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Rung Diameter \& Ladder Material
All rungs shall have a minimum diameter of 3/4in for metal ladders (Metal ladders must be made with corrosion resistant material or protected against corrosion).
$\square$ Compliant
$\square$ Non-Compliant


Gripping Surfaces Free of Sharp Edges
Side rails that might be used as climbing aids shall be of such cross sections as to afford adequate gripping surface without sharp edges, splinters, or burrs.
$\square$ Compliant
$\square$ Non-Compliant


Permitted Clearance Behind the Fixed Ladder
The distance from the centerline of rungs, cleats, or steps to the nearest permanent object in the back of the ladder shall not be less than 7in.
$\square$ Compliant
$\square$ Non-Compliant


## Height and Width of Ladder Extension Rails

A: Side rails shall extend 3.5 ft above walking/ working surface.
B: Min. clearance of 24 in and Max. 30in. When a ladder safety is provided, the clearance cannot exceed 36 in.
$\square$ Compliant
$\square$ Non-Compliant

Site Name/Number:


## Distance Between Rungs

The distance between rungs, cleats, and steps are spaced not less than 10 in and not more than 14 in and shall be uniform throughout the length of the ladder.

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$\square$ Non-Compliant


Clear Width to the Vertical Center Line of the Fixed Ladder
A clear width of at least 15 " shall be provided each way from the centerline of the ladder in the climbing space, except when cages or wells are necessary.
$\square$ Compliant
$\square$ Non-Compliant


Step-Across Distance Between Fixed Ladder Rung and Platform or Landing The step-across distance from the nearest edge of ladder to the nearest edge of equipment or structure shall not be more than 12in or less than 7in.
$\square$ Compliant $\square$ Non-Compliant


## Preferred Pitch of Fixed Ladders

The preferred pitch of fixed ladders shall be considered to come in the range of $75^{\circ}$ and $90^{\circ}$ with the horizontal.

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$\square$ Non-Compliant

Site Address:

The minimum clear length of rungs or cleats shall be 16 in .
$\square$ Compliant
Non-Compliant


Distance on the Climbing Side from Rung to Nearest Object
The perpendicular distance from the centerline of the rungs to the nearest permanent object on the climbing side of ladder.
$\square$ Compliant $\square$ Non-Compliant


Top Rung of Ladder Flush with Landing, Platform, or Parapet
One rung of any section of ladder shall be located at the level of landing laterally served by the ladder.

## $\square$ Compliant

 $\square$ Non-Compliant

## Fall Protection on Fixed Ladders

Any fixed ladder accessing heights 24 ft and greater must be equipped with a ladder safety device. As of Nov.19, 2018 cages are no longer considered a form of fall protection on newly installed ladders.

Compliant
$\square$ Non-Compliant

