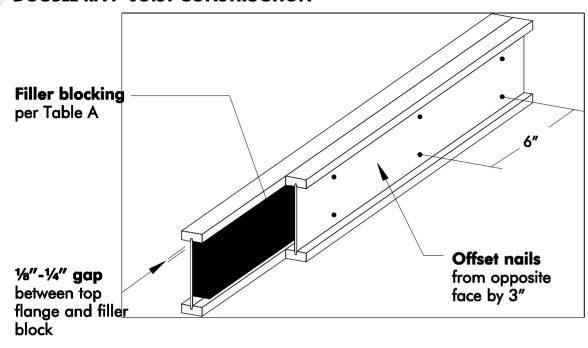
DOUBLE RFPI°-JOIST CONSTRUCTION



Notes:

- Double I-joists may be required to frame openings, support concentrated loads, support partitions parallel to floor joists, or support any other loads which would exceed the capacity of a single I-joist. Install double I-joists when noted in the building drawings.
- 2. Filler blocks do not function as web stiffeners. Install web stiffeners as required.
- Support back of I-joist web during nailing to prevent damage to web/flange connection.
- 4. Leave a 1/8"-1/4" gap between top of filler block and bottom of top I-joist flange.
- 5. For side-loaded conditions or cantilever reinforcement, filler block is required between joists for full length of double member.
- 6. Nail joists together with two rows of 10d nails at 6 inches o.c. (staggered) on each side of the double I-joist. Total of 8 nails per foot required.
- 7. Filler block thickness may be achieved by using multiple layers of structural wood panels.
- 8. The maximum load that may be applied to one side of the double joist using this detail is 620 lbs/ft.

TABLE A
FILLER BLOCK REQUIREMENTS FOR DOUBLE
RFPI-JOIST CONSTRUCTION

Flange Width	Joist Depth	Joist Designation	Net Filler Block Size
1-3/4″			
	11-7/8"	20	1-3/8" x 8"
	16"	20	1-3/8" x 12"
2-1/16″			
	11-7/8"	400	1-3/4" x 8"
	16"	400	1-3/4" x 12"
2-5/16″			
	11-7/8"	40, 70	2" x 8"
	16"	40, 70	2" x 12"
2-1/2″			
	11-7/8″	40S, 60S	2-1/8" x 8"
	16"	40S, 60S	2-1/8" x 12"
3-1/2″ 			
	14"	80S, 90	3" x 10"