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GENERAL

This manual is intended to provide architects, engineers and builders with reference data on Gypsum Board Systems incorporating CertainTeed Gypsum Canada gypsum board products. It contains sections on Partitions, Exterior Walls, Floors and Ceilings, Shaftwalls, Firewalls, Cement Board and Column and Beam Protection. Each section lists the systems in ascending order of fire rating, and includes sound ratings and basic construction details.

The Gypsum Board Systems Manual is available on our web site at www.certainteed.ca. Please visit the website regularly to check for the the latest revisions and version of this manual. Further assistance regarding the application of CertainTeed Gypsum Canada products in Gypsum Board Systems can be obtained by calling the CertainTeed Gypsum Canada office nearest you.

Check with your authority having jurisdiction regarding Codes and consult the building designer for details and site installation instructions.

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**FIRE RESISTANCE**

Gypsum board is the most commonly used fire resistant material and is equally well known as a reliable and economicsurfacing material. When used in combination with other products, excellent fire resistive and sound control properties can be achieved.

Gypsum is a naturally occurring mineral mined or quarried in many locations throughout North America and in other parts of the world. When processed into gypsum board products the chemically combined water (about 21 percent by weight) contributes to its effectiveness as a fire barrier. When gypsum protected structural members are exposed to fire, the water is slowly released as steam, effectively retarding heat transmission and acting as a fire barrier until most of the chemically combined water is eliminated, a process known as calcination. The temperature directly behind the plane of calcination is only slightly higher than that of boiling water (100°C), and that is considerably below the temperature at which steel begins to lose its strength or lumber ignites. Once the gypsum is completely calcined, the residue acts as an insulating barrier to the flames.

DSG, or desulphogypsum, is high purity gypsum that is produced instead of mined. Traditionally, the gypsum raw material in the core of drywall has been mined from natural deposits. There are numerous underground and surface mines producing this gypsum for drywall manufacturing plants across North America. DSG is fundamentally the same raw material as mined gypsum, with a higher degree of purity. As a result, its properties are virtually the same as mined gypsum.

**Type X and Type C Gypsum Boards**

There are two basic classifications of gypsum board core formulations giving different degrees of fire resistance. These are Standard and Type X gypsum board. Type X board by definition is a gypsum board that provides: a 60 minute fire endurance rating for a 15.9mm (5/8") thickness when applied in a single layer and properly fastened to each side of 92mm (3 5/8") steel framing members. or

A 2 hour fire resistant rating for a 12.7 mm (1/2") thick Type C when applied in a double layer and properly fastened to each side of 64 mm (2 1/2") steel framing members, when tested in accordance with CAN/ULC-S101.

Type X gypsum boards manufactured by CertainTeed Gypsum are described as either EGRG, GlasRoc®, Shaftliner, GlasRoc® Shaftliner, or Type X and these products are classified/listed by Underwriters Laboratories and Underwriters' Laboratories of Canada.

All CertainTeed Type X, CertainTeed Moisture Resistant Type X, CertainTeed Moisture Resistant Type C, CertainTeed Treated Core Sheathing Type X, CertainTeed Veneer Plaster Base Type X, CertainTeed Abuse, M2Tech® Type X, M2Tech® Shaftliner, GlasRoc® Sheathing Type X, GlasRoc® Shaftliner, Diamondback® Tile Backer Type X, AirRenew® M2Tech® Type X, AirRenew® Essential Type X, AirRenew® Extreme Abuse and AirRenew® Extreme Impact products meet both the CSA and ASTM definitions of Type X gypsum board.

CertainTeed Type C products and CertainTeed Moisture Resistant Type C products are proprietary products which meet the requirements of Type X and have further enhanced fire resistive properties. These products are often referred to as “Type C” gypsum board, although there is no industry definition for “Type C” gypsum board.

**Fire Resistance Tests**

There are a number of independent testing authorities capable of conducting fire tests to establish fire resistance classifications according to procedures outlined in:


The conditions for tests are thoroughly detailed and the time of failure is the time at which there is excessive heat transmission, passage of flame or structural failure. In addition, failure may result because of penetration by a pressurized hose stream required in the fire test procedure for walls.
Comprehensive research by fire protection agencies has determined the average combustible content to be expected for a given occupancy; also the time required for the contents to be consumed by fire and the resulting temperature. Thus, the average fire load may be predicted for a given occupancy, and fire resistance classifications are assigned accordingly in building codes and similar regulations.

In CAN/ULC Standard S101 fire tests, various wall, floor, roof, column and beam assemblies are exposed in a furnace which reaches the indicated average temperatures at the time stated in the standard time-temperature curve.

All of the walls and partitions tested and classified must be at least 9.3m² (100ft²) with no side dimension less than 2.75m (9 feet). Temperatures are measured at a minimum of nine points on the unexposed surface of the assembly. When testing load bearing walls and partitions the superimposed load applied shall simulate the working stress of the construction components.

The wall or partition must also stop flame or hot gasses capable of igniting cotton waste. The average temperature of the unexposed surface cannot increase more than 139˚C (250˚F) above ambient nor shall the temperature rise at any individual point exceed 181˚C (325˚F). It is also required that a duplicate of the assembly be fire tested for half the specified resistance period, after which it must withstand the impact, erosion and cooling effect of water under high pressure from a fire hose.

Floor and roof assemblies tested and classified have to be a minimum of 16.8m² (180ft²) with neither dimension less than 3.66m (12 feet). The assemblies must sustain the design load throughout the test and not allow either flame or hot gasses, capable of igniting cotton waste, to pass through. The unexposed surface temperature may not rise more than an average of 139˚C (250˚F) above the initial temperature nor shall the temperature rise at any individual point exceed 181˚C (325˚F).

**Surface Burning Characteristics**

Flame spread ratings are intended as a guide in the selection and use of finishing materials and are obtained by measuring the extent and rapidity with which flames spread over their surfaces under test conditions.

Under certain circumstances some building codes may require the use of interior finish materials with a flame spread rating of not more than 25. The laboratory test generally used to establish a material’s flame spread characteristic is referred to as the Steiner Tunnel Test: CAN/ULC-S102 “Standard Method of Test for Surface Burning Characteristics of Building Materials and Assemblies.”

This test measures relative flame spread, fuel contribution and the amount of smoke developed from the material being tested.

A method of numerical classification to permit comparison of a given material's flame spread performance with that of another has been established.

**Flame Spread Rating**

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While every effort has been made to ensure the design specifications contained in referenced UL and ULC systems have been accurately related in this document, no assurances regarding their accuracy are made by CertainTeed Gypsum Canada. It is the responsibility of the user to refer to the original documents.
SOUND CONTROL

Sound Transmission Class (STC)

Drywall construction systems are tested to establish their sound insulation characteristics and airborne sound insulation is reported as the Sound Transmission Class (STC).

ASTM Standard E90 “Laboratory Measurement of Airborne Sound Transmission Loss of Building Partitions” outlines a procedure for measuring sound transmission loss which is the difference between the sound energy in a source room and a receiving room when the two rooms are separated by the assembly being tested. The sound transmission loss is measured at different test frequencies and this data is used to obtain a single number known as the STC rating calculated in accordance with ASTM E413.

Sound Insulation

STC values stated are based on laboratory tests. The actual STC ratings of assemblies as constructed may be significantly less due to deviations from the design or specified materials, flanking paths or poor workmanship. A first essential for airborne sound insulation using any assembly is to close off air leaks and flanking paths by which noise can go around the assembly. Hairline cracks or small holes will increase the sound transmission at the higher frequencies. This can have a detrimental effect on the overall acoustical performance and the STC particularly for higher rated assemblies.

Assemblies should be airtight. Recessed wall fixtures such as medicine cabinets, or electrical, telephone and television outlets, which perforate the gypsum board surface, should not be located back-to-back or in the same cavity. In addition, any opening for such fixtures and for piping outlets should be carefully cut to proper size and caulked. The entire perimeter of a sound insulating assembly must be made airtight to prevent sound flanking. An acoustical caulking compound or acoustical gasket should be used to seal between the assembly and all dissimilar surfaces. Taping gypsum board wall and wall-ceiling intersections provides an adequate air seal at these locations. Details of some typical problem areas and their recommended treatments are shown in the accompanying illustration.
## Sound Isolation Construction

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<td>Caulking of relief detail at perimeter of partition to prevent sound leakage</td>
<td>Simulating laboratory conditions</td>
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### Wood Stud System

![Wood Stud System](image1)

### Steel Stud System

![Steel Stud System](image2)

### Caulk

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<th>Metal Stud</th>
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### 1/4” Perimeter relief and caulking to seal against leaks

Gasket impedes structural flanking through floor

### Elevation Under and Over Partitions

![Elevation Under and Over Partitions](image3)

### Plan Through Partitions, Openings, Outlet Boxes

![Plan Through Partitions, Openings, Outlet Boxes](image4)

### Plan Indicating Caulking of Openings Through Partitions

![Plan Indicating Caulking of Openings Through Partitions](image5)

### Plan Offset boxes minimum of one stud space and caulk openings

![Plan Offset boxes minimum of one stud space and caulk openings](image6)

### Window Mullion

![Window Mullion](image7)

### Plan Around Flanking Partition Ends

![Plan Around Flanking Partition Ends](image8)

### Plan Typical Partition Mullion Intersection

![Plan Typical Partition Mullion Intersection](image9)

### Plan Intersection With Exterior Wall

![Plan Intersection With Exterior Wall](image10)

### Plan Metal Stud Around Flanking Partition Ends

![Plan Metal Stud Around Flanking Partition Ends](image11)

### Plan Intersection With Interior Wall

![Plan Intersection With Interior Wall](image12)

### Plan Typical Partition Intersections

![Plan Typical Partition Intersections](image13)
DEFINITIONS

Definitions of “Fire Resistance Rating” and “STC” as used in this manual are as follows:

**Fire Resistance Rating:** The degree to which construction assemblies resist the passage of heat and flame is indicated by ratings determined by full scale fire resistance tests conducted in accordance with CAN/ULC-S101 or ASTM E119.

**STC:** Sound Transmission Class, a single number which represents the overall performance of an assembly at all sound frequencies. As per ASTM E90 and E413, the higher the STC, the more efficient the system for reducing sound transmission.

TESTING AUTHORITIES

Abbreviations for the testing authorities cited in this manual are as follows:

**Fire Resistance Ratings**
- NBCC National Building Code of Canada
- ULC Underwriters’ Laboratories of Canada
- ITS Intertek Testing Services (Formerly Warnock Hersey International)
- UL Underwriters Laboratories
- cUL Underwriters Laboratories
- NRC National Research Council, Canada

**Sound Ratings**
- NBCC National Building Code of Canada
- NRC National Research Council, Canada
- WHI Warnock Hersey International (now Intertek)
- RAL Riverbank Acoustical Laboratories
- OL Orfield Laboratories, Inc.
- NGC NGC Testing Services
- BGL British Gypsum Limited

ESTIMATES

Not all of the assemblies in this catalogue have been individually tested. Where no specific test data is available, an estimated rating is provided for guidance only. CertainTeed Gypsum Canada makes no claim that these estimates comply with, or are acceptable under, any building code.

These estimates are based on a judgement of how the particular assembly might react, when compared with similar ones which have been tested in accordance with recognized standards.

If specific compliance is required, tests should be conducted.
BUILDING CODES

Within Canada, Building Codes govern among other items, the type, use and application of construction materials. It is therefore important that the user, when determining the suitability of products and assemblies outlined in this manual, ensure that the requirements of the applicable Building Code(s) have been met.

MATERIAL AND APPLICATION STANDARDS

Gypsum board products and many of the accessories that are utilized in the construction and/or finishing of gypsum board are covered by standards. These standards set forth minimum requirements for their physical and/or performance characteristics, limits of use and methods of application.

The following major Standards Writing Authorities are cited in this manual.

- ASTM American Society for Testing and Materials
- CSA Canadian Standards Association
- GA Gypsum Association
- CertainTeed Gypsum Canada Materials

CertainTeed Gypsum Canada Materials

CertainTeed Gypsum Canada gypsum board products are manufactured to meet or exceed the following standards.

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Accessory Materials

The materials used in conjunction with CertainTeed Gypsum Canada gypsum board products should be manufactured to meet or exceed the following standards.

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Application Standards

- NBCC National Building Code of Canada
- CAN/CSA-A82.31 Gypsum Board Application
- ASTM C840 Application and Finishing of Gypsum Board
- ASTM C844 Application of Gypsum Base to Receive Gypsum Veneer Plaster
- ASTM C1280 Application of Exterior Gypsum Panel Products for Use as Sheathing
- Gypsum Association, GA-216, GA-253, and GA-214
ASSEMBLY CODES

Walls

- Wallboard
- Fire Resistance Rating: STC
- W: 153

A: Firewall
B: Block
C: Chase
EB: Exterior Bearing
IB: Interior Bearing
P: Partition
S: Shaftwall
X: Exterior

- A: 41mm (1¾") Steel stud
- B: 64mm (2½") Steel stud
- C: 69mm (2¾") Steel stud
- D: 89mm (3½") Steel stud
- E: Wood stud
- H: H stud

Floor-Ceilings

- Wallboard
- Fire Resistance Rating: STC
- WF: 153

Floor

- F: Wood Joists
- S: Steel Joists

Columns and Beams

- Wallboard
- Fire Resistance Rating: STC
- W: 1

C: Column
B: Beam

- A: Design A
- B: Design B

PermaBase

- PermaBase
- Fire Resistance Rating: STC
- PP: 153

Partition

- A: 41mm (1¾") Steel stud
- B: 92mm (3½") Steel stud
- C: Wood stud
# STEEL STUD PARTITIONS

**Non-Load Bearing**

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| 35                             | System WPB035 | 15.9mm (⅛") CertainTeed Type X products, 1 layer, each side of 64mm (2⅝") steel studs. Fasten boards vertically using 32mm (1\(\frac{1}{4}\)) screws spaced 200mm (8") o.c. along floor and ceiling tracks, and 300mm (12") o.c along edge joints and in the field. Joints must be offset. Tape and finish joints with CertainTeed products. | FIRE: ULC W409  
SOUND: NBCC (2010)  
Table A-9.10.3.1.A  
Wall S1c |
| 39                             | System WPC139 | 15.9mm (⅛") CertainTeed Type X products, 1 layer, each side of 92mm (3⅜") steel studs. Fasten boards vertically or horizontally using 25mm (1") screws spaced 200mm (8") o.c. along edge joints, floor and ceiling tracks, and 300mm (12") o.c. in the field. Joints must be offset. If boards are applied horizontally, horizontal edge joints and horizontal butt joints need not be staggered or backed by steel framing. Fasten boards horizontally using 25mm (1") screws spaced 200mm (8") o.c. Tape and finish joints with CertainTeed products. | FIRE: ULC W415 /  
cUL U465, UL U465  
SOUND: NBCC (2010)  
Table A-9.10.3.1.A  
Wall S4c |
| 43                             | System WPB143 | 12.7mm (½") CertainTeed Type C products, 1 layer, each side of 64mm (2½") steel studs. Mineral wool insulation 38mm (1½") within cavity. Fasten boards vertically using 25mm (1") screws spaced 200mm (8") o.c. along edge joints, floor and ceiling tracks, and 300mm (12") o.c. in the field. Joints must be offset. Tape and finish joints with CertainTeed products. | FIRE: ULC W412  
SOUND: NRC 795 |
| 46                             | System WPB146 | 15.9mm (⅛") CertainTeed Type X products, 1 layer, each side of 64mm (2½") steel studs. CertainTeed’s Sustainable Insulation™ 65mm (2½") within cavity. Fasten boards vertically using 32mm (1⅛") screws spaced 200mm (8") o.c. along floor and ceiling tracks, and 300mm (12") o.c. along edge joints and in the field. Joints must be offset. Tape and finish joints with CertainTeed products. | FIRE: ULC W409  
SOUND: NRC 804 |
| 50                             | System WPC150 | 15.9mm (⅛") CertainTeed Type X products, 1 layer, each side of 92mm (3⅜") steel studs. CertainTeed’s Sustainable Insulation™ 89mm (3⅝") within cavity. Fasten boards vertically using 25mm (1") screws spaced 200mm (8") o.c. along edge joints, floor and ceiling tracks, and 300mm (12") o.c. in the field. Joints must be offset. Tape and finish joints with CertainTeed products. | FIRE: Based on  
WPC 138  
(ULC W415, cUL U465,  
UL U465)  
SOUND: NRC TL-93-324 |
| 50                             | System WPB150 | 12.7mm (⅛") CertainTeed Type C products, 1 layer on one side, 2 layers other side of 64mm (2⅝") steel studs. CertainTeed’s Sustainable Insulation™ 65mm (2⅝") within cavity. Fasten one side vertically using 25mm (1") screws spaced 200mm (8") o.c. at the perimeter and 300mm (12") in the field. Opposite side applied vertically. Base layer installed with 25mm (1") screws spaced 400mm (16") and face layer installed with 41mm (1⅛") screws spaced 400mm (16") o.c. offset 200mm (8") from base layer screws. Joints staggered. | FIRE: ULC W409  
SOUND: NBCC (2010)  
Table A-9.10.3.1.A  
Wall S2c |
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<td>FIRE: Based on WPB 146 (ULC W409)</td>
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| WPC152 | 12.7mm (1/2") CertainTeed Type C products, 2 layers one side, 1 layer other side of 92mm (3 5/8") steel studs. CertainTeed’s Sustainable Insulation™ 89mm (3 1/2") within cavity. Fasten one side vertically using 25mm (1") screws spaced 200mm (8") o.c. at the perimeter and 300mm (12") in the field. Opposite side applied vertically. Base layer installed with 25mm (1") screws spaced 400mm (16") and face layer installed with 41mm (1 1/4") screws spaced 400mm (16") o.c. offset 200mm (8") from base layer screws. Joints staggered. Tape and finish outer layer joints with CertainTeed products. | FIRE: ULC W498  
SOUND: NRC TL-92-411 |
| WPB153 | 12.7mm (1/2") CertainTeed Type C products, 1 layer, and 9.5mm (3/8") CertainTeed or M2Tech® Regular, 1 layer, each side of 64mm (2 1/4") steel studs. CertainTeed’s Sustainable Insulation™ 64mm (2 1/4") within cavity. Fasten 9.5mm (3/8") base layers vertically using 25mm (1") screws spaced 300mm (12") o.c. Laminate 12.7mm (1/2") face layers vertically using joint compound and 32mm (1 1/4") screws spaced 200mm (8") o.c. along floor and ceiling track. Joints must be offset. Optional taping and finishing of outer layer joints with CertainTeed products. | FIRE: ULC W402  
SOUND: BGL 691 |
| WPC153 | 15.9mm (5/8") CertainTeed Type X products, 1 layer on one side, 2 layers other side of 92mm (3 5/8") steel studs. CertainTeed’s Sustainable Insulation™ 89mm (3 1/2") within cavity. Fasten base layers vertically using 25mm (1") screws spaced 200mm (8") o.c. along edge joints, and 300mm (12") o.c. in the field. Fasten second layer vertically or horizontally on one side using 41mm (1 1/4") screws spaced 300mm (12") o.c. Joints must be offset. Tape and finish outer layer joints with CertainTeed products. | FIRE: Based on WPC138 (ULC W415, cUL U465, UL U465)  
SOUND: NRC 811 |
| WCB154 | 15.9mm (5/8") CertainTeed Type X products or Diamondback® Tile Backer Type X, 1 layer either sides of double row 64mm (2 1/4") wide 20 gauge steel studs separated by 25mm (1") air space. 22mm x 22mm (1/2" x 1/2") 20 gauge channels as horizontal bracing a minimum of every 1500mm (60"). CertainTeed’s Sustainable Insulation™ 89mm (3 1/2") within one or both cavities. Insulation optional for fire rating. Vertical application: Boards installed with 25mm (1") Type S-12 screws 200mm (8") o.c. on each side of the assembly. Joints staggered. Horizontal application: Boards installed with 25mm (1") Type S-12 screws 200mm (8") o.c. on each side of the assembly. Joints need not be staggered. | FIRE: cUL V469, UL V469  
SOUND: RAL-TL06-299 |
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<td><strong>WPC234</strong></td>
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**System WPB254**
15.9mm (5/8") CertainTeed Type X products, 2 layers, each side of 64mm (2 1/2") steel studs. CertainTeed’s Sustainable Insulation™ 64mm (2 1/2") within cavity.

Fasten base layers vertically using 25mm (1") screws spaced 300mm (12") o.c.
Fasten face layers vertically using 41mm (15/8") screws spaced 300mm (12") o.c.
Joints must be offset. Tape and finish outer layer joints with CertainTeed products.

FIRE: Based on WPB245 (ULC W414, cUL U411, UL U411)
SOUND: NRC 806

**System WPC256**
15.9mm (5/8") CertainTeed Type X products, 2 layers, each side of 92mm (3 1/2") steel studs. CertainTeed’s Sustainable Insulation™ 89mm (3 1/2") within cavity.

Fasten base layers vertically using 25mm (1") screws spaced 300mm (12") o.c.
Fasten face layers vertically using 41mm (15/8") screws spaced 300mm (12") o.c.
Joints must be offset. Tape and finish outer layer joints with CertainTeed products.

FIRE: Based on WPB245 (ULC W414, cUL U411, UL U411)
SOUND: NRC 812

**System WPC257**
12.7mm (1/2") CertainTeed Type C products, 2 layers, each side of 92mm (3 1/2") steel studs. CertainTeed’s Sustainable Insulation™ 89mm (3 1/2") within cavity.

Fasten base layers vertically using 25mm (1") screws spaced 300mm (12") o.c.
Fasten face layers vertically using 41mm (15/8") screws spaced 300mm (12") o.c.
Joints must be offset. Tape and finish outer layer joints with CertainTeed products.

FIRE: Based on WPB244 (ULC W414)
SOUND: NGC 2006049

**System WCB263**
15.9mm (5/8") CertainTeed Type X products or Diamondback® Tile Backer Type X, 2 layers both sides of double row 64mm (2 1/2") wide 20 gauge steel studs separated by 25mm (1") air space. 22mm x 22mm (3/4" x 3/4") 20 gauge channels as horizontal bracing a minimum of every 1500mm (60"). CertainTeed’s Sustainable Insulation™ 89mm (3 1/2") within one or both cavities. Insulation optional for fire rating.

Vertical application: Base layer installed with 25mm (1") Type S-12 screws 400mm (16") o.c. and face layer installed with 41mm (15/8") Type S-12 screws 200mm (8") o.c. on each side of the assembly. Joints staggered.

Horizontal application: Base layer installed with 25mm (1") Type S-12 screws 400mm (16") o.c. and face layer installed with 41mm (15/8") Type S-12 screws 400mm (16") o.c. on each side of the assembly. Face and base layer joints to be staggered a minimum of 300mm (12").

FIRE: cUL V469, UL V469
SOUND: RAL-TL06-300

**System WCA265**
15.9mm (5/8") CertainTeed, MZTech® or Diamondback® Tile Backer Type X, 2 layers, each side of paired 41mm (1 1/2") steel studs. CertainTeed’s Sustainable Insulation™ 64mm (2 1/2") each side within cavity.

Attach 240mm x 300mm (9 1/2" x 12") CertainTeed or MZTech® Type X bridging 1200mm (48") o.c. to steel studs using screws (3 per stud). Fasten base layers vertically using 25mm (1") screws spaced 200mm (8") o.c. along edge joints, floor and ceiling tracks, and 300mm (12") o.c. in the field. Fasten face layers vertically using 41mm (15/8") screws spaced 200mm (8") o.c. along edge joints, floor and ceiling tracks, and 300mm (12") o.c. in the field. Joints must be offset. Tape and finish outer layer joints with CertainTeed products.

FIRE: cUL U420, UL U420
SOUND: NRC-93-321
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| 44                             | ![Diagram](image1) | **System WPA344** 12.7mm (1/2") CertainTeed Type C products, 3 layers, each side of 41mm (1 1/8") steel studs. Fasten base layers vertically using 25mm (1") screws spaced 300mm (12") o.c. Fasten second layers vertically using 41mm (1 1/8") screws spaced 300mm (12") o.c. Fasten third layers vertically or horizontally with 57mm (2 1/4") screws spaced 300mm (12") o.c. Note, for horizontal applications use 38mm (1 1/2") Type G screws along the horizontal edge and in the field between studs. Joints must be offset. Tape and finish outer layer joints with CertainTeed products. | FIRE: Based on WPA344 (cUL U463, UL U463)  
SOUND: NRC 1072 |
| 52                             | ![Diagram](image2) | **System WPA352** 12.7mm (1/2") CertainTeed Type C products, 3 layers, each side of 41mm (1 1/8") steel studs. Mineral wool insulation 38mm (1 1/2") within cavity. Fasten base layers vertically using 25mm (1") screws spaced 300mm (12") o.c. Fasten second layers vertically using 41mm (1 1/8") screws spaced 300mm (12") o.c. Fasten third layers vertically or horizontally with 57mm (2 1/4") screws spaced 300mm (12") o.c. Note, for horizontal applications use 38mm (1 1/2") Type G screws along the horizontal edge and in the field between studs. Joints must be offset. Tape and finish outer layer joints with CertainTeed products. | FIRE: Based on WPA344 (cUL U463, UL U463)  
SOUND: NRC 1073 |
| 49                             | ![Diagram](image3) | **System WPA449** 12.7mm (1/2") CertainTeed Type C products, 4 layers, each side of 41mm (1 1/8") steel studs. Fasten base layers vertically using 25mm (1") screws spaced 300mm (12") o.c. Fasten second layers vertically using 41mm (1 1/8") screws spaced 300mm (12") o.c. Fasten third layers vertically or horizontally with 57mm (2 1/4") screws spaced 300mm (12") o.c. Fasten fourth layers vertically or horizontally with 67mm (2 3/4") screws spaced 300mm (12") o.c. Note, for horizontal applications use 38mm (1 1/2") Type G screws along the horizontal edge and in the field between studs. Joints must be offset. Tape and finish outer layer joints with CertainTeed products. | FIRE: ULC W418  
SOUND: NRC 1075 |
| 56                             | ![Diagram](image4) | **System WPA456** 12.7mm (1/2") CertainTeed Type C products, 4 layers, each side of 41mm (1 1/8") steel studs. CertainTeed’s Sustainable Insulation™ 38mm (1 1/2") within cavity. Fasten base layers vertically using 25mm (1") screws spaced 300mm (12") o.c. Fasten second layers vertically using 41mm (1 1/8") screws spaced 300mm (12") o.c. Fasten third layers vertically with 57mm (2 1/4") screws spaced 300mm (12") o.c. Fasten fourth layers vertically or horizontally with 67mm (2 3/4") screws spaced 300mm (12") o.c. Note, for horizontal applications use 38mm (1 1/2") Type G screws along the horizontal edge and in the field between studs. Joints must be offset. Tape and finish outer layer joints with CertainTeed products. | FIRE: Based on WPA449 (cUL U463, UL U463)  
SOUND: NRC 1074 |
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| System WIBC234 | 54 | 600mm (24") | FIRE: cUL U425, UL U425 |
| | | Thickness: 153mm (6") | SOUND: OL12-0924 |
| | | Weight: 50 kg/m² (10 lb/ft²) | |
| Fasten base layers vertically using 25mm (1") screws spaced 300mm (12") o.c. Fasten face layers vertically using 41mm (15/8") screws spaced 300mm (12") o.c. Joints must be offset. Tape and finish outer layer joints with CertainTeed products. |

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SOUND: OL12-0926 |
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| | System WEBC153 | 15.9mm (5/8”) CertainTeed Type X products, 2 layers, interior side, 12.7mm (1/2”) CertainTeed Treated Core Sheathing or GlasRoc® Sheathing, 1 layer, exterior side of 89mm (3 1/2”) 20 ga. load bearing steel studs. CertainTeed’s Sustainable Insulation™, exterior finish. Fasten CertainTeed Treated Core Sheathing or GlasRoc® Sheathing vertically to the exterior side using 25mm (1”) screws spaced 300mm (12”) o.c. Fasten base layer vertically to the interior side using 25mm (1”) screws spaced 300mm (12”) o.c. Fasten face layer vertically to the using 41mm (15/8”) screws spaced 300mm (12”) o.c. Joints must be offset. Tape and finish interior joints with CertainTeed products. | FIRE: cUL U425, UL U425  
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<td>System WPE134</td>
<td>12.7mm (1/2&quot;) CertainTeed Type C products, 1 layer, each side of 38mm x 89mm (2 x 4) wood studs. Mineral wool insulation 89mm (3 1/2&quot;) within cavity.&lt;br&gt;Fasten boards vertically using 32mm (1&quot;) screws spaced 300mm (12&quot;) o.c.; or 32mm (1&quot;) nails spaced 200mm (8&quot;) o.c. Joints must be offset. Tape and finish joints with CertainTeed products.</td>
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<td><strong>51</strong></td>
<td>System WPE151</td>
<td>15.9mm (5/8&quot;) CertainTeed Type X products, 1 layer, 1 side of 38mm x 89mm (2 x 4) wood studs. Other side, 2 layers on resilient channels. CertainTeed’s Sustainable Insulation™ 89mm (3 1/2&quot;) within cavity.&lt;br&gt;Fasten board vertically or horizontally to one side with 41mm (1 1/2&quot;) screws spaced 300mm (12&quot;) o.c. Attach resilient channels with tabs downwards, horizontally at 400mm (16&quot;) or 600mm (24&quot;) o.c. to studs on opposite side with 32mm (1&quot;) screws. Upper channel 150mm (6&quot;) from top, lower channel 400mm (16&quot;) up from bottom and at the bottom of the partition, install an inverted channel. Fasten base layer vertically to the resilient channels with 25mm (1&quot;) screws spaced 300mm (12&quot;) o.c. Fasten face layer vertically or horizontally with 41mm (1 1/2&quot;) screws spaced 300mm (12&quot;) o.c. Joints must be offset. Tape and finish outer layer joints with CertainTeed products.</td>
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| 52 | ![Diagram](image1.png) | System WPE152 15.9mm (5/8") CertainTeed Type X products, 1 layer, 1 side of staggered 38mm x 89mm (2 x 4) wood studs. Other side, 2 layers. CertainTeed’s Sustainable Insulation™ 89mm (3 3/4") within cavity. Fasten base layers vertically or horizontally using 41mm (1 1/2") screws spaced 300mm (12") o.c.; or 38mm (1 1/4") nails spaced 200mm (8") o.c. Fasten face layer to one side vertically or horizontally using 51mm (2") screws spaced 300mm (12") o.c.; or 51mm (2") nails spaced 200mm (8") o.c. Joints must be offset. Tape and finish outer layer joints with CertainTeed products. | FIRE: NBCC (2010)  
Table A-9.10.3.1.A  
Wall W8a  
SOUND: NBCC (2010)  
Table A-9.10.3.1.A  
Wall W8a |
| 54 | ![Diagram](image2.png) | System WPE154 15.9mm (5/8") CertainTeed Type X products, 1 layer, each side of double row of 38mm x 89mm (2 x 4) wood studs. CertainTeed’s Sustainable Insulation™ 89mm (3 3/4") within cavity, 1 side. Set plates 25mm (1") apart. Fasten boards vertically or horizontally using 41mm (1 1/2") screws spaced 300mm (12") o.c.; or 38mm (1 1/4") nails spaced 200mm (8") o.c. Joints must be offset. Tape and finish joints with CertainTeed products. | FIRE: NBCC (2010)  
Table A-9.10.3.1.A  
Wall W13c  
SOUND: NBCC (2010)  
Table A-9.10.3.1.A  
Wall W13c |
| 56 | ![Diagram](image3.png) | System WPE156 15.9mm (5/8") CertainTeed Type X products, 1 layer, 1 side of staggered 38mm x 89mm (2 x 4) wood studs on common 38mm x 140mm (2" x 6") plate. Other side, 2 layers on resilient channels. CertainTeed’s Sustainable Insulation™ 89mm (3 3/4") within cavity. Fasten board vertically or horizontally to one side with 41mm (1 1/2") screws spaced 300mm (12") o.c. Attach resilient channels with tabs downwards, horizontally at 400mm (16") or 600mm (24") o.c. to stud on opposite side with 32mm (1") screws. Upper channel 150mm (6") from top, lower channel 400mm (16") up from bottom and at the bottom of the partition, install an inverted channel. Fasten base layer vertically to the resilient channels with 25mm (1") screws spaced 300mm (12") o.c. Fasten face layer vertically or horizontally with 41mm (1 1/2") screws spaced 300mm (12") o.c. Joints must be offset. Tape and finish outer layer joints with CertainTeed products. | FIRE: NBCC (2010)  
Table A-9.10.3.1.A  
Wall W11a  
SOUND: NBCC (2010)  
Table A-9.10.3.1.A  
Wall W11a |
| 57 | ![Diagram](image4.png) | System WPE157 15.9mm (5/8") CertainTeed Type X products, 1 layer, 1 side of double row of 38mm x 89mm (2 x 4) wood studs. Other side, 2 layers. CertainTeed’s Sustainable Insulation™ 89mm (3 3/4") within cavity, 1 side. Set plates 25mm (1") apart. Fasten base layers vertically or horizontally using 41mm (1 1/2") screws spaced 300mm (12") o.c.; or 38mm (1 1/4") nails spaced 200mm (8") o.c. Fasten face layer to one side vertically or horizontally using 51mm (2") screws spaced 300mm (12") o.c.; or 51mm (2") nails spaced 200mm (8") o.c. Joints must be offset. Tape and finish outer layer joints with CertainTeed products. | FIRE: NBCC (2010)  
Table A-9.10.3.1.A  
Wall W14c  
SOUND: NBCC (2010)  
Table A-9.10.3.1.A  
Wall W14c |
| 61 | ![Diagram](image5.png) | System WPE161 15.9mm (5/8") CertainTeed Type X products, 1 layer, 1 side of double row 38mm x 89mm (2 x 4) wood studs. Other side, 2 layers. CertainTeed’s Sustainable Insulation™ 89mm (3 3/4") within cavity, both sides. Set plates 25mm (1") apart. Fasten base layers vertically or horizontally using 41mm (1 1/2") screws spaced 300mm (12") o.c.; or 38mm (1 1/4") nails spaced 200mm (8") o.c. Fasten face layer to one side vertically or horizontally using 51mm (2") screws spaced 300mm (12") o.c.; or 51mm (2") nails spaced 200mm (8") o.c. Joints must be offset. Tape and finish outer layer joints with CertainTeed products. | FIRE: NBCC (2010)  
Table A-9.10.3.1.A  
Wall W14a  
SOUND: NBCC (2010)  
Table A-9.10.3.1.A  
Wall W14a |

*Note: For other high STC assemblies see 1½ and 2 hour fire ratings.*
## WOOD STUD PARTITIONS
### Interior – Load Bearing

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### System WPE158
15.9mm (5/8") CertainTeed Type X products, 2 layers, 1 side 38mm x 89mm (2 x 4) wood studs. Other side, 2 layers on resilient channels. CertainTeed’s Sustainable Insulation™ 89mm (3 1/2") within cavity.

Fasten base layer vertically or horizontally to one side with 41mm (1 1/2") screws spaced 300mm (12") o.c. Fasten face layer vertically or horizontally with 51mm (2") screws spaced 300mm (12") o.c. Attach resilient channels with tabs down, horizontally at 600mm (24") o.c. to studs on opposite side with 32mm (1 1/4") screws. Upper channel 150mm (6") from top, lower channel 600mm (24") up from bottom and at the bottom of the partition, install an inverted channel. Fasten base layer vertically to the resilient channels with 25mm (1") screws spaced 300mm (12") o.c. Fasten face layer vertically or horizontally with 41mm (1 1/2") screws spaced 300mm (12") o.c. Joints must be offset. Tape and finish outer layer joints with CertainTeed products.

**FIRE:** cUL U301, UL U301

**SOUND:** NBCC (2010) Table A-9.10.3.1.A Wall W6b

### System WPE162
15.9mm (5/8") CertainTeed Type X products, 2 layers, 1 side of staggered 38mm x 89mm (2 x 4) wood studs. Other side, 2 layers on resilient channels. CertainTeed’s Sustainable Insulation™ 89mm (3 1/2") within cavity.

Fasten base layer vertically or horizontally to one side with 41mm (1 1/2") screws spaced 300mm (12") o.c. Fasten face layer vertically or horizontally with 51mm (2") screws spaced 300mm (12") o.c. Attach resilient channels with tabs down, horizontally at 400mm (16") o.c. or 600mm (24") o.c. to studs on opposite side with 32mm (1 1/4") screws. Upper channel 150mm (6") from top, lower channel 400mm (16") up from bottom and at the bottom of the partition, install an inverted channel. Fasten base layer vertically to the resilient channels with 25mm (1") screws spaced 300mm (12") o.c. Fasten face layer vertically or horizontally with 41mm (1 1/2") screws spaced 300mm (12") o.c. Joints must be offset. Tape and finish outer layer joints with CertainTeed products.

**FIRE:** cUL U301, UL U301

**SOUND:** NBCC (2010) Table A-9.10.3.1.A Wall W10a

### System WPE236
15.9mm (5/8") CertainTeed Type X products, 2 layers, each side of 38mm x 89mm (2 x 4) wood studs.

Fasten base layers vertically or horizontally using 48mm (1 1/2") nails spaced 150mm (6") o.c. Fasten face layers vertically or horizontally using 60mm (2 1/2") nails spaced 200mm (8") o.c. Joints must be offset. Tape and finish outer layer joints with CertainTeed products.

**FIRE:** cUL U301, UL U301

**SOUND:** NBCC (2010) Table A-9.10.3.1.A Wall W2d, W2a
### WOOD STUD PARTITIONS

**Interior – Load Bearing**

| System WPE262 | 15.9mm (5/8") CertainTeed Type X products, 2 layers, each side of double row of 38mm x 89mm (2 x 4) wood studs. CertainTeed’s Sustainable Insulation™ 89mm (3 1/2") within cavity, 1 side. Set plates 25mm (1") apart. Fasten base layers vertically or horizontally using 48mm (1 1/8") nails spaced 150mm (6") o.c. Fasten face layers vertically or horizontally using 60mm (2 3/8") nails spaced 200mm (8") o.c. Joints must be offset. Tape and finish outer layer joints with CertainTeed products. | FIRE RESISTANCE RATING: 2h (continued) | FIRE: Based on WPE236 (cUL U301, UL U301) |
| System WPE266 | 15.9mm (5/8") CertainTeed Type X products, 2 layers, each side of double row of 38mm x 89mm (2 x 4) wood studs. CertainTeed’s Sustainable Insulation™ 89mm (3 1/2") within cavity, both sides. Set plates 25mm (1") apart. Fasten base layers vertically or horizontally using 48mm (1 1/8") nails spaced 150mm (6") o.c. Fasten face layers vertically or horizontally using 60mm (2 3/8") nails spaced 200mm (8") o.c. Joints must be offset. Tape and finish outer layer joints with CertainTeed products. | SOUND: NBCC (2010) Table A-9.10.3.1.A Wall W15a |
## WOOD STUD PARTITIONS

### Exterior - Load Bearing

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| **FIRE RESISTANCE RATING:** 1h | **36** System WX136 | Fasten 1 layer of 15.9mm (5/8") CertainTeed Type X products vertically to interior side of 38mm x 89mm (2 x 4) wood studs. Fasten 1 layer of 15.9mm (5/8") CertainTeed Treated Core Sheathing Type X or GlasRoc® Sheathing Type X vertically to exterior side. CertainTeed’s Sustainable Insulation™ 89mm (3 1/2") within cavity. 51mm (2") nails spaced 175mm (7") o.c. Joints must be offset. Tape and finish interior joints with CertainTeed products. Exterior cladding system applied. | FIRE: ULC W301  
SOUND: NBCC (2010)  
Table A-9.10.3.1.A  
Wall W1a |
| **FIRE RESISTANCE RATING:** 1 1/2h | **37** System WX137 | Fasten 1 layer of 15.9mm (5/8") CertainTeed Type X products vertically or horizontally to interior side of 38mm x 89mm (2 x 4) wood studs with 38mm (1 1/2") drywall nails spaced 200mm (8") o.c. or 41mm (1 1/4") screws spaced 300mm (12") o.c. Fasten 1 layer of 12.7mm (1/2") CertainTeed Treated Core Sheathing or GlasRoc® Sheathing horizontally to exterior side with 44mm (1 3/4") roofing nails spaced 150mm (6") o.c. Mineral wool insulation 89mm (3 1/2") within cavity. Joints must be offset. Tape and finish interior joints with CertainTeed products. Exterior cladding system applied. | FIRE: NBCC (2010)  
Table A-9.10.3.1.A  
Wall EW1a  
SOUND: Estimated |
| **FIRE RESISTANCE RATING:** 2h | **38** System WX238 | Fasten base layer of 15.9mm (5/8") CertainTeed Type X products vertically or horizontally to interior side of 38mm x 89mm (2 x 4) wood studs with 48mm (1 1/4") nails spaced 150mm (6") o.c. Fasten face layer of 15.9mm (5/8") CertainTeed or M2Tech® Type X vertically or horizontally with 60mm (2 3/8") nails spaced 200mm (8") o.c. Fasten base layer of 15.9mm (5/8") CertainTeed Treated Core Sheathing or GlasRoc® Sheathing Type X vertically or horizontally to exterior side 48mm (1 1/4") nails spaced 150mm (6") o.c. Fasten face layer of 15.9mm (5/8") CertainTeed Sheathing Type X or GlasRoc® Sheathing Type X vertically or horizontally with 60mm (2 3/8") nails spaced 200mm (8") o.c. CertainTeed’s Sustainable Insulation™ 89mm (3 1/2") within cavity. Joints must be offset. Tape and finish interior joints with CertainTeed products. Exterior cladding system applied. | FIRE: UL U301,  
UL U301  
SOUND: NBCC (2010)  
Table A-9.10.3.1.A  
Wall W2a |
| **FIRE RESISTANCE RATING:** 2h | **42** System WX242 | Fasten base layer of 15.9mm (5/8") CertainTeed Type X products vertically or horizontally to interior side of 38mm x 89mm (2 x 4) wood studs with 51mm (2") cement-coated nails spaced 200mm (8") o.c. Fasten face layer of 15.9mm (5/8") CertainTeed or M2Tech® Type X vertically or horizontally with 63mm (2") cement-coated nails spaced 200mm (8") o.c. Fasten 1 layer of 12.7mm (1/2") CertainTeed Treated Core Sheathing or GlasRoc® Sheathing horizontally to exterior side with 44mm (1 1/4") roofing nails spaced 150mm (6") o.c. CertainTeed’s Sustainable Insulation™ 89mm (3 1/2") within cavity. Joints must be offset. Tape and finish interior joints with CertainTeed products. Exterior brick veneer system applied. | FIRE: ULC U302  
SOUND: Estimated |

* Note: Any wall as listed in “Wood Stud Partitions” may also be used as an exterior wall, provided it is covered with a sheathing membrane and exterior cladding.

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SHAFTWALLS
Non-Load Bearing

M2Tech® or GlasRoc® Shaftliner, “J” Track, “C-H, C-T or I” Studs and Shaftliner Framing Installation

Lay out per construction drawings. Secure “J” track as perimeter framing on all sides, top and bottom, with suitable fasteners spaced 600mm (24") o.c. maximum.

Pre-plan stud layout 600mm (24") o.c. maximum so the terminal stud on either end will fall 200mm (8") minimum from the end of the opening.

Erect the first 25mm (1") M2Tech® or GlasRoc® Shaftliner panel by inserting between the flanges of the “J” track at the top and bottom at one end of the opening. Plumb the panel flush against the web of “J” track sections at the end of the opening.

Secure with 41mm (1 5/8") type S screws 305mm (12") o.c. to the flange at the end of the opening, starting 150mm (6") from the top or bottom. No screws are required at the top or bottom “J” tracks.

Fit a C-H, C-T or I stud to the Shaftliner making sure it’s engaged in the “J” track at the top and bottom.

Erect the adjacent Shaftliner panel by inserting in the top and bottom “J” track and the previously installed stud. Install succeeding studs and Shaftliner panels in this manner to complete the framing. Screws are not required for the top and bottom “J” tracks except at the ends of the opening, as described.

For doors, ducts or other openings install “J” track as perimeter framing.

When required for higher STC ratings, insulation should be friction fitted in the cavity before finishing on the cavity side with 15.9mm (5/8") CertainTeed Type X products. Resilient channels may be attached horizontally 600mm (24") o.c. to the studs with 10mm (3/8") pan head screws at each stud.

**Helpful Hints**

1. Use a fastening plate to secure the “J” track whenever fasteners are closer than 100mm (4") to the edge. Setting the plate at the time of concrete construction will avoid spalling by mechanical fasteners.
2. Pre-cut studs 13mm (1/2") less than the height of the opening.
3. Pre-cut M2Tech® or GlasRoc® Shaftliner panels 25mm (1") less than the height of the opening.
4. In structural steel frame construction, install “J” track sections before applying spray-on fireproofing.
5. Items to be anchored to the wall (cabinets, sinks, handrails, etc.) should be fastened to the C-H, C-T or I studs or to plates secured behind or between the layers of 15.9mm (5/8") CertainTeed Type X products.
6. Joint compounds should be applied at ambient temperatures above 10°C (50°F). Provide adequate ventilation to “drive-off” excess moisture.
7. For acoustic sealant and prevention of air leakage, use a bead of flexible caulking at the perimeter of each wall under the face layer of 15.9mm (5/8") CertainTeed Type X products and under the 54mm (2 1/8") flange of “J” track for shaftwall finished on one side.
8. Use type S screws for 25 ga steel framing. Use type S-12 screws for 20 ga or heavier steel framing.
M2Tech® or GlasRoc® Shaftliner panels may be abutted (spliced) to span the floor-ceiling height. The shorter panel should be at least 600mm (24") long or of sufficient length to engage at least two “I” stud tabs on each panel edge, if I studs are used. Succeeding butt joints between adjoining panels should be spaced no closer than 600mm (24") in elevation.

As an option, and as required in some building code jurisdictions, butt joints in Shaftliner panels may be back blocked in the cavity by screw-attaching a 300mm x 600mm (12” x 24”) piece of M2Tech® or GlasRoc® Shaftliner or 15.9mm (5/8”) CertainTeed Type X products over the joint to the tabs of the studs.

**First Layer**
The first layer of 15.9mm (5/8”) CertainTeed Type X products should be installed with horizontal joints offset a minimum of 300mm (12”) from any butt joint in the M2Tech® or GlasRoc® Shaftliner. Any vertical butt joints in the first layer should be staggered in 1200mm (48") increments between succeeding courses. In addition, joints must be offset from joints on opposite side.

**Second Layer**
The second layer of 15.9mm (5/8") CertainTeed Type X products should be installed with vertical joints offset 600mm (24") from any vertical butt joints in the first layer. Any horizontal butt joints in the second layer should be offset a minimum of 300mm (12") from any horizontal joints in the first layer and from any butt joints in the M2Tech® or GlasRoc® Shaftliner. Succeeding butt joints in the second layer between adjoining panels should be spaced no closer than 600mm (24") in elevation.

**Third Layer, if needed for a 3-Hour Vertical Shaftwall System**
The third layer of 15.9mm (5/8") CertainTeed Type C products should be installed with vertical joints offset 600mm (24") from any vertical joints in the second layer. Any horizontal butt joints in the third layer should be offset a minimum of 150mm (6") from any horizontal joint in the previous layer, including M2Tech® Shaftliner. Succeeding butt joints in the third layer between adjoining panels should be spaced no closer than 300mm (12") in elevation.

**Recommended procedure for location of Gypsum Board Joints**

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**Section Details**

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FIRE RESISTANCE RATING: **1h**

**System WSD142**
Vertical Shaftwall System  Finished one side
25 mm (1") M2Tech® or GlasRoc® Shaftliner gypsum boards are inserted between 64 mm (21/2"), 102 mm (4") or 152 mm (6") C-H, C-T or I Studs. A single layer of any 15.9 mm (5/8") CertainTeed Type X product is applied vertically or horizontally, on open stud-face side with 25 mm (1") Type S screws spaced 300 mm (12") on center at all locations except the vertical board joint in horizontal applications where the screws should be 200mm (8") on center. Exposed joints and screwheads are to be finished with CertainTeed Finishing System.

Thickness: 80 mm (3 1/8")
Weight: 32 kg/m² (6.5 lb/ft²)

FIRE: ULC W446, WH-651-0306.1 (Horizontal application)
SOUND: Intertek 3123470EEV, (64mm stud) STC 42 with CertainTeed's Sustainable Insulation™

FIRE RESISTANCE RATING: **2h**

**System WSD250**
Vertical Shaftwall System  Finished one side
25 mm (1") M2Tech® or GlasRoc® Shaftliner gypsum boards are inserted between 64 mm (21/2"), 102 mm (4") or 152 mm (6") C-H, C-T or I Studs. Two layers of any 12.7 mm (1/2") CertainTeed Type C product or any 15.9 mm (5/8") CertainTeed Type X product are applied to one side, with the base layer applied vertically or horizontally to the open stud-face of framing studs with 25 mm (1") Type S buglehead screws spaced 600 mm (24") o.c. The second layer is placed vertically or horizontally (opposite of base layer) over the base layer and fastened using 41 mm (15/8") No. 6 Type S screws spaced 300 mm (12") on center. Exposed joints and screwheads are to be finished with CertainTeed Finishing system.

Thickness: 95 mm (3 1/8")
Weight: 44 kg/m² (9 psf)

FIRE: ULC W446
SOUND: Intertek 3123470EEV STC 50 with 15.9 mm (5/8") CertainTeed Type X products, resilient channel and CertainTeed’s Sustainable Insulation™

**System WSD250a**
Vertical Shaftwall System  Finished both sides
25 mm (1") M2Tech® or GlasRoc® Shaftliner gypsum boards are inserted between 64 mm (21/2"), 102 mm (4") or 152 mm (6") C-H, C-T or I Studs. A single layer of any 12.7 mm (1/2") CertainTeed Type C product or any 15.9 mm (5/8") CertainTeed Type X product is applied vertically on both sides, parallel to framing, with 25 mm (1") Type S screws spaced 300 mm (12") o.c. Joints are staggered or offset. Exposed joints and screwheads are to be finished with CertainTeed Finishing System.
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<td>Install 101mm (4&quot;) J-track, C-H, C-T and M2Tech® or GlasRoc® Shaftliner panels. Fasten base layer horizontally or vertically to corridor side with 25mm (1&quot;) screws spaced 610mm (24&quot;) o.c. starting 75mm (3&quot;) from the top of each stud. Fasten face layer opposite of base layer with 41mm (1 1/2&quot;) screws spaced 610mm (24&quot;) o.c. staggered 300mm (12&quot;) from base layer screws starting 150mm (6&quot;) from top of each stud. Screws are not required along top or bottom tracks. Joints must be offset. Tape and finish corridor joints with CertainTeed products.</td>
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Horizontal Ceiling System  
*For corridors.*  
25 mm (1") M2Tech® or GlasRoc® Shaftliner gypsum boards are inserted between 64 mm (21/2"), 102 mm (4") or 152 mm (6") C-H, C-T or I Studs. A single layer of any 15.9 mm (5/8") CertainTeed Type X product is applied at right angles to the C-H, CT or I Studs, with 25 mm (1") Type S screws spaced 300 mm (12") o.c.  |
| FIRE: ITS (WHI)  
CTG/CC 60-01  
SOUND: Intertek  
3123470EEV  
64 mm (21/2") studs |
| **System WSD240**  
Horizontal Ceiling System  
*For corridors.*  
25 mm (1") M2Tech® or GlasRoc® Shaftliner gypsum boards are inserted between 64 mm (21/2"), 102 mm (4") or 152 mm (6") C-H, C-T or I Studs. Two layers of any 12.7 mm (1/2") CertainTeed Type C product are installed on the open stud face with the first layer installed at right angles to the C-H, CT or I Studs with 25 mm (1") Type S screws spaced at 300 mm (12") o.c., and the second layer installed parallel to the C-H, CT or I Studs with 38 mm (11/2") Type S screws at 600 mm (24") o.c.  |
| FIRE: ITS (WHI)  
CTG/CC 120-01  
SOUND: Intertek  
3123470EEV  
64 mm (21/2") studs |

**FIRE RESISTANCE RATING: 1h**

35

Thickness: 80 mm (3 1/8")  
Weight: 31 kg/m² (6.5 psf)

**FIRE RESISTANCE RATING: 2h**

40

Thickness: 89 mm (3 1/2")  
Weight: 39 kg/m² (9 psf)
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CONSTRUCTION

FIRE RESISTANCE RATING: 2h

System WSD240a
Horizontal Membrane
for Duct Enclosure
For corridors, ducts, enclosures, etc.

Thickness: 102 mm (4")
Weight: 54 kg/m2 (11 psf)

System WSD200

SPANS OF HORIZONTAL MEMBERS (CEILINGS OVER CORRIDORS OR STAIRWAYS) SHOULD NOT EXCEED SPANS SPECIFIED BY STUD MANUFACTURER. C-H, C-T, OR I STUDS ARE PERMISSIBLE.
**SHAFTWalls**

**Vertical Assembly Details**

### DETAILS – FINISHED ONE SIDE

#### OUTSIDE CORNER

- **Corner Bead**
- **J-Track with Panhead Screws**
- **Shaftliner Type X**
- **Certainteed 12.7 mm (1/2") Type C or 15.9 mm (5/8") Type X Products**

#### INSIDE AND OUTSIDE CORNER

- **J-Track with Panhead Screws**
- **Shaftliner Type X**
- **Certainteed 12.7 mm (1/2") Type C or 15.9 mm (5/8") Type X Products**

#### TYPICAL START/END OF WALL

- **25 mm (1") M2Tech® or Glasroc® Shaftliner Type X**
- **Certainteed 12.7 mm (1/2") Type C or 15.9 mm (5/8") Type X Products**
- **Flexible Caulk**

#### ALTERNATE END OF WALL SECTION

- **25 mm (1") M2Tech® or Glasroc® Shaftliner Type X**
- **Certainteed 12.7 mm (1/2") Type C or 15.9 mm (5/8") Type X Products**
- **Flexible Caulk**

#### WALL INTERSECTION ON SHAFTLINER SIDE

- **25 mm (1") M2Tech® or Glasroc® Shaftliner Type X**
- **Certainteed 12.7 mm (1/2") Type C or 15.9 mm (5/8") Type X Products**
- **Flexible Caulk**
- **Screws**

#### SEPARATION WALL INTERSECTION ON FINISHED SIDE

- **25 mm (1") M2Tech® or Glasroc® Shaftliner Type X**
- **Certainteed 12.7 mm (1/2") Type C or 15.9 mm (5/8") Type X Products**
- **Flexible Caulk**
- **Joint Taped and Finished**
**SHAFTWALLS**
Vertical Assembly Details

**DETAILS – FINISHED BOTH SIDES**

**ABUTMENT TO MASONRY**

- CERTAINTEED 12.7 mm (1/2") TYPE C OR 15.9 mm (5/8") TYPE X PRODUCTS
- 25 mm (1") M2TECH® OR GLASROC® SHAFTLINER TYPE X
- FLEXIBLE CAULK
- CERTAINTEED 12.7 mm (1/2") TYPE C OR 15.9 mm (5/8") TYPE X PRODUCTS

**WALL INTERSECTION ON CAVITY SIDE**

- CERTAINTEED 12.7 mm (1/2") TYPE C OR 15.9 mm (5/8") TYPE X PRODUCTS
- 25 mm (1") SCREWS
- 25 mm (1") M2TECH® OR GLASROC® SHAFTLINER TYPE X

**INSIDE AND OUTSIDE CORNER**

- CERTAINTEED 12.7 mm (1/2") TYPE C OR 15.9 mm (5/8") TYPE X PRODUCTS
- 25 mm (1") M2TECH® OR GLASROC® SHAFTLINER TYPE X
- 25 mm (1") SCREWS
- CERTAINTEED 12.7 mm (1/2") TYPE C OR 15.9 mm (5/8") TYPE X PRODUCTS

SHAFTWALLS
Vertical Assembly Details

SHAFTWALL TO BEAM

SHAFTWALL OFFSET FROM BEAM

SHAFTWALL OFFSET FROM DECK

CORNER COLUMN BYPASS

BYPASS OF LARGE COLUMNS

SHAFTWALLS
Vertical Assembly Details

TOP AT BEAM AND FLOOR BYPASS

- Spray on fireproofing
- 25 mm (1") M2TECH® or GLASROC® Shaftliner Type X
- Suitable fasteners: 600 mm (24") O.C.
- CertainTeed 12.7 mm (1/2") Type C or 15.9 mm (5/8") Type X Products
- Flexible caulk
- Shaftwall Vertical Assembly Details

SHAF T CANT

- Cant strips screwed to studs to prevent ledges greater than 50 mm (2")
- CertainTeed 12.7 mm (1/2") Type C or 15.9 mm (5/8") Type X Products
- J-Track flexible caulk
- 25 mm (1") M2TECH® or GLASROC® Shaftliner Type X

HAND RAIL ATTACHMENT DETAILS

- Heavy
  - 25 mm (1") M2TECH® or GLASROC® Shaftliner Type X
  - CertainTeed 12.7 mm (1/2") Type C or 15.9 mm (5/8") Type X Products
  - 158 mm X 158 mm (6"X6") 14 GA. steel plate
  - Attach through face layer into stud

- Medium
  - 25 mm (1") M2TECH® or GLASROC® Shaftliner Type X
  - CertainTeed 12.7 mm (1/2") Type C or 15.9 mm (5/8") Type X Products
  - Attach through face layer into stud or use min. 150 mm X 600 mm (6"X24") 20 GA. steel strip
  - No. 10 or larger screws

- Light
  - 25 mm (1") M2TECH® or GLASROC® Shaftliner Type X
  - CertainTeed 12.7 mm (1/2") Type C or 15.9 mm (5/8") Type X Products
  - Attach through face layer into stud or use min. 150 mm X 600 mm (6"X24") 20 GA. steel strip
  - No. 10 or larger screws
**SHAFTWALLS**

**Vertical Assembly Details**

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**SHAFTWALL ELEVATOR ELECTRICAL CONTROL LAYOUT**

- 25 mm (1") M2TECH® OR GLASROC® SHAFTLINER TYPE X
- CERTAINTEED 12.7 mm (1/2") TYPE C OR 15.9 mm (5/8") TYPE X PRODUCTS
- J-TRACK
- 25 GA. X 75 mm (3") X 750 mm (28") SHEET STEEL
- CERTAINTEED 12.7 mm (1/2") TYPE C OR 15.9 mm (5/8") TYPE X PRODUCTS
- CALL BOX
- ANNUNCIATOR PANEL
- FIREMAN SWITCH
- 19 mm (3/4") CHANNEL
- NOTE: STUD SIZE VARIES ACCORDING TO APPLICATION
- CERTAINTEED 12.7 mm (1/2") TYPE C OR 15.9 mm (5/8") TYPE X PRODUCTS
- 25 mm (1") M2TECH® OR GLASROC® SHAFTLINER TYPE X
- J-TRACK
- CERTAINTEED 12.7 mm (1/2") TYPE C OR 15.9 mm (5/8") TYPE X PRODUCTS
- CAULKING
- 30 mm (1") STEEL STUDS
- 44 mm (1 3/8") STEEL STUDS
- J-TRACK
- CERTAINTEED 12.7 mm (1/2") TYPE C OR 15.9 mm (5/8") TYPE X PRODUCTS

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**MAIL CHUTE**

- 25 mm (1") M2TECH® OR GLASROC® SHAFTLINER TYPE X
- 67 mm (2 1/2") TYPE S SCREWS
- 300 mm (12") O.C.
- 25 mm (1") M2TECH® OR GLASROC® SHAFTLINER TYPE X
- 41 mm (1 5/8") TYPE S SCREWS
- 940 mm (37") O.C.

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**CHASE WALL**

- 25 mm (1") M2TECH® OR GLASROC® SHAFTLINER TYPE X
- CALL, C-T OR I STUD
- 610 mm (24") O.C. MAX
- CERTAINTEED 12.7 mm (1/2") TYPE C OR 15.9 mm (5/8") TYPE X PRODUCTS
- PANHEAD SCREWS

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SHAFTWALLS
Vertical Assembly Details

ILLUSTRATED WITH 2 HR. RATED ASSEMBLY

NOTE:
CLEARANCE OPENINGS AND ATTACHMENTS
DETAILS SHOULD BE AS PER FIRE DAMPER
MANUFACTURER’S INSTALLATION REQUIREMENTS
**SHAFTWALLS**

Vertical Assembly Details

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**ONE HOUR DETAILS**

**ELEVATOR DOOR FRAMING**

- 20 GA. 75 mm (3") LEG J-TRACK
- 25 mm (1") M2TECH® OR GLASROC® SHAFTLINER TYPE X
- CERTAINTEED 12.7 mm (1/2") TYPE C OR 15.9 mm (5/8") TYPE X PRODUCTS

**ELEVATOR DOOR HEAD**

- 25 GA. 75 mm (3") LEG J-TRACK
- 25 mm (1") M2TECH® OR GLASROC® SHAFTLINER TYPE X
- CERTAINTEED 12.7 mm (1/2") TYPE C OR 15.9 mm (5/8") TYPE X PRODUCTS

**J-TRACK FRAMING ABOVE DOOR**

- 25 mm (1") M2TECH® OR GLASROC® SHAFTLINER TYPE X
- CERTAINTEED 12.7 mm (1/2") TYPE C OR 15.9 mm (5/8") TYPE X PRODUCTS

**ELEVATOR DOOR JAMB**

- 25 GA. 75 mm (3") LEG J-TRACK
- CERTAINTEED 12.7 mm (1/2") TYPE C OR 15.9 mm (5/8") TYPE X PRODUCTS

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25.4 mm (1") M2TECH® OR GLASROC® SHAFTLINER TYPE X

**SECTION A-A**

25.4 mm (1") M2TECH® OR GLASROC® SHAFTLINER TYPE X

**SECTION B-B**

25 mm (1") M2TECH® OR GLASROC® SHAFTLINER TYPE X

**SECTION C-C**

25 mm (1") M2TECH® OR GLASROC® SHAFTLINER TYPE X
**TWO HOUR DETAILS**

**ELEVATOR DOOR FRAMING**

- 25 ga. 57 mm (2 1/4") Leg J-Track
- 20 ga. 75 mm (3") Leg J-Track

**J-TRACK FRAMING ABOVE ELEVATOR DOOR**

- 25 mm (1") M2TECH® or GLASROC® Shaftliner Type X
- CertainTeed 12.7 mm (1/2") Type C or 15.9 mm (5/8") Type X Products

**ELEVATOR DOOR JAMB**

- 25 mm (1") M2TECH® or GLASROC® Shaftliner Type X
- 12.7 mm (1/2") Type C or 15.9 mm (5/8") Type X Products

**ELEVATOR DOOR HEAD**

- 25 mm (1") M2TECH® or GLASROC® Shaftliner Type X
- 25 ga. 57 mm (2 1/4") Leg J-Track

**J-TRACK FRAMING ABOVE ELEVATOR DOOR**

- 25 mm (1") M2TECH® or GLASROC® Shaftliner Type X
- 20 ga. 75 mm (3") Leg J-Track

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**SHAFTWALLS**

**Vertical Assembly Details**
Firewalls

M2Tech® or GlasRoc® Shaftliner gypsum boards are used in conjunction with other CertainTeed gypsum board products in Firewalls. Firewalls are solid type separation walls assembled using 25mm (1") M2Tech® or GlasRoc® Shaftliner gypsum boards, metal framing and any minimum 12.7mm (1/2") CertainTeed Gypsum Boards approved for wall construction for the interior finish. The firewall is easily stacked, floor to floor, allowing progressive construction.

Breakaway aluminum clips are used to attach the interior wall to adjacent structural metal framing and provide lateral support. When one side is exposed to fire, the clips will soften and release if the burning unit collapses. The clips on the non-fire side are protected by the firewall and will continue to support the firewall. The firewall will remain intact to protect neighboring spaces. Firewalls are easier and faster to construct, lighter weight, and take up less space than masonry wall systems.

Installation*

Steel framing and installation of 25mm (1") M2Tech® or GlasRoc® Shaftliner gypsum boards for solid type Firewalls are used as the common wall of one unit. A Firewall can be constructed by following these steps before continuing to frame the adjacent unit.

1. Attach 51mm (2") wide C-Track to slab at bottom of wall using suitable fasteners at a maximum of 600mm (24") o.c. Allow a a minimum 19mm (3/4") space from wood stud framing on each side of the firewall. As an alternate to the 19mm (3/4") air space the steel components are permitted to be covered with either (a) 150mm (6") wide batten strips of 12.7mm (1/2") gypsum panel screw attached to the framing with 25mm (1") Type S drywall screws or (b) 25mm (1") mineral wool fiber insulation. Space ends of adjacent sections of C-Track a minimum of 6mm (1/4") apart. When required, use an approved acoustical sealant to caulk around the perimeter of wall sections.

2. Install vertical C-Track at the beginning of the wall and support as needed.

3. Insert two sections of 25mm (1") M2Tech® or GlasRoc® Shaftliner gypsum boards in the bottom channel and plumb to vertical C-Track. Make sure the first two shaftliner panels are seated all the way into the floor and vertical C-Tracks and that the edges are flush. Insert an H-Stud into the floor C-Track and engage the H-Stud legs over the long edges of the shaftliner panels.

4. Install the next 25mm (1") M2Tech® or GlasRoc® Shaftliner gypsum boards vertically into the H-Studs. Continue wall as needed by placing H-Studs between the proceeding panels every 610mm (24") for the length of the wall and enclose the end boards with vertical C-Track.

5. Cap the wall assembly before continuing higher using C-Track fastened to the H-Studs on alternate sides with 10mm (3/8") Type S screws. A second C-Track for the next row of shaftliner panels is then placed back to back with end joints staggered at least 300mm (12") o.c. and fastened with double 10mm (3/8") Type S screws at ends and 600mm (24") o.c.

6. Attachment Clips: Aluminum angle; 1.6mm (0.063") thick, minimum 51mm (2") and 57mm (2 1/4") legs. Clips are secured with Type S screws 10mm (3/8") long to H-Studs and with Type W screws 32mm (1 1/4") long to wood framing through holes provided in the clip. Clips should be attached to each H-Stud per the following schedule:

- For firewalls up to 7m (23') high, clip placement should be:
  i. Clips are required to be spaced a maximum of 3m (10') o.c. vertically between wood framing and H-Studs.

- For firewalls greater than 7m (23') high and up to 13.4m (44') high, clip placement should be:
  i. The lower 6.1m (20') requires clips to be spaced a maximum of 1.5m (5') o.c. vertically between the wood framing and the H-Studs
  ii. The upper section of the wall (6.1m to 13.4m) (20' to 44') requires the clips to be spaced a maximum of 3m (10') o.c. vertically between the wood framing and the H-Studs.

- For firewalls greater than 13.4m (44') high and up to 20.7m (68') high, clip placement should be:
  i. The lower 7.3m (24') requires clips to be spaced a maximum of 1m (40") o.c. vertically between the wood framing and the H-Studs.
ii. The next 6.1m (20') section requires clips to be spaced a maximum of 1.5m (5') o.c. vertically between the wood framing and the H-Studs.

iii. The upper section of the wall 13.4m to 20.7m (44' to 68') requires the clips to be spaced a maximum of 3m (10') o.c. vertically between the wood framing and the H-Studs.

7. Cap the top of the assembly with 51mm (2") C-Track and protect the entire installation from moisture. The firewall must extend above the roof deck as required by code.

* It is important for structural purposes that the above installation particulars be followed to provide lateral support for the firewall.

**Interior Finish Wall**

8. Wood Studs – Nominal 38mm x 89mm (2" x 4") with a maximum spacing of 610mm (24") o.c. Studs are cross-braced at mid-height where necessary for clip attachment. Ensure a minimum 19mm (3/4") separation between wood framing and Firewall.

9. Insulation (Optional) – CertainTeed's Sustainable Insulation™ (Optional) – CertainTeed CertaSound™ NoiseReducer™, Sustainable Insulation™, or equivalent, installed between wood studs to meet listed STC performance.

10. CertainTeed gypsum boards, minimum 12.7mm (1/2") thick, 1220mm (4') wide, applied either horizontally or vertically. Gypsum boards are attached to studs with 32mm (1 1/4") long steel drywall nails or 32mm (1 1/4") Type W drywall screws spaced 200mm (8") o.c. Vertical joints are located over studs. Joints and fasteners are finished with CertainTeed Finishing system.
Firewalls
Non-Load Bearing

SOUND TRANSMISSION CLASS (STC)

FIRE RESISTANCE RATING: 2h

EXPOSED TO FIRE FROM EITHER SIDE

System 61 WAH261

FIRE: ULC W311
ITS Report No. 100260628SAT-006A, 006B
SOUND: RAL-TL00-176

Thickness: 292 mm (11 1/2"
Weight: 63 kg/m2 (13 psf)

TYPICAL INSTALLATION DETAILS
**Firewalls**

Non-Load Bearing

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**Fire Resistance Rating:** 2h

**Intermediate Floor Intersection Location of Clips**

- **FIRE BLOCKING, AS REQUIRED**
- **25 mm (1”) M2TECH® OR GLASROC® SHAFTLINER**
- **DOUBLE C-TRACK SCREWED BACK-TO-BACK**
- **SEALANT**
- **ROOF DRAIN**
- **CEILING**
- **32 mm (1 1/4”) TYPE W SCREW**
- **ALUMINUM CLIP**
- **19 mm (3/4”) AIR SPACE**

**Exterior Wall Intersection**

- **12.7 mm (1/2”) CERTAINTEED GYPSUM BOARD PRODUCT**
- **NOMINAL 38 mm X 89 mm (2”X4”) WOOD STUDS @ 610 mm (24”) O.C. MAX.**
- **2” C-TRACK**
- **CAULK**
- **CERTAINTEED’S SUSTAINABLE INSULATION™**
- **19 mm (3/4”) AIR SPACE**

**Protruding Exterior Wall**

- **12.7 mm (1/2”) CERTAINTEED REGULAR TREATED CORE SHEATHING OR GLASROC® SHEATHING**
- **H-STUD**
- **CERTAINTEED’S SUSTAINABLE INSULATION™**
- **25 mm (1”) M2TECH® OR GLASROC® SHAFTLINER**
- **19 mm (3/4”) AIR SPACE**

**Typical Roof Parapet Detail**

- **FIRE BLOCKING, AS REQUIRED**
- **2” C-TRACK**
- **PARAPET CAP**
- **FLAShING**
- **ROOFING**
- **150 mm (6”)**
- **CERTAINTEED’S SUSTAINABLE INSULATION™**
- **ALUMINUM CLIP**
- **25 mm (1”) M2TECH® OR GLASROC® SHAFTLINER**
- **19 mm (3/4”) AIR SPACE**
### STEEL JOIST FLOORS & CEILINGS

#### FIRE RESISTANCE RATING: 1h

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<td>System WFS1B</td>
<td>51mm (2&quot;), 19 MPa (2800 psi) concrete floor. 15.9mm (5/8&quot;) CertainTeed Type X products, 1 layer on steel furring channels. Fasten boards perpendicular to furring channels with 25mm (1&quot;) screws spaced 300mm (12&quot;) o.c. Locate screws 10mm (3/8&quot;) minimum from edges and ends of board. Joints must be offset. Tape and finish joints with CertainTeed products.</td>
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<td>12.7mm (1/2&quot;) CertainTeed Type C products or 15.9mm (5/8&quot;) CertainTeed Type X products, 2 layers. Cold formed steel joists, resilient channels and 150mm (6&quot;) CertainTeed glass fibre. Subfloor-plywood, OSB or waferboard. Fasten base layer perpendicular to resilient channels with 32mm (1 1/4&quot;) screws spaced 300mm (12&quot;) o.c. Fasten face layer perpendicular to resilient channels with 41mm (1 5/8&quot;) screws spaced 300mm (12&quot;) o.c. Locate face layer end joints at double resilient channels. Locate screws minimum of 38mm (1 1/2&quot;) from edges of board. Joints must be offset. Tape and finish joints with CertainTeed products.</td>
<td>FIRE: NRC 98-764/ NBCC Table A-9.10.3.1B Floor H45d  SOUND: NRC-IR-766</td>
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<td>System WFS1XX</td>
<td>Fire rating provided by membrane only. 15.9mm (5/8&quot;) CertainTeed Type X products, 2 layers, steel structural member, maximum spacing 600mm (24&quot;) o.c. Fasten base layer perpendicular to supports with 25mm (1&quot;) screws spaced 300mm (12&quot;) o.c. Fasten face layer perpendicular to supports with 41mm (1 5/8&quot;) screws spaced 300mm (12&quot;) o.c. Joints must be offset. Tape and finish joints with CertainTeed products.</td>
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STEEL JOIST FLOORS & CEILINGS

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**System WFS2E**
65mm (2 1/2"), 24 MPa (3500 psi) concrete floor. 12.7mm (1/2") CertainTeed Type C products, 1 layer on steel furring channels.

Fasten boards perpendicular to furring channels with 25mm (1") screws spaced 300mm (12") o.c. Locate screws 19mm (3/4") minimum from edges and 50mm (2") from ends of board. Butt joints may be protected by 75mm (3") wide by 12.7mm (1/2") thick gypsum board back blocking. Joints must be offset. Tape and finish joints with CertainTeed products.

**System WFS2XX**
Fire rating provided by membrane only. 15.9mm (5/8") CertainTeed Type X products, 4 layers. Steel Channel joists 203mm (8") deep with 38mm (1 1/2") flanges and 12.7mm (1/2") stiffening flanges spaced 600mm (24") o.c. Minimum yield strength of joist is 227 MPa (33 ksi). Subflooring is 19mm (3/4") thick T&G wood structural panels.

First three layers perpendicular to joist with adjacent butt joints staggered 1220mm (48") offset minimum 250mm (10") from previous layer. Fasten base layer with 32mm (1 1/4") screws spaced 300mm (12") o.c. Fasten second layer with 50mm (2") screws spaced 300mm (12") o.c. Fasten third layer with 63mm (2 1/2") screws spaced 300mm (12") o.c. Fasten hat shaped furring channels spaced 600mm (24") o.c. perpendicular to joists with 63mm (2 1/2") screws spaced 300mm (12") o.c. Fasten fourth layer perpendicular to hat channels with 29mm (1 1/8") screws spaced 300mm (12") o.c. Screws spaced 12.7mm (1/2") from butt end joints and 25mm (1") from side joints. Tape and finish face layer joints with CertainTeed finishing products.

**System WFS3A**
90mm (3 3/8"), 24 MPa (3500 psi) concrete floor. 12.7mm (1/2") CertainTeed Type C products, 1 layer on steel furring channels.

Fasten boards perpendicular to furring channels with 25mm (1") screws spaced 300mm (12") o.c. Locate screws 19mm (3/4") minimum from edges and 50mm (2") from ends of board. Butt joints may be protected by 75mm (3") wide by 12.7mm (1/2") thick gypsum board back blocking. Joints must be offset. Tape and finish joints with CertainTeed products.
# WOOD JOIST FLOORS & CEILINGS

## FIRE RESISTANCE RATING: 3/4h

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<td><strong>System WFF1XX</strong>&lt;br&gt;Fire rating provided by membrane only. 15.9mm (5/8&quot;) CertainTeed Type X products, 2 layers. Wood joists any type, resilient or furring channels (optional). Subfloor plywood, OSB or waferboard.&lt;br&gt;Fasten base layer perpendicular to resilient channels with 25mm (1&quot;) screws spaced 300mm (12&quot;) o.c. Fasten face layer perpendicular to resilient channels with 41mm (1½&quot;) screws spaced 300mm (12&quot;) o.c. If resilient channels are not used, attach board perpendicular to wood joists with 51mm (2&quot;) screws spaced 300mm (12&quot;) o.c. for both layers. Joints must be offset. Tape and finish joints with CertainTeed products.</td>
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FIRE RESISTANCE RATING: 2h

**System WFF235**
15.9mm (5/8"") CertainTeed Type C products, 2 layers. 38mm x 235mm (2 x 10) wood joist and resilient channels. Subfloor 12mm (1/2"") sheathing grade Douglas Fir plywood. Finished floor 15.9mm (5/8"") T&G sheathing Douglas Fir plywood.

Fasten base layer perpendicular to joists with 63mm (2 1/2"") 8d box nails spaced 180mm (7"") o.c. Locate nails a minimum 15mm (5/8"") from edges of boards. Attach resilient channels perpendicular to joists 300mm (12"") o.c. with 64mm (2 1/2"") 8d common nails. Provide a 102mm (4") overlap at splices and a minimum 19mm (3/4") wall clearance. Fasten face layer perpendicular to resilient channels with 25mm (1"") screws spaced 300mm (12"") o.c. Located edge joints between joists and fasten end joints of boards to additional pieces of resilient channel extending 150mm (6") beyond end joints and attached to joists. Locate screws a minimum 25mm (1"") from edges of board. Tape and finish joints with CertainTeed products.

**FIRE:** ULC M503

**SOUND:** Estimated

**System WFF254**
15.9mm (5/8"") CertainTeed Type C products, 3 layers. 241mm (9 1/8"") TJI™ wood I-joists and resilient channels. Subfloor 15.9mm (5/8"") OSB or plywood.

Fasten base layer perpendicular to joists with 41mm (1 1/2"") screws spaced 200mm (8"") o.c. Attach furring channels perpendicular to joists 400mm (16"") o.c. with 48mm (1 1/4"") screws at each I-joist. Fasten second layer perpendicular to furring channel with 32mm (1 1/4"") screws spaced 200mm (8"") o.c. and edges of board located between floor I-joists. Fasten face layer perpendicular to furring channels with 48mm (1 1/4"") screws spaced 200mm (8"") o.c. with joints offset. Locate screws 38mm (1 1/2") from edges and 19mm (3/4") from ends of boards. End joints must be staggered. Tape and finish joints with CertainTeed products.

**FIRE:** ULC M514

**SOUND:** Estimated, with 38 mm light weight gypsum concrete

**System WFF2XX**
Fire rating provided by membrane only. 15.9mm (5/8"") CertainTeed Type X products, 4 layers. Wood joists, 38mm x 184mm (2" x 9") or minimum 450mm (17/8") deep parallel chord trusses spaced a maximum of 610mm (24"). Subflooring 19mm (3/4") thick T&G wood structural panels.

First three layers perpendicular to bottom of chord with adjacent butt joints staggered 120mm (48"). Overlapping layers installed so edges and butt joints offset minimum 250mm (10") from previous layer. Fasten base layer with 32mm (1 1/4") screws spaced 300mm (12") o.c. Fasten second layer with 50mm (2") screws spaced 300mm (12") o.c. Fasten third layer with 63mm (2 1/2") screws spaced 300mm (12") o.c. Fasten hat shaped furring channels spaced 600mm (24") o.c. perpendicular to joists with 63mm (2 1/2") screws spaced 300mm (12") o.c. Fasten fourth layer perpendicular to hat channels with 29mm (1 1/8") screws spaced 300mm (12") o.c. Screws spaced 12.7mm (1/2") from butt end joints and 25mm (1") from side joints. Tape and finish face layer joints with CertainTeed finishing products.

**FIRE:** ULC M514

**SOUND:** Estimated
## Column & Beam Protection

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| 47                            | **System WBA247** | 140mm (nominal 6") concrete block, 15.9mm (½") CertainTeed Type X products, 1 layer, directly applied each side. Install board vertically or horizontal to each side with adhesive or mechanical fasteners. Tape and finish joints with CertainTeed products. | FIRE: NBCC (2010)  
Table A-9.10.3.1.A  
Wall B2b  
SOUND: NBCC (2010)  
Table A-9.10.3.1.A  
Wall B2b |
| 51                            | **System WBA251** | 140mm (nominal 6") concrete block, 15.9mm (½") CertainTeed Type X products, 1 layer, directly applied one side. Other side, 1 layer on resilient channels. Install board on one side vertically or horizontally with adhesive or mechanical fasteners. Attach resilient channels horizontally at 600mm (24") o.c. or 400mm (16") o.c. to other side of the block wall. Install mineral fibre insulation in the furred space and fasten board vertically or horizontally to the resilient channels with 25mm (1") screws spaced 300mm (12") o.c. Tape and finish joints with CertainTeed products. | FIRE: NBCC (2010)  
Table A-9.10.3.1.A  
Wall B3a  
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Table A-9.10.3.1.A  
Wall B3a |
| **FIRE RESISTANCE RATING: 3h** |             |                             |
| 50                            | **System WBB350** | 190mm (nominal 8") concrete block, 15.9mm (½") CertainTeed Type X products, 1 layer, directly applied each side. Install board vertically or horizontal to each side with adhesive or mechanical fasteners. Tape and finish joints with CertainTeed products. | FIRE: NBCC (2010)  
Table A-9.10.3.1.A  
Wall B2e  
SOUND: NBCC (2010)  
Table A-9.10.3.1.A  
Wall B2e |
| 54                            | **System WBB354** | 190mm (nominal 8") concrete block, 15.9mm (½") CertainTeed Type X products, 1 layer, directly applied one side. Other side, 1 layer on resilient channel. Install board on one side vertically or horizontally with adhesive or mechanical fasteners. Attach resilient channels horizontally at 600mm (24") o.c. or 400mm (16") o.c. to other side of the block wall. Install mineral fibre insulation in the furred space and fasten board vertically or horizontally to the resilient channels with 25mm (1") screws spaced 300mm (12") o.c. Tape and finish joints with CertainTeed products. | FIRE: NBCC (2010)  
Table A-9.10.3.1.A  
Wall B3c  
SOUND: NBCC (2010)  
Table A-9.10.3.1.A  
Wall B3c |
| 56                            | **System WBB356** | 190mm (nominal 8") concrete block, 15.9mm (½") CertainTeed Type X products, 2 layers, on resilient channel, 1 side. Attach resilient channels horizontally at 600mm (24") o.c. or 400mm (16") o.c. to one side of the block wall. Install mineral fibre insulation in the furred space and fasten base layer of board vertically or horizontally to the resilient channels with 25mm (1") screws spaced 300mm (12") o.c. Install face layer of board vertically or horizontally to resilient channel with 41mm (1½") screws spaced 300mm (12") o.c. Joints must be offset. Tape and finish joints with CertainTeed products. | FIRE: NBCC (2010)  
Table A-9.10.3.1.A  
Wall B10a  
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# STEEL STUD PERMABASE® PARTITIONS

Non-Load Bearing

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CR-6466.1 |
| System PPC155 | FIRE: ULC W437  
VERSIFIED: NRC  
CR-6466.6 |
| System PPC159 | FIRE: ULC W436  
VERSIFIED: NRC  
CR-6466.3 |
| System PPC259 | FIRE: ULC W439  
VERSIFIED: NRC  
CR-6466.4 |

## FIRE RESISTANCE RATING: 1h

### System PPC151
Fasten 12.7mm (1/2") PermaBase horizontally to one side of the 92mm (3 3/4") steel studs using 25mm (1") screws spaced 150mm (6") on the perimeter and 200mm (8") o.c. in the field. Install 89mm (3 3/8") minimum 45 kg/m² (2.8 lb/ft²) mineral wool insulation in the cavity. Fasten 15.9mm (5/8") CertainTeed Type X products vertically to the other side with 25mm (1") screws spaced 300mm (12") o.c. All joints must be staggered a minimum of 300mm (12"). Tape and finish PermaBase joints with fiberglass mesh joint tape and latex-modified Portland cement mortar applied at a minimum rate of 2.7 kg/m² (0.55 lb/ft²). Tape and finish CertainTeed Type X joints with CertainTeed products.

### System PPC155
Fasten 12.7mm (1/2") CertainTeed Type C products vertically or horizontally to one side of 92mm (3 3/4") steel studs using 25mm (1") screws spaced 200mm (8") on the perimeter and 300mm (12") o.c. in the field. Fasten a face layer of 12.7mm (1/2") PermaBase horizontally to the same side using 41mm (1 3/8") screws spaced 150mm (6") o.c. on the perimeter and 200mm (8") o.c. in the field. Install 89mm (3 3/8") minimum 45 kg/m² (2.8 lb/ft²) mineral wool insulation in the cavity. Fasten 12.7mm (1/2") CertainTeed Type C products vertically to the other side with 25mm (1") screws spaced 200mm (8") on the perimeter and 300mm (12") o.c. in the field. All joints must be staggered a minimum of 300mm (12"). Tape and finish PermaBase joins with fiberglass mesh joint tape and latex-modified Portland cement mortar applied at a minimum rate of 2.7 kg/m² (0.55 lb/ft²). Tape and finish outer layer CertainTeed Type C joints with CertainTeed products. 15.9mm (5/8") CertainTeed Type X products may be substituted for the 12.7mm (1/2") CertainTeed Type C products in this assembly.

### System PPC159
Fasten 12.7mm (1/2") CertainTeed Type C products vertically or horizontally to one side of 92mm (3 3/4") steel studs using 25mm (1") screws spaced 300mm (12") o.c. Fasten a face layer of 12.7mm (1/2") PermaBase horizontally to the same side using 41mm (1 3/8") screws spaced 150mm (6") on the perimeter and 200mm (8") o.c. in the field. Install 89mm (3 3/8") minimum 45 kg/m² (2.8 lb/ft²) mineral wool insulation in the cavity. Fasten 12.7mm (1/2") PermaBase horizontally to the other side with 25mm (1") screws spaced 150mm (6") on the perimeter and 200mm (8") o.c. in the field. All joints must be staggered a minimum of 300mm (12"). Tape and finish PermaBase joints with fiberglass mesh joint tape and latex-modified Portland cement mortar applied at a minimum rate of 2.7 kg/m² (0.55 lb/ft²). 15.9mm (5/8") CertainTeed Type X products may be substituted for the 12.7mm (1/2") CertainTeed Type C products in this assembly.

## FIRE RESISTANCE RATING: 2h

### System PPC259
Fasten 12.7mm (1/2") CertainTeed Type C products vertically or horizontally to one side of 92mm (3 3/4") steel studs using 25mm (1") screws spaced 300mm (12") o.c. Fasten a face layer of 12.7mm (1/2") PermaBase horizontally to the same side using 41mm (1 3/8") screws spaced 230mm (9") o.c. Joints must be staggered a minimum of 300mm (12") from joints in the base layer. Install 89mm (3 3/8") minimum 34 kg/m² (2.1 lb/ft²) mineral wool insulation in the cavity. Fasten 12.7mm (1/2") ProRoc Type C board vertically or horizontally to other side using 25mm (1") screws spaced 300mm (12") o.c. Fasten a face layer of 12.7mm (1/2") CertainTeed Type C products vertically or horizontally to the same side using 41mm (1 3/8") screws spaced 230mm (9") o.c. Joints must be staggered a minimum of 600mm (24") from joints in the base layer. Tape and finish PermaBase joints with fiberglass mesh joint tape and latex-modified Portland cement mortar applied at a minimum rate of 2.7 kg/m² (0.55 lb/ft²). Tape and finish outer layer CertainTeed or M2Tech® Type C joints with CertainTeed products. 15.9mm (5/8") CertainTeed Type X products may be substituted for the 12.7mm (1/2") CertainTeed Type C products in this assembly.
System PPC261

Fasten 12.7mm (1/2") CertainTeed Type C products vertically or horizontally to each side of a 92mm (3 5/8") steel stud using 25mm (1") screws spaced 300mm (12") o.c. Fasten a face layer of 12.2mm (1/2") PermaBase horizontally to each side using 41mm (1 5/8") screws spaced 230mm (9") o.c. Install 89mm (3 5/8") minimum 34 kg/m² (2.1 lb/ft²) mineral wool insulation in the cavity. All joints must be staggered a minimum of 300mm (12"). Tape and finish PermaBase joints with fiberglass mesh joint tape and latex-modified Portland cement mortar applied at a minimum rate of 2.7 kg/m² (0.55 lb/ft²). 15.9mm (5/8") CertainTeed Type X products may be substituted for the 12.7mm (1/2") CertainTeed Type C products' in this assembly.

System PPA153

Position paired 41mm (1 5/8") steel studs and track a minimum of 9.5mm (3/8") apart. Maintain separation between paired steel studs by attaching steel stud bridging 760mm (30") o.c. to steel stud webs using self-drilling, self-tapping screws (two per stud).

Fasten 12.7mm (1/2") PermaBase horizontally to one side using 25mm (1") screws spaced 150mm (6") o.c. on the perimeter and 200mm (8") o.c. in the field. Fasten 89mm (3 5/8") minimum 45 kg/m² (2.8 lb/ft²) mineral wool insulation in the cavity. Fasten 15.9mm (5/8") CertainTeed Type X products vertically to the other side with 25mm (1") screws spaced 300mm (12") o.c. All joints must be staggered a minimum of 300mm (12"). Tape and finish PermaBase joints with fiberglass mesh joint tape and latex-modified Portland cement mortar applied at a minimum rate of 2.7 kg/m² (0.55 lb/ft²). Tape and finish CertainTeed Type X products with CertainTeed products. 15.9mm (5/8") CertainTeed Type X products may be substituted for the 12.7mm (1/2") CertainTeed Type C products' in this assembly.

System PPA157

Position paired 41mm (1 5/8") steel studs and track a minimum of 9.5mm (3/8") apart. Maintain separation between paired steel studs by attaching steel stud bridging 760mm (30") o.c. to steel stud webs using self-drilling, self-tapping screws (two per stud).

Fasten 12.7mm (1/2") CertainTeed Type C products vertically or horizontally to one side using 25mm (1") screws spaced 200mm (8") on the perimeter and 300mm (12") o.c. in the field. Fasten a face layer of 12.7mm (1/2") PermaBase horizontally to the same side using 41mm (1 5/8") screws spaced 150mm (6") o.c. on the perimeter and 200mm (8") o.c. in the field. Install 89mm (3 5/8") minimum 45 kg/m² (2.8 lb/ft²) mineral wool insulation in the cavity. Fasten 12.7mm (1/2") ProRoc Type C board vertically to the other side with 25mm (1") screws spaced 200mm (8") on the perimeter and 300mm (12") o.c. in the field. All joints must be staggered a minimum of 300mm (12"). Tape and finish PermaBase joints with fiberglass mesh joint tape and latex-modified Portland cement mortar applied at a minimum rate of 2.7 kg/m² (0.55 lb/ft²). Tape and finish outer layer CertainTeed Type C products' joints with CertainTeed products. 15.9mm (5/8") CertainTeed Type X products may be substituted for the 12.7mm (1/2") CertainTeed Type C products in this assembly.
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**System PPA160**

Position paired 41mm (1 1/4") steel studs and track a minimum of 9.5mm (3/8") apart. Maintain separation between paired steel studs by attaching steel stud bridging 760mm (30") o.c. to steel stud webs using self-drilling, self-tapping screws (two per stud).

Fasten 12.7mm (1/2") CertainTeed Type C products vertically or horizontally to one side using 25mm (1") screws spaced 300mm (12") o.c. Fasten a face layer of 12.7mm (1/2") PermaBase horizontally to the same side using 41mm (1 1/4") screws spaced 150mm (6") on the perimeter and 200mm (8") o.c. in the field. Install 89mm (3 1/2") minimum 45 kg/m³ (2.1 lb/ft³) mineral wool insulation in the cavity. Fasten 12.7mm (1/2") PermaBase horizontally to the other side with 25mm (1") screws spaced 150mm (6") on the perimeter and 200mm (8") o.c. in the field. All joints must be staggered a minimum of 300mm (12"). Tape and finish PermaBase joints with fiberglass mesh joint tape and latex-modified Portland cement mortar applied at a minimum rate of 2.7 kg/m² (0.55 lb/ft²). 15.9mm (5/8") CertainTeed Type X products may be substituted for the 12.7mm (1/2") CertainTeed Type C products in this assembly.

**FIRE: ULC W436**

**SOUND: NRC CR-6466.7**

**System PPA261**

Position paired 41mm (1 1/4") steel studs and track a minimum of 9.5mm (3/8") apart. Maintain separation between paired steel studs by attaching steel stud bridging 760mm (30") o.c. to steel stud webs using self-drilling, self-tapping screws (two per stud).

Fasten 12.7mm (1/2") CertainTeed Type C products vertically or horizontally to one side using 25mm (1") screws spaced 300mm (12") o.c. Fasten a face layer of 12.7mm (1/2") PermaBase horizontally to the same side using 41mm (1 1/4") screws spaced 150mm (6") o.c. in the field. Install 89mm (3 1/2") minimum 45 kg/m³ (2.1 lb/ft³) mineral wool insulation in the cavity. Fasten 12.7mm (1/2") CertainTeed Type C products vertically or horizontally to the other side using 25mm (1") screws spaced 300mm (12") o.c. Fasten a face layer of 12.7mm (1/2") CertainTeed Type C products vertically or horizontally to the same side using 41mm (1 1/4") screws spaced 300mm (12") o.c. Joints must be staggered a minimum of 600mm (24") from joints in the base layer. Tape and finish PermaBase joints with fiberglass mesh joint tape and latex-modified Portland cement mortar applied at a minimum rate of 2.7 kg/m² (0.55 lb/ft²). Tape and finish outer layer CertainTeed Type C products' joints with CertainTeed products. 15.9mm (5/8") CertainTeed Type X products may be substituted for the 12.7mm (1/2") CertainTeed Type C products in this assembly.

**FIRE: ULC W439**

**SOUND: NRC CR-6466.9**

**System PPA263**

Position paired 41mm (1 1/4") steel studs and track a minimum of 9.5mm (3/8") apart. Maintain separation between paired steel studs by attaching steel stud bridging 760mm (30") o.c. to steel stud webs using self-drilling, self-tapping screws (two per stud).

Fasten 12.7mm (1/2") CertainTeed Type C products vertically or horizontally to each side using 25mm (1") screws spaced 300mm (12") o.c. Fasten a face layer of 12.7mm (1/2") PermaBase horizontally to each side using 41mm (1 1/4") screws spaced 230mm (9") o.c. Install 89mm (3 1/2") minimum 34 kg/m³ (2.1 lb/ft³) mineral wool insulation in the cavity. All joints must be staggered a minimum of 300mm (12"). Tape and finish PermaBase joints with fiberglass mesh joint tape and latex-modified Portland cement mortar applied at a minimum rate of 2.7 kg/m² (0.55 lb/ft²). 15.9mm (5/8") CertainTeed Type X products may be substituted for the 12.7mm (1/2") CertainTeed Type C products in this assembly.

**FIRE: ULC W439**

**SOUND: NRC CR-6466.10**

*Chase Wall Partitions provide a space in the partition cavity to accommodate plumbing, electrical and other services.*