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RE/ Wilmaplex Unitie UTLH & UTRH Design Capacity

This is to confirm that Wilmaplex commissioned CEMQA Pty. Ltd. to undertake the task of evaluating the design capacity of G300 Z275 Unitie UTLH and UTRH with 4 nails onto each end as shown in Figure 1. The evaluation was carried out via testing and computations based on 4 of 3.15x35mm Wilmaplex galvanized flat head nails into each end. The design capacities are given in Table 1. Refer report Job No. Wilmaplex/15/UT for more details.

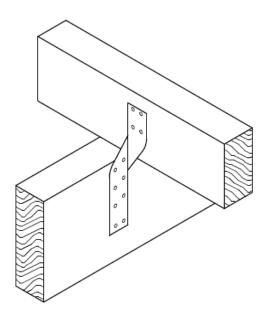


Figure 1 Details of Multi Grip MG100

Notes:

- 1. A capacity factor $\phi = 0.85$ and a duration factor $k_1 = 1.14$ for wind uplift loading was applied to all the capacities in Table 1.
- 2. The values in Table 1 apply to Category 1 joints, design capacities for joint groups 2 and 3 are 0.94 and 0.88 consecutively.
- 3. Computations were undertaken in accordance with the relevant Standards, AS1720 and AS/NZS1170 series.

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Table 1 Limit states design capacities for a of Wilmaplex Unitie UTLH & UTRH

Unitie Code	Fixing (Nails) into each end	1.35G	1.2G+1.5Q _f	1.2G+1.5Qr	1.2G+W _{dn} Or Wind Uplift
		Design Capacity (kN) for Joint Group JD4			
UTLH & UTRH	4	1.6	1.9	2.2	3.1