

SPECIFICATIONS

Corrugated sheet steel beams shall conform to the current requirements of AASHTO M180. The section shall be manufactured from sheets with a nominal width of 483 mm. Guardrail RWM03a shall conform to AASHTO M180 Class A and RWM03b shall conform to Class B. Corrosion protection may be either Type II (zinc-coated) or Type IV (corrosion resistant steel). Type IV guardrails shall be manufactured using AASHTO M270M (ASTM A709M) Grade 50W material and shall not be zinc-coated, painted or otherwise coated. Inertial properties are calculated for the whole cross-section without a reduction for the splice bolt holes.

| Designator | Area (10^3 mm^2) | I_x (10 ⁶ mm ⁴) | I_{y} (10 ⁶ mm ⁴) | $S_x $ (10 ³ mm ³) | $\frac{S_y}{(10^3 \text{ mm}^3)}$ |
|------------|----------------------------|--|--|---|-----------------------------------|
| RWM03a | 1.3 | 1.0 | | 23 | |
| RWM03b | 1.7 | 1.3 | | 29 | |

Dimensional tolerances not shown or implied are intended to be those consistent with the proper functioning of the part, including its appearance and accepted manufacturing practices.

INTENDED USE

RWM03a-b guardrail beams are used in various W-beam guardrail systems.

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