



## Knowledge is Power Part II

A new section is being added to our website ([www.cascade-mfg-co.com](http://www.cascade-mfg-co.com)). It provides on-line information addressing various topics relating to the proper handling, installation, and bracing of wood roof and floor trusses. This information, also translated in Spanish, is furnished by the WTCA. A Jobsite Package that Cascade Mfg Co furnishes with each truss order includes information relevant to the order and may include copies of one or more of the topics below.

- Truss installation and temporary bracing
- Web member permanent bracing/web reinforcement
- Construction loading
- Truss damage, jobsite modifications and installation errors
- Gable end frame bracing
- Temporary and permanent bracing for parallel chord trusses (floor trusses).
- Toe-nailing for uplift reactions
- Multi-ply girders
- Post frame installation and bracing (pole barn trusses)
- Fall protection and wood trusses
- 11" x 17" summary poster that is a guide for the handling, installation and bracing of wood trusses.

In addition, a copy of BCSI 1-03 is available for viewing onsite safety and truss performance. The booklet replaces the HIB-91 booklet from TPI.. This comprehensive booklet produced by the Truss Plate Institute (TPI) and WTCA, addresses issues of j

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At Cascade Mfg Co our mission is providing products and services that make construction better, and make the attainment of knowledge easier.

