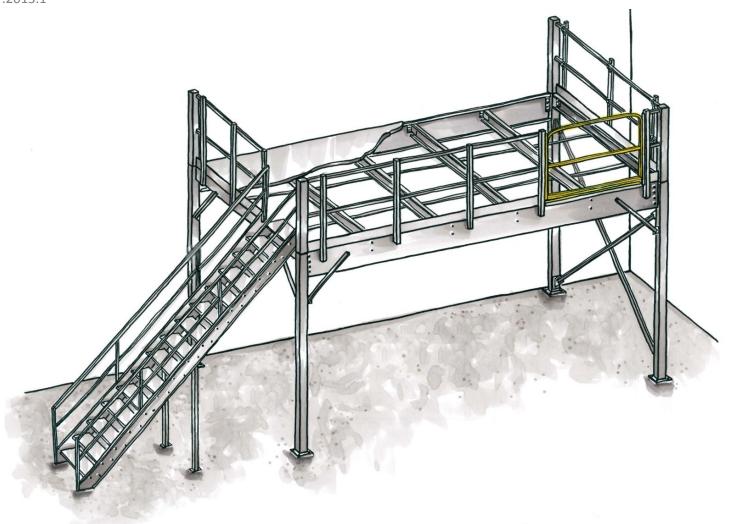
INSTALLATION MANUAL

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Product	Mezzanine
Sub-product	Installation tips

- Quick and easy tips before starting the assembly and installation of a Cogan mezzanine.
- Tools required and preparation of the concrete surface.
- Always refer to the installation drawings and specific installation instructions included with your project.

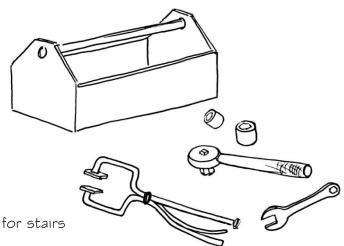


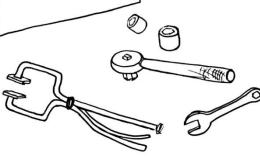
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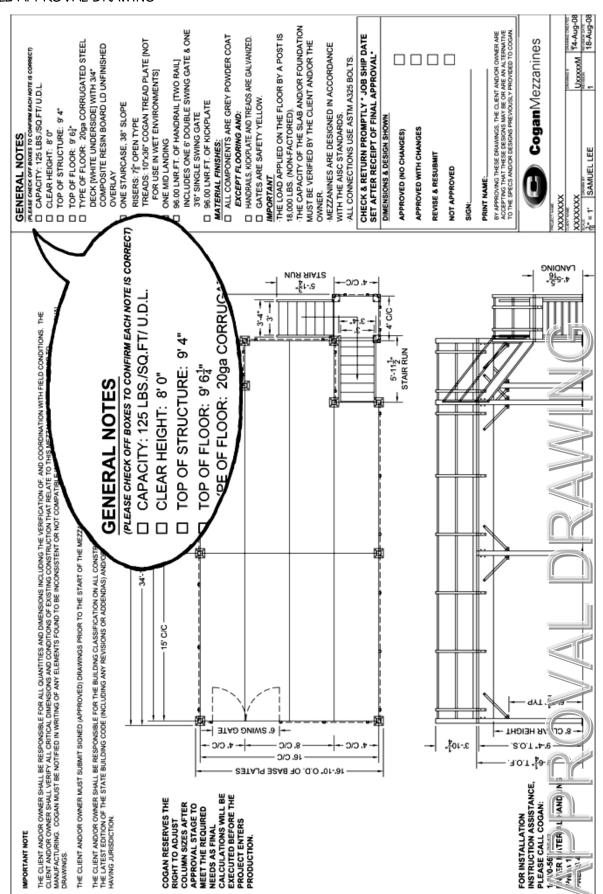
GENERAL INSTALLATION DETAILS

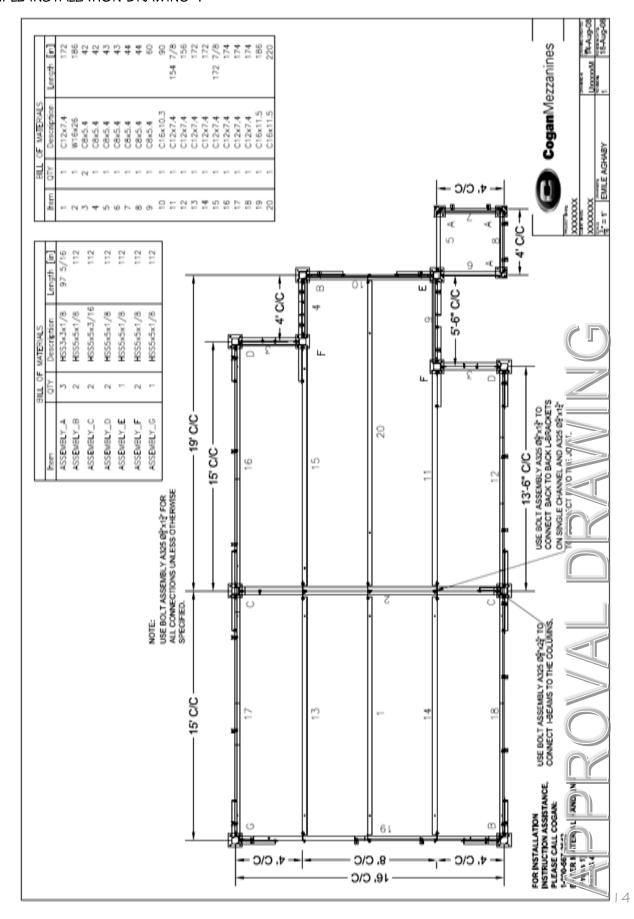
TOOLS REQUIRED FOR INSTALLATION

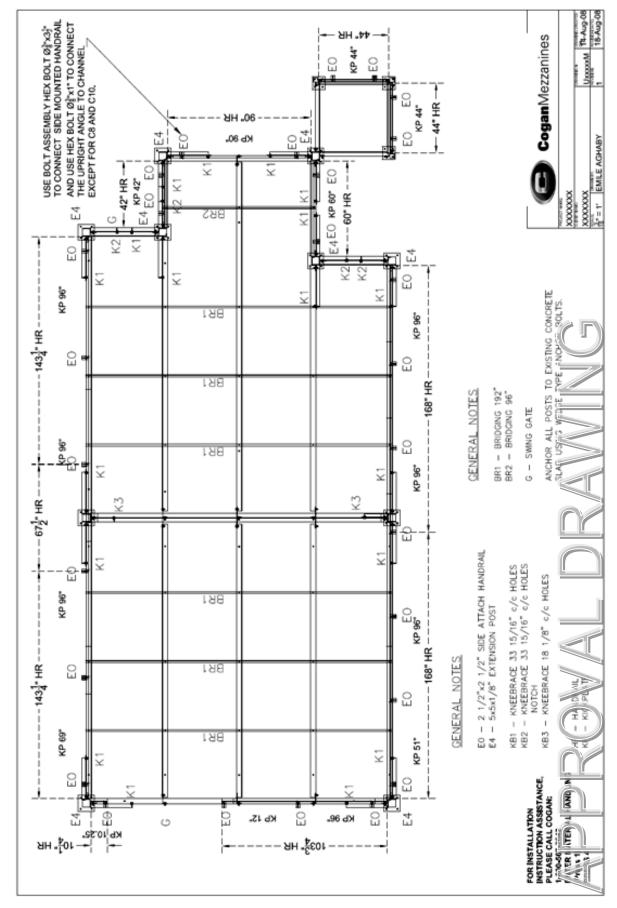
- Measuring tape
- Chalk line
- 4 FT Level (preferably magnetic)
- Hammer drill with 5/8" and 3/8" drill bit for stairs
- 1 1/16" Spinner wrench or 3/4" taper pin
- 15/16" Wrench or sockets (anchor bolts)
- 1/2" Wrench and sockets (open steel planking)
- 1 1/16" Wrench and sockets (structure)
- 9/16" Wrench and sockets (stairs)
- Small grinder or reciprocating saw (cut out in steel deck...)
- Grating hook (bar grating)
- Electric sheet metal shears
- Circular saw (wood overlay)
- 3/8" Reversible drill and 3/8" hex head bit
- #2 Robertson bit (flooring and gates)
- 1/2" Hi-impact wrench
- 1/4" Rivet gun (diamond plate flooring)
- Miscellaneous extensions
- Locking clamps
- Hammers and sledgehammers
- Non-shrink grout (when leveling columns)
- Ladders and scaffolding
- Forklift truck 12

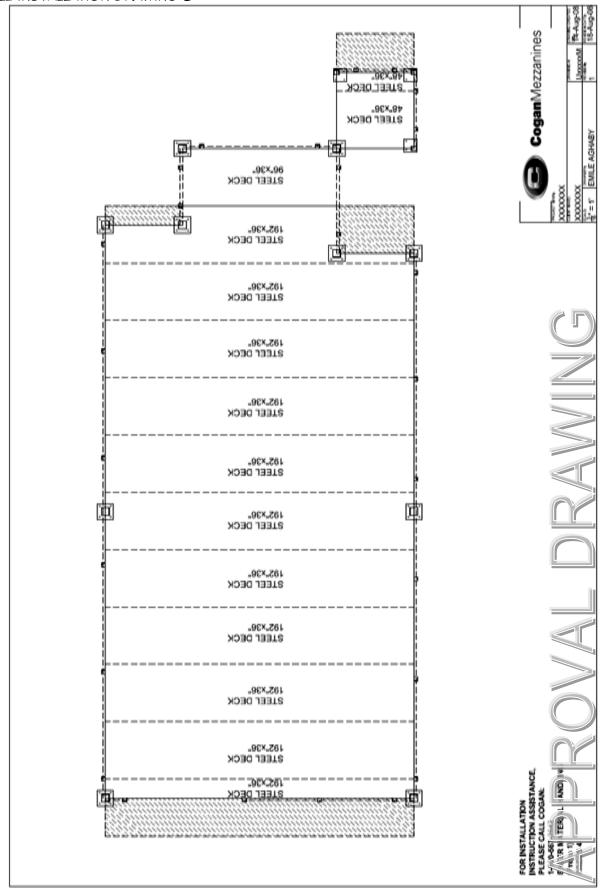












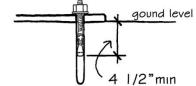
FINAL SPECIFICATIONS

Installation plan is based on specifications, dimensions, and approval of dealer and/or client. Review drawings carefully before installation.

ANCHOR BOLTS

Anchor bolts are not supplied by Cogan and are the responsibility of the installer and/or dealer. Strength of the concrete foundation must be determined before anchor selection can be made. It is the responsibility of the client, installer and/or end user to correctly size the anchor bolt for that specific mezzanine. The approval drawings show the maximum loads caused by a column and a list of forces and moments can be obtained from Cogan upon request. All base plates are fabricated with $\phi 3/4$ " holes (typically 4 anchor holes per base plate).

As a minimum, Cogan recommends using $\phi5/8$ " x 6" wedge-type anchor bolts with a $4\frac{1}{2}$ " embedment.



BOLT TIGHTENING

Bolts must be installed in properly aligned holes. Initially, they need only be tightened to the snug tight condition. The snug tight condition is defined as the tightness that exists when all plies in a joint are in firm contact. This may be obtained by the full effort of a man using an ordinary spud wrench.

To ensure that the correct length of bolt has been used, verify that the entire thread of the nut is engaged with the bolt. If bolt does not exceed past the face of the nut, recheck installation details for type of hardware required.

Subsequently, the bolts should be tightened, but not exceed, an additional 1/3 turn past the snug tight condition. This ensures correct bolt tensioning.

Cogan will not guarantee any products modified without the consent from a product engineer employed by Cogan.

READY, SET, INSTALL!



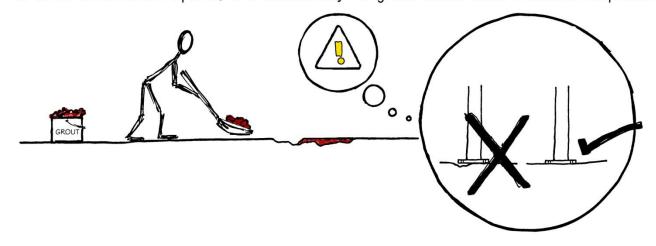
Make sure the installation site is cleaned of all debris to ensure an adequate access for the installer. The client or owner shall advise the installation company of any embedded floor obstacles that may interfere with the floor anchors.



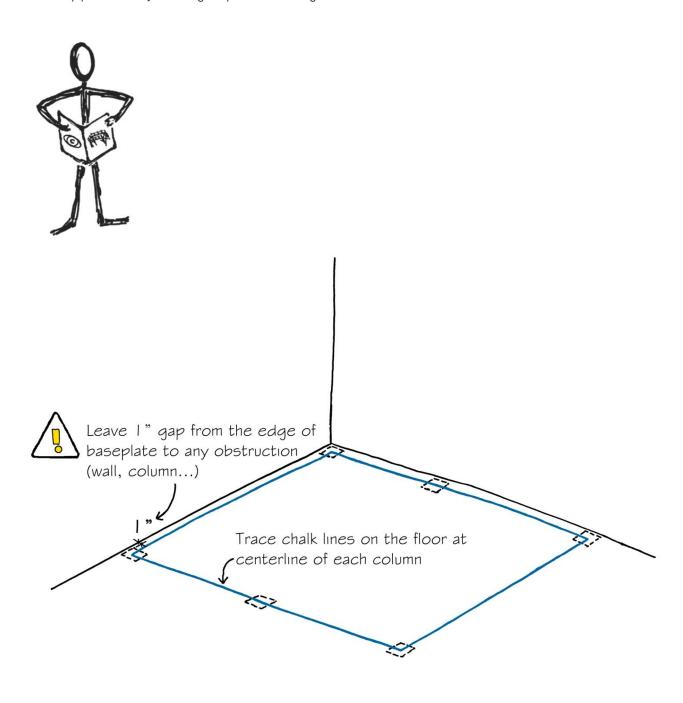
Carefully inspect all the installation site. The mezzanine contractor's technician shall inspect the job site prior to the preperation of approval drawings.



The area where the mezzanine is installed shall have a concrete slab, troweled smooth and level. The entire surface of a baseplate shall be in contact with the slab to ensure an even transfer of column loads and minimize sway. The concrete where mezzanine column placement occurs shall be capable to withstand the loads specified by the mezzanine manufacturer. When a mezzanine is used as an office space, it is mandatory to grout under each column baseplate.



Review carefully all your installation drawings. Erection of the mezzanine and accessories shall be in accordance with the specification and instructions contained in this manual and installation drawings. Any Cogan product requiring modification during installation (on site) should be approved by a Cogan product engineer.





ONCE YOU HAVE DRAWN YOUR MEZZANINE PERIMETER, YOU MAY START INSTALLING