

# AFB®

## Acoustical Fire Batt Insulation



ROCKWOOL AFB® is a lightweight, acoustical fire batt stone wool insulation specifically designed for steel stud and wood stud interior wall and floor applications. Its superior sound absorbency and fire protection contribute to the overall comfort and safety of occupants.

It provides increased density that reduces sound transmission. Greater noise control is further achieved when AFB® is part of the wall assembly along with gypsum boards and resilient channels.

AFB® is noncombustible and will not develop toxic smoke or promote flame spread, even when directly exposed to fire. This helps to provide valuable extra time for people to reach safety and for fire services personnel to control the spread. It is a key component of fire-rated partitions.

AFB® comes in a number of thicknesses to meet the requirements of both retrofit and new construction applications.

Learn more at [rockwool.com/afb](https://rockwool.com/afb)

### Quiet Spaces

The higher density of ROCKWOOL AFB® can reduce sound transmission, helping to create a quiet and comfortable space.



**ROCKWOOL AFB® is a stone wool batt insulation for interior partition walls and floor/ceiling installations in commercial constructions where superior fire resistance and acoustical performance are required.**

	Performance	Test Standard
Compliance	Mineral Fiber Thermal Insulation for Buildings, Type 1 Compliant	CAN/ULC S702
	Mineral Fiber Blanket Thermal Insulation, Type 1 Compliant	ASTM C665
	Mineral Fiber Blanket Thermal Insulation, Type 7 Compliant	ASTM C553
	MEA Approval, New York City Approval	338-97-M
Reaction to Fire	Flame Spread Index = 0; Smoke Developed Index= 0	ASTM E84 (UL 723) <sup>1</sup>
	Flame Spread Rating = 0; Smoke Developed Classification = 0	CAN/ULC S102
	Combustibility of Materials at 750 °C - Noncombustible	ASTM E136
	Determination of Non-combustibility of Building Materials - Non-combustible	CAN/ULC S114
	Smoulder Resistance - 0.04 wt%	CAN/ULC S129
Nominal Density	> 2.5 lbs/ft <sup>3</sup> (>40 kg/m <sup>3</sup> ) <sup>†</sup>	ASTM C167
Corrosion Resistance	Corrosiveness to Steel - Passed	ASTM C665
Air Erosion	Maximum Air Velocity - 1000 fpm (5.08 m/s)	UL 181
Thickness Dimensions	1" through 4" (25.4 mm - 101.6 mm) in 1/2" increments as well as 5" (127 mm) and 6" (152.4 mm), Wood studs: 15.25" x 47" (387 mm x 1194 mm), 23" x 47" (584 mm x 1194 mm) Steel studs: 16" x 48" (413 mm x 1219 mm), 24" x 48" (610 mm x 1219 mm)	
Acoustical Performance	Thickness (in.)	125 Hz
		250 Hz
		500 Hz
		1000 Hz
		2000 Hz
		4000 Hz
		NRC
		SAA
	1	0.05
	2	0.22
	3	0.42
	4	0.73
	6	1.11
		1.28
		1.15
		1.06
		1.03
		1.01
		1.15
		1.14
	Please contact ROCKWOOL for STC ratings on tested wall assemblies	
Fire Rated Designs	ULC Classification Code: BZJZC UL Classification Code: BZJZ	ASTM E90



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USA Specifications and Sizing

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<sup>†</sup>Density will change with thickness. Density is not a performance criteria but is commonly referred to when specifying insulation. Actual density is the true density of the insulation and Nominal density is the effective density of the insulation relative to a historic benchmark where the insulation contained 40% non-fibrous content also known as Shot (ASTM C612-99). Please contact ROCKWOOL for more information.