# Stair Numbers Sheet <br> Cut with confidence. 



36" Wide Staircase, Spans on Two Stringers

| LVL Stringer <br> Material | Throat <br> Depth <br> (in.) | Max Span <br> (in.) | Max \# of <br> Treads <br> (11 in.) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $(1) 2 \times 10$ | $4 \quad 1 / 4$ | 80 | 8 |
| $(2) 2 \times 10$ | $4 \quad 1 / 4$ | 101 | 10 |
| $(1) 2 \times 12$ | $6 \quad 1 / 4$ | 118 | 11 |
| $(2) 2 \times 12$ | $6 \quad 1 / 4$ | 149 | 14 |
| $(1) 1-3 / 4 \times 14$ | 9 | 179 | 17 |
| $(2) 1-3 / 4 \times 14$ | 9 | 226 | 21 |

66" Wide Staircase, Spans on Two Stringers

| LVL Stringer <br> Material | Throat <br> Depth <br> (in.) | Max Span <br> (in.) | Max \# of <br> Treads <br> (11 in.) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $(1) 2 \times 10$ | $4 \quad 1 / 4$ | 65 | 6 |
| $(2) 2 \times 10$ | $4 \quad 1 / 4$ | 82 | 8 |
| $(1) 2 \times 12$ | $6 \quad 1 / 4$ | 96 | 9 |
| $(2) 2 \times 12$ | $6 \quad 1 / 4$ | 121 | 12 |
| $(1) 1-3 / 4 \times 14$ | 9 |  | 146 |
| $(2) 1-3 / 4 \times 14$ | 9 | 183 | 17 |

## LVL Stringers

These span tables developed using the following:

1. Live load of 40 psf
2. Dead load of 12 psf
3. Live load deflection limited to $\mathrm{I} / 360$
4. Total load deflection limited to $\mathrm{I} / 240$
5. The maximum deflection limited to 1 "
6. Calculations based on a $7-3 / 4$ " riser and a 10 " tread
7. Self weight of LVL material calculated assuming LVL weighs 41 PCF
8. Load of railing not considered in calculations
9. Deflection controls in all cases.

## Wide / Waterfall Stairs

1. Waterfall staircase with stringers located at 5 ' $-6^{\prime \prime}$ o.c.
2. Calculations in this table are for interior stringers of the waterfall staircase
3. Stringers designed with $5^{\prime}-6^{\prime \prime}$ of tributary area.

48" Wide Staircase, Spans on Two Stringers

| LVL Stringer <br> Material | Throat <br> Depth <br> (in.) | Max Span <br> (in.) | Max \# of <br> Treads <br> (11 in.) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $(1) 2 \times 10$ | $4 \quad 1 / 4$ | 73 | 7 |
| $(2) 2 \times 10$ | $4 \quad 1 / 4$ | 92 | 9 |
| $(1) 2 \times 12$ | $6 \quad 1 / 4$ | 107 | 10 |
| $(2) 2 \times 12$ | $6 \quad 1 / 4$ | 135 | 13 |
| $(1) 1-3 / 4 \times 14$ | 9 | 163 | 15 |
| $(2) 1-3 / 4 \times 14$ | 9 | 205 | 19 |

Wide Staircase, Interior Stringers 66" OC

| LVL Stringer <br> Material | Throat <br> Depth <br> (in.) | Max Span <br> (in.) | Max \# of <br> Treads <br> (11 in.) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $(1) 2 \times 10$ | $4 \quad 1 / 4$ | 52 | 5 |
| $(2) 2 \times 10$ | $4 \quad 1 / 4$ | 65 | 6 |
| $(1) 2 \times 12$ | $6 \quad 1 / 4$ | 76 | 7 |
| $(2) 2 \times 12$ | $6 \quad 1 / 4$ | 96 | 9 |

See full tables and notes before building.
For doubled stringers (2), use a 2nd LVL stringer OR add LVL board the same width as the throat depth.

## LVL Treads

1. Live load equal 40 psf
2. Dead load equal 12 psf
3. Total live and $1 / 2$ dead load for 12 " wide step placed on toe board for distributed load verification ( $7^{\prime}-4$ " max length, deflect controls)
4. A point load of 300 lb . (live) applied to mid span of toe board with dead load for point load verification (5'-8" max length, deflection controls)
5. $2 \times 4$ LVL Nose Board will span $5^{\prime}-8^{\prime \prime}+1-1 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ of LVL material at either side would accommodate a 5'-11" wide staircase.
6. Deflection controls in all cases.
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