

LOADING AND BRACING (CL & LCL) IN BOXCARS* OF JOINT DIRECT ATTACK MUNITION (JDAM) PACKED IN CNU-589 CONTAINERS

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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 SPECIFIED OUTLOADING PROCEDURES ARE APPLICABLE TO LOADS OF JOINT DIRECT ATTACK MUNITION (JDAM) IN CNU-589 SHIPPING AND STORAGE CONTAINERS. SUBSEQUENT REFERENCE TO CONTAINER HEREIN MEANS THE CONTAINER WITH JDAM ITEMS. SEE PAGE 4 AND PLASTICS RESEARCH COR-PORATION DRAWING 103060-101 FOR DETAILS OF THE CONTAINER.
- C. THE OUTLOADING PROCEDURES SPECIFIED HEREIN CAN ALSO BE USED FOR THE SHIPMENT OF THE CONTAINERS WHEN THEY ARE LOADED WITH AN ITEM THAT IS IDENTIFIED DIFFERENTLY BY NOMENCLATURE THAN THE ITEM IDEN-TIFIED WITHIN THE DRAWING TITLE.
- D. THE OUTLOADING PROCEDURES DEPICTED WITHIN THIS DOCUMENT ARE AP-PLICABLE FOR SHIPMENTS IN CONVENTIONAL TYPE BOXCARS AND FOR SHIPMENTS IN CUSHIONED BOXCARS EQUIPPED WITH LOAD DIVIDER BULK-HEADS.
- E. THE SELECTION OF RAILCARS FOR THE TRANSPORT OF CNU-589 CONTAIN-ERS IS THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE ORIGINATING CARRIER AND THE SHIP-PER. ONLY CARS WHICH HAVE "SOUND" FLOORS AND ARE IN OTHERWISE PROPER CONDITION, IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE REQUIREMENTS OF THE AP-PLICABLE REGULATORY DOCUMENTS, WILL BE SELECTED.
- F. WHEN SELECTING RAILCARS, EVERY EFFORT SHOULD BE MADE TO OBTAIN BOXCARS THAT DO NOT HAVE BOWED ENDWALLS. CARS HAVING BOWED ENDS CAN BE USED, HOWEVER, IF AN ENDWALL IS BOWED OUTWARD MORE THAN 2" EITHER FROM SIDE TO SIDE OR FROM FLOOR TO ROOF, AN END-OF-CAR BULKHEAD MUST BE INSTALLED TO PROVIDE A "SQUARED OFF" SUR-FACE FOR THE LOAD AT THE END OF THE CAR. REFER TO PAGE 18 FOR GUID-ANCE.
- G. CONVENTIONAL BOXCARS EQUIPPED WITH SLIDING DOORS HAVE BEEN SHOWN, HOWEVER, THE DEPICTED OUTLOADING PROCEDURES ARE ALSO APPLICABLE FOR CONVENTIONAL CARS EQUIPPED WITH PLUG DOORS. <u>CAU-TION</u>: DUNNAGE MATERIAL MUST NOT BE NAILED TO ANY PLUG DOOR, WHETHER AUXILIARY OR MAIN. ALSO, AFTER THE PLUG DOORS ON A CAR ARE CLOSED AND READY FOR THE INSTALLATION OF CAR SEALS, A PIECE OF WIRE OF SUITABLE SIZE WILL BE USED IN ADDITION TO AND IN CONJUNCTION WITH EACH CAR SEAL USED TO SEAL THE CAR. THE WIRE WILL BE THREADED THRU THE HOLES IN THE DOOR LATCH ASSEMBLY ONE OR MORE TIMES, AND THE WIRE ENDS WILL BE TWISTED TOGETHER.
- H. OTHER TYPES OF LADING ITEMS MAY BE LOADED IN CARS WHICH ARE PAR-TIALLY LOADED WITH CONTAINERS, PROVIDING THE TOTAL LOAD IS COM-PATIBLE, EXISTING DIRECTIVES ARE NOT VIOLATED, AND THE OTHER LADING ITEMS ARE BLOCKED AND BRACED TO EQUAL THE BLOCKING AND BRACING CRITERIA SPECIFIED HEREIN.

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MATERIAL SPECIFICATIONS

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- J. DUNNAGE LUMBER SPECIFIED THROUGHOUT THIS PROCEDURAL DRAWING IS OF NOMINAL SIZE. FOR EXAMPLE, 2" X 4" MATERIAL IS ACTUALLY 1-1/2" THICK BY 3-1/2" WIDE AND 2" X 6" MATERIAL IS ACTUALLY 1-1/2" THICK BY 5-1/2" WIDE. IF THOSE MEMBERS SPECIFICALLY IDENTIFIED AS "STRUTS" WITHIN THE KEY NUMBERS OF A DEPICTED LOAD ARE SPECIFIED TO BE 4" X 4" MATERIAL, IT IS PERMISSIBLE TO USE TWO LAMINATED PIECES OF 2" X 6" MATERIAL IN LIEU OF EACH 4" X 4" STRUT. DOUBLED 2" X 6" STRUTS WILL BE LAMINATED W1-10d NAIL EVERY 6".
- K. <u>NOTICE</u>: A STAGGERED NAILING PATTERN WILL BE USED WHEREVER POSSI-BLE WHEN NAILS ARE DRIVEN INTO JOINTS OF DUNNAGE ASSEMBLIES. ALSO, A STAGGERED NAILING PATTERN WILL BE USED WHEN DUNNAGE IS NAILED TO THE FLOOR OR SIDEWALL OF THE TRANSPORTING VEHICLE, OR WHEN LAMINATING DUNNAGE. THE NAILING PATTERN WILL BE ADJUSTED AS REQUIRED SO THAT A NAIL DOES NOT PENETRATE INTO OR NEAR A CRACK BETWEEN FLOOR BOARDS OR SIDEWALL BOARDS. 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.
- L. POWER DRIVEN STAPLES MAY BE USED AS ALTERNATIVE FASTENERS FOR NAILS WHEN CONSTRUCTING DUNNAGE ASSEMBLIES THAT ARE TO BE USED IN THE DELINEATED BOXCAR LOADS SHOWN THROUGHOUT THIS DRAWING. THE STAPLES TO BE USED MUST BE EQUAL IN LENGTH TO THE SPECIFIED NAIL SIZE AND MUST BE SUBSTITUTED ON A ONE STAPLE FOR ONE NAIL BA-SIS. STAPLES WHICH ARE 2-1/2" OR LESS IN LENGTH SHOULD BE IN ACCOR-DANCE WITH ASTM F1667 AS NEARLY AS PRACTICABLE. STAPLES THAT ARE LONGER THAN 2-1/2" WILL BE A COMMERCIAL GRADE, OF A QUALITY EQUIVALENT TO THOSE MANUFACTURED BY SENCO PRODUCTS INCORPO-RATED. <u>NOTE</u>: STAPLES WILL NOT BE SUBSTITUTED FOR NAILS IN ANY LOAD RESTRAINING FLOOR DUNNAGE APPLICATION.
- M. WHEN STEEL STRAPPING IS SEALED AT AN END-OVER-END LAP JOINT, A MINIMUM OF ONE SEAL WITH TWO PAIR OF NOTCHES WILL BE USED TO SEAL THE JOINT WHEN A NOTCH-TYPE SEALER IS BEING USED. A MINIMUM OF TWO SEALS, BUTTED TOGETHER, WITH TWO PAIR OF CRIMPS PER SEAL WILL BE USED TO SEAL THE JOINT WHEN A CRIMP-TYPE SEALER IS BEING USED. REFER TO THE "STRAP JOINT A" AND "STRAP JOINT B" DETAILS ON PAGE 5 FOR GUIDANCE.
- N. THROUGHOUT THIS PROCEDURAL DRAWING, PORTIONS OF THE BLOCKING COMPONENTS AND OF THE DEPICTED CARS, SUCH AS A CAR SIDEWALL, HAVE BEEN OMITTED FROM THE LOAD VIEW FOR CLARITY PURPOSES.
- O. THE NUMBER OF LADING UNITS MAY BE ADJUSTED TO FIT THE SIZE OF THE BOXCAR BEING LOADED OR THE QUANTITY TO BE SHIPPED, HOWEVER, THE APPROVED METHODS SPECIFIED HEREIN MUST BE FOLLOWED AS CLOSELY AS POSSIBLE FOR BLOCKING, BRACING, AND STAYING OF THE UNITS. <u>NO-TICE</u>: A SHIPMENT WILL BE POSITIONED IN THE RAILCAR IN COMPLIANCE WITH THE WEIGHT DISTRIBUTION REQUIREMENTS OF THE AAR.
- P. <u>CAUTION:</u> WHEN POWER OR PNEUMATIC NAILERS ARE BEING USED IN THE APPLICATION OF NAILED FLOORLINE BLOCKING OR BRACING, CONTAINERS BEING LOADED INTO THE CONVEYANCE MUST BE POSITIONED TO ALLOW A CLEAR PATH OF EXIT FOR THE OPERATOR AT ALL TIMES, SHOULD AN EMER-GENCY EXIT BECOME NECESSARY.
- Q. CONVERSION TO METRIC EQUIVALENTS: DIMENSIONS WITHIN THIS DOCU-MENT 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 0.454 KG.
- R. AS REQUIRED BY THE ASSOCIATION OF AMERICAN RAILROADS (AAR), ALL 1-1/4" AND 2" STEEL STRAPPING USED FOR LOAD RESTRAINT MUST BE MARKED AS SPECIFIED WITHIN THE APPLICABLE AAR RULES GOVERNING LOADING, BLOCKING AND BRACING OF FREIGHT WITHIN THE CONVEYANCE. FOR THE SPECIFIC MARKING SIZE, FREQUENCY, ETC., REQUIRED, REFER TO THE APPROPRIATE AAR LOADING RULES.

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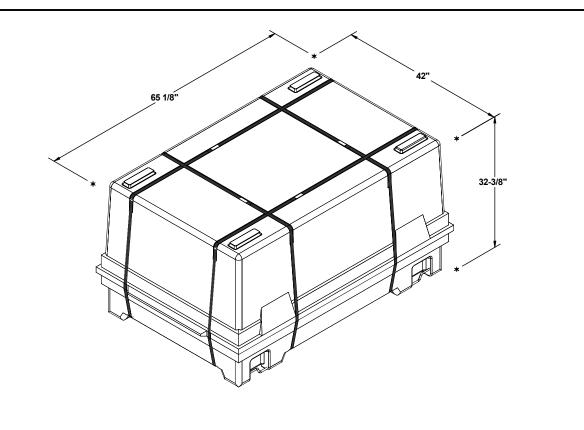
S. FOR CONVENTIONAL TYPE BOXCARS:

- 1. IF THE CAR BEING USED FOR A SHIPMENT IS EQUIPPED WITH A NAILABLE METAL FLOOR AND A NAIL SIZE FOR FLOOR NAILING IS MARKED ON THE SIDEWALL OF THE CAR, THAT GUIDANCE SHOULD BE APPLIED TO THE NAILING OF THE "DOORWAY BLOCKING" PIECES IN THE FULL LOADS AND TO THE NAILING TO THE CAR FLOOR OF THE LCL BRACES AND KNEE BRACE ASSEMBLIES IN THE LESS-THAN-FULL LOADS. IF A NAIL SIZE IS NOT SPECIFIED IN THE CAR, 30d NAILS SHOULD BE USED IN LIEU OF THOSE SPECIFIED IN THE APPLICABLE KEY NUMBERS.
- 2. <u>NOTICE</u>: WHEN POSITIONING CONTAINERS IN A CAR, THEY SHOULD BE PLACED TIGHTLY AGAINST A CAR SIDEWALL AND ARE TO BE PRESSED TIGHTLY TOGETHER LENGTHWISE SO AS TO ACHIEVE A TIGHT LOAD. TO AID IN ACHIEVING TIGHTNESS LENGTHWISE IN A FULL LOAD, A LOAD-COMPRESSING JACK MAY BE EMPLOYED IN THE AREA OF THE CENTER GATES TO MOVE THE CONTAINERS INTO THEIR FINAL SHIPPING POSITION. A HYDRAULIC JACK IS RECOMMENDED FOR THIS OPERATION. <u>CAUTION</u>: WHEN USING A JACK TO COMPACT A LOAD, THE JACK MUST BE USED AGAINST STRONG POINTS OF THE CONTAINERS, SUCH AS THE JOINTS BETWEEN THE LAYERS OF CONTAINERS. PADDING, OF 2" THICK LUMBER OR ANY OTHER MATERIAL OF SIMILAR CONSISTENCY, SHOULD BE PLACED BETWEEN THE JACK AND THE LADING.
- 3. LOAD-BLOCKING STRUTS WHICH ARE 48" OR LONGER MUST BE STIFF-ENED BY THE APPLICATION OF HORIZONTAL AND VERTICAL STRUT BRAC-ING AS SHOWN ON PAGE 8. BRACING IS NOT REQUIRED IF THE STRUTS FOR THE LOAD BEING SHIPPED ARE SHORTER THAN 48". THE LENGTH OF THE LOAD-BLOCKING STRUTS SHOULD BE KEPT AS SHORT AS POSSIBLE (APPROX 18" MINIMUM), BUT IN THE EVENT IT IS NECESSARY TO USE STRUTS WHICH ARE 8'-0" OR MORE IN LENGTH, IT WILL BE NECESSARY TO APPLY AN ADDITIONAL SET OF HORIZONTAL AND VERTICAL STRUT BRAC-ING PIECES. STRUT BRACING SHOULD BE APPLIED SO AS TO PROVIDE NEARLY EQUAL SPACES BETWEEN THE BRACING PIECES AND THE CEN-TER GATES AND/OR BETWEEN ADJACENT STRUT BRACING PIECES. NOTE THAT HORIZONTAL STRUT BRACING PIECES FOR THE UPPER LEVEL OF STRUTS FOR ALL BUT THE UPPERMOST TIER OF A LOAD MAY BE DIFFI-CULT TO APPLY TO THE TOP SURFACES OF THE STRUT AS DEPICTED. STRUT BRACING WILL BE EQUALLY EFFECTIVE IF APPLIED TO THE UNDER SIDE OF THOSE STRUTS.
- 4. TO ACHIEVE A TIGHTLY BLOCKED LOAD, A STRUT WILL BE CUT APPROXIMATELY 1/4" TO 3/8" LONGER THAN THE MEASURED DISTANCE BETWEEN THE STRUT BEARING AREAS ON THE TWO CENTER GATES. MEASURE-MENTS FOR STRUT LENGTHS NEED TO BE ACCOMPLISHED AT SEVERAL PLACES DURING THE BLOCKING AND BRACING PROCESS. CARE MUST BE EXERCISED WHEN MEASURING FOR AND INSTALLING STRUTS. THE SPECIFIED APPROXIMATE DIMENSION FOR A STRUT LENGTH MAY BE ADJUSTED, AS NECESSARY, TO PROVIDE FOR A TIGHTLY BLOCKED LOAD WITHOUT DISTORTING, DENTING OR OTHERWISE DAMAGING THE CONTAINERS. ONE END OF THE STRUT UELD BE POSITIONED AT ITS BEARING AREA JUST ABOVE THE STRUT LEDGER ON ONE GATE. THE OTHER END, WHICH CAN BE BEVELED ON THE LOWER CORNER IF DESIRED, WILL THEN BE DRIVEN DOWNWARD UNTIL IT CONTACTS THE STRUT LEDGER ON THE OTHER GATE. EACH END OF THE STRUT WILL BE TORALED TO THE ADJUSTER CORNER IF DESIRED, WILL THEN BE DRIVEN DOWNWARD UNTIL IT CONTACTS THE STRUT LEDGER ON THE OTHER GATE. EACH END OF THAT AS NEARLY AS PRACTICAL EQUAL LENGTHS OF A NAIL ARE EMBEDDED IN THE STRUT AND IN THE VERTICAL PIECE OF THE CENTER GATE. SEE THE "BEVEL CUT" DETAIL ON PAGE 5 FOR BEVELING INSTRUCTIONS AND THE "STRUT INSTALLATION" DETAIL ON THAT PAGE FOR A PICTORIAL VIEW SHOWING THE PROPER POSITION. ING OF A BEVELED STRUT FOR INSTALLATION. NOTE THAT THE UPPER CORNER REEDS TO BE BEVELED ONLY IF THE STRUT S ARE VERY SHORT. IF ONLY ONE END IS BEVEL CUT, THE BERDED WILL BE FLACED IN THE JUDY ONE HOLD SO THAT IN WILL ALLOW THE STRUT END TO SLIDE MORE FREELY DOWN THE FACE OF THE VERTICAL PIECE ON THE ADJACENT CENTER GATE AS THE STRUT INSTALLATION. THAT THE UPPER CORNER REEDS TO BE BEVELED ONLY IF THE STRUT SARE VERY SHORT. IF ONLY ONE END IS BEVEL CUT, THE BEVELED EDGE WILL BE PLACED IN THE ADJACENT END TO SLIDE MORE FREELY DOWN THE FACE OF THE VERTICAL PIECE ON THE ADJACENT CENTER GATE AS THE STRUT IS DRIVEN DOWN INTO ITS FINAL BLOCKING POSITION.

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- T. FOR CARS EQUIPPED WITH LOAD DIVIDER BULKHEADS:
 - 1. <u>CAUTION</u>: FOR CUSHIONED BOXCARS EQUIPPED WITH LOAD DIVIDER BULKHEADS, ONLY CARS EQUIPPED WITH LOAD DIVIDERS MANUFAC-TURED BY EVANS, EQUIPCO, OR PRECO MAY BE USED. LOAD DIVIDERS MANUFACTURED BY TRANSCO ARE NOT ACCEPTABLE WHETHER OF ALUMINUM OR STEEL CONSTRUCTION. THE DEPICTED PROCEDURES ARE APPLICABLE FOR CARS OF VARIOUS LENGTHS AND WIDTHS. THE AAR MECHANICAL DESIGNATION CLASS FOR THESE CARS, AS IDENTIFIED IN "THE OFFICIAL RAILWAY EQUIPMENT REGISTER", WILL BE RBL, XL, OR XLI.
 - 2. THE USE OF LOAD DIVIDER EQUIPPED CARS WILL ELIMINATE THE NEED FOR CENTER GATES AND STRUTS, AND GATE HOLD DOWNS (WHEN AP-PLICABLE) WHICH ARE REQUIRED IN CONVENTIONAL BOXCAR LOADS. THIS WILL ACCOUNT FOR A CONSIDERABLE SAVING IN MATERIAL AND LABOR COSTS. THEREFORE, EVERY EFFORT SHOULD BE MADE TO AC-QUIRE CUSHIONED CARS EQUIPPED WITH LOAD DIVIDERS FOR SHIPMENT OF COMPLETE ROUNDS. <u>NOTICE</u>: ONLY CUSHIONED CARS THAT HAVE SLIDING CENTER SILL TYPE CUSHIONED DEVICES OR END-OF-CAR TYPE DEVICES WHICH HAVE AT LEAST 15" OF TRAVEL ARE ACCEPTABLE.
 - 3. IF NAILING TO A CAR SIDEWALL IS NOT REQUIRED, BOXCARS EQUIPPED WITH ADJUSTABLE SIDE FILLERS THAT HAVE 3/8" OR THICKER PANELS MAY BE USED, HOWEVER, THESE SIDE FILLERS MUST NOT BE USED FOR LATERAL BLOCKING; THEY MUST BE RETRACTED AND LOCKED AGAINST THE CAR SIDEWALL. A "FILL PIECE" MUST BE INSTALLED IN THE VOID BETWEEN THE CAR SIDEWALL AND THE SIDE FILLER PANEL. SEE THE "TYPICAL TYPE A" VIEW ON PAGE 24 FOR GUIDANCE. IF THE BACK OF THE SIDE FILLER PANELS ARE REINFORCED WITH VERTICAL AND HORI-ZONTAL STEEL MEMBERS AS SHOWN IN THE "TYPICAL TYPE B" VIEW ON PAGE 24, THE "FILL PIECE" MATERIAL IS NOT REQUIRED.
 - 4. NOTICE: AFTER THE LOAD DIVIDER BULKHEADS ARE POSITIONED AGAINST THE LADING, AND THE LOCKING PINS ARE ENGAGED IN THE HOLES OF THE RAILS, THE LOWER LOCKING PINS MUST BE INSPECTED TO ENSURE THAT THE PINS ARE FULLY ENGAGED IN THE LOCKING HOLES. IF THE PINS ARE NOT FULLY SEATED IN THE LOCKING HOLES, THE LINKAGE MECHANISM WILL BE ADJUSTED AS REQUIRED SO THAT THE PINS WILL BE FULLY SEATED INTO THE LOCKING HOLES OF THE LOWER RAILS. IF PRE-SENT, DEBRIS MUST BE REMOVED FROM BENEATH THE LOCKING HOLES WHICH HAVE BEEN SELECTED FOR SECURING A LOAD DIVIDER BULK-HEAD.
 - 5. THE NORMAL LOADING PATTERN IN CARS EQUIPPED WITH LOAD DIVIDER BULKHEADS IS TO POSITION THE LADING BETWEEN A CAR ENDWALL AND A LOAD DIVIDER BULKHEAD IN FULL LAYERS. OBVIOUSLY, A LOAD QUANTITY MUST THEN BE A MULTIPLE OF THE NUMBER OF CONTAINERS THAT ARE IN ONE LOAD UNIT. A LOAD UNIT IS DEFINED AS A STACK OF CONTAINERS THAT IS FULL CAR WIDTH BY FULL LOAD HEIGHT BY ONE UNIT IN LENGTH. IF THE QUANTITY TO BE SHIPPED CANNOT BE ATTAINED BY ADJUSTING THE NUMBER OF TIERS IN ONE OR BOTH ENDS OF A CAR, OR BY ADJUSTING THE NUMBER OF LOAD UNITS IN EITHER END OF THE CAR, ONE OF THE FOLLOWING PROCEDURES MUST BE USED IN ORDER TO OBTAIN THE DESIRED QUANTITY. ONE OR MORE UNITS CAN BE POSI-TIONED IN CONTACT WITH A LOAD DIVIDER BULKHEAD ON THE CENTER-OF-CAR SIDE. BLOCK AND BRACE WITH LCL BRACES AS SHOWN ON PAGE 16 OR WITH KNEE BRACE ASSEMBLIES, AS SHOWN ON PAGE 15.



CNU-589 CONTAINER

GROSS WEIGHT	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	- 619 LBS
CUBE	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	51.4 CU FT

UNITIZATION AND HANDLING GUIDANCE

1. STACKING CONTAINERS FOR UNITIZING:

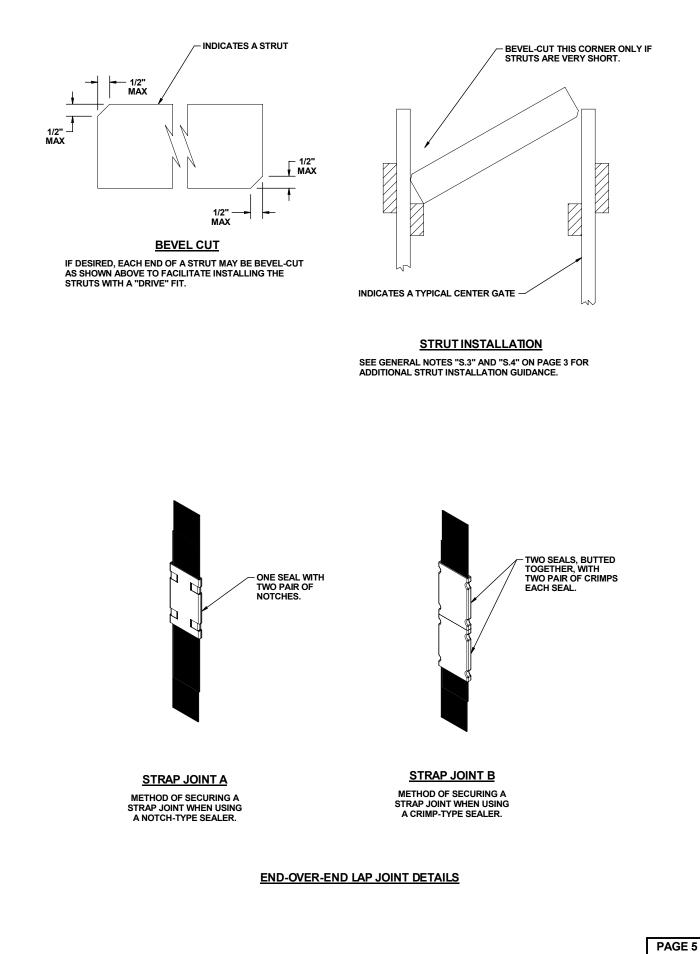
- A. AN UPPER CONTAINER SHOULD BE PLACED AS CLOSE AS POSSIBLE IN VERTICAL ALIGNMENT WITH THE NEXT LOWER CONTAINER.
- B. POSITION THE UPPER CONTAINER SO THAT THE FEET NEST WITH THE ALIGNMENT LUGS OF THE NEXT LOWER CONTAINER.
- 2. INSTALLATION OF UNITIZING STRAPS:
 - A. STRAPS WILL BE INSTALLED TO ENCIRCLE THE CONTAINERS WITH THE STRAPPING FLAT AND STRAIGHT WITHIN THE STRAP RECESSES OR SLOTS OF THE CONTAINER; I.E., VERTICAL ALONG THE SIDES AND FLAT ACROSS THE TOP AND BOTTOM OF THE STACK.
 - B. TWO STRAPS SHALL BE POSITIONED LATERALLY OR LONGITUDINALLY AS REQUIRED.
 - C. STRAPPING WILL BE USED TO SECURE TWO CONTAINERS ONLY. IN ORDER TO UNITIZE A STACK OF 3-HIGH CONTAINERS, INSTALL TWO STRAPS TO ENCIRCLE THE BOTTOM AND MIDDLE CONTAINERS. STACK THE THIRD CONTAINER ON TOP OF THE PREVIOUSLY UNITIZED CON-TAINERS AND INSTALL TWO ADDITIONAL STRAPS SECURING THE MID-DLE CONTAINER TO THE TOP CONTAINER.

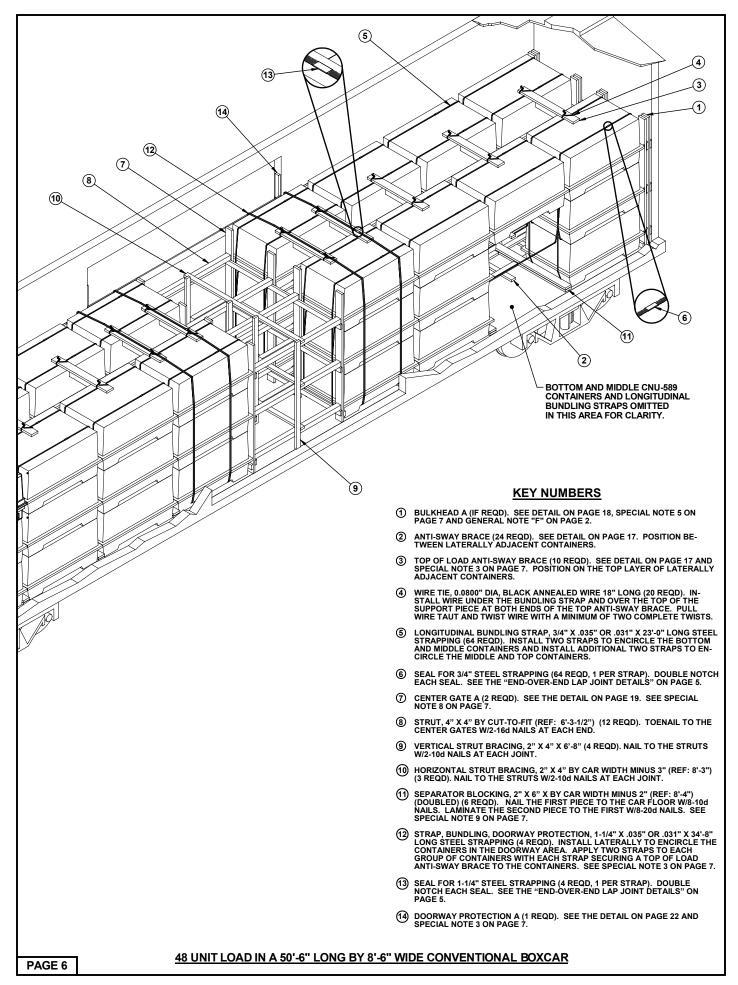
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- 3. CONTAINER OR CONTAINER STACK HANDLING:
 - A. ONLY APPROVED AND APPROPRIATELY SIZED MATERIALS HANDLING EQUIPMENT WILL BE USED FOR HANDLING THE DEPICTED CONTAINERS. APPROVED MATERIAL HANDLING EQUIPMENT (FORKLIFT TRUCKS, CRANES, HAND TRUCKS, DOLLIES, ROLLER ASSEMBLIES, SLINGS, SPREADER BARS, ETC.) IS SPECIFIED ELSEWHERE.
 - B. <u>CAUTION</u>: THE CNU-589 CONTAINER SHELL IS FABRICATED WITH FI-BERGLASS AND IS SUSCEPTIBLE TO DAMAGE FROM FORKLIFT TRUCKS. CARE MUST BE EXERCISED WHEN INSERTING FORKS UNDER A CON-TAINER, TO PREVENT DAMAGE TO THE CONTAINER BY THE FORK TINES OR THE FORKLIFT PACKAGE GUARD.
 - C. HANDLING FROM ENDS OF 3-HIGH STACK OF CONTAINERS REQUIRES THE USE OF FORKLIFT EQUIPPED WITH 60" MINIMUM TINE LENGTH OR FORKLIFT EXTENSIONS HANDLING TECHNIQUES NORMALLY EMPLOYED OR AS SPECIFIED FOR THE TYPE OF COMMODITY INVOLVED WILL BE OBSERVED.

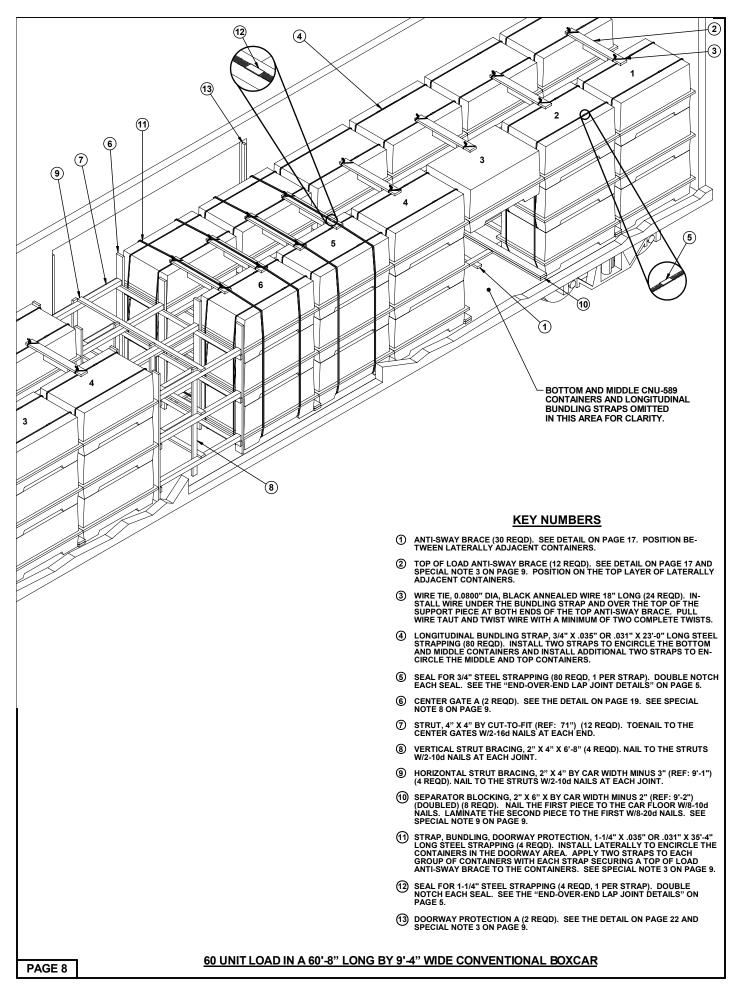




- 1. A 48 UNIT LOAD OF CNU-589 CONTAINERS IS SHOWN IN A 50'-6" LONG BY 8'-6" WIDE CONVENTIONAL BOXCAR WITH 14'-0" WIDE THROUGH DOORS. BOXCARS OF OTHER DIMENSIONS, AND BOXCARS HAVING WIDER OR NARROWER DOOR OPENINGS, OR OFFSET DOORS CAN BE USED.
- 2. IF THE CAR BEING LOADED IS EQUIPPED WITH SLIDING DOORS WHICH DO NOT HAVE NAILABLE DOOR POSTS, REFER TO THE ALTERNATIVE DOORWAY PRO-TECTION DETAILS ON PAGES 22 AND 23.
- 3. DOORWAY PROTECTION IS REQUIRED FOR ALL CONTAINER STACKS WHICH ARE COMPLETELY WITHIN THE DOORWAY AREA OR WHICH EXTEND INTO THE DOORWAY AREA BY ONE-HALF OR MORE OF THE STACK LENGTH. IN ADDI-TION, EACH GROUP OF CONTAINER STACKS THAT MEET THE CRITERIA ABOVE, SHALL HAVE TWO DOORWAY PROTECTION BUNDLING STRAPS AND TWO TOP OF LOAD ANTI-SWAY BRACES. THE WOODEN GATE TYPE OF DOORWAY PRO-TECTION IN THE LOAD ON PAGE 6 IS APPLICABLE FOR BOXCARS EQUIPPED WITH CONVENTIONAL SLIDING DOORS AND NON-NAILABLE DOOR POSTS. RE-FER TO PAGES 22 AND 23 FOR ALTERNATIVE DOORWAY PROTECTION FOR CARS EQUIPPED WITH CONVENTIONAL SLIDING DOORS. IF THE CAR BEING LOADED IS EQUIPPED WITH PLUG TYPE DOORS OR COMBINATION PLUG AND SLIDING DOORS, NAILED FLOORLINE BLOCKING AND DOORWAY PROTECTION STRAPS MUST BE USED. SEE SPECIAL NOTE 3 ON PAGE 22.
- 4. FOR SHIPMENTS OF A LOAD WHICH CONTAINS MORE OR LESS CONTAINERS THAN WHAT IS SHOWN, SEE THE PROCEDURES ON PAGES 8 THRU 16.
- 5. IF THE BOXCAR BEING LOADED HAS BOWED ENDWALLS, WHICH ARE, BOWED OUTWARD 2" OR MORE, EITHER FROM SIDE TO SIDE OR FROM FLOOR TO ROOF, AN END OF CAR BULKHEAD MUST BE INSTALLED TO PROVIDE A SQUARED OFF SURFACE FOR THE LOAD AT THE END OF THE CAR. SEE "BULKHEAD A" DETAIL ON PAGE 18 AND GENERAL NOTE "F" ON PAGE 2. A BULKHEAD IS NOT REQUIRED IF THE ENDWALL IS NOT BOWED 2" OR MORE.
- THE CNU-589 CONTAINERS MAY ALREADY BE STRAPPED WITH LATERALLY POSITIONED BUNDLING STRAPS. THESE STRAPS MAY REMAIN AS IS, HOW-EVER, THE ADDITION OF LONGITUDINAL BUNDLING STRAPS AS SHOWN ON PAGE 6 ARE REQUIRED.
- 7. THE 3/4" STEEL STRAPPING AND SEALS USED FOR LONGITUDINAL BUN-DLING STRAPS MAY BE SUBSTITUTED WITH 5/8" X 0.035" POLYESTER STRAPPING, PRODUCT CODE MPC5835 AND SEALED WITH THE BET-700 POWER SEALESS WELDING TOOL. SOURCE OF SUPPLY: POLYCHEM CORPORATION, <u>HTTP://WWW.POLYCHEM.COM/</u>.
- THE CENTER GATE MAY BE INSTALLED IN TWO SECTIONS (SPLIT) FOR EASE OF INSTALLATION. AFTER INSTALLATION OF THE SPLIT CENTER GATES, TIE PIECES SHALL BE INSTALLED TO JOIN THE TWO SPIT CEN-TER GATES. SEE THE "TIE PIECE APPLICATION" ON PAGE 21.
- 9. IF THE BOXCAR BEING LOADED HAS A METAL FLOOR THAT CANNOT BE NAILED, USE THE ALTERNATE SEPARATOR BLOCKING PROCEDURE AS SHOWN ON PAGE 25.

BILL OF MATERIAL						
LUMBER LINEAR FEET BOARD FEET						
1" X 6"	84	42				
2" x 3"	30	15				
2" x 4"	470	314				
2" X 6"	266	266				
4" X 4"	76	101				
NAILS	NO. REQD	POUNDS				
6d (2")	36	1/4				
10d (3")	476	8				
16d (3-1/4")	48	1				
20d (4")	48	1-1/2				
STEEL STRAPPING,	3/4" - 1,472' RE	QD 139 LBS				
SEAL FOR 3/4" STR	APPING 64 RE	QD 3/4 LBS				
STEEL STRAPPING, 1-1/4" - 139' REQD 20 LBS						
SEAL FOR 1-1/4" S	STRAPPING - 4 RE	QD 1/4 LBS				
WIRE, STEEL, 0.08	80" DIA 30' RE	QD NIL				

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, 3/4" - 1,472' REQD 139 LBS TRAPPING 64 REQD 3/4 LBS , 1-1/4" - 139' REQD 20 LBS STRAPPING - 4 REQD 1/4 LBS)80" DIA 30' REQD NIL	LOAD AS SHOWN ITEM QUANTITY CNU-589 CONTAINER 48 DUNNAGE	WEIGHT (APPROX) 29,712 LBS 1,648 LBS
48 UNIT LOAD IN A 50'-6" LONG BY	TOTAL WEIGHT	31,360 LBS (APPROX)
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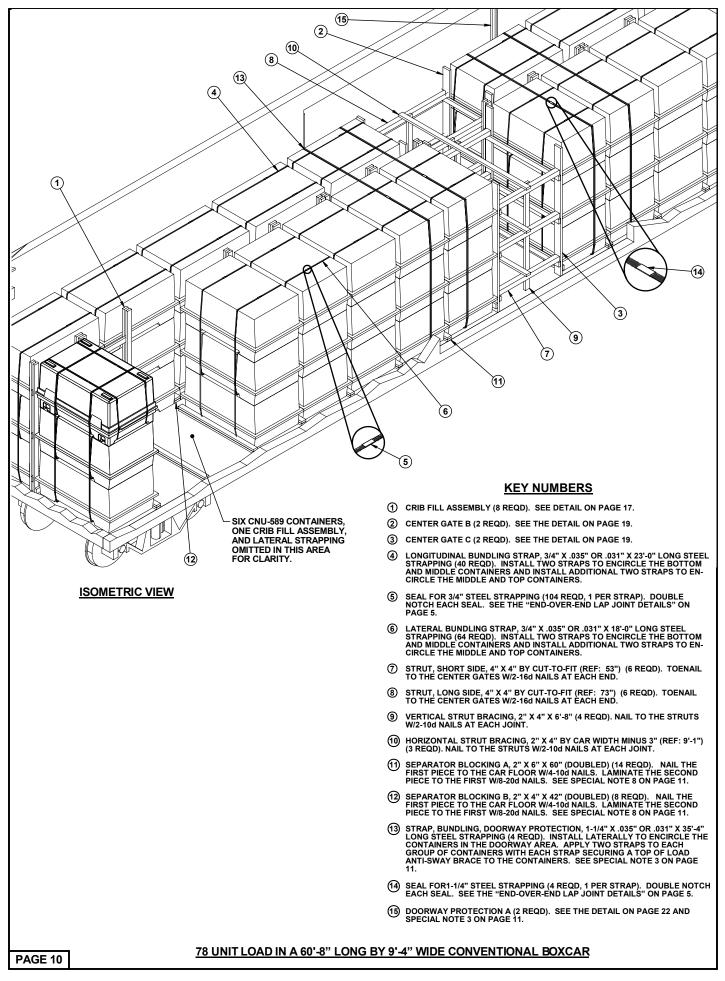


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- 3. DOORWAY PROTECTION IS REQUIRED FOR ALL CONTAINER STACKS WHICH ARE COMPLETELY WITHIN THE DOORWAY AREA OR WHICH EXTEND INTO THE DOORWAY AREA BY ONE-HALF OR MORE OF THE STACK LENGTH. IN ADDI-TION, EACH GROUP OF CONTAINER STACKS THAT MEET THE CRITERIA ABOVE SHALL HAVE TWO DOORWAY PROTECTION BUNDLING STRAPS AND TWO TOP OF LOAD ANTI-SWAY BRACES. THE WOODEN GATE TYPE OF DOORWAY PRO-TECTION IN THE LOAD ON PAGE 8 IS APPLICABLE FOR BOXCARS EQUIPPED WITH CONVENTIONAL SLIDING DOORS AND NON-NAILABLE DOOR POSTS. RE-FER TO PAGES 22 AND 23 FOR ALTERNATIVE DOORWAY PROTECTION FOR CARS EQUIPPED WITH CONVENTIONAL SLIDING DOORS. IF THE CAR BEING LOADED IS EQUIPPED WITH PLUG TYPE DOORS OR COMBINATION PLUG AND SLIDING DOORS, NAILED FLOORLING AND DOORWAY PROTECTION STRAPS MUST BE USED. SEE SPECIAL NOTE 3 ON PAGE 22.
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- 5. IF THE BOXCAR BEING LOADED HAS BOWED ENDWALLS, WHICH ARE, BOWED OUTWARD 2" OR MORE, EITHER FROM SIDE TO SIDE OR FROM FLOOR TO ROOF, AN END OF CAR BULKHEAD MUST BE INSTALLED TO PROVIDE A SQUARED OFF SURFACE FOR THE LOAD AT THE END OF THE CAR. SEE "BULKHEAD A" DETAIL ON PAGE 18 AND GENERAL NOTE "F" ON PAGE 2. A BULKHEAD IS NOT REQUIRED IF THE ENDWALL IS NOT BOWED 2" OR MORE.
- THE CNU-589 CONTAINERS MAY ALREADY BE STRAPPED WITH LATERALLY POSITIONED BUNDLING STRAPS. THESE STRAPS MAY REMAIN AS IS, HOW-EVER, THE ADDITION OF LONGITUDINAL BUNDLING STRAPS AS SHOWN ON PAGE 8 ARE REQUIRED
- 7. THE 3/4" STEEL STRAPPING AND SEALS USED FOR LONGITUDINAL BUN-DLING STRAPS MAY BE SUBSTITUTED WITH 5/8" X 0.035" POLYESTER STRAPPING, PRODUCT CODE MPC5835 AND SEALED WITH THE BET-700 POWER SEALESS WELDING TOOL. SOURCE OF SUPPLY: POLYCHEM CORPORATION, <u>HTTP://WWW.POLYCHEM.COM/</u>.
- 8. THE CENTER GATE MAY BE INSTALLED IN TWO SECTIONS (SPLIT) FOR EASE OF INSTALLATION. AFTER INSTALLATION OF THE SPLIT CENTER GATES, TIE PIECES SHALL BE INSTALLED TO JOIN THE TWO SPIT CEN-TER GATES. SEE THE "TIE PIECE APPLICATION" ON PAGE 21.
- 9. IF THE BOXCAR BEING LOADED HAS A METAL FLOOR THAT CANNOT BE NAILED, USE THE ALTERNATE SEPARATOR BLOCKING PROCEDURE AS SHOWN ON PAGE 25.

BILL OF MATERIAL						
LUMBER LINEAR FEET BOARD FEET						
1" X 6"	84	42				
2" X 3"	30	15				
2" X 4"	325	217				
2" X 6"	165					
4" x 4"	71	95				
NAILS	NO. REQD	POUNDS				
6d (2")	36	1/4				
10d (3")	484	7-1/2				
12d (3-1/4")	48	1				
20d (4")	64	2				
STEEL STRAPPING,	3/4" - 1,840' RE	QD 164 LBS				
SEAL FOR 3/4" STR	RAPPING 80 RE	QD 1 LBS				
STEEL STRAPPING, 1-1/4" - 141' REQD - 20-1/4 LBS						
SEAL FOR 1-1/4" S	STRAPPING - 4 RE	QD 1/4 LBS				
WIRE, STEEL, 0.08	80" DIA36' RE	QD NIL				

60 UNIT LOAD IN A 60'-8" LONG BY 9

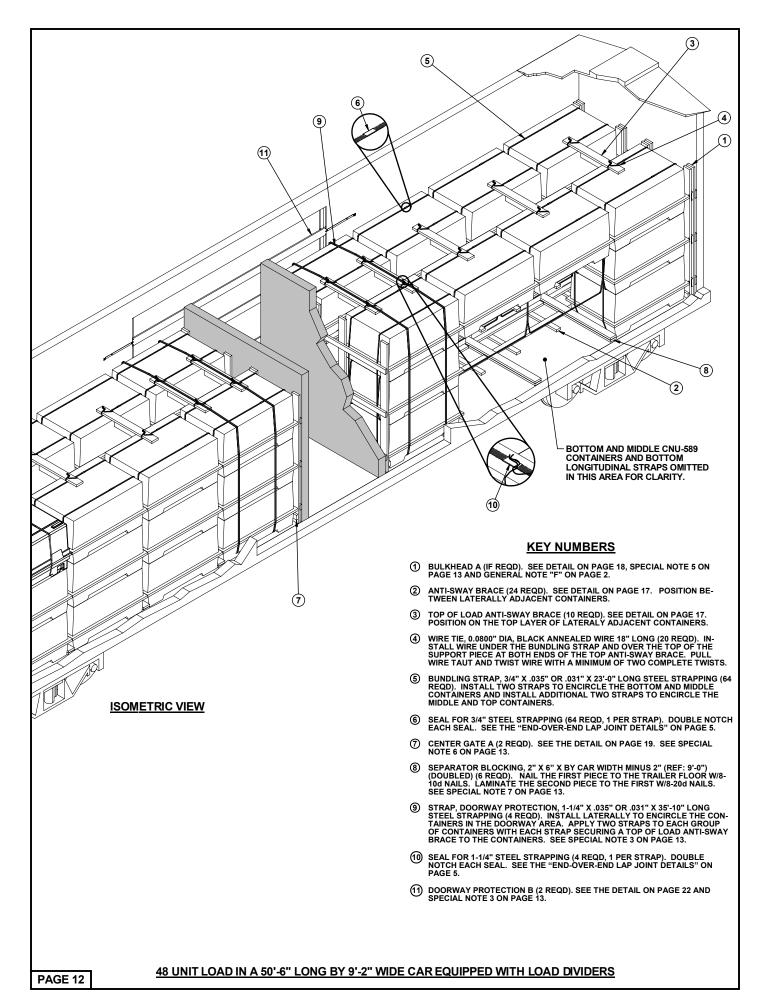
	LOAD AS SHOWN			
	ITEM QUANTITY	WEIGHT	(APF	PROX)
	CNU-589 CONTAINER 60	37,140 1,263	LBS LBS	
	TOTAL WEIGHT	38,403	LBS	(APPROX)
, .	4" WIDE CONVENTIONAL BOXCAR			PAGE 9



- A 78 UNIT LOAD IS SHOWN IN A 60'-8" LONG BY 9'-4" WIDE CONVENTIONAL BOXCAR EQUIPPED WITH 14'-0" WIDE THROUGH DOORS. CARS OF OTHER DI-MENSIONS, AND BOXCARS HAVING WIDER OR NARROWER DOOR OPENINGS, OR OFFSET DOORS CAN BE USED.
- 2. IF THE CAR BEING LOADED IS EQUIPPED WITH SLIDING DOORS WHICH DO NOT HAVE NAILABLE DOOR POSTS, REFER TO THE ALTERNATIVE DOORWAY PRO-TECTION DETAILS ON PAGES 22 AND 23.
- 3. DOORWAY PROTECTION IS REQUIRED FOR ALL CONTAINER STACKS WHICH ARE COMPLETELY WITHIN THE DOORWAY AREA OR WHICH EXTEND INTO THE DOORWAY AREA BY ONE-HALF OR MORE OF THE STACK LENGTH. IN ADDI-TION, EACH GROUP OF CONTAINER STACKS THAT MEET THE CRITERIA ABOVE, SHALL HAVE TWO DOORWAY PROTECTION BUNDLING STRAPS AND TWO TOP OF LOAD ANTI-SWAY BRACES. THE WOODEN GATE TYPE OF DOORWAY PRO-TECTION IN THE LOAD ON PAGE 10 IS APPLICABLE FOR BOXCARS EQUIPPED WITH CONVENTIONAL SLIDING DOORS AND NON-NAILABLE DOOR POSTS. RE-FER TO PAGES 22 AND 23 FOR ALTERNATIVE DOORWAY PROTECTION FOR CARS EQUIPPED WITH CONVENTIONAL SLIDING DOORS. IF THE CAR BEING LOADED IS EQUIPPED WITH PLUG TYPE DOORS OR COMBINATION PLUG AND SLIDING DOORS, NAILED FLOORLINE BLOCKING AND DOORWAY PROTECTION STRAPS MUST BE USED. SEE SPECIAL NOTE 3 ON PAGE 22.
- 4. FOR SHIPMENTS OF A LOAD WHICH CONTAINS MORE OR LESS CONTAINERS THAN WHAT IS SHOWN, SEE THE PROCEDURES ON PAGES 6 THRU 16.
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- 6. THE CNU-589 CONTAINERS MAY ALREADY BE STRAPPED WITH LATERALLY POSITIONED BUNDLING STRAPS. THESE STRAPS MAY REMAIN AS IS, HOW-EVER, THE ADDITION OF LONGITUDINAL AND LATERAL BUNDLING STRAPS AS SHOWN ON PAGE 10 ARE REQUIRED
- THE 3/4" STEEL STRAPPING AND SEALS USED FOR LONGITUDINAL BUNDLING STRAPS MAY BE SUBSTITUTED WITH 5/8" X 0.035" POLYESTER STRAPPING, PRODUCT CODE MPC5835 AND SEALED WITH THE BET-700 POWER SEALESS WELDING TOOL. SOURCE OF SUPPLY: POLYCHEM CORPORATION, <u>HTTP://WWW.POLYCHEM.COM/</u>.
- 8. IF THE BOXCAR BEING LOADED HAS A METAL FLOOR THAT CANNOT BE NAILED, USE THE ALTERNATE SEPARATOR BLOCKING PROCEDURE AS SHOWN ON PAGE 25.
- 9. CRIB FILL ASSEMBLIES ARE REQUIRED WHEN THE TOTAL LATERAL SPACE BETWEEN THE CONTAINERS EXCEEDS 6", AS MEASURED FROM CONTAINER TO CONTAINER.

BILL OF MATERIAL							
LUMBER	LINEAR FEET BOARD FEET						
1" X 6"	42	21					
2" x 3"	15	8					
2" x 4"	262	175					
2" X 6"	82	82					
4" X 4"	63	84					
NAILS	NO. REQD POUNDS						
6d (2-1/2")	18	1/4					
10d (3")	396	6					
16d (3-1/4")	48	1					
20d (4")	88 2						
STEEL STRAPPING, 3/4" - 2,039' REQD 182 LBS SEAL FOR 3/4" STRAPPING - 104 REQD - 1-1/4 LBS STEEL STRAPPING, 1-1/4" - 115' REQD - 16-1/2 LBS SEAL FOR 1-1/4" STRAPPING - 4 REQD 1/4 LBS							
SEAL FOR 1-1/4" S	STRAPPING - 4 RE	QD 1/4 LBS					

18	1/4				
396	6				
48	1				
88	2	LOAD AS SHOWN			
	QD 182 LBS QD - 1-1/4 LBS	ITEM QUANTITY	<u>WEIGHT</u> (APPRO))	
./4" - 115' REG	QD - 16-1/2 LBS	CNU-589 CONTAINER 78	48,282 LBS		
PPING - 4 REC	QD 1/4 LBS	DUNNAGE	949 LBS		
		TOTAL WEIGHT	49,231 LBS (/	APPROX)	
78 UNIT LOAD IN A 60'-8" LONG BY 9'-4" WIDE CONVENTIONAL BOXCAR					
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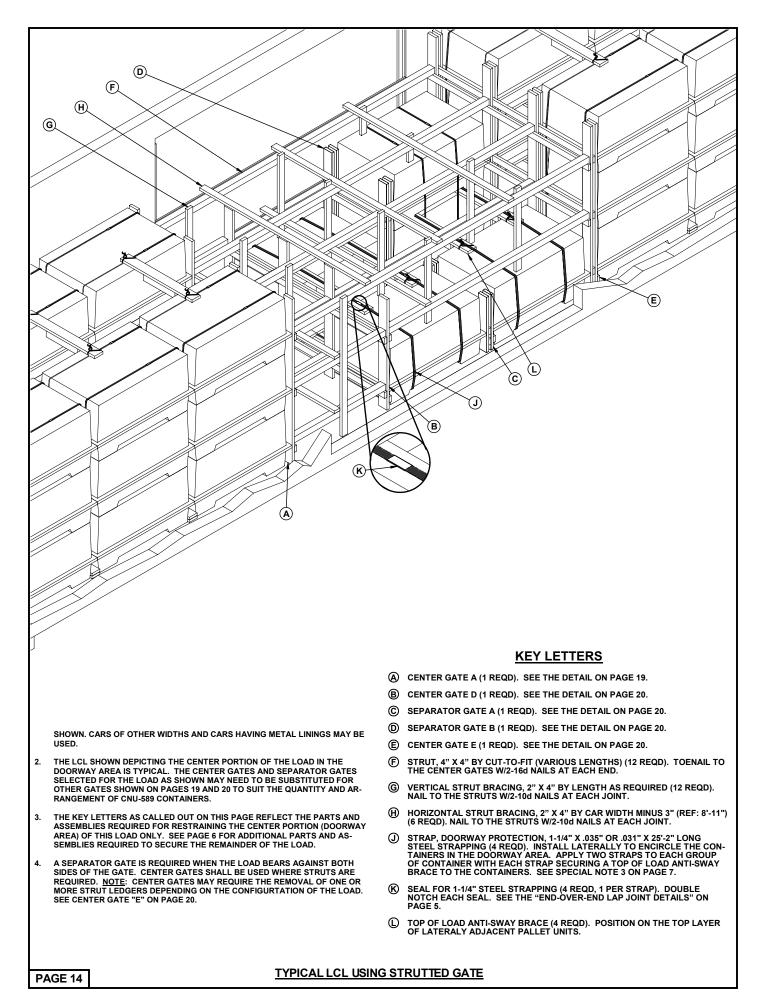


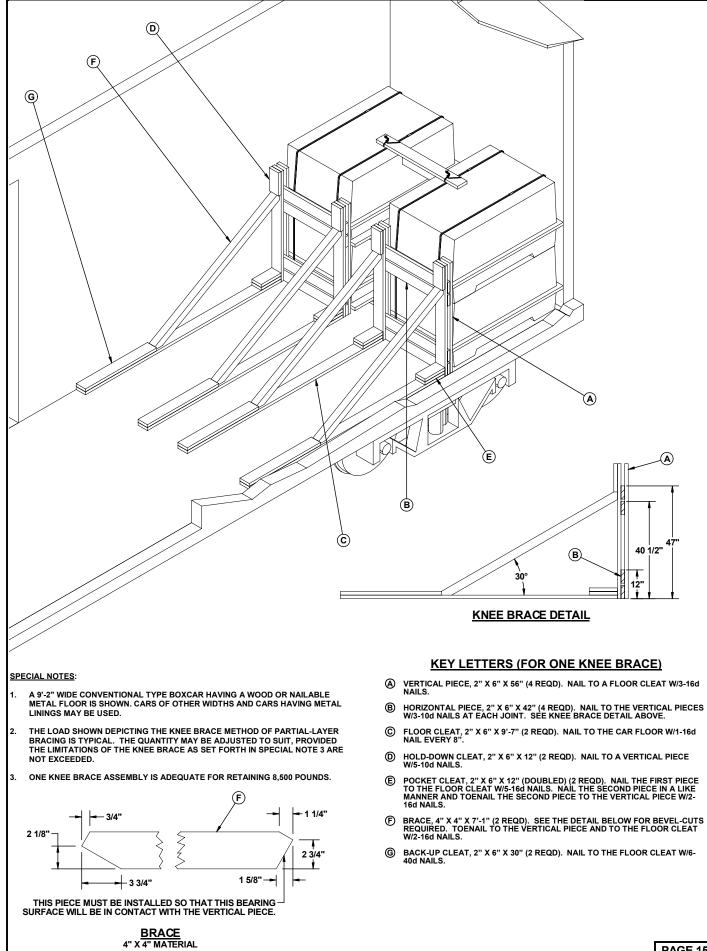
- 1. A 48 UNIT LOAD IS SHOWN IN A 50'-6" LONG BY 9'-2" WIDE CUSHIONED TYPE BOXCAR EQUIPPED WITH LOAD DIVIDERS AND 14'-0" WIDE STAGGERED DOOR OPENINGS. BOXCARS OF OTHER DIMENSIONS AND BOXCARS HAVING WIDER DOOR OPENINGS OR THROUGH DOORS CAN BE USED.
- 2. IF THE CAR BEING LOADED IS EQUIPPED WITH SLIDING DOORS WHICH DO NOT HAVE NAILABLE DOOR POSTS, REFER TO THE ALTERNATIVE DOORWAY PRO-TECTION DETAILS ON PAGES 22 AND 23.
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- 4. FOR SHIPMENTS OF A LOAD WHICH CONTAINS MORE OR FEWER CONTAINERS THAN WHAT IS SHOWN, SEE THE PROCEDURES ON PAGES 6 THRU 16.
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- 6. THE CENTER GATE MAY BE INSTALLED IN TWO SECTIONS (SPLIT) FOR EASE OF INSTALLATION. AFTER INSTALLATION OF THE SPLIT CENTER GATES, TIE PIECES SHALL BE INSTALLED TO JOIN THE TWO SPIT CENTER GATES. SEE THE TIE PIECE APPLICATION ON PAGE 21.
- IF THE BOXCAR BEING LOADED HAS A METAL FLOOR THAT CANNOT BE NAILED, USE THE ALTERNATE SEPARATOR BLOCKING PROCEDURE AS SHOWN ON PAGE 25.

BILL OF MATERIAL						
LUMBER	LUMBER LINEAR FEET BOARD FEET					
1" X 6"	84	42				
2" x 3"	30	15				
2" x 4"	417	278				
2" X 6"	188	188				
NAILS	NO. REQD	POUNDS				
6d (2")	120 3/4					
10d (3")	390	6				
20d (4")	48	1-1/2				
STEEL STRAPPING, 3/4" - 1,472 REQD 131 LBS SEAL FOR 3/4" STRAPPING 64 REQD 3/4 LBS STEEL STRAPPING, 1-1/4" - 174' REQD 25 LBS SEAL FOR 1-1/4" STRAPPING - 4 REQD 1/4 LBS WIRE, STEEL, 0.080" DIA 30' REQD NIL						

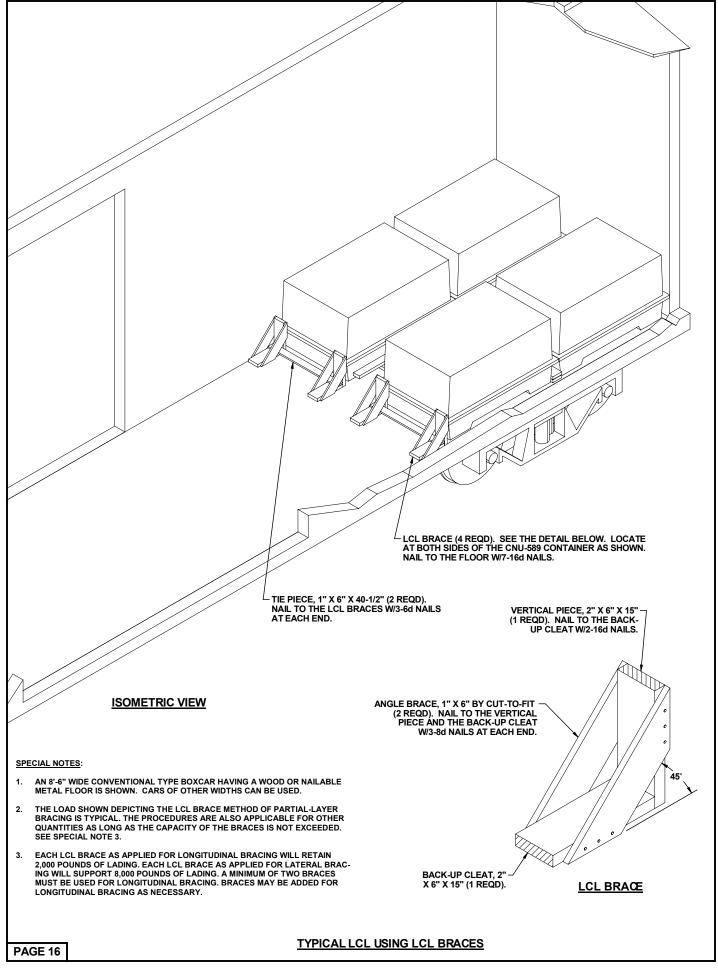
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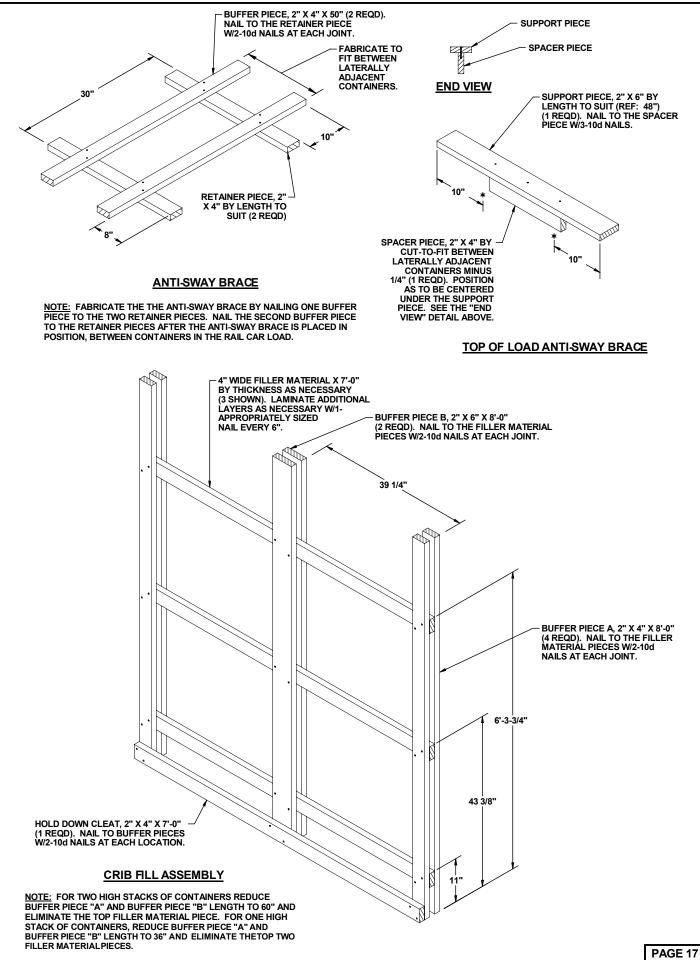
	LOAD AS SHOWN			
ITEM	QUANTITY	<u>WEIGHT</u>	(AP	PROX)
CNU-589 CON DUNNAGE	ITAINER 48	29,712 1,211		
	TOTAL WEIGHT	30,923	LBS	(APPROX)
	<u>ITH LOAD DIVIDERS</u>			PAGE 13

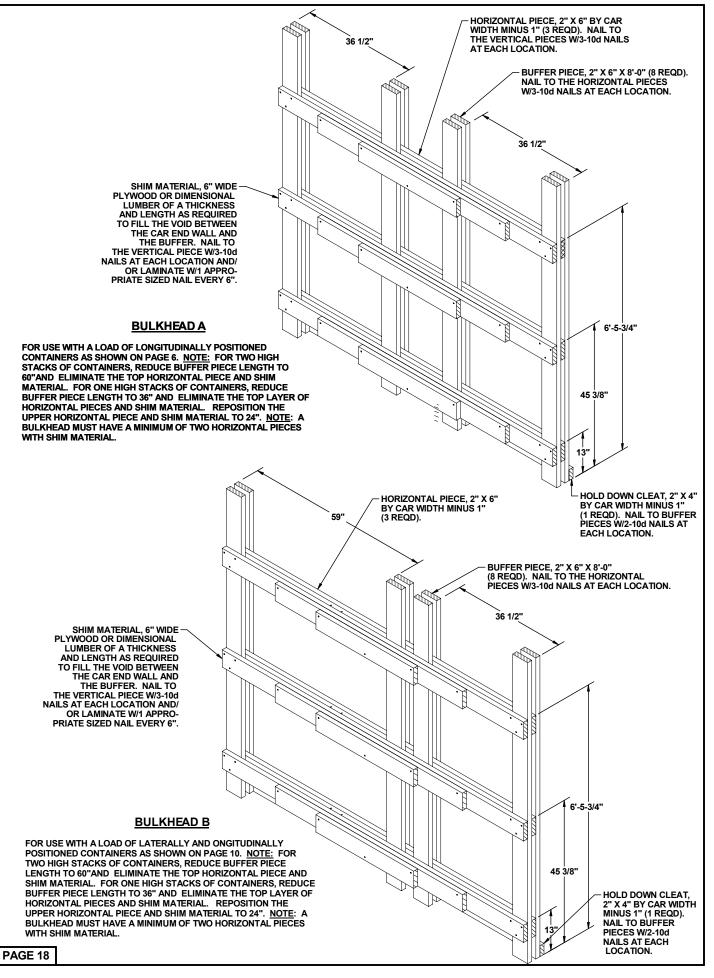


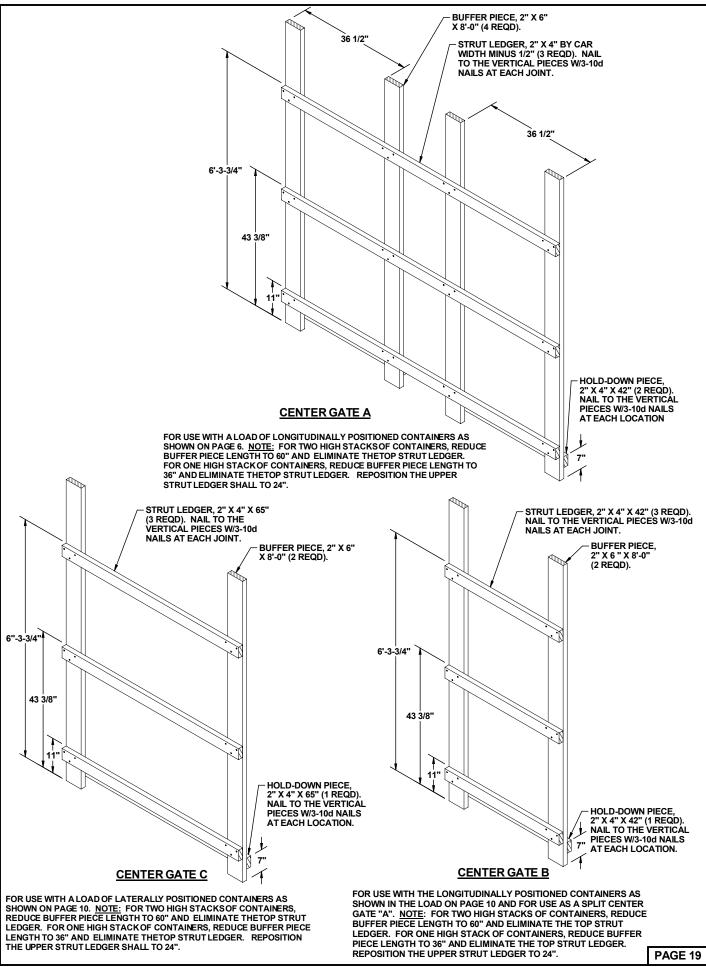


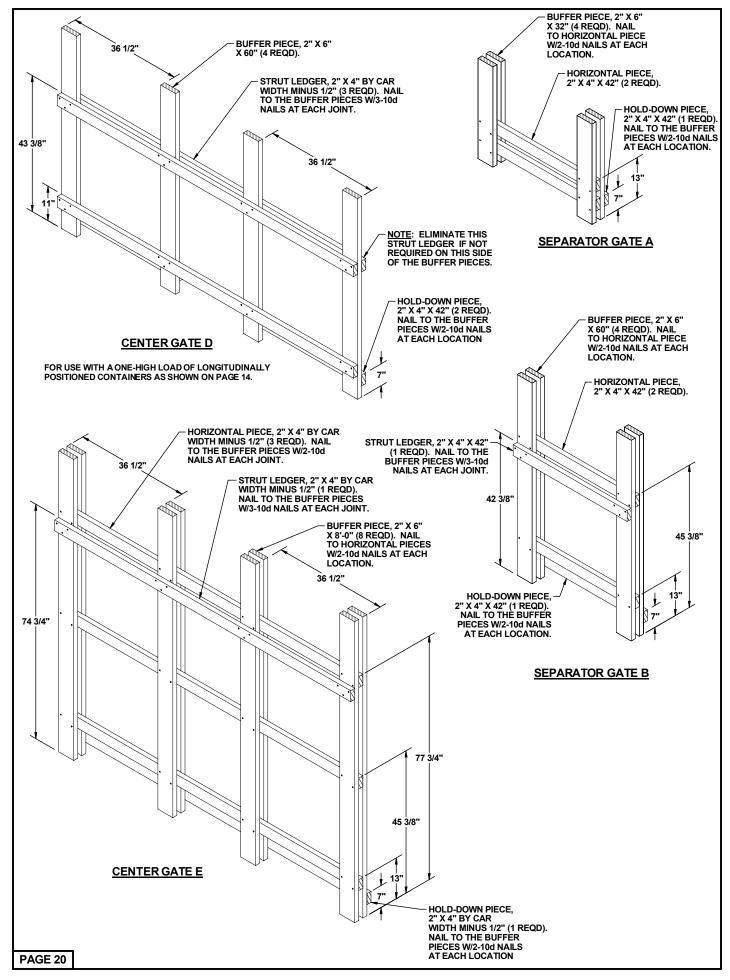
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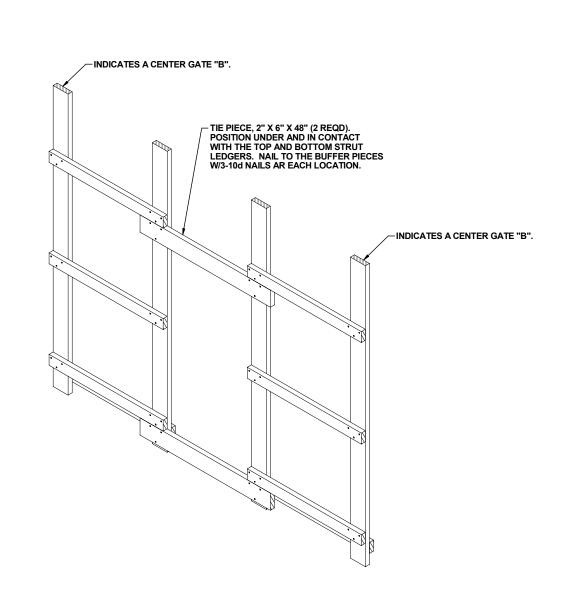






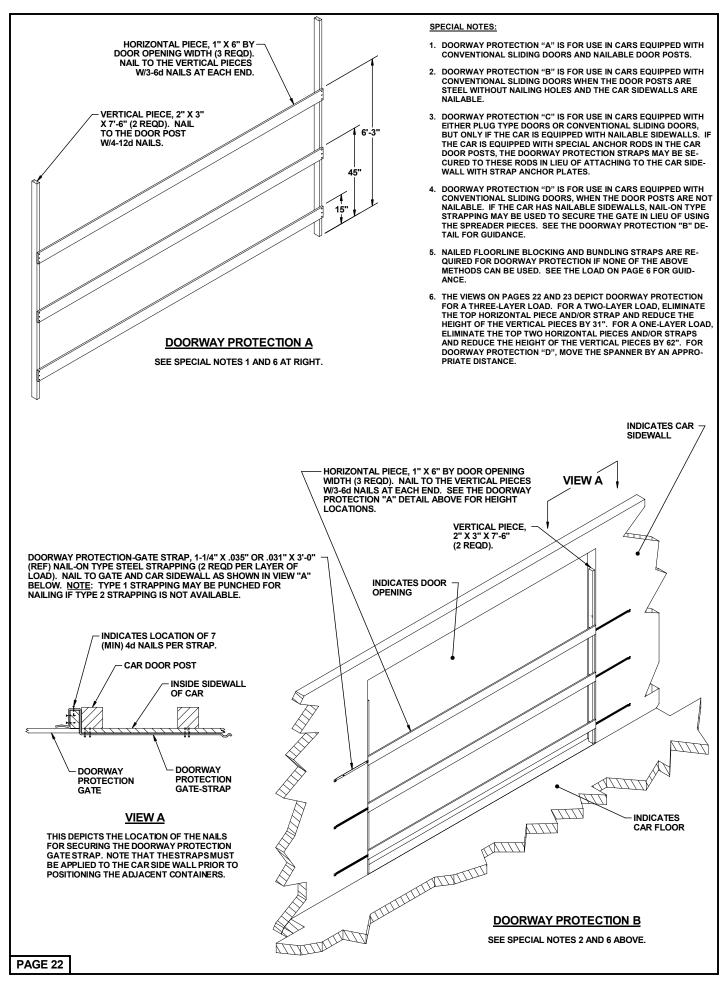


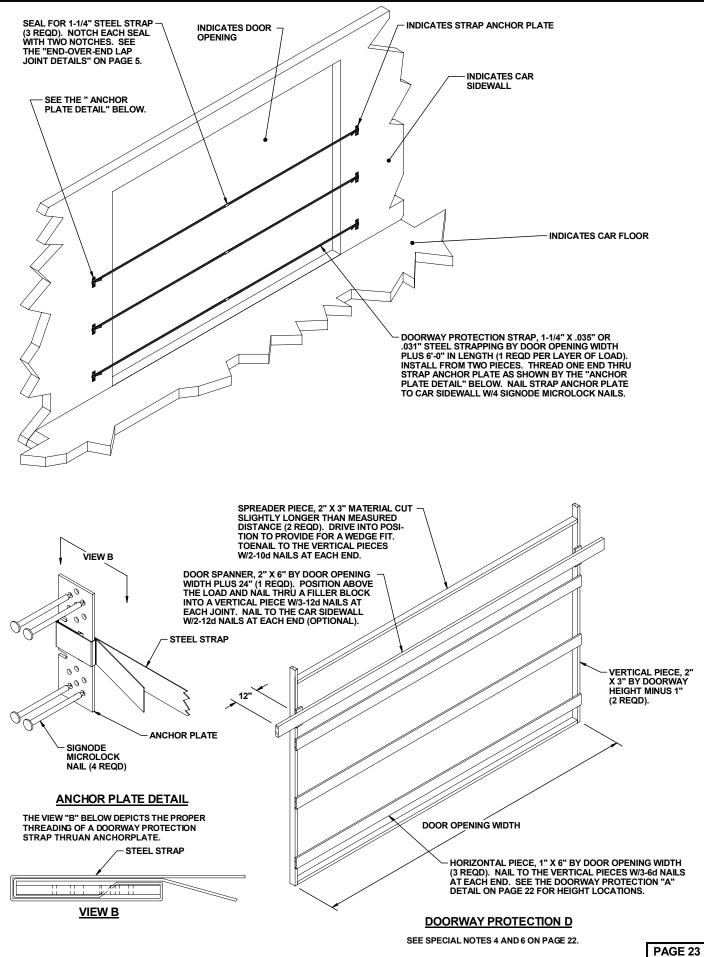


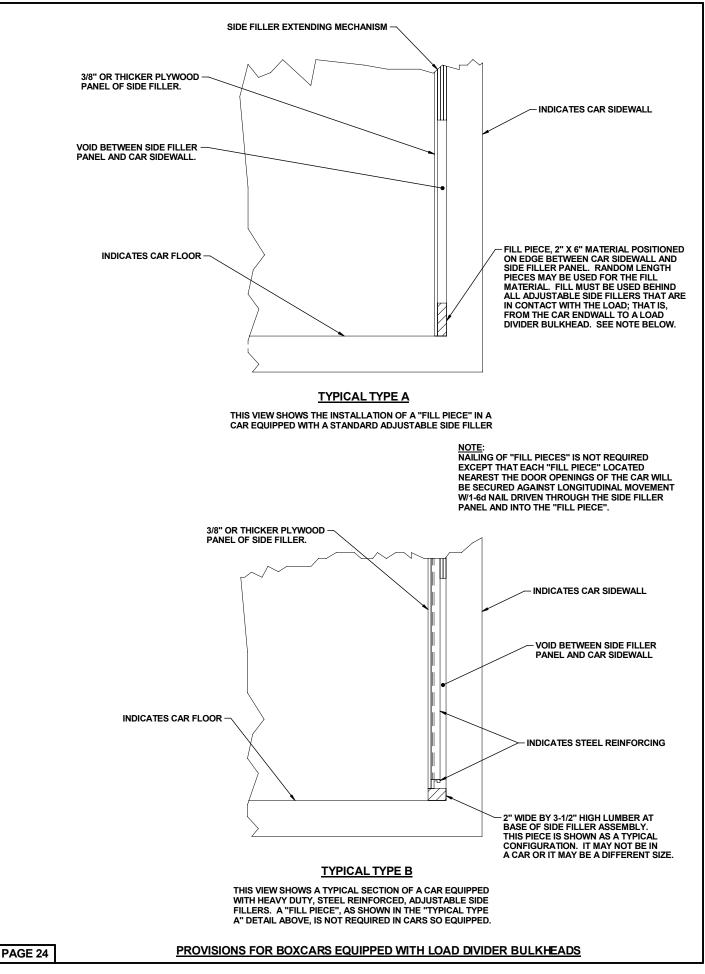


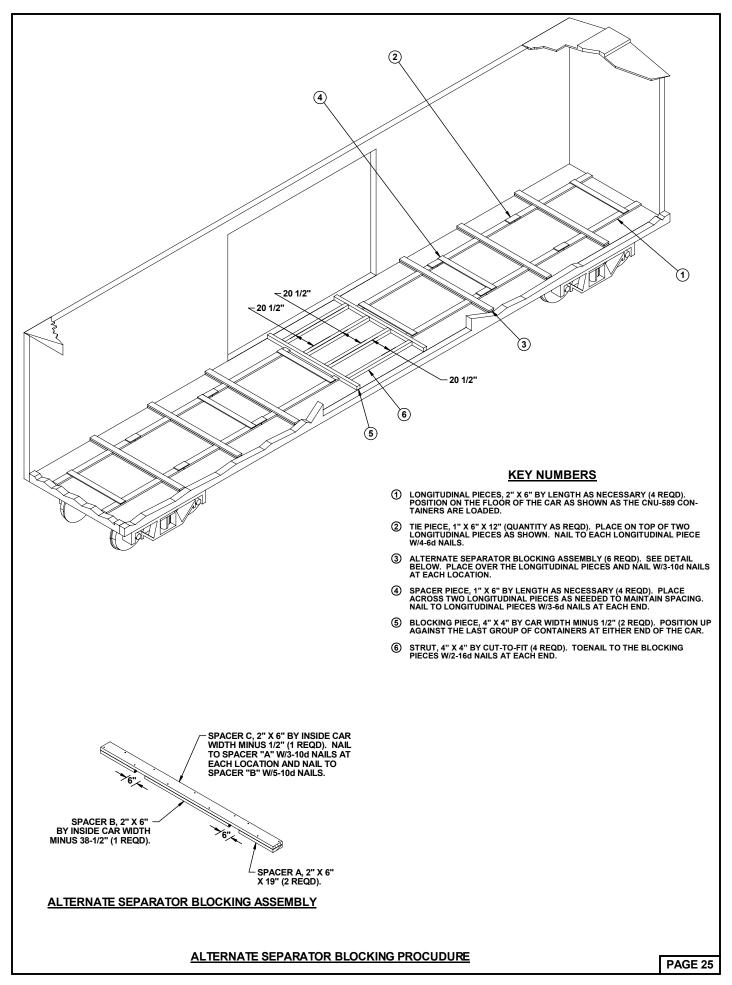
TIE PIECE APPLICATION

THIS PROCEDURE IS APPLCABLE FOR USE WITH TWO SPLIT CENTER GATES. NOTE THAT THE TIE PIECES SHOULD BE APPLIED AFTER THE GATES AND STRUTS HAVE BEEN INSTALLED. THIS PROCEDURE IS ALSO APPLICABLE FOR JOINING TWO SPLIT SEPARATOR GATES.









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