

FOAMULAR® & FOAMULAR® NGX™ LT30/LT40

EXTRUDED POLYSTYRENE (XPS) RIGID FOAM INSULATION

Owens Corning® FOAMULAR® & FOAMULAR® NGX™ LT30/LT40 Extruded Polystyrene (XPS) insulation are suitable for cold storage floors. Durable FOAMULAR® & FOAMULAR® XPS performs well under cold storage concrete floor slabs. FOAMULAR® & FOAMULAR® XPS insulation's resistance to water absorption and water vapor transmission allows it to maintain low thermal conductivity in the presence of the severe water vapor characteristics of cold storage applications.

FOAMULAR® NGX™ LT30/LT40¹ contains the additional benefit of being manufactured with a blowing agent formulation that delivers a 90% reduction to Global Warming Potential (100 years), including the complete elimination of HFC 134a.²

- 1 Not for use in flat or low-slope roofing. For low-slope roofing applications, use FOAMULAR® & FOAMULAR® NGX™ THERMAPINK® or FOAMULAR® & FOAMULAR® NGX™ 400/600/1000 Extruded Polystyrene (XPS) rigid foam insulation.
- 2 Compared to FOAMULAR® LT30/LT40 blowing agent formulation.

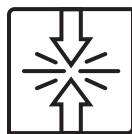
Features



**SUPERIOR
MOISTURE
RESISTANCE**



DURABLE



**COMPRESSIVE
STRENGTH**

Standards, Codes Compliance

- Meets ASTM C578 Type IV (LT30) and Type VI (LT40)
- UL Classified. A copy of UL Classification Certificate U-197 is available at www.owenscorning.com/insulation
- See UL ER8811-01 at UL.com
- See www.owenscorning.com/insulation for details on listings, constructions, and assemblies
- Meets California Quality Standards; HUD UM #71A

Limited Warranty

FOAMULAR® & FOAMULAR® NGX™ XPS insulation limited lifetime warranty maintains 90% of its R-value for the lifetime of the building and covers all ASTM C578 properties. See "[FOAMULAR® Extruded Polystyrene Insulation Lifetime Limited Warranty](#)" for complete details, limitations, and requirements.

Physical Properties³

PROPERTY	TEST METHOD ⁴	LT30	LT40
Thermal Resistance, ⁵ R-Value (180 day) minimum, hr·ft ² ·°F/Btu (RSI, °C·m ² /W) @ 75°F (24°C) mean temperature @ 2" thickness	ASTM C518	10.0 (1.76)	
@ 40°F (4.4°C) mean temperature @ 2" thickness		10.8 (1.90)	
@ 25°F (-3.9°C) mean temperature @ 2" thickness		11.2 (1.97)	
Compressive Strength, ⁶ minimum psi (kPa)	ASTM D1621	30 (207)	40 (276)
Flexural Strength, ⁷ minimum psi (kPa)	ASTM C203	75 (517)	115 (793)
Water Absorption, ⁸ maximum % by volume	ASTM C272	0.10	0.10
Water Vapor Permeance, ⁹ maximum perm (ng/Pa·s·m ²)	ASTM E96	1.5 (86)	1.1 (63)
Dimensional Stability, maximum % linear change	ASTM D2126	2.0	
Flame Spread ^{10,11}	ASTM E84	10	
Smoke Developed ^{10,11,12}	ASTM E84	175	
Oxygen Index, ¹⁰ minimum % by volume	ASTM D2863	24	
Service Temperature, maximum °F (°C)	—	165 (74)	
Linear Coefficient of Thermal Expansion, in./in./°F (m/m/°C)	ASTM E228	3.5 x 10 ⁻⁵ (6.3 x 10 ⁻⁵)	

- 3 Properties shown are representative values for 1-inch thick material, unless otherwise specified.
- 4 Modified as required to meet ASTM C578.
- 5 R means the resistance to heat flow, the higher the value, the greater the insulation power. This insulation must be installed properly to get the marked R-value. Follow the manufacturer's instructions carefully. If a manufacturer's fact sheet is not provided with the material shipment, request this and review it carefully. R-values vary, depending on many factors, including the mean temperature at which the test is conducted, and the age of the sample at the time of testing. Because rigid foam plastic insulation products are not all aged in accordance with the same standards, it is useful to publish comparison R-value data. The R-value for FOAMULAR® XPS insulation is provided from testing at two mean temperatures, 40°F and 75°F, and from two aging (conditioning) techniques, 180-day real-time age (as mandated by ASTM C578) and a method of accelerated aging sometimes called "Long-Term Thermal Resistance" (LTTR) per CAN/ULC S770-03. The R-value at 180-day real-time age and 75°F mean temperature is commonly used to compare products and is the value printed on the product.
- 6 Values at yield or 10% deflection, whichever occurs first.
- 7 Value at yield or 5%, whichever occurs first.
- 8 Data ranges from 0.00 to value shown due to the level of precision of the test method.
- 9 Water vapor permeance decreases as thickness increases.
- 10 These laboratory tests are not intended to describe the hazards presented by this material under actual fire conditions.
- 11 Data from Underwriters Laboratories Inc.® classified. See Classification Certificate U-197.
- 12 ASTM E84 is thickness-dependent, therefore a range of values is given.

Product and Packaging Data

MATERIAL			PACKAGING					
Extruded polystyrene closed-cell foam, Type IV			Shipped in poly-wrapped units with individually wrapped or banded bundles.					
THICKNESS (IN)	PRODUCT DIMENSIONS THICKNESS (IN) X WIDTH (IN) X LENGTH (IN)	PALLET (UNIT) DIMENSIONS (TYPICAL) WIDTH (FT) X LENGTH (FT) X HEIGHT (FT)	SQUARE FEET PER PALLET	BOARD FEET PER PALLET	BUNDLES PER PALLET	PIECES PER BUNDLE	PIECES PER PALLET	EDGES
FOAMULAR® & FOAMULAR® NGX™ LT30 Insulation								
2	2 x 48 x 96	4 x 8 x 8	1,536	3,072	8	6	48	Square Edges
3	3 x 48 x 96	4 x 8 x 8	1,024	3,072	8	4	32	
FOAMULAR® & FOAMULAR® NGX™ LT40 Insulation								
2	2 x 48 x 96	4 x 8 x 8	1,536	3,072	8	6	48	Square Edges
2½	2.5 x 48 x 96	4 x 8 x 8	1,152	2,880	6	6	36	
3	3 x 48 x 96	4 x 8 x 8	1,024	3,072	4	8	32	
4	4 x 48 x 96	4 x 8 x 8	768	3,072	8	3	24	

13 Available lengths and edge configurations vary by thickness. See www.owenscorning.com/insulation for current offerings. Other sizes may be available upon request. Consult your local Owens Corning representative for availability.

Technical Information

- This product is combustible. A protective barrier or thermal barrier is required as specified in the appropriate building code. For additional information, contact Owens Corning World Headquarters at 1-800-GET-PINK®.
- All construction should be evaluated for the necessity to provide vapor retarders. See current "ASHRAE Handbook of Fundamentals."
- FOAMULAR® & FOAMULAR® NGX™ XPS insulation is a non-structural material and must be installed on framing that is independently braced and structurally adequate to meet required construction and service loading conditions.
- FOAMULAR® & FOAMULAR® NGX™ insulation can be exposed to the exterior during normal construction cycles. During that time, some fading of color may begin due to UV exposure, and, if exposed for extended periods of time, some degradation or "dusting" of the polystyrene surface may begin. It is best if the product is covered within 60 days to minimize degradation. Once covered, the deterioration stops, and damage is limited to the thin top surface layers of cells. Cells below are generally unharmed and still useful insulation.
- FOAMULAR® & FOAMULAR® NGX™ XPS insulation have a maximum service temperature of 165°F. Install only as much FOAMULAR® & FOAMULAR® NGX™ XPS insulation as can be covered in the same day. For horizontal applications, always turn the print side down so the black print does not show to the sun, which may at times act as a solar collector, raising the temperature of the foam under the print to an unacceptable level.
- Do not cover FOAMULAR® or FOAMULAR® NGX™ XPS insulation, either stored (factory wrapped or unwrapped) or partially installed, with dark-colored (non-white) or clear (non-opaque) coverings, and leave it exposed to the sun. Examples of such coverings include, but are not limited to, filter fabrics, membranes, temporary tarps, clear polyethylene, etc. If improperly covered and exposed to the right combination of sun, time, and temperature, FOAMULAR® & FOAMULAR® NGX™ XPS insulation deformation damage may occur rapidly. See Owens Corning publication "[Heat Buildup Due to Solar Exposure Technical Bulletin](#)" (Pub. No. 10015704) for more information.

Environmental and Sustainability

Owens Corning is a worldwide leader in building material systems, insulation, and composite solutions, delivering a broad range of high-quality products and services. Owens Corning is committed to driving sustainability by delivering solutions, transforming markets, and enhancing lives. More information can be found at www.owenscorning.com.

FOAMULAR® is manufactured with a polystyrene resin and a blend of HFC blowing agents that have a global warming potential (100 years) of less than 750.

FOAMULAR® NGX™ is manufactured with a polystyrene resin and a blend of HFO and HFC blowing agents that have a global warming potential (100 years) of less than 80.

Certifications and Sustainable Features

- Certified by SCS Global Services to contain a minimum of 20% recycled content pre-consumer
- GREENGUARD Certified products are certified to GREENGUARD standards for low chemical emissions into indoor air during product usage. For more information, visit ul.com/gg
- Environmental Product Declaration (EPD) has been certified by UL Environment
- Utilizing FOAMULAR® & FOAMULAR® NGX™ XPS insulation can help builders achieve green building certifications, including the U.S. Green Building Council's Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design (LEED®) certification



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Notes

Not for use in roofing. For roofing applications, use FOAMULAR® THERMAPINK® XPS insulation.

For additional information, refer to the Safe Use Instruction Sheet (SUIS) found in the SDS Database via <http://sds.owenscorning.com>.

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