

## **Floor Details**

### **GENERAL NOTES**

- All nails shown in the details below are assumed to be common nails unless otherwise noted. 10d box nails may be substituted for 8d common shown in details. Individual components not shown to scale for clarity.
- 2. To minimize splitting of flange and bearing plate at I-joist ends, angle nails and start at least  $1^{1/2^{\rm u}}$  from end.
- 3. For shear transfer at BSI Joists or rim board used as blocking or continuous rim, use same nailing as required for floor sheathing, but meeting flange nail spacing in this guide (see page 3).



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Double I-joist header

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Fasten backer block with ten 10d nails. Clinch all nails when possible. Before installing a backer block to a double I-joist, drive 3 additional 10d nails through the webs and filler block where the backer block will fit. Consult hanger manufacturer for hanger capacities on I-joist headers.

#### **Backer Blocks**

(Blocks must be long enough to permit required nailing without splitting)

Flange Width	Material Thickness Required*	Minimum Depth**
13⁄4″	23/32"	51⁄2″
2 5/16", 21/2"	1″	51⁄2″
31⁄2″	11⁄2″	71⁄4″

\* Minimum grade for backer block material shall be Utility grade SPF (south) or better for solid sawn lumber and APA Rated Sheathing grade for wood structural panels.

\*\* For any hanger or fastener through the face use net web height between flanges minus 1/4".



Backer block required if top-mount hanger load exceeds 250 lbs. Install backer tight to top flange.

Note: Unless hanger sides laterally restrain the top flange, bearing stiffeners shall be used (see page 18)

> Backer block required both \_\_\_\_\_\_ sides for any hanger or fastener through the face. Install deep backer block\*\* tight to bottom flange.

Modification factors may apply to hanger capacities for I-joist headers. See hanger manufacturer's recommendations. Verify double I-joist capacity to support concentrated loads.

## Floor Details (continued)

Refer to General Notes on page 15.



#### Backer block attachment per Detan

# **Blocking Panels**

Blocking panels prevent floor joists from overturning and transfer loads through the floor system into the structure below. Framing lumber installed on edge is unacceptable to use as blocking for I-joist floor and roof systems, due to the differences in product depths and shrinkage characteristics. I-joists and rim board are acceptable to use as blocking panels. Blocking panels must be cut to the proper length to fit tightly between the I-joists, and their depth must match the depth of the I-joists.

Blocking panels may be used as shown in Details 1a-1g, 2b-2f, 2f-2k, and 2n to accomplish the following:

- To stabilize the I-joists laterally at supports. Lateral support is required during installation and is necessary to obtain design carrying capacity.
- To transmit vertical loads from the framing above to the framing below.
- 3. To provide closure of the framed space.
- To transmit lateral forces to shear walls. Nailing into flanges must be as required to transfer shear (must be at least the same as required for the floor sheathing).
- To provide lateral stability to walls where required by local codes. The blocking is sometimes required in the first and second joist spaces next to the starter joist or starter rim on the exterior wall.

## Web Stiffener Requirements

Web stiffeners are not required to attain the spans shown in this quide, but are required for conditions as described in this section. There are two main types of web stiffeners: bearing stiffeners and "load" stiffeners. Both types reinforce the I-joist at locations of concentrated loads. The bearing stiffeners are located at bearing points and may also be required for hangers with side or angle nailing, or to provide lateral restraint to the I-joist in some hanger applications and at birdsmouth cuts. The load stiffeners are located away from bearing supports anywhere large point loads are applied to the top flange of the I-joist.

#### **BEARING STIFFENERS:**

- 1. Bearing stiffeners are required:
  - When sides of the hangers or adjacent framing do not laterally brace the top flange of each I-joist.
- For all I-joists that have a design end reaction exceeding 1550 lbs (1900 lbs for BSI 900).
- 2. Install bearing stiffeners tight against the bottom flange of the I-joist, leaving  $\frac{1}{8}$ "  $\frac{1}{4}$ " gap at the top.

#### LOAD STIFFENERS:

3. Load stiffeners are required:

CONCENTRATED LOAD

(Load Stiffeners)

- When I-joists are designed to support concentrated loads that exceed 1500 lbs applied to the top flange between supports.
- For concentrated loads on cantilevers that exceed 1500 lbs, but do not exceed the un-reinforced I-joist shear capacity. If the full loading on the cantilever exceeds the shear capacity of the un-reinforced joist, cantilever reinforcement is required per the instructions in this guide.
- 4. Install load stiffeners tight against the top flange of the I-joist, leaving  $\frac{1}{3}'' \frac{1}{4}''$  gap at the bottom.
- 5. Concentrated loads require 31/2" minimum bearing length above the top flange.
- 6. Except for pre-scored knock-outs, concentrated loads must be applied with 6" minimum horizontal distance between the edge of the load and the edge of the web hole.

Web stiffeners may be supplied by the distributor, or may be cut in the field as required.

END BEARING

(Bearing Stiffeners)



### **Required Web** Stiffener Sizes

Joist Series	Flange Width	Web Stiffener Size Each Side of Web
BSI 200	1¾″	<sup>19</sup> ⁄32″ x <b>2</b> 5⁄16″ minimum width
BSI 400, 700, 40S, 60S	25/16" 21/2"	1″ x 2⁵⁄16″ minimum width
BSI 900, 80S	3½″	1½″ x 2⁵⁄16″ minimum width

SI units conversion: 1 inch = 25.4 mm

#### Flange width 1¾" or less

Web Stiffeners

(Bearing Stiffener Case Shown)

Figure A



\* Scraping glue that extends out of joints may be required to achieve a tight joint with no gap.

### **Beveled Web Stiffeners**



\* Scraping glue that extends out of joints may be required to achieve a tight joint with no gap.

## **Double I-Joists**

- Double I-joists may be required to frame openings, support concentrated loads, support partitions parallel to floor joists, or support any other loads which would exceed the capacity of a single I-joist. Install double I-joists where drawn or noted on framing plans.
- Filler blocks can be omitted <u>only</u> when double joists are loaded evenly from above along the tops of both joists, such as when a parallel bearing wall is directly centered over the double joists.
- 3. Support back of I-joist web during nailing to prevent damage to web/flange connection.
- 4. Leave a 1/8-inch gap between top of filler block and bottom of top I-joist flange.

Filler Block Size for Double I-Joist

- 5. Filler must extend the full span length, but does not have to be one continuous piece, except at cantilever reinforcements. Cantilever reinforcement fillers must be one continuous piece extending the full length of reinforcement.
- 6. Fasten joists together with two rows of 10d (16d for BSI 900 and BSI 80S) minimum nails at 12" o.c. from each side, clinching nails when possible. A total of 4 nails per foot is required if nails cannot be fully clinched and 2 nails per foot if fully clinched.

### **Double I-Joist Construction**



1/8" gap between top flange and filler block

			Shallow Filler Block Size	Deen Filler Block Size (for cantilevers and web fasteners)					
Flange Width	Joist Series	Depth	Allowable Lumber Combinations	Overall Dimensions	Allowable Lumber Combinations				
1¾″		91/2"	2x6	1¾″ x 6″	2x6				
	BSI 200	117⁄8″	2x6	1¾" x 8"	2x8				
		14″	2x8	13⁄8″ x 10″	2x10				
25⁄16″	BSI 400	91⁄2″	2x6 + 3⁄8" WSP*	11%" x 6″	2x6 + 3/8" WSP*				
	BSI 400, BSI 700	117⁄8″	2x6 + 3⁄8" WSP*	11%" x 8"	2x8 + 3/8" WSP*				
		14″	2x8 + 3⁄8" WSP*	11⁄7⁄8″ x 10″	2x10 + 3/8" WSP*				
		16″	2x8 + 3⁄8" WSP*	11⁄/8″ x 12″	2x12 + 3/8" WSP*				
21⁄2″		91⁄2″	2x6 + 5%" WSP*	21⁄8″ x 6″	2x6 + 5%" WSP*				
	BSI 40S, BSI 60S	117⁄8″	2x6 + 5%" WSP*	21⁄8″ x 8″	2x8 + 5%" WSP*				
		14″	2x8 + 5%" WSP*	21⁄8″ x 10″	2x10 + 5%" WSP*				
		16″	2x8 + 5%" WSP*	21⁄8″ x 12″	2x12 + 5/8" WSP*				
3½"	BSI 900, BSI 80S	117⁄8″	(2) 2x6	3″ x 8″	(2) 2x8				
		14″	(2) 2x8	3" x 10"	(2) 2x10				
		16″	(2) 2x8	3" x 12"	(2) 2x12				

\* WSP = wood structural panel (OSB, plywood, etc.)

# Cantilevers

### **Lumber Cantilever Detail for Balconies**



# Load-Bearing Cantilever Floor Details



### **I-Joist Cantilever with Reinforcement**



Note: Wood structural panel, APA Rated<sup>®</sup> Sheathing 48/24 (minimum thickness <sup>23</sup>/<sub>22</sub>") or Broadspan<sup>®</sup> (APA) Rim Board required on sides of joist. Depth shall match the full height of the joist. Nail with 8d nails at 6" o.c., top and bottom flange. Install with strength axis horizontal. Attach I-joist to plate at all supports with one 8d face nail on both sides of flange.

#### Alternate Method 2 I-Joist Reinforcement - One Side (Double I-Joist)



## **Load-Bearing Cantilever Reinforcement**



Joist Depth (in)	Roof Truss	Roof Loadings												
			TL = 3	35 psf		TL = 45 psf TL = 55 psf								
			LL not to ex	ceed 20 ps	f		LL not to ex	ceed 30 ps	f	LL not to exceed 40 psf				
	Span (ft)		Joist Spa	acing (in)			Joist Sp	acing (in)		Joist Spacing (in)				
		12	16	19.2	24	12	16	19.2	24	12	16	19.2	24	
	26	N	N	N	1	N	N	1	2	N	1	2	Х	
	28	N	N	1	1	Ν	N	1	2	N	1	2	Х	
01/-	30	N	N	1	1	N	1	1	2	N	1	2	Х	
572	32	N	N	1	2	Ν	1	1	Х	N	1	2	Х	
	34	N	N	1	2	N	1	2	Х	N	2	Х	Х	
	36	N	N	1	2	Ν	1	2	Х	N	2	Х	Х	
	26	N	N	N	1	N	N	1	1	N	1	1	2	
	28	N	N	1	1	N	1	1	1	N	1	1	2	
	30	N	N	1	1	N	1	1	2	N	1	1	2	
111/8	32	N	N	1	1	N	1	1	2	N	1	1	2	
	34	N	N	1	1	N	1	1	2	N	1	2	2	
	36	N	N	1	1	N	1	1	2	N	1	2	2	
	38	N	1	1	2	Ν	1	1	2	1	1	2	Х	
	26	N	N	N	1	N	N	N	1	N	N	1	1	
	28	N	N	N	1	N	N	1	1	N	N	1	2	
	30	N	N	N	1	N	N	1	1	N	1	1	2	
14	32	N	N	N	1	N	N	1	1	N	1	1	2	
14	34	N	N	N	1	N	N	1	2	N	1	1	2	
	36	N	N	1	1	N	1	1	2	N	1	1	2	
	38	N	N	1	1	N	1	1	2	N	1	1	2	
	40	N	N	1	1	N	1	1	2	N	1	2	2	
	26	N	N	N	1	N	N	1	1	N	N	1	1	
	28	N	N	N	1	N	N	1	1	N	1	1	2	
16	30	N	N	N	1	N	N	1	1	N	1	1	2	
	32	N	N	N	1	N	N	1	1	N	1	1	2	
	34	N	N	1	1	N	N	1	2	N	1	1	2	
	36	N	N	1	1	N	1	1	2	N	1	1	2	
	38	N	N	1	1	N	1	1	2	N	1	2	2	
	40	N	N	1	1	N	1	1	2	N	1	2	2	
	42	N	N	1	1	Ν	1	1	2	N	1	2	Х	

#### NOTES

- 1. N = No I-joist reinforcing required.
  - 1 = BSI Joists reinforced with minimum <sup>23</sup>/<sub>22</sub>" wood structural panel or rim board on one side only. See Method 1 detail on page 20.
  - 2 = BSI Joists reinforced with minimum <sup>2%</sup>2" wood structural panel or rim board on two sides or double I-joist reinforcer. See Method 2 or Alternate Method 2 detail on page 20.
  - X = Try a deeper joist or closer spacing.
- 2. Color coding in table is matched to the cantilever details on page 20.
- 3. Maximum load shall be: 15 psf roof dead load, 50 psf floor total load, and 80 plf wall

load. Wall load is based on 3'-0" maximum width window or door openings. For larger openings, or multiple 3'-0" width openings spaced less than 6'-0" o.c., additional joists beneath the opening's cripple studs may be required.

4. Table assumes maximum joist simple spans and applies to joists 12" to 24" o.c. Use 12" o.c. requirements for lesser spacings.

5. The required cantilever reinforcement for the loading conditions given in this table are conservative for conventional framing (stick built) roofs that are braced to interior supports. For roofs with a ridge <u>board</u>, use the roof truss span as the span between rafter support walls. For roofs with a ridge <u>beam</u>, use the roof truss span as the span between the rafter support wall and the ridge beam.

## **Roof Framing**

### **GENERAL NOTES**

- 1. Roof must slope a minimum of  $\frac{1}{4}$ /12.
- 2. Maximum I-joist roof slope of 12/12.
- 3. A support beam or wall (ridge board not adequate) is required at the high end.
- 4. To minimize splitting of flange and bearing plate at l-joist ends, angle nails and start at least 1%'' from end.
- 5. For shear transfer at BSI Joists or rim board used as blocking or continuous rim, use same nailing as required for floor sheathing, but meeting flange nail spacing in this guide (see page 3).
- 6. Additional uplift connections may be required for each roof detail.
- 7. Additional blocking or restraint may be required for shear transfer.
- 8. Attach I-joist to top plate with one 8d face nail each side at bearing.



Reference APA Form No. EWS Y250 for additional information on shear transfer at engineered wood framing systems.

## **Roof Details**

Refer to General Notes on page 22.



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## Web Hole Specifications

One of the benefits of using I-joists in residential floor construction is that holes may be cut in the joist webs to accommodate electrical wiring, plumbing lines and other mechanical systems, therefore minimizing the depth of the floor system.

### **Rules for cutting holes in BSI Joists**

- The distance between the inside edge of the support and the centerline of any hole shall not be less than that shown in table on page 27.
- Except for cutting to length and birdsmouth cuts, I-joist top and bottom flanges must NEVER be cut, notched, or otherwise modified.
- 3. Holes may be located anywhere vertically in the web only. Whenever possible, center holes in the web and always maintain at least ¼" of the web at the top and bottom of the hole. The maximum size hole that can be cut into an I-joist web shall equal the clear distance between the flanges of the I-joist minus ¼".
- 4. The sides of square holes or longest sides of rectangular holes should not exceed three-fourths (75%) of the maximum round hole diameter permitted at that location. (For example, if a 10" diameter round hole is permitted, then the longest side of a rectangular hole cannot exceed 10" x  $0.75 = 7\frac{1}{2}$ ".) Do not over-cut the sides or corners of rectangular holes.
- 5. Where more than one hole is necessary, the distance between nearest hole edges shall exceed twice the diameter of the largest round hole or twice the size of the largest square hole (or twice the length of the longest side of the longest rectangular hole). Each hole must comply with the requirements of table on page 27.

- A knockout may be utilized anywhere it occurs and may be ignored for purposes of calculating minimum distances between holes.
- A 1 ½" diameter hole can be placed anywhere in the web, including a cantilevered joist section, provided that it meets the requirements of 5 above, and does not penetrate required cantilever reinforcement.
- For joists with more than one span, use the longest span to determine hole location in either span. For large differences in adjacent span lengths, use software to determine allowable hole locations.
- 9. Limit 3 maximum size holes per span.
- 10. A group of round holes at approximately the same location shall be permitted if they meet requirements for a single round hole circumscribed around them.



Never drill, cut or notch the flange, or over-cut the web.

Holes in webs should be cut with a sharp saw or drill bit, not by hammering (except at pre-scored knockouts.)

For rectangular holes, avoid over cutting the corners, as this can cause unnecessary stress concentrations. Slightly rounding the corners is recommended. Start the rectangular hole by drilling a 1" diameter hole in each of the four corners and then make the cuts between the holes to minimize damage to 1-joist.

### Typical Holes Minimum distance from face of support to the center of hole. See table below. See rule 10 on page 26 4/4 x diameter diameter Contractor's convenience to install electrical or small plumbing lines. They are typically 13%" to 13%" in diameter, and are spaced 12" to 24" on center along the length of the I-joist. Where possible, it is preferable

### Minimum Distance from Face of Joist Supports to Center of Hole – Worst Case Single or Multiple Span, 40 psf Live Load and 10 or 20 psf Dead Load

Laint	Dreedenen®	Span	Round Hole Diameter (in.)																
I-JUISI Nonth	Broauspan®	Inist Spring	Inist Series	Adjustment	2	3	4	5	6	<b>6</b> <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	7	8	<b>8</b> 5⁄/8	9	10	<b>10</b> ¾	11	12	<b>12</b> <sup>3</sup> ⁄4
Dehu	50151 561165	Factor	Minimum Distance from Inside Face of Joist Supports to Center of Hole																
01//	BSI 200	13' – 10"	1' - 6"	2'-6"	3' - 6"	4' - 6"	5'-6"	6' - 0"											
<b>J</b> 72	BSI 400	14' - 6"	1' - 6"	2' - 6"	3' - 6"	4' - 6"	6' - 0"	6' - 6"											
	BSI 200	15′ – 5″	1' - 0"	1' – 0"	2' - 0"	3' – 0"	4' - 0"	4' – 3"	5' – 3"	6' - 6"	7' - 6"								
1176″	BSI 400	16' - 6"	1' - 0"	1' - 6"	2' - 6"	3' – 6"	4' - 6"	4' – 9"	5' - 6"	7' – 0"	8' – 3"								
1178	BSI 700	18' – 8"	1' - 6"	2' - 6"	3' – 9"	5' - 0"	6' - 0"	6' – 3"	7' – 0''	8' - 3"	9' – 3"								
	BSI 900	21' - 0"	1' - 0"	2' - 6"	3' – 6"	5' - 0"	6' – 3"	6' - 9"	7' – 9"	9' - 0"	10' - 0"								
	BSI 200	15′ – 5″	1' - 0"	1' – 0"	1' - 0"	1' – 0"	2' - 0"	2' – 3"	3' – 3"	4' - 6"	5' - 6"	6' - 0"	7' – 6"	9' - 0"					
1.4."	BSI 400	17′ – 1″	1' - 0"	1' – 0"	1' - 6"	2' - 6"	3' – 9"	4' - 0"	5' - 0"	6' - 0"	6' - 9"	7' – 0"	8' - 9"	10' - 6"					
14	BSI 700	19′ – 9″	1' - 0"	1' – 0"	2' - 6"	3' - 6"	5' - 0"	5' – 3"	6' - 6"	7' – 6"	8' - 6"	9' - 0"	10' - 0"	11' - 6"					
	BSI 900	23' - 10"	1' - 0"	1' – 0"	2' - 6"	3' – 9"	5' - 0"	5' - 6"	6' - 6"	7' – 9"	8' - 9"	9' - 3"	11' - 0"	12' – 3"					
	BSI 400	17′ – 1″	1' - 0"	1' – 0"	1' - 0"	1' – 0"	1' – 9"	2' – 3"	3' – 0"	4' – 3"	5' - 0"	5' - 6"	7' – 0"	7' – 9"	8' - 0"	10' - 0"	11' – 6"		
16″	BSI 700	19′ – 9″	1' - 0"	1' – 0"	1' - 0"	1' - 0"	2'-6"	3' – 0"	4' - 0"	5' - 6"	6' - 6"	7' – 0"	9' - 0"	10' - 0"	10' - 6"	12' - 0"	13' – 3"		
	BSI 900	26' - 2"	1' - 0"	1' – 0"	2' - 0"	3' – 3"	4' - 6"	4' - 9"	5' – 9"	7' – 3″	8' - 9"	9' - 0"	10' - 6"	11' - 6"	12' - 0"	13' – 6"	15' - 0"		
01/ //	BSI 40S	13' – 4"	1' - 0"	1' - 9"	2' - 9"	3' - 9"	5' - 0"	5' - 6"											
91/2	BSI 60S	15' – 3"	2' - 0"	3' – 0"	4' - 0"	5' – 3"	6' - 6"	7' – 0''											
	BSI 40S	15' – 3"	1' - 0"	1' - 0"	1' – 9"	2' – 9"	3' – 9"	4' - 0"	4' – 9"	6' - 0"	7' – 9"								
111 // 8"	BSI 60S	17' – 1″	1' - 0"	1'-6"	2' - 6"	3' – 9"	5' – 0"	5' - 6"	6' – 3"	7' – 9"	8' – 9"								
	BSI 80S	19' - 0"	1' – 3"	2'-6"	4' - 0"	5' – 3"	6' – 9"	7' – 0"	8' - 0"	9' - 6"	10' – 3"								
	BSI 40S	16' - 9"	1' - 0"	1' - 0"	1' - 0"	1' - 6"	2'-6"	2' - 9"	3' - 6"	4' - 6"	5' – 3"	5' - 6"	7' – 0"	8' - 6"					
14″	BSI 60S	17′ – 3″	1' - 0"	1' – 0"	1' – 0"	2' - 0"	3' – 3"	3' – 9"	4' – 9"	6' - 0"	7' – 0''	7' – 6"	9' - 6"	10' - 9"					
	BSI 80S	20' - 1"	1' - 0"	1' - 0"	2' - 6"	3' – 9"	5' – 0"	5' - 6"	6' - 6"	8' - 0"	9' – 3"	9' - 9"	11' – 3"	12' - 6"					
16″	BSI 40S	17' – 5"	1' - 0"	1' - 0"	1' – 0"	1' - 0"	1' - 0"	1' - 0"	1' – 9"	2' – 9"	3' - 6"	3' – 9"	5' – 0"	6' - 0"	6' – 3"	7' – 9"	9' - 6"		
	BSI 60S	17' – 7"	1' - 0"	1'-0"	1' - 0"	1' - 0"	1' - 0"	1' – 3"	2'-6"	4'-0"	5' – 0"	5'-6"	7' – 0"	8' - 3"	8'-6"	10' - 6"	12' - 3"		
	BSI 80S	21' – 1"	1' - 0"	1' - 0"	1' - 0"	2' - 0"	3' - 6"	4' - 0"	5' - 0"	6' - 6"	7' – 9"	8'-6"	10' - 0"	11' – 3″	11' - 6"	13' – 0"	14' - 6"		

to use knockouts instead of field cutting additional holes. DO NOT hammer holes in web, except at pre-scored knockouts.

#### NOTES

1. Above tables may be used for I-joist spacing of 24" on center or less.

 Hole location distance is measured from inside face of supports to center of hole. The minimum distance should be satisfied from both supports of the span where the hole is located.

### 3. Distances in this table are based on uniformly loaded joists that meet the span table requirements on page 7.

4. For joists with more than one span, use the longest span to determine hole location in either span. For large differences in adjacent span lengths, use software to determine allowable hole locations.

#### OPTIONAL MINIMUM DISTANCE REDUCTION

The above table is based on the I-joists being used at their maximum span. If the I-joists are placed at less than their full allowable span as shown on page 7, the minimum distance from the inside face of the joist supports to the centerline of the hole (D) as given above may be reduced as follows, but cannot be less than given in the "Limit Table for Reducing Minimum Distance".

$$D_{reduced} = \frac{L_{actual} \times D}{SAF}$$

Where:

- D<sub>reduced</sub> = Distance from the inside face of the joist supports to center of hole, reduced for less-than-maximum span applications (ft).
- Lactual = The actual measured span distance between the inside faces of supports (ft).
- SAF = Span Adjustment Factor given in table above.
- D = The minimum distance from the inside face of the joist supports to the center of hole from table above.

Note: If  $\frac{Lactual}{SAF}$  is greater than 1.0, use  $\frac{Lactual}{SAF}$  = 1.0 in the above calculation for D<sub>reduced</sub>.

Round Hole Minimum **Round Hole** Minimum **Round Hole** Minimum Diameter Distance Diameter Distance Diameter Distance 2 0'-6" 61/4 1'- 6' 10" 1'-6" 1'- 6" 0'-6' 3' 7 1' - 6103/4 4″ 1'- 0" 8" 1'- 6" 11" 1'- 6" 5″ 1'- 0" 85/8 1'- 6' 12 1'-6" 6″ 1'-0" 9" 2'-0" 1'-6' 123/4

When calculating hole locations by this optional method, the following limits for minimum

distances between the inside face of the joist supports and the centerline of the hole apply: