

Appendix H: Roof Joist Selection

$$D_{roof} := 19.8 \text{ psf} \quad Snow := 23.1 \text{ psf} \quad L := 8 \text{ ft}$$

$$LCC_1 := 1.4 \cdot D_{roof} = 27.72 \text{ psf}$$

$$LCC_2 := 1.2 \cdot D_{roof} + 0.5 \cdot Snow = 35.31 \text{ psf}$$

$$LCC_3 := 1.2 \cdot D_{roof} + 1.6 \cdot Snow = 60.72 \text{ psf} \quad * \text{Largest}$$

$$w_u := LCC_3 \cdot L = 485.76 \text{ plf}$$

Table H1. Open-web steel joist selection based on the "STANDARD LRFD LOAD TABLE" in the 2013 Vulcraft Steel Joists and Joist Girders (pg. 47-49)

Selection	W_u (plf)	WT (plf)
"22k9"	546	10.2
"20k9"	493	10.1
"18k10"	523	11.6
"24k7"	496	9.0
"28k6"	523	8.9

*Lightest

Add Self:

$$w_{RJ1} := w_u + WT(4) = 0.495 \text{ klf}$$

Deflection:

$$L_{RJ1} := 35 \text{ ft} \quad E := 29000 \text{ ksi} \quad w_{RED} := 275 \text{ plf}$$

$$\Delta_{ALL} := \frac{L_{RJ1}}{240} = 1.75 \text{ in}$$

Equation to approximate gross moment of inertia found on pg. 45 of the Vulcraft document.

$$I_J := 26.767 \cdot w_{RED} \cdot (35 - 0.33)^3 \cdot (10^{-6}) = 306.757 \text{ in}^4$$

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$$\Delta_{ACT} := \frac{(5 \cdot 184.8 \text{ plf} \cdot (35 \text{ ft})^4)}{384 \cdot E \cdot (I_J \cdot \text{in}^4)} = 0.701 \text{ in} < \Delta_{ALL} = 1.75 \text{ in} \quad \text{OK}$$

**∴ Use W28k6, A992 steel for RJ1
with 3 rows of bridging**