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General:

Client: Arcitell, LLC Test Location: ICC NTA

Job Number: AL060920-35 Nappanee, Indiana

**Specimen Description:** 

Date Received: 9/28/2020

General Construction 2 x 4 SPF #2 Framing at 24-in. on center. 7/16 x 48 x 60-in. 24/16 Span Rated OSB fastened to framing with

Description: 0.113 x 2-in. Smooth Shank Nails at 6/12 with 3/8-in. edge distance. Qora Cladding to sheathing fastened

with #8 x 1-5/8-in. Self Drilling Lath Screw (4/panel) into sheathing only. 3 Qora cladding panels were used

per specimen.

#### Test Parameters:

Specified Maximum Test Load: 60 psf

Number of Load Increments: 6

Chamber Pressure Differential: Negative

Specimen Pressure (in-use): Positive

Support Conditions: 24-in. oc stud spacing

**Table A1: Overall Test Results** 

Average		Average Deflections, Gauges B-(A+C)/2									
Ultimate	Increment	Increment	Increment	Increment	Increment	Increment	Increment	Increment	Increment	Increment	
Pressure	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
(psf)	(in.)	(in.)	(in.)	(in.)	(in.)	(in.)	(in.)	(in.)	(in.)	(in.)	
303	0.011	0.021	0.031	0.041	0.053	0.065	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	

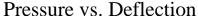
Test Modification(s): Per ICC-ES AC92 Section 4.7, test assemblies were constructed smaller that 4-ft x 8-ft since the panels spanned between framing members without bearing on the top and bottom headers. Load deflection readings were taken at the midpoint of the span on the center panel.

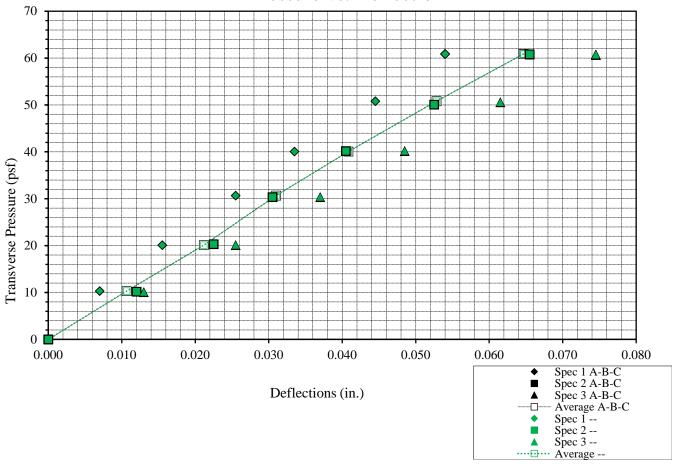
	were taken at the inappoint of the span on the center paner.											
	Pressures at Deflection Limits <sup>a</sup>											
	For Span A-B-C, 22.5-in.						For Span, -in.					
Limit	Limit Deflection Pressure (psf)						Deflection Pressure (psf)					
(L=Span)	(in.) Spec. 1 Spec. 2 Spec. 3 Average (in.)					(in.)	Spec. 1	Spec. 2	Spec. 3	Average		
L/600	0.038	44.0	37.2	30.8	37.3		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0		
L/480	0.047	53.3	45.4	38.8	45.8		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0		
L/360	0.063		58.3	51.4			0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0		
L/240	0.094						0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0		
L/180	0.125						0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0		
L/120	0.188						0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0		
L/90	0.250						0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0		

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>a</sup> Interpolated from test data. Based on Net Deflection calculated as dial gauges B-(A+C)/2 or B-(D+E)/2.

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# Net Deflections are Graphed (mid-span minus supports)

**Apparatus:** Asset No.

Moisture Meter: 00830
Balance: n/a
Length Measure: 01384

	Ultimate	% Diff.
	Pressure	from
Specimen	(psf)	Av. (%)
1	321	5.9
2	264	-12.9
3	324	7.0
Average:	303	

## **Dial Gauge Locations:**

Gauge A: Edge stud at mid-height

Gauge B: Mid span between edge and center studs at mid-height on panel

Gauge C: Center stud at mid-height

Gauge D: n/a Gauge E: n/a Gauge F: n/a

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# Specimen 1

**Ambient Conditions:** General: **Apparatus:** Asset No. Specimen No.: 129931 Ambient Temp.: 70.3 deg. F Manometer: 2179, 2180 Test Date: 2/9/2021 3:04 PM Ambient R.H.: 20.3% Vacuum Table: 02170 Performed By: Todd Ferguson Sensor Asset No.: 00576 Timing Device: 02447 Witnessed By: Lucas Ward Deflection Gauge A: 02365 Deflection Gauge B: 02185 **Loading Conditions:** Deflection Gauge C: 02186 Specified Maximum Test Load: 60 psf Deflection Gauge D: Deflection Gauge E: Chamber Pressure Differential: Negative Specimen Pressure (in-use): Positive Deflection Gauge F:

Siding Material: 0 psf

Support Conditions: 24-in. oc stud spacing

Test Variable(s): None

Table A2: Specimen 1 Test Data

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	Applied		Meml	ber Deflectio	Net	Net	Stage			
	Pressure	Gauge	Gauge	Gauge	Gauge	Gauge	Gauge	Deflection	Deflection	Duration
<b>Load Stages</b>	(psf)	A	В	C	D	E	F		E-(D+F)/2	(mm:ss)
Pre-Load	30.7	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	0:12
(REF)	0.0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	2:58
Increment 1	10.3	0.040	0.058	0.062				0.007		0:17
(REF)	0.0	0.000	0.003	0.001				0.003		2:41
Increment 2	20.1	0.084	0.121	0.127				0.016		0:15
(REF)	0.0	0.000	0.004	0.001				0.004		2:37
Increment 3	30.7	0.125	0.186	0.196				0.026		0:18
(REF)	0.0	0.001	0.004	0.001				0.003		2:52
Increment 4	40.1	0.166	0.247	0.261				0.034		0:16
(REF)	0.0	0.003	0.003	0.001				0.001		3:32
Increment 5	50.8	0.209	0.315	0.332				0.045		0:15
(REF)	0.0	0.005	0.001	0.005				-0.004		3:15
Increment 6	60.9	0.250	0.377	0.396				0.054		0:16
(REF)	0.0	0.008	0.001	0.006				-0.006		4:08
Increment 7										
(REF)										
Increment 8										
(REF)										
Increment 9										
(REF)										
Increment 10										
(REF)										

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>a</sup> See page 1 for dial gauge location descriptions.

Ultimate Uniform Pressure: 321 psf Duration of Specified Maximum Pressure: 15 seconds

Failure Mode: Flexural failure of the framing near mid height.

Observations during Test: None

Tape Use: Tape and film were used to seal the specimen.

Tape Influence: *The tape and or film did not influence the test results.* 

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### Specimen 2

General: **Ambient Conditions: Apparatus:** Asset No. Ambient Temp.: 68.4 deg. F Specimen No.: 129932 Manometer: 2179, 2180 Test Date: 2/10/2021 8:00 AM Ambient R.H.: 18.3% Vacuum Table: 02170 Performed By: Todd Ferguson Sensor Asset No.: 00576 Timing Device: 02447 Witnessed By: Lucas Ward Deflection Gauge A: 02365 Deflection Gauge B: 02185 **Loading Conditions:** Deflection Gauge C: 02186 Specified Maximum Test Load: 60 psf Deflection Gauge D: Chamber Pressure Differential: Negative Deflection Gauge E: Specimen Pressure (in-use): Positive Deflection Gauge F:

Siding Material: 0 psf

Support Conditions: 24-in. oc stud spacing

Test Variable(s): *None* 

Table A3: Specimen 2 Test Dat

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	Applied		Mem	ber Deflection	on Readings	s <sup>a</sup> (in.)		Net	Net	Stage
	Pressure	Gauge	Gauge	Gauge	Gauge	Gauge	Gauge	Deflection	Deflection	Duration
<b>Load Stages</b>	(psf)	A	В	C	D	E	F	B-(A+C)/2	E-(D+F)/2	(mm:ss)
Pre-Load	30.4	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	0:12
(REF)	0.0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	2:54
Increment 1	10.2	0.036	0.069	0.078				0.012		0:18
(REF)	0.0	0.001	0.001	0.000				0.001		2:55
Increment 2	20.3	0.083	0.138	0.148				0.023		0:17
(REF)	0.0	0.000	0.002	0.001				0.002		2:58
Increment 3	30.3	0.122	0.198	0.213				0.031		0:15
(REF)	0.0	0.000	0.002	0.002				0.001		2:56
Increment 4	40.2	0.156	0.256	0.275				0.041		0:17
(REF)	0.0	0.002	0.001	0.005				-0.003		2:53
Increment 5	50.1	0.188	0.315	0.337				0.053		0:17
(REF)	0.0	0.003	0.002	0.009				-0.004		3:18
Increment 6	60.8	0.225	0.380	0.404				0.066		0:17
(REF)	0.0	0.005	0.005	0.012				-0.004		3:34
Increment 7										
(REF)										
Increment 8										
(REF)										
Increment 9										
(REF)										
Increment 10										
(REF)										

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**Ultimate Uniform Pressure:** 264 psf Duration of Specified Maximum Pressure: 16 seconds

Failure Mode: Flexural failure of center stud near mid height.

Observations during Test: None

Tape Use: Tape and film were used to seal the specimen.

Tape Influence: The tape and or film did not influence the test results.

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### Specimen 3

General: **Ambient Conditions: Apparatus:** Asset No. Ambient Temp.: 67.2 deg. F Specimen No.: 129933 Manometer: 2179, 2180 Test Date: 2/10/2021 11:00 AM Ambient R.H.: 19.3% Vacuum Table: 02170 Performed By: Todd Ferguson Sensor Asset No.: 00576 Timing Device: 02447 Witnessed By: Lucas Ward Deflection Gauge A: 02365 Deflection Gauge B: 02185 **Loading Conditions:** Deflection Gauge C: 02186 Specified Maximum Test Load: 60 psf Deflection Gauge D: Chamber Pressure Differential: Negative Deflection Gauge E: Specimen Pressure (in-use): Positive Deflection Gauge F:

Siding Material: 0 psf

Support Conditions: 24-in. oc stud spacing

Test Variable(s): None

Table A4: Specimen 3 Test Data										
	Applied		Mem	ber Deflection	on Readings	<sup>a</sup> (in.)		Net	Net	Stage
	Pressure	Gauge	Gauge	Gauge	Gauge	Gauge	Gauge	Deflection	Deflection	Duration
<b>Load Stages</b>	(psf)	A	В	C	D	${f E}$	F	B-(A+C)/2	E-(D+F)/2	(mm:ss)
Pre-Load	30.1	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	0:12
(REF)	0.0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	5:11
Increment 1	10.1	0.060	0.080	0.074				0.013		0:16
(REF)	0.0	0.001	0.000	0.000				-0.001		3:29
Increment 2	20.1	0.105	0.149	0.142				0.026		0:17
(REF)	0.0	0.002	0.001	0.000				0.000		3:46
Increment 3	30.3	0.154	0.218	0.208				0.037		0:15
(REF)	0.0	0.001	0.000	0.002				-0.002		3:00
Increment 4	40.2	0.196	0.283	0.273				0.049		0:15
(REF)	0.0	0.001	0.003	0.005				0.000		2:46
Increment 5	50.6	0.241	0.354	0.344				0.062		0:17
(REF)	0.0	0.002	0.005	0.009				-0.001		3:08
Increment 6	60.7	0.281	0.421	0.412				0.075		0:18
(REF)	0.0	0.003	0.007	0.013				-0.001		2:44
Increment 7										
(REF)										
Increment 8										
(REF)										
Increment 9										
(REF)										
Increment 10										
(REF)										

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**Ultimate Uniform Pressure:** 324 psf Duration of Specified Maximum Pressure: 17 seconds

Failure Mode: Flexural failure of center stud near mid height, including flexural cracking of the OSB and

cladding.

Observations during Test: None

Tape Use: Tape and film were used to seal the specimen.

Tape Influence: The tape and or film did not influence the test results.