

## Index 700-040 Cantilever Sign Structure

### Design Criteria

**AASHTO LRFD Specifications for Structural Supports for Highway Signs, Luminaires and Traffic Signals (LRFDLTS-1); Structures Manual (SM)**, Volume 3, FDOT Modifications to LRFDLTS-1; **Structures Manual (SM)** Introduction, I.6 References; **Structures Design Guidelines (SDG); FDOT Design Manual (FDM)**

### Design Assumptions and Limitations

The maximum span length of Cantilever Sign Structures is 50 feet. See the notes on **Index 700-040, FDM 230, FDM 261, Structures Manual (SM)**, Volume 3 and the **SDG** for additional information.

Use **Index 700-040** in conjunction with **Index 700-030** and the **Cantilever Sign-LRFD v1.0** Mathcad 15 computer program located on the **Structures Design Programs Library** website.

### Plan Content Requirements

See the **FDM 325**.

Complete the appropriate “*Cantilever Sign Structures Data Table*”. There is a choice of two tables, one for a sign structure with a spread footing foundation and the other for a sign structure with a drilled shaft foundation. Much of the data for inclusion in the table may be found in the **Cantilever Sign-LRFD v1.0** output. Include Design Wind Speed and soils information.

**Cantilever Sign Structures Data Table (Spread Footing Foundation):**

CANTILEVER SIGN STRUCTURES DATA TABLE											Table Date 07-01-14	
SIGN NO.	STATION	DIMENSIONS				PANELS	MEMBER SIZES				BACKRAKE	
		A ft	B ft	C in	D in	N #	D (CHORD) O. D. x Wall Thk. (in)	E (WEB) Angle (in)	F (UPRIGHT) O. D. x Wall Thk. (in)	G in		

*NOTES (Notes Date 7-01-13):*

1. Work these Data Tables with Index 700-040.
2. Design Wind Speed = \_\_\_ mph.
3. Upright wall thickness given is a minimum dimension.

*FOUNDATION NOTES (Notes Date 7-01-12):*

1. Design based on Borings taken sealed by \_\_\_\_\_.
2. Assumptions and Values used in design:  
Soil Type \_\_\_\_\_  
Soil Layer Thickness = \_\_\_ ft.  
Soil Friction Angle = \_\_\_ deg.  
Soil Weight = \_\_\_ pcf  
Design Water Table is \_\_\_ ft. below surface

  

CANTILEVER SIGN STRUCTURES DATA TABLE (CONT.)																							Table Date 01-01-11	
SIGN NO.	GUSSET PLATES												TRUSS CONNECTION								SPLICE			
	GA in	GB in	GC ft	GD in	GE ft	GF in	GG ft	GH in	GJ ft	GK in	TA in	TB #	TC #	TD in	TE in	TF in	TG in	TH in	TJ in	SA Angle (in)	SB #	SC in	SD #	

  

CANTILEVER SIGN STRUCTURES DATA TABLE (CONT.)																					Table Date 01-01-11				
SIGN NO.	BASE CONNECTION										ANCHOR		FOOTING DIMENSIONS							FOOTING REINF.				PED. REINF.	
	BA in	BB #	BC in	BD in	BE ft	BF in	BG in	BH in	BJ in	BK ft	FA in	FB ft	FC in	FD ft	FE in	FF size	FG size	FH size	FJ size	FK in	FL # / Size				

**Cantilever Sign Structures Data Table (Drilled Shaft Foundation):**

CANTILEVER SIGN STRUCTURES DATA TABLE											Table Date 07-01-14	
SIGN NO.	STATION	DIMENSIONS			PANELS	MEMBER SIZES			BACKRAKE			
		A ft	B ft in	C in	N #	D (CHORD) O. D. x Wall Thk. (in)	E (WEB) Angle (in)	F (UPRIGHT) O. D. x Wall Thk. (in)	G in			

*NOTES [Notes Date 7-01-13]:*  
 1. Work these Data Tables with Index 700-040.  
 2. Design Wind Speed = \_\_\_ mph.  
 3. Upright wall thickness given is a minimum dimension.

*FOUNDATION NOTES [Notes Date 7-01-12]:*  
 1. Design based on Borings taken sealed by \_\_\_\_\_  
 2. Assumptions and Values used in design:  
 Soil Type \_\_\_\_\_  
 Soil Layer Thickness = \_\_\_ ft.  
 Soil Friction Angle = \_\_\_ deg.  
 Soil Weight = \_\_\_ pcf  
 Design Water Table is \_\_\_ ft. below surface

  

CANTILEVER SIGN STRUCTURES DATA TABLE (CONT.)																				Table Date 01-01-11				
SIGN NO.	GUSSET PLATES										TRUSS CONNECTION								SPLICE					
	GA in	GB in	GC ft in	GD ft in	GE ft in	GF ft in	GG ft in	GH ft in	GJ ft in	GK in	TA in	TB #	TC #	TD in	TE in	TF in	TG in	TH in	TJ in	SA Angle (in)	SB #	SC in	SD #	

  

CANTILEVER SIGN STRUCTURES DATA TABLE (CONT.)																	Table Date 07-01-15	
SIGN NO.	BASE CONNECTION								ANCHOR		FOOTING - DRILLED SHAFT							
	BA in	BB #	BC in	BD in	BE ft in	BF in	BG in	BH in	BJ in	BK ft in	FA ft in	FB ft in	FC # / Size	FD #	FE in	FF #	FG in	

## Payment

Item number	Item Description	Unit Measure
700-4-11C	Overhead Static Sign Structure (F&I, Cantilever)	EA

See **Standard Plans Instruction** for **Index 700-030** for sign panel.

See the **BOE** and **Specification 700** for additional information on payment, pay item use and compensation.