

# **OX Engineered Products**

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# thermoPLY

structural sheathing

# **Higher Performance Not Higher Prices.**

The stable pricing, lightweight design, water resistance and best-in-class air barrier make ThermoPLY structural sheathing a high-performance alternative to OSB.

Made in USA



Made from 94% post consumer recycled

# **Easy to Install**

The light weight design allows for individual installation.

## **Air Barrier**

Best in class air barrier performance.

# **Water Barrier**

Code approved water resistive barrier.

# **IRC & IBC Compliant**

Meets lateral sheer resistance requirements for Type V light frame construction..

# Do you want it done right or fast? Yes.

When you're sheathing a building you want the job done right. But you also want it done fast. With ThermoPLY, the lightweight design allows you to work quickly while the high-strength cellulosic fiber boards provide durability, moisture resistance and a best-in-class air barrier for years to come.

- A protective polymer layer is applied on both sides and foil facings may also be applied on one or both sides.
- Factory-extrusion coating for built-in Water Resistive Barrier with ¾" (min.) overlapped or tapped joints.
- Advanced Moisture Guard option provides adhesive with 3/4" overlap panel joints for even tighter water and air barrier perforance.
- Exterior Wall Sheathing & Bracing, and Interior Shearwall Bracing.

# **Thermo-Ply**<sup>®</sup> Grades

\* AMG=Advanced Moisture Guard

# GREEN/GREEN AMG Light Structural Grade .078" thickness, 290 lbs/MSF 400 sheets per skid

# RED/RED AMG Standard Structural Grade

0.113" thickness, 414 lbs/MSF 300 sheets per skid

#### **BLUE/BLUE AMG**

**High Structural Grade** 0.135" thickness, 504 lbs/MSF 250 sheets per skid

### THERMO-PLY OPTIONS: ALL AVAILABLE ON ALL GRADES

- 48" or 48-3/4" widths at no MSF up-charge
- 49" width for AMG.

- 8', 9' or 10' lengths at no MSF up-charge.
- Custom lengths up to 14' available.

Thermo-Ply Structural Sheathing by OX	OSB (Oriented Strand Board)	
No added asphalts, fomaldehyde, phenols, or CFCs.	Made from wood chips, may contain formaldehyde. Formaldehyde is a probable human carcinogen.	
Stable Pricing	Commodity, rapid price fluctuations.	
Extrusion Coated WRB on both sides	Requires additional WRB layer	
High moisture tolerance	Low moisture tolerance. Significant swelling when wet, which could produce mold.	
Tight seal controls air infiltration for lower ACH	Average air infiltrations performance	
Custom sizes and private labeling available	Typically no custom sizes or print available	
13 lbs for 4'x8' sheet (RED)	45 lbs for 7/16" x 4'x8' sheet	

<sup>\*</sup> Formaldehyde is classified as a probable human carcinogen by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency. Thermo-ply® is a registered trademark of OX Engineered Products, LLC and all other trademarks, registered trademarks, copyrights and logos are the property of their respected owners.

Physical Properties of Thermo-Ply® Structural Sheathing			
Phyisical Property	Standard	Test Result	Unit of Measure
R-value	ASTM C518	Green .13   <b>Red</b> .18   <b>Blue</b> .20	*F. Ft². h/Btu
Drainage Efficiency	ASTM E2273	97.8	%
Sound Transmission	ASTM E90	STC 39 *Assembly yielded STC rating	dB
Water Absorption	ASTM D1037	Less than 15	%
Permeability	ASTM E96	< 0.6	Perms
Air Barrier	ASTM E2178	< 0.02	L/s/M <sup>2</sup> @ 75 Pa

<sup>\*</sup>As measured in a typical 2x4 wall assembly with R-13 batt and 1/2: GWB.

#### **BASIC USE**

Thermo-ply is a code-approved exterior structural sheathing, water resistive barrer and air barrier. Reference DrJ Technical Evaluation Reports 1004-01, 1004-02, 1004-03.

#### **COMPOSITION AND MATERIALS**

Composed of pressure laminated plies consisting of high-strength cellulosic fibers. These fibers are specially-treated to be water resistant and are bonded with a proprietary water-resistant adhesive. A protective polymer layer is applied on both sides of the panel, and foil facings may be applied on one or both faces.

#### **TECHNICAL DATA**

Construction Specifications Institute Identification Codes: Sheathings: 06115

Structural Panels: 06120 Building Insulation: 07210

Draft Stop: 07270

#### **STRUCTURAL**

Transverse and Lateral wall bracing in compliance with the IRC and the IBC Type V Construction.

#### **AIR & WATER RESISTIVE BARRIER**

When installed in accordance with manufacturer's install instructions, Thermo ply is approved as WRB and air barrer.

All joints must be installed in one of two ways:

- 1. Joints overlap at least 3/4" OR
- 2. Joints are taped with approved tape.

#### **COMPONENT OF 1-HOUR FIRE ASSEMBLY**

See DrJ Evaluation Report 1210-01 for use of Thermo-ply in a 1-hour re-rated wall system in accordance with the Standard Methods of Fire Tests of Building Constructions and Materials using ASTM E-119 testing procedures.

#### **STORAGE**

Maintain packaging protection until using the product. If stored exposed without protective packaging, cover with waterproof tarpaulin. Do not store directly on the ground unprotected or in standing water. Normal care should be taken to avoid excessive moisture exposure (soaking) to unpackaged product.

**AVAILABILITY:** visit oxengineered products.com to find an OX Sales Rep near you.

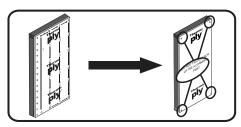


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# Thermo-Ply Installation Instructions/Instrucciones de Instalacion

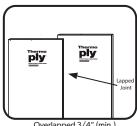
### 1. Orientation & Fastener Pattern/Orientacion



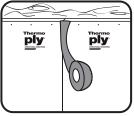
Install vertically or horizontally (edges blocked and fastened). Fastener Pattern for Structural: 3"/3" o.c. Start at #1 and move across panel. DO NOT fasten 4 corners first. DO NOT use as a nail base.

Instalar vertical o horizontal (cantos bloqueado y abrochado) Fija a 3"/3" o.c. Trabajando de un lado a otro del panel, empiece a asegurar de arriba hacia abajo. (Referirse a las instrucciones de instalacion al frente del panel) CUIDADO DE NO ASEGURAR PRIMERO LAS CUATRO ESQUINAS. Cuidado de no puede ser usado como un base para clavar.

#### 3. Joints/Water Resistive Barrier Options/ Junturas







**Butted and Taped** 

### 2. Fastening/Fijacion



Use 16 gauge 1" crown, 1 1/4" length staple OR 11ga/11/4" length roofing nail. Staple crown should be flush DO NOT countersink Staples must run parallel with wood grain of framing studs at sheathing seams.

Necesita estar instalando usando 16 calibre, minimo 1" grapa corona, 1 ¼" largo grapas galvanizado. Los cerrojos necesitan clavar a ras de la superficie, sin cortar el superficle (cantos bloqueado y abrochado) Es importante cuando se usan las grapas de asegurarlas en la direccion paralela en el tachon.

To achieve approved WRB, joints can be:

Overlapped OR butted and taped with approved tape (3M<sup>™</sup>8087CW, or Equivalent). Lapped seams should be overlapped by 34" (min.)

and fastened with single row fasteners

Para WRB, puede ser doblado o unido a los lados apropado ( $3M^{\infty}8087CW$ , o Equivalente). Usando cinta de construccion aprobado. Junturas superpuesto para 3/4"(min.) y elementos de fijacion de una hilera

# Installation **General for Structural and WRB Applications**

All Thermo-ply Grades shall be installed in accordance with the manufacturer's published installation instructions in the Evaluation Report. Where Thermo-ply extends beyond the bottom of a wall and overlaps the band joist below, fasten the bottom edge of the Thermo-ply to the wall bottom plate where it meets the band joist. Due to shrinkage of the band joist, do not fasten the sheathing to the band joist.

Window treatment: If windows and doors are made to accommodate traditional 1/2" sheathing materials, order window with adjustable nailing fins from the supplier. Door brick moldings may be planed or routed 5/16" in order to accommodate the different sheathing thickness, whether at the jobsite or from the millwork supplier. Thermo-ply must be installed with appropriate flashing and counter flashing in conformance with manufacturer's install instructions, accepted building standards and in compliance with local building codes.

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