1. This is a specific repair detail to be used only for its original intention. This repair does not imply that the remaining portion of the truss is undamaged. The entire truss shall be inspected to verify that no further repairs are required. When the required repairs are properly applied, the truss will be capable of supporting the loads indicated.

2. All members must be returned to their original positions before applying repair and held in place during application of repair.

3. The end distance, edge distance, and spacing of nails shall be such as to avoid splitting of the wood.

4. When nailing scabs or gussets, the use of a backup weight is recommended to avoid loosening of the connector plates at the joints or splices.

5. This repair is to be used for single ply trusses in the 2X orientation only.

6. This repair is limited to trusses with no more than three broken members.

Scab lumber should be of the same size, grade, and species as the original.

Attach 2x 4x 48" scab to the inside face of truss with two rows of 10d (0.120" min x 3") nails spaced 3" O.C.

Break must be a minimum of 12" from any pitch break.

The outside face of the gable must be sheathed w/ (min) 7/16" O.S.B or plywood. See Mitek standard gable end details for wind bracing requirements.

Truss Criteria

Loading: 40-10-0-10 (Max)
Duration Factor: 1.15
Spacing: 24" 
Top Chord: 2x 4 or 2x 6 (No 2 Min)
Pitch: 3/12 - 12/12
Bearing: Continuous
Stud Spacing: 24" O.C. (Max)

Refer to individual truss design for plate sizes and lumber grades.