

StoPowerwall® ci

Portland cement stucco with continuous insulation, air and moisture barrier, cavity wall design, and high performance finish



1)	Substrate (by others): Glass mat gypsum sheathing in compliance with ASTM C 1177 or building code compliant wood-based sheathing
2)	StoGuard® Air and Moisture Barrier
3)	Dow Type IV XPS Insulation Board (by others)
4)	Code compliant sheathing membrane (by others)
5)	Sto DrainScreen drainage mat
6)	Code compliant minimum 2.5 lb/yd ² (1.4 kg/m ²) self-furred galvanized steel diamond mesh metal lath (by others)
7)	ASTM C 926 compliant stucco (as manufactured or listed by Sto Corp.)
8)	Sto primer (optional)
9)	Sto Textured Finish

System Description

StoPowerwall ci is an energy efficient stucco wall assembly with a continuous air and moisture barrier and continuous insulation. It combines the strength and durability of traditional stucco with an advanced cavity wall design and Sto high performance finishes.

Uses

StoPowerwall ci can be used in residential or commercial wall construction where energy efficiency, superior aesthetics, and air and moisture control are essential in the climate extremes of Canada

Features	Benefits
Integrally colored factory blended textured finish	Consistent color and aesthetics increase curb appeal
Continuous exterior insulation	Energy efficient, reduced heating and cooling costs
Impact and puncture resistant	Withstands abuse, reduced maintenance
Continuous air and moisture barrier	Protects against mold and moisture problems

Properties

Weight (excluding sheathing / studs)	< 56.6 kg/m ² (12 psf)
Assembly Thickness (from exterior stud face)	Nominal 92 mm (3 ^{-5/8} " w 50 mm (2") XPS
RSI-value R-value (insulation only)	0.88 – 1.76 m ² •K / W (5 – 10 ft ² •h•°F / Btu)
Wind Load Resistance	Capable of achieving: +3.11 to -2.29 kPa (+65, -48 psf)
Compliance	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Stucco mix conforms with ASTM C 926 Air Barrier listed by CCMC: ER 13120-R

Warranty

Up to 12 year Limited Warranty available on Sto products when Sto Crack Defense is added to assembly. 50 year thermal performance warranty available from Dow Building Solutions on XPS insulation.

Maintenance

Requires periodic cleaning to maintain appearance, repair of cracks and impact damage if they occur, recoating to enhance appearance of weathered finish. Sealants and other façade components must be maintained to prevent water infiltration.



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Limitations

System is limited to use on Combustible construction unless approved by the AHJ (Authority Having Jurisdiction) for other types of construction based on analysis of fire tests.

Minimum insulation board thickness: 25 mm (1 inch). Maximum insulation board thickness: 51 mm (2 inches). Minimum stucco thickness : 19 mm (¾ inch). Maximum stucco thickness: 22 mm (7/8 inch)

Wind load resistance: +3.11, -2.29 kPa (+65, -48 psf). Ultimate wind load resistance also depends on sheathing, sheathing attachment, stiffness of supporting construction, and strength characteristics of stucco mix. Test assembly if necessary to verify wind load resistance is in conformance with local code requirements. Design for maximum allowable deflection of L/360.

Cracking can occur in portland cement stucco. Cracking is generally not caused by a material defect in the stucco and can be minimized by following sound design and construction practices such as: proper installation of lath, proper incorporation of stress relief joints in the construction, proper sand gradation for field mixed stucco, proper proportioning of stucco mix ingredients, use of the minimum amount of water in the stucco mix for placement of stucco, avoiding the use of excess water, moist curing of the stucco after it has been applied, and proper sequencing of construction to avoid stresses in the freshly placed stucco.

Efflorescence is a normal occurrence in portland cement-based products and can affect final appearance of finish products.

For use on vertical above grade walls only. Do not use below grade or on roofs or roof-like surfaces.

Insulation material is flammable. Keep away from flame, ignition sources, and high heat (temperatures in excess of 74° C [165°F]). A 15 minute thermal barrier (typically 12.7 mm (½ inch) drywall) is required by most building codes to separate the insulation from the interior.

Dark or highly saturated finish colors may require added maintenance compared to light or pastel colors.

Air Barrier, insulation board, drainage mat, and base coat materials are not intended for prolonged weather exposure. Refer to component product bulletins for specific limitations involving exposure, use, handling and storage of component materials.

Sustainable Design

Regulatory Compliance and Standards Testing

ASTM C 926¹	Stucco base material is in compliance with ASTM C 926 when installed at a minimum thickness of ¾ inch (19 mm) in 2 coats to code compliant frame wall assemblies
CAN ULC S 701	Insulation in compliance with CAN ULC S 701
CCMC ER 13120-R	Air barrier material complies with NBC 2010
ASHRAE 90.1-2010²	Complies with Section 5, Building Envelope, air barrier and continuous insulation requirements
ASTM 2357³	Air/Moisture barrier meets air leakage resistance criteria of $\leq 0.2 \text{ L/s}\cdot\text{m}^2$ at 75 Pa (0.04 cfm/ft ² at 1.57 psf) with proper integration details

1. *Standard Specification for Application of Portland Cement-Based Plaster*
2. *Energy Standard for Buildings Except Low-Rise Residential Buildings*
3. *Standard Test Method for Determining Air Leakage of Air Barrier Assemblies*

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