

# Workshop calculations

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## Notes

- In “Imported variables” we don’t include those which just get the imperial string for variables defined elsewhere. These aren’t important enough to count as genuine imported variables.
- There should be **no** variables for mortise thickness, only tenon thickness. This is to prevent inadvertent differing definitions of tenon and mortise thicknesses. When the time to cut comes, use the slick to shave off tenon depth until we get a tight fit.

# 1 Ridge shape and dimensions

## 1.1 Assumptions

```

rise <- 10
run <- 12
theta <- atan(rise/run)
theta_degrees <- rads_to_degs(theta)
theta1 <- atan(run/rise)
theta1_degrees <- rads_to_degs(theta1)

purlin_height <- 7
purlin_pocket <- 1
purlin_height_above_rafter <- purlin_height - purlin_pocket

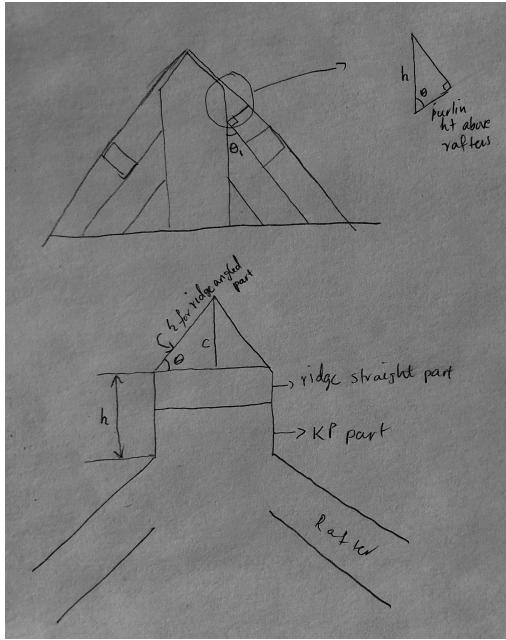
kp_width <- 8 # at the top
ridge_width <- kp_width
kp_part <- 4.5 # straight part above rafters

```

## 1.2 Imported variables

- None.

### 1.3 Calculations



Start by knowing only roof pitch and purlin height above rafters. These determine the value of  $h$  in the diagram:

$$h = 7.8102.$$

We set KP part to a reasonable amount (cf §1.1), and this dictates that

$$\text{ridge straight part} = 3.3102.$$

The height for ridge angled part is dictated by roof pitch and ridge width:

$$c = 3.3333$$

which means that

$\text{Ridge total height} = 6.6436 = 0' 6'' 21/32$

and this is the milling height for this beam. Finally, ridge cross-sectional area = 39.8153, volume = 5733.4076, which in board feet is 39.8153. Divide cross-sectional area by beam width to find “equivalent” height. We find that this pentagonal beam is equivalent to a  $8 \times 4.9769$  beam for the purposes of  $F_b$  calculations.

## 2 Kingpost length and collar tie rough length

### 2.1 Assumptions

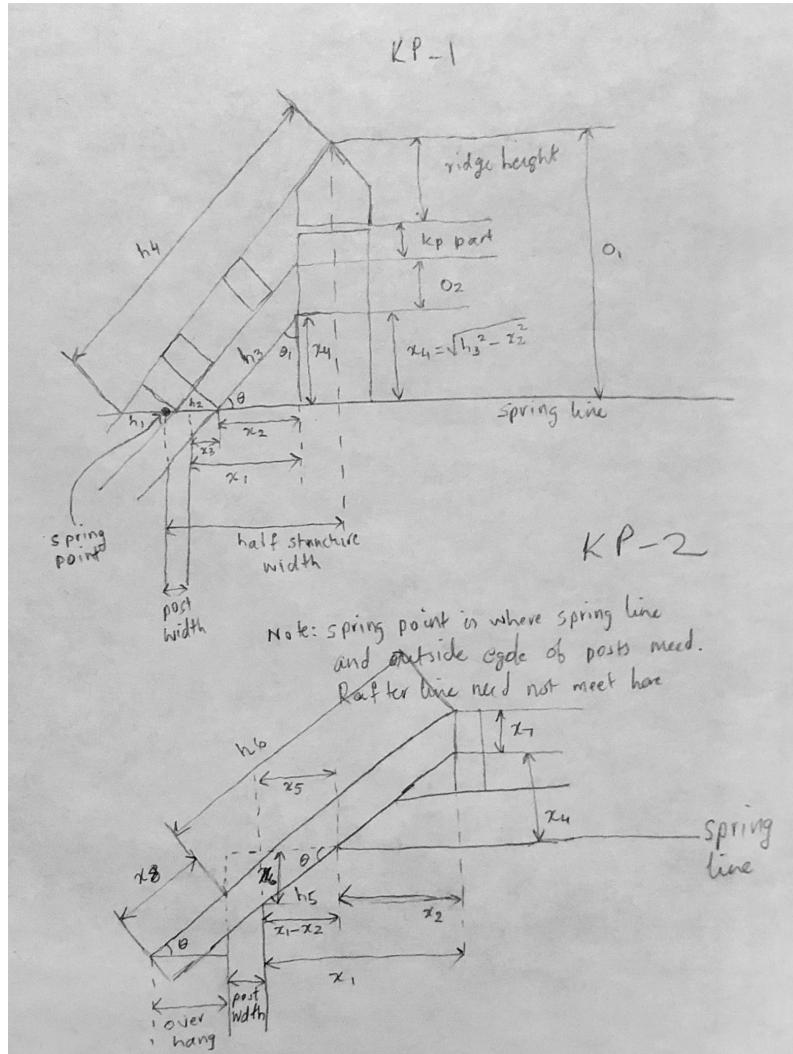
```
width_of_structure <- 15*12
width_of_structure_half <- width_of_structure/2
post_width <- 6
rafter_height <- 8
collar_tie_height <- 8
kp_through_tenon_length <- 2
kp_top_tenon_length <- 3
```

We start with purlin height above rafters, and the width of the structure. Ignore collar tie for now.

## 2.2 Imported variables

- kp\_width = 8 from §1.1.
- purlin\_height\_above\_rafter = 6 from §1.1.
- kp\_part = 4.5 from §1.1.

## 2.3 Calculations



The variable  $x_1$  can be found by inspection; just subtract post width and half KP width from half the structure width:

$$x_1 = 80$$

and we have

$$O_2 = \text{rafter height} / \sin \theta_1 = 10.4137$$

Then,

$$h_2 = \text{rafter height} / \sin \theta = 12.4964$$

$$x_3 = h_2 - \text{post width} = 6.4964$$

$$x_2 = x_1 - x_3 = 73.5036$$

$$h_3 = x_2 / \cos \theta = 95.6802$$

$$x_4 = \sqrt{h_3^2 - x_2^2} = 61.253$$

Using  $x_4$  from above, KP from top (excluding tenon) to spring line is

$$\begin{aligned}\text{kp part (cf §1.1)} + o_2 + x_4 &= 76.1667 \\ &= 6' 4" 5/32\end{aligned}$$

We can also calculate for later:

$$\begin{aligned}h_1 &= \text{purlin height above rafters} / \sin \theta = 9.3723 \\ h_4 &= (h_1 + \text{post width} + x_1 + \text{kingpost width}/2) / \cos \theta = 129.3537 \\ o_1 &= \sqrt{h_4^2 - (h_1 + \text{post width} + x_1 + \text{kingpost width}/2)^2} = 82.8102\end{aligned}$$

Calculating  $o_1$  a different way: add up ridge height, kp part,  $o_2$ , and  $x_4$ , to get 82.8102, which should match the above. For diagram 2, we have  $x_5 = x_1 - x_2 = 6.4964 \implies h_5 = x_5 / \cos \theta = 8.4564$ , which is enough space between post and collar tie. Since KP from top (excluding tenon) to spring line is 76.1667, and bottom of collar tie is at the spring line, KP length excluding **both** tenons is 76.1667 - 8 (collar tie height) = 68.1667. Assuming a 2-inch through tenon at bottom and 3-inch tenon at the top, we have

$$\boxed{\text{KP length} = 68.1667 + 8 + 2 + 3 = 81.1667 = 6' 9" 5/32}.$$

**Roughly**, collar tie length, assuming 5-inch tenons, is  $x_2 \times 2 + \text{KP width} + \text{tenon lengths} = 165.0072$ . See §7 for more accurate calculations.

## 3 Post length excluding tenons and rough rafter length

### 3.1 Assumptions

```
structure_height <- 15*12 # top of ridge to base
overhang_sides <- 24 # inches
rafter_tenons_preliminary <- 3 # assuming 3 inch tenons; to be made precise later
```

### 3.2 Imported variables

- $h_5$  from §2.3.
- $x_5$  from §2.3.
- “top of ridge to spring line” is comprised of “kp height to spring line excl top tenon” from §2.3 and “ridge height” from §1.3.
- Post width is from §2.1.
- $x_1$  is from §2.3.

### 3.3 Calculations

The diagram for this section is in the previous section.

The triangle above with  $x_5$  and  $h_5$  has a third side, call it  $x_6$ , for which we have

$$x_6 = \sqrt{h_5^2 - x_5^2} = 5.4137.$$

From base to spring line is

$$\begin{aligned}\text{structure height} - (\text{top of ridge to spring line}) &= 180 - 82.8102 \\ &= 97.1898 \\ &= 8' 1" 3/16\end{aligned}$$

Now,  $x_6$  extends from spring line to the higher side of where the post meets rafters. Therefore, post height excluding tenons is

$$97.1898 - 5.4137 = 91.7761 = 7' 7" 25/32$$

See §9 for measurements including tenons.

The structure has an overhang on both sides, which we take to be 24 (cf §3.1), and this allows us to calculate  $x_8$  in the diagram:

$$x_8 = \frac{24}{\cos \theta} = 31.241.$$

The variable  $h_6$  is just post width +  $x_1$  divided by the cosine, so we have

$$h_6 = \frac{\text{post width} + x_1}{\cos \theta} = 111.9469$$

So **rough** rafter length, assuming 3-inch tenons is

$$x_8 + h_6 + 3 = 146.1879 = 12' 2" 3/16.$$

See §4.3 for more precise measurements.

## 4 Kingpost/rafter joints and rafter final length

### 4.1 Assumptions

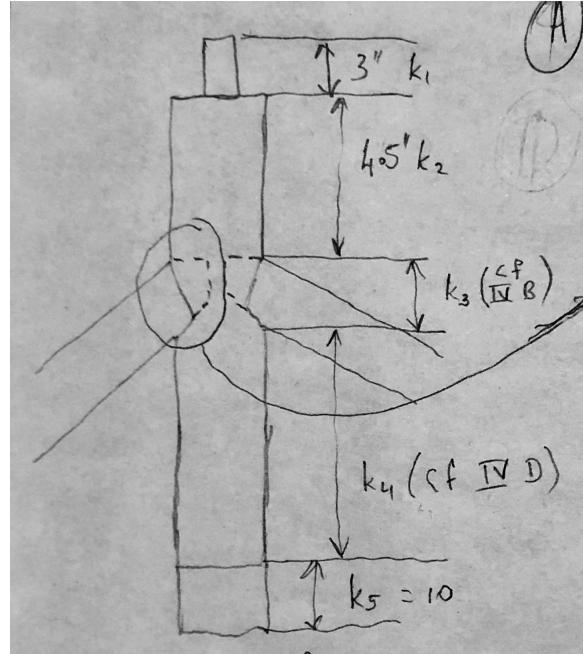
```
kp_rafter_shoulder_depth <- 1 # along the x axis
rafter_tenon_depth_into_kp <- 3 # along the x axis
rafter_tenon_thickness <- 2
# In this section assume no KP flare
```

### 4.2 Imported variables

- $\text{kp\_top\_tenon\_length} = 3$  from §2.1. Here  $k\_1$ .
- $\text{kp\_part} = 4.5$  from §1.1.
- $\text{rafter\_height} = 8$  from §2.1.
- $\text{collar\_tie\_height} = 8$  from §2.1.
- $\text{kp\_through\_tenon\_length} = 2$  from §2.1
- $\text{kp\_total\_height} = 81.1667$  from §2.3
- $x_8 = 31.241$  from §3.3
- $h_6$  from 111.9469 from §3.3

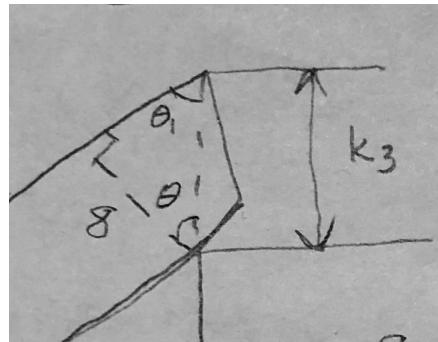
### 4.3 Calculations

Ignore anything in these diagrams following that isn't relevant, like hardcoded values.



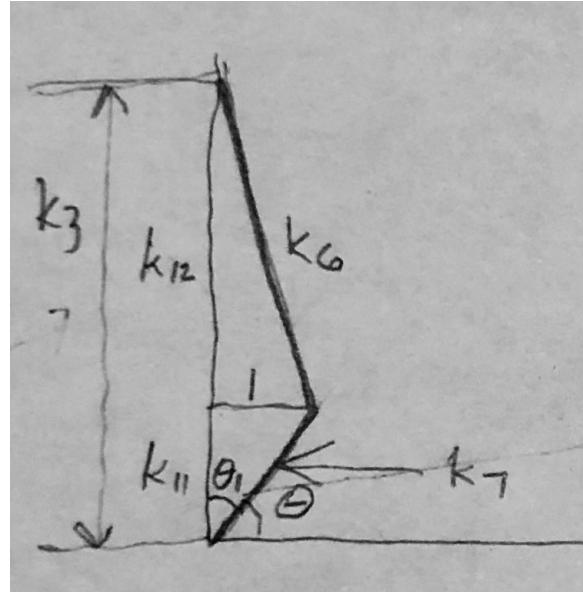
The variable for “KP part” was not labeled in §1.1; here we label it as  $k_2$ ; its value is 4.5. The KP tenon height into ridge ( $k_1$ ) is 3 (cf §4.2). The variable  $k_3$  is just rafter height divided by the cosine, which is

$$k_3 = \text{rafter height} / \cos \theta = 10.4137.$$



The variable  $k_5$  is given by collar tie height + through tenon length; here we have  $k_5 = 10$ . Then we have

$$k_4 = \text{KP total length} - k_1 - k_2 - k_3 - k_5 = 53.253.$$



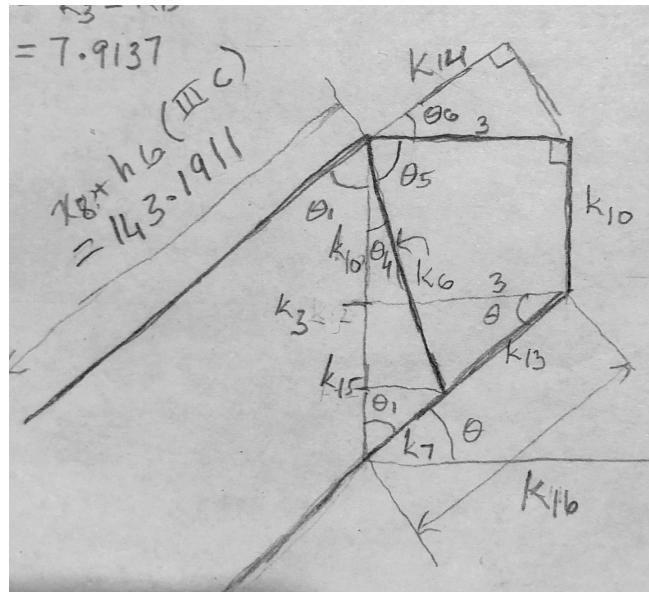
The variables defined around the rafter-to-kp-shoulder are

$$k_7 = 1.3017$$

$$k_{11} = 0.8333$$

$$k_{12} = 9.5803$$

$$k_6 = 9.6324$$



The variables around rafter tenon/shoulder<sup>1</sup> are

$$\begin{aligned}
 k_{16} &= \text{rafter tenon depth into KP} / \cos \theta = 3.9051 \\
 k_{13} &= k_{16} - k_7 = 2.6034 \\
 \theta_4 &= \arccos \left( \frac{k_{12}}{k_6} \right) = 5.959 \\
 \theta_5 &= 90 - \theta_4 = 84.041 \\
 \theta_6 &= 180 - \theta_1 - \theta_4 - \theta_5 = 39.8056 \\
 k_{14} &= \text{rafter tenon depth into KP} \times \cos \theta_6 = 2.3047 \\
 k_{15} &= k_{16} \times \sin \theta = 2.5 \\
 k_{10} &= k_3 - k_{15} = 7.9137
 \end{aligned}$$

Now, we can calculate rafter length more precisely than in §3.3, where we just estimated the tenon length. We have

$\text{Rafter length} = x_8 + h_6 + k_{14} = 145.4926 = 12' 1" 1/2.$

## 5 Rafter connections

### 5.1 Assumptions

```

post_tenon_depth_into_rafter <- 4
post_rafter_shoulder_depth <- 1
collar_tie_rafter_shoulder_depth <- 1
collar_tie_tenon_into_rafter_thickness <- 2
collar_tie_tenon_into_rafter_depth <- 4
post_tenon_into_rafter_thickness <- 2

```

### 5.2 Imported variables

- $x_8 = 31.241$  from §3.3.
- $h_6 = 111.9469$  from §3.3.
- $\text{rafter\_height} = 8$  from §2.1.
- $\text{collar\_tie\_height} = 8$  from §2.1.
- $h_3 = 95.6802$  from §2.3.
- $h_5 = 8.4564$  from §2.3.
- $\text{post\_width} = 6$  from §2.1.

### 5.3 Calculations

```

r6 <- rafter_height/tan(theta1)
r8 <- x8 + h6 - r6
r3 <- collar_tie_height/cos(theta1)
r2 <- h3 - r3
r5 <- post_width/cos(theta)
r4 <- h5
r7 <- r8 - r5 - r4 - r3 - r2

theta2 <- atan(post_rafter_shoulder_depth/r5)

```

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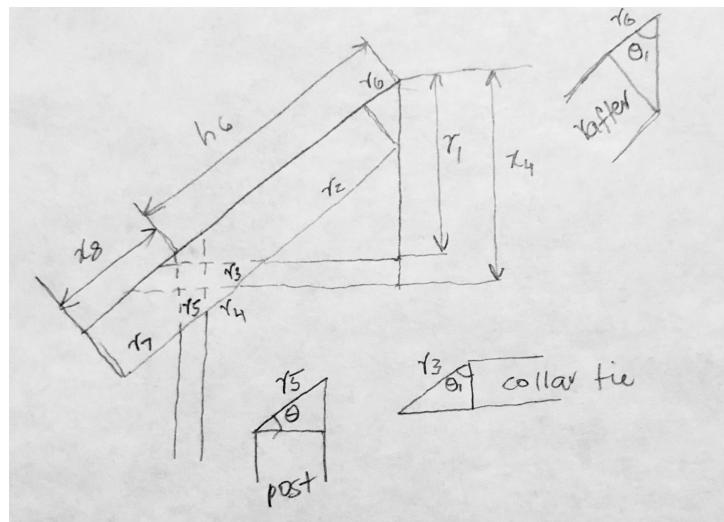
<sup>1</sup>It would seem that variable names  $k_8$  and  $k_9$  were never used in the paper drawings.

```

theta2_degrees <- rads_to_degs(theta2)
r6 <- post_rafter_shoulder_depth/sin(theta2)
r12 <- post_tenon_depth_into_rafter/tan(theta1)
r13 <- r5 - r12

theta3 <- atan(collar_tie_rafter_shoulder_depth/r3)
theta3_degrees <- rads_to_degs(theta3)
theta4_degrees <- theta_degrees - theta3_degrees
r9 <- collar_tie_tenon_into_rafter_depth/sin(theta)
r10 <- sqrt(r9^2 - collar_tie_tenon_into_rafter_depth^2)
r11 <- r3 - r10

```



First, we calculate rafter length on underside, which is

$$r_8 = x_8 + h_6 - r_6 = x_8 + h_6 - (\text{rafter height} / \tan \theta_1) = 136.5212.$$

Then we have the following

$$r_3 = \text{collar tie height} / \cos \theta_1 = 12.4964$$

$$r_2 = h_3 - r_3 = 83.1838$$

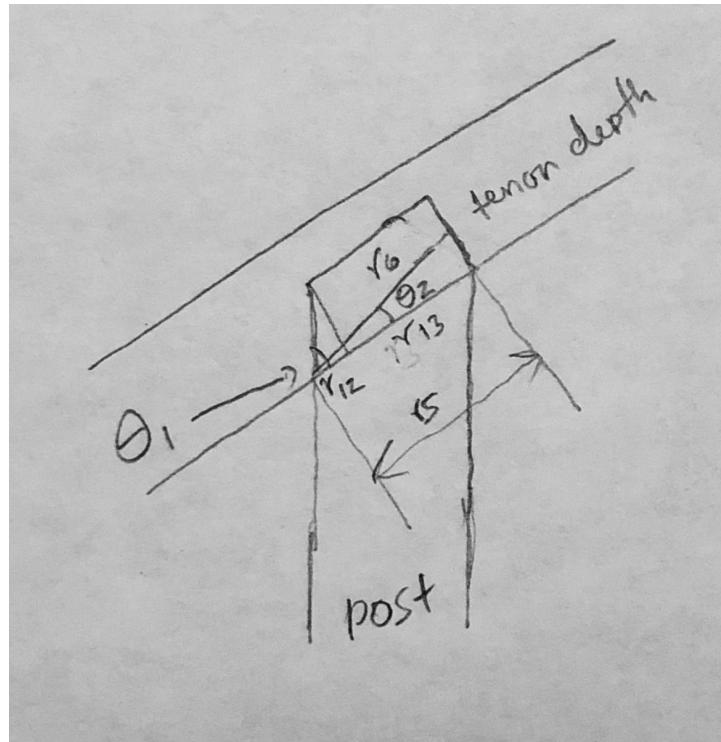
$$r_5 = \text{post width} / \cos \theta = 7.8102$$

$$r_4 = h_5 = 8.4564$$

which implies that

$$r_7 = r_8 - r_5 - r_4 - r_3 - r_2 = 24.5743.$$

It might seem surprising that  $r_7 = 24.5743$  is more than the overhang = 24, but it does check out if drawn to scale.



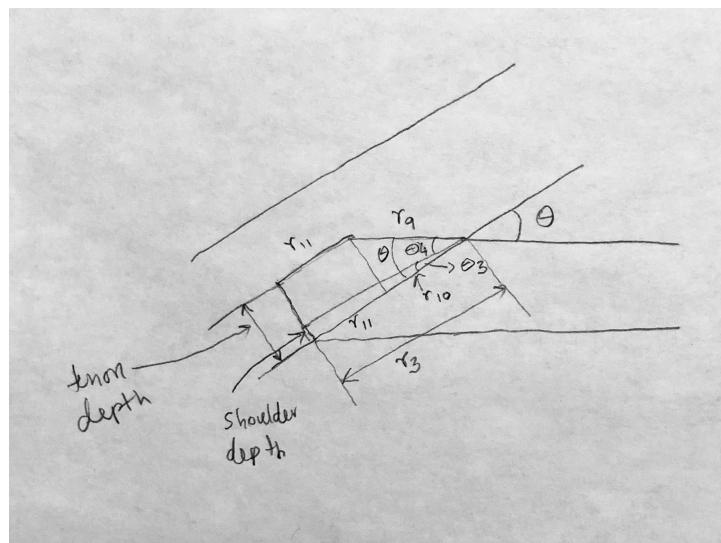
For post tenons into rafters at 2-in thick, we have

$$\theta_2 = \arctan \left( \frac{\text{shoulder depth}}{r_5} \right) = 7.2963$$

$$r_6 = \frac{\text{shoulder depth}}{\sin \theta_2} = 7.874$$

$$r_{12} = \frac{\text{tenon depth}}{\tan \theta_1} = 3.3333$$

$$r_{13} = r_5 - r_{12} = 4.4769$$



For collar tie tenons into rafters at 2-in thick,

$$\theta_3 = \arctan\left(\frac{\text{shoulder depth}}{r_3}\right) = 4.5752^\circ$$

$$\theta_4 = \theta - \theta_3 = 35.2303^\circ$$

$$r_9 = \frac{\text{tenon depth}}{\sin \theta} = 6.2482$$

$$r_{10} = \sqrt{r_9^2 - (\text{tenon depth})^2} = 4.8$$

$$r_{11} = r_3 - r_{10} = 7.6964$$

## 6 Strut/KP connections

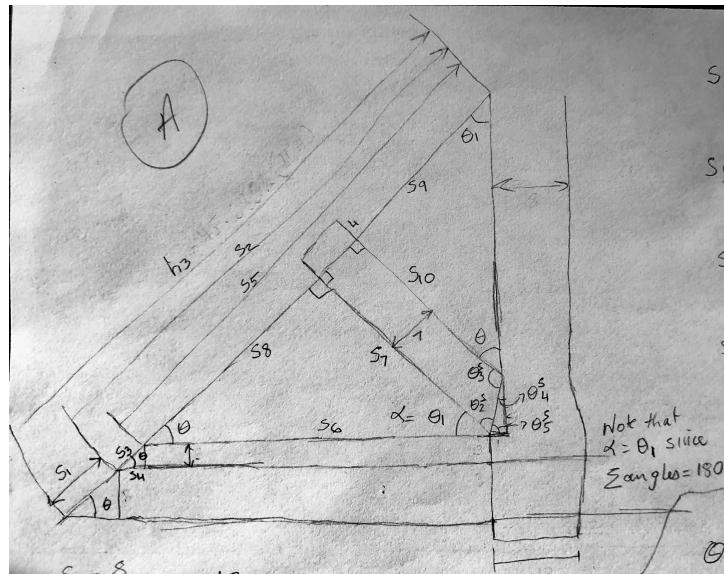
### 6.1 Assumptions

```
strut_height_above_collar_tie <- 3
kp_width_bottom <- 10 # flared bottom
kp_flare <- (kp_width_bottom - kp_width)/2 # flare on each side
strut_width <- 7
strut_tenon_into_rafter_thickness <- 1.5
strut_tenon_into_kp_depth <- 2
strut_tenon_into_kp_thickness <- 1.5
strut_tenon_into_rafter_depth <- 4
```

### 6.2 Imported variables

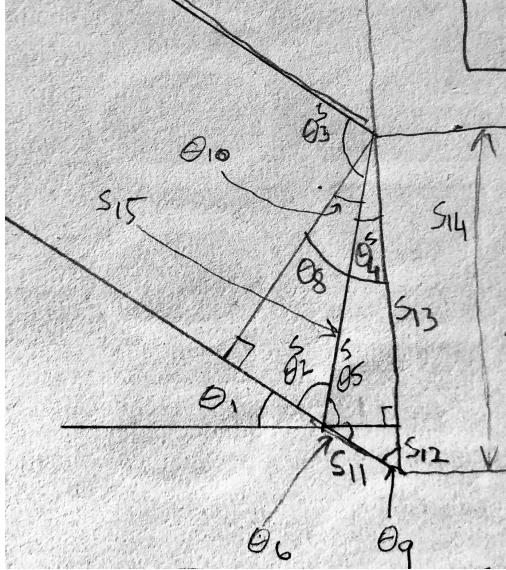
- $h_3 = 95.6802$  from §2.3.
- $\text{collar\_tie\_height} = 8$  from §2.
- $\text{kp\_width} = 8$  from §1.1.
- $r_2 = 83.1838$  from §5.3.
- $r_3 = 12.4964$  from §5.3.

### 6.3 Calculations



The calculations for the first diagram are

$$\begin{aligned}
 s_1 &= (\text{collar tie height}) / \sin \theta = 12.4964. \\
 s_2 &= h_3 - s_1 = 83.1838. \\
 s_3 &= \text{strut height above collar tie} / \sin \theta = 4.6861. \\
 s_4 &= \text{strut height above collar tie} / \tan \theta = 3.6. \\
 s_5 &= s_2 - s_3 = 78.4977. \\
 s_6 &= \cos \theta \times s_5 - \text{KP flare at bottom} = 59.3036. \\
 s_7 &= \cos \theta_1 \times s_6 = 37.9652. \\
 s_8 &= \tan \theta_1 \times s_7 = 45.5583. \\
 s_9 &= s_5 - s_8 - \text{strut width} = 25.9394. \\
 s_{10} &= s_9 / \tan \theta = 31.1273.
 \end{aligned}$$



For the second diagram, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 s_{12} &= \sqrt{s_{11}^2 - \text{kp flare}^2} = 0.8333 \\
 \theta_8 &= 90 - \theta_9 = \theta_1 = 50.1944 \\
 s_{14} &= \text{strut width} / \cos \theta_8 = 10.9343 \\
 \theta_9 &= \arcsin(\text{strut width}/s_{14}) = 39.8056 \\
 s_{13} &= s_{14} - s_{12} = 10.101 \\
 s_{15} &= \sqrt{s_{13} + \text{kp flare}^2} = 10.1504 \\
 \theta_5^s &= \arccos(\text{kp flare}/s_{15}) = 84.3461 \\
 \theta_2^s &= \arcsin(\text{strut width}/s_{15}) = 43.6007 \\
 \theta_4^s &= \arcsin(\text{kp flare}/s_{15}) = 5.6539 \\
 \theta_{10} &= \arccos(\text{strut width}/s_{15}) = 46.3993 \\
 \theta_3^s &= 90 + \theta_{10} = 136.3993
 \end{aligned}$$

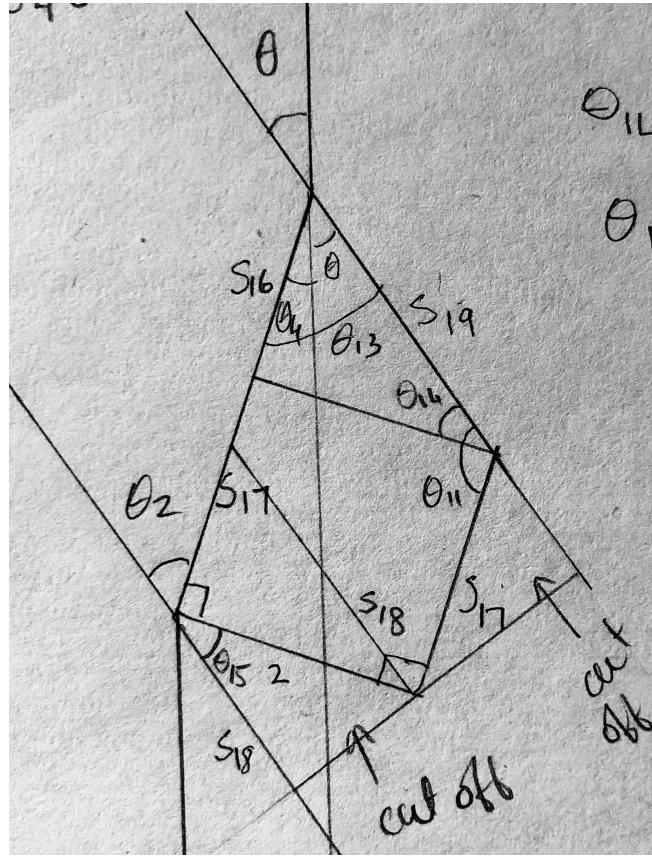
**Check:** Does  $s_2 = r_2$ ? TRUE.

**Check:** Does  $s_1 = r_3$ ? TRUE.

**Check:** Does  $\theta_9 = \theta$ ? TRUE.

## 6.4 Strut tenons into KP

There seems to be an extra  $s_{18}$  in the diagram in the middle - not sure what that is.



The calculations are

$$\theta_{13} = \theta + \theta_4^2 = 45.4594$$

$$\theta_{11} = 360 - 90 - 90 - \theta_{13} = 134.5406$$

$$s_{19} = \text{strut tenon into kp depth} / \sin \theta_{13} = 2.806$$

$$\theta_{14} = \theta_{11} - 90 = 44.5406$$

$$\theta_{15} = 180 - \theta_s^2 - 90 = 46.3993$$

$$s_{16} = \sqrt{s_{19}^2 - \text{strut tenon into kp depth}^2} = 1.9682$$

$$s_{17} = s_{15} - s_{16} = 8.1822$$

$$s_{18} = \cos \theta_{15} \times \text{strut tenon into kp depth} = 1.3793$$

## 7 Collar tie final length

### 7.1 Assumptions

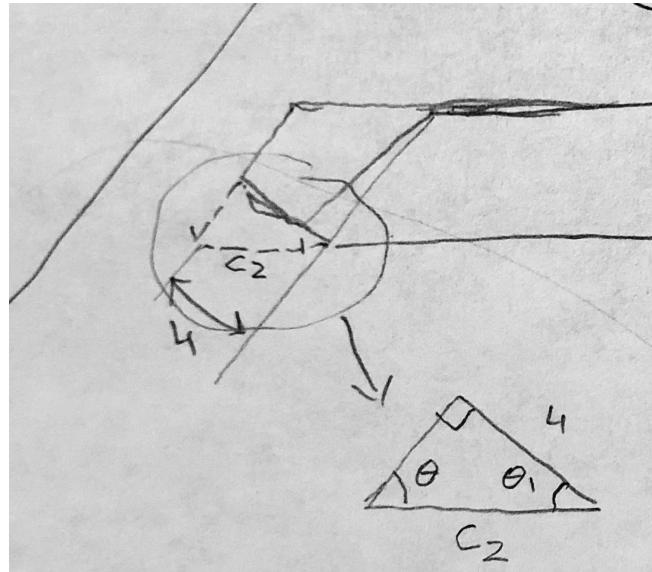
```
collar_tie_tenon_into_rafter_depth <- 4 # at 90 degrees to rafter face
collar_tie_depth <- 6 # beam depth
kp_through_tenon_thickness <- 2
```

## 7.2 Imported variables

- $x2 = 73.5036$  from §2.3
- $kp\_flare = 1$  from §6.1
- $kp\_width\_bottom = 10$  from §6.1
- $r11 = 7.6964$  from §5.3
- $r9 = 6.2482$  from §5.3
- $collar\_tie\_height = 8$  from §2.1
- $collar\_tie\_rafter\_shoulder\_depth = 1$  from §5.1
- $collar\_tie\_tenon\_into\_rafter\_thickness = 2$  from §5.1
- $kp\_width = 8$  from §1.1
- $\theta_3 = 4.5752$  from §5.3

## 7.3 Calculations

The diagram has a hardcoded value - ignore.



Since tenon depth = 4, we have  $c_2 = 6.2482$ . Since KP width at bottom is 10, we modify from above (§1.1) where KP width was 8 (§1.1):

$$\text{New } x_2 = c_1 = x_2 - 1 = 72.5036.$$

Then

$$\text{CT length} = c_1 \times 2 + 10 + c_2 \times 2 = 167.5036 = 13' 11" 1/2.$$

## 8 Braces

### 8.1 Assumptions

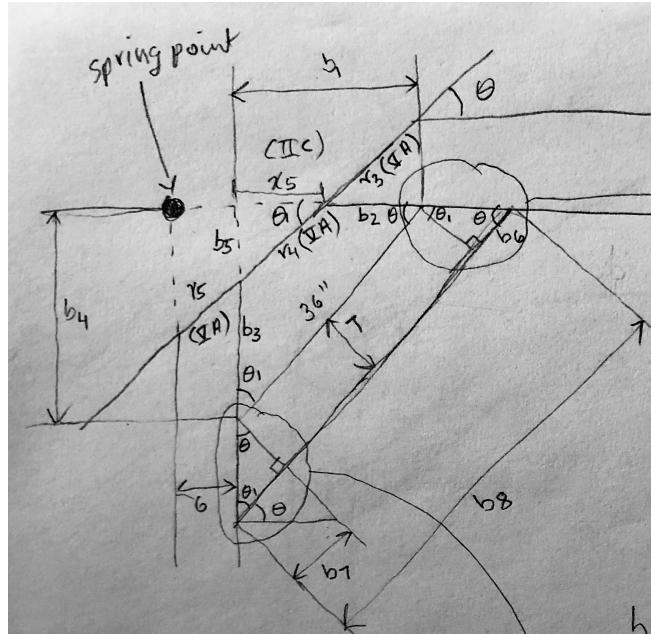
```
brace_width <- 7
brace_exposed_length_top <- 36
brace_tenon_depth_into_collar_tie <- 3
brace_tenon_depth_into_post <- 3
```

## 8.2 Imported variables

- $x_5 = 6.4964$  from §2.3.
- $r_4 = 8.4564$  from §5.3.

## 8.3 Calculations

The diagrams have some hardcoded values - ignore those.



For the overall diagram, the calculations are

$$b_1 = \cos \theta \times \text{brace exposed length at top} = 27.656$$

$$b_2 = b_1 - x_5 = 21.1596$$

$$b_5 = \sin \theta_1 \times r_4 = 6.4964$$

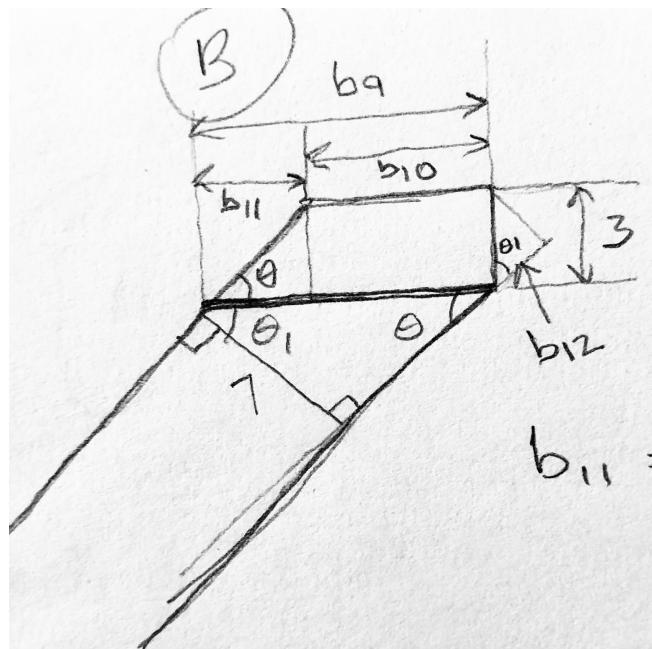
$$b_4 = \sin \theta \times \text{brace exposed length at top} = 23.0466$$

$$b_3 = b_4 - b_5 = 16.5502$$

$$b_6 = \tan \theta_1 \times \text{brace width} = 8.4$$

$$b_7 = \tan \theta \times \text{brace width} = 5.8333$$

$$b_8 = \text{brace exposed length at top} + b_6 + b_7 = 50.2333$$



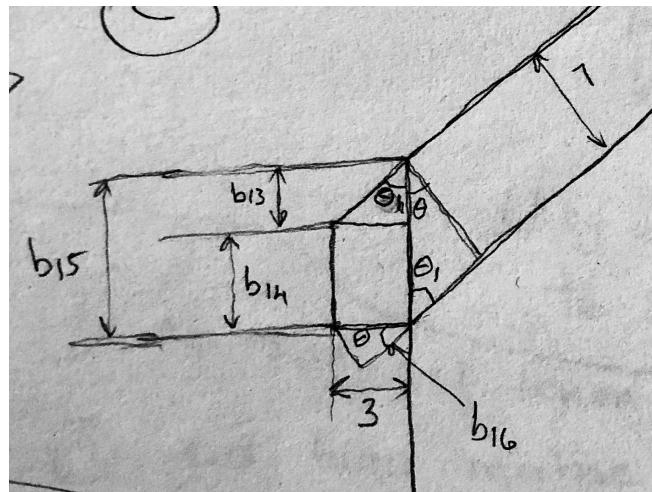
For braces into collar tie,

$$b_{11} = \text{brace tenon depth into collar tie} / \tan \theta = 3.6$$

$$b_9 = \text{brace width} / \cos \theta_1 = 10.9343$$

$$b_{10} = b_9 - b_{11} = 7.3343$$

$$b_{12} = \text{brace tenon depth into collar tie} \times \cos \theta_1 = 1.9206$$



For braces into post,

$$b_{13} = \text{brace tenon depth into post} / \tan \theta_1 = 2.5$$

$$b_{15} = \text{brace width} / \cos \theta = 9.112$$

$$b_{14} = b_{15} - b_{13} = 6.612$$

$$b_{16} = \cos \theta \times \text{brace tenon depth into post} = 2.3047$$

## 9 Posts

### 9.1 Assumptions

```
post_stub_tenon_length <- 2
```

### 9.2 Imported variables

Imports:

- post\_tenon\_depth\_into\_rafter = 4 from §5.1.
- r12 = 3.3333 from §5.3, here called  $p_1$ .
- r5 = 7.8102 from §5.3, here called  $p_3$ .
- post\_width = 6 from §2.1.
- post\_tenon\_depth\_into\_rafter = 4 from §5.1.
- post\_height\_excluding\_tenons = 91.7761 from §3.3.
- b3 = 16.5502 from §8.3.
- b15 = 9.112 from §8.3.

### 9.3 Calculations

Some of the calculations were covered above in §5 from the perspective of the mortise. Here, we concentrate on the tenons. Some variables are imports from the section mentioned. For the others,

$$p_2 = \sqrt{p_3^2 - \text{post width}^2} = 5$$

$$p_4 = \cos \theta \times \text{post tenon depth into rafter} = 3.0729$$

From §3.3, post height excluding tenons is 91.7761, so total post height = post height excluding tenons + stub tenon length +  $p_4$ , which is

$$96.849 = 8' 0" 27/32.$$

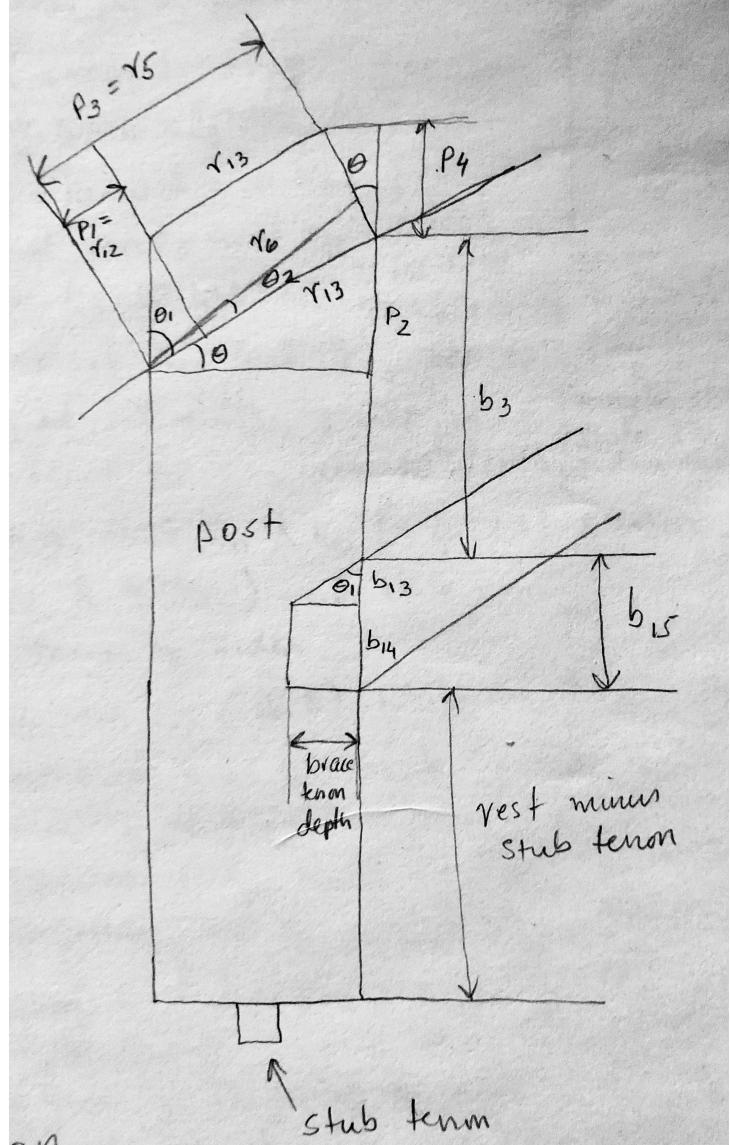


Figure 1: Posts layout

## 10 Cut plans

Calibrate all measuring instruments against each other before starting.

## 10.1 Posts

Layout & cut steps:

1. Cut a 6×6 beam to 8' 0" 27/32.

2. Mark out

- $p_4 = 0' 3" 1/16$
- $b_3 = 1' 4" 9/16$
- $b_{15} = 0' 9" 1/8$ , then
- the rest minus stub tenon = 5' 6" 1/8, and
- verify 2 inches left over for stub tenon.

3. At top, cut shouldered tenon as in diagram:

- Mark out  $\theta = 39.8$  as shown on the right side and mark out tenon depth = 4.
- At 90°, measure out  $p_3 = 0' 7" 13/16$ , and extend line from left side and verify  $p_1 = 0' 3" 11/32$ .
- Verify that straight part is  $r_{13} = 0' 4" 15/32$ .
- Mark out shoulder = 1 and verify that  $\theta_2 = 7.3$  and  $r_6 = 0' 7" 7/8$ ; **this is the tenon cut line**.
- Create tenon at 2-in thick.

4. Cut brace mortise:

- Mark out
  - $b_{13} = 0' 2" 1/2$  and
  - $b_{14} = 0' 6" 5/8$ .
- Drill straight at  $b_{14}$  to depth of 3, and angled mortise at  $b_{13}$  at an angle of  $\theta_1$

5. Cut stub tenon such that when raising, the long axis of tenon is along direction of pulling, else it could break while being raised. Perhaps the stub should be 2×2×2, with placement TBD.

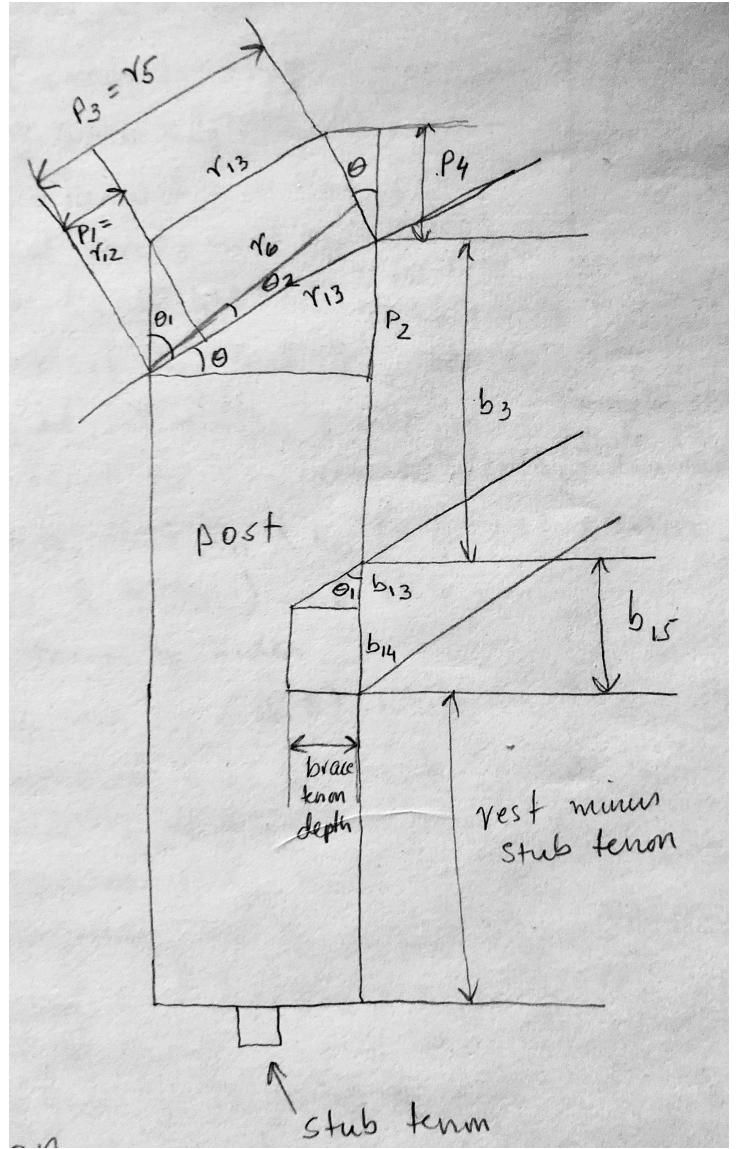


Figure 2: Posts layout

## 10.2 Rafters

### 10.2.1 Assumptions

```
rafter_width <- 6
collar_tie_rafter_shoulder_depth <- 1
```

### 10.2.2 Rafter overall

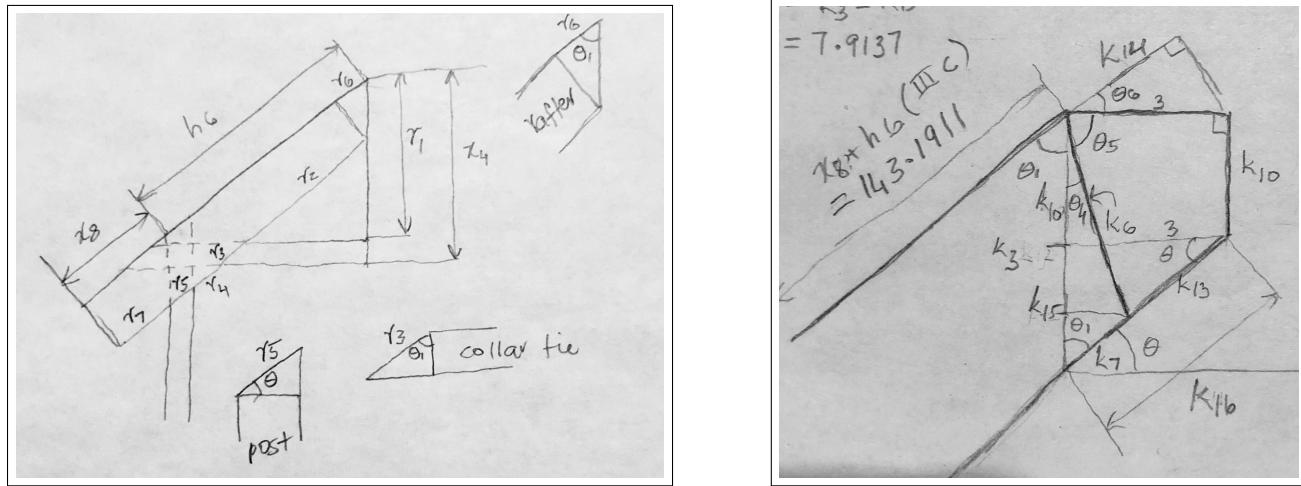


Figure 3: Rafter marks

1. Measure out  $6 \times 8 \times 12' 1" 1/2$ .
2. On top side mark out (left to right)  $x_8 = 2' 7" 1/4$  and  $h_6 = 9' 3" 15/16$ . Verify that  $k_{14} = 0' 2" 5/16$ .
3. On the bottom, mark out (left to right) the following:

$$r_7 = 2'0"9/16$$

$$r_5 = 0'7"13/16$$

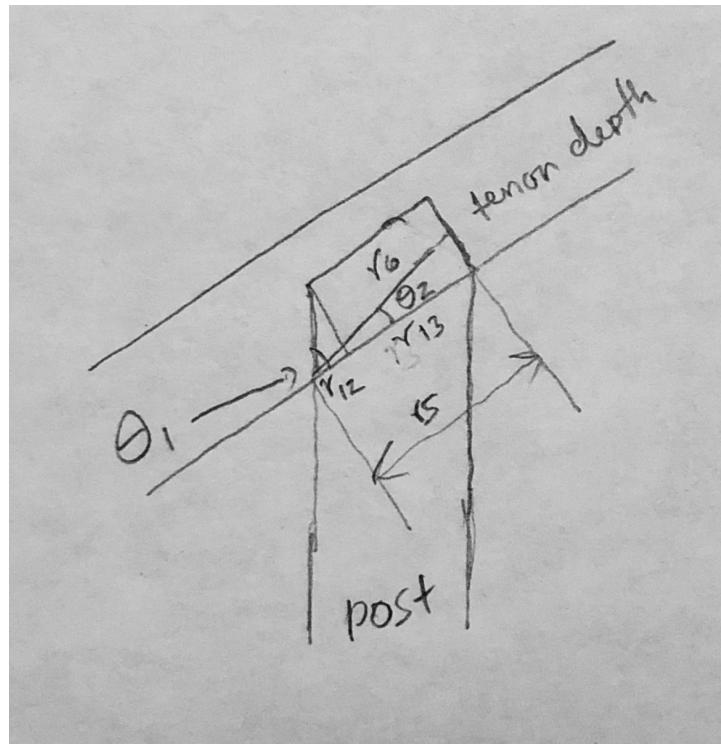
$$r_4 = 0'8"15/32$$

$$r_3 = 1'0"1/2$$

$$r_2 = 6'11"3/16$$

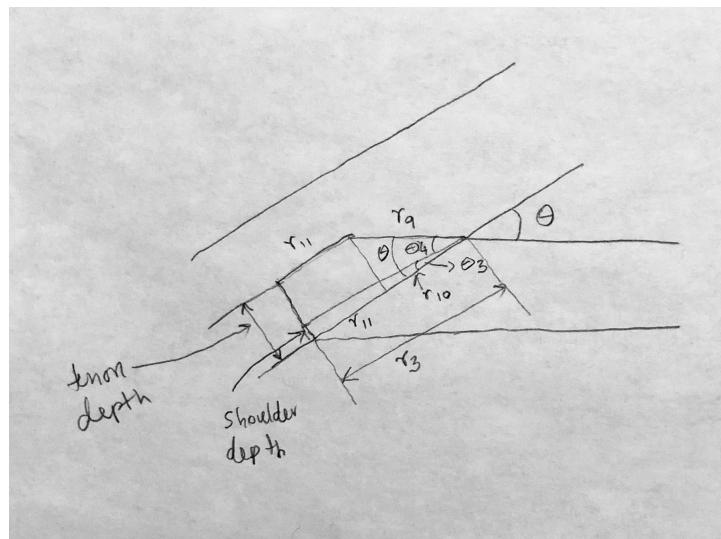
and verify that what's left over =  $0'8"31/32$ .

### 10.2.3 Mortise for post tenon



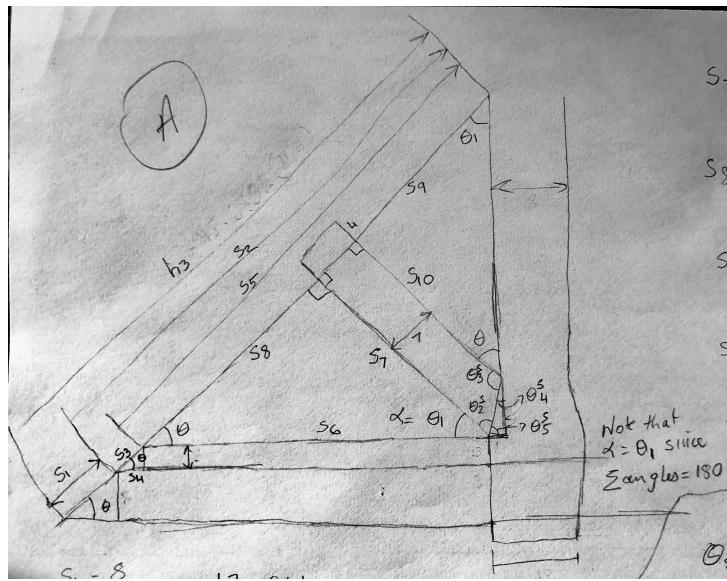
At  $r_5$ , mark out 1-in shoulder, verify that  $\theta_2 = 7.3$  and all other variables in diagram.

### 10.2.4 Mortise for collar tie tenon



At  $r_3$ , mark out 1-in shoulder and verify that  $\theta_3 = 4.6$  and all other variables in diagram.

### 10.2.5 Mortise for strut tenon

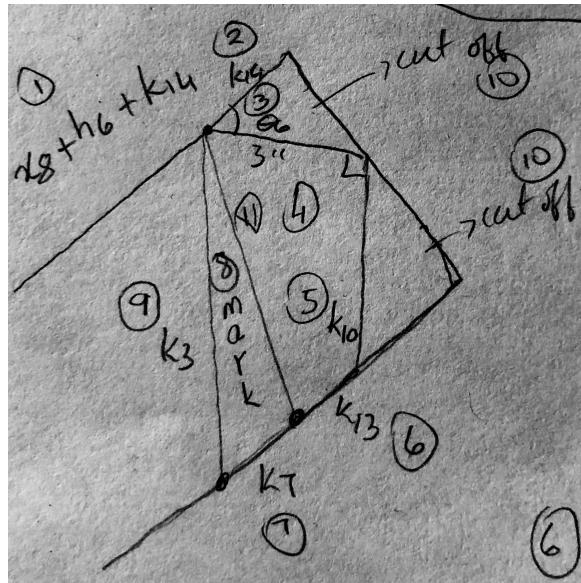


For strut mortises into rafter, measure  $s_3 + s_8$  from end of collar tie mortise (sans shoulder), which is

$$s_3 + s_8 = 50.2444 = 4'2\frac{1}{4}''.$$

Mortise/tenon is 1.5-in thick, 7-in wide, and 4-in deep. Verify that  $s_9 = 2' 1\frac{15}{16}$ .

### 10.2.6 Tenon for KP mortise



Numbers below correspond to diagram. There are 11 steps. The diagram hardcodes 3", ignore that.

1.  $k_{14} = 0' 2\frac{5}{16}$  should have been marked out already.
2. Mark out  $\theta_6 = 39.8$  and verify rafter tenon depth into KP ( $0' 3\frac{1}{2}$ ).
3. Mark  $90^\circ$  (this angle is hardcoded as 90).
4. Verify  $k_{10} = 0' 7\frac{29}{32}$ .
5. Measure  $k_{13} = 0' 2\frac{19}{32}$ .
6. Measure  $k_7 = 0' 1\frac{5}{16}$ .

7. Mark up to  $k_{14}$  point.
8. Verify  $k_3 = 0' 10" 13/32$ .
9. Cut off sections.
10. Create tenons at 2-in thick.

**TODO** rafters will house purlins - account for those also when purlin nos is finalized.

## 10.3 Kingpost

### 10.3.1 Assumptions

```
kp_depth <- 6
kp_top_tenon_thickness <- 1.5
```

The diagrams have some hardcoded values - ignore those.

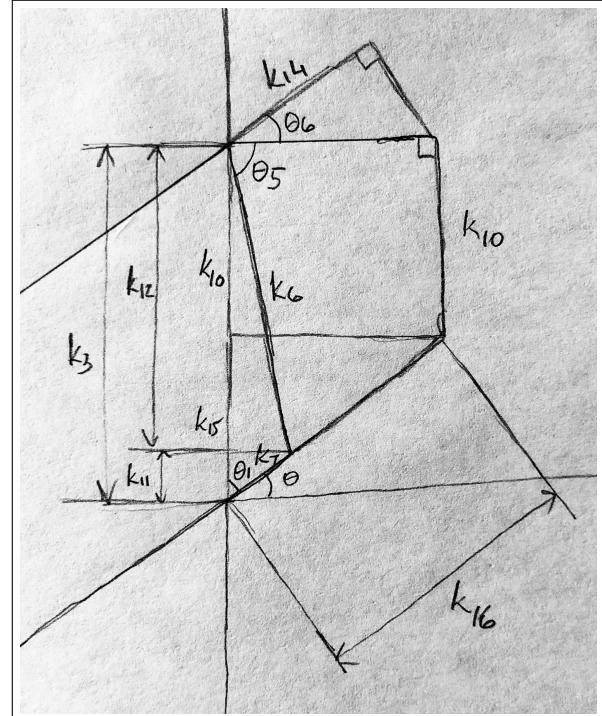
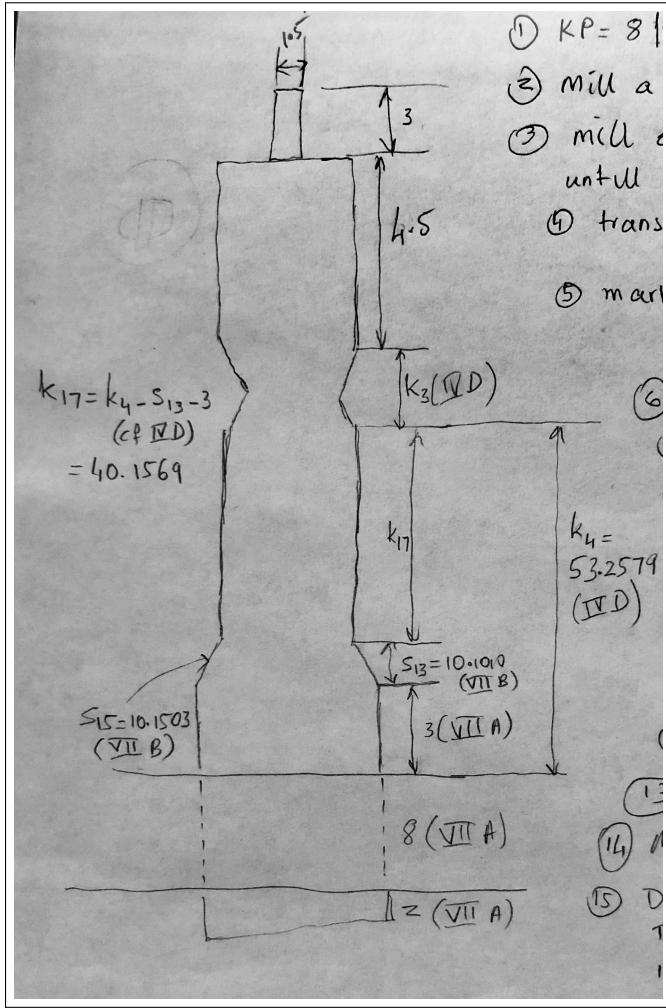


Figure 4: Overall cuts + mortise for rafter

1. KP total length = 6' 9" 5/32.
2. Mill a  $6 \times 10$ , with length as above.
3. Mill off 1 inch on both sides, from top until  $58.0657 = 4' 10" 1/16$ .
4. Transitional area =  $s_{13} = 0' 10" 3/32$ ; chisel or saw this out, and verify that  $s_{15} = 0' 10" 5/32$ .
5. Mark out from top: KP top tenon length = 3, KP part = 4.5,  $k_3 = 0' 10" 13/32$ , verify that  $k_{17} = 3' 4" 5/32$ . Mark  $s_{13} = 0' 10" 3/32$ , strut height above collar tie = 3, and collar tie height = 8, and finally, through tenon length = 2.
6. Cut top tenon at thickness = 1.5 and length 3.
7. Cut bottom tenon at 10 inches long.
8. At  $k_3$  mortise, mark out  $k_{11} = 0' 0" 27/32$  and  $k_{12} = 0' 9" 19/32$ .

9. Mark out 1 inch shoulder down the sides.
10. Mark  $k_{10} = 0' 7" 29/32$  and  $k_{15} = 0' 2" 1/2$ .
11. Drill straight at  $k_{10}$ , 2-inch mortise and create angled mortise at  $k_{15}$ .
12. Create shoulder using  $k_{11}$  and  $k_{12}$  measurements above.
13. For strut mortises, verify  $s_{15} = 0' 10" 5/32$ .
14. Mark out  $s_{16} = 0' 1" 31/32$  and  $s_{17} = 0' 8" 3/16$ . Note that  $s_{15} = s_{16} + s_{17}$ .
15. Drill 1.5-inch thick mortises at  $90^\circ$  along  $s_{17}$  and angled along  $s_{16}$ . Mortises are 2 inches deep. Use some sort of right-angle guide for the drill since the face being drilled into is at an angle.

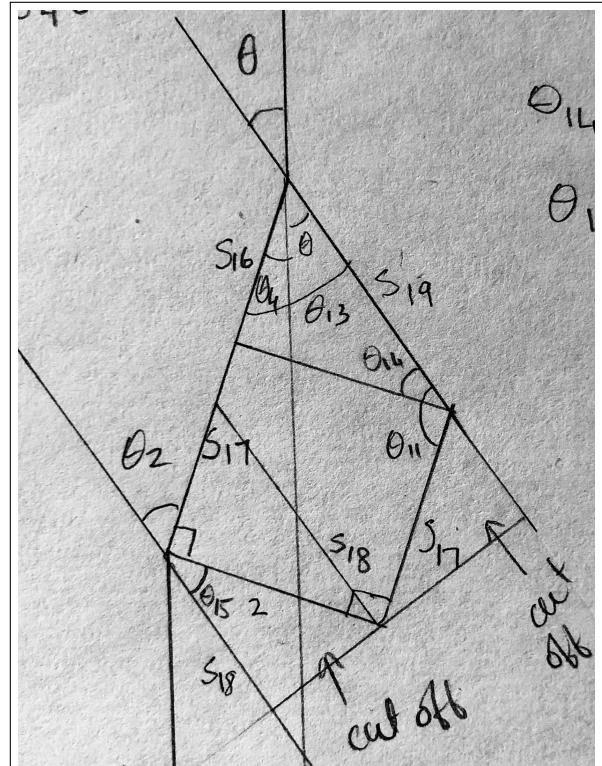
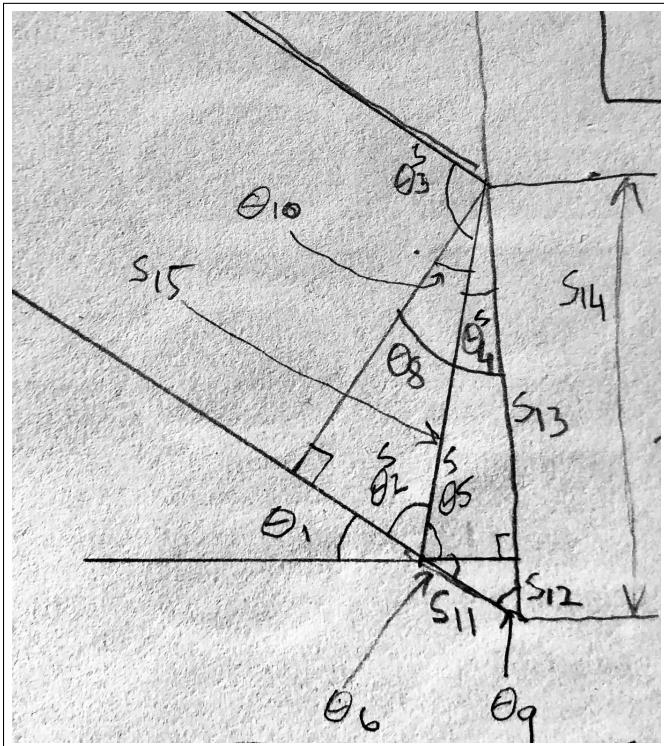


Figure 5: Mortises for struts into KP (the one on the right is actually for tenons but usable for mortises)

## 10.4 Collar tie

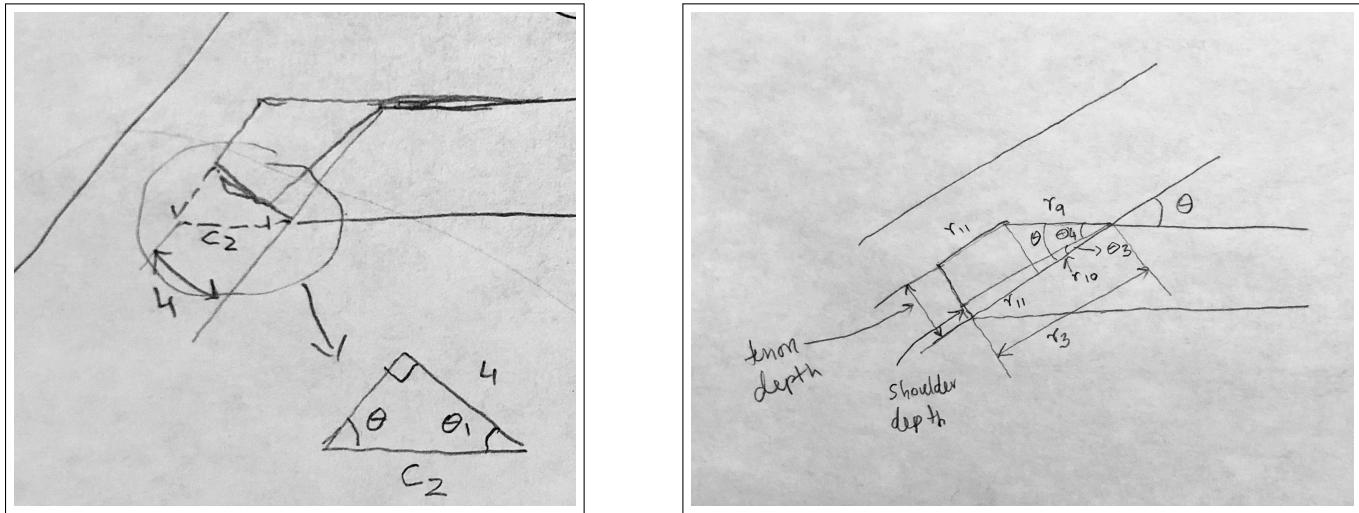


Figure 6: Tenons into rafters

1. Cut beam to  $6 \times 8$  at  $13' 11\frac{1}{2}$  long. Note that CT length =  $c_1 \times 2 + 10 + c_2 \times 2$ .
2. Mark out  $c_2 = 0' 6\frac{1}{4}$  at both ends.
3. Mark out on the sides, shoulder depth = 1 and full tenon depth = 4.
4. Mark  $r_{11} = 0' 7\frac{11}{16}$  and then  $r_9 = 0' 6\frac{1}{4}$ .
5. Connect line to shoulder and verify that  $\theta_3 = 4.6$ .
6. Cut off sections and create 2-inch thick tenons.
7. Mark out  $c_1 = 6' 0\frac{1}{2}$  from both sides and verify that the middle section measures 10 inches.
8. Cut through mortise at 2-in thick.
9. Mark out  $b_2 = 1' 9\frac{5}{32}$ ,  $b_9 = 0' 10\frac{15}{16}$ , and verify that distance between brace end to kp mortise beginning is  $3' 4\frac{13}{32}$ .
10. Cut mortises for braces as shown.

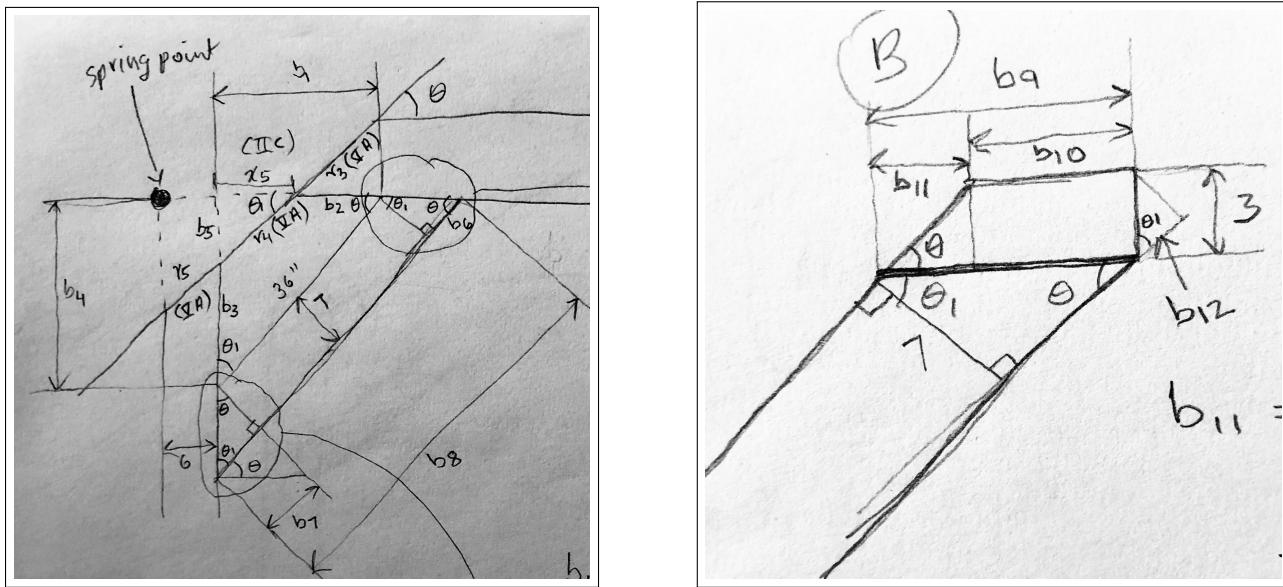


Figure 7: Mortises for knee braces

## 10.5 Struts

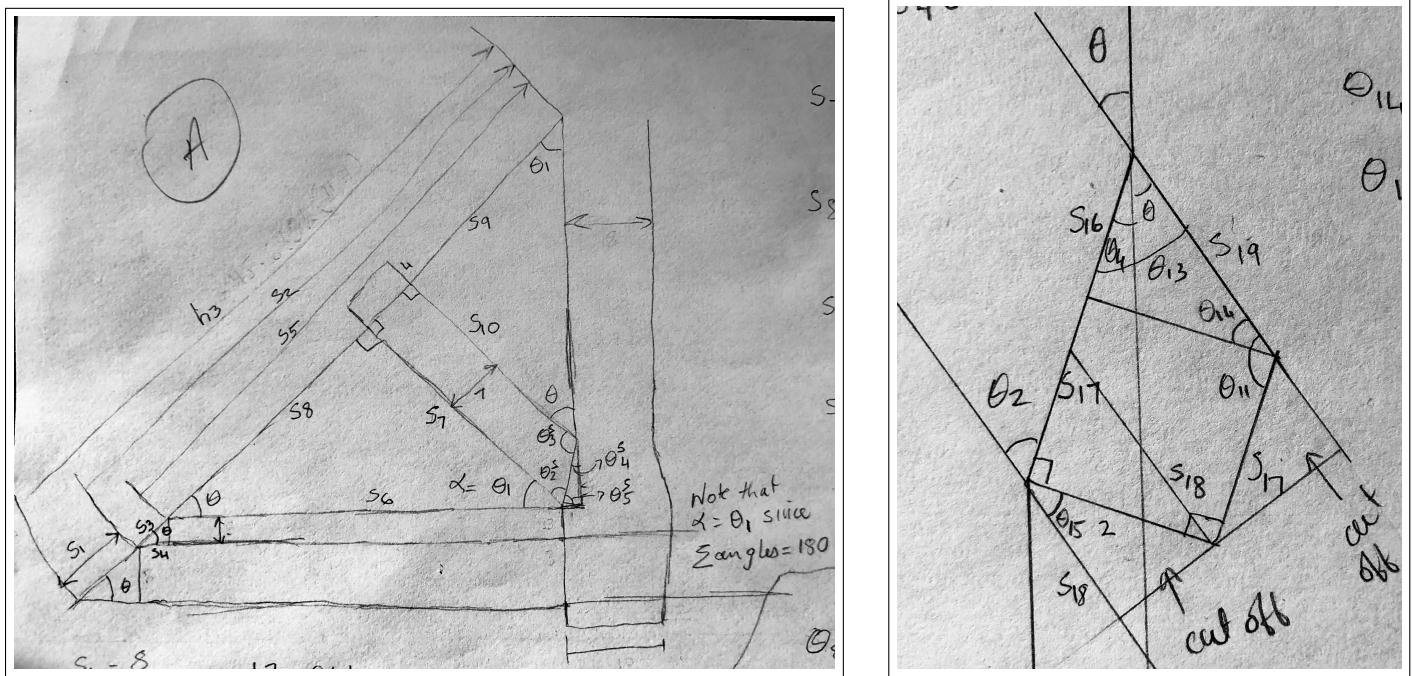


Figure 8: Strut cuts

There seems to be an extra  $s_{18}$  in the diagram in the middle - not sure what that is.

1. Strut length = strut tenon into rafter depth +  $s_7 + s_{18} = 43.3445 = 3' 7" 11/32$ .
2. At  $s_{18}$ , mark out  $\theta_{15} = 46.4$ .
3. At 2-in mark  $90^\circ$  and measure  $s_{17} = 0' 8" 3/16$ .
4. Connect from  $s_{17}$  end to other side of strut and verify  $s_{19} = 0' 2" 13/16$ .
5. Verify  $\theta_{11} = 134.5$  and  $\theta_{13} = 45.5$ .
6. Draw tenon line, verify length is  $s_{16} + s_{17} = 0' 10" 5/32$ .
7. Cut off sections shown.
8. Create tenons at 2 inches deep and 1.5 inches thick.
9. For strut tenons into rafter: tenon is 1.5-in thick, 7-in wide, and 4-in deep.

## 10.6 Braces

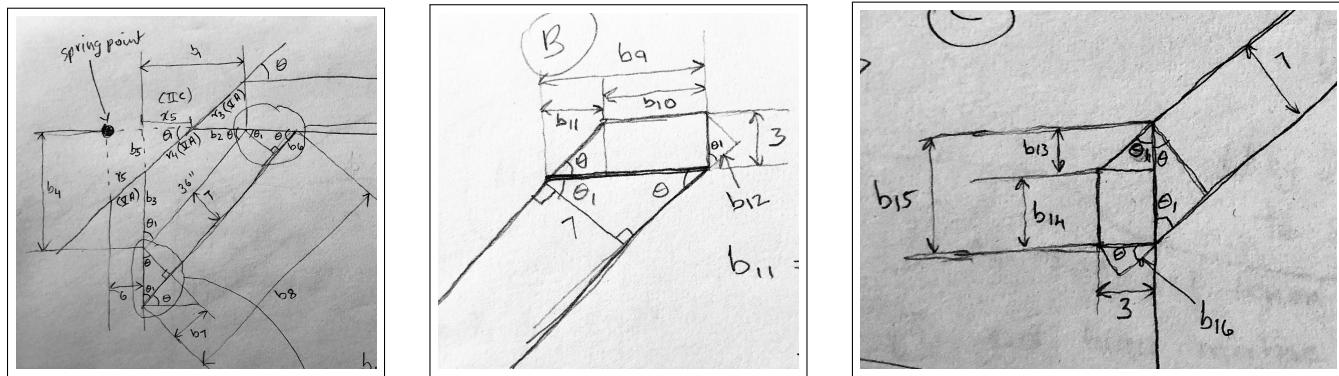


Figure 9: Braces

1. Brace length =  $b_8 + b_{12} + b_{16} = 4' 6" 15/32$ .
2. There are no shoulders; just cut according to diagrams/calculations above and verify the important  $b_X$  variables.

## 11 Measurements for scale diagram

Angles:

- $\theta = 39.8$
- $\theta_1 = 50.2$

Scale for lengths is 1 cm = 10 inches.

- $b_2 = 2.1$
- $b_3 = 1.7$
- $b_8 = 5$
- $h_1 = 0.9$
- $h_2 = 1.2$
- $h_4 = 12.9$
- $k_3 = 1$
- $k_{17} = 4$
- $s_3 = 0.5$
- $x_1 = 8$
- $x_2 = 7.4$
- $x_3 = 0.6$
- $x_6 = 0.5$
- $x_8 = 3.1$
- base to spring line = 9.7
- brace width = 0.7
- collar tie height = 0.8
- ct/rafter shoulder = 0.1
- kp part = 0.4
- KP width at bottom = 1
- KP width at top = 0.8
- kp/rafter shoulder = 0.1
- post width = 0.6
- post/rafter shoulder = 0.1
- purlin height = 0.7
- purlin pocket depth = 0.1
- rafter height = 0.8
- ridge ht = 0.7
- ridge straight part = 0.3
- straight part KP below flare = 0.3
- structure height = 18
- structure width = 18
- strut width = 0.7
- through tenon length = 0.2