



# Acoustical Quiet Liner Board (AQLB)



### Product Description

AFICO Quiet Liner Board is highly efficient resilient fiber insulation composed of fine, stable and uniformly textured inorganic glass fibers bonded together by a non-water soluble and fire-retardant thermosetting and heat resistant resin. It is free from coarse fiber and shot due to its mineral composition.

### Facing

AFICO Quiet Liner Board is supplied in semi-rigid and rigid faced with a strong, dimensionally stable Black Woven Glass Fiber Fabric (WGF).

### Application

AFICO Quiet Liner Board is intended for use in commercial, institutional, industrial and residential construction as thermal and acoustical insulation of heating air-conditioning and interior of dual temperature duct work, air handling equipment and plenums operating at air-velocities up to 20m/s (4000 FPM) with actual test velocity at 10,000 FPM (2.5 times the rated capacity) and temperatures up to 232°C (450°F)

Also used as an efficient sound absorption treatment of walls and ceilings, acoustic enclosures, generator rooms, studios, curtain walls, auditoriums, conference rooms, theaters and others.

### Standard Available Sizes

Nominal Manufacturing Specifications. Check for availability of other dimensions and densities

Product Type	Density		K Value @24°C		R Value / Thickness												NRC Values		
	Kg/m <sup>3</sup>	Lb/ft <sup>3</sup>	W/m <sup>2</sup> ·K	BTU·in/hr·ft <sup>2</sup> ·°F	25 mm	1 in.	50 mm	2 in.	75 mm	3 in.	100 mm	4 in.	150 mm	6 in.	25 mm	50 mm	75 mm		
240	24	1.5	0.036	0.25	0.69	3.94	1.39	7.87	2.08	11.81	2.78	15.74	4.17	23.62	0.85	0.95	1.00		
320	32	2.0	0.034	0.24	0.74	4.10	1.47	8.20	2.21	12.30	2.94	16.40	4.41	24.60	0.90	1.00	1.05		
480	48	3.0	0.032	0.22	0.76	4.28	1.52	8.56	2.34	12.83	3.13	17.11	4.69	25.67	0.90	1.05	1.15		
560	56	3.5	0.032	0.22	0.76	4.28	1.52	8.56	2.34	12.83	3.13	17.11	4.69	25.67	0.90	1.05	1.15		
640	64	4.0	0.032	0.22	0.80	4.50	1.60	8.90	2.34	13.40	3.13	17.90	4.69	26.80	0.95	1.05	1.20		
720	72	4.5	0.032	0.22	0.76	4.28	1.52	8.56	2.34	12.83	3.13	17.11	4.69	25.67	0.95	1.10	1.20		
960	96	6.0	0.032	0.22	0.76	4.28	1.52	8.56	2.34	12.83				0.95	1.10	1.25			

### Apparent Thermal Conductivity (ASTM C518, EN12667)

W/m<sup>2</sup>·K or Btu·in/hr·ft<sup>2</sup>·°F for all product range "K" or "λ" value at mean temperatures

Data for 10, 24 and 35°C mean temperature.

Nominal K-Value

Product Type	Density		Mean Temperature					
	Kg/m <sup>3</sup>	Lb/ft <sup>3</sup>	10°C	50°C	24°C	°75C	35°C	95°C
240	24	1.5	0.032	0.22	0.036	0.25	0.037	0.26
320	32	2.0	0.032	0.22	0.034	0.24	0.036	0.25
480	48	3.0	0.031	0.21	0.032	0.22	0.035	0.24
560	56	3.5	0.031	0.21	0.032	0.22	0.034	0.24
640	64	4.0	0.031	0.21	0.032	0.22	0.033	0.23
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### Performance & Physical Characteristics

#### Thermal Resistance "R" Value (ASTM C518)

"R" is a measure of the resistance to heat flow of a material of any given thickness.  
("R" = m<sup>2</sup>·°K/W or hr·ft<sup>2</sup>·°F/Btu)

$$R = \frac{T}{K} \quad \text{Where "T" = Thickness}$$

$$\quad \quad \quad \text{Where "K" or "λ" = Thermal Conductivity}$$

#### Thermal Transmittance "U" Value (ASTM C168)

"U" is a measure of how much heat is lost through a given thickness of a particular material.  
("U" = W/mK °C or Btu/hr·ft<sup>2</sup> °F)

$$U = \frac{1}{Rt} \quad \text{Where "Rt" = Total Thermal Resistance}$$

$$\quad \quad \quad \text{Composed of all elements/layers}$$

U-Values are calculated from the thermal resistances of the parts making up a particular part of the structure. Transmission of heat is opposed in varying amounts dependent on material and surface.

$$U\text{-Value (of building element)} = 1 / (R_{so} + R_{si} + R_1 + R_2 + \dots)$$

Where R<sub>so</sub> is the fixed external resistance  
R<sub>si</sub> is the fixed internal resistance  
R<sub>1</sub>, R<sub>2</sub> etc are resistivity of all elements within the application including that of cavities within the construction.

Example Calculation:

Layer & Material	Thickness & Conductivity	R Value
R <sub>so</sub> - Fixed external resistance	-	0.40 m <sup>2</sup> ·°K/W
R <sub>si</sub> - Fixed internal resistance	-	0.13 m <sup>2</sup> ·°K/W
R1 - Fiberglass insulation	0.100 m; 0.035 W/mK	2.85 m <sup>2</sup> ·°K/W
R2 - Clay bricks	0.105 m; 0.710 W/mK	0.15 m <sup>2</sup> ·°K/W
R3 - Concrete blocks	0.100 m; 0.018 W/mK	0.55 m <sup>2</sup> ·°K/W
R4 - Plaster	0.013 m; 0.016 W/mK	0.08 m <sup>2</sup> ·°K/W
Total		4.16 m <sup>2</sup> ·°K/W

Therefore the overall wall element U-value = 1/R = 1/4.16 = 0.24 W/mK

#### Surface Burning Characteristics (ASTM E 84, UL723)

Base glass fiber is non-combustible when tested.

Facing	Flame Spread	Smoke Developed
WGF	≤ 25	≤ 50

#### Working Temperature Limitations (ASTM C411)

Operating temperature up to 232°C (450°F) for the WGF faced product. At excessive temperatures, limited migration of binder may occur in the insulation in contact with the surface. This in no way impairs the performance of the insulation.

#### Mold Growth (ASTM C1338)

Does not breed or sustain mold, fungus, bacteria or rodents.

#### Corrosiveness (ASTM C665)

Chemically inert. Will not cause or accelerate corrosion of steel, stainless steel, copper or aluminum, due to its particular inorganic and mineral composition.

#### Alkalinity (ASTM C871)

pH 9

#### Friction Loss

According to NAIMA AHS-152T Pressure loss, in W.G., AFICO Quiet Liner Board.

This is to be used in place of the standard friction loss chart published in the ASHRAE Handbook of fundamentals.

For conversion of round equivalents to rectangular sizes, use Table C-2 "Circular Equivalents of Rectangular Ducts for Equal Friction and Capacity" from the same reference. Tests conducted in accordance with NAIMA AHS-152T.

#### Fire Properties

B.S. 476 PART 4: Non Combustible  
B.S. 476 PART 5: Ignitability  
B.S. 476 PART 6: Fire Propagation  
B.S. 476 PART 7: Surface Spread of Flame  
Class '0' fire rating to the building regulations sections E15

#### Specification Compliance

AFICO Quiet Liner Board complies with the standard specification requirements of the following specifications:

**DCL:** ASTM C612

**CE-EN:** EN 13162-T4-WS.WL(P)1121-CPD-BA0136

**UL 723:** Classified as FHC 25/50  
File no R37968

**ASTM C795:** Thermal Insulation for use in contact with Austenitic Stainless Steel tested

**SASO:** SASO EN 13162  
License # 20240660861

**Global Green Tag :** ARA:DS01:2025:GR

**Global Green Tag :** ARA:DS01:2024:PH

**Emirates GBC :** EmiratesGBC

**SCS Global :** SCS-HPD-09461

SCS-RC-02811

SCS-IAQ-07374

SCS-EPD-08453

#### Acoustical Performance (ASTM C 423)

Reverberation Chamber Method  
Sound Absorption Coefficients at Frequencies (Hz)

Type	Thickness		Sound Absorption Coefficients at Frequencies (Hz)						
	mm	inch	125	250	500	1000	2000	4000	NRC
320	25	1	0.11	0.29	0.68	0.76	0.75	0.62	0.90
	25	1	0.21	0.61	1.16	0.91	0.85	0.68	0.90
480	50	2	0.14	0.69	1.14	1.04	0.85	0.65	1.05

When velocity exceeds 4000 FPM use metal nosing on every leading edge. Nosing may be formed on duct or by channel or Zee attached by screws, rivets or welds.

No. of pins	Liner Interior Width
0	8" dn
2	16"-9"
3	28"-17"
4	40"-29"
5	52"-41"
6	64"-53"
7	76"-65"
8	88"-77"
9	100"-89"

Maximum spacing for fasteners. Actual intervals are approximate.

Velocity	Dimensions			
	A	B	C	D
2500 - 0 FPM	3"	12"	4"	18"
6000 - 2501 FPM	3"	6"	4"	16"

#### Installation Recommendation for Board

AFICO Quiet Liner Board are available in rolls and board types. The desired application length can be easily measured and cut from the full roll. AFICO Quiet Liner Board is applied to the interior of ducts and plenums with the black surface facing the air stream.

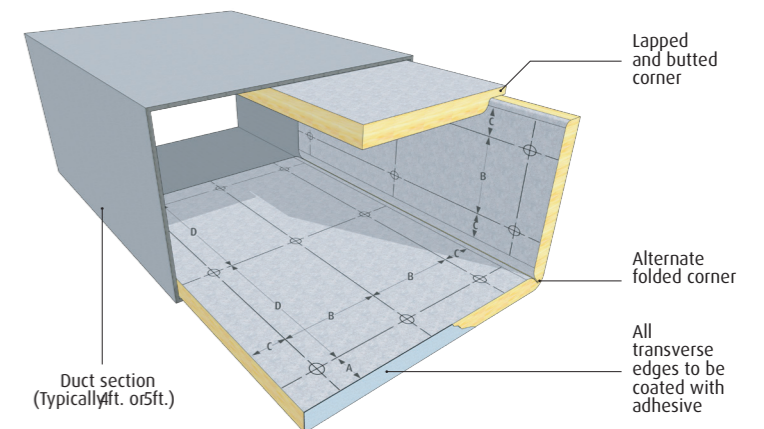
Transverse joints are to be neatly butted, with no interruptions or gaps. Longitudinal corner joints are to be overlapped and tight. Top pieces are to be supported by side pieces.

AFICO Quiet Liner Board should be adhered to sheet metal ducts with 100% coverage of adhesive, and all exposed leading edges and all traverse joints coated with adhesive. The liner should be additionally secured with mechanical fasteners which will compress the product sufficiently to hold it firmly in place. In addition, mechanical fasteners should be used according to the following schedule:

**For Velocities of 10m/s:** On horizontal runs where duct width or height exceeds 500 mm, the liner should transverse edges and spaced at a maximum of 375 mm on centers and 375 mm from longitudinal joints. On vertical runs, fasteners should be similarly spaced where either dimension exceeds 300 mm.

**For velocities from 10 to 20m/s:** On horizontal runs where duct width exceeds 300 mm or duct height exceeds 400 mm, the liner should be secured with fasteners starting within 75 mm of the upstream transverse edges and spaced at maximum of 375 mm on centers and 375 mm from longitudinal joints. On vertical runs, fasteners should be similarly spaced where either dimension exceeds 300 mm.

**For velocities up to 20 to 30m/s:** Same as for 10 to 20 m/s, except that fasteners should be spaced at a maximum of 300 mm on centers and metal nosing should be installed to secure liner at all upstream transverse edges.



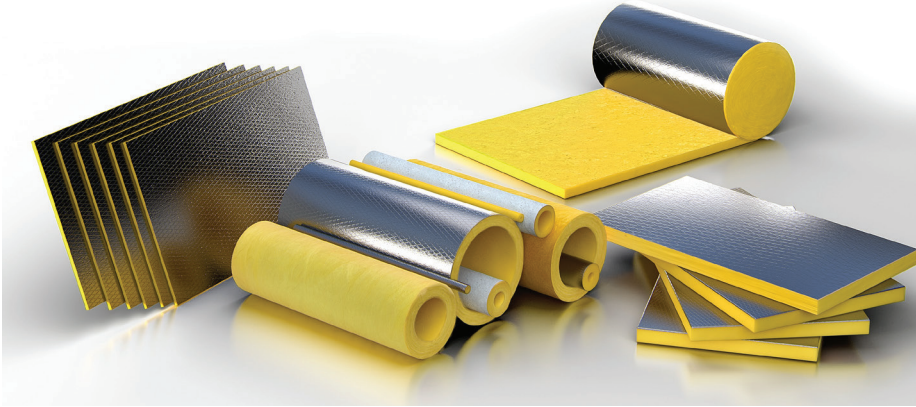
The velocity rated side of liner must face the air flow.

Liner adhered to the conduct with 90% min. area coverage of adhesive





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### The AFICO Product Range includes

- Cavity Wall Insulation • Blanket Insulation • Duct Liner Board • Duct Liner • Faced Duct Wrap • Quiet Liner
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AFICO's products are all energy saving, environmentally friendly, use even more recycled materials and contribute to the fight against global warming.

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### Maintenance

No maintenance is required. AFICO Board Insulation products have a high resistance to accidental damage from knocks and handling during installation and maintenance. Dimensionally stable under varying conditions of temperature and humidity, rot proof, odorless, non-hygroscopic and will not sustain vermin or fungus due to its inorganic and mineral compositions.

The product will maintain its thermal properties throughout the lifetime of the construction and will not age. AFICO fiberglass is non-toxic and not hazardous to health.

### Storage

To avoid moisture in the building construction, AFICO insulation products stored outside must be kept dry. We recommend AFICO products to be always stored in covered and dry areas. AFICO is not liable for the damage resulting from inadequate utilization, loading and off-loading and mishandling of its products.

### Warranty

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### Availability

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