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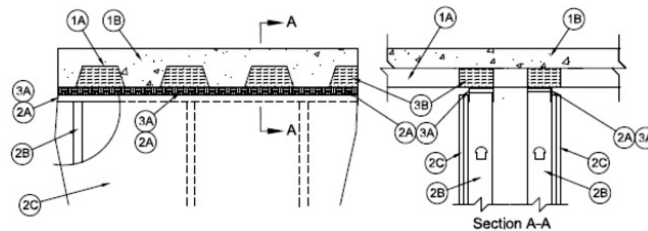
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Assembly Ratings — 1 and 2 Hr (See Item 2)	F Ratings — 1 and 2 Hr (See Item 2)
Nominal Joint Width — 3/8, 1/4, 1/2, 3/4, 1, 1-1/2 In. (See Item 3)	FT Ratings — 1 and 2 Hr (See Item 2)
Class II or III Movement Capabilities — 80% Compression and or 30% Extension or 80% compression only or 100% Compression and Extension (see Item 3)	FH Ratings — 1 and 2 Hr (See Item 2)
L Rating at Ambient — Less than 1 CFM/Lin Ft	FTH Ratings — 1 and 2 Hr (See Item 2)
L Rating at 400°F — Less than 1 CFM/Lin Ft	Nominal Joint Width — 6, 10, 13, 19, 25, 38 mm. (See Item 3)
	Class II or III Movement Capabilities — 80% Compression and or 30% Extension or 80% compression only or 100 % Compression and Extension (See Item 3)
	L Rating at Ambient — Less than 1.55 L/s/m
	L Rating at 203°C — Less than 1.55 L/s/m



1. Floor Assembly — The fire-rated fluted steel deck/concrete floor assembly shall be constructed of the materials and in the manner described in the individual D900 Series Floor-Ceiling Design in the UL Fire Resistance Directory and shall include the following construction features:

- A. Steel Floor And Form Units*** — Max 3 in. (76 mm) deep galv steel fluted floor units.
- B. Concrete** — Min 2-1/2 in. (64 mm) thick reinforced concrete, as measured from the top plane of the floor units.

1A. Floor Assembly — The fire-rated fluted steel deck/concrete floor assembly shall be constructed of the materials and in the manner described in the individual D700 Series Floor-Ceiling Design in the UL Fire Resistance Directory and shall include the following construction features:

- A. Steel Floor And Form Units*** — Max 3 in. (76 mm) deep galv steel fluted floor units.
- B. Concrete** — Min 2-1/2 in. (64 mm) thick reinforced concrete, as measured from the top plane of the floor units.

1B. Roof Assembly — (Not Shown) - As an alternate to the floor assembly, a fire rated fluted steel deck roof assembly may be used. The roof shall be constructed of the materials and in the manner described in the individual P900 Series Roof-Ceiling designs in the UL Fire Resistance Directory. The hourly rating of the roof assembly shall be equal to or greater than the hourly rating of the wall assembly. The roof assembly shall include the following construction features:

- A. Steel Roof Deck** — Max 3 in. deep galv steel fluted roof deck.
- B. Roof Insulation** — Roof insulation to consist of min 2 1/4 in. (57 mm) thick poured insulating concrete, as measured from the top plane of the roof deck.

1C. Roof Assembly — (Not Shown) - As an alternate to the floor assembly, a fire rated fluted steel deck roof assembly may be used. The roof shall be constructed of the materials and in the manner described in the individual P700 Series Roof-Ceiling designs in the UL Fire Resistance Directory. The hourly rating of the roof assembly shall be equal to or greater than the hourly rating of the wall assembly. The roof assembly shall include the following construction features:

- A. Steel Roof Deck** — Max 3 in. deep galv steel fluted roof deck.
- B. Roof Insulation** — Roof insulation to consist of min 2 1/4 in. (57 mm) thick poured insulating concrete, as measured from the top plane of the roof deck.
- C. Spray-Applied Fire Resistive Material*** — After installation of the ceiling runner (Item 2A), steel deck to be sprayed with thickness of material as specified in the individual D700 Series Design. The spray-applied fire resistive material shall be excluded from the steel deck in the area immediately above the wall, for the full thickness of the wall. No spray-applied fire resistive material shall be applied on the flanges of the ceiling runner.

ISOLATEK INTERNATIONAL — Type 300

GCP APPLIED TECHNOLOGIES INC — Type MK-6/HY

2. Wall Assembly — The 1 or 2 hr fire rated gypsum board/stud wall assembly shall be constructed of the materials and in the manner described in the individual U400 or V400 Series Wall and Partition Design in the UL Fire Resistance Directory and shall include the following construction features:

A. Steel Floor and Ceiling Runners — Floor runners of wall assembly shall consist of min No. 25 ga galv steel channels sized to accommodate steel studs (Item 2B). Floor runner to be provided with min 1-1/4 in. (32mm) flanges. The ceiling runners are provided with a fill, void or cavity material and are described in Item 3.

A1. Light Gauge Framing* — Slotted Ceiling Track — (Not Shown) - As an alternate to the Item 2A, a ceiling track consisting of galv steel channel with slotted flanges may be used when Item 3A.1 fill material is utilized. Slotted ceiling track sized to accommodate steel studs (Item 2B). Legs are to be min 1/4 in. (6 mm) longer than the maximum joint width. Attached to steel deck with steel fasteners or welds spaced max 24 in. (610 mm) OC.

BRADY CONSTRUCTION INNOVATIONS INC, DBA SLIPTRACK SYSTEMS — SLP-TRK

CALIFORNIA EXPANDED METAL PRODUCTS CO — CST, CST 325

MARINO/WARE, DIV OF WARE INDUSTRIES INC — Type SLT

B. Studs — Steel studs to be min 2-1/2 in. (64 mm) wide. Studs cut 5/8 to 1-1/4 in (16 to 32 mm) less in length than assembly height with bottom nesting in and secured to floor runner. Steel studs nested in non-slotted ceiling runner without attachment or secured to slotted ceiling runner with No. 8 by 1/2 in. (13 mm) long wafer head steel screws at mid-height of exposed slot.

B1. Framing Members - Steel Studs* — In lieu of Item B - Proprietary channel shaped studs, 3-5/8 in. wide spaced a max of 24 in. OC. Studs to be cut 5/8 to 1-1/4 in (16 to 32 mm) less than the assembly height with bottom nesting in and secured to floor runner. Steel studs nested in non-slotted ceiling runner without attachment or secured to slotted ceiling runner with No. 8 by 1/2 in. (13 mm) long wafer head steel screws at mid-height of slot.

CALIFORNIA EXPANDED METAL PRODUCTS CO — ViperStud™

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

C. Gypsum Board* — Gypsum board sheets installed to a min total 5/8 in. (16 mm) or 1-1/4 in. (32 mm) thickness on each side of wall for 1 and 2 hr fire rated assemblies, respectively. Wall to be constructed as specified in the individual U400 or V400 Series Design in the UL Fire Resistance Directory except that a max 5/8 in. (16 mm) gap shall be maintained between the top of the gypsum board and the bottom of the steel floor units or steel deck. The screws attaching the gypsum board to the studs along the top of the wall shall be located 1 to 3-1/2 in. (25 to 89 mm) below the bottom of the ceiling runner legs. No gypsum board attachment screws shall be driven into the ceiling runner.

The hourly fire rating of the joint system is equal to the hourly fire rating of the wall.

3. **Joint System** — Max separation between bottom of floor and top of gypsum board (at time of installation) is 3/8 in. (10 mm) when Item 3A is used or 3/4 in. (19 mm) when item 3A.1 is used. The joint system is designed to accommodate a max 80 percent compression and or 30 percent extension from its installed width of 1/2 in (13 mm) or less. When Item 3A1 is used the joint system is designed to accommodate 80% compression only from 3/4 in. (19 mm) installed width. When item 3A7 is used the joint will accommodate 100% compression/extension for nominal 1/4 in. (6mm) gaps or compression only for 1/2 in. (12mm) gaps.

A. **Fill, Void or Cavity Material*** — Min 20 ga steel channel track with 2, or 2-3/4 in. (51, or 70 mm) legs with or without slots having nom 1/2 in. (13 mm) wide intumescent strips affixed to the top web along the outer corner on both sides and sized to accommodate steel studs. Track attached to concrete deck with steel fasteners or welds spaced max 24 in. (610 mm) OC.

CALIFORNIA EXPANDED METAL PRODUCTS CO — FAS Track 1000, FAS Track 1000DL

MARINO/WARE, DIV OF WARE INDUSTRIES INC — FAS Track 1000, FAS Track 1000DL

A1. **Fill, Void or Cavity Material*** — As an option to item 3A a min 25 ga composite steel angle with one 5/8 in. (16 mm) leg and one 1-1/4 in (32 mm) leg with a strip of intumescent strip affixed along the inside 1-1/4 in (32 mm) leg. Steel angle is friction fit between the top web of the ceiling runner and the concrete deck.

CALIFORNIA EXPANDED METAL PRODUCTS CO — DDA-1 (Deflection Drift Angle)

A2. **Fill, Void or Cavity Material*** — (Not Shown) - As an alternate to item 3A for nominal 3/4 in. (19 mm) gap 80% compression and 30% extension between the edge of the drywall and the floor/ceiling assembly shall be filled with vinyl deflection bead with 5/16 in. (8 mm) intumescent strip and foam applied to horizontal leg that runs above the edge of the drywall. The perforated leg may be attached to the surface of the drywall with 1/2 in. (13 mm) staples every 6-8 in. (152-203 mm).

CALIFORNIA EXPANDED METAL PRODUCTS CO — HOTROD XL

MARINO/WARE, DIV OF WARE INDUSTRIES INC — HOTROD XL

A3. **Fill, Void or Cavity Material*** — (Not Shown) - As an alternate to item 3A for nominal joint 3/4 in. (19 mm) 80% compression and 30% extension. Nominal 1 in. (25.4 mm) open cell foam plug having a nominal 5/16 in. (8 mm) intumescent tape applied to the top surface of the foam profile. The foam is sized for 1 or 2 hour walls and shall be placed in the joint above the top edge of the drywall between the concrete slab. A layer of tape and joint compound can then be applied over the HOTROD Type X assembly.

CALIFORNIA EXPANDED METAL PRODUCTS CO — HOTROD Type-X

A4. **Fill, Void or Cavity Material*** — (Not Shown) - As an alternate to item 3A for 1/2 in. (13 mm) nominal gap 75% compression and 25% extension 1 in. (25.4 mm) open cell foam plug having a nom 5/16 in. (8 mm) intumescent tape applied to the top surface of the foam profile. The foam is sized for 1 or 2 hour walls and shall be placed in the joint above the top edge of the drywall between the floor/ceiling assembly.

CALIFORNIA EXPANDED METAL PRODUCTS CO — HOTROD Type-X

A5. **Fill, Void or Cavity Material*** — (Not Shown) - For nominal 1/2 in. (12mm) gaps 100% compression/ extension or 1 in. (25mm) compression only. As an alternate to DDA-1 (Item A2) a composite corrugated vinyl profile with a 1-1/2 in. (38 mm) wide leg and a 3/8 in. (10 mm) bubble gasket along the upper edge. A 5/8 in. (16 mm) wide intumescent strip affixed along the inside 1-1/2 in. (38 mm) leg. Composite vinyl profile is attached to the leg of the ceiling runner/track with 1/2 in. (13 mm) No. 8 framing screws or adhesively attached with double sided foam tape.

CALIFORNIA EXPANDED METAL PRODUCTS CO — Fire Gasket 1

MARINO/WARE, DIV OF WARE INDUSTRIES INC — Fire Gasket 1

TRIM-TEX INC — Trim Tex-Fire Gasket 1

A6. **Fill, Void or Cavity Material*** — (Not Shown) - For nominal 3/4 in. (19 mm) gaps 100% compression/extension or 1-1/2 in. (38mm) compression only. As an alternate to DDA-1 (Item A2) a composite corrugated vinyl profile with a 2 in. (50 mm) wide leg and a 3/8 in. (10 mm) bubble gasket along the upper edge. A 1 in. (25 mm) wide intumescent strip affixed along the inside 1-1/2 in. (38 mm) leg. Composite vinyl profile is attached to the leg of the ceiling runner/track with 1/2 in. (13 mm) No. 8 framing screws or adhesively attached with double sided foam tape.

CALIFORNIA EXPANDED METAL PRODUCTS CO — Fire Gasket 1.5

MARINO/WARE, DIV OF WARE INDUSTRIES INC — Fire Gasket 1.5

TRIM-TEX INC — Trim Tex-Fire Gasket 1.5

A7. **Fill, Void or Cavity Material*** — (Not Shown) - For nominal 1/4 in. (6mm) gaps 100% compression/ extension or 1/2 in. (12mm) compression only. As an alternate to DDA-1 (Item A2) a composite corrugated vinyl profile with a 1-1/8 in. (28 mm) wide leg and a 1/4 in. (6 mm) bubble gasket along the upper edge. A 1/4 in. (6 mm) wide intumescent strip affixed along the inside 1-1/8 in. (28 mm) leg. Composite vinyl profile is attached to the leg of the ceiling runner/track with 1/2 in. (12 mm) No. 8 framing screws or adhesively attached with double sided foam tape.

CALIFORNIA EXPANDED METAL PRODUCTS CO — Fire Gasket 0.5

B. **Forming Material*** — Min 4 pcf (64 kg/m³) mineral wool batt insulation cut to the shape of the flutes and compressed minimum 33 percent into the fluted area of the steel floor or roof deck above the ceiling channels and between the two walls. The forming material shall be installed to extend flush with outside surface of each wall.

INDUSTRIAL INSULATION GROUP L L C — Minwool-1200 Safing

JOHNS MANVILLE — Safing

ROCK WOOL MANUFACTURING CO — Delta Safing Board

ROCKWOOL MALAYSIA SDN BHD — SAFE

ROCKWOOL — SAFE

THERMAFIBER INC — SAF

B1. **Forming Material* - Plugs** — (Not Shown) — As an alternate to the forming material (Item 3B), mineral wool plugs preformed to the shape of the fluted floor units, may be used within the flutes. Plugs shall be friction fit to completely fill the flutes above each ceiling channel. The plugs shall project beyond each side of the ceiling runner, flush with wall surfaces.

ROCK WOOL MANUFACTURING CO — Delta Deck Plugs

B2. **Forming Material* - Metal Clip** — (Not Shown) As an alternate to the forming material (Item 3B), a 20 ga. galvanized preformed U-shaped clip sized to fit within the flute void with forming material (Item 3B) 4 pcf (64 kg/m³) mineral wool installed between the flanges of the metal clip and compressed to 33% . The galvanized clips and mineral wool to be installed in flute voids on both sides of the wall.

CALIFORNIA EXPANDED METAL PRODUCTS CO — Spray-less Flute Clip

C. **Fill, Void or Cavity Material*** — (Optional, Not Shown) when item 3A or 3A.1 is utilized a min 1/16 in. (1.6 mm) dry thickness (min 1/8 in. or 3.2 mm wet thickness) of fill material sprayed or brushed on one side of the joint system, completely covering mineral wool forming material of the joint system and overlapping a min of 1/2 in. (13 mm) onto the steel deck and item 3A on one side of the double wall.

HILTI CONSTRUCTION CHEMICALS, DIV OF HILTI INC — CP672 Firestop Spray or CFS-SP WB. Firestop Joint Spray

SPECIFIED TECHNOLOGIES INC — SpecSeal AS200 Elastomeric Spray

UNITED STATES GYPSUM CO — Type AS

D. **Packing Material** — (Not Shown) - When 3A or 3A.1 is used, a continuous length of open cell polyurethane foam with a nominal diameter of 1/8 in. (3.2 mm) greater than the max width of the joint. The foam shall have a nominal density of 1.7 pcf. The foam is to be placed in the joint above the top edge of the drywall between the concrete slab. Any splices are to be tightly butted. A layer of tape and joint compound can then be applied over the open cell foam.

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