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# LOADING AND BRACING WITH WOODEN DUNNAGE IN COMMERCIAL CONTAINERS OF SKIDDED UNITS OF MINES, ANTITANK (6-BOX SKIDDED UNIT) (WIREBOUND BOX)

THE DEPICTED WOODEN DUNNAGE METHOD CAN BE APPLIED TO ANY COMMERCIAL INTERMODAL 20-FOOT CONTAINER, ALTHOUGH THE DUNNAGE DIMENSIONS HAVE BEEN GIVEN FOR A 22" WIDE BY 95" HIGH ( INSIDE DIMENSIONS ) CONTAINER. ALTHOUGH THE LOAD AS SHOWN IS BASED ON AN 8"-6" HIGH CONTAINER IS PREFERRED FOR SHIPPING THE DEPICTED LOAD. WHEN AN 8"-0" HIGH CONTAINER IS USED, THE HEIGHT OF SOME DUNNAGE ASSEMBLIES WILL HAVE TO BE LOWERED BY REMOVING SOME MATERIAL FROM THE TOP OR BOTTOM OF SOME OF THE VERTICAL PIECES.

LOADING AND BRACING SPECIFICATIONS AS DELINEATED HEREIN ARE ADEQUATE FOR SHIPMENTS TO BE MOVED BY ANY SURFACE MODE OF TRANSPORT ( MOTOR, RAIL, AND WATER ).

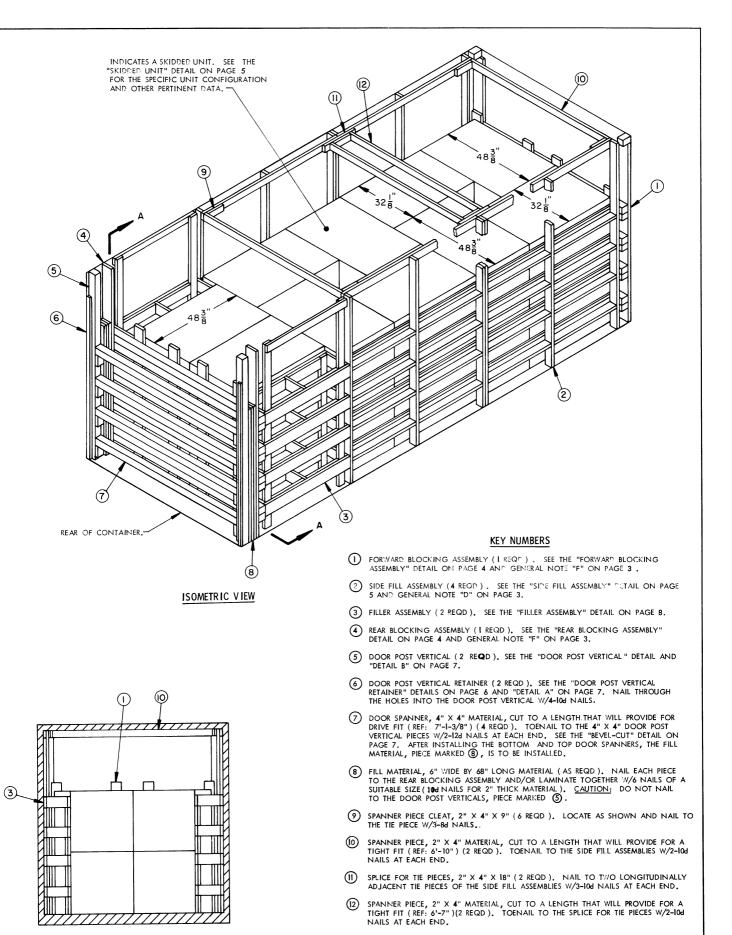
REQUIREMENTS CITED WITHIN THE BUREAU OF EXPLOSIVES PAMPHLET 6C APPLY WHEN THE SHIPMENT MOVES BY TRAILER/CONTAINER-ON-FLAT-CAR (T/COFC), SPECIAL T/COFC NOTES FOLLOW.

- A. A LOADED CONTAINER MUST BE ON A CHASSIS EQUIPPED WITH TWO BOGIE ASSEMBLIES WHEN BEING MOVED IN TOFC SERVICE.
- B. THE LOAD LIMIT OF A T/COFC RAIL CAR MUST NOT 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.

DURING INTRASTATE AND/OR INTERSTATE MOVES BY MOTOR CARRIER, A PROPER CHASSIS/MODIFIED FLAT BED TRAILER MUST BE USED TO PRECLUDE VIOLATION OF ONE OR MORE "WEIGHT LAWS" APPLICABLE TO THE STATE OR STATES INVOLVED.

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- L. RECOMMENDED SEQUENTIAL LOADING PROCEDURES:
  - PREFABRICATE ONE FORWARD BLOCKING ASSEMBLY, FOUR SIDE FILL ASSEMBLIES, TWO FILLER ASSEMBLIES, ONE REAR BLOCKING ASSEMBLY, AND NAIL A DOOR POST VERTICAL RETAINER TO EACH DOOR POST VERTICAL, ONE RIGHT HAND AND ONE LEFT HAND.
  - 2. INSTALL FORWARD BLOCKING ASSEMBLY
  - 3. INSTALL ONE SIDE FILL ASSEMBLY AND LOAD TWO SKIDDED UNITS.
  - REPEAT STEP 3.
  - 5. LOAD FOUR SKIDDED UNITS.
  - REPEAT STEP 3.
  - 7. REPEAT STEP 3.
  - REPEAT STEP 5
  - LOAD THE REMAINING FOUR SKIDDED UNITS AND INSTALL THE TWO FILLER ASSEMBLIES.
  - 10. INSTALL REAR BLOCKING ASSEMBLY.
  - 11. INSTALL THE TWO DOOR POST VERTICAL ASSEMBLIES ( ONE RIGHT HAND AND ONE LEFT HAND ).
  - INSTALL TWO DOOR SPANNER PIECES (ONE AT THE LOWEST POSITION AND ONE AT THE UPPERMOST POSITION ).
  - 13. INSTALL THE SOLID FILL TYPE LOAD-BLOCKING MATERIAL.
  - INSTALL THE TWO SPLICE PIECES FOR THE TIE PIECES, THE SIX SPANNER PIECE CLEATS, AND THE FOUR SPANNER PIECES.. SEE " \* " NOTE BELOW.
  - 15. INSTALL THE REMAINING TWO DOOR SPANNER PIECES.
    - $\pmb{\varkappa}$  if desired, pieces marked (2), and (9) thru (12) may be installed prior to loading a container.

LUMBER	LINEAR FEET	BOARD FEET
1" X 6"	108	54
2" × 4"	320	214
2" X 6"	357	357
4" × 4"	166	222
NAILS	NO. REQD	POUNDS
6d (2")	112	3/4
8d (2-1/2")	18	3/4 1/4 16-3/4
10d (3")	1084	16-3/4
12d ( 3-1/4" )	16	1/4

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MATERIAL SPECIFICATIONS				
<u>LUMBER</u> :: TM 743-200-1 (DUNNAGE LUMBER) AND FED SPEC MM-L-751.				
NAILS: FED SPEC FF-N-105; COMMON .				
STEEL, STRUCTURAL: FED SPEC QQ-S-741; SQUARE STRUCTURAL TUBING AND HOT-ROLIED STRIP.				

### **GENERAL NOTES**

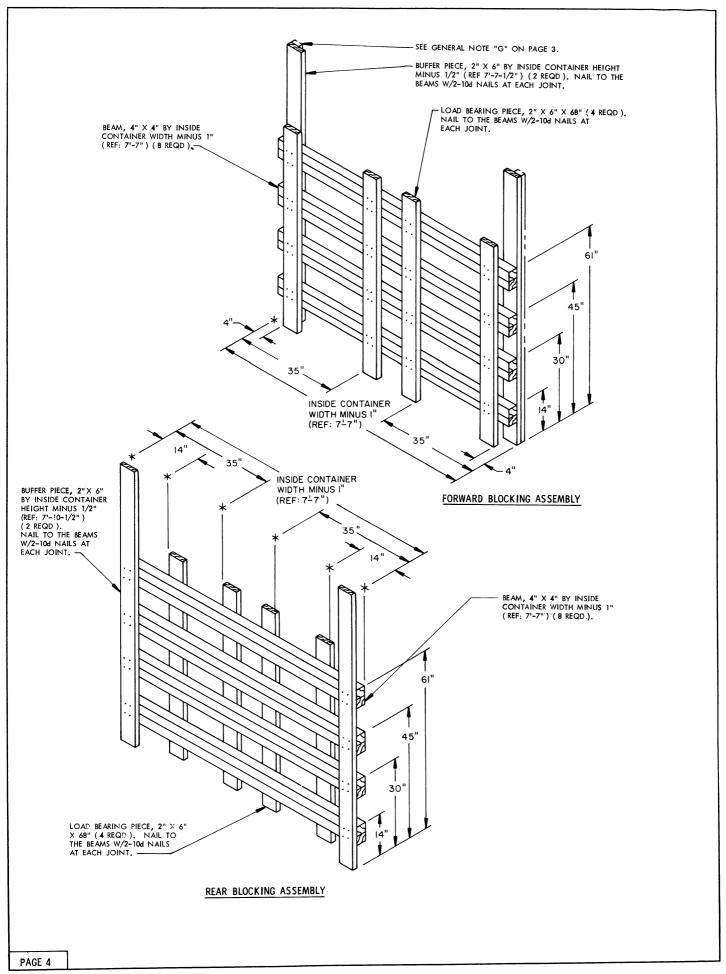
- A. THIS DOCUMENT HAS BEEN PREPARED AND ISSUED IN ACCORDANCE WITH AR 740-1. AND AUGMENTS TM 743-200-I (CHAPTER 5).
- THE SPECIFIED OUTLOADING PROCEDURE IS APPLICABLE TO A LOAD OF 6 -BOX SKIDDED UNITS OF ANTITANK MINES, PACKED IN WIREBOUND BOXES. SUBSEQUENT REFERENCE TO SKIDDED UNIT MEANS THE SKIDDED UNIT WITH AMMUNITION ITEMS. SEE PAGE 5 FOR THE DETAIL OF THE SKIDDED UNIT CAUTION: REGARDLESS OF THE QUANTITY OF UNITS TO BE SHIPPED, THE "MAXIMUM GROSS WEIGHT" OF 44,800 POUNDS MUST NOT BE EXCEEDED.
- C. THE LOAD AS SHOWN IS BASED ON A 4,700 POUND 20' LONG BY 8' WIDE BY 8'-6"
  HIGH INTERMODAL COMMERCIAL 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 BE USED.
- WHEN LOADING SKIDDED UNITS, THEY ARE TO BE POSITIONED SO AS TO ACHIEVE A WHEN LOADING SKIDDED UNITS, THEY ARE TO BE POSITIONED SO AS TO ACHIEVE A TIGHT LOAD (TIGHT AGAINST THE FORWARD AND SIDE DUNNIAGE ASSEMBLIES). ALTHOUGH A TOTAL OF ONE AND ONE-HALF INCHES ("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 BEARING PIECES ON THE SIDE FILL ASSEMBLIES ON ONE OR BOTH SIDES OF THE CONTAINER. NAIL EACH ADDITIONAL PIECE TO THE BEARING PIECE W/1 APPROPRIATELY SIZED NAIL EVERY 12". ADDITIONALLY, THE NUMBER AND THICKNESS OF THE BEARING AND SPACER PIECES MAY BE ADJUSTED AS REQUIRED TO FACILITATE VARIANCE IN SKIDDED LINIT SIZE. FACILITATE VARIANCE IN SKIDDED UNIT SIZE
- E. DUNNAGE LUMBER SPECIFIED IS OF A NOMINAL SIZE. FOR EXAMPLE, 1" X 6" MATERIAL IS ACTUALLY 3/4" THICK BY 5-1/2" WILE AND 2" X 6" MATERIAL IS ACTUALLY 1-1/2" THICK BY 5-1/2" WIDE.
- A STAGGERED NAILING PATTERN WILL BE USED WHEREVER 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
- 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 BUFFER PIECES ON THE FORWARD BLOCKING ASSEMBLY TO PROVIDE A FLAT SURFACE FOR THE 2" X 6" BUFFER PIECES. A PIECE OF 2" X 4", 2" X 3", OR A SPECIAL WIDTH PIECE C T-TO-FIT CAN BE USED. THIS FILL PIECE WILL BE NAILED WITH ONE APPROPRIATEDY SIZED NAIL EVERY 12". THIS FICE IS NOT REQUIRED WHEN THE FRONT WALL OF THE CONTAINER IS SMOOTH AND FLAT.
- CAUTION: DO NOT NAIL DUNNAGE MATERIAL TO THE CONTAINER WALLS OR FLOOR. ALL NAILING WILL BE WITHIN THE DUNNAGE.
- PORTIONS OF THE CONTAINER DEPICTED WITHIN THIS DRAWING, SUCH AS ONE OF THE SIDE #ALLS, HAVE NOT BEEN SHOWN IN THE LOAD VIEWS FOR CLARITY PURPOSES.
- K. TO MAKE LOADING EASIER, TO HELP ACHIEVE A TIGHT LOAD ACROSS A CONTAINER, AND TO PREVENT UNACCEPTABLE DAMAGE TO LADING UNITS WHEN LOADING A CONTAINER, A SLIP-SHEET CAN BE USED EFFECTIVELY AS A "SHOCHORN" TYPE DEVICE. THE SLIP-SHEET WILL PROVIDE A SMOOTH SURFACE THAT WILL PREVENT UNIT STRAPS AND/OR BOXES FROM INTERLOCKING OR CATCHING ON OTHER PROJECTIONS WHEN LATERALLY ADJACENT LADING UNITS ARE BEING LOADED. PROJECTIONS WHEN LATERALLY ADJACENT LADING UNITS ARE BEING LOADED,
  A SLIP-SHEET WILL BE USED AFTER ONE-HALF OF A STACK IS LOADED WITH ONE OF
  ITS SIDES IN TIGHT CONTACT AT ONE SIDE OF THE CONTAINER. THE SLIP-SHEET
  IS TO BE PLACED AGAINST THE OTHER SIDE OF THE HALF-STACK BEFORE THE LAST
  HALF OF THE STACK IS LOADED. AFTER A STACK IS COMPLETED, THE SLIP-SHEET
  IS TO BE REMOVED FOR SUBSEQUENTUSE WITH THE NEXT STACK. A SLIP-SHEET
  OF SUITABLE SIZE CAN BE MADE FROM A SHEET OF 1/8" TEMPERED HARDBOARD
  (MASONITE) OR FROM A SHEET OF ANY OTHER MATERIAL THAT WILL SATISFY THE
  PECULIPERABLY

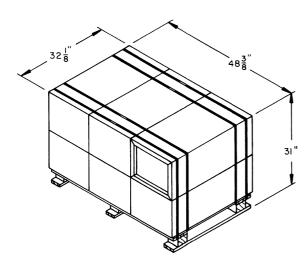
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## LOAD AS SHOWN

ITEM	QUANTITY	WEIGHT	( APPROX )
SKIDDED UNIT	20	15,800 LBS	
DUNNAGE		1,776 LBS	
CONTAINER		4,700 LBS	
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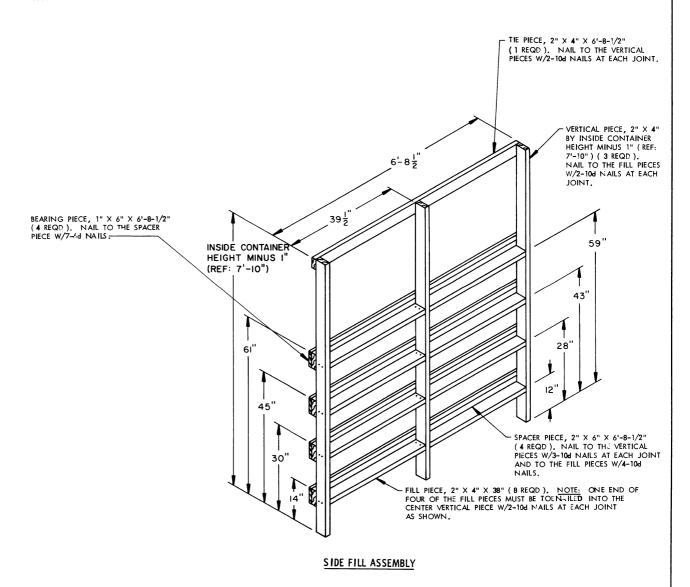
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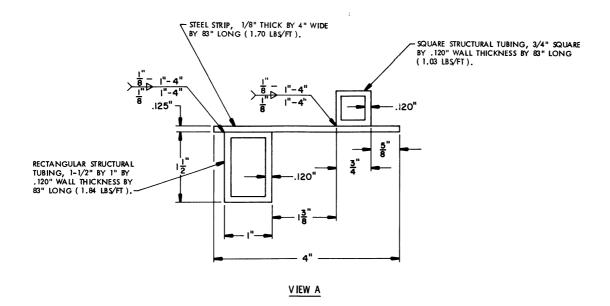


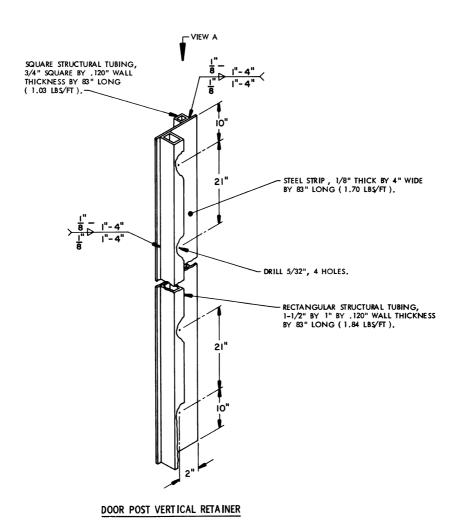


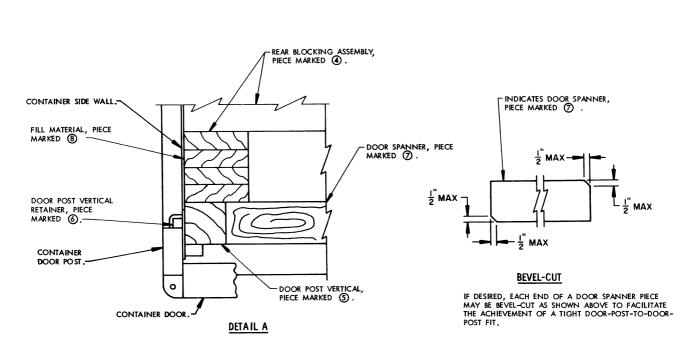
# SKIDDED UNIT

UNIT WEIGHT ------ 790 LBS (APPROX)
CUBE ------ 27.9 CUBIC FEET

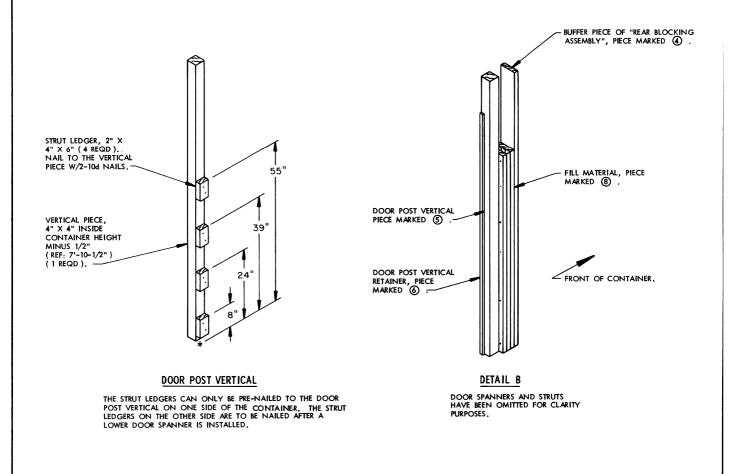








A PARTIAL PLAN VIEW OF THE LEFT REAR PORTION OF THE CONTAINER IS SHOWN DEPICTING THE PROPER POSITION OF THE DOOR POST VERTICAL AND ADJACENT DUNNAGE PIECES.



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