

Rockfon® Plenum Barrier Board

Features & Benefits

- Improves sound isolation and privacy between rooms
- Installs quickly above interior partitions
- Lightweight and easy to cut
- Conforms around pipes and ducts
- Expands and contracts with deflection
- Class A Fire Performance:
ASTM E84 and CAN/ULC-S102

Applications

- Combine with acoustic ceilings
- Private offices and meeting rooms
- Patient, exam and treatment rooms
- Classrooms
- Pre-manufactured/
modular rooms
- New construction or post
occupancy remediation



**High Acoustic
Absorption**



**Fire Performance -
Class A**



**Moisture and
Sag Resistance**

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			Packaging Information			
Edge designation	Item number	Board size	lbs/sqft	sqft/pallet	Fire Class	Recyclable
Square 	7900	2' x 4' x 1-1/2"	1	480	A	✓

When to Use Rockfon Plenum Barrier Board 7900

Design/Construction Consideration	Use Rockfon Plenum Barrier Board 7900 When:	Use a Full-height Partition When:
Compliance with standards	Plenum barriers are required or compliance with a standard is not mandatory	STC-rated full-height walls are required
Contiguous ceiling grid	Ceiling grid will or does run contiguously over tops of interior partitions	Not an option
Prefabricated modular partitions (glass or opaque)	Prefabricated, modular partitions stop in height at underside of suspended ceiling	Not an option
Height of plenum above suspended ceiling	Plenum is less than four feet tall or when metal studs extend full height to floor or roof above	Ceiling height plus plenum height is no greater than twelve feet high
Future relocation of partitions	Moderate to high probability partitions will need to be relocated for occupancy or space usage changes in the future	Low probability partitions will need to be relocated for occupancy or space usage changes in the future
Floor/roof deflection	Deflection would require full height partitions to have a deflection head	Deflection head at top of partition is not required
MEP in plenum	Moderate to high number of ducts, pipes and conduits in plenum above ceiling	No or low number of ducts, pipes and conduits in plenum above ceiling
Underside of deck above	Structural surface above plenum is not flat; example corrugated metal deck	Structural surface above plenum is flat; example poured or precast concrete
Partition orientation in plan	Partitions run on angles relative to metal deck flutes above	Partitions run parallel to metal deck flutes above

Performance

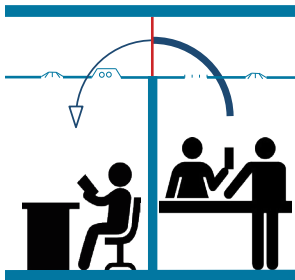


Without Plenum Barrier Board

- Blocking level 20-35 STC/CAC/NIC
- Test report NGC-6016008
- Noncompliance with most standards
- Avoid this design approach

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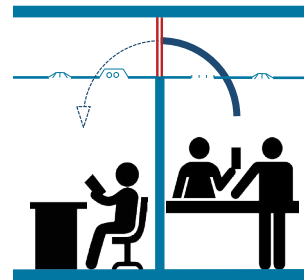
STC: Sound Transmission Class ASTM E90 / ASTM E413
CAC: Ceiling Attenuation Class ASTM E1414 / ASTM E413
NIC: Noise Isolation Class ASTM E336 / ASTM E413



With 1-Layer Plenum Barrier Board

- Blocking level 40 STC/CAC/NIC*
- Test report NGC-6016016
- Compliance with some standards
- Use over walls with standard doors and large areas of glass

* Blocking level results from combining ceiling performance with plenum barrier performance.
Ceiling should be standard, 5/8" thick (or thicker), stone wool ceiling panels in suspension grid.
The construction of the interior partition should have equal or greater sound blocking performance.



With 2-Layer Plenum Barrier Board

- Blocking level 50+ STC/CAC/NIC*
- Test report NGC-6016017
- Compliance with most standards
- Use over walls without doors and glass

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