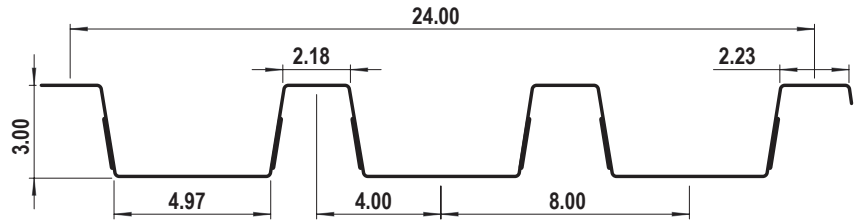




# WF-324 INVERTED COMPOSITE DECK



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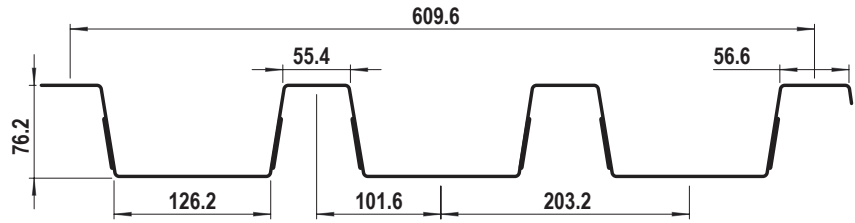
STEEL DECK SECTION PROPERTIES (Per foot of width)							COMPOSITE SLAB PROPERTIES (Per foot of width)															
Base Steel Thickness (in.)	Yield Stress (ksi)	Weight (psf)	Area (in <sup>2</sup> )	Section Modulus (in <sup>3</sup> )		Deflection Inertia (in <sup>4</sup> )	Overall Slab Depth, D (in.)															
				Midspan	Support		5.0	5.5	6.0	6.5	7.0	7.5	8.0									
							Slab Weight (psf)															
							Concrete Volume (yd <sup>3</sup> /100ft <sup>2</sup> )															
0.030	40	2.15	0.615	0.391	0.366	0.820	54.5	60.8	67.0	73.3	79.5	85.8	92.0									
0.036	40	2.57	0.738	0.494	0.472	1.00																
0.048	40	3.40	0.984	0.710	0.661	1.33																
0.060	40	4.24	1.23	0.894	0.845	1.66																
Maximum Specified Uniformly Distributed Loads (psf)																						
Slab Depth, D (in.)		5.0			5.5			6.0			6.5			7.0			7.5			8.0		
Base Steel (in.)	Slab Span (ft)	Deck Span			Deck Span			Deck Span			Deck Span			Deck Span			Deck Span					
		1	2	3	1	2	3	1	2	3	1	2	3	1	2	3	1	2	3			
0.030	9'0"	109	109	109	123	123	123	137	137	137	152	152	152	166	166	166	180	180	180	195	195	195
	9'6"	95	95	95	107	107	107	119	119	119	132	132	132	144	144	144	157	157	157	169	169	169
	10'0"	83	83	83	93	93	93	104	104	104	115	115	115	126	126	126	137	137	137	148	148	148
	10'6"	72	72	72	82	82	82	91	91	91	101	101	101	110	110	110	120	120	120	129	129	129
	11'0"	64	64	64	72	72	72	80	80	80	89	89	89	97	97	97	106	106	106	114	114	114
	11'6"	56	56	56	64	64	64	71	71	71	78	78	78	86	86	86	93	93	93	100	100	100
12'0"	50	50	50	56	56	56	63	63	63	69	69	69	76	76	76	82	82	82	89	89	89	
0.036	10'0"	96	96	96	109	109	109	121	121	121	134	134	134	147	147	147	159	159	159	172	172	172
	10'6"	85	85	85	96	96	96	108	108	108	119	119	119	130	130	130	141	141	141	152	152	152
	11'0"	76	76	76	86	86	86	96	96	96	106	106	106	116	116	116	126	126	126	135	135	135
	11'6"	68	68	68	76	76	76	85	85	85	94	94	94	103	103	103	112	112	112	121	121	121
	12'0"	61	61	61	68	68	68	76	76	76	84	84	84	92	92	92	100	100	100	108	108	108
	12'6"	54	54	54	61	61	61	69	69	69	76	76	76	83	83	83	90	90	90	97	97	97
13'0"	49	49	49	55	55	55	62	62	62	68	68	68	75	75	75	81	81	81	87	87	87	
0.048	10'6"	129	129	129	145	145	145	162	162	162	179	179	179	196	196	196	213	213	213	230	230	230
	11'0"	117	117	117	132	132	132	147	147	147	163	163	163	178	178	178	193	193	193	209	209	209
	11'6"	106	106	106	120	120	120	134	134	134	148	148	148	162	162	162	176	176	176	190	190	190
	12'0"	97	97	97	110	110	110	123	123	123	136	136	136	149	149	149	161	161	161	174	174	174
	12'6"	89	89	89	101	101	101	113	113	113	125	125	125	136	136	136	148	148	148	160	160	160
	13'0"	82	82	82	93	93	93	104	104	104	115	115	115	126	126	126	136	136	136	147	147	147
	13'6"	76	76	76	86	86	86	96	96	96	106	106	106	116	116	116	126	126	126	136	136	136
	14'0"	70	70	70	80	80	80	89	89	89	98	98	98	107	107	107	117	117	117	126	126	126
	14'6"	65	65	65	74	74	74	83	83	83	91	91	91	100	100	100	108	108	108	117	117	117
15'0"	61	61	61	69	69	69	77	77	77	85	85	85	93	93	93	101	101	101	109	109	109	
0.060	11'0"	132	132	132	149	149	149	166	166	166	184	184	184	201	201	201	219	219	219	236	236	236
	11'6"	121	121	121	137	137	137	152	152	152	168	168	168	184	184	184	200	200	200	216	216	216
	12'0"	111	111	111	125	125	125	140	140	140	155	155	155	169	169	169	184	184	184	198	198	198
	12'6"	102	102	102	116	116	116	129	129	129	143	143	143	156	156	156	170	170	170	183	183	183
	13'0"	95	95	95	107	107	107	119	119	119	132	132	132	144	144	144	157	157	157	169	169	169
	13'6"	88	88	88	99	99	99	111	111	111	122	122	122	134	134	134	146	146	146	157	157	157
	14'0"	82	82	82	92	92	92	103	103	103	114	114	114	125	125	125	135	135	135	146	146	146
	14'6"	76	76	76	86	86	86	96	96	96	106	106	106	116	116	116	126	126	126	136	136	136
	15'0"	71	71	71	81	81	81	90	90	90	99	99	99	109	109	109	118	118	118	127	127	127
15'6"	67	67	67	76	76	76	84	84	84	93	93	93	102	102	102	111	111	111	119	119	119	
0.030	DP	148			193			247			309			381			463			556		
0.036	DP	157			205			261			327			403			490			588		
0.048	DP	174			227			289			361			444			539			646		
0.060	DP	190			246			313			391			481			583			699		

- NOTES: 1. One shore support required at midspan in shaded areas.  
 2. Slab weight of steel deck and concrete slab has been accounted for in the load table.  
 3. Shoring was based on Light Duty uniform construction live load of **20 psf**.  
 4. DP = deflection parameter.  
 5. See composite slab notes and design example.  
 6. Prepared by Dr. R.M. Schuster, Distinguished Professor Emeritus, University of Waterloo.





# WF-324 INVERTED COMPOSITE DECK



## METRIC

STEEL DECK SECTION PROPERTIES (Per metre of width)							COMPOSITE SLAB PROPERTIES (Per metre of width)															
Base Steel Thickness (mm)	Yield Stress (MPa)	Mass (kg/m <sup>2</sup> )	Area (mm <sup>2</sup> )	Section Modulus (x10 <sup>3</sup> mm <sup>3</sup> )			Deflection Inertia (x10 <sup>6</sup> mm <sup>4</sup> )	Overall Slab Depth, D (mm)														
				Midspan	Support			130	140	150	160	170	180	190								
0.762	275	10.5	1300	21.0	19.7	1.12	2.58	2.80	3.03	3.25	3.48	3.70	3.93									
0.914	275	12.5	1560	26.6	25.4	1.37	Concrete Volume (m <sup>3</sup> /10m <sup>2</sup> )															
1.22	275	16.6	2081	38.2	35.6	1.82	1.05	1.15	1.25	1.35	1.45	1.55	1.65									
1.52	275	20.7	2601	48.1	45.4	2.27																
Maximum Specified Uniformly Distributed Loads (kPa)																						
Slab Depth, D (mm)		130			140			150			160			170			180			190		
Base Steel (mm)	Slab Span (m)	Deck Span			Deck Span			Deck Span			Deck Span			Deck Span			Deck Span					
		1	2	3	1	2	3	1	2	3	1	2	3	1	2	3	1	2	3			
0.762	2.5	6.8	6.8	6.8	7.5	7.5	7.5	8.2	8.2	8.2	8.9	8.9	8.9	9.5	9.5	9.5	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.9	10.9	10.9
	2.6	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.8	6.8	6.8	7.4	7.4	7.4	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.7	8.7	8.7	9.3	9.3	9.3	9.9	9.9	9.9
	2.8	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.6	5.6	5.6	6.1	6.1	6.1	6.7	6.7	6.7	7.2	7.2	7.2	7.7	7.7	7.7	8.2	8.2	8.2
	3.0	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.7	4.7	4.7	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.6	5.6	5.6	6.0	6.0	6.0	6.4	6.4	6.4	6.8	6.8	6.8
	3.2	3.6	3.6	3.6	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.7	4.7	4.7	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.8	5.8	5.8
	3.4	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.6	3.6	3.6	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.9	4.9	4.9
	3.5	2.8	2.8	2.8	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.9	3.9	3.9	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.5	4.5	4.5
3.6	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.8	2.8	2.8	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.9	3.9	3.9	4.1	4.1	4.1	
0.914	2.6	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.7	7.7	7.7	8.4	8.4	8.4	9.1	9.1	9.1	9.8	9.8	9.8	10.5	10.5	10.5	11.2	11.2	11.2
	2.8	5.8	5.8	5.8	6.4	6.4	6.4	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.6	7.6	7.6	8.2	8.2	8.2	8.8	8.8	8.8	9.3	9.3	9.3
	3.0	4.9	4.9	4.9	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.9	5.9	5.9	6.4	6.4	6.4	6.9	6.9	6.9	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.9	7.9	7.9
	3.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.6	4.6	4.6	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.5	5.5	5.5	5.9	5.9	5.9	6.3	6.3	6.3	6.7	6.7	6.7
	3.4	3.6	3.6	3.6	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.7	4.7	4.7	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.8	5.8	5.8
	3.5	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.7	3.7	3.7	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.7	4.7	4.7	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.4	5.4	5.4
	3.6	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.7	3.7	3.7	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.7	4.7	4.7	5.0	5.0	5.0
3.8	2.7	2.7	2.7	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.8	3.8	3.8	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.3	4.3	4.3	
1.22	2.8	8.3	8.3	8.3	9.1	9.1	9.1	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.8	10.8	10.8	11.7	11.7	11.7	12.5	12.5	12.5	13.3	13.3	13.3
	3.0	7.2	7.2	7.2	7.9	7.9	7.9	8.7	8.7	8.7	9.4	9.4	9.4	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.8	10.8	10.8	11.5	11.5	11.5
	3.2	6.3	6.3	6.3	6.9	6.9	6.9	7.6	7.6	7.6	8.2	8.2	8.2	8.8	8.8	8.8	9.5	9.5	9.5	10.1	10.1	10.1
	3.4	5.5	5.5	5.5	6.1	6.1	6.1	6.7	6.7	6.7	7.2	7.2	7.2	7.8	7.8	7.8	8.3	8.3	8.3	8.9	8.9	8.9
	3.5	5.2	5.2	5.2	5.7	5.7	5.7	6.3	6.3	6.3	6.8	6.8	6.8	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.8	7.8	7.8	8.4	8.4	8.4
	3.6	4.9	4.9	4.9	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.9	5.9	5.9	6.4	6.4	6.4	6.9	6.9	6.9	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.9	7.9	7.9
	3.8	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.8	4.8	4.8	5.3	5.3	5.3	5.7	5.7	5.7	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.6	6.6	6.6	7.0	7.0	7.0
	4.0	3.9	3.9	3.9	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.7	4.7	4.7	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.5	5.5	5.5	5.9	5.9	5.9	6.3	6.3	6.3
	4.2	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.9	3.9	3.9	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.6	4.6	4.6	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.7	5.7	5.7
4.4	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.9	3.9	3.9	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.8	4.8	4.8	5.2	5.2	5.2	
1.52	3.4	6.3	6.3	6.3	6.9	6.9	6.9	7.6	7.6	7.6	8.2	8.2	8.2	8.8	8.8	8.8	9.5	9.5	9.5	10.1	10.1	10.1
	3.5	6.0	6.0	6.0	6.6	6.6	6.6	7.2	7.2	7.2	7.8	7.8	7.8	8.4	8.4	8.4	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.6	9.6	9.6
	3.6	5.6	5.6	5.6	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.8	6.8	6.8	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.9	7.9	7.9	8.5	8.5	8.5	9.0	9.0	9.0
	3.8	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.6	5.6	5.6	6.1	6.1	6.1	6.6	6.6	6.6	7.1	7.1	7.1	7.6	7.6	7.6	8.1	8.1	8.1
	4.0	4.6	4.6	4.6	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.5	5.5	5.5	5.9	5.9	5.9	6.4	6.4	6.4	6.9	6.9	6.9	7.3	7.3	7.3
	4.2	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.6	4.6	4.6	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.8	5.8	5.8	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.7	6.7	6.7
	4.4	3.8	3.8	3.8	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.9	4.9	4.9	5.3	5.3	5.3	5.7	5.7	5.7	6.1	6.1	6.1
	4.5	3.6	3.6	3.6	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.7	4.7	4.7	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.8	5.8	5.8
	4.6	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.8	3.8	3.8	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.9	4.9	4.9	5.2	5.2	5.2	5.6	5.6	5.6
4.8	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.8	3.8	3.8	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.8	4.8	4.8	5.1	5.1	5.1	
0.762	DP	211			259			315			378			448			527			614		
0.914	DP	224			276			334			401			475			558			650		
1.22	DP	249			305			369			442			524			614			715		
1.52	DP	271			332			401			480			568			666			775		

- NOTES: 1. One shore support required at midspan in shaded areas.  
 2. Slab weight of steel deck and concrete slab has been accounted for in the load table.  
 3. Shoring was based on Light Duty uniform construction live load of **1 kPa**.  
 4. DP = deflection parameter.  
 5. See composite slab notes and design example.  
 6. Prepared by Dr. R.M. Schuster, Distinguished Professor Emeritus, University of Waterloo.



## WF-324 INVERTED COMPOSITE SLAB TECHNICAL NOTES (IMPERIAL UNITS)

### Material Properties

1. The composite steel deck WF-324 Inverted is the WF-324 roof deck with embossments rolled into the web elements to achieve the composite interlocking capacity between the steel deck and concrete.
2. Steel deck section properties were calculated in accordance with CSA S136-16.
3. Steel conforms to ASTM A653 SS Grade 40 with G90 surface coatings.
4. Concrete is based on normal density of 145 pcf and having a minimum compressive strength of 3 ksi.

### Load Table

1. Loads are maximum specified uniformly distributed loads resulting from human occupancy and should not be used for concentrated loads.  
Maximum specified load from load table must be  $\geq [LL + (1.25/1.5)DL]$ ;  
Where LL = specified live load;  
DL = specified dead load;
2. Loads greater than **400 psf** are commonly the result of large concentrated moving loads. In such cases, contact **WESTFORM METALS**.
3. The WF-324 steel deck provides the positive reinforcement for the simply supported composite slab and no additional reinforcing steel is required. To control shrinkage and temperature cracking, it is the responsibility of the design engineer to provide the minimum shrinkage and temperature reinforcement as specified in CSSBI S3-2019.
4. *Shoring requirements shown in shaded areas of the load table were established in accordance with CSSBI 12M-24 and are based on a Light Duty uniform construction live load of 20 psf. For Medium or Heavy Duty construction live loads contact **WESTFORM METALS** for the maximum unshored spans. Minimum bearing length at end support is 3 in. and at mid-support 6 in.*
5. To establish the shear-bond capacity of the composite slab system, laboratory tests were carried out at the Applied Dynamics Laboratory, Department of Civil Engineering, McMaster University, Hamilton Ontario in accordance with CSSBI S2-2017.
6. Use of deflection parameter, DP  

$$W_d = \frac{DP \times 10^6}{DC \times (L)^3}$$
 where:  
 $W_d$  = Maximum specified deflection load in psf  
 DP = Deflection parameter from load table  
 DC = Deflection constant such as 360  
 L = Span length in feet



7. All technical information and load tables were prepared by Dr. R.M. Schuster, P.Eng. Distinguished Professor Emeritus, University of Waterloo, Ontario.

### EXAMPLE

Determine the specified uniformly distributed live load that can be placed on the WF-324 Inverted composite floor slab, given the following information:

#### Given:

- Steel deck thickness = 0.048 in.
- Yield stress = 40 ksi
- Overall slab depth = 6.5 in.
- Double span, each = 13.5 ft
- Specified superimposed dead load, DL = 30 psf

#### Check Strength:

The maximum specified load in (**psf**) from load table must be  $\geq [LL + 0.833(DL)]$ ,

where:

LL = specified live load

DL = specified superimposed dead load

From load table under 13.5 ft span, the maximum specified load is **106 psf**, therefore,  
 $106 \geq [LL + 0.833(30)]$  and solving for LL,

$$LL = \mathbf{81 \text{ psf}}$$

Since this is in the shaded area, one shore support is required at mid-span in each span.

#### Note:

**The self-weight of the steel deck and concrete slab have already been accounted for in the maximum specified uniformly distributed load given in the composite slab load table.**

#### Check Deflection:

From table DP = 361 and assuming DC = 360

$$W_d = 361 \times 10^6 / 360 / (13.5)^3 = \mathbf{408 \text{ psf}}$$

Since this is greater than 81 psf, strength controls.

## WF-324 INVERTED COMPOSITE SLAB TECHNICAL NOTES (METRIC UNITS)

### Material Properties

1. The composite steel deck WF-324 Inverted is the WF-324 roof deck with embossments rolled into the web elements to achieve the composite interlocking capacity between the steel deck and concrete.
2. Steel deck section properties were calculated in accordance with CSA S136-16.
3. Steel conforms to ASTM A653M SS Grade 275 with Z275 surface coatings.
4. Concrete is based on normal density of 2300 kg/m<sup>3</sup> and having a minimum compressive strength of 20 MPa.

### Load Table

1. Loads are maximum specified uniformly distributed loads resulting from human occupancy and should not be used for concentrated loads.  
Maximum specified load from load table must be  $\geq [LL + (1.25/1.5)DL]$ ;  
Where LL = specified live load;  
DL = specified dead load;
2. Loads greater than **20 kPa** are commonly the result of large concentrated moving loads. In such cases, contact **WESTFORM METALS**.
3. The WF-324 steel deck provides the positive reinforcement for the simply supported composite slab and no additional reinforcing steel is required. To control shrinkage and temperature cracking, it is the responsibility of the design engineer to provide the minimum shrinkage and temperature reinforcement as specified in CSSBI S3-2019.
4. *Shoring requirements shown in shaded areas of the load table were established in accordance with CSSBI 12M-24 and are based on a Light Duty uniform construction live load of 1 kPa. For Medium or Heavy Duty construction live loads contact **WESTFORM METALS** for the maximum unshored spans. Minimum bearing length at end support is 75 mm and at mid-support 150 mm.*
5. To establish the shear-bond capacity of the composite slab system, laboratory tests were carried out at the Applied Dynamics Laboratory, Department of Civil Engineering, McMaster University, Hamilton, Ontario in accordance with CSSBI S2-2017.
6. Use of deflection parameter, DP  

$$W_d = \frac{DP \times 10^3}{DC \times (L)^3}$$
 where:  
 $W_d$  = Maximum specified deflection load in kPa  
 DP = Deflection parameter from load table  
 DC = Deflection constant such as 360  
 L = Span length in meters



7. All technical information and load tables were prepared by Dr. R.M. Schuster, P.Eng. Distinguished Professor Emeritus, University of Waterloo, Ontario.

### EXAMPLE

Determine the specified uniformly distributed live load that can be placed on the WF-324 Inverted composite floor slab, given the following information:

#### Given:

- Steel deck thickness = 0.914 mm
- Yield stress = 275 MPa
- Overall slab depth = 150 mm
- Double span, each = 3.5 m
- Specified superimposed dead load, DL = 1.10 kPa

#### Check Strength:

The maximum specified load in (**kPa**) from load table must be  $\geq [LL + 0.833(DL)]$ ,

where:

LL = specified live load

DL = specified superimposed dead load

From load table under 3.5 m span, the maximum specified load is **4.0 kPa**, therefore,  
 $4.0 \geq [LL + 0.833(1.10)]$  and solving for LL,

$$LL = \underline{\underline{3.1 \text{ kPa}}}$$

Since this is in the shaded area, one shore support is required at mid-span in each span.

#### Note:

**The self-weight of the steel deck and concrete slab have already been accounted for in the maximum specified uniformly distributed load given in the composite slab load table.**

#### Check Deflection:

From table DP = 334 and assuming DC = 360

$$W_d = 334 \times 10^3 / 360 / (3.5)^3 = \underline{\underline{21.6 \text{ kPa}}}$$

Since this is greater than 3.1 kPa, strength controls.