

ENGINEERING EVALUATION

Siga WRB's and Hunter Polyiso Foam Insulation in NFPA 285 Assemblies

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Abstract

Hunter has granted use of their NFPA 285 Engineering Evaluation (and related data) to determine Engineering Extensions of alternate WRB products manufactured by Siga. This evaluation, along with NFPA 285 and cone calorimeter (ASTM E1354) data from Hunter and Siga were used to create a matrix of constructions using various combinations of Hunter/Siga products which could meet NFPA 285 with specific limitations.

The conclusions reached by this evaluation are true and correct, within the bounds of sound engineering practice. All reasoning for our decisions is contained within this document.

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INTRODUCTION

The purpose of this evaluation is to allow use of Siga WRB products in previously evaluated Hunter NFPA 285 assemblies that can meet the requirements of NFPA 285 (Ref. 1). Cone Calorimeter (Ref. 3) and NFPA 285 data were submitted to compare the flammability of Siga WRB products to various Hunter approved WRB's in EEV 10123 (Ref. 4).

REFERENCED DOCUMENTS

- 1) NFPA 285-12 Standard Fire Test Method for Evaluation of Fire Propagation Characteristics of Exterior Non-loadbearing Wall Assemblies Containing Combustible Components
- 2) Babrauskas, V., Lucas, D., Eisenberg, D., Singla, V., Dedeo, M., & Blum, A. (2012). Flame retardants in building insulation: a case for re-evaluating building codes. Building Research & Information. doi:10.1080/09613218.2012.744533
- 3) Cone Calorimeter and NFPA 285 Data for Siga and Hunter Data Confidential btw Siga, Hunter and Priest & Associates
- 4) Priest and Associates EEV 10123 Hunter NFPA 285 Evaluation
- 5) DRJ Engineering TER 1402-01 and 02 Hunter Approved NFPA 285 Assemblies
- Lindholm et al. Cone Calorimeter a Tool for Measuring Heat Release <u>http://www.ffrc.fi/FlameDays_2009/4B/LindholmPaper.pdf</u>
- 7) Babrauskas et al., 10 Years of Heat Release Research NIST Publication http://fire.nist.gov/bfrlpubs/fire93/PDF/f93048.pdf

EVALUATION METHOD

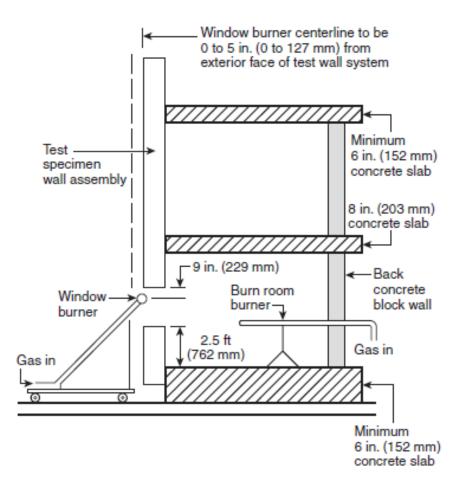
NFPA 285 Criteria

The NFPA 285 fire test (Ref. 1) is designed to test the flame spread properties of exterior walls containing combustible components. Two non-combustible rooms are stacked to simulate two stories of a multi-story building. The wall assembly is then attached to the exterior face of the rooms. A typical test wall measures 14 ft x 18 ft with a 30 in. x 78 in. window opening placed on the bottom floor.

During a test, a calibrated fire starts in the bottom room. After 5 minutes, the exterior burner is ignited to produce a specific heat flux/temperature pattern on the exterior of the wall. Both burners remain ignited during the 30 minute test. Personnel monitor flame spread visually during the course of the test. A computer data acquisition system monitors and records the thermocouples temperatures. The criteria for passing (Ref. 1) are as follows (reworded in simple terms for this analysis):

- Flames shall not spread vertically 10 ft above the window opening as determined visually or by thermocouples located at the 10 ft level. Failure occurs when thermocouples 11 or 14 - 17 exceed 1000°F.
- 2) Flames shall not spread (visually) horizontally 5 ft on either side of the centerline of the window opening.
- Flames shall not spread inside the wall cavity as determined by thermocouples placed within the wall cavity insulation and air-gaps if present. Failure occurs when thermocouples 28 or 31 - 40 or 55 - 65 and 68 - 79 exceed 750°F above ambient.
- Flames shall not spread horizontally within the wall cavity past the interior room dimension as determined by wall cavity thermocouples. Failure occurs when thermocouples 18 - 19, or 66 - 67, or 79 - 80 exceed 750°F above ambient.
- 5) Flames shall not spread to the second story room as determined by interior wall surface thermocouples. Failure occurs when thermocouples 49 54 exceed 500°F above ambient.
- 6) Flames shall not occur in the second story (visually).
- 7) Flames shall not escape (visually) from the interior to the exterior at the wall/wall intersection of the bottom story room.



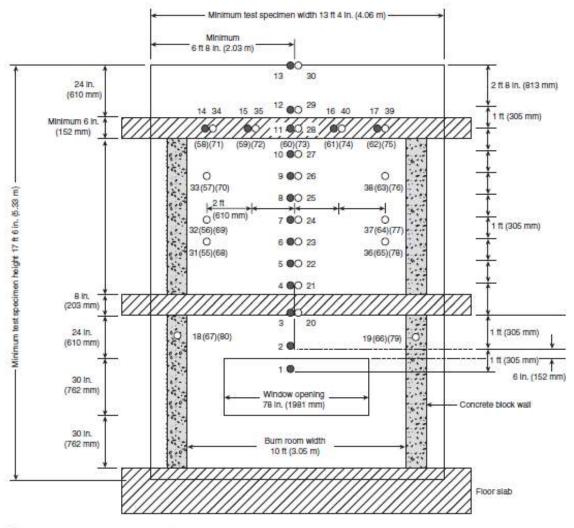


Two burners are ignited to produce a specific time-temperature profile in the room and on the exterior face of the wall.

Thermocouples are placed at strategic locations to monitor temperature as an indicator of flame spread.

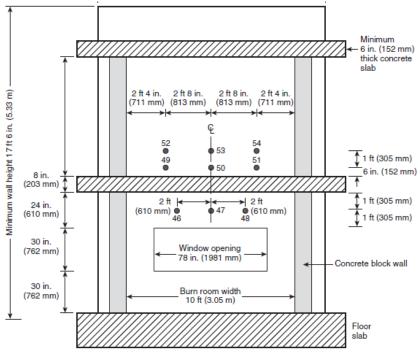
In the depictions below, thermocouples 1 - 10, and 20 - 27 are not used for compliance purposes. The remainders are used to monitor flame spread.





- Thermocouples 1 In. (25 mm) from exterior wall surface
- O Thermocouples In the wall cavity air space or the insulation, or both, as shown in Figure 6.1(b) Details A through I.
- () Thermocouples Additional thermocouples in the insulation or the stud cavity, or both, where required for the test specimen construction being tested, as shown in Figure 6.1(b) Details C through I.





Thermocouples — 1 in. (25 mm) from interior wall surface

Constructions Tested

This evaluation is based on Hunter EEV 10123 (Ref. 4) as the basis document. The EEV was based on several NFPA 285 tests deemed as worst case assemblies allowing various component options based on the testing. Each report describes a specific construction tested per NFPA 285. The specific constructions are confidential, but included various combinations of wall components. These include cavity insulation, exterior sheathing, water resistive barrier (WRB), exterior insulation, exterior WRB, air gap, claddings and window details.

Additionally, Cone Calorimeter tests conducted by Siga were used for this analysis.

WRB Analysis

If a new WRB is less flammable than the NFPA 285 tested WRB, it is allowed as an alternate component. Cone calorimeter data (Ref. 3) was submitted to evaluate substitutions of the WRB products.

When analyzing cone calorimeter data, two sets of numbers are typically used. These are: the time to ignition (T_{ign}) at a given heat flux; and, the peak heat release rate (Pk. HRR). Clearly, smaller Peak Heat Release Rate (Pk. HRR) values and longer time to ignition (T_{ign}) values are considered to be improvements (i.e., less flammable) when comparing materials using the Cone Calorimeter. However, some data for a given comparison are conflicting. To resolve these types of discrepancies, researchers (Ref. 7) have used a ranking system to organize cone calorimeter data for flammability comparison.

The expression $Rank = \frac{Pk.HRR}{T_{ign}}$ resolves inconsistencies in relative flammability data when using the Cone Calorimeter. Lower HRR and longer T_{ign} make the rank smaller. So, smaller rank materials are considered less flammable than higher rank materials.

With that understood, it should be noted that the accepted relative error [of the HRR] in cone calorimeters is "approximately 20 - 30% for 1 kW fires, 10% for 3 kW fires and less than 10% for 5 kW fires". (Ref. 6).



WRB under Foam Insulation

The Siga WRB products listed below are less flammable (peak HRR or improved Rank) than at least one of the WRB's in the EEV (Ref. 4) or TER report (Ref.5) for WRB's used under the exterior insulation (over the base wall surface).

1) Majvest 500 SA

WRBs over Exterior Insulation

Cone Calorimeter data has been analyzed (Ref. 3) for this condition. The WRB products listed above are less flammable than at least one if the WRB's listed for this location (with specific claddings) and may be used over the exterior insulation – only under specific masonry claddings.

WRB Conclusions

The data were analyzed with the following conclusions. Only the claddings in EEV 10123 are allowed as the claddings for this report.

WRB	Allowed Location
	Ok under foam, with all claddings listed
Majvest 500 SA	Ok over foam, Claddings 1 – 6 (heavy
	masonry)

CONCLUSIONS

Based on the discussion above, the following Table of NFPA 285 Assemblies (Ref. Hunter EEV 10123) shall apply to Siga. We allow Mineral Fiber (Mineral Wool) Insulation to replace the polyiso insulation since mineral wool is noncombustible

Wall Component		
Base Wall – Use	1)	Cast Concrete Walls
either 1, 2, or 3	2)	CMU Concrete Walls
	3)	25 GA. min. 3 ^s / [™] (min.) steel studs spaced 24 [™] OC (max.)
		a. 5⁄8" type X Gypsum Wallboard Interior
		b. Lateral Bracing every 4 ft
Fire-Stopping at	1)	Any approved mineral fiber based safing insulation in each stud cavity
floor lines		at floor line. Safing thickness must match stud cavity depth.
	2)	Solid FRTW fire blocking at floor line in accordance with building code
		requirements for Type III construction.
Cavity Insulation –	1)	None
Use either: 1, 2, 3, 4,	2)	1 ¹ / ₂ " (min.) of Covestro EcoBay CC SPF (up to full cavity thickness)
5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 or 11.	3)	1 ¹ / ₂ " (min.) of BASF Walltite SPF (up to full cavity thickness)
Note: For items 2, 3,	4)	Any noncombustible insulation per ASTM E136
8, 9, 10 and 11 spray	5)	Any Mineral Fiber (Board type Class A ASTM E84 faced or unfaced)
foam may not be	6)	Any Fiberglass (Batt Type Class A ASTM E84 faced or unfaced)
used in constructions	7)	Any foam plastic insulation (SPF or board type) which has been tested
that utilize a foil faced		per ASTM E1354 (at a minimum of 20 kW/m ² heat flux) and shown by
exterior insulation		analysis to be less flammable (improved Tign, Pk. HRR) than Covestro
and do not utilize an		EcoBay CC or BASF Walltite
exterior sheathing.	8)	NCFI InsulBloc SPF (up to full cavity thickness)
	9)	Icynene MD-C-200v3 (Proseal) up to 51/2 inches (only with 1/2 in. (min.)
Items 2, 3, 8, 9, 10		exterior gypsum sheathing)
and 11 may only be	10)	SWD Urethane Quik-Shield 112 up to 6 inches in 6 inch (max.) stud
used with exterior		cavities with an air gap not exceeding 2 ¹ / ₂ inches.
sheathing 1.	11)	1 ¹ / ₂ " (min.) ThermoSeal 2000 (up to full cavity thickness)
Exterior Sheathing	1)	$\frac{1}{2}$ " or thicker exterior gypsum sheathing
– Use either 1, or 2	2)	1/2" (min.) FRTW structural panels in Type III construction

Table 1: Xci Foil (Class A) or XCi-286 Exterior Insulation



WRB Over Base		See Table 5
Wall Surface Exterior Insulation – Use 1, 2, 3 or 4 depending on cladding. Note: A construction which utilizes no exterior sheathing may not use spray foam cavity insulation.	1) 2) 3) 4)	None (only with Cladding 1 - 6 when WRB #2 is used) 3½" thick (max.) Xci Foil (Class A) or Xci-286 for all claddings 4" thick Xci Foil (Class A) or Xci-286 for claddings 1-6 Mineral wool
only be used with specific claddings It is assumed mineral wool is 2 pcf (min) 1 inch (min.) thickness		
WRB Over Exterior Insulation		See Table 5
Exterior Cladding -	1)	Brick – Nominal 4" clay or concrete brick or veneer with maximum 2" air
Use either 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12,13, 14, 15, 16 or 17.	2)	gap behind the brick. Brick Ties/Anchors 24" OC (max.) Stucco – minimum ³ / ₄ " thick exterior cement plaster and lath with an optional secondary water resistive barrier between the exterior insulation and lath. The secondary barrier shall not be full coverage asphalt or self-adhered butyl membrane.
Item 7 may use any tested/approved installation technique.	3) 4)	Limestone – minimum 2" thick using any standard non-open joint installation technique such as shiplap Natural Stone Veneer – minimum 2" thick using any standard non-open joint installation technique such as grouted/mortared stone
Items 8, 9 or 12 may use any standard installation technique.	5)	Cast Artificial Stone – minimum $1\frac{1}{2}$ " thick complying with ICC-ES AC 51 using any standard non-open joint installation technique such as shiplap.
	6)	Terra Cotta Cladding – minimum 1¼" thick (solid or equivalent by weight) using any standard non-open joint installation technique such
	7)	as shiplap Any MCM that has successfully passed NFPA 285
	8)	Uninsulated sheet metal building panels including steel, copper, aluminum or zinc
	9)	¼" (min.) uninsulated fiber cement siding, or porcelain or ceramic tile mechanically attached
	10)	Stone, porcelain, ceramic/aluminum honeycomb composite building panels that have successfully passed NFPA 285 criteria
	11)	
	12)	Terra Cotta Cladding – Any Rain-screen Terra Cotta (min. ½" thick) with ventilated shiplap
	13)	$\frac{1}{2}$ " Stucco – Any one coat stucco ($\frac{1}{2}$ " min.) which meets AC11 acceptance criteria or is approved for use in Type I-IV construction or has been tested per NFPA 285 or stays in place when tested per ASTM E119 (stucco exposed to fire) for at least 30 minutes
	14)	Thin brick/cultured stone set in thin set adhesive and metal lath that has been tested to ASTM E119 (brick exposed to furnace) and remains in place for a minimum of 30 minutes, or has passed an NFPA 285 test. Minimum ³ / ₄ " with an optional secondary water resistive barrier between



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	the exterior insulation and lath. The secondary barrier shall not be full coverage asphalt or self-adhered butyl membrane.
15)	Glen Gery Thin Tech Elite Series Masonry Veneer or TABS II Panel
	System with ½" thick bricks using TABS Wall Adhesive
16)	Natural Stone Veneer – minimum 11/4" thick using any standard
,	installation technique
17)	FunderMax M.Look Grey Core – minimum ¼ inch thick using any
,	standard installation technique

Table 2: Xci CG or Xci CG (Class A) Exterior Insulation

Wall Component	
Base Wall - Use	1) Cast Concrete Walls
either 1, 2, or 3	2) CMU Concrete Walls
	 25 GA. min. 3[™] (min.) steel studs spaced 24" OC (max.)
	a. 🛭 🕺 🕅 type X Gypsum Wallboard Interior
	b. Lateral Bracing every 4 ft
Fire-Stopping at	1) Any approved mineral fiber based safing insulation in each stud cavity
floor lines	at floor line. Safing thickness must match stud cavity depth.
	2) Solid FRTW fire blocking at floor line in accordance with building code
	requirements for Type III construction.
Cavity Insulation –	1) None
Use either: 1, 2, 3, 4,	 1¹/₂" (min.) of Covestro EcoBay CC SPF (up to full cavity thickness)
5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 or 11	 1¹/₂" (min.) of BASF Walltite SPF (up to full cavity thickness)
	Any noncombustible insulation per ASTM E136
Items, 8, 9, 10 and	5) Any Mineral Fiber (Board type Class A ASTM E84 faced or unfaced)
may only be used	Any Fiberglass (Batt Type Class A ASTM E84 faced or unfaced)
with exterior	7) Any foam plastic insulation (SPF or board type) which has been tested
sheathing 2.	per ASTM E1354 (at a minimum of 20 kW/m ² heat flux) and shown by
	analysis to be less flammable (improved Tign, Pk. HRR) than Covestro
Note – Use of Xci CG	EcoBay CC or BASF Walltite
(Class A) with SPF in	NCFI InsulBloc SPF (up to full cavity thickness)
stud cavity must use	9) Icynene MD-C-200v3 (Proseal) up to 5½ inches (only with ½ in. (min.)
exterior sheathing	exterior gypsum sheathing)
Option 1.	10) SWD Urethane Quik-Shield 112 up to 6 inches in 6 inch (max.) stud
	cavities with an air gap not exceeding 21/2 inches.
	11) 1½" (min.) ThermoSeal 2000 (up to full cavity thickness)
Exterior Sheathing	1) ½" or thicker exterior gypsum sheathing
Use 1 or 2	2) ½" (min.) FRTW structural panels in Type III construction
WRB on Base Wall	See Table 5
Exterior Insulation –	1) None (only with Cladding 1 - 6 when WRB #2 is used)
Use 1, 2, 3 or 4	2) 3 ¹ / ₂ " thick (max.) Xci CG or Xci CG (Class A) for all claddings
depending on	3) 4" thick (max.) Xci-CG or Xci-CG (Class A) for claddings 1-6
cladding.	4) Mineral wool
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WRB on Insulation	See Table 5 1) Prick Nominal 4" day or concrete brick or yeneor with maximum 2" air
Exterior Cladding -	1) Brick – Nominal 4" clay or concrete brick or veneer with maximum 2" air
Use either 1, 2, 3, 4,	gap behind the brick. Brick Ties/Anchors 24" OC (max.)
5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11,	



12, 13, 14, 15, 16 or	2)	Stucco – minimum ¾" thick exterior cement plaster and lath with an
17		optional secondary water resistive barrier between the exterior
		insulation and lath. The secondary barrier shall not be full coverage
Item 7 may use any		asphalt or self-adhered butyl membrane.
tested/approved	3)	Limestone - minimum 2" thick using any standard non-open joint
installation technique.		installation technique such as shiplap
	4)	Natural Stone Veneer – minimum 2" thick using any standard non-open
Items 8, 9 or 12 may		joint installation technique such as grouted/mortared stone
use any standard	5)	Cast Artificial Stone – minimum 11/2" thick complying with ICC-ES AC 51
installation technique	,	using any standard non-open joint installation technique such as shiplap
	6)	Terra Cotta Cladding – minimum 11/4" thick (solid or equivalent by
	,	weight) using any standard non-open joint installation technique such
		as shiplap
	7)	Any MCM that has successfully passed NFPA 285
	8)	Uninsulated sheet metal building panels including steel, copper,
	•)	aluminum
	9)	1/4" (min.) uninsulated fiber cement siding or porcelain or ceramic tile
	0)	mechanically attached
	10)	Stone, porcelain, ceramic/aluminum honeycomb composite building
	10)	panels that have successfully passed NFPA 285 criteria
	11)	Autoclaved-aerated-concrete (AAC) panels that have successfully
	,	passed NFPA 285 criteria
	12)	Terra Cotta Cladding – Any Rain-screen Terra Cotta (min. ½" thick) with
	12)	ventilated shiplap
	13)	1/2" Stucco - Any one coat stucco (1/2" min.) which meets AC11
		acceptance criteria or is approved for use in Type I-IV construction or
		has been tested per NFPA 285 or stays in place when tested per ASTM
		E119 (stucco exposed to fire) for at least 30 minutes
	14)	Thin brick/cultured stone set in thin set adhesive and metal lath that has
	,	been tested to ASTM E119 (brick exposed to furnace) and remains in
		place for a minimum of 30 minutes, or has passed an NFPA 285 test.
		Minimum ³ / ₄ " with an optional secondary water resistive barrier between
		the exterior insulation and lath. The secondary barrier shall not be full
		coverage asphalt or self-adhered butyl membrane.
	15)	Glen Gery Thin Tech Elite Series Masonry Veneer or TABS II Panel
)	System with 1/2" thick bricks using TABS Wall Adhesive
	16)	
	10)	installation technique
	17)	FunderMax M.Look Grey Core – minimum ¹ / ₄ inch thick using any
	17)	standard installation technique

Table 3: Xci Foil Exterior Insulation

Wall Component	
Base Wall – Use	1) Cast Concrete Walls
either 1, 2 or 3	2) CMU Concrete Walls
	 25 GA. min. 3⁵/₈" (min.) steel studs spaced 24" OC (max.)
	a. 5/8" type X Gypsum Wallboard Interior
	b. Lateral Bracing every 4 ft
Fire-Stopping at	1) Any approved mineral fiber based safing insulation in each stud cavity
floor lines	at floor line. Safing thickness must match stud cavity depth.
	2) Solid FRTW fire blocking at floor line in accordance with building code
	requirements for Type III construction.
Cavity Insulation –	1) None
Use either: 1, 2, 3, 4,	2) 11/2" (min.) of Covestro EcoBay CC SPF (up to full cavity thickness)
5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 or 11.	3) 11/2" (min.) of BASF Walltite SPF (up to full cavity thickness)
Note: For items 2, 3,	4) Any noncombustible insulation per ASTM E136



8, 9, 10, 11 spray	5) Any Mineral Fiber (Board type Class A ASTM E84 faced or unfaced)
foam may not be	6) Any Fiberglass (Batt Type Class A ASTM E84 faced or unfaced)
used in constructions	7) Any foam plastic insulation (SPF or board type) which has been tested
that utilize a foil faced	per ASTM E1354 (at a minimum of 20 kW/m ² heat flux) and shown b
exterior insulation	analysis to be less flammable (improved Tign, Pk. HRR) than Covestru
and do not utilize an	EcoBay CC or BASF Walltite.
exterior sheathing.	8) NCFI InsulBloc SPF (up to full cavity thickness)
exterior sheatring.	 9) Icynene MD-C-200v3 (Proseal) up to 5½ inches (only with ½ in. (min.)
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Items 2, 3, 8, 9, 10	exterior gypsum sheathing)
and 11 may only be	10) SWD Urethane Quik-Shield 112 up to 6 inches in 6 inch (max.) stud
used with exterior	cavities with an air gap not exceeding $2\frac{1}{2}$ inches.
sheathing 1.	11) 1½" (min.) ThermoSeal 2000 (up to full cavity thickness)
Exterior Sheathing	1) $\frac{1}{2}$ " or thicker exterior gypsum sheathing.
Use 1 or 2	2) 1/2" (min.) FRTW structural panels in Type III construction allowed in
	place of gypsum sheathing when combustible cavity insulation is no
	used.
WRB Over Base	See Table 5
Wall Surface	1) Nana (any with Cladding 1, Curban MDD #2 is used)
Exterior Insulation –	1) None (only with Cladding 1 - 6 when WRB #2 is used)
Use item 1, 2 or 3	2) 4" thick (max.) Xci Foil
1	3) Mineral wool
Item 1 – "None" may	
only be used with	
specific claddings	
It is assumed mineral	
wool is 2 pcf (min.) 1	
inch (min.) thickness	
WRB Over Exterior	See Table 5
Insulation	
	Xci-Foil may be used with or without Cavclear drainage matt (Cavclea
Factorian O'	insulation system)
Exterior Cladding -	1) Brick – Nominal 4" clay or concrete brick or veneer with maximum 2" at
Use either 1, 2, 3, 4,	gap behind the brick. Brick Ties/Anchors 24" OC (max.)
5 or 6	2) Stucco – minimum ³ / ₄ " thick exterior cement plaster and lath with a
	optional secondary water resistive barrier between the exterio
	insulation and lath. The secondary barrier shall not be full coverage
	asphalt or self-adhered butyl membrane.
	3) Limestone – minimum 2" thick using any standard non-open join
	installation technique such as shiplap
	4) Natural Stone Veneer – minimum 2" thick using any standard non-oper
	joint installation technique such as grouted/mortared stone
	5) Cast Artificial Stone – minimum 1 ¹ / ₂ " thick complying with ICC-ES AC 5
	using any standard non-open joint installation technique such as shipla
	6) Terra Cotta Cladding – minimum 11/4" thick (solid or equivalent b
	weight) using any standard non-open joint installation technique such
	as shiplap
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Table 4: Xci Ply or Xci Ply (Class A) Exterior Insulation Wall Component

Wall Component	
Base Wall – Use	1) Cast Concrete Walls
either 1, 2 or 3	2) CMU Concrete Walls
	3) 25 GA. min. 3 ⁵ / ₈ " (min.) steel studs spaced 24" OC (max.)
	a. 5/8" type X Gypsum Wallboard Interior
	b. Lateral Bracing every 4 ft



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Fire-Stopping at	1)	Any approved mineral fiber based safing insulation in each stud cavity
floor lines	2)	at floor line. Safing thickness must match stud cavity depth. Solid FRTW fire blocking at floor line in accordance with building code
	2)	requirements for Type III construction.
Cavity Insulation –	1)	None
Use either: 1, 2, 3, 4,	2)	1½" (min.) of Covestro EcoBay CC SPF (up to full cavity thickness)
5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 or 11	3)	$1\frac{1}{2}$ " (min.) of BASF Walltite SPF (up to full cavity thickness)
0, 0, 1, 0, 0, 10 01 11	4)	Any noncombustible insulation per ASTM E136
Items 3, 8, 9, 10 & 11	5)	Any Mineral Fiber (Board type Class A ASTM E84 faced or unfaced)
may only be used	6)	Any Fiberglass (Batt Type Class A ASTM E84 faced or unfaced)
with exterior	7)	Any foam plastic insulation (SPF or board type) which has been tested
sheathing 2.		per ASTM E1354 (at a minimum of 20 kW/m ² heat flux) and shown by
		analysis to be less flammable (improved T _{ign} , Pk. HRR) than Covestro
Note – Use of Xci Ply		EcoBay CC or BASF Walltite.
(Class A) with SPF in	8)	NCFI InsulBloc SPF (up to full cavity thickness)
stud cavity must use	9)	Icynene MD-C-200v3 (Proseal) up to 5½ inches (only with ½ in. (min.) exterior gypsum sheathing)
exterior sheathing Option 1.	10)	SWD Urethane Quik-Shield 112 up to 6 inches in 6 inch (max.) stud
	10)	cavities with an air gap not exceeding 2½ inches.
	11)	1½" (min.) ThermoSeal 2000 (up to full cavity thickness)
Exterior Sheathing	1)	$\frac{1}{2}$ " or thicker exterior gypsum sheathing
– Use either 1 or 2	2)́	1/2" (min.) FRTW structural panels in Type III construction.
WRB Over Base		See Table 5
Wall Surface		
Exterior Insulation –	1)	None (only with Cladding 1 - 6 when WRB #2 is used)
Use 1, 2, 3 or 4	2)	4¼" (max.) Xci Ply or Xci Ply (Class A) (3½" foam max., ¾" FR Plywood
depending on	2)	max.) with all claddings 4¾" (max.) Xci-Ply or Xci Ply (Class A) (4" foam max., ¾" FR Plywood
cladding.	3)	max.) may be used with claddings 1 - 6
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only be used with	- /	
specific claddings		
It is assumed mineral		
wool is 2 pcf (min) 1		
inch (min.) thickness		
WRB Over Exterior Insulation		See Table 5
Exterior Cladding -	1)	Brick – Nominal 4" clay or concrete brick or veneer with maximum 2" air
Use either 1, 2, 3, 4,	1)	gap behind the brick. Brick Ties/Anchors 24" OC (max.)
5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11,	2)	Stucco – minimum $\frac{3}{4}$ " thick exterior cement plaster and lath with an
12, 13, 14, 15, 16 or	,	optional secondary water resistive barrier between the exterior
17		insulation and lath. The secondary barrier shall not be full coverage
		asphalt or self-adhered butyl membrane.
Item 9 may use any	3)	Limestone - minimum 2" thick using any standard non-open joint
tested/approved		installation technique such as shiplap
installation technique.	4)	Natural Stone Veneer – minimum 2" thick using any standard non-open
Itome 10, 11 cr 14	E)	joint installation technique such as grouted/mortared stone Cast Artificial Stone – minimum 1½" thick complying with ICC-ES AC 51
Items 10, 11 or 14 may use any	5)	using any standard non-open joint installation technique such as
standard installation		shiplap.
technique.	6)	Terra Cotta Cladding – minimum 1 ¹ / ₄ " thick (solid or equivalent by
	0,	weight) using any standard non-open joint installation technique such as
		shiplap
	7)	Thin brick/cultured stone set in thin set adhesive and metal lath that has
		been tested to ASTM E119 (brick exposed to furnace) and remains in
		place for a minimum of 30 minutes, or has passed an NFPA 285 test.



	Minimum ³ / ₄ " with an optional secondary water resistive barrier between
	the exterior insulation and lath. The secondary barrier shall not be full
	coverage asphalt or self-adhered butyl membrane.
8)	Glen Gery Thin Tech Elite Series Masonry Veneer or TABS II Panel
,	System with 1/2" thick bricks using TABS Wall Adhesive
9)	Any MCM that has successfully passed NFPA 285
10)	Uninsulated sheet metal building panels including steel, copper,
,	aluminum
11)	1/4" (min.) uninsulated fiber-cement siding or porcelain or ceramic tile
,	mechanically attached
12)	Stone, porcelain, ceramic/aluminum honeycomb composite building
	panels that have successfully passed NFPA 285 criteria
13)	Autoclaved-aerated-concrete (AAC) panels that have successfully
	passed NFPA 285 criteria
14)	Terra Cotta Cladding – Any Rain-screen Terra Cotta (min. ½ " thick) with
	ventilated shiplap
15)	1/2" Stucco - Any one coat stucco (1/2" min.) which meets AC11
	acceptance criteria or is approved for use in Type I-IV construction or
	has been tested per NFPA 285 or stays in place when tested per ASTM
	E119 (stucco exposed to fire) for at least 30 minutes
16)	Natural Stone Veneer - minimum 11/4" thick using any standard
	installation technique
17)	FunderMax M.Look Grey Core – minimum ¼ inch thick using any
	standard installation technique

Table 5. Allowable WRB's for Tables 1 - 4

WRB Over Base Wall Surface Use 1, 2, 3 or 4	1) None 2) Majvest 500 SA
WRB Over Exterior Insulation Use 1, 2 or 3	 None Majvest 500 SA (only with Claddings 1 - 6)
Item 2 may only be used with specific claddings	

~ End of Report ~

