

Part 1 General

1.1 REFERENCES

- .1 ASTM International
 - .1 ASTM C1396/C1396M-09a, Standard Specification for Gypsum Wallboard.
 - .2 ASTM C475/C475M-02(2007), Standard Specification for Joint Compound and Joint Tape for Finishing Gypsum Board.
 - .3 ASTM C514-04(2009)e1, Standard Specification for Nails for the Application of Gypsum Board.
 - .4 ASTM C645-09a, Standard Specification for Nonstructural Steel Framing Members.
 - .5 ASTM C754-09a, Standard Specification for Installation of Steel Framing Members to Receive Screw-Attached Gypsum Panel Products.
 - .6 ASTM C840-08, Standard Specification for Application and Finishing of Gypsum Board.
 - .7 ASTM C954-10, Standard Specification for Steel Drill Screws for the Application of Gypsum Panel Products or Metal Plaster Bases to Steel Studs from 0.033 in. (0.84 mm) to 0.122 in. (2.84 mm) in Thickness.
 - .8 ASTM C1002-07, Standard Specification for Steel Self-Piercing Tapping Screws for the Application of Gypsum Panel Products or Metal Plaster Bases to Wood Studs or Steel Studs.
 - .9 ASTM C1047-10, Standard Specification for Accessories for Gypsum Wallboard and Gypsum Veneer Base.
- .2 Underwriters' Laboratories of Canada (ULC)
 - .1 CAN/ULC-S102-07, Standard Method of Test for Surface Burning Characteristics of Building Materials and Assemblies.

1.2 ACTION AND INFORMATIONAL SUBMITTALS

- .1 Submit in accordance with Section 01 33 00 - Submittal Procedures.
- .2 Product Data:
 - .1 Submit manufacturer's instructions, printed product literature and data sheets for gypsum, framing, sealants and include product characteristics, performance criteria, physical size, finish and limitations.

1.3 DELIVERY, STORAGE AND HANDLING

- .1 Deliver, store and handle materials in accordance with Section 01 61 00 - Common Product Requirements.
- .2 Delivery and Acceptance Requirements: deliver materials to site in original factory packaging, labelled with manufacturer's name and address.
- .3 Storage and Handling Requirements:

- .1 Store materials in dry location and in accordance with manufacturer's recommendations in clean, dry, well-ventilated area.
- .2 Store materials inside, level, under cover. Protect from weather, damage from construction operations and other causes, in accordance with manufacturer's printed instructions.
- .3 Handle materials to prevent damage to edges or surfaces. Protect metal accessories and trim from being bent or damaged.
- .4 Store and protect partition materials from nicks, scratches, and blemishes.
- .5 Replace defective or damaged materials with new.

Part 2 Products

2.1 MATERIALS

- .1 Performance / Design Criteria:
 - .1 Partition assembly to be fire resistance rated.
- .2 Non-structural Metal Framing:
 - .1 Non-load bearing channel stud framing: to ASTM C645, 32 mm stud size, roll formed from 0.53 mm thickness hot dipped galvanized steel sheet, for screw attachment of gypsum board. Knock-out service holes at 460 mm centres.
 - .2 Floor and ceiling tracks: to ASTM C645, in widths to suit stud sizes, 32 mm flange height.
 - .3 Metal channel stiffener: 19 x 1.4 mm thick cold rolled steel, coated with rust inhibitive coating.
- .3 Gypsum Board:
 - .1 Standard board: to ASTM C1396/C1396M regular, 12.7 mm thick, 1200 mm wide x maximum practical length, ends square cut, edges tapered.
 - .2 Metal furring runners, hangers, tie wires, inserts, anchors.
 - .3 Drywall furring channels: 0.5 mm core thickness galvanized steel channels for screw attachment of gypsum board.
 - .4 Steel drill screws: to ASTM C514.
 - .5 Casing beads, corner beads, control joints and edge trim: to ASTM C1047, metal, 0.5 mm base thickness, perforated flanges, one piece length per location.
- .4 Paint exposed gypsum board assemblies to MPI standards.

2.2 ACCESSORIES

- .1 Sealants: in accordance with Section 07 92 00 - Joint Sealants.
- .2 Access Panels: Pre-finished metal access hatch, sized to fit opening, and non-tamper proof.

Part 3 Execution

3.1 EXAMINATION

- .1 Verification of Conditions: verify conditions of substrates previously installed under other Sections or Contracts are acceptable for product installation in accordance with manufacturer's written instructions prior to partition installation.
 - .1 Visually inspect substrate in presence of Departmental Representative.
 - .2 Inform Departmental Representative of unacceptable conditions immediately upon discovery.
 - .3 Proceed with installation only after unacceptable conditions have been remedied and after receipt of written approval to proceed from Departmental Representative.

3.2 ERECTION OF FRAMING

- .1 Install steel framing members to receive screw-attached gypsum board in accordance with ASTM C754 except where specified otherwise.
- .2 Align partition tracks at floor and ceiling and secure at 600 mm on centre maximum.
- .3 Place studs vertically at 400 mm on centre and maximum of 50 mm from abutting walls, and at each side of openings and corners. Position studs in tracks at floor and ceiling. Cross brace steel studs as required to provide rigid installation to manufacturer's instructions.
- .4 Erect metal studding to tolerance of 1:1000.
- .5 Co-ordinate simultaneous erection of studs with installation of service lines. When erecting studs ensure web openings are aligned.
- .6 Install steel studs or furring channel between studs for attaching electrical and other boxes.
- .7 Extend partitions to ceiling height except where indicated.
- .8 Maintain clearance under beams and structural slabs to avoid transmission of structural loads to studs. Use double track slip joint.

3.3 ERECTION OF GYPSUM BOARD AND ACCESSORIES

- .1 Do application and finishing of gypsum board in accordance with [ASTM C840] except where specified otherwise.
- .2 Erect hangers and runner channels for suspended gypsum board ceilings in accordance with ASTM C840 except where specified otherwise.
- .3 Support light fixtures by providing additional ceiling suspension hangers within 150 mm of each corner and at maximum 600 mm around perimeter of fixture.
- .4 Frame with furring channels, perimeter of openings for access panels, light fixtures, diffusers, grilles.
- .5 Install 9 x 64 mm furring channels parallel to, and at exact locations of steel stud partition header track.
- .6 Furr for gypsum board faced vertical bulkheads within and at termination of ceilings.

- .7 Install gypsum boards in direction that will minimize number of end-butt joints. Stagger end joints 250 mm minimum.

3.4 APPLICATION

- .1 Apply gypsum board after bucks, anchors, blocking, sound attenuation, electrical and mechanical work are approved.
- .2 Apply single layer gypsum board to metal furring or framing using screw fasteners. Maximum spacing of screws 300 mm on centre.

3.5 INSTALLATION

- .1 Erect accessories straight, plumb or level, rigid and at proper plane. Use full length pieces where practical. Make joints tight, accurately aligned and rigidly secured. Mitre and fit corners accurately, free from rough edges. Secure using contact adhesive for full length.
- .2 Install casing beads where gypsum board butts against surfaces having no trim concealing junction and where indicated. Seal joints with sealant.
- .3 Install insulating strips continuously at edges of gypsum board and casing beads abutting metal window and exterior door frames, to provide thermal break.
- .4 Install access doors to electrical and mechanical fixtures specified in respective sections.
 - .1 Rigidly secure frames to furring or framing systems.
- .5 Finish face panel joints and internal angles with joint system consisting of joint compound, joint tape and taping compound installed according to manufacturer's directions and feathered out onto panel faces.
- .6 Finish corner beads, control joints and trim as required with two coats of joint compound and one coat of taping compound, feathered out onto panel faces.
- .7 Fill screw head depressions with joint and taping compounds to bring flush with adjacent surface of gypsum board so as to be invisible after surface finish is completed.
- .8 Completed installation to be smooth, level or plumb, free from waves and other defects and ready for surface finish.

3.6 CLEANING

- .1 Progress Cleaning: clean in accordance with Section 01 74 11 - Cleaning.
 - .1 Leave Work area clean at end of each day.
- .2 Final Cleaning: upon completion remove surplus materials, rubbish, tools and equipment in accordance with Section 01 74 11 – Cleaning.

3.7 PROTECTION

- .1 Protect installed products and components from damage during construction.
- .2 Repair damage to adjacent materials caused by partition installation.

END OF SECTION