

A Broad and Versatile Metal Framing Line Backed



More Than 8,000 Quality Products

The Power–Strut metal framing system can be regarded as a basic building material. Our metal framing system is an erector set concept, using channel and fittings to solve many applications. You can conceal metal framing in the basic structure of a building or run it along the surface of walls, ceilings and floors. An endless array of fittings provide freedom to work at virtually any angle along any surface to shape a support system that fits your exact needs.

Available finishes include hot-dipped galvanized, pregalvanized, electro-galvanized and painted, along with material choices of steel, stainless steel and aluminum.

Beyond its versatility as a basic building material, metal framing is popular for more exotic applications such as clean rooms, satellite dish supports, x-ray supports, storage racks, theater screens, tunnel stanchions and offshore platform catwalks. While the uses of metal framing are truly unlimited, they fall in to three major categories.



Electrical Systems

Versatile metal framing is widely used by electrical contractors to support conduit, panel boxes, raceway systems and other electrical components. In addition, Power–Strut channel can be used as a wiring raceway. Products marked with the UL symbol in this catalog are listed by Underwriter's Laboratories for use in raceway applications.

Channel raceways or support systems can be attached to ceilings, wood or steel beams, inside columns or imbedded in concrete. Trapeze systems can support conduit from either the top or bottom.



As a lighting support system, metal framing helps assure proper alignment over long spans. As a raceway system, channel offers an opportunity to reduce construction costs through more efficient use of installation labor. The exceptional versatility of channel gives contractors more flexibility in solving miscellaneous problems which may arise at the job site.



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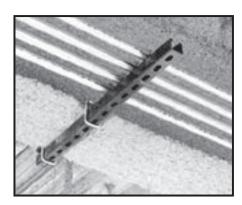


Mechanical Systems That Reduce Costs

For mechanical support of HVAC, plumbing and fire protection systems, the versatility of metal framing systems is unmatched. It is by far the most popular framing system with contractors because the wide variety of fittings and support devices available help solve virtually any support problem without expensive welding.

Piping stanchions, ceiling and wall-mounted supports and tunnel supports are common metal framing applications. Concrete insert, shelf bracket, wall and ceiling-mounted systems provide flexible solutions to any piping support applications.

In addition, pipe support products such as Power-Wrap and cushioned clamps provide insulation to prevent potential damage from noise, vibration, temperature variations and metal-to-metal contact.



OEM Components and Maintenance

Metal Framing systems provide convenient solutions for maintenance and retrofit requirements in processing and manufacturing facilities. Also, Power-Strut products can be used as cost-effective components in OEM applications. For example, channel can be used as conveyor stands and side rails or provide framing for panel cabinetry products, or for generator, motor and pump supports.

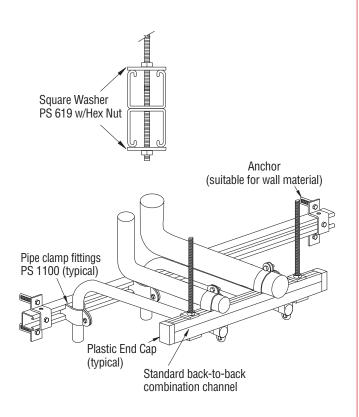
The complete line of products and leading reputation for quality and service make Power-Strut your practical choice for metal framing. Contact your local Power-Strut representative for additional information.



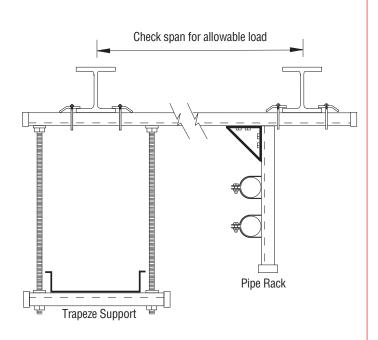
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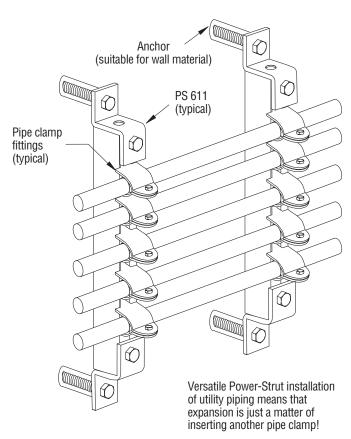
Overhead Support Vertical to Horizontal



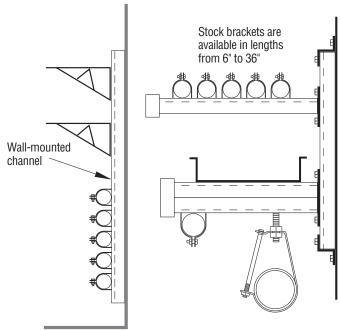
Overhead Multi-Use Support Systems Using Channel Attached to "I" Beams



Wall Mount Organize & Control MultiShelf or Utility Support



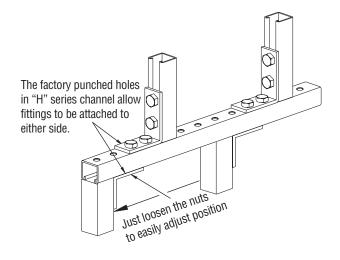
Wall Mounted Brackets



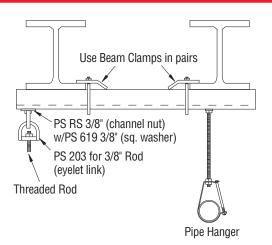




Standard Channel and Fitting Assembly

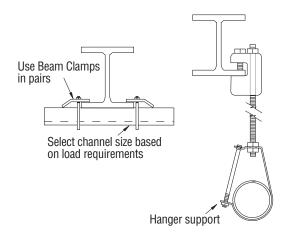


Supports for Threaded Rod Attachments Between Beams

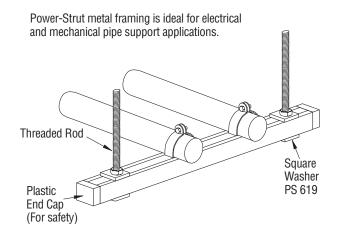


Select channel size based on load requirements

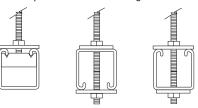
Supports for Threaded Rod Attachments to Single Beams



Trapeze Support System

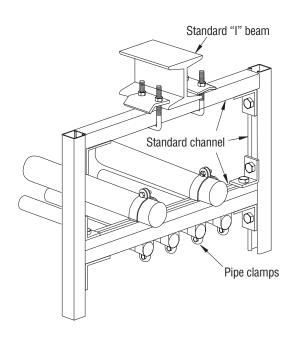


Acceptable Methods to Hang Channels



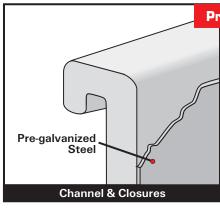
Pre-slotted channel allow through channel connections

Ganged Pipe Support



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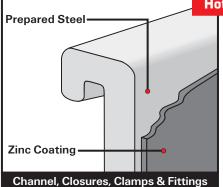
Pregalvanized (PG)

Material (steel strip) is coated with zinc by hot-dip process prior to roll-forming or press operations.

The zinc coating conforms to ASTM A653, Grade 90 General Requirement for Steel Sheet, Zinc-Coated (Galvanized) by Hot Dip Process.

Hot-Dipped Galvanized (HG)

Material is coated with zinc after being roll-formed or after all manufacturing operations are completed, conforming to ASTM A123 or A153.



Electro-Galvanized (EG)

Fittings and hardware are electrolytically coated with zinc to commercial standards (ASTM-B633 Type III C1).

SC1 (mild) has a Zinc coating of 0.2 and is recommended for dry indoor use. SC1 is the standard finish thickness.

SC3 (Severe) has a Zinc coating of 0.5 mill and is the standard finish thickness only on UL Listed raceway products.

ZINC COATING

Power-Strut products are available in four types of zinc coatings:

- Electroplated (EG)
- Pregalvanized (PG)
- Hot-Dipped Galvanized (HG)
- Yellow Dichromate (ZD)

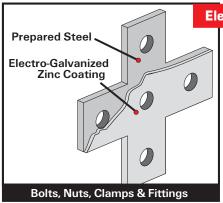
Zinc coatings offer two types of protection:

- 1. Barrier: The zinc coating protects the steel substrate from direct contact with the environment.
- Sacrificial: The zinc coating will protect scratches, cut edges, etc. through an anodic sacrificial process.

The service life of zinc coating is directly related to the zinc coating thickness as shown below.

COMPARISON OF ZINC GALVANIZED FINISHES

Finish Z	inc Thickness
Hot-Dipped Galvanized	2.6 MIL
Pregalvanized	0.75 MIL
Electro-Galvanized (SC1)	0.2 MIL
Electro-Galvanized (SC3)	0.5 MIL
Power-Gold (SC1)	0.2 MIL
Power-Gold (SC3)	0.5 MIL

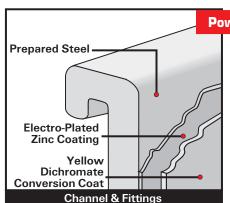


Power-Gold (ZD)

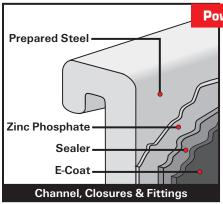
An Electro-galvanized zinc plate is applied with a cohesive molecular bond to the steel base metal, in compliance with the ASTM B633 standard. Yellow Dichromate is applied over the zinc and results in a gold appearance which acts as a nonporous barrier sealant.

SC1 (mild), recommended for dry indoor use, has a Zinc coating of 0.2 and is the standard finish thickness

SC3 (Severe) has a Zinc coating of 0.5 mill and is the standard finish thickness only on UL Listed raceway products.



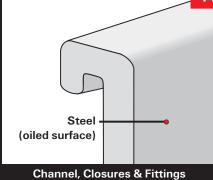




Power-Green® (GR)

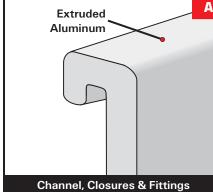
Channel and parts are cleaned and phosphated. Immediately afterward, a uniform coat of rust-inhibiting thermoset epoxy paint is applied by cathodic electro-deposition and thoroughly baked.

Plain (PL)



Plain finish designation means that the channel retains the oiled surface applied to the raw steel during the rolling process. The fittings have the original oiled surface of the bar-stock material.

Aluminum (AL)



Channel is extruded aluminum in accordance with ASTM B221 Type 6063-T6.

POWER-GREEN® TECHNICAL DATA

STEEL SUBSTRATE PREPARATION

Eight stage continuous cleaning, rinse, zinc phosphate conversion coating and sealer.

COATING

Thermoset epoxy

Color: Federal Highway Green Color Tolerance Chart PR Color No. 4.

Hardness: 2H+

Coating Process: Cathodic Electrodeposition.

PERFORMANCE

Salt Spray:

Scribed: exceeds 400 hrs per ASTM B117. (1/8 Creep)

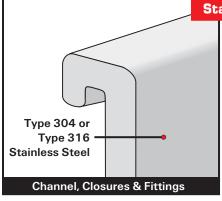
Unscribed: exceeds 600 hours per ASTM B117. (6% Red Rust)

ENVIRONMENTAL ISSUES

Formulated as a "heavy metal"- free coating (trace elements only).

Outgassing in service: essentially none at 350°F for 24 hrs.

Stainless Steel (SS)



Material in accordance with ASTM A240 (Type 304 or type 316).

Finishes (Ordering):

When ordering, add the finish to the part number.

Examples: PS 200-10 PG

PS 200-10 ZD PS 200-10 GR PS 200-10 HG

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SPECIFICATIONS



Materials:

Channel* & Closures – Pregalvanized

ASTM A653 Grade 33, Steel Sheet Zinc Coated by Hot Dip Process

Channel* - Plain, Painted or Hot Dip Galvanized

ASTM A-1011 Grade 33, Hot Rolled Carbon Steel Sheet and Strip, Structural Quality

Channel* - Stainless Steel

ASTM A-240, Type 304, Heat Resisting Chromium and Chromium-Nickel Stainless Steel Plate, Sheet, Strip for Pressure Vessel

Channel* - Aluminum

ASTM B-221, Type 6063 T6, Aluminum Alloy Extruded Bar, Rod, Wire, Shape and Tube

Closures - Plain, Painted or Hot Dip Galvanized

ASTM A1008, Steel, Strip, Carbon, Cold-Rolled

Fittings* - Steel

ASTM A575, A576, A635, A1011 SS Grade 33, A1011 HSLAS Grade 45 or A36

Fittings* – Aluminum

ASTM B-209

Accessories - Steel

ASTM A575, A576, A635, A1011 SS Grade 33, A1011 HSLAS Grade 45, A653 Grade 33 or A36

Pipe Clamps - Steel

A-1011SS Grade 33

Pipe Clamps – Stainless Steel

ASTM A-240, Type 304

Pipe Clamps - Aluminum

ASTM B-209, 5052, H32 Grade, Sheet and Plate

Channel Nuts

ASTM (1/4" & 5/16") A1011 SS Grade 33, (3/8", 7/16" & 1/2") A576 Grade 1015 Modified, (5/8" & 3/4") A36 or A675 Grade 60, (7/8") A36, Case hardened to RC25 min.

Hex Nuts and Bolts

ASTM A-563, Grade A and ASTM A-307, Grade A

Threaded Rod

Low Carbon Steel Yield = 32 ksi min. Tensile = 52 ksi min

Product Load Testing

Product testing is an important Part of Power-Strut's Quality Assurance Program. We utilize our own testing facilities, as well as those of independent testing laboratories, to determine design loads with proper and adequate safety factors. These design loads are indicated, where applicable, throughout the catalog. Loads are based on AISI Specification For The Design Of Cold-Formed Steel Structural Members, 2007 Edition.

Destructive and non-destructive testing procedures are used to test for variables such as corrosion, conductivity, electro-static dissipation, ultra-violet resistance, wind resistance, dimensional accuracy, material integrity and slip resistance.

In short, if there's a specification to meet, Power-Strut will develop a test to quantify and verify it. Using design properties of the Power-Strut framing members, load data given in this catalog, and/or design procedures of the American Iron & Steel Institute Specification For The Design Of Cold-Formed Steel Structural Members, 2007 Edition, it is possible to design any type of structure within the capabilities of the system.

Assemblies or connections that cannot be calculated using provisions of the AISI specifications must be established by application-specific tests.

We reserve the right to make specification changes without notice.

While every effort has been made to assure the accuracy of information contained in this catalog at the time of publication, we cannot accept responsibility for inaccuracies resulting from undetected errors or omissions.

^{*} Channel referenced is 15%" wide, fittings referenced are for 15%" channel.

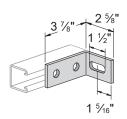
[†] Some 1/4" fittings are produced from A-36 Structural Steel.



Finish: Painted Green, Hot-dip galvanized, Zinc dichromate or Electro-galvanized

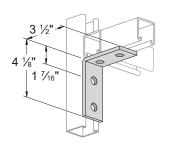
Order By: No., Size and Finish

PS 3049 - Two-Hole Slotted 90° Angle



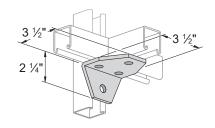
Weight/100 pcs: 66 lbs.

PS 607 - Four-Hole Corner Angle



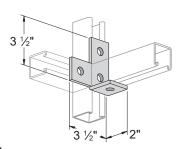
Weight/100 pcs: 78 lbs.

PS 614 - Four-Hole Joint Angle Connector



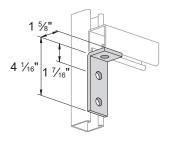
Weight/100 pcs: 103 lbs.

PS 716 R or L - Angle Tee Plate



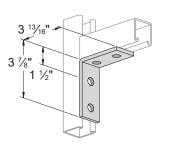
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PS 606 - Three-Hole Corner Angle



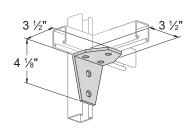
Weight/100 pcs: 58 lbs.

PS 660 - Four-Hole Corner Angle



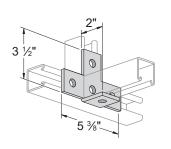
Weight/100 pcs: 78 lbs.

PS 615 - Five-Hole Joint Angle Connector



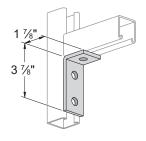
Weight/100 pcs: 135 lbs.

PS 713 - Cross Plate Angle



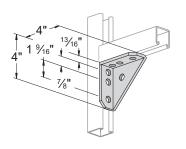
Weight/100 pcs: 105 lbs.

PS 745 - Three-Hole Corner Angle



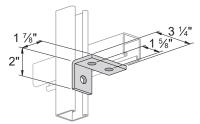
Weight/100 pcs: 58 lbs.

PS 3373 - Universal Corner Connector



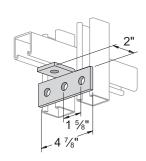
Weight/100 pcs: 134 lbs.

PS 720 R or L - Angle Plate Connector



Note: Specify R (Right) or L (Left) Right Hand Illustrated Weight/100 pcs: 55 lbs.

PS 715 - Tee Plate 90° Angle



Weight/100 pcs: 71 lbs.