

Save money on labour costs and material

The STUDTEK CLIPLESS Stud uses the web of the steel stud to create a structural flap during the roll-forming process that replaces the use of conventional bridging clips for curtain wall and demising wall applications. CLIPLESS studs provide an economical solution vs. traditional bridging by fast-tracking the installation and eliminating the use of bridging clips, and by using only one fastener per flap.

As per CSA S136, AISI S100, CSSBI S5-2019 (The specification guide for wind bearing steel studs), it is standard practice in the industry to provide sufficient steel bridging to align members during erection and to provide the necessary structural integrity during construction as well as in the completed structure. All studs must have lateral bridging at 5'-0" on center or less to provide structural integrity and prevent rotational torsional buckling.

STUDTEK CLIPLESS STUD

Ultimate strength tests were conducted on steel stud curtain walls constructed with STUDTEK CLIPLESS STUD members in accordance with the specification guide for wind bearing steel studs.

Product Designator: member depth in 1/100ths inches + CLS (STUDTEK CLIPLESS STUD) + material thickness in 1/1000ths inches. All studs are produced with 1-5/8" flanges.

Example: 362CLS-33 = 3-5/8" STUDTEK CLIPLESS STUD 1-5/8" Flange 33 mils

STUDTEK CLIPLESS STUD Allowable Loads					
Studs 16" o.c.	Laterally 362CLS-33	Loaded Studs 362CLS-43	in psf - Ultimat 600CLS-33	te Loads 600CLS-43	800CLS-43
	122	134	178	224	211



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Material:

STUDTEK CLIPLESS STUD is available in 3-5/8", 6", and 8" web sizes x 1-5/8" flange, 33mils (20ga) - 68mils (14ga) and current curtain wall limiting heights tables apply.

Tensile Strength: 33 mils (20ga) and 43 mils (18ga) framing products are produced with 33ksi steel. 54 mils (16ga) and 68 mils (14ga) products are produced with 50ksi steel.

Standard coating: G60 (G90 available on request). All studs are color coded for easy identification.

Manufactured in accordance with CAN/CSA S-136-16 (North American specification for the design of coldformed steel structural members), ASTM A653/A653M (Standard for steel sheet, zinc-coated (galvanized) or zinc-iron alloy-coated by the hot-dip process), ASTM C645 (Standard specification for non-structural steel framing members), and Standard CSSBI 61-18 (Manufacturer Certification Requirements for Cold Formed Steel Framing Members - Certificate of Registration reference number Q107858).

Based on test data for lateral load testing, STUDTEK CLIPLESS STUD provides a solid wall stud bridging system to resist torsional rotation in curtain wall applications, and is an acceptable alternate to the conventional bridging system that uses bridging clips with carrying channel.

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Testing:

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