



SLAB REQUIREMENTS

JOINTS ARE NOT REQUIRED IN UNREINFORCED PLAIN CONCRETE SLABS ON GROUND OR IN SLABS FOR ONE AND TWO FAMILY DWELLINGS COMPLYING WITH ONE OF THE FOLLOWING:

- CONCRETE SLABS ON GROUND CONTAINING SYNTHETIC FIBER REINFORCEMENT. FIBER LENGTHS SHALL BE 1/2 INCH TO 2 INCHES IN LENGTH. DOSAGE AMOUNTS SHALL BE FROM 0.75 TO 1.5 POUNDS PER CUBIC YARD IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE MANUFACTURER'S RECOMMENDATIONS. SYNTHETIC FIBERS SHALL COMPLY WITH ASTM C 1116. THE MANUFACTURER OR SUPPLIER SHALL PROVIDE CERTIFICATION OF COMPLIANCE WHEN REQUESTED BY THE BUILDING OFFICIAL, OR
- CONCRETE SLABS ON GROUND CONTAINING 6x6 W1.4 x W1.4 WELDED WIRE REINFORCEMENT FABRIC LOCATED IN THE MIDDLE TO THE UPPER 1/3 OF THE SLAB. WELDED WIRE REINFORCEMENT FABRIC SHALL BE SUPPORTED WITH APPROVED MATERIAL OR SUPPORTS AT SPACING NOT TO EXCEED 3 FT OR IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE MANUFACTURER'S SPECIFICATION. WELDED PLAIN WIRE REINFORCEMENT FABRIC FOR CONCRETE SHALL CONFORM TO ASTM A 185. STANDARD SPECIFICATION FOR STEEL WELDED WIRE REINFORCEMENT FABRIC, PLAIN, FOR CONCRETE REINFORCEMENT.

REINFORCEMENT MAY BE BENT IN THE SHOP OR THE FIELD PROVIDED:

- ALL REINFORCEMENT IS BENT COL D.
- THE DIAMETER OF THE BEND, MEASURED ON THE INSIDE OF THE BAR, IS NOT LESS THAN SIX BAR DIAMETERS AND
- REINFORCEMENT PARTIALLY EMBEDDED IN CONCRETE SHALL NOT BE FIELD BENT.

EXCEPTION: WHERE BENDING IS NECESSARY TO ALIGN DOWEL BARS WITH A VERTICAL CELL, BARS PARTIALLY EMBEDDED IN CONCRETE SHALL BE PERMITTED TO BE BENT AT A SLOPE OF NOT MORE THAN 1 INCH OF HORIZONTAL DISPLACEMENT TO 6 INCHES OF VERTICAL BAR LENGTH.

CONCRETE: CONCRETE SHALL HAVE A MINIMUM SPECIFIED COMPRESSIVE STRENGTH OF 2500 PSI AT 28 DAYS.

COVER OVER REINFORCING STEEL: FOR FOUNDATIONS, MINIMUM CONCRETE COVER OVER REINFORCING BARS SHALL BE:

- 3 INCHES IN FOUNDATIONS WHERE THE CONCRETE IS CAST AGAINST AND PERMANENTLY IN CONTACT WITH THE EARTH OR EXPOSED TO THE EARTH OR WEATHER AND 1 1/2 INCHES ELSEWHERE. REINFORCING BARS EMBEDDED IN GROUTED CELLS SHALL HAVE A MINIMUM CLEAR DISTANCE OF 1/4 INCH FOR FINE GROUT OR 1/2 INCH FOR COARSE GROUT BETWEEN REINFORCING BARS AND ANY FACE OF A CELL. REINFORCING BARS USED IN MASONRY WALLS SHALL HAVE A MASONRY COVER (INCLUDING GROUT) OF NOT LESS THAN 2 INCHES FOR MASONRY UNITS WITH FACE EXPOSED TO EARTH OR WEATHER 1 1/2 INCHES FOR MASONRY UNITS NOT EXPOSED TO EARTH OR WEATHER GALVANIZATION.

METAL ACCESSORIES FOR USE IN EXTERIOR WALL CONSTRUCTION AND NOT DIRECTLY EXPOSED TO THE WEATHER SHALL BE GALVANIZED IN ACCORDANCE WITH ASTM A 153, CLASS B-2. METAL PLATE CONNECTORS, SCREWS, BOLTS AND NAILS EXPOSED DIRECTLY TO THE WEATHER SHALL BE STAINLESS STEEL OR HOT DIPPED GALVANIZED.

REINFORCING STEEL: THE REINFORCING STEEL SHALL BE MINIMUM GRADE 40.

BEARING CAPACITY: THE FOOTING IS DESIGNED FOR SOIL WITH AN ALLOWABLE BEARING CAPACITY OF 1,000 PSI. THE FOOTINGS SHALL REST ON UNDISTURBED OR COMPACTED SOIL OF UNIFORM DENSITY AND THICKNESS. AT THE OWNER'S REQUEST, COMPACTED SOILS SHALL BE TESTED TO A MINIMUM OF 95% OF MODIFIED PROCTOR AND COMPACTED IN LIFTS NOT TO EXCEED 12 INCHES.

FOUNDATION PLAN
SCALE: 1/4" = 1'-0"

NOTE: CONDENSATE LINES AND ROOF DOWN SPOUTS SHALL DISCHARGE AT LEAST ONE FOOT AWAY FROM THE STRUCTURE SIDEWALL. IN CASES WHERE THE ROOF EAVE IS LESS THAN 6 INCHES, GUTTERS MUST BE INSTALLED AND DIRECT WATER A MINIMUM OF 1 FOOT FROM THE STRUCTURE.

NOTE: THE MINIMUM NATURAL VENTILATION AREA REQUIRED FOR GARAGES SHALL BE 4 PERCENT OF THE FLOOR AREA BEING VENTILATED. THE MINIMUM MECHANICAL VENTILATION FOR GARAGES SHALL BE 100 CFM PER CAR.

NOTE: CONDENSATE WASTE AND DRAIN LINE SIZE SHALL BE NOT LESS THAN 3/4" INTERNAL DIAMETER AND SHALL NOT DECREASE IN SIZE FROM THE DRAIN PAN CONNECTION TO THE PLACE OF CONDENSATE DISPOSAL.

NOTE: APPLIANCES LOCATED IN PRIVATE GARAGES SHALL BE INSTALLED WITH A MINIMUM CLEARANCE OF 6 FEET ABOVE THE FLOOR EXCEPT WHERE THE APPLIANCE IS PROTECTED FROM MOTOR VEHICLE IMPACT. EQUIPMENT AND APPLIANCES HAVING AN IGNITION SOURCE SHALL BE ELEVATED SUCH THAT THE SOURCE OF IGNITION IS NOT LESS THAN 18" ABOVE THE FLOOR.

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