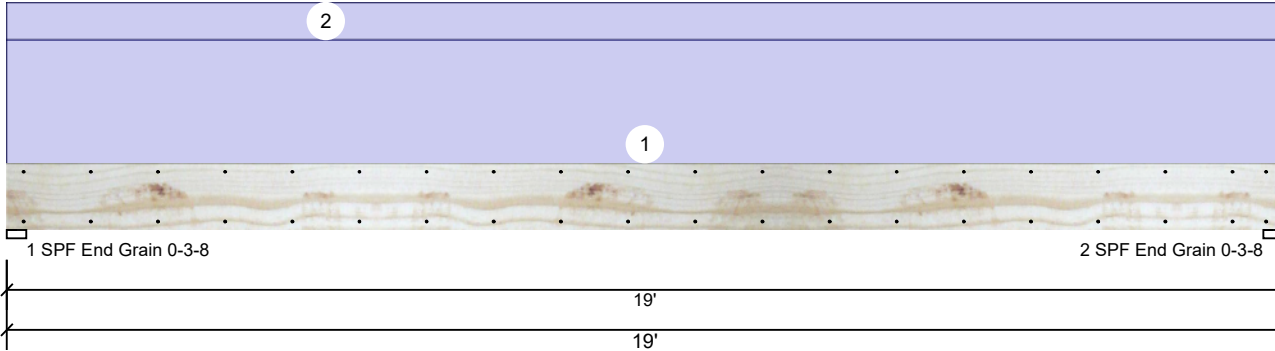


**GDH 18' FL Kerto-S LVL 1.750" X 11.875" 3-Ply - PASSED**

Level: Level



**Member Information**

Type:	Girder	Application:	Floor
Plies:	3	Design Method:	ASD
Moisture Condition:	Dry	Building Code:	IRC 2018
Deflection LL:	480	Load Sharing:	Yes
Deflection TL:	360	Deck:	Not Checked
Importance:	Normal - II		
Temperature:	Temp <= 100°F		

**Reactions UNPATTERNED lb (Uplift)**

Brg	Direction	Live	Dead	Snow	Wind	Const
1	Vertical	0	2602	0	0	0
2	Vertical	0	2602	0	0	0

**Bearings**

Bearing	Length	Dir.	Cap.	React D/L lb	Total	Ld. Case	Ld. Comb.
1 - SPF End Grain	3.500"	Vert	17%	2602 / 0	2602	Uniform	D
2 - SPF End Grain	3.500"	Vert	17%	2602 / 0	2602	Uniform	D

**Analysis Results**

Analysis	Actual	Location	Allowed	Capacity	Comb.	Case
Moment	11769 ft-lb	9'6"	27954 ft-lb	0.421 (42%)	D	Uniform
Unbraced	11769 ft-lb	9'6"	11788 ft-lb	0.998 (100%)	D	Uniform
Shear	2264 lb	1'3 3/8"	11970 lb	0.189 (19%)	D	Uniform
LL Defl inch	0.000 (L/999)	0	999.000 (L/0)	0.000 (0%)		
TL Defl inch	0.519 (L/429)	9'6 1/16"	0.618 (L/360)	0.839 (84%)	D	Uniform

**Design Notes**

- Provide support to prevent lateral movement and rotation at the end bearings. Lateral support may also be required at the interior bearings by the building code.
- Fasten all plies using 2 rows of 10d Box nails (.128x3") at 12" o.c. Maximum end distance not to exceed 6". Nail from both sides.
- Refer to last page of calculations for fasteners required for specified loads.
- Girders are designed to be supported on the bottom edge only.
- Top loads must be supported equally by all plies.
- Top must be laterally braced at a maximum of 12'2 7/8" o.c.
- Bottom must be laterally braced at end bearings.
- Lateral slenderness ratio based on single ply width.

ID	Load Type	Location	Trib Width	Side	Dead 0.9	Live 1	Snow 1.15	Wind 1.6	Const. 1.25	Comments
1	Uniform			Top	200 PLF	0 PLF	0 PLF	0 PLF	0 PLF	GABLE END
2	Uniform			Top	60 PLF	0 PLF	0 PLF	0 PLF	0 PLF	DEAD WALL
	Self Weight				14 PLF					

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**Lumber**

- Dry service conditions, unless noted otherwise
- LVL not to be treated with fire retardant or corrosive chemicals

chemicals

**Handling & Installation**

- LVL beams must not be cut or drilled
- Refer to manufacturer's product information regarding installation requirements, multi-ply fastening details, beam strength values, and code approvals
- Damaged Beams must not be used
- Design assumes top edge is laterally restrained
- Provide lateral support at bearing points to avoid lateral displacement and rotation

6. For flat roofs provide proper drainage to prevent ponding

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**Multi-Ply Analysis**

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Capacity	0.0 %
Load	0.0 PLF
Yield Limit per Foot	163.7 PLF
Yield Limit per Fastener	81.9 lb.
C <sub>m</sub>	1
Yield Mode	IV
Edge Distance	1 1/2"
Min. End Distance	3"
Load Combination	
Duration Factor	1.00

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