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Product Evaluation

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Engineering Services Program

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Product Name: 26 Ga. PBU Metal Wall Panel Installed over Steel Framing

Manufacturer: JAG Metals, LLC

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General Description:

The 26 Ga. PBU Metal Wall panel is minimum 26-gauge galvalume steel panels with an optional paint finish. The metal wall panel is a through fastened panel with a maximum coverage of 36". The panel has 3/4" tall major ribs at 6" O.C. The 26 Ga. Steel material is ASTM A 792 Grade 80, with a 80 ksi yield point with optional painted finishes.

Limitations:

Wall Framing: The metal wall panels must be installed over minimum 16 Ga. open steel framing.

New Wall Framing Attachment: The wall framing must meet or exceed the wind pressure requirements of the IRC and IBC and must be installed as required for resistance to wind loads.

Design Wind Pressure: The design pressure load resistance must be as specified in Table 1.

Table 1. 26 Ga. PBU Metal Wall Panels Installed over Steel Framing

Design Wind Pressure (psf)	Steel Framing	Attachment of Panel to Steel Framing
+49.5 / -41.6	Minimum 16 Ga. 5'-0" O.C.	Fasteners at 12"-12"-12"
+67.9 / -52.4	Minimum 16 Ga. 4'-6" O.C.	Fasteners at 12"-12"-12"
+86.3 / -63.3	Minimum 16 Ga. 4'-0" O.C.	Fasteners at 12"-12"-12"
+104.7 / -74.1	Minimum 16 Ga. 3'-6" O.C.	Fasteners at 12"-12"-12"
+123.2 / -85.0	Minimum 16 Ga. 3'-0" O.C.	Fasteners at 12"-12"-12"
+141.6 / -95.8	Minimum 16 Ga. 2'-6" O.C.	Fasteners at 12"-12"-12"
+160.0 / -106.7	Minimum 16 Ga. 2'-0" O.C.	Fasteners at 12"-12"-12"

Installation:

General: The metal wall panels must be installed in accordance with the manufacturer's recommend installation instructions and this evaluation report.

Steel Framing: Minimum 16 Ga. Steel framing at spacings listed in Table 1.

Attachment of Metal Wall Panels to Steel Framing: The metal wall panels must be fastened to the steel framing with $#12-14 \times 1-1/4$ " Cupped HWH SD with EPDM washer or equal. A line of fasteners must be located along each steel frame at spacings listed in table 1. The fasteners must be long enough to ensure a minimum penetration of three pitches below the steel framing.

Panel Side Laps: The panel side laps are stitched together with minimum 1/4-14 x 7/8" Cupped HWH SD1 with EPDM washer or equal at 20" O.C.

Panel Ends: As required by the manufacturer.

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Trims, Closures, and Accessories: Components such as eave, rake rim, rake trim, hip trim, and valley trim must be as required by the manufacturer.

Alternative Fasteners: Alternative fasteners of equal or greater strength may be substituted.

Note: Keep the manufacturer's installation instructions available on the job site during installation. Use corrosion resistant fasteners as specified in the IRC and the IBC.