# PLATETIE





## FAST AND EFFECTIVE WAY OF ANCHORING TIMBER WALL PLATES TO STUDS

#### **APPLICATION:**

PlateTies are available pre-formed to suit 70mm and 90mm plate widths or Universal for other plate widths.

#### **USES**

 PlateTies are used to secure top and bottom timber wall plates to studs in high wind areas.

#### **ADVANTAGES**

- PlateTies can also be used to secure studs in braced panels to comply with Type B bracing specifications.
- As PlateTies have integral teeth, they are very quick to apply and have consistent performance, as nails cannot be inadvertently left out.
- Pre-formed ties ensure tight fit and tight bends, making it easier to fit internal linings.

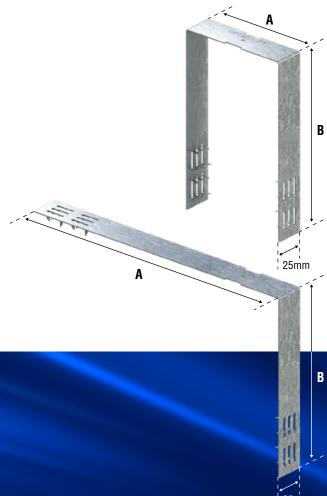
### **SPECIFICATIONS:**

| Steel Grade                 | G300  |
|-----------------------------|---|
| Thickness<br>(Total Coated) | 1.0 mm  |
| Galvanized<br>Coating       | Z275  |
| Nails                       | MiTek 30 x 2.8mm<br>hot dipped galvanized<br>reinforced head. |
| Product Code                | See Table   |

This Engineered Building Product complies with the National Construction Code Series and Australian Standards.

#### PLATETIE - LOAD DATA





| Product Code | Plate Type        | Size A | Size B | Wall Plate Size |
|--------------|-------------------|--------|--------|-----------------|
| PT407        | 400 x 70 Pre-bent | 70mm   | 162mm  | 70mm wide       |
| PT409        | 400 x 90 Pre-bent | 90mm   | 152mm  | 90mm wide       |
| PT30         | 300 Universal     | 188mm  | 117mm  | 70mm wide       |
| PT40         | 400 Universal     | 242mm  | 152mm  | 90-100mm wide   |

| Limit State Design Capacity in Wind Uplift (kN) |     |     |     |     |     |     |
|---|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| Joint Group                                     | J2  | J3  | J4  | JD3 | JD4 | JD5 |
| All Sizes                                       | 8.3 | 8.3 | 7.0 | 8.3 | 8.3 | 7.0 |

Values in this table incorporate the Category 1 capacity factor ( $\emptyset$ ) for houses. For other categories, multiply the design capacities by the following factors. Refer to AS1720.1 for a full definition of each category.

Design capacities have been obtained from laboratory testing and procedures given in AS1720.1.  $\label{eq:capacity}$ 

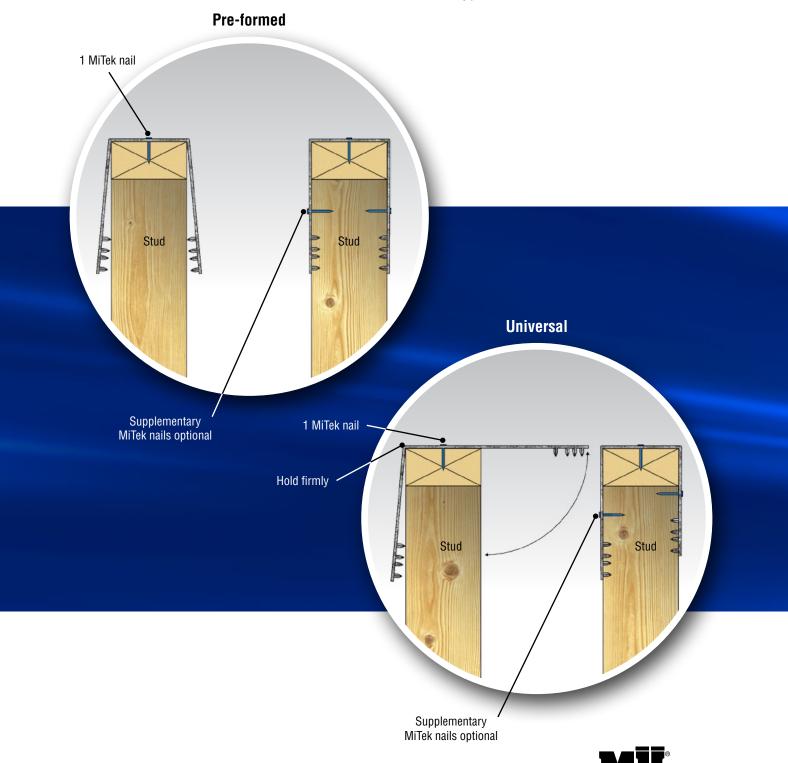
| Category          | 1    | 2    | 3    |
|-------------------|------|------|------|
| Adjustment factor | 1.00 | 0.94 | 0.88 |

#### **Pre-formed Type:**

- 1. Place PlateTie over wall plate and stud. Nail to wall plate with one MiTek 30 x 2.8mm hot dipped galvanized reinforced head nail to hold tie in position.
- 2. Hammer pre-formed teeth into side of timber wall stud with hard blow from a broad face hammer.

#### **Universal Type:**

- 1. Hold PlateTie firmly against the side and face of wall plate with the long leg across the plate. Fasten to wall plate with one MiTek 30 x 2.8mm hot dipped galvanized reinforced head nail as shown.
- 2. Drive pre-formed teeth into stud, then bend outstanding leg around plate. Once a tight bend has been achieved, drive remaining pre-formed teeth into the other side of the stud.



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