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(b) *Exhaust*. All exhaust openings shall be provided with automatic or self-activating back-draft dampers to prevent the intake of outside air into the building when the exhaust units are not in operation.

History: Cr. Register, December, 1975, No. 240, eff. 1-1-76; am. (5) (a), Register, December, 1976, No. 252, eff. 1-1-77.

PART IV—HEATING EQUIPMENT REQUIREMENTS

Ind 64.20 Equipment ratings and safety controls. (1) * TEST AND INSTALLATION STANDARDS. All oil- and gas-fired heating equipment, electric heating equipment, solid-fuel heating equipment and accessory equipment or devices shall be tested and installed in accordance with standards recognized by the department. Department review and approval of input or output ratings or both are required when ratings are needed to satisfy s. Ind 64.03 or 64.09.

Note: For a list of standards acceptable to the department, refer to Appendix A.

(2) SAFETY CONTROLS. (a) General. The complete safety control package for the heating and ventilating equipment shall comply with standards accepted by the department.

(b) Limits and controls. Oil and gas-fired heating equipment and electric heating equipment shall be equipped with primary (flame safeguard) safety controls, safety limit switches, and burners or electric elements that comply with standards accepted by the department.

Note: The department recognizes UL 296—Oil Burners, and UL 795—Commercial-Industrial Gas-Heating Equipment, as acceptable standards that satisfy the requirements of s. Ind 64.20 (1) and (2).

(3) LISTED EQUIPMENT. Complete factory assembled heating units shall be labeled by listing agencies approved by the department.

Note: The department accepts heating equipment listed by American Gas Association (AGA), Underwriters' Laboratories—(UL) and PFS corporation.

(4) UNLISTED EQUIPMENT. If the heating equipment is unlisted, the following provisions shall be taken:

(a) Manufacturer's statement. A statement from the equipment manufacturer shall be provided indicating the national standard with which the equipment complies.

(b) Tests. A test by a Wisconsin registered engineer shall be conducted on the output and safety controls, in accordance with the national standard used by the manufacturer. A statement regarding the test of the rating and safety controls shall be furnished for each installation unless an approval for the equipment is obtained from the department in accordance with sub. (5).

(5) EQUIPMENT APPROVAL. Equipment approval may be obtained from the department upon submission of a technical report, based on the test

*See Appendix A for further explanatory material.

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required in sub. (4) (b), together with the fee as specified in ch. Ind 69, Wis. Adm. Code, for equipment approval.

Note: The purpose of the technical report is to show that the equipment is in complete compliance with the national standard by which the equipment is designed, constructed and tested.

History: Cr. Register, December, 1975, No. 240, eff. 1-1-75; r. and recr. Register, December, 1976, No. 252, eff. 1-1-77; am. (5), Register, December, 1977, No. 264, eff. 1-1-78; am. (1), Register, December, 1981, No. 312, eff. 1-1-82.

FP Ind 64.21 Location of equipment. The various types of heating equipment and the corresponding types of occupancies in which the equipment may be located are shown in Table 64.21. The footnotes below the table designate special requirements for the listed equipment.

Note: The department will accept net ratings as listed by Mechanical Contractors Association of America, Inc., Institute of Boiler and Radiator Manufacturers, and equipment tested according to commercial standard 140-47.

History: Cr. Register, December, 1975, No. 240, eff. 1-1-76; r. and recr. Register, December, 1976, No. 252, eff. 1-1-77.

Ind 64.22 Special requirements. (1) BOILERS AND PRESSURE VESSELS. (a) Construction standards. Boilers and pressure vessels shall be constructed and installed in compliance with the standards of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers, as adopted under chs. Ind 41-42, Wis. Adm. Code.

(b) Installation notification. The installing contractor shall notify the department of boiler installation, in accordance with the requirements of s. Ind 41.05, before the boiler or pressure vessel is put into operation.

(2) FURNACES. Forced-air heating systems shall be designed to prevent a negative pressure on the heat exchanger.

(3) SUSPENDED AND GUARDED EQUIPMENT. Equipment suspended or guarded as specified in s. Ind 64.21 shall <u>he installed</u> in an occupied space. The equipment shall be visible to persopns) within the room.

(a) If the entering air to the heat exchanger of all gas-fired equipment is 30° F. or lower, the heat exchanger and burners shall be constructed of corrosion-resistive materials.

(4) GAS OR OIL-FIRED RADIANT HEATERS. Gas or oil-fired radiant heaters are subject to the following provisions:

(a) The heaters shall be equipped with an automatic pilot of the complete shutoff type or with a 100% shutoff electric ignition;

(b) If unvented radiant heaters are used, gravity or mechanical means shall be provided to exhaust at least 4 CFM per 1000 Btu per hour input of installed heaters. Provisions shall be made for an equal supply of outside air;

(c) Exhaust openings for removing products of combustion shall be provided above the level of the radiant heaters; and

(d) Oil-fired radiant heaters shall be equipped with mechanical pressure-atomizing burners.

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TABLE 64.21 -- LOCATION OF EQUIPMENT

			VE	NTED UNITS				UNVENTE	DUNITS	ELECTRIC	WATER OR STEAM
ocation and Type of Occupancy	Gas or Oil or Solid Fuel Boilers	Gas or (Fuel	Dil or Solid Furnaces	Gas or Oil Unit Heater	Gas or Oil Infrared	Gas or Oil Space Heater	Solid Fuel Space Heater or Fireplace ¹¹	Gas Dir. Fired Makeup Air ¹	Gas Infrared	Furnaces, Unit Heaters, Heat Pumps, Baseboard Heaters, etc.	Unit Ventilators, Heaters, Makeup Air Units, Basehoard Heaters, etc.
	Rated Enclosure	Rated Enclosure	Suspended or Guarded ²	Suspended or Guarded ²	Suspended or Guarded ²			Suspended or Guarded ²	Suspended or Guarded ²		
type of Occupancy											1
Factories	Yes	Yes*	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes		
fercantile buildings	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	N.P.J	N.P.5	N.P.	N.P.		
office Buildings	Yes	Yes	Yes:	Yes	N.P.	Yes	Yes	N.P.	N.P.		
Places of assembly, entertain-											
ment, recreation, worship or											ļ
dining (100 persons or less)	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	N-P-S	N.P	N.P.	N.P.		1
Pennis facilities											1
(court areas only)	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	N.P.	N.P.	N.P.	N.P.		
Cennis facilities							1			9	
(all other areas)	Yes	Yes	N.P.	N.P. ⁹	N.P.	N.P.	Yes	N.P.	N.P.	ž	5
Theaters & places of assembly,										<u> </u>	2
entertainment, recreation,			1							8	1 🗄
worship or dining (more			1					_		i i i	
than 100 persons)	Yes	Yes	N.P.	N.P.	N.P.	N.P.	N.P.3	N.P.	N.P.		:
Restaurants	Yes	Yes	N.P.	N.P.	N.P.	N.P.	N.P.3	N.P. '	N.P.	2	=
Tennis facilities (court			1								
areas only)	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	N.P.	N.P.	N.P.	N.P.		<u> </u>
Tennis facilities (all										â	- I
other areas)	Yes	Yes	N.P. ⁵	N.P. ⁵	N.P.	N.P.	Yes	N.P.	N.P.	Ē	1 - 5
Schools & other places of									1	7	: =
Instruction	Yes	Yes	N.P.º	N.P.º	N.P.	N.P.	N.P.	N.P. 9	N.P.	ž	1 2
iospitals, nursing homes &			4							-	E
penal institutions	Yes	Yes	N.P.	N.P.	N.P.	N.P.	N.P.	N-P-	N.P.		-
Residential occupancies	Yes	Yes	N.P.	N.P.	N.P.	N.P.	N.P. 12	N.P.	N.P.		
lazardous Occupancies					•		!				1
Garages	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	N.P. ¹³	N.P. 14	Yes	Yes		1
Aircraft hangars	Yes	Yes	Yes ¹⁰	Yes ¹⁰	Yes ^{TU}	N.P.	N.P.	Yes ¹⁰	Yes10		
Day care centers	Yes ¹⁵	Yes ⁷²	N.P.	N.P.	N.P.	N.P.	N.P.	N.P	N.P.		
Community Based Residential	Yes	Yes	N.P.	N.P.	N.P.	N.P.	Yes	N.P.	N.P.	t	
Facilities ¹⁶	1		1				1	•		[[

N.P. = Not Permitted

Unlisted occupancies - Use the listed occupancy in the table that is most similar to the subject occupancy.

Clearances - Equipment shall be installed in accordance with the clearance from combustibles indicated in the name plate of the unit.

- ¹ Direct-fired makeup air units shall be mechanically exhausted in the range of 90% to 110% of the air supplied.
- ² Where permitted, such equipment shall be located in an occupied space (see s. Ind 64.22 (3)) and suspended at least 7 feet above the floor or guarded to maintain charances to combustibles and prevent accidental damage. Suspension of solid-fuel fired equipment is not permitted. Central furnaces with 400,000 Btu/hr or greater foul input rating must be enclosed. See s. Ind 54.14 (3) for additional requirements.

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- 3 Permitted in occupancies less than 1500 square feet gross area with combustion air ducted to unit.
- ⁴ Permitted in kitchens to provide makeup air for kitchen exhaust systems if located outside building or in a rated enclosure.
- ⁵ Spectator areas in tennis facilities may be served by suspended equipment located in court areas.
- ⁶ Fermitted only in shops with a 4-hour separation from other parts of the building.
- ⁷ Fireplaces may be installed and used only in areas other than patient sleeping areas provided those areas are separated from the patient sleeping areas by construction having at least a one-hour fire-resistive rating. The fireplace shall be equipped with safety screens and a heat tempered glass fireplace enclosure capable of withstanding temperatures up of 550° F.
- 8 Gas-fired, direct-vent wall furnaces are permitted in apartments and motels.
- .9 Suspended heating units are allowed in garages if located at least R feet off the floor. Suspension of solid-fuel fired equipment is not permitted.
- ¹⁰ Suspended heating units are allowed if located at least 10 feet above the upper surface of the wings or engine enclosure of the aircraft. Suspension of solid-fuel fired equipment is not permitted.
- 11 All solid-fuel fired space heaters and fireplaces shall be located in occupied space or in a space provided with approved smoke detectors and located or guarded to maintain clearances to combustibles and prevent accidental damage or contact with hot surfaces. Solid-fuel burning stoves are limited to 150,000 BTU/hr output.
- ¹² Solid-fuel fired space heaters and fireplaces are permitted in rowhouse units. Masonry fireplaces with or without inserts and built-in factory-built fireplace-type units only are permitted in all other residential occupancies.
- ¹³ Waste oil burners are permitted provided they are installed on mezzanines or service platforms located at least 8'-0" above the main floor, are visible from the main floor and are guarded as specified in this section.
- ¹⁴ Solid-fuel burning devices are permitted provided they are installed on mezzanines or service platforms located at least 9'-0" above the main floor, are visible from the main floor and are guarded as specified in this section.

¹⁵ See s. Ind 50.25 for smoke detector alternative.

¹⁶ See s. Ind 61.24 for requirements.

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(5) SPACE HEATERS. Space heaters shall comply with the following provisions:

(a) The burner of the appliance shall be enclosed with a metal housing so constructed that there will be no open flame and the burner housing shall be effectively guarded against personal contact. The arrangement shall be such that the shield will prevent any combustible material in the vicinity of the appliance from coming in contact with the flame or with the housing that encloses the burner. Oil-fired space heaters shall be equipped with a mechanical pressure atomizing burner; and

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(b) Space heaters shall not be equipped with duct extensions beyond the vertical and horizontal limits of the metal enclosure.

(6) EQUIPMENT IN HAZARDOUS LOCATIONS. The types of heating and ventilating equipment that may be installed in hazardous locations (as defined in Article 500 of the National Electrical Code) are as follows:

(a) Listed low-pressure steam or hot water unit heaters and makeup air units; and

(b) Listed electric units.

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(7) FIREPLACES AND FIREPLACE STOVES. Masonry fireplaces, factorybuilt fireplaces and factory-built fireplace stoves shall be constructed and installed in accordance with the NFPA standard No. 211—Standard for Chimneys, Fireplaces and Vents.

(a) Masonry fireplaces. 1. Masonry fireplaces shall be constructed of solid masonry units, stone or reinforced portland or refractory cement concrete.

a. Where a lining of low-duty firebrick complying with the provisions of ASTM C64, or the equivalent, at least 2 inches thick laid-in fire-clay mortar complying with the provisions of ASTM C105, or the equivalent, or other approved lining is provided, the total thickness of back and sides, including the lining, shall be not less than 8 inches.

b. Where the lining described in subpar. a. is not provided, the thickness of back and sides shall be not less than 12 inches.

2. Steel fireplace units incorporating a firebox liner of not less than ¼ inch thick steel and an air chamber shall be installed with masonry to provide a total thickness at the back and sides of not less than 8 inches, not less than 4 inches of which shall be solid masonry.

3. Warm air ducts employed with steel fireplace units of the circulating air type shall be constructed of metal or masonry.

4. Fireplace hearth extensions of approved noncombustible material for all fireplaces shall be provided.

a. Where the fireplace opening is less than 6 square feet, the hearth extension shall extend at least 16 inches in front of, and at least 8 inches beyond each side of the fireplace opening.

b. Where the fireplace opening is 6 square feet or larger, the hearth extension shall extend at least 20 inches in front of, and at least 12 inches beyond each side of the fireplace opening.

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(b) Required exhaust hood. Exhaust hoods shall be required where frying and/or broiling is done (includes deep-fat frying and surface frying), and where cooking is a regular commercial operation (includes ranges, griddles, fryers, broilers and similar grease-producing equipment).

(3) REPLACEMENT AIR. Adequate replacement air shall be provided to equal the air being exhausted by all exhaust systems.

(4) EXHAUST HOOD REQUIREMENTS. (a) Size of hood. The horizontal inside dimensions for canopy hoods shall be sized to effectively capture grease vapors, but in no case shall these dimensions be less than the overall horizontal dimensions of the grease-producing equipment. The horizontal inside dimensions for noncanopy, prefabricated backshelf hoods may be less than the overall horizontal dimensions of the grease-producing equipment.

(b) *Exhaust rates.* The kitchen exhaust hood shall be provided with a capture velocity to effectively capture the grease vapors and may be designed through engineering analysis or the empirical design formulas stated below:

1. Canopy hood. Hood open on all 4 sides: Q = 150 A (area).

2. Wall hood. Hood open on 3 sides or less: Q = 100 A (area).

3. Slotted-type hood. V = 350 feet per minute through the slot opening. The slot shall be at least 3 inches in width.

4. Noncanopy hood. The minimum volume of exhaust air for noncanopy type hoods (prefabricated backshelf) shall be not less than Q = 300 L (length).

Note: Q equals the exhaust air in cubic feet per minute; A equals the area of the hood over the grease-producing equipment in square feet; V equals the velocity in feet per minute; and L equals the total length in feet of the cooking appliance being ventilated, and measured parallel to the front edge of the appliance.

(c) Materials. Hoods shall be constructed and supported by steel not less than .0478 inch U.S. standard gage (No. 18 manufacturers standard gage) or stainless steel not less than .0359 inch U.S. standard gage (No. 20 manufacturers standard gage) or other materials of equivalent strength, fire and corrosion resistance.

(d) Seams. All seams and joints shall be liquid-tight.

(e) Grease-removal devices. Approved grease extractors, grease filters or other grease-removal devices shall be provided.

(f) Exposed hood surfaces. Hood surfaces and exposed exhaust ducts within 18 inches of combustible material shall be protected as specified in s. Ind 64.67 (5) (f).

(g) Concealed hood surfaces. Hood surfaces that are concealed by or recessed into adjoining construction shall be protected as specified in s. Ind 64.67 (5) (f).

(h) Double-wall hoods utilizing outdoor air. When hoods are connected to ducts supplying outside air, performance data shall be submitted.

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Note: Double-wall hoods provided with a supply of outdoor air conserve energy.

(5) EXHAUST DUCTS FROM HOODS. (a) Design. All ducts shall lead, as directly as possible, to the exterior of the building without forming dips or traps which collect residues. Ducts exposed to the exterior shall be protected with a suitable weatherproof coating.

Note: Temperatures in excess of 2000° F. may be experienced within ducts in the event of fire. A means of expansion of long ducts should be considered.

(b) Materials. Ducts shall be constructed of and supported by steel not lighter than .0598 inch U.S. standard gage (No. 16 manufacturers standard gage) or stainless steel not lighter than .0478 inch U.S. standard gage (No. 18 manufacturers standard gage) or other materials of equivalent strength, fire and corrosion resistance.

(c) Seams and joints. All seams and joints shall be liquid-tight.

(d) *Clean-out openings*. Accessible clean-out openings at the sides of ducts shall be provided at each change of direction of the duct for inspection and servicing.

(e) Interior ducts. Ducts shall not pass through required fire walls or partitions.

FP (f) Concealed exhaust ducts. 1. Horizontal ducts. Horizontal concealed ducts connected to hoods that pass through any other area of the building, including suspended ceilings, shall be protected with insulating material to withstand a flue temperature of not less than 1000° F. The temperature of the exposed surface of the insulating material shall not exceed 250° F. above the normal ambient temperature of 68° F.

Note: The department will accept the use of masonry chimneys or manufactured chimneys which are tested and approved for use at a flue gas temperature of not less than 1000° F., or insulating materials for fire endurance systems listed in the Fire Resistance Index published by Underwriters' Laboratories, Inc.

2. Vertical ducts. Vertical concealed ducts that pass through any other area of the building, including suspended ceilings, in one- and 2-story buildings, shall be protected with insulating material as specified in subd. 1., or shall be located in 2-hour noncombustible fire-resistive enclosures. In buildings of 3 or more stories, vertical ducts shall be located in 2-hour noncombustible fire-resistive enclosures.

(g) Exposed exhaust ducts. Exposed exhaust ducts connected to hoods or canopies shall be located not less than 18 inches from combustible material unless the duct is protected in accordance with the requirements of par. (f).

(h) Air discharge. The air discharge shall be directed away from the roof or combustible materials.

(i) *Dampers*. Fire dampers shall not be installed in kitchen exhaust duct systems unless the assembly includes an approved extinguishing system designed to operate with a fire damper in the closed position.

History: Cr. Register, December, 1975, No. 240, eff. 1-1-76; renum. from 64.66, r. and recr. (5) (a) to (d), renum. (5) (e) to (i) to be (5) (d) to (h), am. (6) (b), Register, December, 1976, No. 252, eff. 1-1-77; am. (5) (f) and (g), Register, December, 1977, No. 264, eff. 1-1-78; am. (4) and (6) (f) 1., Register, December, 1978, No. 276, eff. 1-1-79; am. (2) (a), r. (4),

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renum. (5) and (6) to be (4) and (5), Register, January, 1980, No. 289, eff. 2-1-80; am. (2) (a), (4) (f) and (g), Register, December, 1981, No. 312, eff. 1-1-82.

Ind 64.68 Seasonal occupancies. When approved in writing by the department, heating requirements may be waived but not ventilation required by s. Ind 64.05, Table 1 during the period of May 15 through September 15 for the following or similar occupancies: drive-in eating places, club houses, outdoor toilets, camp lodge buildings, canning factories and migrant labor camps.

Note: Rules on migrant labor can be found in ch. Ind 201, Wis. Adm. Code.

History: Cr. Register, December, 1975, No. 240, eff. 1-1-76; renum. from 64.67, Register, December, 1976, No. 252, eff. 1-1-77; am., Register, December, 1981, No. 312, eff. 1-1-82.

A-51.02 (14) DETERMINATION OF NUMBER OF STORIES. The following illustrations are provided to give visual aid to this rule and the definition of s. Ind 51.01 (121) Stories, Number of.



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- A-51.042 (5) The use of the term "high hazard" as referred to in this section is intended to apply to the following list of operations and occupancies.
- 1. Aircraft hangers.

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- 2. Dry cleaning establishments: using or storing gasoline or other volatile flammable liquids.
- 3. Enameling or japanning operations.
- 4. Mills: sugar, starch, cereal, feed, flour and grist mills.
- 5. Paint and varnish: manufacturing, storing, handling, spraying, and other related operations.
- 6. Pyroxylin products: manufacture and storage.
- 7. Repair garages.
- 8. Smoke houses.
- 9. Storage of: explosive gases under pressure (15 psi and over 2,500 cubic feet) such as acetylene, hydrogen, natural gas, etc.
- 10. Storge of: materials with a flash point under 200° F. such as celluloid products, kerosene, oils, etc.
- 11. Woodworking establishments.

A-51.15 (6) EXAMPLE TO DETERMINE TOTAL AGGREGATE EXIT WIDTH.



Total stair width required:

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5th to 4th	- 300 persons (100%) x 30"/100 persons = 90"
4th to 3rd	- [400 persons (100%) + 300 persons (50%)] 30"/100 persons = 165"
3rd to 2nd	- [500 persons (100%) + 400 persons (50%) + 300 persons (25%)] 30"/100 persons = 232.5"
2nd to 1st	- [200 persons (100%) + 500 persons (50%) + 400 persons (25%)] 30"/100 persons = 165" (Use 232.5")
lst to exterior	:- [600 persons (100%) + (200 persons + 100 persons) (50%) + (500 persons + 300 persons) (25%)] 30"/100 persons = 285"
B ₁ to 1st	- [100 persons (100%) + 300 persons (50%) + 400 persons (25%)} 30"/100 persons = 105" (Use 150")
B ₂ to B ₁	~ [300 persons (100%) + 400 persons (50%)] 30"/100 persons = 150"
B ₃ to B ₂	- 400 persons (100%) x 30"/100 persons = 120"

Stair width required from B_1 to 1 is 150" as stair cannot decrease in width along path to exit [1nd 51.16 (2) (c)].

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A-51.03 (5) (a) EXTERIOR MASONRY CONSTRUCTION. The following Figures 1, 2, 3, 4, 5A and 6B illustrate typical details for various wall construction alternatives, which satisfy the intent of this rule for Type 5—Exterior Masonry Construction.

This Figure Illustrates Typical Details for an Exterior Wall. The Same Details also are Applicable to Interior Walls.





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This Figure Illustrates Typical Details for an Exterior Wall. The Same Details also are Applicable to Interior Walls.



FIGURE 2 SINGLE WYTHE MASONRY WALL (NON-BEARING CONDITION)

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This Figure Illustrates Typical Details for an Exterior Wall. The Same Details also are Applicable to Interior Walls.



FIGURE 3 NULTI-NYTHE NASONRY NALL (BEARING CONDITION)

This Figure Illustrates Typical Details for an Exterior Wall. The Same Details also are Applicable to Interior Walls.

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FIGURE 4 MULTI-WYTHE MASONRY WALL (NON-BEARING CONDITION)

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This Figure Illustrates Typical Details for an Exterior Wall. The Same Details are also Applicable to Interior Walls.



Note: Masonry wall must be laterally supported by horizontal structural components only (1.e., floor, floor/ceiling, roof/ceiling assemblies). Masonry cannot rely upon the back-up wall component for lateral support.

FIGURE 5A COMBINATION MASONRY/FRAME WALL (BEARING AND NON-BEARING CONDITION)

This Figure Illustrates Typical Details for an Exterior Wall. The Same Details also are Applicable to Interior Walls.



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FIGURE 58 Combination Masonry/Frame Wall (Bearing and Non-Bearing Condition)

FIGURE 5B Combination Masonry/Frame Wall (Bearing and Non-Bearing Condition)

A-51.22 FIRE EXTINGUISHERS. The following information is taken from the National Fire Protection Association Standard #10-1978 - Portable Fire Extinguishers. The information is provided to assist building designers in determining the number, type and location of fire extinguishers needed to comply with the provisions of the standard.

1-3 Definitions.

1-3.1 The basic types of fires are Classes A, B, C and D as defined in the following subsections.

1-3.1.1 Class A fires are fires in ordinary combustible materials, such as wood, cloth, paper, rubber, and many plastics.

1-3.1.2 Class B fires are fires in flammable liquids, oils, greases, tars, oil base paints, lacquers, and flammable gases.

1-3.1.3 Class C fires are fires which involve energized electrical equipment where the electrical nonconductivity of the extinguishing media is of importance. (When electrical equipment is de-energized, extinguishers for Class A or B fires may be used safely.)

1-3.1.4 Class D fires are fires in combustible metals, such as magnesium, titanium, zirconium, sodium, lithium, and potassium.

1-3.3 Classification of Hazards

1-3.3.1 Light (Low) Hazard. Where the amount of combustibles or flammable liquids present is such that fires of small size may be expected. These may include offices, school-rooms, churches, assembly halls, telephone exchanges, etc.

1-3.3.2 Ordinary (Moderate) Hazards. Where the amount of combustibles or flammable liquids present is such that fires of moderate size may be expected. These may include mercantile storage and display, auto showrooms, parking garages, light manufacturing, warehouses not classified as extra hazard, school shop areas, etc.

1-3.3.3 Extra (High) Hazards. Where the amount of combustibles or flammable liquids present is such that fires of severe magnitude may be expected. These may include wood-working, auto repair, aircraft servicing, warehouses with high-piled (over 15 ft. in solid piles, over 12 ft. in piles that contain horizontal channels) combustibles, and processes such as flammable liquid handling, painting, dropping, etc.

3-2 Fire Extinguisher Size and Placement for Class A Hazards.

3-2.1 Minimal sizes of fire extinguishers for the listed grades of hazards shall be provided on the basis of Table 3-2.1 except as modified by 3-2.3. Extinguishers shall be located so that the maximum travel distances shall not exceed those specified in Table 3-2.1, except as modified by 3-2.8.

Table 3-2.1

	Light	Ordinary	Extra
	(Low)	(Moderate)	(High)
	Hazard	Hazard	Hazard
	Occupancy	Occupancy	Occupancy
Minimum extinguisher rating	1 A	2A	2 A
Maximum floor area per unit of A	3000 sq ft	1500 sq ft	1000 sq ft
Maximum floor area per extinguisher	11250 sq ft*	11250 sq ft*	11250 sq ft*
Maximum travel distance to extinguisher	75 ft	75 ft	75 ft

*11250 sq. ft. is considered a practical limit.

Note: Certain smaller extinguishers which are charged with multi-purpose dry chemical or Halon 1211 are rated on Class B and Class C fires, but have insufficient effectiveness to earn the minimum 1-A rating even though they have value in extinguishing smaller Class A fires. They shall not be used to meet the requirements of 3-2.1.

3-2.2 Up to one-half of the complement of extinguishers as specified in Table 3-2.1 may be replaced by uniformly spaced 1½ inch hose stations for use by the occupants of the building. The location of hose stations and the placement of fire extinguishers shall be in such a manner that the hose stations do not replace more than every other extinguisher.

3-2.3 Where the floor area of a building is less than that specified in Table 3-2.1, at least one extinguisher of the minimum size recommended shall be provided.

3-2.4 The protection requirements may be fulfilled with extinguishers of higher rating provided the travel distance to such larger extinguishers shall not exceed 75 feet.

3-2.5 For Class A extinguishers rated under the rating classification system used prior to 1955, their equivalency shall be in accordance with Table 3-2.5.

Table 3-2.5

All Water & Loaded Stream Types	Pre-1955 Rating	Equivalency
1½ to 1% gal	A-2	1-A
2½ gal	A-1	2-A
4 gal	A-1	3-A
5 gal	A-1	4-A
17 gal	Α	10-A
33 gal	Α	20-A

3-3 Fire Extinguisher Size and Placement for Class B Fires Other than for Fires in Flammable Liquids of Appreciable Depth.

3-3.1 Minimal sizes of fire extinguishers for the listed grades of hazard shall be provided on the basis of Table 3-3.1.1. Extinguishers shall be located so that the maximum travel distances shall not exceed those specified in the table used.

Exception: Extinguishers of lesser rating, desired for small specific hazards within the general hazard area, may be used, but shall not be considered as fulfilling any part of the requirements of Table 3-3.1.1.

Table 3-3.1.1

Type of Hazard	Basic Minimum Extinguisher Rating	Maximum Travel Distance to Extinguishers (Ft.)	(m)	
Light (low)	5B	30	9.15	
8,	10B	50	15.25	
Ordinary (moderate)	10B	30	9.15	
······	20B	50	15,25	
Extra (high)	40B	30	9.15	
	80B	50	15.25	

Note: The specified ratings do not imply that fires of the magnitudes indicated by these ratings will occur, but rather to give the operators more time and agent to handle difficult spill fires that may occur.

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A-52.04 REQUIREMENTS FOR BARRIER-FREE ENVIRONMENTS. The following illustrations are provided to give the designer visual aids for making facilities accessible.





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