

2021 Virginia Construction Code

CHAPTER 22 STEEL

SECTION 2203

PROTECTION OF STEEL FOR STRUCTURAL PURPOSES

2203.1 General.

Painting of *structural steel elements* shall be in accordance with [AISC 360](#). Painting of open-web steel joists and joist girders shall be in accordance with [SJI 100](#) and [SJI 200](#). Individual structural members and assembled panels of *cold-formed steel construction* shall be protected against corrosion in accordance with the requirements contained in [AISI S100](#). Protection of cold-formed steel *light-frame construction* shall be in accordance with [AISI S240](#) or [AISI S220](#), as applicable.