



SAS RINGS IN THE NEW YEAR!

Final Height: 525 ft (160.0M)

Stage 3: Elevation 374 ft (114.0M)

Stage 2 Elevation 272 ft (83.0M)

Stage 1 Elevation 165 ft (50.3M)

The Self-Anchored Suspension Span greeted 2011 bigger than ever. Decorated in holiday lights, the span's ever-growing tower celebrated a momentous December as crews placed the third set of sections, which raised the tower up to 374 feet. Currently at 71 percent of its final height of 525 feet, the SAS tower is expected to be completed in the early spring 2011. Engineers designed the SAS tower to match the height of the West Span's towers.

The tenth eastbound deck section was lifted into place in December. Most of the remaining deck sections will also be set in 2011, and work will begin on placing the bridge's nearly 1-mile-long single main cable.

The new year promises to be packed with milestones and celebrations, including the bridge's 75th anniversary, so check out BayBridgeInfo.org throughout the year for the latest news and updates.

Happy New Year!

Oakland Federal Building
Elevation 328 ft (100.0M)

Sather Tower at UC Berkeley
Elevation 307 ft (93.6M)

Oakland Tribune Building
Elevation 305 ft (93.0M)

Coit Tower
Elevation 272 ft (84.0M)

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