

## **Hurricane Ties for CFS Construction**

## Structural Connectors

RT/S series

RT/S are designed to tie trusses and rafter to wall systems. RT/S are to resist uplift and lateral forces between framing members.

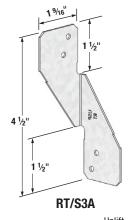
## **Features:**

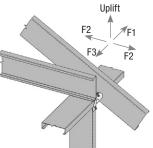
- All purpose hurricane tie for trusses or joists.
- For steel-to-steel connections.
- · Resists uplift and lateral forces.

**Materials:** 18 gauge **Finish:** G90 galvanizing

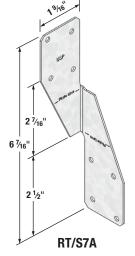
## **Installation:**

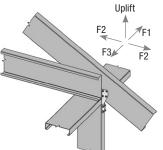
- · Use all specified fasteners.
- Designer shall determine if solid blocking is required.



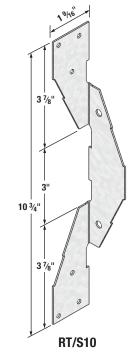


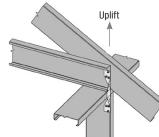
Typical RT/S3A installation





Typical RT/S7A installation





Typical RT/S10 installation

			Fastener Schedule				Allowable Loads <sup>3,4</sup>				
USP		Steel	Truss/Rafter <sup>1</sup>		Stud/Track <sup>1</sup>			Lateral			Ctn
Stock No.	Ref. No.	Gauge	Qty	Type <sup>2</sup>	Qty	Type <sup>2</sup>	Uplift	F1	F2	F3	Qty
RT/S3A	S/H3	18	2	#10	2	#10	355	85	185	230	
RT/S7A	S/H2.5	18	4	#10	4	#10	465	115	160	145	100
RT/S10	S/H2	18	3	#10	3	#10	455				

<sup>1)</sup> Member Mills (33) has been considered as Grade 33.

<sup>2) #10</sup> self-tapping screws are considered to fully penetrate all members.

Screws are to be "Hex Head", unless approved.

<sup>#10</sup> self tapping screws are 0.190" dia. and 0.340" head

<sup>3)</sup> Allowable loads are for one part only.

<sup>4)</sup> Allowable uplift loads for the RT/S3A may be increased up to 375 lbs when GR50 members are used.