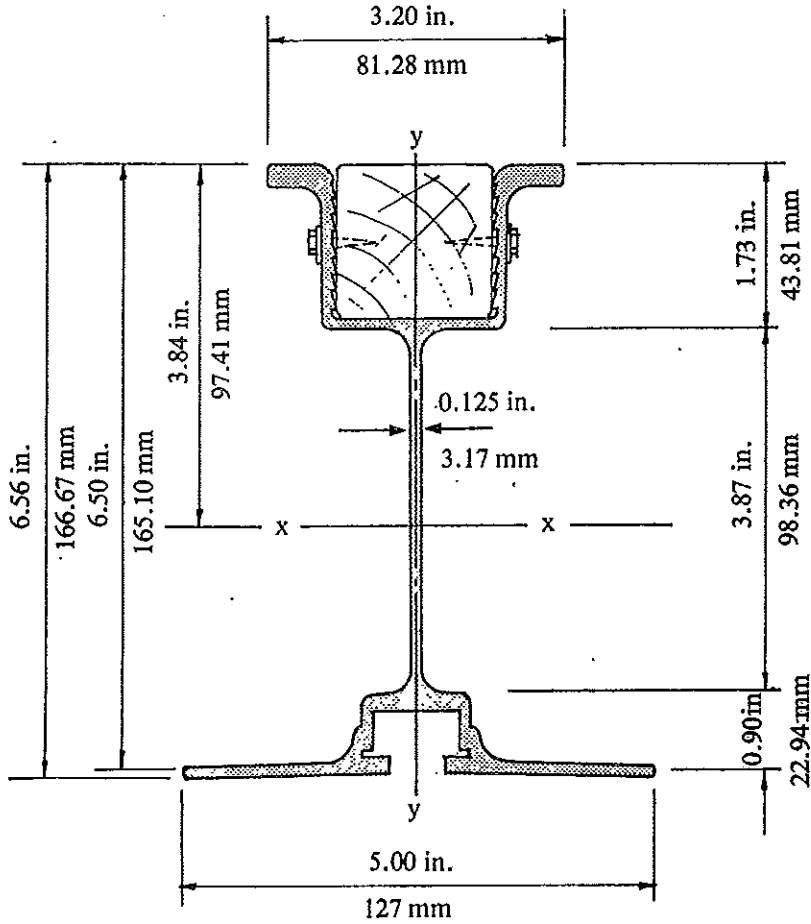


Aluma Beam-Structural Properties



Standard Lengths

Imperial	Metric
10 ft. 6 in.	3.20 m
12 ft. 0 in.	3.66 m
14 ft. 0 in.	4.27 m
16 ft. 0 in.	4.88 m
18 ft. 0 in.	5.49 m
21 ft. 0 in.	6.40 m

	Imperial	Metric
Overall height.....	6.50 in.	165 mm
Base width.....	5.00 in.	127 mm
Width, inverted top hat section.....	3.20 in.	81.28 mm
Cross sectional area (excluding 2" x 2" nailing strip).....	2.67 in. ²	1721 mm ²
Nominal weight (excluding 2" x 2" nailing strip).....	3.18 lb/ft	4.77 kg/m
(including 2" x 2" nailing strip).....	4 lb/ft	6 kg/m
Distance of neutral axis from top.....	3.84 in.	97.41 mm
→ Moment of Inertia I _{xx}	17.0 in. ⁴	7.075E6 mm ⁴
Moment of Inertia I _{yy}	2.65 in. ⁴	1.103E6 mm ⁴
→ Section Modulus S _{xx} max.....	6.23 in. ³	102.15E3 mm ³
S _{xx} min.....	4.43 in. ³	72.63E3 mm ³
→ Section Modulus S _{yy}	1.06 in. ³	17.37E3 mm ³
Radius of Gyration r _x	2.52 in.	64.11 mm
Radius of Gyration r _y	1.00 in.	25.32 mm
Torsion Constant J.....	0.027 in. ⁴	1.124E4 mm ⁴
Warping Constant H.....	28.0 in. ⁶	7519.E6 mm ⁴
→ Modulus of Elasticity E.....	10.2E6 psi	70.3E3 N/mm ²

Aluma Beam Design Data

	Imperial	Metric
Ult. Tensile Stress	$F_u = 40.7 \text{ ksi}$	280 N/mm^2
Yield Stress	$F_y = 37.6 \text{ ksi}$	259 N/mm^2
Yield Stress (Shear)	$F_{sy} = 21.0 \text{ ksi}$	145 N/mm^2
Ult. Bearing Stress	$F_b = 75.4 \text{ ksi}$	520 N/mm^2
Local Buckling Bottom Flange		
Slenderness ratio		
$\frac{mb}{t}$ $m = 4.0$	$\lambda = 40$	$\lambda = 40$
Maximum Buckling Stress	$F_c = 29.4 \text{ ksi}$	203.0 N/mm^2
Ultimate Bending Moment	$M = 183.20 \text{ k-in}$	20.70 kNm
Allowable Bending Moment (F.O.S.2.2)	$M = 83.27 \text{ k-in}$	9.41 kNm
Local Buckling Top Flange		
Slenderness ratio	$\lambda = 6.4$	$\lambda = 6.4$
Maximum Buckling Stress	$F_c = 37.6 \text{ ksi}$	259.0 N/mm^2
Ultimate Bending Moment	$M = 166.53 \text{ k-in}$	18.81 kNm
Allowable Bending Moment (F.O.S.2.2)	$M = 75.70 \text{ k-in}$	8.55 kNm

ALLOWABLE BENDING MOMENT = 66.61 kIN w/ 2.5 TO 1

Allowable Reaction, Shear Based on Alcan, (Strength of Aluminum) 4th Edition :

Interior Reaction (Full Brg.)		End Reaction (Partial Brg.)		Concentrated Load		Shear	
kips	kN	kips	kN	kips	kN	kips	kN
10.68	47.50	5.34	23.75	10.68	47.50	5.90	26.25

- (1) Interior Reaction: Length of bearing 5 ins. (127 mm)
- (2) End Reaction: Length of bearing 2-5 ins. (63 mm)
(2 beams butted in U-Head)
- (3) All F.O.S.: 2.2:1.0