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LOADING AND BRACING WITH WOODEN DUNNAGE IN SIDE OPENING ISO CONTAINERS OF MK20 AND MODS (ROCKEYE II) AND CBU-78/B (GATOR) PACKED IN THE MK18 MOD O CRADLE

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#### GENERAL NOTES

- THIS DOCUMENT HAS BEEN PREPARED AND ISSUED IN ACCORDANCE WITH AR 740-1 AND AUGMENTS TM 743-200-1 (CHAPTER 5).
- THE SPECIFIED OUTLOADING PROCEDURES ARE APPLICABLE TO LOADS OF MK20 AND MODS (ROCKEYE II) AND CBU-78/8 (GATOR) WHEN PACKED IN THE MK18 MOD O CRADLE. SUBSEQUENT REFERENCE TO CRADLE HEREIN MEANS THE MK18 MOD O CRADLE WITH CONTENTS. SEE PAGE 3 FOR DETAIL OF THE CRADLE. CAUTION: REGARDLESS OF THE QUANTITY OF CRADLES TO BE SHIPPED, THE "MAXXMUM GROSS WEIGHT" OF THE SIDE OPENING ISO CONTAINER MUST NOT BE EXCEEDED.
- THE LOAD AS SHOWN IS BASED ON A 6,050 POUND 20' LONG BY B' WIDE BY 8'-6" HIGH SIDE OPENING INTERMODAL COMMERCIAL CONTAINER WITH INSIDE DIMENSIONS OF 19'-4" LONG BY 89" WIDE BY 8B" HIGH. THE LOAD IS DESIGNED FOR TRAILER/CDNTAINER-ON-FLAT-CAR (T/COFC) SHIPMENT, HOWEVER, THE LOAD AS DESIGNED CAN ALSD BE MOVED BY OTHER SURFACE MODES OF TRANSPORT. NOTICE: DTHER CONTAINERS OF THE SAME DESIGN CONFIGURATION CAN BE USED. С.
- WHEN LOADING THE CRADLES, THEY ARE TO BE POSITIONED SO AS TO ACHIEVE A TIGHT LOAD (TIGHT AGAINST THE DUNNAGE ASSEMBLIES). ALTHOUGH A TOTAL OF 1-1/2" OF UNBLOCKED SPACE ACROSS THE WIDTH OF A LOAD BAY IS PERMITTED, LATERAL VOIDS WITHIN THE LOAD ARE TO BE HELD TO A MINIMUM. EXCESSIVE SLACK CAN BE ELIMINATED FROM A LOAD BY LAMINATING ADDITIONAL PIECES OF APPROPRIATE THICKNESS TO THE VERTICAL PIECES ON THE SIDE FILL ASSEMBLIES. NAIL EACH ADDITIONAL PIECE W/1 APPROPRIATELY SIZED NAIL EVERY 12". ADDITIONALLY, THE THICKNESS OF THE VERTICAL PIECES ON THE SIDE FILL ASSEMBLIES MAY BE ADJUSTED AS REQUIRED TO FACILITATE VARIANCE IN THE CRADLE SIZE.
- DUNNAGE LUMBER SPECIFIED IS OF NOMINAL SIZE. FOR EXAMPLE, 1" X 4" MATERIAL IS ACTUALLY 3/4" THICK BY 3-1/2" WIDE AND 2" X 4" MATERIAL IS ACTUALLY 1-1/2" THICK BY 3-1/2" WIDE.
- 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 REQUIRED SO THAT A NAIL FOR THAT PIECE WILL NOT BE DRIVEN THROUGH ONTO OR RIGHT BESIDE A NAIL IN A LOWER PIECE.
- CAUTION: DO NOT NAIL DUNNAGE MATERIAL TO THE CONTAINER WALLS DR FLOOR. ALL NAILING WILL BE WITHIN THE DUNNAGE.
- PORTIONS OF THE CONTAINER DEPICTED WITHIN THIS DRAWING, SUCH AS THE SIDE DOORS, HAVE NOT BEEN SHOWN IN THE LOAD VIEWS FOR CLARITY PURPOSES.

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#### MATERIAL SPECIFICATIONS

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

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

PLYWOOD ----: COMMERCIAL ITEM DESCRIPTION
A-A-55057, TYPE A, CONSTRUCTION AND
INOUSTRIAL PLYWOOD, INTERIOR WITH
EXTERIOR GLUE, GRADE C-D. IF
SPECIFIED GRADE IS NOT AVAILABLE, A
BETTER INTERIOR OR AN EXTERIOR GRADE

MAY BE SUBSTITUTED.

STRAPPING, STEEL - -: ASTM 03953; FLAT STRAPPING, TYPE 1, HEAVY DUTY, FINISH A, B (GRADE 2), OR

SEAL, STRAP ---: ASTM D3953; CLASS H, FINISH A, B (GRADE 2), DR C, DOUBLE NDTCH TYPE, STYLE I, II, OR IV.

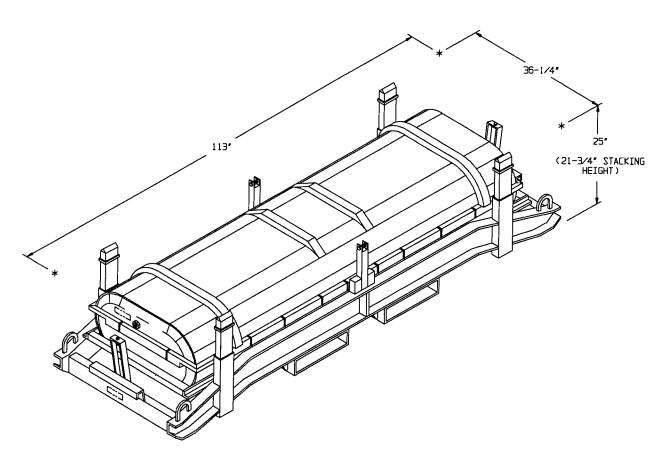
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MATERIAL - - - - -: MIL-B-121 (DR EQUAL); NEUTRAL BARRIER

MATERIAL.

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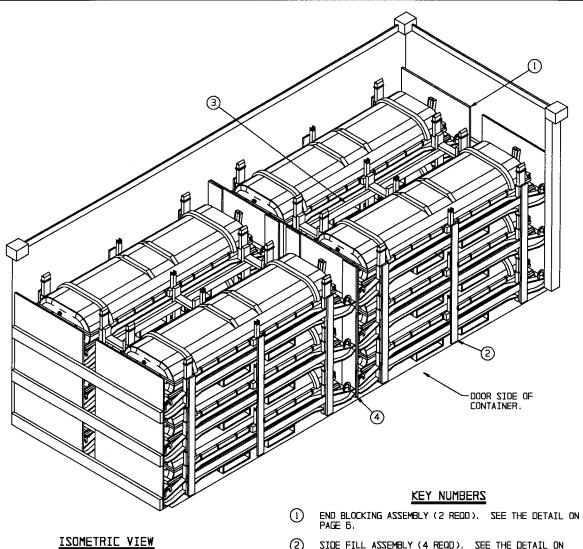
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  PAMPHLET 6C APPLY WHEN THE SHIPMENT MOVES BY TRAILER/
  CONTAINER-ON-FLAT-CAR (T/COFC), SPECIAL T/COFC NOTES
  - A LOADED CONTAINER MUST BE ON A CHASSIS EOUIPPED WITH TWO BOGIE ASSEMBLIES WHEN BEING MOVED IN TOFC SERVICE.
  - THE LOAD LIMIT OF A T/COFC RAILCAR MUST NDT BE EXCEEDED, NOR WILL A CAR BE LOADED SO THAT THE TRUCK UNDER ONE END OF THE CAR CARRIES MORE THAN ONE-HALF OF THE LOAD LIMIT FOR THAT CAR.
- K. DURING INTRASTATE AND/OR INTERSTATE MOVES BY MOTOR CARRIER, A PROPER CHASSIS OR MODIFIED FLATBED TRAILER MUST BE USED TO PRECLUDE VIOLATION OF ONE OR MORE "WEIGHT LAWS" APPLICABLE TO THE STATE OR STATES INVOLVED.
- L. 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 PDUND EQUALS 0.454KG.
- M. THE QUANTITY OF CRADLES SHOWN IN THE LOAD ON PAGE 4 MAY BE REDUCED FOR SHIPMENT, IF DESIRED. SEE THE 'DMITTED CRADLE PROCEDURES' DETAIL AND SPECIAL NOTES ON PAGE B. WHEN A CONTAINER IS TO BE LOADED WITH A REDUCED QUANTITY OF LADING UNITS, THE LENGTHWISE CENTER OF GRAVITY OF THE LOAD MUST BE WITHIN 12", IN EITHER DIRECTION, OF THE MID-POINT OF THE CONTAINER.



# MK18 MOD O CRADLE

GROSS WEIGHT - - - - - 1,455 LBS (APPROX) CUBE - - - - - - - - 59.3 CUBIC FEET (APPROX)

CRADLE DETAIL



SIDE FILL ASSEMBLY (4 REOD). SEE THE DETAIL ON PAGE  $\boldsymbol{6}.$ 2

- 3 SPACER ASSEMBLY (2 REQD). SEE THE DETAIL ON PAGE 7.
- CENTER FILL ASSEMBLY (1 REOD). SEE THE DETAIL ON PAGE 7 AND THE SPECIAL NOTE ON PAGE 5. 4

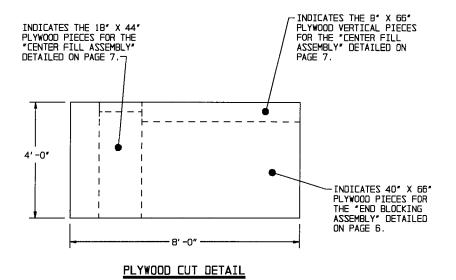
12-CRADLE LOAD

## RECOMMENDED SEQUENTIAL LOADING PROCEDURES

- PRE-FABRICATE TWO END BLOCKING ASSEMBLIES, FOUR SIDE FILL ASSEMBLIES, TWO SPACER ASSEMBLIES AND ONE CENTER FILL ASSEMBLY.
- 2. INSTALL ONE END BLOCKING ASSEMBLY, ONE SIDE FILL ASSEMBLY AND LOAD ONE STACK OF THREE CRADLES.
- 3. REPEAT STEP 2.
- 4. INSTALL ONE SPACER ASSEMBLY AND LOAD ONE STACK OF THREE CRADLES.
- 5. REPEAT STEP 4.
- 6. INSTALL THE CENTER FILL ASSEMBLY,
- 7. INSTALL THE TWO REMAINING SIDE FILL ASSEMBLIES.

### SPECIAL NOTE:

THE "CENTER FILL ASSEMBLY", PIECE MARKED ④, IS BASED ON A VOID OF 1-1/2" BETWEEN LONGITUDINALLY ADJACENT CRADLES. IF THE VOID IS LESS THAN 1-1/2", IT MAY BE NECESSARY TO USE 1/2" PLYWOOD INSTEAD OF THE SPECIFIED 3/4" PLYWOOD. A FIELD CHECK OF THE VOID BETWEEN THE LONGITUDINALLY ADJACENT CRADLES SHOULD BE MADE PRIDR TO ASSEMBLING THE CENTER FILL.



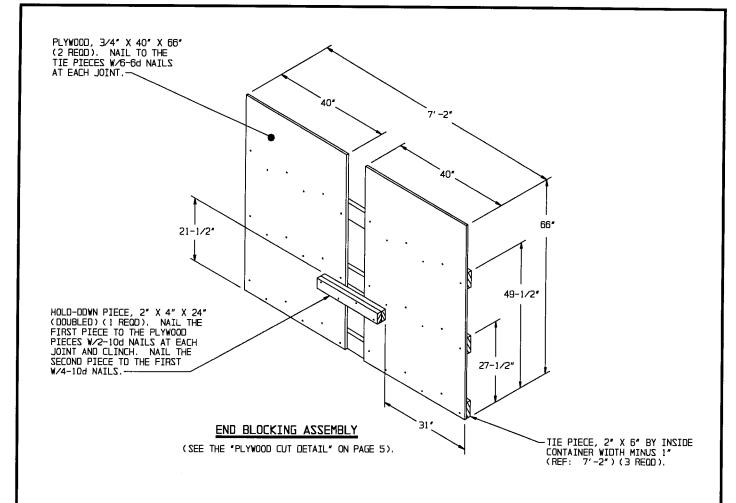
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LUMBER	LINEAR FEET	T BOARD FEET				
1" X 4" 2" X 4" 2" X 6"	152 176 43	51 117 43				
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6d (2″) 1Dd (3″)	212 176	1-1/2 2-3/4				
PLYWODD, 3/4" 128.33 SQ FT REQD 265 LBS						

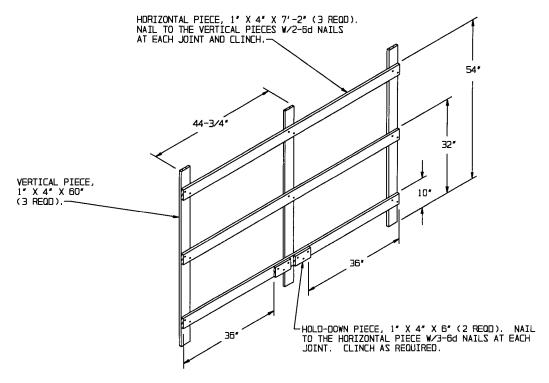
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TOT	AL WEIGHT	24,201 LBS (APPROX)

12-CRADLE LOAD

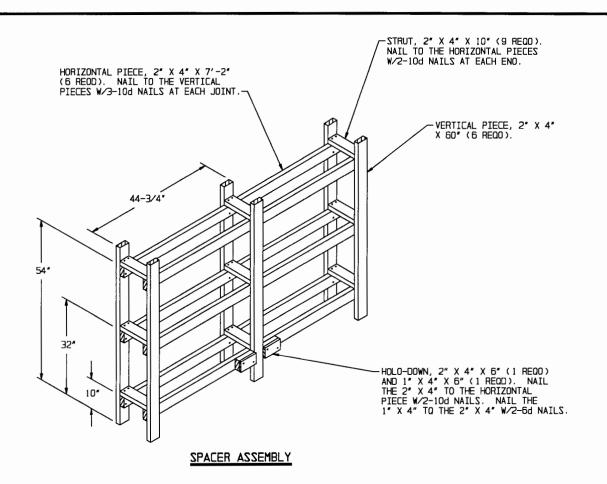
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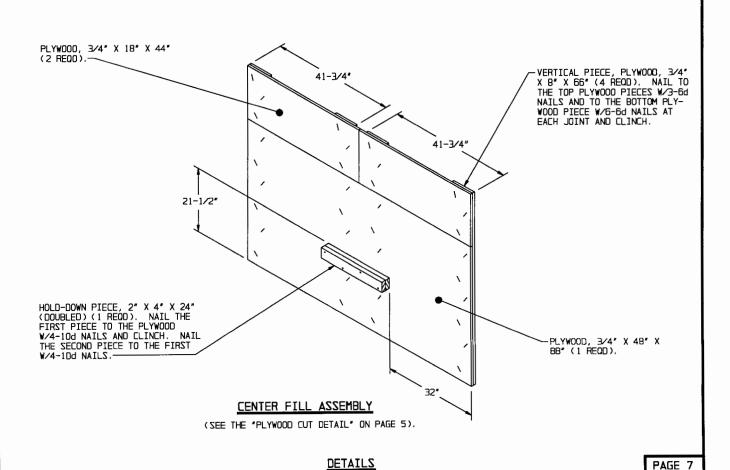


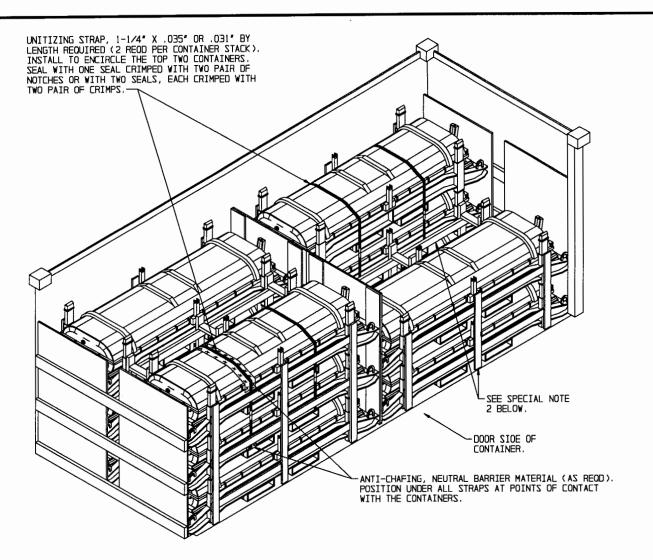


SIDE FILL ASSEMBLY

<u>OETAILS</u>







# ISOMETRIC VIEW

# SPECIAL NOTES:

- 1. WHEN REDUCING A LOAD BY ONE OR MORE CRADLES, IT WILL BE NECESSARY TO UNITIZE THE CRADLE STACKS WHICH ARE LATERALLY AND LONGITUDINALLY ADJACENT TO THE OMITTED CRADLE AS DEPICTED IN THE LOAD VIEW ABOVE. SEE GENERAL NOTE "M" ON PAGE 2.
- 2. THE SIDE FILL AND SPACER ASSEMBLIES WHICH ARE CONTACTING THE REDUCED CRADLE STACK MAY BE REDUCED IN HEIGHT AS DEPICTED ABOVE.