

BLOK-FLASH TEST RESULTS

PERFORMANCE

Assessments of the performance BLOK-FLASH® to handle moisture penetration and to develop bond capacity.

Testing Date: October 23, 1998
 Test Performed by: Soil and Materials Engineers, Inc. 734-454-9900
 Test Method: ASTM E 514-90 (1996) Water Penetration of Masonry*

WATER PENETRATION USING BLOK-FLASH®:

TIME/HRS 4:30
 BASE EXTERIOR NONE
 BASE INTERIOR NONE
 CORES BELOW BLOK-FLASH® NONE
 BLOK-FLASH® WEEPS 3.775 LITERS

*Used in conjunction with an Integral Water Repellent System

CONCLUSION:

The sample wall absorbed minimal moisture (375 ml/12 sq.ft.) at the exterior face (chamber side) with the penetrating free water collected by the BLOK-FLASH® system and weeped per design. No visual indications of water penetration or by-passing of the BLOK-FLASH® system were observed during the testing.

PERFORMANCE

Assessments of the performance BLOK-FLASH® to develop bond capacity.

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 Test Performed by: Soil and Materials Engineers, Inc. 734-454-9900
 Test Method: ASTM C-1072-94 Test for Flexural Bond

FLEXURAL BOND USING BLOK-FLASH®:

FLASHING SYSTEM	FLEXURAL STRENGTH Exterior Face in Tension
BLOK-FLASH®	56.6 PSI
Through-Wall Flashing	5.4 PSI

CONCLUSION:

Testing indicated prisms constructed with the BLOK-FLASH® system provided 10 times greater bond at the exterior bed joint. Complete set of test results available upon request.