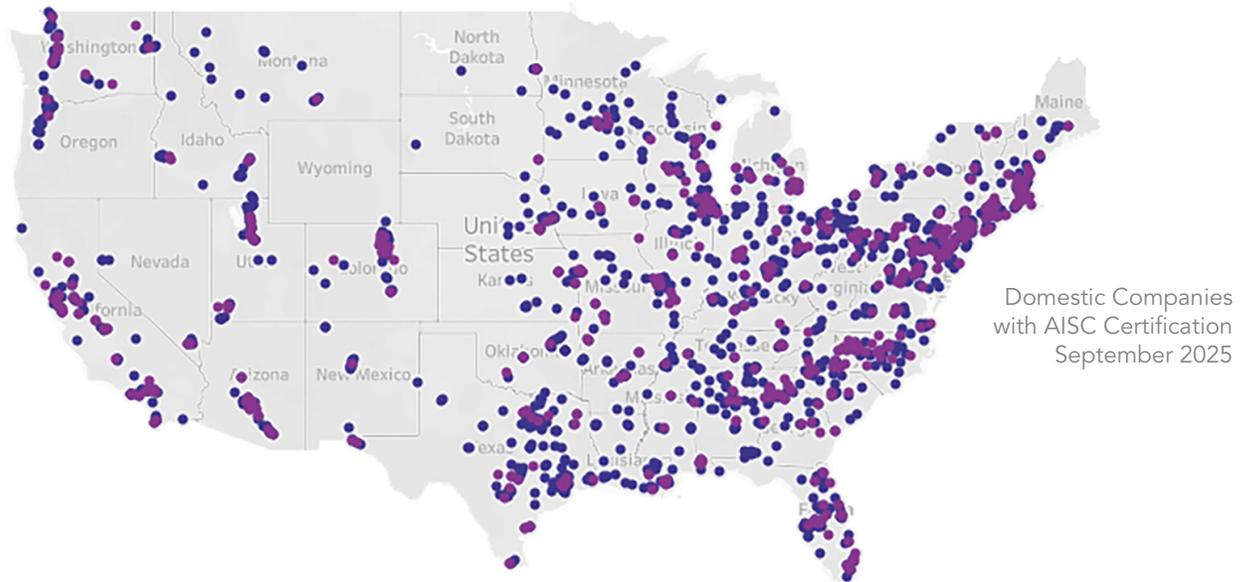


# CONSISTENT QUALITY. LOWER RISK.

“Close enough” just doesn’t cut it on a jobsite.

You need built-in quality standards to ensure predictable performance from your fabricated structural material.

You need precise tolerances for efficient erection. You need to reduce your risk while maintaining the highest level of quality.



## RELIABLE EXCELLENCE FOR PROJECTS OF ALL SIZES

Only fabrication facilities and erection companies that have successfully completed AISC Certification’s rigorous quality management system (QMS) audits and review process—and continue to pass annual in-person audits—hold AISC Certification.

There are over 1,200 AISC-certified steel fabrication facilities, and over 500 AISC-certified steel erecting companies in the U.S. This robust domestic network of fabricators and erectors follow strict quality management systems, minimizing errors, rework, and overall project risk. Using an AISC-certified team is the smartest way to ensure quality and meet code requirements, protecting both the owner and general contractor.

## FIND A CERTIFIED COMPANY

Finding these qualified companies is simple. The AISC website hosts a searchable “Find a Certified Company” directory, making it easy for general contractors to locate certified bidders in any desired geographic area quickly. This resource streamlines the prequalification process.

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## STREAMLINE CODE COMPLIANCE

The AISC Certification program confirms to owners, the design community, the construction industry, and public officials that certified participants who adhere to the requirements of Standard for Certification Programs have the personnel, organization, experience, documented procedures, knowledge, equipment, and commitment to quality to perform fabrication, manufacturing, and/or erection.

It also ensures compliance with the *International Building Code (IBC)*, which requires adherence to Chapter N in AISC 360 *Specification for Structural Steel Buildings* for inspection requirements for quality control and quality assurance. Using AISC-certified fabricators and erectors is a shortcut for meeting the *IBC's* requirements for quality.

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## MINIMIZE INSPECTION COSTS AND SCHEDULE DELAYS

Most authority-having jurisdictions (AHJs) approve AISC-certified fabricators as a matter of course, which streamlines any required special inspections—and Chapter N of AISC 360 and Section 1704.2.5.1 of the *International Building Code (IBC)* waive special inspection requirements when fabrication is performed by an approved fabricator. Certified fabricators perform these inspections with in-house experts, saving you the cost (and time) of hiring a third-party special inspection company.

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