



## BXUV.U930 Fire Resistance Ratings - ANSI/UL 263

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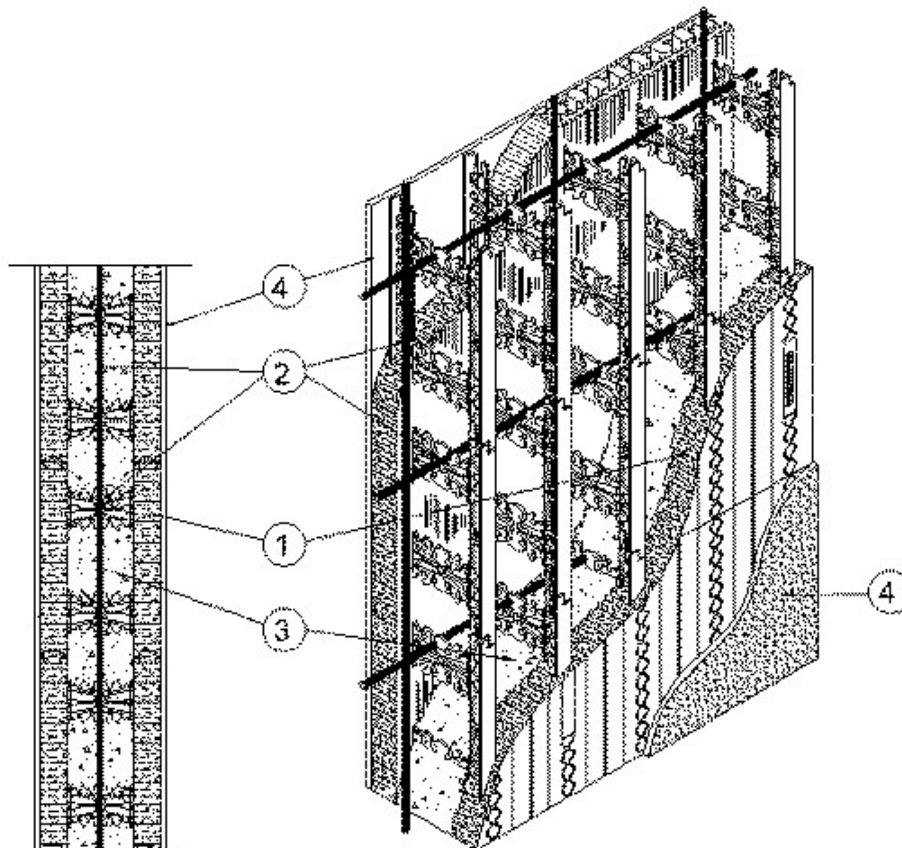
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Design No. U930

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Bearing Wall Rating — 2 or 4 Hr (See item 1)



1. **Insulated Concrete Forms\*** — Standard form units comprised of two 96 in. by 18 in. by 2-5/8 in. thick expanded polystyrene (EPS) panels linked by polypropylene webs at 8 in. OC. The min width of the wall cavity is 4 in as shown in the table below. Height adjusters consist of 32 in. long, 3 in. high and 2-5/8 in. thick flat EPS panels. End caps vary with wall cavity thickness from 4 in. to 12 in. wide, 18 in. high and 2-3/8 in. thick flat EPS panels. Assembly ratings depend on width of ICF Cavity as shown in table below:

Assembly Rating (Hr)	Min ICF Cavity Thickness (in)
2	4
4	6

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2. **Steel Reinforcement** — No. 4 steel rebars inserted horizontally into each ICF course within polypropylene web notches. No. 4 steel rebars placed vertically at 16 in. OC into center of insulated concrete forms (Item 1).

3. **Normal Weight Concrete** — 145 + or - 5 lb per cubic ft density, 2900 psi compressive strength.

4. **Gypsum Board** — (Classified or Unclassified) — 1/2 in. thick, 48 in. wide gypsum wallboard fastened to flanges of polypropylene webs with 2 in. long drywall screws at 16 in. OC vertically and horizontally. Min weight 35 psf. Joints covered with joint compound, covered with joint tape and covered with an additional coat of joint compound. Screwheads covered with joint compound. When the Insulated Concrete Wall is used as an exterior wall, the Fire Resistance Rating is applicable from the inside only. The gypsum wallboard on the exterior face of the exterior wall may be omitted provided the EPS insulation is protected in accordance with building code requirements.

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