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LOADING AND BRACING WITH WOODEN
DUNNAGE IN END OPENING ISO
CONTAINERS OF 155MM COPPERHEAD
SEPARATE LOADING PROJECTILES,
PACKED ONE PER METAL CONTAINER,
UNITIZED 6 CONTAINERS PER SPECIAL
4-WAY ENTRY PALLET

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LOADING AND BRACING SPECIFICATIONS SET FORTH WITHIN THIS DRAWING ARE APPLICABLE TO LOADS THAT ARE TO BE SHIPPED BY TRAILER/CONTAINER-ON-FLAT CAR (T/COFC) RAIL CARRIER SERVICE. THESE SPECIFICATIONS MAY ALSO BE USED FOR LOADS THAT ARE TO BE MOVED BY MOTOR OR WATER CARRIERS.

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GENERAL NOTES

- A. THIS DOCUMENT HAS BEEN PREPARED AND ISSUED IN ACCORDANCE WITH AR 740-1 AND AUGMENTS TM 743-200-1 (CHAPTER 5).
- B. THE OUTLOADING PROCEDURE SPECIFIED IN THIS DRAWING IS APPLICABLE TO A LOAD OF 18 PALLET UNITS OF COPPERHEAD SEPARATE LOADING PROJECTILES. SUBSEQUENT REFERENCE TO A PALLET UNIT HEREIN MEANS THE PALLET UNIT WITH AMMUNITION ITEMS. SEE PAGE 4 FOR DETAILS OF THE PALLET UNIT. CAUTION: REGARDLESS OF THE DUANTITY OF UNITS TO BE SHIPPED, THE "MAXIMUM GROSS WEIGHT" OF THE ISO CONTAINER MUST NOT BE EXCEEDED.
- C. THE LOAD AS SHOWN IS BASED ON 4,700 POUND 20' LONG BY 8' WIDE BY 8'-6" HIGH INTERMODAL ISO CONTAINER WITH INSIDE DIMENSIONS OF 19'-4" LONG BY 92" WIDE BY 95" HIGH. THE LOAD IS DESIGNED FOR TRAILER/CONTAINER-ON-FLAT-CAR (T/COFC) SHIPMENT, HOWEVER, THE LOAD AS DESIGNED CAN ALSO BE MOVED BY OTHER SURFACE MODES OF TRANSPORT. NOTICE: OTHER CONTAINERS OF THE SAME DESIGN CONFIGURATION CAN ALSO BE USED.
- D. WHEN LOADING PALLET UNITS, THEY ARE TO BE POSITIONED SO AS TO ACHIEVE A TIGHT LOAD AGAINST THE FORWARD BLOCKING ASSEMBLY AND ANTI-CHAFING PIECES. THE UNBLOCKED SPACE ACROSS THE WIOTH OF A LOAD BAY IS NOT TO EXCEED 1-1/2*.
- E. DUNNAGE LUMBER SPECIFIED IS OF NOMINAL SIZE. FOR EXAMPLE, 1" X 6" MATERIAL IS ACTUALLY 3/4" THICK BY 5-1/2" WIDE AND 2" X 6" MATERIAL IS ACTUALLY 1-1/2" BY 5-1/2" WIDE.
- F. A STAGGEREO NAILING PATTERN WILL BE USED WHENEVER POSSIBLE WHEN NAILS ARE DRIVEN INTO JOINTS OF DUNNAGE ASSEMBLIES OR WHEN LAMINATING DUNNAGE. ADDITIONALLY, THE NAILING PATTERN FOR AN UPPER PIECE OF LAMINATED DUNNAGE WILL BE ADJUSTED AS REDUIRED SO THAT A NAIL FOR THAT PIECE WILL NOT BE DRIVEN THROUGH ONTO OR RIGHT BESIDE A NAIL IN A LOWER PIECE.
- G. IN SOME CONTAINERS, SUCH AS SOME ALL STEEL CONTAINERS, THERE IS A SLOT AT THE CORNERS OF THE FORWARD WALL. A PIECE OF DUNNAGE MATERIAL MUST BE LAMINATED TO THE FORWARD BUFFER PIECES OF THE FORWARD STRUT ASSEMBLIES TO PROVIDE A FLAT SURFACE FOR THE 2" X 4" BUFFER PIECES. A PIECE OF 2" X 4", 2" X 3", OR A SPECIAL WIDTH PIECE CUT-TO-FIT CAN BE USED. THIS FILL PIECE WILL BE NAILED WITH ONE APPROPRIATELY SIZED NAIL EVERY 12". THIS PIECE IS NOT REQUIRED WHEN THE FRONT WALL OF THE CONTAINER IS SMOOTH AND FLAT.
- H. <u>CAUTION</u>: DO NOT NAIL DUNNAGE MATERIAL TO THE CONTAINER WALLS OR FLOOR. ALL NAILING WILL BE WITHIN THE DUNNAGE
- J. PORTIONS OF THE CONTAINER DEPICTED WITHIN THIS DRAWING, SUCH AS ONE OF THE SIDEWALLS, HAVE NOT BEEN SHOWN IN THE LOAD VIEW FOR CLARITY PURPOSES.

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MATERIAL SPECIFICATIONS

LUMBER - - - - - - : SEE TM 743-200-1 (DUNNAGE LUMBER) AND FED SPEC MM-L-751.

NAILS ----: FED SPEC FF-N-105; COMMON.

PLYWOOD - - - - - : COMMERCIAL ITEM DESCRIPTION, A-A-55057,

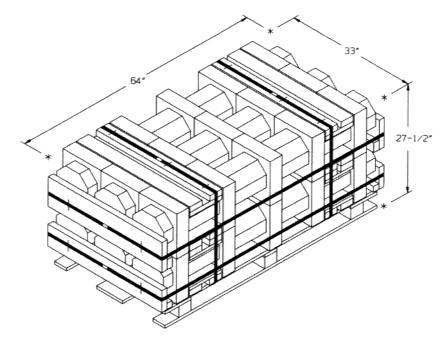
TYPE A, CONSTRUCTION AND INDUSTRIAL PLYWOOD, INTERIOR WITH EXTERIOR GLUE, GRADE C-D. IF SPECIFIED GRADE IS NOT AVAILABLE, A BETTER INTERIOR OR AN EXTERIOR GRADE MAY BE SUBSTITUTED.

WIRE, CARBON STEEL -: ASTM A853; ANNEALED AT FINISH, BLACK OXIDE FINISH, .0800" DIA, GRADE 1006

HARDBOARD ----: ANSI/AHA A135.4, CLASS 1.

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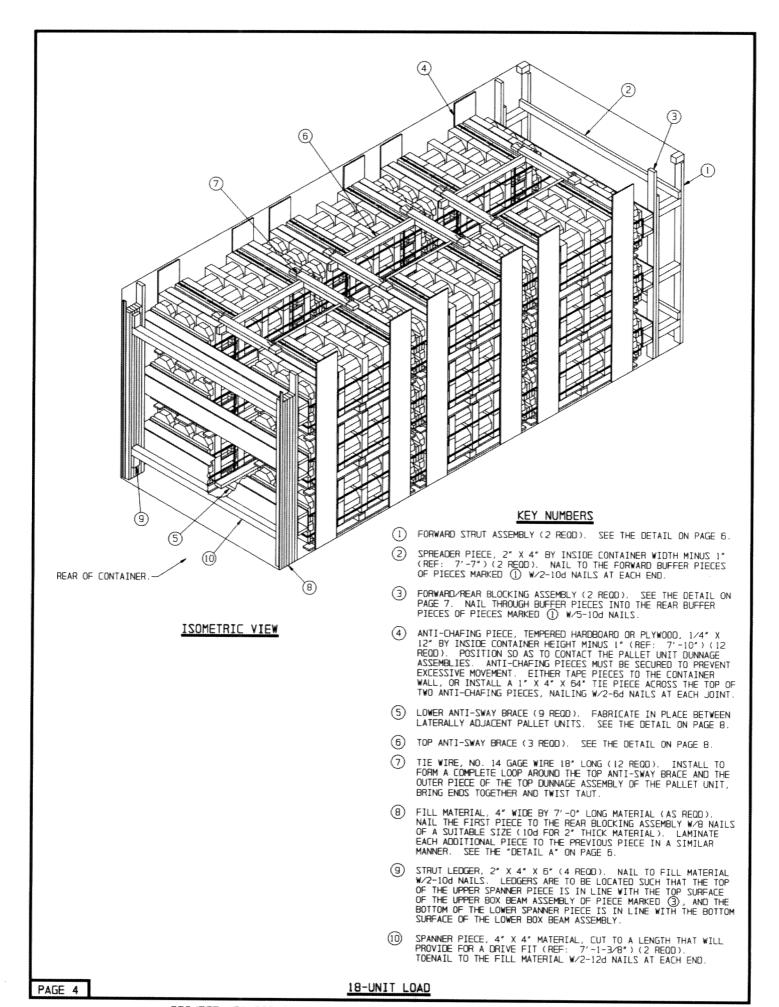
- K. REQUIREMENTS CITED WITHIN THE BUREAU OF EXPLOSIVES PAMPHLET 6C APPLY WHEN THE SHIPMENT MOVES BY TRAILER/CONTAINER-ON-FLAT-CAR (T/COFC). SPECIAL T/COFC NOTES FOLLOW:
 - A LOADED CONTAINER MUST BE ON A CHASSIS EQUIPPED WITH TWO BOGIE ASSEMBLIES WHEN BEING MOVED IN TOPC SERVICE.
 - THE LOAD LIMIT OF A T/COFC RAILCAR MUST NOT BE EXCEEDED, NOR WILL A CAR BE LOADED SO THAT THE TRUCK UNDER ONE END OF THE CARRIES MORE THAN ONE-HALF OF THE LOAD LIMIT FOR THAT CAR.
- L. DURING INTRASTATE AND/OR INTERSTATE MOVES BY MOTOR CARRIER, A PROPER CHASSIS OR MODIFIED FLAT BED TRAILER MUST BE USED TO PRECLUDE VIOLATION OF ONE OR MORE "WEIGHT LAWS" APPLICABLE TO THE STATE OR STATES INVOLVED.
- M. CONVERSION TO METRIC EQUIVALENTS: DIMENSIONS WITHIN THIS DOCUMENT ARE EXPRESSED IN INCHES AND WEIGHTS ARE EXPRESSED IN POUNDS. WHEN NECESSARY, THE METRIC EQUIVALENTS MAY BE COMPUTED ON THE BASIS OF ONE INCH EQUALS 25.4MM AND ONE POUND EQUALS 0.454KG.



PALLET UNIT

COPPERHEAD	C	101	VT/	4II	VEF	7				6	E	AC)	4 /	AΤ	20	16	LE	32			-	1,236	LBS	(APPROX)
DUNNAGE	***	-	***	***	(MARIL		****	***	***	***	***	***	~~	•	***	-	-		-	**	-	107	LBS	
PALLET -	***	***	***	-	-		-		***	-	-	-	-		-		***	***	-		-	54	LB2	

TOTAL WEIGHT - - - - - - - - - - 1,397 LBS (APPROX)
CUBE - - - - - - - - - - 33.6 CU FT (APPROX)



RECOMMENDED SEQUENTIAL LOADING PROCEDURES

- PREFABRICATE TWO FORWARD STRUT ASSEMBLIES, TWO FORWARD/REAR BLOCKING ASSEMBLIES AND THREE TOP ANTI-SWAY BRACES.
- 2. INSTALL THE TWO FORWARD STRUT ASSEMBLIES.
- 3. INSTALL THE TWO SPREADER PIECES.
- 4. INSTALL THE FORWARD BLOCKING ASSEMBLY.
- INSTALL TWO ANTI-CHAFING PIECES AND LOAD THREE PALLET UNITS.
- 6. REPEAT STEP 5.
- INSTALL THREE LOWER ANTI-SWAY BRACES AND ONE TOP ANTI-SWAY BRACE WITH TIE WIRE.
- 8. REPEAT STEPS 5 THROUGH 7 TWO TIMES EACH.
- 9. INSTALL THE REAR BLOCKING ASSEMBLY.
- INSTALL THE FILL MATERIAL BETWEEN THE REAR BLOCKING ASSEMBLY AND THE LOAD RETAINER.
- 11. INSTALL THE FOUR STRUT LEDGERS
- 12. INSTALL THE TWO SPANNER PIECES.

BILL OF MATERIAL LUMBER LINEAR FEET BOARD FEET X 4" 342 228 2" X 6" 4" X 4" 91 28 NAILS NO. REOD POUNDS 6d (2*) 10d (3*) 1-3/4 288 4-1/2 12d (3-1/4") 8 1/4 WIRE, NO. 14 GAGE ---- 18' REOD --- 1/4 LBS PLYWOOD, 1/2" --- 166.04 SO FT REOD -- 228.31 LBS

SPECIAL NOTES:

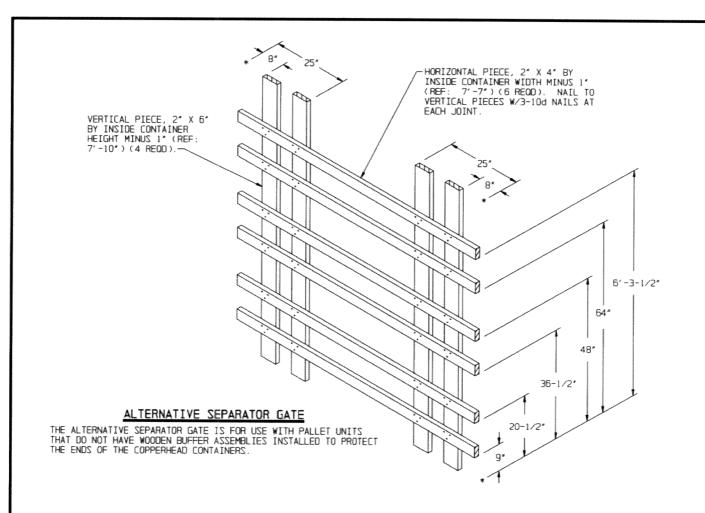
- I. THE LOAD SHOWN ON PAGE 2 MAY BE REDUCED BY ONE OR TWO LAYERS FOR A SHIPMENT OF TWELVE OR SIX PALLET UNITS. IF THE LOAD MUST BE REDUCED BY A OUANTITY THAT IS NOT A MULTIPLE OF SIX, A FILLER ASSEMBLY OR ASSEMBLIES MUST BE INSTALLED WITHIN THE LOAD. SEE THE DETAIL ON PAGE 7. REGARDLESS OF THE OUANTITY OF OMITTED PALLET UNITS, THE LONGITUDINAL CENTER OF GRAVITY OF THE LOADED CONTAINER MUST BE WITHIN 12" IN EITHER DIRECTION OF THE CONTAINER MIDPOINT.
- 2. IF PALLET UNITS DO NOT HAVE BUFFER ASSEMBLIES INSTALLED, AS DEPICTED IN REVISION 1 OF AMC DRAWING 19-48-4159-20PM1003, ALTERNATIVE SEPARATOR GATES, AS DEPICTED ON PAGE 6, MUST BE INSTALLED BETWEEN EACH LONGITUDINALLY ADJACENT SET OF PALLET UNITS TO PRECLUDE DAMAGE TO THE COPPERHEAD CONTAINERS.

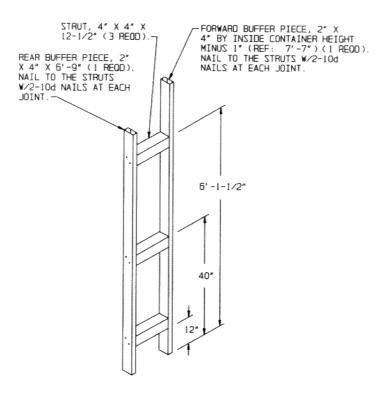
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PALLET UNIT DUNNAGE CONTAINER -				-	-	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	25,146 930 4,700	F82 F82 F82

TOTAL WEIGHT - - - - - - 30,776 LBS (APPROX)

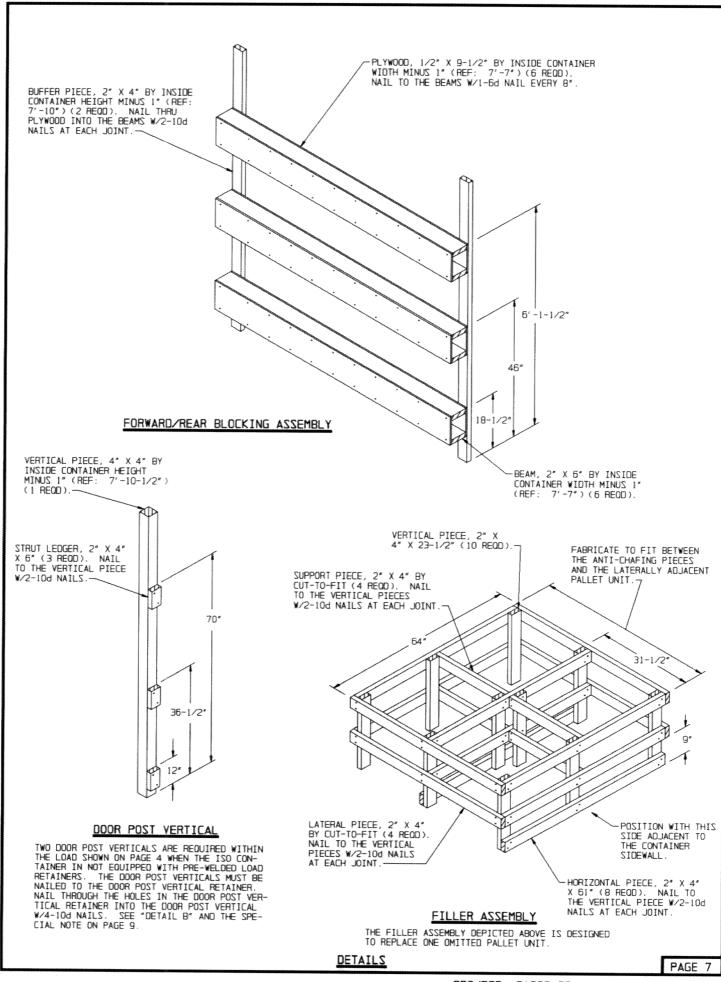
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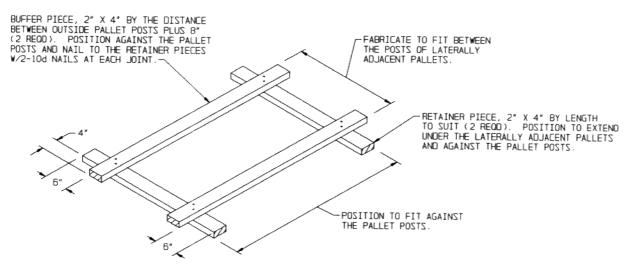




FORWARD STRUT ASSEMBLY

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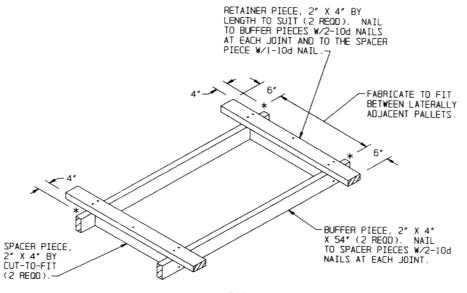




LOWER ANTI-SWAY BRACE
SEE THE SPECIAL NOTES AT RIGHT.

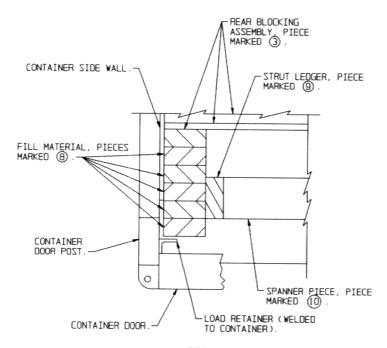
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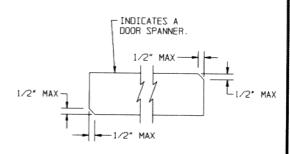
- THE LOWER ANTI-SWAY BRACE IS FOR USE BETWEEN PALLET UNITS THAT ARE PRE-POSITIONED WITH THE PALLET WIDTH PARALLEL TO THE CONTAINER SIDEWALL.
- THE ASSEMBLY MUST BE FABRICATED IN PLACE BETWEEN PALLETS.
 - A. POSITION THE FIRST RETAINER PIECE BETWEEN THE CENTER PALLET POST AND THE PALLET POST WHICH IS FURTHEST AWAY. THE RETAINER PIECE IS SPAN THE VOID BETWEEN LATERALLY ADJACENT PALLETS.
 - B. POSITION THE SECOND RETAINER PIECE AGAINST THE INSIDE OF THE NEAREST PALLET POST SO AS TO SPAN THE VOID BETWEEN LATERALLY ADJACENT PALLETS.
 - C. POSITION THE FIRST BUFFER PIECE AGAINST THE PALLET POSTS AND EXTENDING 4" BEYOND THE FURTHEST RETAINER PIECE. NAIL TO THE RETAINER PIECE W/2-10d NAILS. POSITION THE SECOND BUFFER PIECE AGAINST THE PALLET POSTS ON THE OPPOSITE SIDE AND EXTENDING 4" BEYOND THE FURTHEST RETAINER PIECE. NAIL TO THE RETAINER PIECE W/2-10d NAILS.
 - D. PUSH THE PARTIAL ASSEMBLY FORWARD UNTIL THE FIRST RETAINER PIECE CONTACTS THE PALLET POSTS ON THE FAR SIDE OF THE PALLET. NAIL THE BUFFER PIECES TO THE SECOND RETAINER PIECE W/2-10d NAILS AT EACH JOINT.



TOP ANTI-SWAY BRACE

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BEVEL-CUT

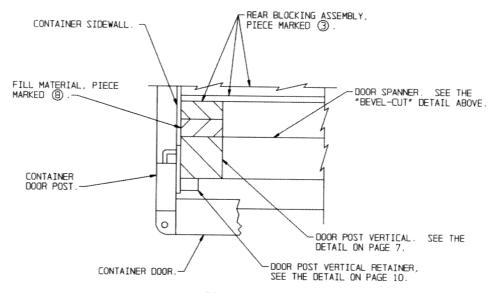
IF DESIRED, EACH END OF A DOOR SPANNER PIECE MAY BE BEVEL-CUT AS SHOWN ABOVE TO FACILITATE THE ACHIEVEMENT OF A TIGHT DOOR-POST-TO-DOOR-POST FIT.

DETAIL A

A PARTIAL PLAN VIEW OF THE LEFT REAR PORTION OF THE CONTAINER IS SHOWN DEPICTING THE PROPER POSITION OF THE FILL MATERIAL AND ADJACENT DUNNAGE PIECES.

SPECIAL NOTE:

WHEN ISO CONTAINERS ARE NOT EQUIPPED WITH PRE-WELDED LOAD RETAINERS, AS DEPICTED IN "DETAIL B" BELOW, DOOR POST VERTICALS, DOOR POST VERTICAL RETAINERS AND DOOR SPANNERS WILL BE REQUIRED FOR THE LOAD DEPICTED ON PAGE 4. SEE VARIOUS LOADS WITHIN AMC DRAWING 19-48-4153-15PA1002 FOR EXAMPLES. SEE PAGE 10 FOR DETAILS OF THE METAL DOOR POST VERTICAL RETAINER.



DETAIL B

A PARTIAL PLAN VIEW OF THE LEFT REAR PORTION OF THE CONTAINER IS SHOWN DEPICTING THE PROPER POSITION OF THE DOOR POST VERTICAL RETAINER AND ADJACENT DUNNAGE PIECES.

