



Hot Dip Galvanized

Post-fabrication the entire truss is immersed in a tank of molten zinc. This process (ASTM A-123) forms a thick zinc layer on the interior and exterior components of the truss.
50 years to first service.

Zinc Spray Metallizing

1-2 year old sample. Post-fabrication the truss bracing is welded to the steel tubing which destroys the zinc protection.
5-10 years to first service.