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# **EVALUATION SUBJECT: GOODMAN SPLIT UNITS**

TER-23-69176

#### REPORT HOLDER:

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## SUBSTANTIATING DATA:

#### Product Evaluation Documents

Substantiating documentation has been submitted to provide this TER and is summarized in the sections below.

## • Structural Engineering Calculations

Structural engineering calculations have been prepared which evaluate the product based on comparative and/or rational analysis to qualify the following design criteria:

- . Max. allowable lateral & uplift wind pressures certified herein
- Max. allowable sliding forces, uplift forces, & overturning moments (see Unit Reactions from Wind Guide on last page)
- Tie-down configuration and anchor capacity for concrete, aluminum, and steel host substrates (host by others).
- Unit panel wind pressure connection integrity

Calculation summary is included in this TER and appears herein.

# LIMITATIONS & CONDITIONS OF USE:

Use of the product(s) listed herein shall be in strict accordance with this TER as noted herein and manufacturer-provided model specifications. Installation shall conform to the minimum standards stated in the referenced building code(s) in addition to the specifications and limitations stated herein. See herein for complete limitations & conditions of use.

# **OPTIONS:**

This evaluation is valid for the models described herein. The critical unit designs have been determined and used in this evaluation. Any structural changes outside of the design as described herein would void this certification.

# **UNIT CASING MATERIALS:**

26 GA thick, ASTM A653 CS cold-rolled galv. steel for side covers. 22 GA thick, ASTM A653 cold-rolled galv. steel for bottom base pan. 20 GA thick, ASTM A653 cold-rolled galv. steel for top panel. Removable top & side covers secured with #10-12 sheet metal screws. Knockouts provided for utility & control connections. Contact Report Holder for further unit construction information.



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#### STRUCTURAL PERFORMANCE:

Models referenced herein are subject to the following design limitations:

Maximum Rated Wind Pressures\*:

# ± 119 psf Lateral, 94 psf Uplift

- Required design wind pressures shall be determined according to the guide provided in the Appendix (see last page of this report) or on a site-specific basis in accordance with ASCE 7 and applicable sections of the building code(s) being referenced in accordance with ASD methodology.
- Required design pressures shall be less than or equal to the maximum pressures listed herein.
- \*Maximum Rated Wind Pressures indicate the maximum pressures that all units listed herein are approved for. Valid for at-grade and rooftop applications. See limitations herein.
- Valid for use inside and outside the High-Velocity Hurricane Zone (HVHZ).
- Site-specific wind analysis may produce alternate limitations provided maximum rated wind pressures stated herein are not exceeded.

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# **MODEL INFORMATION (CONTINUED ON NEXT PAGES)**

Cabinet	Model	Unit Dimensions (in)		
Group	Number	Width Depth		Height
C2	DSXC160241	29	29	32.25
C2	DSXC160361	29	29	38.25
D1	DSXC160481	35.5	35.5	36.25
D3	DSXC160601	35.5	35.5	38.25
D3	DSXC180361	35.5	35.5	38.25
D3	DSXC180481	35.5	35.5	38.25
D3	DSXC180601	35.5	35.5	38.25
C4	DSZC160241	29	29	38.25
D3	DSZC160361	35.5	35.5	38.25
D3	DSZC160481	35.5	35.5	38.25
D3	DSZC160601	35.5	35.5	38.25
D3	DSZC180361	35.5	35.5	38.25
D3	DSZC180481	35.5	35.5	38.25
D3	DSZC180601	35.5	35.5	38.25
B1	GLXS3BN1810	27½	26	26
B1	GLXS3BN2410	27½	26	26
B2	GLXS3BN3010	32½	26	26
B2	GLXS3BN3610	32½	26	26
D4	GLXS3BN4210	35¾	29	29
C6	GLXS3BN4810	39½	29	29
D6	GLXS3BN6010	39½	35½	35½
B1	GLXS4BA1810	27	26	26
B1	GLXS4BA2410	27	26	26
C2	GLXS4BA3010	32	29	29
C6	GLXS4BA3610	39½	29	29
D4	GLXS4BA4210	35¾	35½	35½
D4	GLXS4BA4810	35¾	35½	351/2
D6	GLXS4BA6010	39½	35½	35½
B1	GLXS4MA1810	27	26	26
B2	GLXS4MA2410	32½	26	26

Cabinet	Model	Unit	Dimension	s (in)
Group	Number	Width	Depth	Height
C3	GLXS4MA3010	35¾ 29		29"
C6	GLXS4MA3610	39½	29	29
B1	GLXS5BA1810	26	26	27
B2	GLXS5BA2410	29	29	32
D6	GLXS5BA3010	351/2	35½	39½
D6	GLXS5BA3610	35½	35½	39½
D1	GLXS5BA4210	35½	35½	36½
D1	GLXS5BA4810	35½	35½	36½
D6	GLXS5BA6010	35½	35½	41%
D6	GLXT7CA2410	35½	35½	39½
D6	GLXT7CA3610	35½	35½	39½
D6	GLXT7CA4810	35½	35½	49%
D6	GLXT7CA6010	35½	35½	49%
C2	GLZS4BA1810	321/2	29	29
C2	GLZS4BA2410	32½	29	29
C6	GLZS4BA3010	39½	29	29
D4	GLZS4BA3610	35¾	35½	35½
D4	GLZS4BA4210	35¾	35½	35½
D1	GLZS4BA4810	36½	35½	351/2
D6	GLZS4BA6010	41¾	35½	35½
C2	GLZS4MA1810	321/2	29	29
C2	GLZS4MA2410	32½	29	29
C6	GLZS4MA3010	39½	29	29
D4	GLZS4MA3610	35¾	35½	35½
D6	GLZT7CA2410	35½	35½	39½
D1	GLZT7CA3610	35½	35½	35¾
D6	GLZT7CA4810	35½	35½	41%
D6	GLZT7CA6010	35½	35½	41%
A1	GSX130181	23	23	25.75
B1	GSX130241	26	26	27.5

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# MODEL INFORMATION (CONTINUED FROM PREVIOUS PAGE)

Cabinet	Cabinet Model		Dimension	s (in)	
Group	Number	Width	Depth	Height	
B1	GSX130301	26	26	27.5	
B1	GSX130361	26	26	27.5	
C3	GSX130421	29	29	36.25	
C3	GSX130481	29	29	36.25	
C6	GSX130601	29	29	40	
D5	GSX130611	35.5	35.5	38.25	
B1	GSX140181	26	26	27.5	
A1	GSX140181-M*	23	23	25	
B1	GSX140191	26	26	27.5	
B1	GSX140241	26	26	27.5	
B2	GSX140251	26	26	32.5	
C2	GSX140301	29	29	32.5	
C2	GSX140311	29	29	32.5	
C2	GSX140361	29	29	32.5	
C2	GSX140371	29	29	32.5	
C3	GSX140421	29	29	36.25	
C3	GSX140431	29	29	36.25	
D1	GSX140481	35.5	35.5	36.25	
D5	GSX140601	35.5	35.5	38.25	
C2	GSX16*181A*	29	29	32	
C2	GSX16*241A*	29	29	32	
C3	GSX16*301A*	29	29	35.75	
D6	GSX16*361A*	29	29	39.5	
D1	GSX16*421A*	35.5	35.5	35.75	
D6	GSX16*481A*	35.5	35.5	39.5	
C2	GSX160181	29	29	32.25	
C2	GSX160241	29	29	32.25	
C3	GSX160301	29	29	36.25	
C3	GSX160311A	29	29	38.25	
C6	GSX160361	29	29	38.25	

Cabinet	Model	Unit	s (in)		
Group	Number	Width	Depth	Height	
D1	GSX160371A	35.5 35.5		36.25	
D1	GSX160421	35.5	35.5	36.25	
D3	GSX160481	35.5	35.5	36.25	
D5	GSX160601	35.5	35.5	38.25	
D5	GSX160611	35.5	35.5	38.25	
B2	GSXB401810	26	26	32½	
C2	GSXB402410	29	29	32	
D6	GSXB403010	35½	35½	39½	
D6	GSXB403610	35½	35½	39½	
D1	GSXB404210	35½	35½	36½	
D1	GSXB404810	35½	35½	36½	
D6	GSXB406010	35½	35½	41%	
C2	GSXC160241	29.25	29.25	32.5	
D1	GSXC160361	35.75	35.75	36.5	
D3	GSXC160481	35.75	35.75	37	
D6	GSXC160601	35.75	35.75	42.25	
D6	GSXC180241	35.75	35.75	40	
D6	GSXC180361	35.75	35.75	40	
D6	GSXC180481	35.75	35.75	42.25	
D6	GSXC180601	35.75	35.75	42.25	
D6	GSXC702410	35½	35½	39½	
D6	GSXC703610	35½	35½	39½	
D6	GSXC704810	35½	35½	41%	
D6	GSXC706010	35½	35½	41%	
B1	GSXH501810	26	26	27	
B2	GSXH502410	29	29	32	
D6	GSXH503010	35½	35½	39½	
D6	GSXH503610	35½	35½	39½	
D1	GSXH504210	35½	35½	36½	
D1	GSXH504810	35½	35½	36½	

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Cabinet	Model	Unit	Unit Dimensions (in)			
Group	Number	Width	Depth	Height		
D6	GSXH506010	351/2	351/2	415/8		
B1	GSXM401810	26	26	27		
C2	GSXM402410	29	29	32		
D6	GSXM403010	351/2	35½	39½		
D6	GSXM403610	351/2	35½	39½		
B1	GSXN401810	26	26	27		
B2	GSXN402410	26	26	321/2		
C4	GSXN403010	29	29	39½		
D1	GSXN403610	351/2	35½	35¾		
D6	GSXN404210	351/2	35½	39½		
D6	GSXN404810	351/2	35½	39½		
D1	GSXN406010	35½	35½	36½		
D4	GSXV902410	35.5	35.5	35		
D4	GSXV903610	35.5	35.5	35		
D6	GSXV904810	35.5	35.5	42.25		
D6	GSXV906010	35.5	35.5	42.25		
C1	GSZ140181	29	29	34.5		
C1	GSZ14019	29	29	34.5		
C1	GSZ140241	29	29	34.5		
C1	GSZ14025	29	29	34.5		
C5	GSZ140301	29	29	36.25		
D2	GSZ14031	35.5	35.5	34.63		
C5	GSZ140361	29	29	36.25		
D6	GSZ14037	35.5	35.5	40		
D6	GSZ140421	35.5	35.5	39.75		
C5	GSZ140481	29	29	36.25		
D2	GSZ140491	35.5	35.5	34.5		
D2	GSZ140601	35.5	35.5	34.5		
C5	GSZ160181	29	29	36.38		
D2	GSZ160241	35.5	35.5	34.63		

Cabinet	Model	Unit	s (in)	
Group	Number	Width	Depth	Height
D2	GSZ160301	35.5	35.5 35.5	
D6	GSZ160361	35.5	35.5	40
C5	GSZ160421	29	29	36.38
D2	GSZ160481	35.5	35.5	34.63
D6	GSZ160601	35.5	35.5	40
C3	GSZB401810	29	29	35.75
C3	GSZB402410	29	29	35.75
C4	GSZB403010	29	29	39.5
D6	GSZB403610	35.5	35.5	39.5
D1	GSZB404210	35.5	35.5	35.75
D1	GSZB404810	35.5	35.5	36.5
D6	GSZB406010	35.5	35.5	41.63
D2	GSZC160241	35.5	35.5	34.63
D6	GSZC160361	35.5	35.5	40
D2	GSZC160481	35.5	35.5	34.63
D6	GSZC160601	35.5	35.5	40
D6	GSZC180241	35.5	35.5	40
D3	GSZC180361	35.5	35.5	34.63
D6	GSZC180481	35.5	35.5	40
D6	GSZC180601	35.5	35.5	40
D6	GSZC702410	35.5	35.5	39.5
D1	GSZC703610	35.5	35.5	35.75
D6	GSZC704810	35.5	35.5	41.63
D6	GSZC706010	35.5	35.5	41.63
C4	GSZH501810	29	29	39½
D1	GSZH502410	35½	35½	35¾
D6	GSZH503010	35½	35½	39½
D6	GSZH503610	35½	35½	39½
D1	GSZH504210	35½	35½	35¾
D1	GSZH504810	35½	35½	36½

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Group	Number	Width	Depth	Height	
D6	GSZH506010	35½	35½	41%	
СЗ	GSZM401810	29	29	35.75	
С3	GSZM402410	29	29	35.75	
C4	GSZM403010	29	29	39.5	
D6	GSZM403610	35.5	35.5	39.5	
D4	GSZV902410	35.5	35.5	35	
D6	GSZV903610	35.5	35.5	42.25	
D6	GSZV904810	35.5	35.5	42.25	
D6	GSZV906010	35.5	35.5	42.25	
B1	VLXS3BN1810	27½	26	26	
B1	VLXS3BN2410	27½	26	26	
B2	VLXS3BN3010	32½	26	26	
B2	VLXS3BN3610	32½	26	26	
D4	VLXS3BN4210	35¾	29	29	
C6	VLXS3BN4810	39½	29	29	
D6	VLXS3BN6010	39½	35½	35½	
B1	VLXS4BA1810	27	26	26	
B1	VLXS4BA2410	27	26	26	
C2	VLXS4BA3010	32	29	29	
C6	VLXS4BA3610	39½	29	29	
D4	VLXS4BA4210	35¾	351/2	351/2	
D4	VLXS4BA4810	35¾	35½	35½	
D6	VLXS4BA6010	39½	351/2	351/2	
C2	VLZS4BA1810	32½	29	29	
C2	VLZS4BA2410	32½	29	29	
C6	VLZS4BA3010	39½	29	29	
D4	VLZS4BA3610	35¾	35½	35½	
D4	VLZS4BA4210	35¾	35½	35½	
D1	VLZS4BA4810	36½	35½	35½	
D6	VLZS4BA6010	41¾	35½	35½	
B1	VSX140181	26	26	27.5	
B1	VSX140191	26	26	27.5	

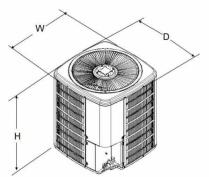
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Group	Number	Width	Depth	Height	
B1	VSX140241	26 26		27.5	
B1	VSX140251	26	26	27.5	
C1	VSX140301	29	29	32.5	
C1	VSX140311	29	29	32.5	
C1	VSX140361	29	29	32.5	
C1	VSX140371	29	29	32.5	
C2	VSX140421	29	29	36.25	
C2	VSX140431	29	29	36.25	
D1	VSX140481	35.5	35.5	36.25	
D2	VSX140601	35.5	35.5	38.25	
B1	VSXN401810	26	26	27	
B2	VSXN402410	26	26	32½	
C4	VSXN403010	29	29	39½	
D1	VSXN403610	35½	35½	35¾	
D6	VSXN404210	35½	35½	39½	
D6	VSXN404810	35½	35½	39½	
D1	VSXN406010	351/2	35½	36½	
C1	VSZ140181	29	29	34.5	
C1	VSZ140241	29	29	34.5	
C5	VSZ140301	29	29	36.25	
C5	VSZ140361	29	29	36.25	
D6	VSZ140421	35.5	35.5	39.75	
C5	VSZ140481	29	29	36.25	
D2	VSZ140491	35.5	35.5	34.5	
D2	VSZ140601	35.5	35.5	34.5	
СЗ	VSZN401810	29	29	35.75	
C3	VSZN402410	29	29	35.75	
C4	VSZN403010	29	29	39.5	
D6	VSZN403610	35.5	35.5	39.5	
D1	VSZN404210	35.5	35.5	35.75	
D1	VSZN404810	35.5	35.5	36.5	
D6	VSZN406010	35.5	35.5	41.63	

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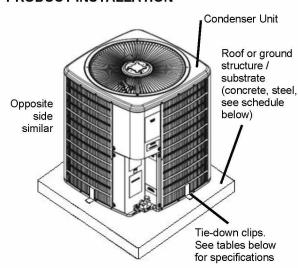
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### MODEL INFORMATION NOTES

Unit dimensions listed above are unit net dimensions (as opposed to packing/shipping dimensions). Unit net weights shall be between 100 lb and 375 lb, typ. Model information listed herein is based on information provided by the client. See Detail below for definitions of unit dimensions. Unit appearance may vary. Please contact Report Holder for more information.



## PRODUCT INSTALLATION



# TIE-DOWN CLIP (GROUND APPLICATION)

ASTM A653 G60 galvanized cold rolled steel 0.072" thick for all cabinets tied down at ground (Goodman Bracket); fasten cabinet using (2) anchors per clip from Anchor to Host Structure Schedule Table. Clip integrates into base pan slot.

# TIE-DOWN CLIP (GROUND & ROOF APPLICATIONS)

Miami Tech CUTD 1" wide and any length ASTM A653 galvanized steel 0.07" thick for all cabinets tied down to a roof structure; fasten clip to structure using anchor from Anchor Schedule to Host Structure Table and (2) #10 x 1/2" SS 410 self-drilling screw to fasten clip to unit base pan. See Tie-down Strap & Clip Schedule Table for clip amount. Hurricane kit #DGACUTD36K

	Tie-Down Strap & Clip Schedule									
Unit Model	Max Lateral Pressure	Max Uplift Pressure	Strap Req'd?	Qty	Minimum WLL (lbs)	Tie Down Clips Needed				
	50 psf	39 psf	NO	N/A	N/A	4				
Cabinet A1	106 psf	84 psf	YES	2	300	8				
<b>7.</b>	119 psf	94 psf	YES	2	400	8				
	50 psf	39 psf	NO	N/A	N/A	4				
Cabinet B1, B2	106 psf	84 psf	YES	2	400	8				
51, 52	119 psf	94 psf	YES	2	400	8				
Cabinet	50 psf	39 psf	NO	N/A	N/A	4				
C1 to	106 psf	84 psf	YES	2	500	8				
C6	119 psf	94 psf	YES	2	600	8				
Cabinet	50 psf	39 psf	NO	N/A	N/A	4				
D1 to	106 psf	84 psf	YES	2	600	8				
D6	119 psf	94 psf	YES	2	600	8				

# Tie-Down Strap & Clip Schedule Notes:

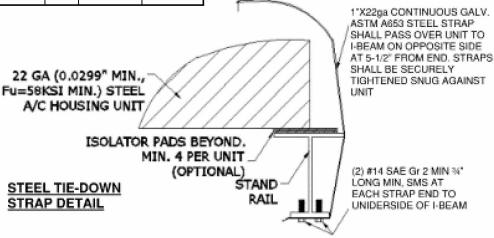
Straps are not required for ground-mounted installations. Working Load Limit (WLL) is per the strap's manufacturer - specified per strap. A minimum strap width of 1" is required for all cabinets.

Clip heights shall be adequate to fit SMS within base pan height. Verify height on site.

For ground-mounted installations, clips shall be placed at the center of each side, equally spaced. For roof-mounted installations, see details herein for clip positioning. See next page for Anchor Schedule to Host Structure.

# Note: (Vertical Strapping)

- Tie-down straps shall be wrapped around unit and roof stand rail, and shall be tightened using the buckle. Provide two straps per unit.
  - Strap material shall be either high-strength webbing and shall be compliant for exterior grade use if they contain plastic components, per FBC chapter 26. Or 1" wide 22ga ASTM A653 steel strap secured with (2) #14 SS SMS to the bottom of the stand rail.



SEE NEXT PAGE FOR ANCHOR SCHEDULE TO HOST STRUCTURE (FOR TIE-DOWN CLIPS)

## PRODUCT INSTALLATION CONTINUED

	Anchor to Host Structure Schedule							
Cabinet	Max Max Cabinet Lateral Uplift Pressure Pressure			1/8"Min A36 Steel	1/8" Min 6061-T6 Aluminum			
A1, B1-2, C1-6, D1-6	50 psf	39 psf	А	N/A	N/A			
	119 psf	94 psf	N/A	В	В			

## **Anchor Types to Host Structure:**

A. - 1/4" DeWalt ULTRACON SS4 Anchor embedded 3" in 3,000 psi concrete. 2 1/2" from edge minimum.

B. - 1/4" -20 UNC SS 316 bolt min. 1/2" from edges with nut and 1" OD washer

NA. - No anchors apply.

## PANEL INTEGRITY SUMMARY

Panel Integrity Summary							
Cabinet	Max Lateral Pressure	Max Uplift Pressure	Horizontal Strapping Required				
A1, B1-2,	50 psf	39 psf	NONE				
C1-6, D1-6	119 psf	94 psf	NONE				

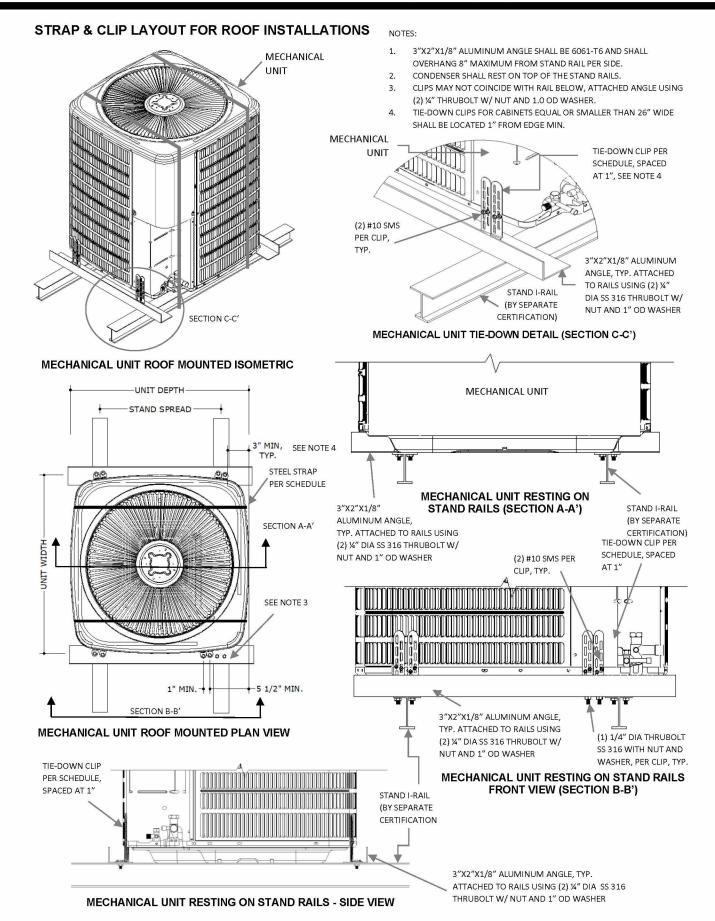
# PANEL INTEGRITY SUMMARY NOTES

No horizontal strapping is required for all installations up to the maximum-rated wind pressures.

Panel integrity calculations were based on information provided by the client and manufacturer-listed specifications. Specifications herein apply to all unit models listed herein (see "Model Information" on page 2). Each unit cabinetry type was considered separately. All exterior panels were considered in the calculations and are covered by this certification. Panels were assigned various porosities depending on the ratio of louver/aperture area to total panel area, for the purposes of calculating the acting wind force on each panel. Screw sizes, quantities on panels, and panel characteristics were considered based on client-provided information and additional conservative assumptions. Screw quantities were checked to reinforce unit panels as needed.

The purpose of this panel integrity evaluation is to ensure exterior panel connection integrity, referred to herein as "panel integrity", is sufficiently validated, such that the panel in question can withstand a high-speed wind gust and not detach or otherwise become flying debris.

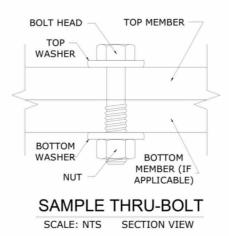
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Note: Installers must ensure that screws used to fasten the tie-down clips with the unit base pan do not touch the coil preventing any damage. All pieces and installation parts per Miami Tech Hurricane kit #DGACUTD36K

#### **TERMINOLOGY**

The following abbreviations may appear in this report: "Addtl." for "additional", "AHJ" for "Authority Having Jurisdiction", "alum" for "aluminum", "ASCE" for "American Society of Civil Engineers", "ASD" for "Allowable Stress Design", "ASTM" for "American Society for Testing and Materials", "EA." for "each", "E.D." for edge distance", "EDDS" for "extra deep drawing steel", "e.g." for "exempli gratia" or "for example", "equiv." for "equivalent", "FBC" for "Florida Building Code", "FEA" for "Finite Element Analysis", "FLCA" for "Florida Certificate of Authorization", "FS" for "Florida Statutes", "Fu" for "ultimate tensile strength" or "ultimate tensile stress", "Fy" for "yield strength" or "yield stress" "GA" for "gauge", "GR." or "Gr." for "grade", "HVAC" for "heating, ventilation, and air conditioning", "HVHZ" for "High-Velocity Hurricane Zone", "i.e." for "id est" or "in other words", "in" for "inch", "Ib" for "pound (force)", "max." for "maximum", "min." for "minimum", "mm" for "millimeter", "NTS" for "not to scale", "O.C." for "on center", "OD" for "outer diameter", "pof" for "pounds (force) per cubic foot", "PE" for "Professional Engineer", "qty" for "quantity", "SAE" for "Society of Automotive Engineering", "SMS" for "sheet metal screws", "SS" for "stainless steel", "TER" for "Technical Evaluation Report", "typ." for "typical", "ult" for "ultimate tensile stresse", "WLL" for "working load limit", "w/o" for "without", "YS" for "yield strength" or "yield stress", "#" for "number", "&" for "and", and "Ø" for "diameter". Please visit ecalc.io/glossary for additional abbreviation clarifications.



Note: The term "Thru-Bolt" or through bolt, if used herein, refers to a bolt passing through the member(s) in contact and is fastened by a nut at the end opposite the screw head. Nut shall be equivalent to or exceed the strength of the bolt U.N.O. Nut shall be sized to accommodate the same nominal diameter as the bolt U.N.O. See diagram above-right for a sample thru-bolt configuration.

Note: For instances herein which list material specifications as "[material type] or stronger": U.N.O. herein, the term "stronger" refers to a material with a UTS value equal to or greater than the UTS value of the stated material type. Consult appropriate literature for established material UTS values.

Note: Equivalent steel gauge thicknesses as used in this evaluation, U.N.O., are as follows: 22 GA (.030"), 20 GA (.036"), 18 GA (.048"), 16 GA (.060"), 14 GA (.075"), 12 GA (.098").

## LIMITATIONS & CONDITIONS OF USE, CONTINUED

Use of this product shall be in strict accordance with this TER as noted herein. The supporting host structure shall be designed to resist all superimposed loads as determined by others on a site-specific basis as may be required by the authority having jurisdiction. Host structure conditions that are not accounted for in this product's respective anchor schedule shall be designed for on a site-specific basis by a registered Professional Engineer. No evaluation is offered for the host supporting structure by use of this document. Adjustment factors noted herein and the applicable building codes must be considered, where applicable. Product components shall be of the material(s) specified in the manufacturer-provided product specifications. All supporting components which are permanently installed shall be protected against corrosion, contamination, and other such damage at all times. All fasteners and anchors shall be installed in accordance with the applicable provisions specified herein in addition to the anchor/fastener manufacturers' published installation instructions. Fasteners must penetrate the supporting members such that the full length of the threaded portion is embedded within the main member.

All of the wind-resisting exterior panels (with accompanying retrofits) individually meet or exceed their capacity to resist the design wind loads as stated in the calculations as required by the codes and standards stated herein. Due to the indeterminate nature of these units, distortion, deflection, and material deformation cannot be accurately evaluated, but with the diaphragm action of external components and internal stiffeners, the base unit (with accompanying retrofits stated herein as applicable) has the capacity to withstand the design wind loads without detaching from the unit and becoming flying debris.

<u>Survivability:</u> Evaluation reports are valid for a newly installed unit and do not include certification of the product beyond a design event or if impacted by any debris. Inspections shall be implemented annually by the end user and after every named storm. All fasteners and cabinet components are to be verified, and all damaged, loose, corroded and/or broken fasteners and cabinet components shall be replaced to ensure structural integrity against hurricane wind forces. Contact this office for any reevaluation needs or as designated by the Authority Having Jurisdiction.

<u>Durability:</u> Components or component assemblies shall not deteriorate, crack, fail, or lose functionality due to galvanic corrosion or weathering. All supporting components which are permanently installed shall be protected against corrosion, contamination, and other such damage at all times. Each component or component assembly shall be supported and oriented in its intended installation position. All exposed plastic components shall be certified to resist sunlight exposure as specified by ASTM B117, or ASTM G155 in Broward or Miami-Dade counties.

Extent of Certification: Certification pertains to the overall structural integrity of the unit components listed within the evaluation as required by code, subject to the limitations and criteria stated herein. Operability during or after a design event is not included in this certification. Water infiltration is outside the bounds of this certification. No other certifications are intended other than as described herein. This evaluation alone does not offer any evaluation for large missile impact debris or cyclic wind requirements unless specifically stated herein.

Proj.#	Remarks	Ву	Checked	Date	Proj. #	Remarks	Ву	Checked	Date
16-3146.4	Initial Issue	LAO	FLB	07/06/16	20-34290	Add Models	MRT	EPR	03/14/23
20-34290	Update to 2020 FBC	CCB	RWN	12/29/20	23-69176	2023 FBC Update & Add Models	MRT	EPR	01/02/24
20-34290	Add Models	EPR	EPR	07/05/22	23-69176	Add New Models	MARH	EPR	06/13/24
20-34290	Add Models	EPR	EPR	07/20/22					

Max. Ult. Wind Speed (Vult)	Max. MRH (Roof Height)	Exposure Category	Required Design Wind Pressures (ASD)	
			Lateral	Uplift
			Pressure	Pressure
140 mph	At-Grade (0 ft)	С	± 26 psf	0* psf
		D	± 31 psf	0* psf
	100 ft	С	± 63 psf	50 psf
		D	± 71 psf	56 psf
	200 ft	С	± 72 psf	57 psf
		D	± 80 psf	63 psf
175 mph	At-Grade	С	± 40 psf	0* psf
	(0 ft)	D	± 49 psf	0* psf
	100 ft	С	± 98 psf	77 psf
		D	± 111 psf	87 psf
	200 ft	С	± 113 psf	89 psf
		Ð	± 124 psf	98 psf
186 mph	At-Grade	С	± 46 psf	0* psf
	(0 ft)	D	± 54 psf	0* psf
	100 ft	С	± 111 psf	87 psf
		Ð	± 125 psf	99 psf
	<del>200 ft</del>	€	± 127 psf	<del>100 psf</del>
		Ð	± 140 psf	111 psf

100 psf

Note: Any table values with the format shown left, if present, indicate design wind pressures and site conditions that are not approved for use by this evaluation. Seek additional engineering or contact this firm for design solutions.

DIRECTIVE: This design pressure guide is for reference only and shall be approved for use by the Authority Having Jurisdiction (AHJ). If the design pressures listed in this guide are not used, required design pressures shall be calculated separately. For site-specific scenarios classified as Exposure Category B, the required design pressures stated for Exposure Category C in the above guide shall be used or design pressures shall be calculated separately. For heights and parameters beyond the parameters listed in this guide, visit our Online Calculator via the website link (https://ecalc.io/forces) or QR Code below, or obtain calculations separately by others.

The required ASD design pressures listed in this guide were calculated per the table's listed corresponding site conditions. The project design professional or permitting contractor shall verify that the site-specific conditions are equal to or less than the approved design parameters listed in the guide. Per the note below table: any values shown as "XX psf", indicate wind pressures and corresponding site conditions that are not valid for use with this evaluation (exceeds the max. rated pressures).

\*Note: Per the codes and standards referenced herein, uplift is not required for mechanical equipment at-grade. If uplift at-grade is required by the AHJ, contact this firm for a site-specific evaluation.

#### At-Grade (0 ft MRH) Required Design Pressures:

- ASCE 7 "Design Wind Loads: Other Structures"
- Structure Shape = Square, flat terrain
- Height of structure (unit + stand or curb, if used) = 6 ft max.
- Width of unit = 1 ft min., Depth of unit = 11 in min.

#### Rooftop (>15 ft MRH) Required Design Pressures:

- ASCE 7 "Design Wind Loads: Other Structures: Rooftop Structures and Equipment for Buildings"
- Structure Shape = Square, flat terrain
- o z = up to 7 ft, where z = height of stand or curb + ½ unit height
- Lateral GC<sub>f</sub> = 1.90; Uplift GC<sub>f</sub> = 1.50

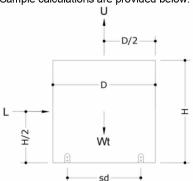
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# UNIT REACTIONS FROM WIND GUIDE

DIRECTIVE: This guide is intended for use by a design professional. Design parameters shall abide all specifications and limitations stated in this report. Design professional shall consider all forces, including seismic and snow loads, per the governing building code. Unit reactions obtained from this guide shall be verified by a registered Professional Engineer. Reactions are applicable for unit-to-host connections only. Sample calculations are provided below.



## **Design Parameters:**

- Lateral Wind Pressure, P\_lat
- Unit Height, H
- Unit Width, W
- Support Spacing across Depth, sd
- Uplift Wind Pressure, P\_up
- Unit Depth. D
- Unit Weight, Wt
- Support Spacing across Width, sw

### **Unit Reaction Equations:**

## Long Side (Width x Height):

- Sliding Force, L = P\_lat x W x H Uplift Force, U = P\_up x W x D
- Total Tension per Long Side = (Lx H/2 + Ux sd/2 - Wt x 0.6 x sd/2) / sd

## Short Side (Depth x Height):

- Sliding Force, L = P\_lat x D x H
- Uplift Force, U = P up x W x D
- Total Tension per Short Side = (Lx H/2 + Ux sw/2 - Wt x 0.6 x sw/2) / sw

Example: A (48" W x 36" D x 42" H), 250 lb net weight unit at wind pressures of 120 psf

#### Long Side (Width x Height):

- Sliding Force, L = P | lat x W x H
- =  $(120 \text{ psf}) \times (48 \text{ in}) \times (42 \text{ in}) \times (1 \text{ in}^2 / 144 \text{ ft}^2) = 1680 \text{ lb}$
- Uplift Force,  $\dot{U} = P_up \times W \times D$ = (95 psf) x (48 in) x (36 in) x (1 in<sup>2</sup> / 144 ft<sup>2</sup>) = **1140 lb**
- Total Tension per Long Side =

  - = ( (1680 lb x 42/2 in) + (1140 lb x 24/2 in) -(250 lb x 0.6 x 24/2 in) ) / 24 in = 1965 lb

# = (Lx H/2 + Ux sd/2 - Wt x 0.6 x sd/2) / sd

#### Short Side (Depth x Height):

lateral and 95 psf uplift, on a 24" wide roof stand, shall have the following unit reactions:

- 1. Sliding Force, L = P lat x D x H
- =  $(120 \text{ psf}) \times (36 \text{ in}) \times (42 \text{ in}) \times (1 \text{ in}^2 / 144 \text{ ft}^2)$  = **1260 lb**
- 2. Uplift Force, U = P\_up x W x D = (95 psf) x (48 in) x (36 in) x (1 in²/ 144 ft²) = 1140 lb
- Total Tension per Short Side =
- $= (L \times H/2 + U \times sw/2 Wt \times 0.6 \times sw/2) / sw$
- = ( (1260 lb x 42/2 in) + (1140 lb x 48/2 in) -

 $(250 \text{ lb} \times 0.6 \times 48/2 \text{ in})) / 48 \text{ in} = 1046 \text{ lb}$ 

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