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FIREBLOC, FIREBLOC TYPE C

Product Description

American Gypsum Firebloc and Firebloc Type C Boards are manufactured with improved fire resistance qualities. Firebloc has a specially formulated Type X core that provides fire ratings of 1-2 hours. Firebloc Type C is additionally enhanced for fire rated assemblies of up to 4 hours. These boards can be used to provide fire resistance in walls, partitions, floor–ceilings, roof–ceilings, columns, beams, girders, and trusses.

Product Data

Typical Sizes:	1/2" thickness, 4' width, 8'-12' length, Type X 5/8" thickness, 4' width, 8'-12' length, Type X
Edges:	Tapered
Weight:	Approx. 1.9 - 2.3 lbs./sq.ft.
Compliance:	ASTM C-36, Type X Flame Spread 15, Smoke Developed 0

Advantages

- Available in 1/2", and 5/8" thickness with type X cores.
- Provides for a variety of low cost fire rated systems.
- UL and Omega Point listed.
- Noncombustible panels can be scored and sized for quick application.
- Installed over wood or metal framing.
- Panel edges are tapered for ease of finishing.
- Can be used in either residential or commercial applications.

Limitations

- Panel installation and finishing to comply with GA 214 and 216-96.
- For interior use only.
- Should not be used in areas of excessive moisture or steam.
- Maximum spacing of framing members is 24' o.c.
- Fire rated assemblies to comply with GA 600 or UL Fire Design Manual.

Submittal Approvals: