (13)	1 (25)	A36	ı	95 (0.42)	170 (0.76)	165 ⁸ (0.73)	145 ⁸ (0.64)	_
	GDF3		½ (13)	1 (25)	A572 Gr. 50 or A992	1	110 (0.49)	170 (0.76)	155 ⁸ (0.69)	_	_
	CW 50	0.128/0.110	½ (13)	1 (25)	A36	_	225 (1.00)	275 (1.22)	245 ⁹ (1.09)	_	_
	GW-50	(3.3/2.8)	½ (13)	1 (25)	A572 Gr. 50 or A992	_	240 (1.07)	215 ⁹ (0.96)	280 ⁹ (1.25)	_	_

- 1. The entire pointed portion of the fastener must penetrate through the steel to obtain the tabulated values, unless otherwise indicated.
- 2. The allowable tension values are for the fastener only. Members connected to the steel must be investigated separately in accordance with accepted design criteria.
- Steel strength must comply with the minimum requirements of ASTM A 36 ($F_v = 36$ ksi, $F_u = 58$ ksi), ASTM A 572, Grade 50 ($F_y = 50 \text{ ksi}$, $F_u = 65 \text{ ksi}$), or ASTM A992 ($F_y = 50 \text{ ksi}$, $F_u = 65 \text{ ksi}$).
- 4. Based upon minimum penetration depth of 0.46" (11.7 mm).
- Based upon minimum penetration depth of 0.58" (14.7 mm).
- 6. Based upon minimum penetration depth of 0.36" (9.1 mm).
- 7. The fastener must be driven to where the point of the fastener penetrates through the steel.
- 8. Based upon minimum penetration depth of 0.35" (8.9 mm).
- 9. Based upon minimum penetration depth of 0.25" (6.4 mm).
- 10. For stepped shank fasteners: (Diameter of shank above the step)/(Diameter of shank below the step)
- 11. The allowable load values listed are for static load conditions. Refer to ICC-ES ESR-2138 and ESR-2811 code reports for seismic load conditions.



Powder-Actuated and Gas-Actuated Fasteners — Allowable Shear Loads in Steel¹







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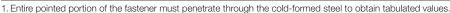
		Shank	Minimum	Minimum		Allowable Shear Load — lb. (kN)					
Direct Fastening	Model No.	Diameter ¹⁰	Edge Distance in.	Spacing in.	Minimum Steel Strength ³	Steel Thickness					
Туре		(mm)	(mm)	(mm)	ASTM	1/8"	3/16"	1/4"	3/8"	1/2"	3/4"
	PDPA, PDPAT,	0.157	1/2	1	A36	_	410 (1.82)	365 (1.62)	385 ⁷ (1.71)	385 ⁷ (1.71)	325 ⁴ (1.45)
	PDPAWL	(4.0)	(13)	(25)	A572 Gr. 50 or A992	_	420 (1.87)	365 (1.62)	290 ⁷ (1.29)	275 ⁷ (1.22)	275 ⁷ (1.22)
Powder Actuated	PINW PINWP	0.145 (3.7)	½ (13)	1 (25)	A36	_	395 (1.76)	_	_	_	_
	PSLV3 Smooth shank	0.205 (5.2)	1 (25)	1 ½ (38)	A36	_	770 (3.43)	1,120 (4.98)	_	_	_
	PSLV3-12575K Knurled shank	0.205 (5.2)	1 (25)	1 ½ (38)	A36	_	930 (4.14)	1,130 (5.03)	_	_	_
	GDP	0.106 (2.7)	½ (13)	1 (25)	A36	285 (1.27)	225 (1.00)	205 (0.91)	_	_	_
			½ (13)	1 (25)	A572 Gr. 50 or A992	_	250 (1.11)	145 (0.64)	_	_	_
Gas	GDPS	0.118/0.102 (3.0/2.6)	½ (13)	1 (25)	A36	_	180 (0.80)	265 (1.18)	225 ⁸ (1.00)	225 ⁸ (1.00)	_
Actuated	GDP3		½ (13)	1 (25)	A572 Gr. 50 or A992	_	205 (0.91)	305 (1.36)	205 ⁸ (0.91)	_	_
	GW-50	0.128/0.110 (3.3/2.8)	½ (13)	1 (25)	A36	_	400 (1.78)	345 (1.53)	310 ⁹ (1.38)	_	_
	GW-50		½ (13)	1 (25)	A572 Gr. 50 or A992	_	380 (1.69)	325 ⁹ (1.45)	350 ⁹ (1.56)	_	

- 1. The entire pointed portion of the fastener must penetrate through the steel to obtain the tabulated values, unless otherwise indicated.
- 2. The allowable shear values are for the fastener only. Members connected to the steel must be investigated separately in accordance with accepted design criteria.
- 3. Steel strength must comply with the minimum requirements of ASTM A 36 ($F_y = 36$ ksi, $F_u = 58$ ksi), ASTM A 572, Grade 50 ($F_y = 50$ ksi, $F_u = 65$ ksi), or ASTM A992 ($F_y = 50$ ksi, $F_u = 65$ ksi).
- 4. Based upon minimum penetration depth of 0.46" (11.7 mm).
- 5. Based upon minimum penetration depth of 0.58" (14.7 mm).
- 6. Based upon minimum penetration depth of 0.36" (9.1 mm).
- 7. The fastener must be driven to where the point of the fastener penetrates through the steel.
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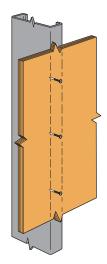
Spiral Knurl Pin Allowable Tension and Shear Loads in Cold-Formed Steel Studs



	Shank	Minimum	Minimum	Designation	Allowable Loads		
Model No.	Diameter in. (mm)	Edge Dist. in. (mm)	Spacing in. (mm)	Thickness mil (gauge)	Tension lb. (kN)	Shear lb. (kN)	
GDPSK-138	0.106 (2.8)	¹³ / ₁₆ (2.1)		33 (20)	30 (0.13)	70 (0.31)	
			4 (102)	43 (18)	48 (0.21)	89 (0.40)	
				54 (16)	92 (0.41)	150 (0.67)	
				68 (14)	73 (0.32)	218 (0.97)	



^{2.} The allowable tension and shear values are for the fastener only. Members connected to the cold-formed steel must be investigated separately in accordance with accepted design criteria.



Typical GDPSK Installation

^{3.} Fastener is to be installed in the center of the stud flange.

^{4.} Loads are based on cold-formed steel members with a minimum yield strength, $F_y = 33$ ksi and tensile strength, $F_u = 45$ ksi for 33 mil (20 ga.) and 43 mil (18 ga.), and minimum yield strength, $F_y = 50$ ksi and tensile strength, $F_u = 65$ ksi for 54 mil (16 ga.) and 68 mil (14 ga.)