

SPECIFICATIONS - (CONT)

SECTION 04220 - STRUCTURAL CONCRETE MASONRY

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.01 SECTION INCLUDES

- A. Section includes structural concrete masonry shown on the Structural Drawings.
- 1.02 RELATED SECTIONS
 - A. Section 01330 - Structural Submittals.
 - B. Section 01425 - Structural Testing/Inspection Agency Services.
 - C. Section 02000 - Concrete Reinforcement.
 - D. Section 03000 - Cast-in-Place Concrete.

1.03 REFERENCES

- A. ACI 308.1R-08 - Standard Specification for Masonry Structures.
- B. ASTM A62 - Standard Specification for Steel Wire, Plain, for Concrete Reinforcement.
- C. ASTM A153 - Standard Specification for Zinc Coating (Hot-Dip) on Iron and Steel Hardware.
- D. ASTM A496 - Standard Specification for Concrete Reinforcing Steel Bars.
- E. ASTM C90 - Standard Specification for Load-Bearing Concrete Units.
- F. ASTM C109 - Standard Test Method for Compressive Strength of Hydraulic Cement Mortars (Using 2- or 4-in. Square Specimens).
- G. ASTM C140 - Standard Methods of Sampling and Testing Concrete Masonry Units.
- H. ASTM C144 - Standard Specification for Aggregate for Masonry Mortar.
- I. ASTM C270 - Standard Specification for Mortar for Unit Masonry.
- J. ASTM C404 - Standard Specification for Aggregate for Masonry Grout.
- K. ASTM C475 - Standard Specification for Grout for Masonry.
- L. ASTM C1019 - Standard Method of Sampling and Testing Grout.
- M. ASTM D2000 - Standard Classification System for Rubber Products in Automotive Applications.
- N. ASTM E447 - Standard Test Methods for Compressive Strength of Masonry Prisms.

1.04 SUBMITTALS

- A. Submit course grout mix design.
- B. Upon request, submit material certificates signed by the material supplier that the masonry units, mortar, reinforcement, and joint material complies with specification requirements.
- C. Submit shop drawings for reinforcement in accordance with Section 02000.
- D. Submit procedures for construction of masonry walls to be filled with course grout. Procedures should include high lift or low lift grouting as applicable to project.

1.05 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Structural Testing/Inspection Agency shall perform the following quality related items:
 1. Verify reinforcing steel for quantity, size, and location.
 2. Verify placement of course grout as indicated in high or low lift procedure.
 3. Verify compressive strength of concrete masonry units, mortar, course grout, or masonry prisms for each 5,000 sq. ft. of surface area as follows:
 - a. Three (3) concrete masonry units shall be tested in accordance with ASTM C140.
 - b. Six (6) mortar cube specimens shall be tested, three (3) at 7-days and three (3) at 28-days, in accordance with ASTM C109.
 - c. Four (4) course grout specimens shall be tested, two (2) at 7-days and two (2) at 28-days, in accordance with ASTM C1019.
 - d. Use of individual masonry units, mortar, and grout, if directed by the Design Professional, perform one (1) prism test (which consists of three prisms) in accordance with ASTM E447.
- B. The Structural Testing / Inspection Agency shall provide special inspections as required by Chapter 17 of the Building Code as required by Specification 01 4525.

1.06 HANDLING OF MATERIALS

- A. Package, handle, and store materials to protect from elements and prevent contamination.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS

2.01 CONCRETE MASONRY

- A. Concrete masonry shall have the minimum compressive strength (f'm) specified on the Drawings.
- 2.02 CONCRETE MASONRY UNITS
 - A. Concrete masonry units shall conform to ASTM C90, Type II (moisture controlled).
 - B. Provide light weight concrete masonry units.
 - C. Concrete masonry units shall have, as a minimum, the net area compressive strength listed in Table 1.6.2.2 of ACI 530.1/ASCE 5/TMS 602 required for the specified f'm.
 - D. Provide standard units with face dimension of 16" length x 8" high nominal, unless indicated otherwise.
 - E. Provide special shapes where indicated on the Drawings.

2.03 MORTAR

- A. Mortar shall be Type M or Type S in accordance with ASTM C270. Refer to Drawings for locations.
- B. Do not use admixtures that contain chlorides.

2.04 COURSE GROUT

- A. Course grout shall conform to ASTM C475.
- B. Course grout shall have the minimum compressive strength specified on the Drawings.
- C. Mix grout to a consistency which has a slump between 8 and 10 inches.
- D. Do not use admixtures that contain chlorides.

2.05 WATER

- A. Provide clean potable water free of deleterious substances.

2.06 REINFORCEMENT

- A. Horizontal and vertical reinforcing bars shall comply with Section 02000.
- 2.07 HORIZONTAL JOINT REINFORCEMENT
 - A. Horizontal joint reinforcement shall be manufactured with longitudinal parallel, deformed side wires in accordance with ASTM A496 and of the size specified on the Drawings. Cross wires shall be No. 9 gage, plain, in accordance with ASTM A92.
 - B. Provide as a minimum, one side wire for each face shell of hollow masonry units. Provide additional side wires or eye sections for adjustable wall ties as specified for masonry wall construction.
 - C. Provide brass type joint reinforcement, except ladder type reinforcement shall be used for walls with vertical reinforcement.
 - D. Horizontal joint reinforcement shall be hot-dipped galvanized in accordance with ASTM A153, Class B-2.
 - E. Provide prefabricated corner and tee shape corner accessories.

2.08 CONSTRUCTION JOINT MATERIAL

- A. Construction joint material shall comply with ASTM D2000, M2AA-905 with rubber shear keys with a minimum diameter hardness of 80.

PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.01 MIXING

- A. Except as otherwise approved for special batches, mix in mechanically operated batch mixers of drum type in which water can be accurately and uniformly controlled. Allow five minutes maximum mixing time, two minutes for dry mixing and three minutes for continued mixing after water has been added. Do not permit volume of batch to exceed manufacturer's rated capacity of mixer drum. Empty drum completely before placing next batch. Keep mixers and wheelbarrows clean. Do not deposit mortar upon or permit contact with ground.
- B. Do not use wet-dryeze compounds.

3.02 CONSTRUCTION

- A. Use dry masonry units. No frozen or wet units shall be used.
- B. Discard cracked, chipped, and spalled masonry units.
- C. Deliver mortar to mason's batch point at end of use within 45 minutes after mixing. Do no retempering. Use no admixtures. Use pre-hydrated mortar for back patches. Prepare pointing mortar with as dry consistency as will produce mortar sufficiently plastic to be worked into joints.
- D. During erection cover top of wall with strong waterproof membrane at end of each day when shutdown. Cover partially completed walls when work is not in progress. Extend and secure cover a minimum of 24 in. down both sides. Do not apply uniform floor or roof loading for at least 12 hours after building masonry columns or walls. Do not apply concentrated loads for at least 3 days after building masonry columns or walls.
- E. Provide temporary bracing during erection as required to stabilize erected masonry.
- F. Except where otherwise indicated, lay block in running bond.

3.03 LAYING AND BONDING

- A. Lay masonry in full beds of mortar on masonry surfaces, and properly jointed with other work. Buttering corners of joints, deep or excess turning of mortar joints is not permitted.
- B. Fully bond external corners of concrete block. Where interior block portions intersect other block walls or partitions, provide control joints with mortar raked back 1/4 inch.
- C. Isolate masonry portions from vertical structural framing members with control joints, with mortar raked back 1/4 inch.
- D. Where non-bearing masonry partitions extend to underside of floor, roof deck or structural system, stop masonry about 1/8 to 1/2 inch to allow for live load deflection. Fill gap with suit joint filler.
- E. Where masonry chase walls are constructed, one wall can be stopped above ceiling to provide access space.

3.04 CONSTRUCTION JOINTS

- A. Install construction joints at locations indicated on the Drawings in all masonry walls. Do not run masonry reinforcement through construction joints.

3.05 TOLERANCES

- A. Variation from Unit to Adjacent Unit: 1/32 inch maximum.
- B. Variation from Plan to Wall: Maximum 1/4 inch in 10 feet, and 1/2 inch in 20 feet or more.
- C. Variation from Plumb: +/- 1/4 inch in 10 feet, +/- 3/8 inch in 20 feet, +/- 1/2 inch maximum.
- D. Variation in Level Coursing: +/- 1/4 inch in 10 feet, +/- 1/2 inch maximum.
- E. Variation in Joint Thickness: +/- 1/8 inch Maximum.

3.06 CLEANING AND POINTING

- A. Clean space as it is completed, but in every case, clean at least once each work. All debris shall be removed to appropriate container and hauled off the site as required to avoid over filling.
- B. Dry brush masonry surfaces before mortar has set hard to remove mortar crumbs and accumulation.
- C. Clean masonry with commercial brick cleaner approved by brick manufacturer. Protect other work from cleaning materials.
- D. Cut out defective mortar and repoint.

3.07 HORIZONTAL JOINT REINFORCEMENT

- A. Place horizontal joint reinforcement in the horizontal mortar beds at spacings as noted in the Drawings, except as specified herein.
- B. For masonry below grade, space horizontal joint reinforcing at 8 inches vertically.
- C. Above lintels and below sills at openings, place a continuous run of horizontal joint reinforcement in the first two bed joints, 8 inches apart. Extend joint reinforcement two feet beyond each side of the opening.
- D. Joint reinforcement shall be continuous, except it shall not pass through vertical masonry construction joints. Lap joint reinforcement a minimum of 6 inches.

3.08 ENVIRONMENTAL PROVISIONS

- A. Cold weather masonry construction shall comply with the International Masonry Institute (IMI) Recommended Practices and Guide Specifications for Cold Weather Masonry Construction, Section 04220.

END OF SECTION 04220

SECTION 05100 - STRUCTURAL STEEL

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.01 SECTION INCLUDES

- A. Section includes fabrication and erection of structural steel indicated in the Contract Documents or otherwise required for proper completion of the work.
- 1.02 RELATED SECTIONS
 - A. Section 01330 - Structural Submittals.
 - B. Section 01425 - Structural Testing/Inspection Agency Services.
 - C. Section 05200 - Steel Joists and Joist Girders.
 - D. Section 05000 - Metal Decking.

1.03 REFERENCES

- A. AISC - Code of Standard Practice for Steel Buildings and Bridges.
- B. AISC - Standard Specification for Structural Steel Buildings, 14th Edition.
- C. AISC - Specifications of Structural Joints using ASTM A325 or A490 Bolts approved by the Research Council on Structural Connections.
- D. AWS D1.1 - Structural Welding Code.
- E. AWS A5.1 - Specification for Carbon Steel Electrodes for Shield Metal Arc Welding.
- F. AWS A5.5 - Specification for Low-Alloy Steel Covered Arc Welding Electrodes.
- G. AWS A5.17 - Specification for Carbon Steel Electrodes and Fluxes for Submerged Arc Welding.
- H. AWS A5.20 - Specification for Carbon Steel Electrodes for Flux Cored Arc Welding.
- I. SSPC - Steel Structures Painting Manual.
- J. ASTM A36 - Standard Specification for Structural Steel.
- K. ASTM A123 - Standard Specification for Zinc (Hot-Dip Galvanized) Coatings on Iron and Steel Products.
- L. ASTM A153 - Standard Specification for Zinc Coating (Hot-Dip) on Iron and Steel Hardware.
- M. ASTM A780 - Standard Practice for Repair of Damaged and Uncoated Areas of Hot-Dip Galvanized Coatings.
- N. ASTM A807 - Standard Specification for Carbon Steel Bolts and Studs, 60,000 PSI Tensile Strength.
- O. ASTM A325 - Standard Specification for Structural Bolts, Heat Treated, 120/105 KSI Minimum Tensile Strength.
- P. ASTM A490 - Standard Specification for Heat-Treated Steel Structural Bolts, 150 KSI Minimum Tensile Strength.
- Q. ASTM A500 - Standard Specification for Cold-Formed Welded and Seamless Carbon Steel Tubing in Rounds and Shapes.
- R. ASTM A501 - Standard Specification for Hot-Formed Welded and Seamless Carbon Steel Structural Tubing.
- S. ASTM A592 - Standard Specification for Steel for Structural Shapes for Use in Building Framing.
- T. ASTM F436 - Standard Specification for Steel Washer and Hardened Steel Washers.
- U. ASTM F844 - Standard Specification for Washers, Steel, Plain (Flat), Unhardened for General Use.

1.04 SUBMITTALS

- A. Contact Design Professional prior to detailing structural steel shop drawings.
- B. Reproduction of Structural Drawings for shop drawings is not permitted. Electronic drawing files will not be provided to the Contractor.
- C. Submit shop drawings for review.
- D. Shop drawings shall clearly indicate the profiles, sizes, ASTM Grade, spacings and locations of all structural steel members, including connections, attachments, anchorages, framed openings, sizes and types of fasteners, methods of splicing fasteners, corners, and the number, type and spacing of the headed shear connectors.
- E. For connections and elements designed by the contractor, submit shop drawings and calculations approved by an engineer licensed in the project state.
- F. For record only, submit written welding procedures for each type of welded joint used in accordance with Appendix E of the AWS Structural Welding Code.
- G. Maintain at construction office certification that the steel supplied meets the specifications.
- H. Maintain at construction office certification that high strength bolts supplied meet the specifications.
- I. Submit certification that the fabricator meets the required qualifications. If fabricator fails to have an independent testing agency to inspect fabrication as required by these specifications, submit the name and qualifications of the independent testing agency.
- J. For each approved fabricator that is exempt from Special Inspections of shop fabrications and implementation procedures in accordance with Section 1704.2 of the Building Code, submit "Fabricator's Certificate of Compliance". Provide copies of fabricator's certification or building code evaluation services report and fabricator's quality control manual.
- K. Submit certification that the erector meets the required qualifications.
- L. Upon request, submit the erection sequence and procedures to be used by the steel erector.
- M. Manufacturer's recommendations for expansion anchor installation.
- N. Manufacturer's recommendations for adhesive anchor installation.

1.05 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Structural Testing/Inspection Agency shall perform the following quality related items:
 1. Anchor Bolts
 2. Welded Connections
 - a. Anchor bolt size, configuration, and embedment shall be verified prior to placement of concrete.
 - b. Welded connections shall be in accordance with AWS Structural Welding Code.
 - c. Visually inspect all field welded connections. Visual inspection of welded joints includes periodic examination of flaps.
 - d. Ultrasonically inspect 100% of the complete penetration welds.
 - e. Review approved welding procedures. Verify that welding procedures are being adhered to during field welding.
 3. Bolted Connections
 - a. Inspection and testing shall be in accordance with AISC Specifications for Structural Joints using ASTM A325 or A490 Bolts.
 - b. Prior to visual and physical testing, tension testing using a calibration device (Skidmore-Wilhelm) must indicate tensions at least 5% in excess of the AISC minimum. Structural steel erector shall supply the tension calibration device.
 - c. Test a minimum of 10% of the bolted connections.
- B. Store materials off ground to permit easy access for inspection and identification. Store steel members and packaged items in a manner that provides protection against contact with deleterious materials.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS

2.01 ANCHOR ROD

- A. Anchor rods shall conform to ASTM F1554 and shall be a headed rod or threaded rod with a heavy hexagonal nut welded to the bottom of the threaded rod.

2.02 ROLLED STEEL WIDE FLANGE AND WT SHAPES

- A. Rolled steel wide flange shapes shall conform to ASTM A992.

2.03 ROLLED STEEL SHAPES, PLATES, AND BARS, EXCEPT WIDE FLANGE AND WT SHAPES

- A. Rolled steel shapes, plates, and bars, except wide flange and WT shapes, shall conform to ASTM A36.

2.04 ROUND STRUCTURAL STEEL TUBING

- A. Round structural steel tubing shall conform to ASTM 500, Grade C, 42 ksi minimum yield strength.

2.05 SHAPED STRUCTURAL STEEL TUBING

- A. Shaped structural steel tubing shall conform to ASTM A500, Grade C, 46 ksi minimum yield strength.

2.06 NON-HIGH-STRENGTH FASTENERS

- A. Non-high-strength bolts shall conform to ASTM A307, Grade A, 60 ksi minimum, where noted on the Structural Drawings.

2.07 HIGH-STRENGTH FASTENERS

- A. High-strength bolts shall conform to ASTM A325 or ASTM A490 as noted on the Structural Drawings.
- B. Provide 3/4-inch minimum diameter bolts, unless noted otherwise.
- C. Hardened steel washers shall conform to ASTM F436.
- D. Spine-type tension control bolts, plain hardened washers and suitable nuts are an acceptable alternate design bolt assembly.
- E. Do not use load indicating washers.

2.08 HEADED STUDS

- A. Headed studs shall conform to the requirements of AWS D1.1.
- B. Provide 3/4-inch diameter headed steel studs, unless noted otherwise.
- C. Provide heat-resistant ceramic arc shields with studs.

2.09 EXPANSION ANCHORS

- A. Expansion anchors shall have been evaluated by the ICC Evaluation Service, Inc. (ICC-ES) with a published evaluation report. Anchors shall be evaluated by ICC-ES Acceptance Evaluator and specifically approved for use in cracked concrete. All anchors shall be installed in accordance with ICC-ES E-1009.

2.10 ADHESIVE ANCHORS

- A. Adhesive anchors shall consist of:
 1. An all-steel steel anchor conforming to ASTM A307, Grade A or A307B, installed in accordance with ASTM E833, unless otherwise noted on the Structural Drawings, and
 2. An adhesive conforming to ASTM F1953, Type IV, Class E, Part B, & C except gel times and epoxy content. The adhesive shall be installed in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions by side pot application, and shall be installed in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions. The components as it is injected into the hole shall have been approved by the ICC Evaluation Service, Inc. Acceptance Evaluator and specifically approved for use in cracked concrete.

2.11 WELDING PROCESSES

- A. E 70 series low hydrogen electrodes conforming to AWS A5.1, A5.5, A5.17, or A5.20.
- B. Flux shall be used to maintain quality.

2.12 PAINT

- A. Outside primers shall conform to AISC Specifications, Code of Standard Practice, and SSPC Steel Structures Painting Manual, unless indicated otherwise.
- B. Paint primer shall be compatible with finish coating.
- C. Paint primer shall be compatible with finish coating.

2.13 GALVANIZING

- A. Galvanized coating shall conform to ASTM A123.
- B. Galvanize bolts, nuts, and washers in accordance with ASTM A153 when used to connect steel members that are specified to be galvanized.
- C. Expansion anchors or adhesive anchors specified to be galvanized shall be mechanically galvanized in accordance with ASTM B695, Class 65, Type 1.

PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.01 GENERAL

- A. Fabricate and erect structural steel in accordance with AISC Specifications and Code of Standard Practice.
- B. Notify Design Professional and Structural Testing/Inspection Agency at least 48 hours prior to structural steel fabrication and erection.
- 3.02 ANCHOR BOLT SETTING
 - A. Provide templates for setting anchor bolts. Position anchor bolts by using templates with two nuts to secure in place prior to placement of concrete.
 - B. Do not erect steel where anchor bolt nuts will not have full threads.

3.03 CONNECTIONS

- A. Provide a minimum of two fasteners at each bolted connection.
- B. Ensure fasteners are lubricated prior to installation.
- C. Provide high-strength bolted connections in accordance with AISC Specifications for Structural Joints using ASTM A325 or A490 Bolts.
- D. Provide connections for expansion and contraction where steel beams connect to concrete walls or concrete columns and at expansion joints. Secure nuts on bolts against loosening. Dress threads with a chisel.

3.04 FASTENER INSTALLATION

- A. Bolts shall be installed in holes of the connection and brought to snug tight condition. Tighten connection progressively systematically from the most rigid part to the free edges of the connection to minimize relaxation of the bolts.
- B. High-strength bolts installed shall have a hardened washer under the element turned in tightening.
- C. Installation and tightening of bolts shall conform to the AISC Specifications for Structural Joints.

3.05 HEADED STUDS

- A. Headed studs shall be welded in accordance with AWS D1.1.
- B. Locate shear studs directly over the web of beams with flanges less than 0.2 inches thick.
- C. The minimum center spacing shall be 6 diameters along the longitudinal axis of the beam and 4 diameters transverse to the longitudinal axis of the beam.
- D. Where double rows of shear studs are required, provide double rows at each end of the beam.
- E. Remove shields after welding studs.

3.06 EXPANSION ANCHOR INSTALLATION

- A. Install in accordance with manufacturer's recommendation.
- B. Minimum embedment shall be equal to 4.5 times the anchor diameter unless noted otherwise.

3.07 ADHESIVE ANCHOR INSTALLATION

- A. Install in accordance with manufacturer's recommendation.
- B. Minimum embedment shall be equal to 4.5 times the anchor diameter unless noted otherwise.

3.08 WELDING

- A. Comply with AWS Structural Welding Code. Use prequalified weld procedures.
- B. Provide end restraints where fillet welds terminate at end or sides. Returns shall be continuous for a distance of not less than two times the nominal size of the weld.
- C. Complete penetration joints shall be backgouged to sound metal before the second side is welded or where 1/4-inch root opening with 3/16 x 1 inch backing bar. Access holes are required. Filling access holes is not required.

3.09 SPACING

- A. Splice members only where indicated unless authorized in writing by the Design Professional.
- B. Provide shear plates at bottom flange splice at continuous beam splices with different depths.

3.10 CUTTING

- A. Do not use flame cutting to correct errors unless authorized in writing.
- B. AISC - Standard Specification for Structural Steel Buildings, 14th Edition.
- C. AISC - Specifications of Structural Joints using ASTM A325 or A490 Bolts approved by the Research Council on Structural Connections.

3.11 MILL SCALE

- A. Remove loose mill scale.

3.12 BOLT HOLES

- A. Cut, drill or punch holes perpendicular to metal surfaces. Do not enlarge holes by burning. Drill or punch holes in bearing plates. Remove burrs.

3.13 PAINTING

- A. Paint steel that is not encased in concrete, plaster, or sprayed fireproofing. Do not shop paint areas to be field welded, contact surfaces of slip critical connections, or areas to receive special finishes.
- B. Field paint as required steel that has been oxidized or that is unpainted after connections have been made.

3.14 GALVANIZING

- A. Galvanize steel angles that support the exterior building veneer, for example brick shelf angles.
- B. Galvanize environmentally exposed steel, for example mechanical equipment supports.
- C. Touch-up welds and abrasions in galvanized members in accordance with ASTM A780.

END OF SECTION 05100

SECTION 05200 - STEEL JOISTS

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.01 SECTION INCLUDES

- A. Section includes the manufacture and erection of steel joists and joist girders shown on the Drawings.
- 1.02 RELATED SECTIONS
 - T. ASTM F436 - Standard Specification for Steel Washer and Hardened Steel Washers.
 - B. Section 01425 - Structural Testing/Inspection Agency Services.
 - C. Section 05100 - Structural Steel.
 - D. Section 05000 - Metal Decking.

1.03 REFERENCES

- A. AISC - Code of Standard Practice for Carbon Steel Bolts and Studs, 60,000 PSI Tensile Strength.
- B. AWS D1.1 - Structural Welding Code.
- C. SJI - Standard Specifications for Open Web Steel Joists, ICES-Series.
- D. Design KOS-Series joists to conform to the load tables published by Vulcraft.
- E. Refer to Drawings for special design requirements, if any.
- F. Top chord extensions or extended ends are to be designed for the same unbraced moment loads used in the design of the associated joists and for a concentrated load of 500 pounds at the end of the top chord extension or extended end, unless noted otherwise on the Drawings.

1.04 SUBMITTALS

- A. Submit certification that the fabricator meets the required qualifications. If fabricator fails to have an independent testing agency to inspect fabrication as required by these specifications, submit the name and qualifications of the independent testing agency.
- B. Submit certified shop drawings sealed by the design engineer showing layout of joist units, special connections, and accessories. Include the mark, number, type, location, and spacing of joists and bridging.
- C. Upon request, submit mill test certificates.
- D. Upon request, submit written welding procedures for each type of welded joint used. Use prequalified joints.
- E. Upon request, submit the erection sequence and procedures to be used by the steel erector.

1.05 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Structural Testing/Inspection Agency shall perform the following quality related items:
 1. Visual inspection of bolted and welded connections.
 2. Verify installation of bridging or braces.
 3. Verify connections for top and bottom chords.
 4. Verify reinforcement of members for concentrated loads.
 5. Verify proper bearing.
- B. The Structural Testing / Inspection Agency shall provide special inspections as required by Chapter 17 of the Building Code as required by Specification 01 1425.

1.07 QUALIFICATIONS

- A. Manufacturer shall verify that design and manufacture of joists and joist girders conforms with SJI Standard Specifications.
- 1.08 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING
 - A. Store and handle joists as recommended in SJI Standard Specifications.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS

2.01 ROLLED STEEL PLATES, SHAPES, AND BARS

- A. Steel shall conform to SJI Standard Specifications.

2.02 UNFINISHED BOLTS, WASHERS, AND NUTS

- A. Unfinished bolts shall conform to ASTM A307, Grade A, 60 ksi minimum tensile strength.

2.03 WELD ELECTRODES

- A. E 70 series low hydrogen electrodes conforming to AWS A5.1 or A5.5, A5.17 or A5.20.
- B. Provide proper storage for electrodes to maintain flux quality.

2.04 PAINT

- A. Primer shall conform to AISC Specifications and Code of Standard Practice and SSPC Steel Structures Painting Manual.

PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.01 MANUFACTURE AND ERECTION

- A. Manufacture and erect joists in accordance with SJI Standard Specifications.
- B. Members shall have parallel top and bottom chords unless otherwise specified.
- C. Fabricate bearing which top and bottom chords meet at that of the support unless otherwise approved.
- D. Provide for connection of members to members indicated by the Contract Drawings. Weld bottom chords to members. Provide fasteners as indicated on the drawings.
- F. Provide ceiling element connections in accordance with SJI Standard Specifications. Finish bottom chord (not suspended ceilings). Extend ends to 1/2 inch (1) the finished wall surface unless otherwise indicated.
- G. Connect joists according to SJI Standard Specifications. Negative camber and bent joints are acceptable.
- H. Do not erect joists until supporting work is approved.
- I. Provide bridging complying with SJI Standard Specifications. Provide for connections where bridging is required.

3.02 CONCENTRATED LOADS ON JOISTS

- A. Concentrated loads not shown on Drawings must be verified by joist manufacturer for adequacy of joist design. The adequacy of any reinforcement required for concentrated loads applied to either the top or bottom chord shall be designed by joist manufacturer.

3.03 HEAD UNITS

- A. Remove head units to support openings in floor or roof system not framed with steel shapes.
- B. Provide non-slip scale, heavy nut, and other foreign materials from joists and accessories before application of shop paint.
- C. Apply opening coat of steel joist primer paint to joists and accessories, by spray, clipping, or other approved method.
- D. Apply opening coat of steel joist primer paint film thickness of not less than 1.50 mil.

3.05 BRIDGING

- A. Extend ends of steel joists not less than 4 inches over masonry and concrete supports. Extend ends of joists not less than 2 1/2 inches over steel supports. Positive attachment to support shall be made by welding or bolting in such cases where a shorter end bearing length is used, such condition must be designed.
- B. "U" type anchors are not acceptable unless authorized in writing.