

# **Face Mount I-Joist Hanger**

## **THFI Series**

Guide tabs

for joist placement Alignment tab

Holding Cleats

Speed

The THFI is a face mount hanger designed to attach EWP I-joist members to wood headers. The unique design of the THFI combines the installation ease of a top mount hanger with the installation flexibility of a face mount hanger. Because the side flanges extend to the top chord of the I-joist, web stiffeners are not required. The THFI hangers also feature strategically placed Seat Cleats® which lock the bottom flange of the I-joist to the hanger eliminating the need for joist nails to be installed.

The innovative top flange alignment tabs with the holding cleats assist the placing and alignment of the hanger prior to nailing by hanging onto the header with holding cleats biting into the wood. If the alignment tabs are not desired or a deeper height member is to be carried, the tabs can be easily bent out of the way. Alignment tabs do not contribute to the allowable design values of the THFI hangers.

Materials: 18 Gauge Finish: G90 galvanizing Codes: Load values are derived from data submitted

to various North American building code evaluators.

#### **Features:**

- No I-joist nailing required.
- · Alignment tabs simplify proper vertical alignment of hangers on header.
- Holding cleats on alignment tabs grip into wood and prevent hanger from falling off during alignment.
- Web stiffeners are not required for lateral stability.
- Hanger seat stiffening tab.
- Speed prongs allow temporary placement if alignment tabs cannot be used.
- MIN/MAX nailing on THFI2514 model.

### Alianment tab 1 - 3/8Diamond maximum nailing Seat Round holes for Stiffening nailing Seat Cleats® lock I-joists into place for positive seating

**THFI2514** 

#### Installation:

- Use all specified fasteners.
- Alignment tabs are not structural and can be bent back or removed to assist hanger placement.
- Web stiffeners are not required for THFI hangers unless specified by the I-joist manufacturer. Web stiffeners are not required for lateral stability.
- For additional uplift capacity, install (2) 10d x 1-1/2" nails through diamond holes and into the joist member (web stiffeners required).
- The THFI2514 model has diamond holes in the header flange for MIN/MAX nailing option. For the MAX nailing option, install nails in both the round and diamond shaped header holes.



**Typical THFI** installation

				Dime	Fastener Schedule <sup>2</sup>					DF		S-P-F			
				(in)		Header		Joist			Factored Resistance		Factored Resistance		
Joist Size	USP Stock No.	Ref. No.	Steel Ga.	w	Н	Qty	Туре	Qty	Туре	Unit	Vertical 100%	Uplift <sup>1</sup> 115%	Vertical 100%	Uplift <sup>1</sup> 115%	Ctn Qty
2-1/2 x 9-1/2	THFI2595	IUS2.56/9.25, IUS2.56/9.5	18	2-5/8	9-1/2	8	10d			Lbs kN	2345 10.43	235 1.05	1845 8.21	185 0.82	П
2-1/2 x 11-7/8	THFI25118	IUS2.56/11.88	18	2-5/8	11-7/8	10	10d			Lbs kN	2345 10.43	235 1.05	1845 8.21	185 0.82	25
2-1/2 x 14	THFI2514 Min	IUS2.56/14	18	2-5/8	14	12	10d			Lbs kN	4605 20.48	235 1.05	3615 16.08	185 0.82	20
	THFI2514 Max					14	10d	]		Lbs kN	4605 20.48	235 1.05	3615 16.08	185 0.82	

<sup>1)</sup> Factored uplift resistance has been increased 15% for short-term loads such as wind and earthquake; reduce for other load durations in accordance with the code.

Updated product information is designated in blue font.

<sup>2)</sup> NAILS: 10d nails are 0.148" dia. x 3" long.