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CHAPTER 5 – TECHNICAL CONSTRUCTION AND RENOVATION STANDARDS

SHEATHING

SECTION 06 1600 - SHEATHING

1.1 SUMMARY

A. Section Includes:

1. Wall sheathing.
2. Roof sheathing.
4. Underlayment.
5. Sheathing joint and penetration treatment.

1.2 SUBMITTALS

A. LEED Submittals:

1. Certificates for Credit MR 7: Chain-of-custody certificates indicating that products specified to be made from certified wood comply with forest certification requirements. Include documentation that manufacturer is certified for chain of custody by an FSC-accredited certification body. Include statement indicating cost for each certified wood product.
2. Product Data for Credit EQ 4.1: For adhesives, documentation including printed statement of VOC content.
3. Product Data for Credit EQ 4.4: For composite wood products, documentation indicating that product contains no urea formaldehyde.
4. Laboratory Test Reports for Credit EQ 4: For adhesives and composite wood products, documentation indicating that products comply with the testing and product requirements of the California Department of Health Services' “Standard Practice for the Testing of Volatile Organic Emissions from Various Sources Using Small-Scale Environmental Chambers.”

1.3 PERFORMANCE REQUIREMENTS

A. Fire-Test-Response Characteristics: For assemblies with fire-resistance ratings, provide materials and construction identical to those of assemblies tested for fire resistance per ASTM E 119 by a testing and inspecting agency acceptable to authorities having jurisdiction.


1.4 WOOD PANEL PRODUCTS

A. Emissions: Products shall meet the testing and product requirements of the California Department of Health Services' "Standard Practice for the Testing of Volatile Organic Emissions from Various Sources Using Small-Scale Environmental Chambers."
B. Certified Wood: For the following wood products, provide materials produced from wood obtained from forests certified by an FSC-accredited certification body to comply with FSC STD-01-001, "FSC Principles and Criteria for Forest Stewardship."

1.5 PRESERVATIVE-TREATED PLYWOOD

A. Preservative Treatment by Pressure Process: AWPA U1; Use Category UC2 for interior construction not in contact with the ground, Use Category UC3b for exterior construction not in contact with the ground, and Use Category UC4a for items in contact with the ground.

1. Preservative Chemicals: Acceptable to authorities having jurisdiction and containing no arsenic or chromium.

1.6 FIRE-RETARDANT-TREATED PLYWOOD

A. General: Where fire-retardant-treated materials are indicated, use materials complying with requirements in this article that are acceptable to authorities having jurisdiction and with fire-test-response characteristics specified as determined by testing identical products per test method indicated by a qualified testing agency.

1.7 WALL SHEATHING


1. Nominal Thickness: Not less than 3/8 inch (9.5 mm).

B. Oriented-Strand-Board Wall Sheathing: Exposure 1, Structural Sheathing.

1. Nominal Thickness: Not less than 3/8 inch (9.5 mm).

C. Glass-Mat Gypsum Wall Sheathing: ASTM C 1177/1177M.

1. Products:

   a. CertainTeed Corporation; GlasRoc.
   b. G-P Gypsum Corporation; Dens-Glass Gold.
   c. Temple-Inland Inc.; GreenGlass
   d. United States Gypsum Co.; Securock.

2. Type and Thickness: Type X, 5/8 inch (15.9 mm) thick.

3. Size: 48 by 96 inches (1219 by 2438 mm) for vertical installation.

1.8 ROOF SHEATHING

A. Plywood Roof Sheathing: Exterior, Structural Sheathing.

1. Nominal Thickness: Not less than 1/2 inch (13 mm).
B. Oriented-Strand-Board Roof Sheathing: Exposure 1, Structural I sheathing.

1. Nominal Thickness: Not less than 15/32 inch (11.9 mm).

1.9 SUBFLOORING AND UNDERLAYMENT

A. Plywood Subflooring: Exterior, Structural I single-floor panels or sheathing.

1. Nominal Thickness: Not less than 7/8 inch (22.2 mm).

B. Underlayment, General: Provide underlayment in nominal thicknesses indicated or, if not indicated, not less than 1/4 inch (6.4 mm) over smooth subfloors and not less than 3/8 inch (9.5 mm) over board or uneven subfloors.

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