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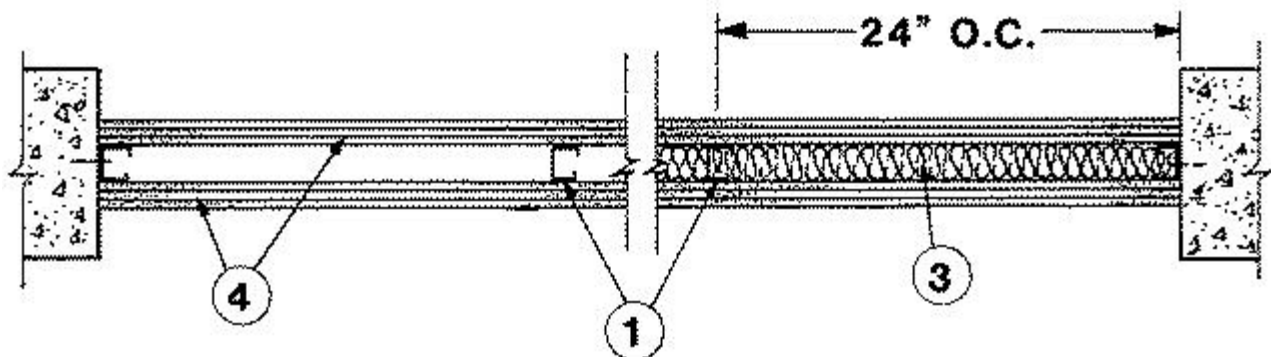
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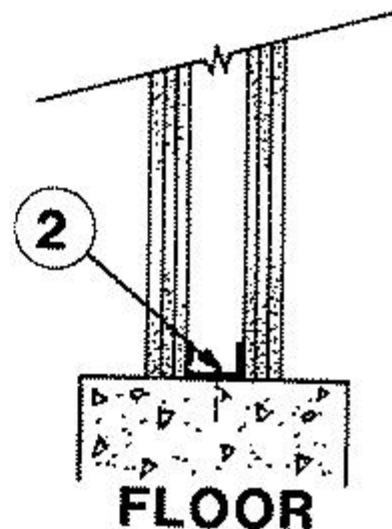
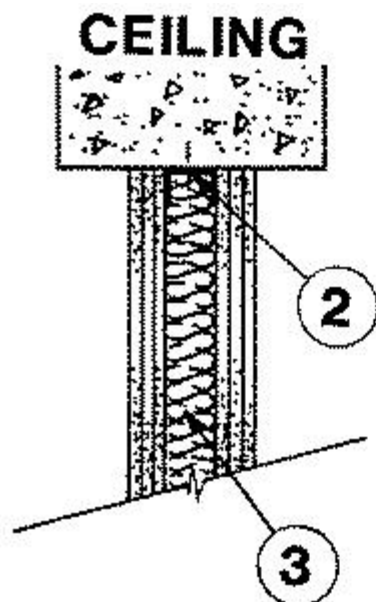
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Assembly Rating — 3 Hr or 4 Hr (See Item 4)

Nonbearing Wall





1. **Studs** — Channel-shaped, 1-5/8 in. wide by 1-1/4 in. deep, with 5/16 in. folded back return flange legs. Fabricated from No. 25 MSG galvanized steel. Stud spacing 16 or 24 in. OC. Studs to be cut 1 in. less than assembly height.

1A. **Framing Members*— Steel Studs** — As an alternate to Item 1 - Channel shaped studs, min 1-5/8 in. wide, spaced a max of 24 in. OC. Studs to be cut 1 in. less than assembly height.

ALLSTEEL & GYPSUM PRODUCTS INC — Type SUPREME Framing System

CONSOLIDATED FABRICATORS CORP, BUILDING PRODUCTS DIV — Type SUPREME Framing System

QUAIL RUN BUILDING MATERIALS INC — Type SUPREME Framing System

SCAFCO STEEL STUD MANUFACTURING CO — Type SUPREME Framing System

STEEL CONSTRUCTION SYSTEMS INC — Type SUPREME Framing System

UNITED METAL PRODUCTS INC — Type SUPREME Framing System

1B. **Framing Members* - Steel Studs** — Not shown - In lieu of Item 1 — For use with Item 2B, proprietary channel shaped steel studs, 1-1/4 in. deep by min 1-5/8 in. wide fabricated from min 0.020 in. thick galv steel. Attached to floor and ceiling with fasteners spaced 24 in. OC max. Studs to be cut 1 in. less than assembly height.

CALIFORNIA EXPANDED METAL PRODUCTS CO — Viper20™

MARINO/WARE, DIV OF WARE INDUSTRIES INC — Viper20™

PHILLIPS MFG CO L L C — Viper20™

1C. **Framing Members*— Steel Studs** — Not shown - In lieu of Item 1 — For use with Item 2C, proprietary channel shaped steel studs, 1-1/4 in. deep by min 1-5/8 in. wide fabricated from min 0.015 in. thick galv steel. Attached to floor and ceiling with fasteners spaced 24 in. OC max. Studs to be cut 1 in. less than assembly

height.

CLARKDIETRICH BUILDING SYSTEMS — CD ProSTUD

DMFCWBS L L C — ProSTUD

MBA BUILDING SUPPLIES — ProSTUD

RAM SALES L L C — Ram ProSTUD

SOUTHEASTERN STUD & COMPONENTS INC — ProSTUD

STEEL STRUCTURAL SYSTEMS L L C — Tri-S ProSTUD

1D. **Framing Members*— Steel Studs** — Not shown - In lieu of Item 1 — For use with Item 2D, proprietary channel shaped steel studs, 1-1/4 in. deep by min 1-5/8 in. wide fabricated from min 0.018 in. thick galv steel. Attached to floor and ceiling with fasteners spaced 24 in. OC max. Studs to be cut 1 in. less than assembly height.

TELLING INDUSTRIES L L C — TRUE-STUD™

1E. **Framing Members* - Steel Studs** — (As an alternate to Item 1, For use with Item 4C) Channel shaped, fabricated from min 20 MSG corrosion-protected or galv steel, 3-1/2 in. min width, min 1-1/2 in. flanges and 1/4 in. return, spaced a max of 16 in. OC. Studs friction-fit into floor and ceiling runners. Studs to be cut 5/8 to 3/4 in. less than assembly height.

1F. **Framing Members* - Steel Studs** — Not shown - In lieu of Item 1 — For use with Item 2F, proprietary channel shaped steel studs, 1-1/4 in. deep by min 1-5/8 in. wide fabricated from min 0.020 in. thick galv steel. Attached to floor and ceiling with fasteners spaced 24 in. OC max. Studs to be cut 1 in. less than assembly height.

TELLING INDUSTRIES L L C — Viper20™

1G. **Framing Members* - Steel Studs** — (As an alternate to Items 1 through 1F, for use with item 2G) Channel shaped, min. 1.97 in. wide by 1-1/4 in. deep. Fabricated from 25 MSG galv steel. Stud spacing 16 or 24 in. OC. Studs to be cut 1 in. less than assembly height.

KIRII (HONG KONG) LTD — Type KIRII

2. **Floor and Ceiling Runners** — Channel-shaped runners, min 1-5/8 in. wide by 1-1/4 in. deep, fabricated from No. 25 MSG galvanized steel. Attached to floor and ceiling with fasteners spaced 24 in. OC max.

2A. **Framing Members*— Floor and Ceiling Runners** — As an alternate to Item 2 - Channel shaped, min 1-5/8 in. wide, attached to floor and ceiling with fasteners 24 in. OC. max.

ALLSTEEL & GYPSUM PRODUCTS INC — Type SUPREME Framing System

CONSOLIDATED FABRICATORS CORP, BUILDING PRODUCTS DIV — Type SUPREME Framing System

QUAIL RUN BUILDING MATERIALS INC — Type SUPREME Framing System

SCAFCO STEEL STUD MANUFACTURING CO — Type SUPREME Framing System

STEEL CONSTRUCTION SYSTEMS INC — Type SUPREME Framing System

UNITED METAL PRODUCTS INC — Type SUPREME Framing System

2B. Framing Members* - Floor and Ceiling Runner — Not shown - In lieu of Item 2 — For use with Item 1B, proprietary channel shaped runners, 1-1/4 in. deep by min 1-5/8 in. wide fabricated from min 0.020 in. thick galv steel, attached to floor and ceiling with fasteners spaced 24 in. OC max.

CALIFORNIA EXPANDED METAL PRODUCTS CO — Viper20™ Track

MARINO/WARE, DIV OF WARE INDUSTRIES INC — Viper20™ Track

PHILLIPS MFG CO L L C — Viper20™ Track

2C. Framing Members*— Floor and Ceiling Runners — Not shown - In lieu of Item 2 — For use with Item 1C, proprietary channel shaped runners, 1-1/4 in. deep by min 1-5/8 in. wide fabricated from min 0.015 in. thick galv steel, attached to floor and ceiling with fasteners spaced 24 in. OC max.

CLARKDIETRICH BUILDING SYSTEMS — CD ProTRAK

DMFCWBS L L C — ProTRAK

MBA BUILDING SUPPLIES — ProTRAK

RAM SALES L L C — Ram ProTRAK

SOUTHEASTERN STUD & COMPONENTS INC — ProTRAK

STEEL STRUCTURAL SYSTEMS L L C — Tri-S ProTRAK

2D. Framing Members*— Floor and Ceiling Runners — Not shown - In lieu of Item 2 — For use with Item 1D, proprietary channel shaped runners, 1-1/4 in. deep by min 1-5/8 in. wide fabricated from min 0.018 in. thick galv steel, attached to floor and ceiling with fasteners spaced 24 in. OC max.

TELLING INDUSTRIES L L C — TRUE-TRACK™

2E. Framing Members* - Floor and Ceiling Runners — (Not shown)—For use with Item 1E- Channel shaped, fabricated from min 20 MSG corrosion-protected or galv steel, min width to accommodate stud size, with min 1 in. long legs, attached to floor and ceiling with fasteners spaced max 24 in. OC.

2F. Framing Members* - Floor and Ceiling Runner — Not shown - In lieu of Item 2 — For use with Item 1F, proprietary channel shaped runners, 1-1/4 in. deep by min 1-5/8 in. wide fabricated from min 0.020 in. thick galv steel, attached to floor and ceiling with fasteners spaced 24 in. OC max.

TELLING INDUSTRIES L L C — Viper20™ Track

2G. Framing Members* - Floor and Ceiling Runners — (Not shown) - For use with Item 1G - proprietary channel shaped runners, 1-1/4 in. deep by min 1.97 in. wide fabricated from 25MSG galv steel, attached to floor and ceiling with fasteners spaced 24 in. OC max.

KIRII (HONG KONG) LTD — Type KIRII

3. **Batts and Blankets*** — (Optional) — Mineral wool insulation, partially or completely filling stud cavity.

IIG MINWOOL L L C — Type SAFB

ROCK WOOL MANUFACTURING CO — Delta Board.

THERMAFIBER INC — Type SAFB.

3A. **Fiber, Sprayed*** — As an alternate to Batts and Blankets (Item 3) — (100% Borate Formulation) — Spray applied cellulose material. The fiber is applied with water to completely fill the enclosed cavity in accordance with the application instructions supplied with the product with a nominal dry density of 2.7 lb/ft³. Alternate Application Method: The fiber is applied without water or adhesive at a nominal dry density of 3.5 lb/ft³, in accordance with the application instructions supplied with the product.

U S GREENFIBER L L C — INS735 & INS745 for use with wet or dry application. INS765LD and INS770LD are to be used for dry application only.

3B. **Fiber, Sprayed*** — As an alternate to Batts and Blankets (Item 3) and Item 3A - Spray applied cellulose insulation material. The fiber is applied with water to interior surfaces in accordance with the application instructions supplied with the product. Applied to completely fill the enclosed cavity. Minimum dry density of 4.3 pounds per cubic ft.

NU-WOOL CO INC — Cellulose Insulation

3C. **Fiber, Sprayed*** — As an alternate to Batts and Blankets (Item 3) - Spray applied cellulose fiber. The fiber is applied with water to completely fill the enclosed cavity in accordance with the application instructions supplied with the product. The minimum dry density shall be 4.30 lbs/ft³.

INTERNATIONAL CELLULOSE CORP — Celbar-RL

4. **Gypsum Board*** — 1/2 in. thick, 4 ft wide with square or tapered edges. **For 4 Hr Rating** Four layers of gypsum board to be used. Inner layers to be applied vertically with joints centered over studs. Outer layer may be applied vertically or horizontally. First layer fastened to each stud with 1 in. long Type S, self-tapping steel screws. Second layer fastened to each stud through the first layer with 1-5/8 in. long, Type S, self-tapping steel screws. Third layer fastened to each stud through the first and second layers with 2-1/4 in. long, Type S, self-tapping steel screws. Fourth layer fastened to each stud through the first, second and third layers with 2-5/8 in. long, Type S, self-tapping steel screws. First layer screws shall be located 5 in. from top and bottom of wall with a maximum spacing of 48 in. O.C. vertically between top and bottom screws. Second and third layer screws shall be located 4 and 3 in., respectively, from the top and bottom of wall with the same vertical spacing as the first layer screws. Fourth layer screws shall be located 2 in. from top and bottom of wall and spaced 12 in. OC vertically. Each fourth layer horizontal board end shall be centered over and secured to the stud with screws spaced 1/2 in. from end joint and 12 in. OC vertically. Board end joints shall be staggered. At board side joints all screws shall be located 1/2 in. from the joints. Fourth layer also secured to the second and third layers with 1-1/2 in. long, Type G, self-tapping steel screws located midway between studs and 1 in. from the horizontal joint. Joints in each layer of gypsum board to be staggered from the joints in the adjacent layer and on opposite sides of studs.

For 3 hr rating — Three layers of gypsum board to be used. Inner layers to be applied vertically with joints centered over studs. Outer layer may be applied vertically or horizontally. First layer fastened to each stud with 1 in. long, Type S, self-tapping steel screws. Second layer fastened to each stud through the first layer with 1-5/8 in. long, Type S, self-tapping steel screws. Third layer fastened to each stud through the first and second layers with 2-1/4 in. long, Type S, self-tapping steel screws. First and second layer screws shall be locate 4 and 3 in. from top and bottom of wall, respectively, with a maximum spacing of 48 in. OC vertically. The third layer screws shall be located 2 in. from top and bottom of wall with a maximum spacing of 12 in. OC vertically. Each third layer horizontal board end shall be centered over and secured to the stud with Type S, self-tapping steel screws spaced 1/2 in. from end joint and 12 in. OC vertically. Third layer, also secured to the first and the second layers with 1-1/2 in. long, Type G, Self-tapping steel screws located midway between studs and 1 in. from the horizontal joint. Board end joints shall be staggered. Vertical board joints to be staggered from the joints in the adjacent layer and on opposite sides of studs.

AMERICAN GYPSUM CO — Types AG-C.

CGC INC — Types C, IP-X2 IPC-AR.

CERTAINTED GYPSUM INC — Type FRPC, Type C.

CERTAINTED GYPSUM CANADA INC — Type C.

GEORGIA-PACIFIC GYPSUM L L C — Types 5, DAPC.

LAFARGE NORTH AMERICA INC — Type LGFC-C, LGFC-C/A.

NATIONAL GYPSUM CO — Types FSK-C, FSW-G, FSW-C, FSMR-C.

PABCO BUILDING PRODUCTS L L C, DBA PABCO GYPSUM — Type PG-C.

TEMPLE-INLAND — Type TG-C.

THAI GYPSUM PRODUCTS PCL — Type C.

UNITED STATES GYPSUM CO — Types C, IP-X2, IPC-AR.

USG MEXICO S A DE C V — Types C, IP-X2, IPC-AR.

For 3 hr rating — Two layers of 3/4 in. thick, 4 ft wide applied to each side of the steel studs. Inner layers to be applied vertically with joints centered over studs and staggered on opposite sides of studs. Outer layers to be applied horizontally with vertical butt joints staggered from inner layer joints or vertically with joints centered over studs and staggered on opposite sides of studs.

Inner layer secured with 1-1/4 in. long Type S self-drilling, self-tapping steel screws spaced 24 in. OC along the perimeter and in the field. Outer layer, when secured horizontally, secured with 2-1/4 in. long Type S self-drilling, self-tapping steel screws spaced 24 in. OC along the perimeter and in the field along the horizontal joints of the outer layer, 1-1/2 in. long Type G self-drilling, self-tapping steel screws to be applied midway between the studs (24 in. OC) and 1 in. from the longitudinal joint. Outer layer, when secured vertically, secured with 2-1/4 in. long Type S self-drilling, self-tapping steel screws spaced 24 in. OC along the perimeter and in the field.

CGC INC — Type IP-X3, ULTRACODE, ULTRACODE SHC or ULTRACODE WRC.

UNITED STATES GYPSUM CO — Type IP-X3, ULTRACODE, ULTRACODE SHC or ULTRACODE WRC.

USG MEXICO S A DE C V — Type IP-X3, ULTRACODE, ULTRACODE SHC or ULTRACODE WRC.

4A. Gypsum Board* — (As an alternate to Item 4) — 5/8 in. thick. **For 4 hr Rating** — Four layers of gypsum board installed as described in Item 4, with fourth layer screw length increased by 1/4 in. **For 3 hr Rating** — Three layers of gypsum board installed as described in Item 4.

LAFARGE NORTH AMERICA INC — Type LGFC-C/A

NATIONAL GYPSUM CO — Type FSMR-C.

4B. Gypsum Board* — (As an alternate to Item 4) — 5/8 in. thick. **For 3 hr Rating** — Three layers of gypsum board installed as described in Item 4.

LAFARGE NORTH AMERICA INC — Types LGFC6A, LGFC-WD, and LGFC2A.

4C. Gypsum Board* — (Not Shown) - (As an alternate to Item 4 when used as the base layer on one or both sides of wall. For direct attachment only to steel studs Item 2C) - Nom 5/8 in. thick lead backed gypsum panels with beveled, square or tapered edges, applied vertically. Vertical joints centered over studs and staggered min 1 stud cavity on opposite sides of studs. Gypsum board secured to studs with 1-1/4 in. long Type S-12 steel screws spaced 8 in. OC at perimeter and 12 in. OC in the field.

RAY-BAR ENGINEERING CORP — Type RB-LBG

4D. Gypsum Board* — (Not Shown) - (As an alternate to Item 4 when used as the base layer on one or both sides of wall. For direct attachment only to steel studs Item 2C) - Nom 5/8 in. thick lead backed gypsum panels with beveled, square or tapered edges, applied vertically. Vertical joints centered over studs and staggered min 1 stud cavity on opposite sides of studs. Gypsum board secured to studs with 1-1/4 in. long Type S-12 steel screws spaced 8 in. OC at perimeter and 12 in. OC in the field. To be used with Lead Batten Strips (see Item 6A) or Lead Discs (see Item 7A).

MAYCO INDUSTRIES INC — Type X-Ray Shielded Gypsum

4E. Gypsum Board* — (Not Shown) - (As an alternate to Item 4 when used as the base layer on one or both sides of wall. For direct attachment only to steel studs Item 2C). Nom 5/8 in. thick lead backed gypsum panels with beveled, square or tapered edges, applied vertically. Vertical joints centered over studs and staggered min 1 stud cavity on opposite sides of studs. Wallboard secured to studs with 1-1/4 in. long Type S-12 steel screws gypsum panel steel screws spaced 8 in. OC at perimeter and 12 in. OC in the field. Lead batten strips required behind vertical joints of lead backed gypsum wallboard and optional at remaining stud locations. Lead batten strips, min 2 in. wide, max 8 ft long with a max thickness of 0.14 in. placed on the face of studs and attached to the stud with construction adhesive and two 1 in. long Type S-12 pan head steel screws, one at the top of the strip and one at the bottom of the strip. Lead discs, nominal 3/8 in. diam by max 0.085 in. thick. Compression fitted or adhered over the screw heads. Lead batten strips and discs to have a purity of 99.9% meeting the Federal specification QQ-L-201f, Grade "C".

RADIATION PROTECTION PRODUCTS INC — Type RPP - Lead Lined Drywall

5. Joint Tape and Compound — Vinyl or casein, dry or premixed joint compound applied in two coats to joints and screw heads. Paper tape, 2 in. wide, embedded in first layer of compound over all joints.

6. Lead Batten Strips — (Not Shown, For Use With Item 4C) - Lead batten strips, min 1-1/2 in. wide, max 10 ft long with a max thickness of 0.125 in. Strips placed on the interior face of studs and attached from the exterior face of the stud with two 1 in. long Type S-12 pan head steel screws, one at the top of the strip and one at the bottom of the strip. Lead batten strips to have a purity of 99.9% meeting the Federal specification QQ-L-201f, Grade "C". Lead batten strips required behind vertical joints of lead backed gypsum board (Item 4C) and optional at remaining stud locations. Required behind vertical joints.

6A. Lead Batten Strips — (Not Shown, for use with Item 4D) Lead batten strips, 2 in. wide, max 10 ft long with a max thickness of 0.140 in. Strips placed on the face of studs and attached to the stud with two min. 1 in. long min. Type S-8 pan head steel screws, one at the top of the strip and one at the bottom of the strip or with one min. 1 in. long min. Type S-8 pan head steel screw at the top of the strip. Lead batten strips to have a purity of 99.9% meeting the Federal specification QQ-L-201f, Grades "A, B, C or D". Lead batten strips required behind vertical joints of lead backed gypsum wallboard and optional at remaining stud locations.

7. Lead Discs or Tabs — (Not Shown, For Use With Item 4C) - Used in lieu of or in addition to the lead batten strips (Item 6) or optional at other locations - Max 3/4 in. diam by max 0.125 in. thick lead discs compression fitted or adhered over steel screw heads or max 1/2 in. by 1-1/4 in. by max 0.125 in. thick lead tabs placed on gypsum boards (Item 4C) underneath screw locations prior to the installation of the screws. Lead discs or tabs to have a purity of 99.9% meeting the Federal specification QQ-L-201f, Grade "C".

7A. Lead Discs — (Not Shown, for use with Item 4D) Max 5/16 in. diam by max 0.140 in. thick lead discs compression fitted or adhered over steel screw heads. Lead discs to have a purity of 99.9% meeting the Federal Specification QQ-L-201f, Grades "A, B, C or D".

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