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CBIS/Korfil manufactures their line of Expandable Polystyrene Inserts in Central Massachusetts. Inserts are sold only to Concrete Block Manufacturers. Our products are tested and have been authorized for use in grouted reinforced Masonry construction. Our company is quality and customer focused to assure conformance to mandated Energy Codes.

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Hi-R[®] Masonry Wall System

Description

Basic Use: The Hi-R Wall System is a specially designed concrete masonry unit and individually molded insulation insert. The block and the insulation are combined at the block manufacturing plant prior to delivery to the job site. The assembly provides a wall system capable of achieving higher thermal R-values than conventional masonry, with no effect on the structural integrity of masonry construction.

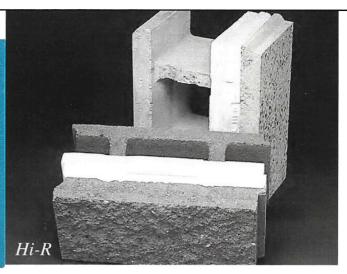
Product Advantages: The Hi-R Wall System:

- Provides guaranteed consistent insulation value
- Permits excess moisture to escape
- Allows easy installation of pipes, conduits, etc.
- Improves dewpoint
- Improves sound resistance
- · Eliminates concern of shrinkage, toxic fumes or odors
- Improves the ability of blocks to resist wind-driven rain
- Can be used above or below grade
- No lost time or rework if inspection rejects the quality of on-site workmanship
- Work by other trades is performed with little danger of damage to insulation
- The block itself can be used as a bond beam

Limitations: Expanded polystyrene products of any type should not be exposed to temperatures in excess of 184°F.

HI-R Inserts are manufactured from flame-retardant treated expandable polystyrene within normal manufacturing tolerances. Like all foamed plastics, good fire procedures must be followed during storage and installation. Inserts give off no toxins or combustion, except carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide, concentrations of which are far less than those given off by equal volumes of wood products and also contains no fluorocarbons or formaldehyde.

Composition and Materials: Masonry Units: Plain Faced, as well as Decorative Faced; Units in 8, 10 and 12-inch



widths with nominal 8" x 16" face dimensions, conforming to ASTM C 90.

Hi-R Inserts are individually molded from expandable polystyrene in a minimum density of 1.5 lbs. per cu. ft. Inserts are packaged at the point of manufacture in heat-sealed, clear polyethylene bags.

Applicable References:

- ASTM C-578 Specification for Rigid Cellular Polystyrene Thermal Insulation
- ASTM C 90 Standard Specification for Loadbearing Concrete Masonry Units.

Technical Data: The Thermal Properties tables show the thermal resistance (Rt), including inside and outside air surface resistances of .68 and .17 hr-ft²-°F/BTU, respectively, and the U-factors for various densities of concrete masonry units. See Thermal Properties charts.

Physical Characteristics: See Physical Properties chart below.

PHYSICAL PROPERTIES

Property	Value
Typical Density (lbs./cu.ft.) Minimum	1.50
Thermal Resistance (R) per inch	5.00
Water Vapor Permeance	1.10
Water Absorption % Volume	<1.00
Flame Spread Rating*	<5.00

^{*}This numerical flame spread is not intended to reflect hazards presented by this or any other material under actual conditions

Installation

Preparatory Work: None required. Inserts are placed in blocks prior to delivery to the job site. Inserts do not affect the handling of blocks so no added labor is involved.

Precautions: During storage and installation, good fire safety procedures should be followed. Care should be taken to make certain all broken or damaged inserts are replaced.

Thermal Properties:

Preinsulated Hi-R Masonry Units. U-factors are based on conventional 3/8" Mortar Joint Construction, U-factors units are Btu/h•ft²• °F.

8 Inch wide Hi-R Wall System								
DENSITY OF BLOCK—LBS/FT ³	Wall Type 1* R _t U		Wall Type 2** R _t U		Wall Type 3*** R _t U			
80	12.21	0.082	13.61	0.074	15.04	0.067		
100	10.27	0.097	11.67	0.086	13.10	0.076		
120	8.50	0.118	9.90	0.101	11.33	0.088		

DENSITY OF BLOCK—LBS/FT ³	Wall Ty R _t	ype 1* U	Wall Type 2** R _t U		Wall Type 3***	
80	13.92	0.072	15.32	0.065	16.75	0.06
100	11.87	0.084	13.27	0.075	14.70	0.06
120	9.95	0.100	11.35	0.088	12.78	0.07

12 Inch wide Hi-R Wall System								
DENSITY OF BLOCK—LBS/FT ³	Wall Ty R _t	/pe 1* U	Wall Type 2** R _t U		Wall Type 3*** R _t U			
80	14.56	0.069	15.96	0.063	17.39	0.058		
100	12.48	0.080	13.88	0.072	15.31	0.065		
120	10.50	0.095	11.90	0.084	13.33	0.075		

12 inch Cavity Wall, 4 inch Dense Outer Wythe, 3/4 inch Air Space, 8 inch wide Hi-R Unit								
DENSITY OF BLOCKLBS/FT ²	. Wall Ty R _t	/pe 1* U	Wall Type 2** R _t U		Wall Type 3*** R _t U			
80	13.62	0.073	15.02	0.067	16.45	0.061		
100	11.68	0.086	13.08	0.077	14.51	0.069		
120	9.91	0.101	11.31	0.088	12.74	0.079		

A third party thermal analysis was completed making use of the Hot Box Test Data from three accredited laboratory services. A complete Engineering Report dated November 20, 1996, including Addendum Added Nov. 1, 2002, is available upon request. It covers the thermal values of the Hi-R Masonry Wall Systems.

Availability and Cost

Availability: The **Hi-R Masonry Wall System** is manufactured under protection of a United States Patent. It is sold only to concrete block manufacturers. Contact a CBIS/KORFIL representative for order and delivery information. The **Hi-R Masonry Wall System** is nonproprietary.

Cost: Specific price information is available only through local block manufacturers.

Warranty: Hi-R Inserts are warranted to meet published specifications at the time of delivery. For further information, contact a CBIS/KORFIL representative.

Maintenance: No maintenance is necessary.

Technical Services: Support is provided by full-time, technically-trained CBIS/KORFIL sales representatives and technical service personnel, backed by a central research and development department and technical service staff.

For further information, contact CBIS/KORFIL, Inc.

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^{*} Hi-R Wall System only.

^{**} Hi-R Wall System, 1/2 inch gypsum board on furring strips.

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