



Standard Specification for Fibrous Glass Duct Lining Insulation (Thermal and Sound Absorbing Material)¹

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1. Scope

1.1 This specification covers fibrous glass insulation used as a thermal and sound absorbing liner for interior surfaces of ducts, plenums, and other air handling equipment that handle air up to 250°F (121°C).

1.2 The values stated in inch-pound units are the standard. The SI values in parentheses are for information only.

1.3 *This standard does not purport to address all of the safety concerns, if any, associated with its use. It is the responsibility of the user of this standard to establish appropriate safety and health practices and determine the applicability of regulatory limitations prior to use.*

2. Referenced Documents

2.1 ASTM Standards:

- C 167 Test Methods for Thickness and Density of Blanket or Batt Thermal Insulations²
- C 168 Terminology Relating to Thermal Insulating Materials²
- C 177 Test Method for Steady-State Heat Flux Measurements and Thermal Transmission Properties by Means of the Guarded-Hot-Plate Apparatus²
- C 390 Criteria for Sampling and Acceptance of Preformed Thermal Insulation Lots²
- C 411 Test Method for Hot-Surface Performance of High-Temperature Thermal Insulation²
- C 423 Test Method for Sound Absorption and Sound Absorption Coefficients by the Reverberation Room Method²
- C 518 Test Method for Steady-State Heat Flux Measurements and Thermal Transmission Properties by Means of the Heat Flow Meter Apparatus²
- C 665 Specification for Mineral-Fiber Blanket Thermal Insulation for Light Frame Construction and Manufactured Housing²
- C 1104/C 1104M Test Method for Determining the Water Vapor Sorption of Unfaced Mineral Fiber Insulation²
- C 1114 Test Method for Steady-State Thermal Transmission Properties by Means of the Thin-Heater Apparatus²

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² *Annual Book of ASTM Standards*, Vol 04.06.

C 1304 Test Method for Assessing the Odor Emission of Thermal Insulation Materials²

C 1338 Test Method for Determining Fungi Resistance of Insulation Materials and Facings²

E 84 Test Method for Surface Burning Characteristics of Building Materials³

E 795 Practices for Mounting Test Specimens During Sound Absorption Tests²

G 21 Practice for Determining Resistance of Synthetic Polymer Materials to Fungi⁴

G 22 Practice for Determining Resistance of Plastics to Bacteria⁴

2.2 Other Standards:

NAIMA Fibrous Glass Duct Liner Standard⁵

SMACNA HVAC Duct Construction Standards⁶

UL 723 Test for Surface Burning Characteristics of Building Materials⁷

NFPA 255 Standard Method of Test of Surface Burning Characteristics of Building Materials⁸

NFPA 259 Standard Test Method for Potential Heat of Building Materials⁸

CAN/ULC-S102-M88 Standard Method of Test for Surface Burning Characteristics of Building Materials and Assemblies⁹

3. Terminology

3.1 For definitions of terms used in this specification, see Terminology C 168.

4. Classification

4.1 The insulation covered by this specification shall be of the following types:

4.1.1 *Type I*—Blanket in roll form up to 200 ft (61 m) in length, 36 to 72 in. (914 to 1829 mm) in width, and thicknesses

³ *Annual Book of ASTM Standards*, Vol 04.07.

⁴ *Annual Book of ASTM Standards*, Vol 14.04.

⁵ Available from North American Insulation Manufacturers Association, 44 Canal Center Plaza, Suite 310, Alexandria, VA 22314.

⁶ Available from Sheet Metal and Air Conditioning Contractors National Association, Inc., 4201 Lafayette Center Drive, Chantilly, VA 22021-1209.

⁷ Available from Underwriters Laboratories Inc., 333 Pfingsten Road, Northbrook, Illinois 60062-2096.

⁸ Available from National Fire Protection Association, 1 Batterymarch Park, PO Box 9101, Quincy, MA 02269-9101.

⁹ Available from Underwriters Laboratories of Canada, 7 Crouse Road, Scarborough, Ontario, Canada M1R 3A9.