

Product Evaluation

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Engineering Services Program

The following product has been evaluated for compliance with the wind loads specified in the International Residential Code (IRC) and the International Building Code (IBC).

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Product Name: Mueller Snap Lock (MSL) Steel Roofing Panels Installed over Steel Purlins

Manufacturer: Mueller, Inc.
Metal Buildings, Roofing, and Components
1913 Hutchins Avenue
Ballinger, TX 76821
(800) 231-1034 ext. 8155

Product Description:

The Mueller Snap Lock (MSL) steel roofing panel is minimum 24-gauge galvalume steel with an optional paint finish. The steel roofing panels have 16" of coverage. The panel has a 1-3/4" tall snap lock standing seam rib. The 24-gauge steel material conforms to ASTM A 792 AZ55, Grade 50, with a 50 ksi yield point with optional painted finishes. Form panels within the panel rollformer specifications and tolerances.

Panel Rollformer: Schleich Quadro-Plus Rollformer
Metalforming, Inc.
100 International Drive
Peachtree City, GA 30269

Limitations:

Roof Framing: Install the steel roofing panels over open steel purlins. Use minimum 16-gauge steel purlins.

New Roof Framing Attachment: The roof framing must meet or exceed the uplift requirements of the IRC or IBC and installed as required for resistance to wind loads.

Design Wind Pressures: Table 1 specifies the design pressure uplift load resistance.

Roof Slope: The Mueller Snap Lock panel is a water shedding panel. It is not a submersible or waterproof panel system. If using the Mueller Snap Lock on a roof pitch of less than 3:12, ensure the snap lock is properly engaged and undamaged. Poor snap lock engagement can result in leaks. Use sealant in the panel laps on roof slopes less than 3:12. If there are areas where water build-up is over 1-1/2", leaks may occur.

Installation Over an Existing Roof Covering: Not permitted.

Table 1. Attachment of Mueller Snap Lock (MSL) Steel Roofing Panels to Steel Purlins

Design Wind Pressure (psf)	Panel Clip Spacing
-50.0	1'-0" on center
-49.6	1'-6" on center
-49.2	2'-0" on center
-48.8	2'-6" on center
-48.3	3'-0" on center
-47.9	3'-6" on center
-47.5	4'-0" on center

Installation:

General: Install the steel roofing panels in accordance with the manufacturer's recommended installation instructions and this evaluation report.

Steel Purlins: Use minimum 16-gauge steel purlins, and space the purlins as Table 1 specifies.

Underlayment: N/A

Attachment of Steel Roofing Panels to the Steel Purlins: Secure the steel roofing panels to the roof using 18-gauge, 3-1/2" long, 1-7/8" tall, fixed clips with two (2) No. 10-16 x 1" pancake self-driller screws per clip. Space the clips in accordance with Table 1. Use fasteners long enough to ensure a minimum penetration of three pitches of thread below the steel purlin.

Panel Ends and Edges: Install panel ends and edges as required by the manufacturer.

Trims, Closures, and Accessories: Install components, such as the eave trim, rake trim, ridge trim, hip trim, and valley trim as required by the manufacturer.

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