

ASTM F 1642-04/GSA TS01 TEST REPORT

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SERIES/MODEL: BW3250
PRODUCT TYPE: Aluminum Combination Fixed Window

	Summary of Results			
Title	Test Specimen #1	Test Specimen #2	Test Specimen #3	Test Specimen #4
ASTM Hazard Rating	Very Low Hazard	Very Low Hazard	Low Hazard	Low Hazard
GSA Performance Condition	4	2	4	4
Average Peak Blast Pressure	6.7 psi	6.6 psi	7.1 psi	7.2 psi
Average Positive Phase Impulse	47 psi-msec	45 psi-msec	47 psi-msec	46 psi-msec
Average Positive Phase Duration	13 sec	13 msec	14 msec	13 msec

This report contains in its entirety:

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Photographs: 8 pages

Drawings: 20 pages

Reference should be made to Architectural Testing, Inc. Report No. A8997.01-122-12 for complete test specimen description and data.

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Project Summary: Architectural Testing, Inc. was contracted by United States Aluminum to perform testing on four Series/Model BW3250 aluminum combination fixed windows. Test specimen descriptions and results are reported herein. The samples were provided by the client.

Test Specification: The test specimens were evaluated in accordance with:

ASTM F 1642-04, Standard Test Method for Glazing and Glazing Systems Subject to Airblast Loading.

GSA-TS01-2003, US General Services Administration Standard Test Method for Glazing and Window Systems Subject to Dynamic Overpressure Loadings.

Test Facility: Architectural Testing, Inc.'s shock tube is housed in a 10,000 square foot state-of-the-art test facility located in York, Pennsylvania. Blast loadings are produced on the specimen to simulate the effects of a high explosive charge at a specified standoff distance. Shock waves are generated by the sudden rupturing of a thin aluminum membrane. The shock wave expands as it travels down the tube and impacts the target with a specific positive pressure and impulse. A photograph of the shock tube is provided in Figure #1 of Appendix A.

Data Acquisition: In accordance with ASTM F 1642-04 and GSA TS01, four reflective pressure transducers are utilized to record data at a 1MHz sample rate. Two reflective pressure transducers are located on the specimen holder at the top and right side (when viewed from the interior). A third pressure transducer is located on the shell to the exterior of the specimen, and a fourth is located in the witness chamber, directly to the interior of the specimen holder. A sketch of the specimen holder and corresponding reflective pressure sensor locations are provided in Figure #2 of Appendix A.

Drawing Reference: The attached drawings have been verified by Architectural Testing, Inc. and are representative of the samples tested. Drawings are provided in Appendix D.

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Test Specimen Description: The following descriptions apply to all specimens.

Test Series/Model: BW3250 System

Product Type: Combination Fixed Window

Overall Size: 82-3/4" wide by 82-3/4" high

Interior Top Left Fixed Daylight Opening: 23" wide by 69-1/2" high

Interior Top Right Fixed Daylight Opening: 52-1/2" wide by 69-1/2" high

Interior Bottom Left Fixed Daylight Opening: 23" wide by 6" high

Interior Bottom Right Fixed Daylight Opening: 52-1/2" wide by 6" high

Overall Area: 47.55ft²

Reinforcement: No reinforcement was utilized.

Finish: Aluminum

Glazing Details: Each lite was glazed with a 1" thick insulating glass unit. The outboard lite was constructed of 1/4" thick clear annealed glass and the inboard lite was constructed of 1/4" thick clear laminated glass separated by an aluminum spacer system. The laminated glass was constructed of two sheets of 1/8" thick clear annealed glass separated by a 0.030" thick PVB Butacite® interlayer. The glazing was installed from the exterior onto a bed of silicone sealant with a rubber gasket spacer against the glass. The exterior side was secured with an aluminum pressure plate and rubber gasket. The pressure plate was secured to the screw race of the framing members with 1/4" x 1" hex head screws spaced approximately 9" on center. The glazing bite measured 5/8". An aluminum snap cover was installed over the pressure plate.

Note #1: The tested glazing represents the minimum allowable glazing thickness as per section B-3.1.1.1 and Table B-3.



Test Specimen Description: (Continued)

Frame Construction: All frame members were constructed of extruded aluminum, with coped and butted corners and sealed with silicone sealant. All horizontal to vertical connections utilized a shear block. Three $5/8" \times 5"$ long bolts were used at each shear block connection to the vertical jambs and three $5/8" \times 7"$ long bolts were used at all shear block connection to the intermediate mullion. Bolts extended through the vertical member and shear block and were secured with a washer and lock nut. Horizontal members were secured to the shear block with four #12 x 1" flat head screws extending through the horizontal into the shear block.

Hardware: No hardware was utilized.

Installation: Each specimen was installed into a C8 steel channel test buck. "F" and "T" style anchors were used at the head and sill of the intermediate vertical mullion and at the head and sill of each vertical jamb member. "F" style anchors were secured to the steel channel with four 1/2" grade 5 bolts in a 2" x 3" square pattern in the center of the "F" style anchor. "T" style anchors were secured to the steel channel with four 1/2" grade 5 bolts, two bolts on each side of the anchor, 1-1/4" in from each end spaced 3" apart.



Test Results: The results are tabulated as follows:

Test Specimen #1:

<u>Description</u>	Results
Ambient Temperature	63°F
Glazing Temperature	66°F
Peak Positive Pressure	
Top Pressure	6.7 psi
Right Pressure	7.1 psi
Shell Pressure	6.3 psi
Average Pressure	6.7 psi
Positive Phase Duration	
Top Duration	13 msec
Right Duration	14 msec
Shell Duration	11 msec
Average Duration	13 msec
Positive Phase Impulse	
Top Impulse	47 psi-msec
Right Impulse	47 psi-msec
Shell Impulse	46 psi-msec
Average Impulse	47 psi-msec

- No pressure rise was measured on the protected side of the specimen.
- Two 24" long tears in the laminate of the large lite and approximately 8" pull-out along the left jamb. One tear approximately 16" long on the large side lite. Total tears and pull-out for the large lite was greater than 20% of the sight perimeter.
- Fragments were observed in the witness area, with a sum total united dimension less than 10" in the 1m-3m area. Three impacts on the back wall were observed below the 24" line.

ASTM Hazard Rating: Very Low Hazard

GSA Performance Condition: 4

Pressure-time plots are presented in Appendix B. Pre-test and post-test photographs are provided in Appendix C.



Test Results: (Continued)

Test Specimen #2:

<u>Description</u>	Results
Ambient Temperature	63°F
Glazing Temperature	64°F
Peak Positive Pressure	
Top Pressure	6.8 psi
Right Pressure	6.8 psi
Shell Pressure	6.2 psi
Average Pressure	6.6 psi
Positive Phase Duration	
Top Duration	13 msec
Right Duration	14 msec
Shell Duration	12 msec
Average Duration	13 msec
Positive Phase Impulse	
Top Impulse	46 psi-msec
Right Impulse	45 psi-msec
Shell Impulse	45 psi-msec
Average Impulse	45 psi-msec

- No pressure rise was measured on the protected side of the specimen.
- A 14-1/2" tear in the laminate was observed at the top center of the large lite and 43" of pull-out was observed along the right jamb of the large lite. Total tears and pull-out for the large lite was greater than 20% of the sight perimeter.
- Dusting of glass in the witness area. No fragments or damage to the back panel was observed.

ASTM Hazard Rating: Very Low Hazard

GSA Performance Condition: 2

Pressure-time plots are presented in Appendix B. Pre-test and post-test photographs are provided in Appendix $\rm C.$



Test Results: (Continued)

Test Specimen #3:

<u>Description</u>	Results
Ambient Temperature	64°F
Glazing Temperature	64°F
Peak Positive Pressure	
Top Pressure	7.3 psi
Right Pressure	7.4 psi
Shell Pressure	6.7 psi
Average Pressure	7.1 psi
Positive Phase Duration	
Top Duration	13 msec
Right Duration	14 msec
Shell Duration	14 msec
Average Duration	14 msec
Positive Phase Impulse	
Top Impulse	47 psi-msec
Right Impulse	47 psi-msec
Shell Impulse	46 psi-msec
Average Impulse	47 psi-msec

- No pressure rise was measured on the protected side of the specimen.
- A 43" long vertical tear in the laminate was observed at the center of the large lite. No pull-out was observed at the perimeter glazing.
- Multiple fragments were observed in the witness area with approximately 63" sum total united dimensions in the 1m-3m area. Thirteen indents were observed in the wall panel below the 24" line.

ASTM Hazard Rating: Low Hazard

GSA Performance Condition: 4

Pressure-time plots are presented in Appendix B. Pre-test and post-test photographs are provided in Appendix C.



Test Results: (Continued)

Test Specimen #4:

<u>Description</u>	Results
Ambient Temperature	65°F
Glazing Temperature	67 ° F
Peak Positive Pressure Top Pressure Right Pressure	7.3 psi 7.4 psi
Shell Pressure Average Pressure	6.8 psi 7.2 psi
Positive Phase Duration Top Duration Right Duration Shell Duration Average Duration	13 msec 13 msec 13 msec 13 msec
Positive Phase Impulse Top Impulse Right Impulse Shell Impulse Average Impulse	46 psi-msec 47 psi-msec 46 psi-msec 46 psi-msec

- No pressure rise was measured on the protected side of the specimen.
- A 43" horizontal tear in the laminate was observed at the center of the large lite, 39-1/2" of pull-out was observed out along the mullion and 29-1/2" pull-out was observed along the left jamb of the large lite. Total tears and pull-out for the large lite was greater than 20% of the sight perimeter.
- Multiple fragments were observed in the witness area with approximately 14" sum total united dimensions in the 1m-3m area. One fragment indent was observed on the back witness panel, 1" from the floor.

ASTM Hazard Rating: Low Hazard

GSA Performance Condition: 4

Pressure-time plots are presented in Appendix B. Pre-test and post-test photographs are provided in Appendix C.



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Detailed drawings, data sheets, representative samples of test specimens, a copy of this report, and other pertinent project documentation will be retained by Architectural Testing, Inc. for a period of four years from the original test date. At the end of this retention period, such materials shall be discarded without notice and the service life of this report will expire.

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Attachments (pages): This report is complete only when all attachments listed are included.

Appendix-A: Test Facility (1)
Appendix-B: Pressure-Time Plots (8)
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Appendix A

Test Facility





Figure #1
Shock Tube and Test Facility

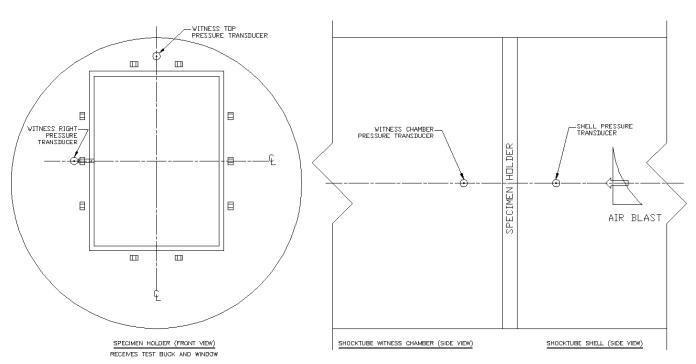


Figure #2
Pressure Sensor Locations

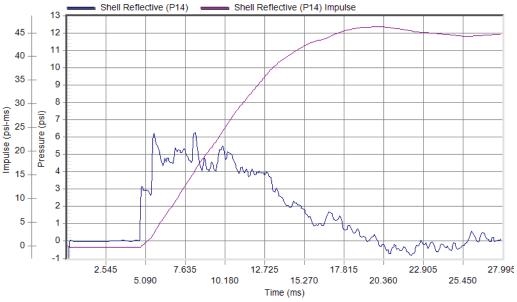


Appendix B

Pressure-Time Plots

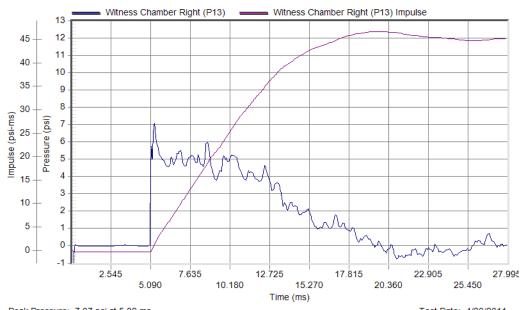


Specimen #1



 Peak Pressure: 6.28 psi at 8.26 ms
 Test Date: 4/20/2011

 Duration: 10.99 ms
 Test Time: 11:41 am

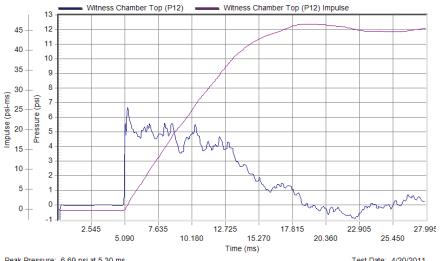


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 Test Date: 4/20/2011

 Duration: 14.04 ms
 Test Time: 11:41 am



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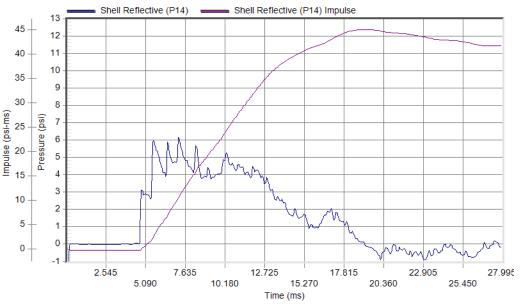


 Peak Pressure: 6.69 psi at 5.30 ms
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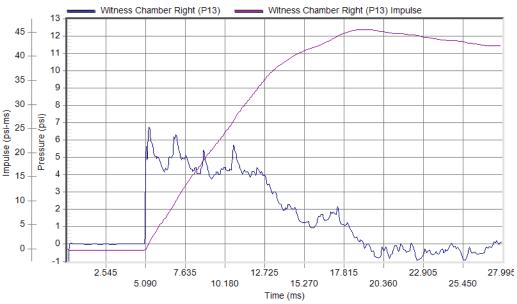


Specimen #2



 Peak Pressure: 6.21 psi at 7.21 ms
 Test Date: 4/21/2011

 Duration: 11.92 ms
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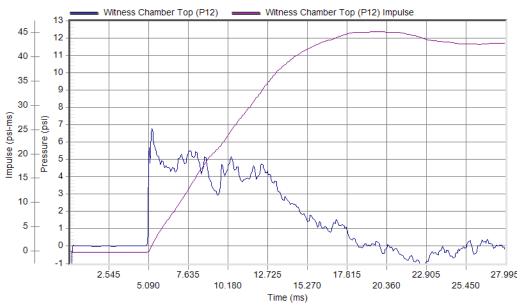


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 Test Time: 12:24 pm



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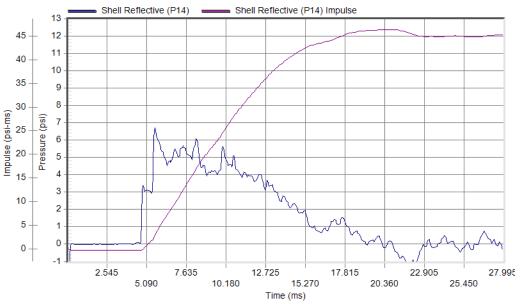


 Peak Pressure: 6.77 psi at 5.31 ms
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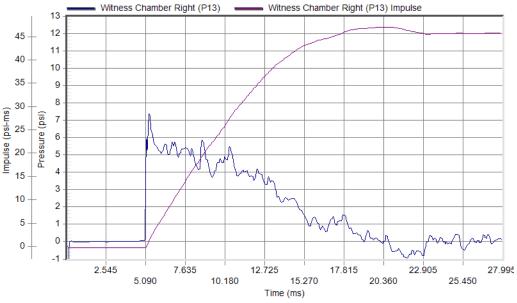


Specimen #3



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 Duration: 13.53 ms
 Test Time: 4:26 pm

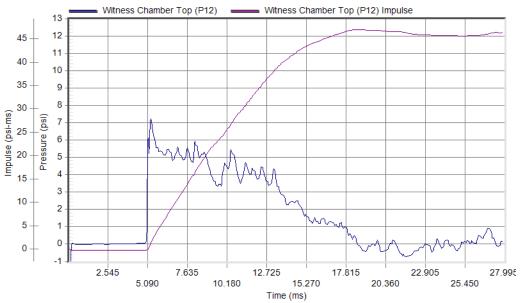


 Peak Pressure: 7.43 psi at 5.33 ms
 Test Date: 4/21/2011

 Duration: 13.73 ms
 Test Time: 4:26 pm



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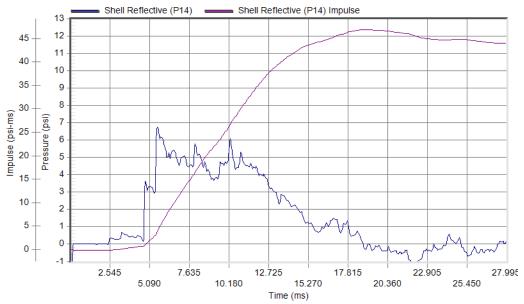


 Peak Pressure: 7.26 psi at 5.30 ms
 Test Date: 4/21/2011

 Duration: 13.22 ms
 Test Time: 4:26 pm

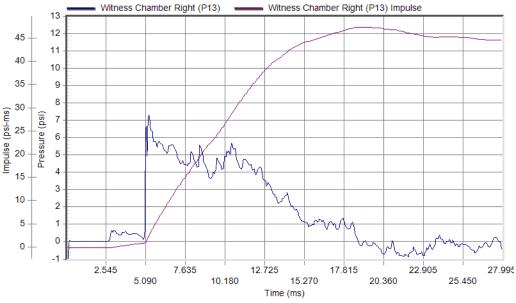


Specimen #4



 Peak Pressure: 6.76 psi at 5.58 ms
 Test Date: 4/25/2011

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 Test Time: 11:26 am

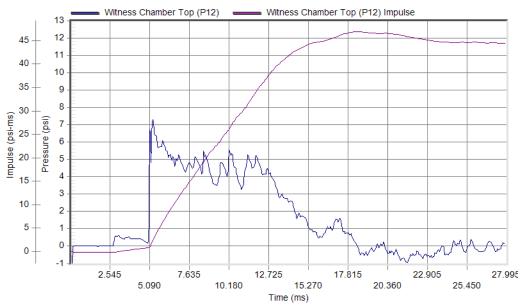


 Peak Pressure: 7.38 psi at 5.30 ms
 Test Date: 4/25/2011

 Duration: 13.43 ms
 Test Time: 11:26 am



Specimen #4: (Continued)



 Peak Pressure: 7.32 psi at 5.29 ms
 Test Date: 4/25/2011

 Duration: 13.13 ms
 Test Time: 11:26 am



Appendix C

Photographs





Photo No. 1
Pre-test Specimen #1, Interior



Photo No. 2
Post-test Specimen #1, Interior





Photo No. 3
Post-test Specimen #1, Witness Chamber





Photo No. 4
Pre-test Specimen #2, Interior



Photo No. 5
Post-test Specimen #2, Interior





Photo No. 6
Post-test Specimen #2, Witness Chamber





Photo No. 7
Pre-test Specimen #3, Interior



Photo No. 8
Post-test Specimen #3, Interior





Photo No. 9
Post-test Specimen #3, Witness Chamber





Photo No. 10
Pre-test Specimen #4, Interior



Photo No. 11
Post-test Specimen #4, Interior



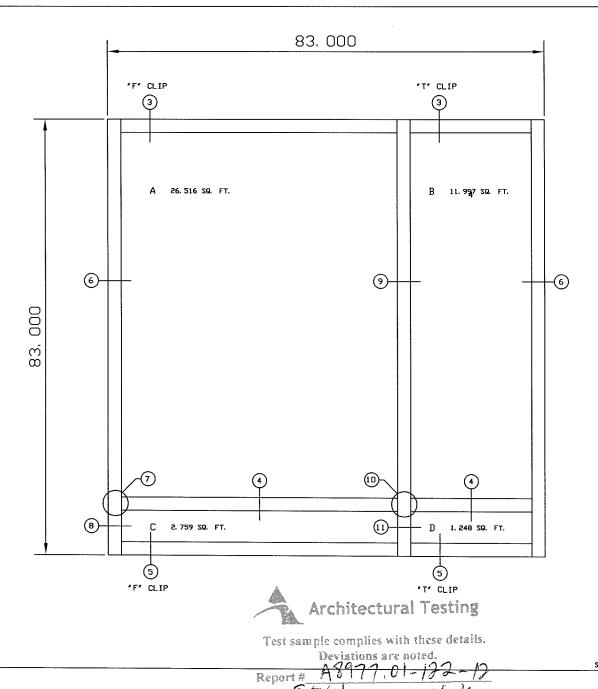


Photo No. 12
Post-test Specimen #4, Witness Chamber



Appendix D

Drawings



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8¥464	HORIZONTAL HULLION	3	52 1/2"
BW463	HORIZONTAL FILLER	1	
0# 1 03	HURIZUMIAL FILLER	1	52 15/32*
CW933	PRESSURE BAR	<u> </u>	22 31/32* 52 1/4*
LH933	LKE220KE BMK	1	22 3/4"
BW477	PERI. PRESSURE BAR	5	52 1/4"
D#7//	TENT. PRESSURE DAN	2	22 3/4"
CV901	PRESSURE BAR CLIVER	3	52 15/32*
C# 301	PRESSORE BAR CUVER	3	22 31/32
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BW464	VERTICAL MULLION	3	83*
C¥933	PRESSURE BAR	1	82 3/4"
8W477	PERI. PRESSURE BAR	5	82 3/4°
¥901	PRESSURE BAR COVER	3	82 31/32*
C462	'T' ANCHOR @ VERT.	2	5′
AC461	'F' CLIP	4	5*
	5/8-11 × 1 1/2" GRS BOLT		
	5/8" NARROW WASHER	36	
	5/8-11 NUT	12	
	5/8" LOCK VASHER	12	
P465	SHEAR BLOCK PACKAGE AT AT JOYS	6	(4.4 ps:)
	5/9-11 x 5' GRS BOLT	12	
	5/8-11 NUT	12	
	5/8" NARROW WASHER	12	
	5/8" LUCK WASHER	12	
T277	#12×1" PHIL FH SMS	12	
AP464	SHEAR BLIEK PACKAGE AT AT VERTICAL MULLION	3	(4, 4 ps:1)
	5/8-11 x 5' GR5 BOLT	6	
	5/8-11 NUT	6	
	5/8' NARROW VASHER	12	
	5/8" NARROW WASHER 5/8" LOCK WASHER	6	
T277	#12x1' PHIL FH SMS	12	
AP464	SHEAR YELDOX PACKAGE AT AT JORGE	_	(10.8 psi)
	AT JAMES 5/9-11 x 5' GR5 BOLT	6	1.5.0 psi/
	5/8-11 NUT	18	
	5/8" NARROW WASHER		
	5/8' LUCK VASHER	18	
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	5/8' LUCK VASHER	18	
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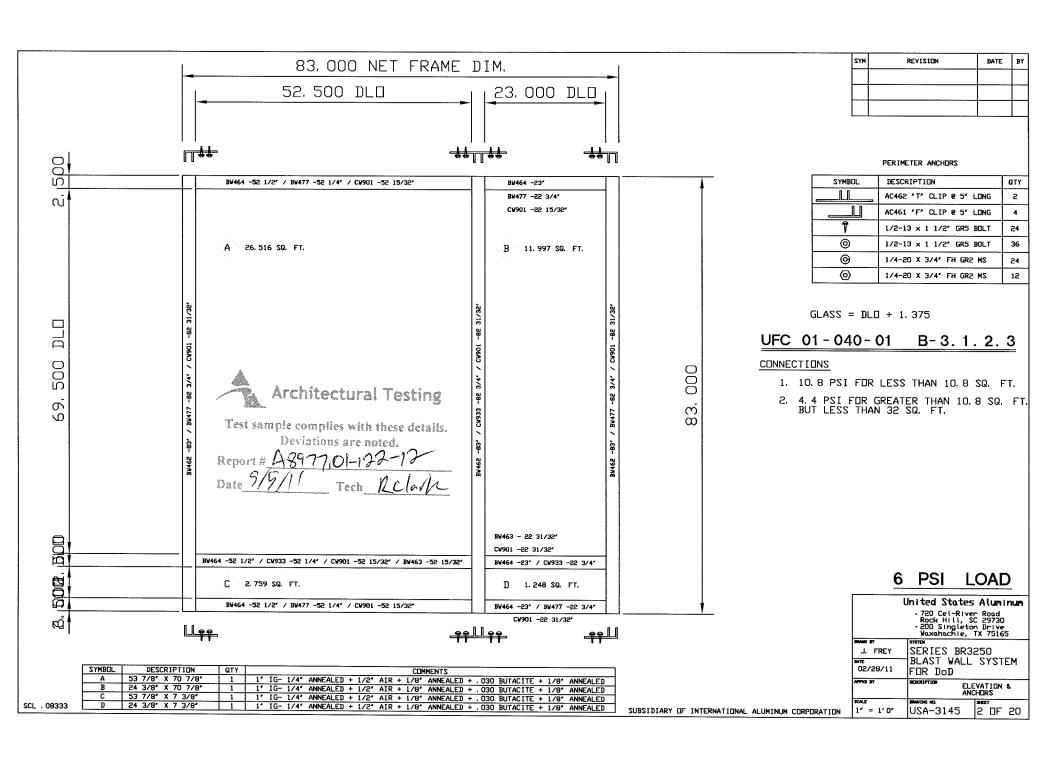
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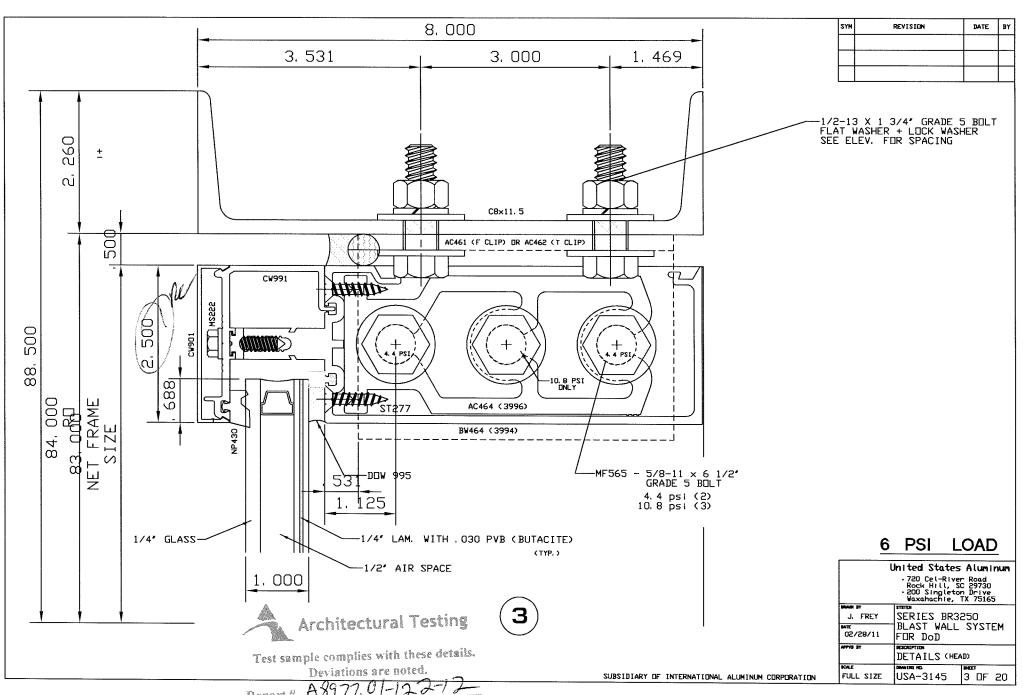
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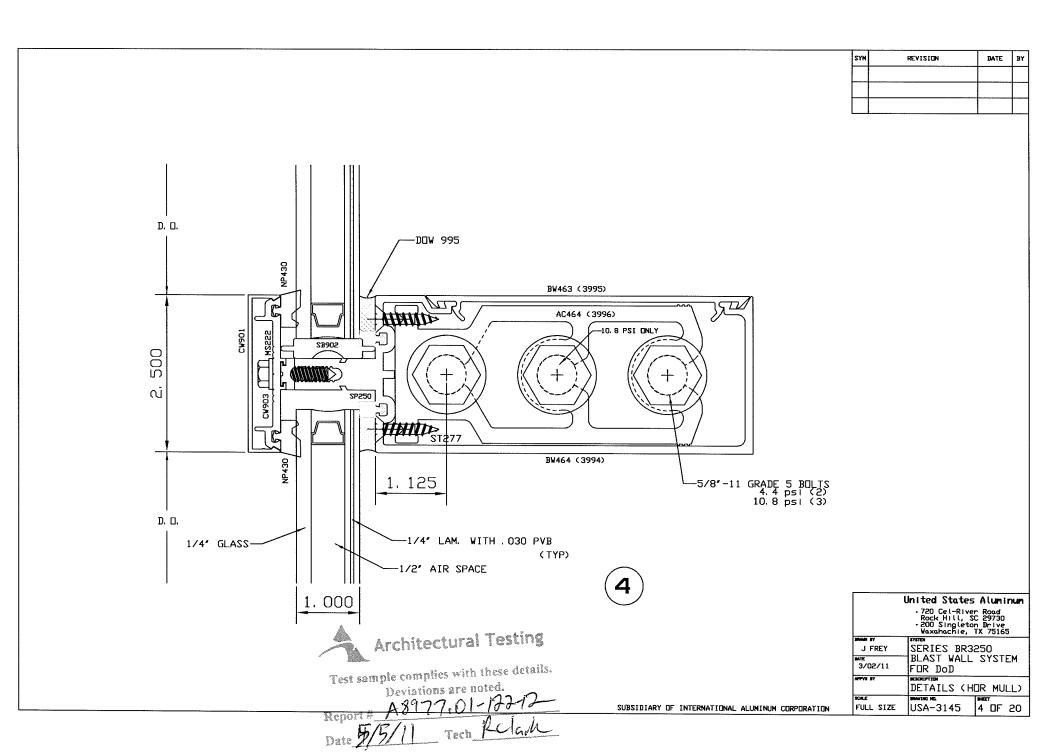
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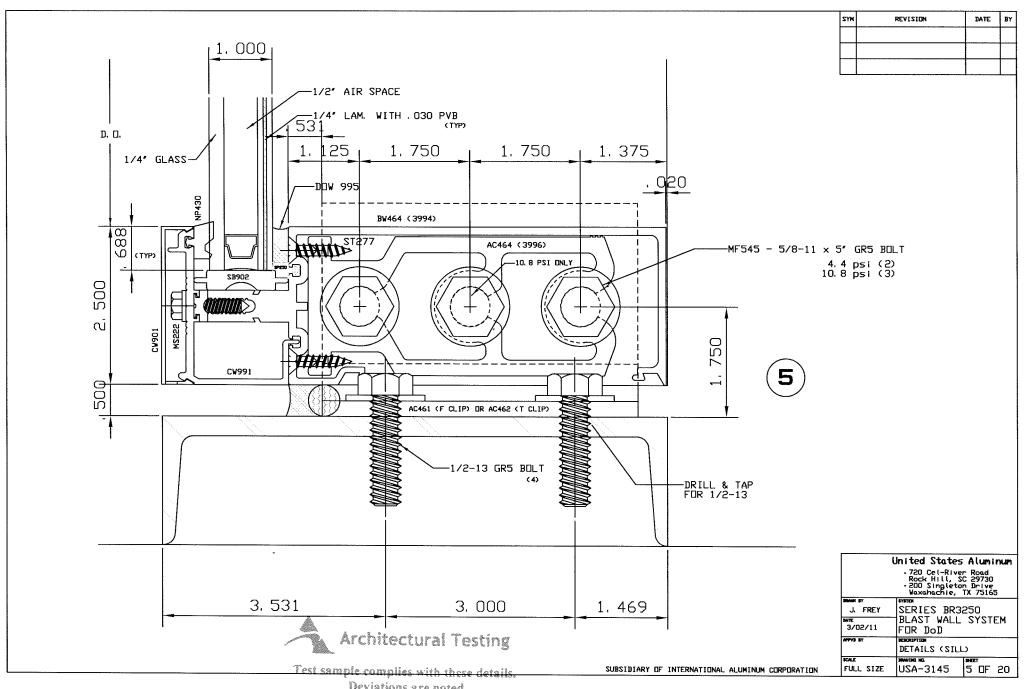
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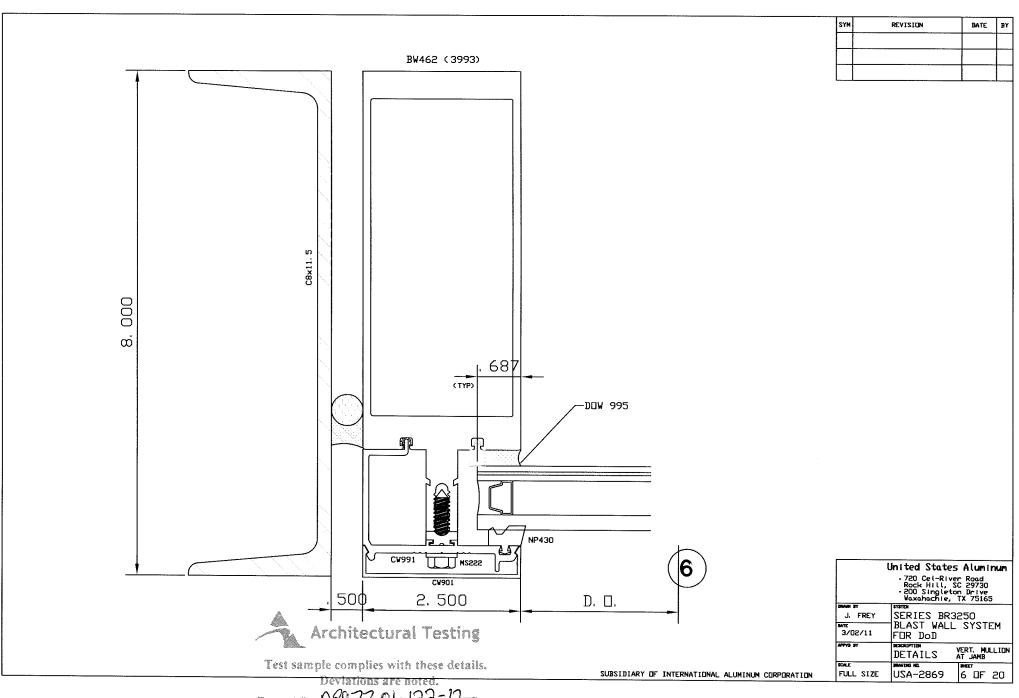
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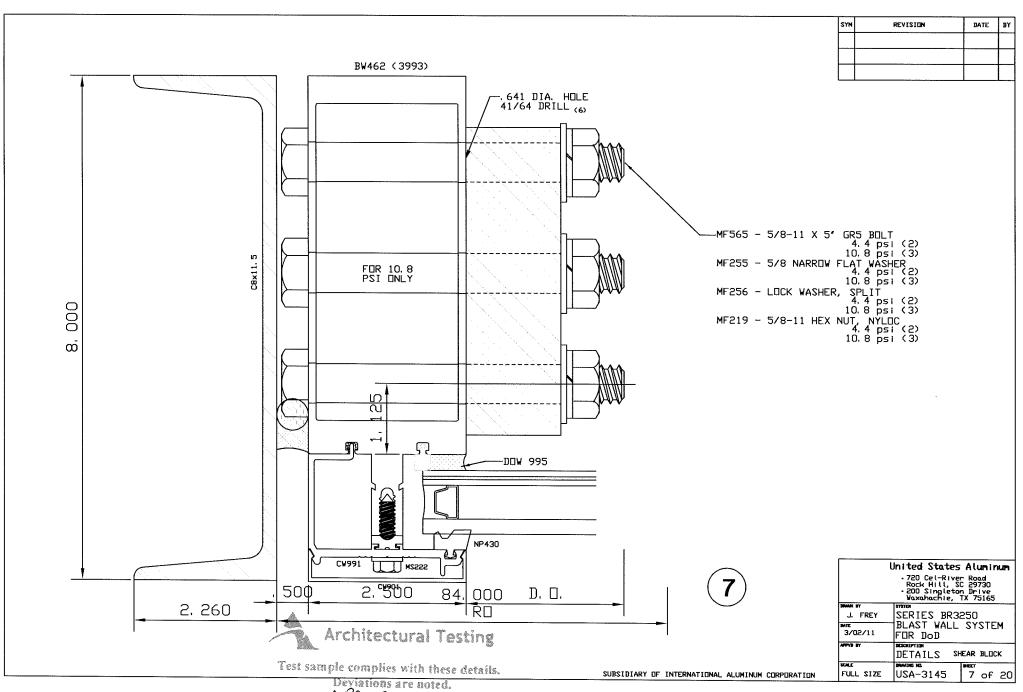


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