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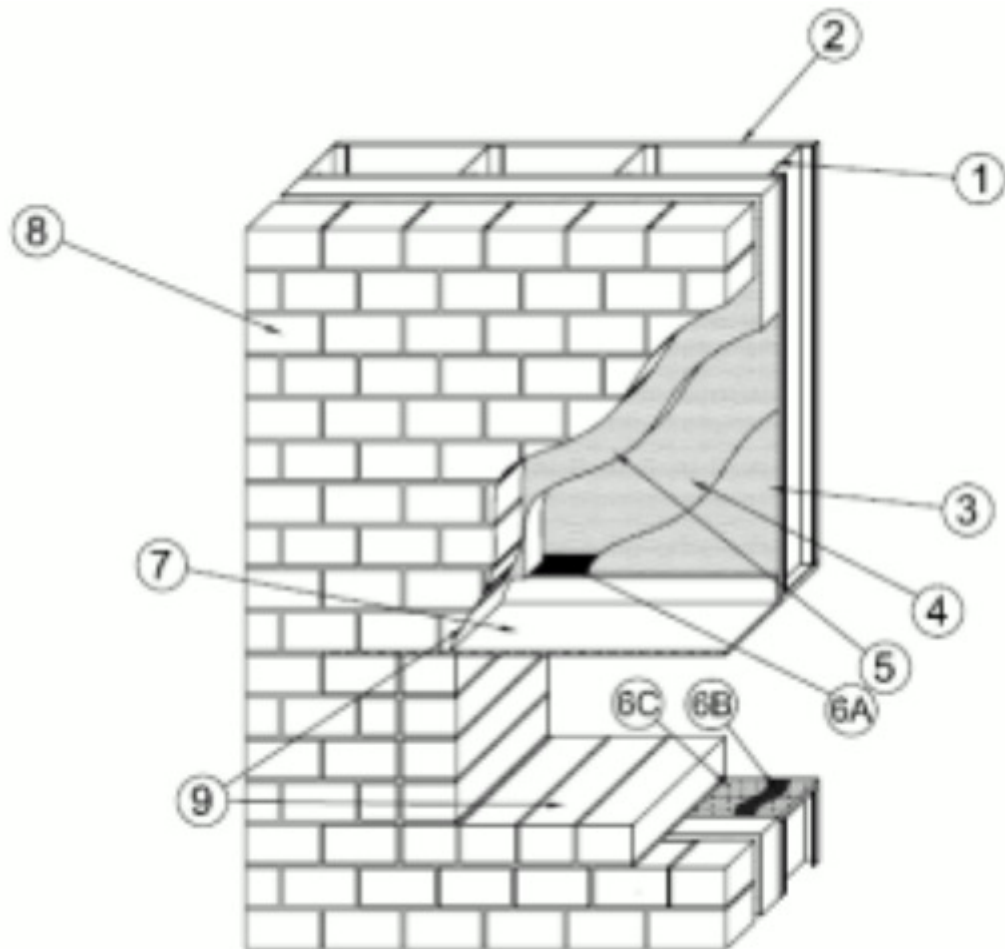
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ASTM E2357 - 0.0062 cfm/ft² (0.032 l/s·m²) @ 75 Pa (1.57 psf) - Category 1

ASTM E331 - 45 min. @ 300 Pa (6.27 psf)

Exterior Wall System



1. **Steel Studs** — Min 3-5/8 in. (92 mm) deep, formed of min 16 ga. galv steel spaced max 16 in. (406 mm) OC. Additional studs to be used to completely frame window openings.

2. **Interior Gypsum Board (BWFR)*** — Min 5/8 in. (16 mm) thick, 4 ft (1.2 m) wide, attached to steel studs with 1 in. (25 mm) long, Type S steel screws spaced max 8 in. (203 mm) OC. Joints oriented vertically and covered with paper tape and joint compound. Screw heads covered with joint compound.

UNITED STATES GYPSUM CO — Type SCX

2A. **Interior Wall System Component** — Sealant (Optional - Not Shown) — Sealant may be applied to the interior gypsum board at areas and gaps of air leakage, such as penetrations and transitions. Not to exceed individual openings no greater than 5/8 in. (16 mm) diameter, and seam / joint openings no greater than 5/8 in. (16 mm) across.

AEROSEAL LLC — Aerobarrier X1

3. Exterior Gypsum Sheathing (BWFR)* — Exterior-grade glass mat sheathing gypsum board, minimum 5/8 in. (16 mm) thick, attached to steel studs with 1 in. (25 mm) long, Type S steel screws spaced max 8 in. (203 mm) OC. Joints oriented vertically or horizontally. Additional sheathing to be used to line framed window openings.

UNITED STATES GYPSUM CO — Type USGX

3A. Exterior Wall System Component — Sealant* — (Not Shown) - Sealant applied to all exterior sheathing joints prior to application of air barrier sealant (Item 4).

TREMCO INC — Tremflex 834 or Dymonic 100

4. Exterior Wall System Component — Combustible Air Barrier Sealant* — Applied to completely cover the gypsum sheathing at a min thickness of 35 mil (0.9 mm) dry, 70 mil (1.8 mm) wet thickness.

TREMCO INC — ExoAir 230

5. Foam Insulation (BRYX)* — Nom 4 by 8 ft (1.2 by 2.4 m) by max 2-1/2 in. (64 mm) thick, max 1.55 pcf (24.8 kg/m³) extruded polystyrene insulation secured to gypsum sheathing with min No. 8 by 3-1/2 in. (89 mm) self-tapping steel screws in conjunction with 2 in. (51 mm) diameter steel washers.

AFM CORP — Foam-Control EPS Type IX, Film Faced Foam-Control EPS Type IX, Foam-Control EPS Type XIV or Foam-Control EPS Type XV

ATLAS EPS, DIV OF ATLAS ROOFING CORP — ThermalStar

OWENS CORNING SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY, LLC — Foamular 250 or Foamular CC

THE DOW CHEMICAL CO — Styrofoam Scoreboard

6. Window Flashing Materials — (Optional) - The following items may be used as window flashing materials:

A. Exterior Wall System Component — Window Flashing Material* — Nom 6 in. (152 mm) wide extruded silicone rubber flashing attached to gypsum sheathing with sealant (Item 6D) to completely frame window opening.

TREMCO INC — Proglaze ETA

B. Fiberglass Mesh — Nom 0.012 in. (0.3 mm) thick open-weave glass-reinforcing fabric embedded within the air barrier sealant (Item 6C).

TREMCO INC — 2011 Mesh

C. Exterior Wall System Component — Combustible Air Barrier Sealant* — Applied to completely cover sheathing lining the window opening in conjunction with a nom 0.012 in. (0.3 mm) thick open-weave glass-reinforcing fabric embedded within the sealant.

TREMCO INC — ExoAir 230

D. Exterior Wall System Component — Sealant* — (Not Shown) - Sealant applied to all edges of window flashing material to adhere flashing to gypsum sheathing.

TREMCO INC — Spectrem 1

7. **Steel Lintel** — Nom 7 in. (178 mm) wide by min 3/8 in. (10 mm) thick steel used at top of window opening of brick veneer (Item 9) and extending min 8 in. (203 mm) beyond each side of the opening.

8. **Exterior Veneer — Brick** — Nominal 4-in.-thick clay brick offset to provide a nom 1 in. air gap between foam insulation (Item 5) and brick veneer with standard type veneer anchors spaced a max 24 in. (610 mm) on center.

9. **Brick** — Nominal 4-in.-thick clay brick installed length-wise to completely cover window opening from the exterior of the brick veneer to the interior gypsum board.

10. **Mineral Wool** — (Not Shown) - Nom 4 pcf (64 kg/m³), 4 in. (102 mm) minimum thickness of mineral batt insulation installed within each wall stud cavity at each floor line held in place with any standard installation method.

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