

Table 1 - U-Factors (Btu/hrft ^{2o} F) and R-Values (hrft ^{2o} F/Btu) of Concrete Masonry Walls ^A								
Nominal Wythe Thickness in. (mm)	Concrete Density pcf	Standard CMU Cores Empty		100% Solid Grouted ^B				
		U	R	U	R			
8 in. (203mm)	85	0.402	2.5	0.525	1.9			
	95	0.427	2.3	0.559	1.8			
	105	0.452	2.2	0.592	1.7			
	115	0.479	2.1	0.623	1.6			
	125	0.507	2.0	0.654	1.5			
	135	0.537	1.9	0.684	1.5			
12 in. (305mm)	85	0.390	2.6	0.441	2.3			
	95	0.411	2.4	0.466	2.1			
	105	0.433	2.3	0.490	2.0			
	115	0.455	2.2	0.515	1.9			
	125	0.478	2.1	0.539	1.9			
	135	0.503	2.0	0.564	1.8			

Table 1 Source: Abbreviated NCMA TEK 6-2B

^A (hrft^{2°}F/Btu) (0.176) = m²K/W. Mortar joints are 3/8" (9.5 mm) thick, with face shell mortar bedding. Unit dimensions based on *Standard Specification for Loadbearing Concrete Masonry Units*, ASTM C 90. Surface air films are included.

^B Grout density is 140 pcf (2,243 kg/m³). Lightweight grouts will provide higher R-values and may be used.

Table 3 - Thermal Resistance of EPS Foam Insulation						
EPS Type	Minimum Density (pcf) F	R-Value Per Inch of Thickness (F°●ft ² ●h/Btu)				
II	135	4.00				

Table 3 Source: ICC ESR - 1498 per ASTM C 578

^F pcf = 16.02 kg/m³, 1°F ft²hr/Btu=0.176m²K/W, 1°F=1.8°C+32

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Table 2 - U-Factors (Btu/hrft ² °F) and								
R-Values (hrft ² °F/Btu) of Omni Block Walls ^A								
Nominal Wythe	Concrete Density pcf	Stretcher Unit		Cores With				
Thickness in. (mm)		Cores Empty ^c		EPS Inserts D,E				
		U	R	U	R			
8 in. (203mm)	85	0.123	8.2	0.047	21.2			
	95	0.133	7.5	0.048	20.6			
	105	0.139	7.2	0.049	20.2			
	115	0.146	6.8	0.050	19.9			
	125	0.153	6.5	0.051	19.6			
	135	0.161	6.2	0.052	19.3			
12 in. (305mm)	85	0.102	9.8	0.032	31.0			
	95	0.110	9.1	0.033	30.3			
	105	0.115	8.7	0.033	29.9			
	115	0.121	8.3	0.034	29.5			
	125	0.126	7.9	0.034	29.2			
	135	0.133	7.5	0.035	28.8			

Table 2 Source: Tom Norris, Architect (ICC Certified)

^c 8 inch unit has an additional face shell and reduced cross-web conductance. Resulting formula: (hrft²°F/Btu)(1.50)+(hrft²°F/Btu)(1.76).

12 inch unit has two additional face shells and reduced cross-web conductance. Resulting formula: (hrft²°F/Btu)(2.00)+(hrft²°F/Btu)(1.772).

- $^{\mbox{\tiny D}}$ Values apply when all cores are filled completely.
- ^E Average continuous insulation correction factor is 10% less than total insert R-value.

Some table values are the same due to rounding.

