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Fire Resistance Ratings - ANSI/UL 263

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Design No. U497

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Nonbearing Wall Rating — 2 Hr

FINISHED SIDE

HORIZONTAL SECTION

CEILING

FLOOR
1. **Channel Track** — "J"-shaped channel, 2-1/2 in. deep with unequal legs of 1 in. and 2 in., fabricated from No. 25 MSG galv steel. Channel positioned with short leg toward finished side of wall. Channel attached to structural supports with steel fasteners located not greater than 2 in. from ends and not greater than 24 in. OC.

2. **Steel Studs** — "I"-shaped studs, min 2-1/2 in. deep by 1-1/2 in. wide, fabricated from min 25 MSG galv steel. Cut to lengths 1/2 in. less than floor to ceiling height and spaced 24 in. OC.

2A. **Steel Studs** — (Not Shown) — "C-H"-shaped studs, min 2-1/2 in. deep by 1-1/2 in. wide, fabricated from min 25 MSG galv steel. Cut to lengths 1/2 in. less than floor to ceiling height and spaced 24 in. OC.

2B. **Steel Studs** — (Not Shown) — "C-T"-shaped studs, min 2-1/2 in. deep by 1-1/2 in. wide, fabricated from min 25 MSG galv steel. Cut to lengths 1/2 in. less than floor to ceiling height and spaced 24 in. OC.

2C. **Furring Channels** — (Optional, not shown) - Resilient furring channels fabricated from min. 25 MSG corrosion protected steel, installed horizontally, and spaced vertically a max. 24 in. OC. Flange portion of channel attached to each intersecting stud on side of stud opposite the 1 in. liner panels with 1/2 in. long Type S or S-12 pan-head steel screws. When furring channels are used, wallboard to be installed vertically.

3. **Gypsum Board*** — 1 in. thick gypsum wallboard liner panels, supplied in nom 24 in. widths. Panels cut 1 in. less in length than floor to ceiling heights. Vertical edges inserted in "I" studs. Free edge of end panels attached to long leg of channel track with 1-5/16 in. long Type S self-drilling, self-tapping bugle head steel screws spaced 1 in. in from both edges.

NATIONAL GYPSUM CO — Types FSW, FSW-B, FSW-7.

4. **Gypsum Board*** — 1/2 in. thick, 4 ft wide wallboard applied vertically in two layers. Inner or base layer attached to studs with 1 in. long Type S self-drilling, self-tapping bugle head steel screws spaced 24 in. OC along the edges and in the field of the boards. Outer or face layer attached to studs and channel track with 1-5/8 in. long Type S self-drilling, self-tapping bugle head steel screws spaced 12 in. along the edges and in the field of the boards, staggered from screws in inner layer. When Furring Channels (Item 2C) are used, inner or base layer attached to furring channels with 1 in. long Type S self-drilling, self-tapping bugle head steel screws. Outer or face layer attached to furring channels with 1-5/8 in. long Type S self-drilling, self-tapping bugle head steel screws spaced 12 in. OC and staggered 12 in. from base layer screws. Joints between inner and outer layers staggered. Outer layer joints covered with paper tape and joint compound. Exposed screw heads covered with joint compound.

AMERICAN GYPSUM CO — Type AG-C

CERTAINTEED GYPSUM INC — ProRoc Type C.

CERTAINTEED GYPSUM CANADA INC — ProRoc Type C.

CANADIAN GYPSUM COMPANY — Types C, IP-X2, IPC-AR.

GEORGIA-PACIFIC GYPSUM LLC — Type DAPC

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

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

PANEL REY S A — Type PRC

TEMPLE-INLAND — Type TG-C

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

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

4A. **Gypsum Board*** — (As an alternate to Item 4) — 5/8 in. thick. Two layers installed as described in Item 4.

5. **Batts and Blankets** — (Optional, not shown)- Mineral wool or glass fiber batts partially or completely filling stud cavity. Any mineral wool or glass fiber batt bearing the UL Classification Marking as to Fire Resistance. See **Batts and Blankets** (BZJZ) category for names of Classified companies.

*Bearing the UL Classification Mark

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