## ProSTUD<sup>®</sup> 30mil Head-of-Wall (HOW) Composite Limiting Heights

w/ 30mil 2-1/2" Leg MaxTRAK®							5/8" Type X Gypsum Board					
Width	Stud Member	Yield Strength	Spacing (in) o.c.	5psf			7.5psf			10psf		
				L/120	L/240	L/360	L/120	L/240	L/360	L/120	L/240	L/360
2-1/2	ProSTUD 30 mil 250PDS125-30	33 ksi	12	17' - 10''	14' - 10"	13' - 0"	15' - 7''	13' - 0"	11' - 4"	14' - 2"	11' - 10"	10' - 4"
			16	16' - 7"	13' - 10"	12' - 1"	14' - 6"	12' - 1"	10' - 6"	13' - 2"	11' - 0''	9' - 5"
			24	14' - 10"	12' - 4"	10' - 9"	13' - 0"	10' - 9"	9' - 2"	11' - 9"	9' - 8"	8' - 1"
3-5/8"	ProSTUD 30 mil 362PDS125-30	33 ksi	12	24' - 0"	19' - 8"	17' - 2"	21' - 0"	17' - 2''	15' - 0"	19' - 1"	15' - 7"	13' - 8"
			16	22' - 4"	18' - 4"	16' - 1''	19' - 6"	16' - 1"	14' - 0"	17' - 9''	14' - 7"	12' - 8"
			24	19' - 11"	16' - 2''	14' - 2"	17' - 5"	14' - 2"	12' - 3"	15' - 10"	12' - 10''	11' - 0''
4"	ProSTUD 30 mil 400PDS125-30	33 ksi	12	26' - 0"	20' - 8"	18' - 1"	22' - 9"	18' - 1"	15' - 9"	20' - 8"	16' - 5"	14' - 4"
			16	24' - 3"	19' - 3"	16' - 10"	21' - 2"	16' - 10"	14' - 8"	19' - 3"	15' - 3"	13' - 4"
			24	21' - 8''	17' - 2"	15' - 0"	18' - 11"	15' - 0"	13' - 1"	17' - 2"	13' - 7"	11' - 8"
6"	ProSTUD 30 mil 600PDS125-30	33 ksi	12	34' - 2"	28' - 2"	24' - 9"	29' - 10"	24' - 7"	21' - 8"	27' - 1"	22' - 4"	19' - 8''
			16	31' - 9"	26' - 2"	23' - 0"	27' - 9''	22' - 10"	20' - 1"	25' - 2"	20' - 9"	18' - 3"
			24	28' - 4"	23' - 1"	20' - 2"	24' - 9"	20' - 2"	17' - 7''	22' - 0" f	18' - 4''	

## Notes:

- Allowable HOW composite limiting heights were tested in accordance with AISI S916 and ICC-ES AC86.

- The tests were modified from the standards with the tracks fastened to the test fixture such that the wall stiffness included the track deformation.

In accordance with current building codes and AISI design standards, the 1/3 Stress Increase for strength was not used.
The composite limiting heights provided in the tables are based on a single layer of 5/8" Type X Gypsum Board from the following manufacturers:

American, CertainTeed, Georgia Pacific, Continental, National, PABCO, and USG.

 The gypsum board must be applied full height in the vertical orientation to each stud flange and installed in accordance with ASTM C754 using minimum No. 6 Type S Drywall screws spaced as listed below:

- Sheathing screws spaced a maximum of 16 in on-center to framing members (including bottom track) when studs spaced at 16 in or 12 in on-center.

- Sheathing screws spaced a maximum of 12 in on-center to framing members (including bottom track) when studs spaced at 24 in on-center.

#8 wafer head screws shall be used for attaching the stud to 30mil 2-1/2" Leg MaxTRAK (as top track) adhering to details below:

- Stud to track connection must be installed as depicted in figure with a maximum gap of 7/8" between the web of the MaxTRAK and end of stud.

- Slots in the MaxTRAK Legs allows for a total vertical movement of 1-1/2" (± 3/4") with screw centered in slots
- Screws shall be placed in each flange of the stud at a minimum of 3/8" from the end of the stud
- To permit head of wall deflection, gypsum board must not be fastened directly to the MaxTRAK

No fasteners are required for attaching the stud to the bottom track except as detailed in ASTM C754.

f Adjacent to the height value indicates that flexural stress controls the allowable wall height.

